

Christ Our Light Parish

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The Ascension of the Lord May 13, 2018

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Wednesdays from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the chapel. BAPTISMS: Parents are to be registered and must attend a preparation class. Contact Pat at the parish office. **BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Information must be submitted in writing by noon on Wednesdays. FORMED.ORG: Parish Code - QARQ3C

HOSPITAL VISITATION: Please call immediately if you or a loved one is in the hospital.

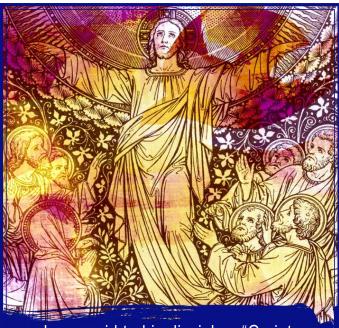
MINISTRY TO THOSE IN NURSING HOMES, THE HOSPITAL, AND THE HOMEBOUND: If you or a loved one wishes to receive the Eucharist or have regular pastoral visits, please call the parish office.

RECONCILIATION: At St. Benedict Church: Tuesday and Thursday at 7-9 p.m., Saturday 4:00 p.m. & by request. At Sts. Peter & Paul Church: Sunday at 11:45 a.m. **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** Parish School of Religion (PSR) classes for children in grades K through 12 are held Sunday mornings from September to May.

ROSARY: 9:00am - Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Saturday SCHEDULING MASS INTENTIONS: Anyone wishing to schedule Masses on special days, especially weekends, should do so at least 6 months in advance.

WEDDINGS: Arrangements must be made six months in advance.

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH: Registration forms can be found at the church, oratory or parish office.



Jesus said to his disciples, "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved.' -Mark 16:15-16a

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Mass Schedule & Intentions for the Week of May 13, 2018

Saturday, May 12	(SB)	5:00pm	† Al Mueser (Birthday, May 11) by Shirley Kurtz and Maggie Goggin
Sunday, May 13	(SB)	8:00am	People of Christ Our Light Parish
	(SB)	10:30am	† Albert DeStephen by Don and Ann Moore
	(SSPP)	12:15pm	[†] Christopher Pekari by the Ginnetti Family
Monday, May 14	(SB)	8:35am	† Doug Rodenbeck by Buddy and Donna Brill
Tuesday, May 15	(SB)	8:35am	Phil DeLuca by Vicky Liguore
	(SSPP)	12:00pm	† Victor Sklenar by Fr. Hrezo
Wednesday, May 16	(SB)	7:00am	* Kenneth Lorincz by Linda Pawlowski
	(SB)	8:35am	† Theresa Buttress by Philip and Patricia Buttress
Thursday, May 17	(SB)	8:35am	† Intentions of Janet, Ken, Mark and Celena by Mary Watson Shea
Friday, May 18	(SB)	7:00am	Vocations by the Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity
	(SB)	8:35am	† Martha Delik by Joe and Sharon Miller
Saturday, May 19	(SB)	8:35am	† Al Mueser by the Mueser Family
	(SB)	5:00pm	† John Wallo and Betty Wallo Jones by Randy and Melanie Birchfield
Sunday, May 20	(SB)	8:00am	People of Christ Our Light Parish
	(SB)	10:30am	† George and Ida Bailey by Florence Neff
	(SSPP)	12:15pm	† David Scholik by Mike and Maureen Cowgill

Ministers of the Altar for Saturday & Sunday, May 19-20, 2018

	Saturday (SB) 5:00 p.m.	Sunday (SB) 8:00 a.m.	Sunday (SB) 10:30 a.m.	Sunday (SSPP) 12:15 p.m.	Hospital
Ministers of	Alycia Oswald (B)	Teri Poulos (B)	Susana Mascolino (B)	Rhonda Pilck (B)	Barb Ludovici
Communion	Patty Johnson	Nancy Hoffer	Winnie Wells	Betty Duche'	
	Jeremiah Hahn	David Hoffer	Cassie Stevens	Pat Channell	
	Rita Nolan		Gene Mailot		
	Gloria Lander		Stephen Storch		
Lectors	Mike Kuklica	Jeff Ricketts	Robert Mascolino	Sandy Broom	
Altar Servers	Ashlynn Kuklica	Samantha Delik	Frank Rome	Sidney Beaver	
	Elijah Kuklica	Mary Hall	Tony Mascolino	Ben Jackson	
Ushers	John Jamail	Victor Orange	Alan Bay	Eugene Duke	
	Bill Ditto	Craig Stickelmeyer	Gary Klamut	Ed McConkey	
	James D. Jones	Bud McCutcheon	Anna Pavlov		
	Jacob Padden	Volunteer	Mark Anker		
Cantors	Marigold Marsh	Sisters Jan & Carol	Choir		
Coffee/Donut Hour			Stevie Fairchild		



Congratulations to the children who

received Jesus for the first time last Sunday: Brady Arnold, Ava Betts, May Bloomberg, Andrew Burlingame, Ethan Daniels, Kara Desjarlais, Maddalyn Finley, Ashlyn Franklin,



Bailee Gibbs, Maya Harris, Laken Knight, Caleb Marchiano, Camryn Moore, Luke Norman, Geir Pyscher, Stephanie Reed, Tate Sikora, Kenna Smith, Presleigh Valentine

Schedule for This Week

Sunday, May 13 (The Ascension of the Lord) All Masses May Crowning All Masses CWC Madonna Plan Collection After Masses Scrip Sales (Marian Room) 11:45am Confession (SSPP) Monday, May 14 9:00am Rosary 1:30pm School May Crowning Tuesday, May 15 9:00am Rosary 12:00pm Catholic Women's Club Mass and Meeting (SSPP social hall) 3:00pm Girl Scouts (SB social hall) 7:00-9:00pm Confession (SB) Wednesday, May 16 9:00am-9:00pm.... Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel) 4:30pm Evening Prayer & Benediction 6:30pm ChristLife (SB social hall) 9:00pm Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament Thursday, May 17 8:35am School Mass 2:00pm Salad Luncheon Set-up (SB social hall) 7:00pm Men's Prayer Group (Marian Room) 7:00-9:00pm Confession (SB) Friday, May 18 8:45am Knights of Columbus Breakfast at Bob's (Bob Evans) 9:00am Rosary 11:00am-1:00pm .. Spring Salad Luncheon (SB social hall) Saturday, May 19 9:00am Rosary 4:00pm Confession (SB) 6:00pm Scrip Sales (Marian Room) 6:15pm..... Calix Society (conference room) Sunday, May 20 (Pentecost Sunday) After Masses Scrip Sales (Marian Room) 11:45am Confession (SSPP) 1:30pm Faith & Life Team (SSPP social hall) 2:30pm...... Bereavement Haven (SB social hall)

Attentions Knights of Columbus and

Catholic gentlemen, Come to breakfast at Bob's (Bob Evans) on Friday, May 18, at 8:45 a.m. Vave a fun breakfast, no membership needed. See you there!

Table of Plenty

Suggested food items for May are canned soups and complete meals that can be opened and eaten without cooking. Thank you for your continued support.

Catholic Women's Club

The CWC will meet this coming Tuesday, May 15, at Sts. Peter and Paul Oratory. Mass will be celebrated at noon with meeting to follow. Ladies are asked to bring something to share for lunch. This will be the last meeting before we begin our summer break.



I will help with the Salad Luncheon on **Friday, May 18, 2018.**

Name:_____

Phone:

 \Box I will help at the luncheon.

☐ I will bring a salad.

☐ I will bring a dessert.

PRAY FOR OUR We ask your prayers $\star \star \star \star \star \star$ **ILITAR**

for all of the men and women serving in our armed forces at sea and overseas, among

them our own parishioners and family members: especially Chance Stoner, Carl Duch, Roger G. Applegate, Travis Jackson, Anthony Dye, Jeff Bentz, Jessie Walters, Jeff Glem, Michael Kuhns, Zach Williams, Alana Puzzuoli, Dan Sestina, Steven Whaley, Ben Sebek, Jeff McKnight, Phil Orzek, Anthony Camarato, J.C. Minarchek, William Miller, Scott Fearn, Ryan McGough, Josh Norris, Steven Barrows, Anthony Stevens, Cody Huffman, Ethan Wray, Marcus Waggoner, Joshua Lucas, Phillip Cram, Jeremy Jones, Nick Puzzuoli

Please Pray For Our Priests

May 13	Bishop Jeffrey M. Monforton
May 14	Rev. Timothy Kozak
May 15	Rev. Frederick Kihm
May 16	Msgr. Thomas Petronek
May 17	Rev. Timothy Shannon
May 18	Rev. Virgil Reischman
May 19	Rev. Ludwig Oppl
May 20	Msgr. Kurt Kemo



One Adorer Needed

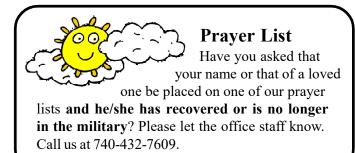
One scheduled Eucharistic Adorer is needed at the 7:00 p.m. hour every Wednesday. If you can spend one hour a week with our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration, please contact Fr. Hrezo at 740-432-7609.

NFP International

A Natural Family Planning class will be offered by NFP International on Saturday, May 27, at St. Peter Church in Steubenville. For more information or to register, please call Steve and Ann Craig at 740-457-9663. Also, an online course is available at www.nfpandmore.org.

A new initiative for our outreach to

inmates in various correctional facilities is to supply varn and greeting cards for them to make both bookmarks and prayer cloths for those in nursing homes. Donated items can be brought to the Marian Room and the back of the Oratory. Contact Nancy Hoffer at 740-704-3608 for additional information.





Please pray for all God's children who are ill, homebound or in nursing homes, and those who care for them. Also, all members of our military, and those who put themselves in harm's way to protect and serve others.

Dwight Albaugh, Clarence Apel, Megan Archer, Bob Baier, Bob Barlock, Larry Bell, Whitney Benson, Carl Bodner, Steve Bodner, Brinley Boyd, Chris Bradley, Imeda Bruney, David Callihan, Diane Carkin, Patti Cartner, Chesler Family, Monica Chicwak, Alexis Clark, Mike Cowgill, Anita Cox, Jennifer Cox, Anna Crock, Max Davis, Sue Crum, Linda Delik, Fred & Pat Dinapoli, Peggy Ditto, Angie Doerfler, Sister Miriam Dosch, Carl James Duch, Bill Edwards, Liam Elliott, Betty Fannin, Jen Fannin, Kathleen Feicht, William "Buzzy" Ferguson, Marcia Fulk, Lowell Gesaman, Irene Feyko, Marsha Finley, Regina Gallagher, Pat Graven, Steve Hall, Robert Hart, Dave Hanes, Mary Ann Haynes, Boots Henry, Violes Henry, Sandra Honeywell, Payton Hubal, Bob Huffman, Laverne Ingles, Rachel Jirles, Brandi Jones, Jeff Jones, Sr. Carol Juckem, Ethel Kuklica, Dorothy Lackney, Amara Larrison, Agnes Lehotay, Roberta Longfellow, Emilee Loyd, Sherry MacDonald, Bill McCullouch, Nate McVicker, Melissa Meek, Esther Mehaffey, Jackson Merritt, Angela Merva, Tony Mingione, Don Moore, Leo George Moore, Hayley Morris, Mary Ann Pachuta, John Palmer, Paul Pasqual, Frances Pavlov, Carole Pekari, Mickey Philpott, Ed Porterfield, Eileen Porterfield, Linda Ridgley, Gayle Roberts, Helena Robinson, Marie Rome, Don Ross, Mary Schmid, Debbie Scott, Rosemary Sebek, Ann Shreiner, Joan Sikora, Carys Singler, William Smith, Vernell Speckert, John Sprouse, Louie Stahovec, Mary Stoner, Ken Stump, Loran Stutz, Janice Miller Thomas, Lisa Urdak, Matthew Wentzel, Maria Whitis, Bill & Catherine Whitmire, Don Whitmore, Mary Ellen Wright, Helen Yakubik, Lillian Zeleznik, Stephen Zvolensky



St. Benedict School Faithfully Educating God's Children Since 1911

Good news! Father Paul and I would like to make a preliminary announcement that a candidate for the Principal position has agreed to join the St. Benedict School community for the 2018-2019 school year! A more formal announcement will appear in a future bulletin.

On this Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, Jesus calls us to go out to all the world to tell the Good News. In many ways, Catholic Schools do just that. I have been honored to be a part of an institution that promotes the Gospel call to love and serve the Lord. In my last month with the students, I am trying to take things one day at a time, treasuring the moments and thanking God for the chance to be a part of an amazing community at St. Benedict.

Happy Mothers' Day! My own mother was a nurse and mother of 10. She sacrificed a great deal to raise us. In her own way, she showed me God's love, patience and forbearance. I smile as I watch my irises grow and bloom this month. They were her favorite flower! God bless our mothers! Bring your mom to the Salad Luncheon on May 18th!

Grades K-2 enjoyed a field trip to The Farm this past Friday. Many parents joined them on the excursion. Next week, 7th & 8th graders will enjoy a day at Cedar Point and 6th graders will go to COSI in Columbus. Join us for our **May Crowning** celebration on Monday, May 14th, at 1:30 p.m. in St. Benedict Church.

This Tuesday, May 15, at 1:00 p.m., we will hold an all-school evacuation drill. First Responders will arrive at the scene, as this is also a training exercise for them. Please don't be alarmed if you hear or see sirens coming to the school! This type of drill will be used more often each year for every school.

Registration for St. Benedict School, preK-8th grade is ongoing through June 15. Please contact the school for an information packet, to schedule a tour or if you have any questions. Tuition for 1 child for the 2018-2019 school year is \$2,100 (parishioner) and \$3,100 (non-parishioner) for K-8. Families can also register children after August 1. Contact the school office: 740-432-6751.

We still welcome registrations for Kindergarten and can schedule a screening. Please contact the school by May 31 if you would like to learn more. Currently, we are expecting 12-14 students in our Kindergarten for 2018-2019.

OPEN ARMS PREGNANCY CENTER

Come rain or shine!

Saturday, May 19, 2018

Cambridge City Park Pavilion #4 Registration 8:30 am Walk 9:00 - 11:00 am

Mark your calendars now to join us for our annual Walk for Life! Free T-shirt for \$200 in pledges!

Register as a walker or sponsor one of our church's walkers online—from our website, oapcfriends.org. navigate to the Events page and click Walk For Life.

Help our Parish take first place by choosing St. Benedict/Christ Our Light as both your church and your team when registering.

Or pick up a registration form in the Marian Room or at Sts. Peter and Paul Oratory, complete it and bring it with you to the event.

For questions, contact Pat Goggin at 740-680-6895 or patgoggin@me.com or Joyce Day at 740-584-3780 or jeffandjoyce@windstream.net.

Open Arms Pregnancy Center PO Box 1644, Cambridge OH 43725

Blessings, Jane Rush

READINGS FOR THE FEAST OF PENTECOST May 20, 2018

We gather to celebrate the great Feast of Pentecost. Our scripture readings remind us that the abiding presence of the Holy Spirit empowers us to take the good news of Jesus Christ to all people.

The mission of the church is to do the work of the Holy Spirit.

Jesus breathed into his disciples his own life, the Holy Spirit. By the power of that Spirit, the church is born. They are now to do what his death and resurrection were all about—forgive. Peace is the greeting of the Risen Lord and peace is His

continued presence in the church.

The Spirit comes upon the disciples with power. In the name of Jesus, in every language, they are empowered to preach about the great things God has done.

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11

There appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each of them.

- Describe a time when you experienced being empowered by the Holy Spirit.

1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

There are different spiritual gifts but the same spirit.

Which are the gifts of the Spirit you have come to know have been given to you?

John 20:19-23

Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you."

- How do you know the peace of Christ in your life?

For most of the major feast days we celebrate in the Church for our Mass

John 20:21, NRSV

be with you.

so I send you."

As the Father has sent me,

readings we often have several choices of readings we could draw upon. That is the case for next week's celebration of the Feast of Pentecost. The variety of possible Old and New Testament readings is meant to help us experience in our own lives more of the powerful impact from both the original events and the Church's more recent experiences of those graces.

Pentecost has at least three layers of meaning, based on the experience of the early Church and of the Church throughout the centuries. The outpouring of the Holy Spirit is for the sake of 1) proclaiming the Good News that Jesus is alive, 2) living with growing depth our relationship with Him, and 3) drawing people of all nations into a new unity in Jesus. Our readings reflect all of these layers. Options for readings at the Saturday Vigil Mass include the first reading from Genesis 11. That's the famous Tower of Babel passage. Pentecost represents a reversal of the language chaos that resulted from the people of Babel's arrogant desire for fame. The Holy Spirit draws us into relationships with others, into that new unity in Jesus. The Holy Spirit helps us to communicate more clearly as is needed when we are in better relationships.

Other optional Vigil Mass first readings include prophecies from Ezekiel and Joel, which tell us that it is God's plan that all of us participate in the outpouring of the Holy Spirit and the gifts of the Holy Spirit and that even our desires will change from being given a new heart like God's own heart.

The optional New Testament/Second Reading is a powerful teaching from St. Paul's Letter to the Romans, chapter 8. There, in verses 26 & 27, he teaches that the Holy Spirit helps us when, for various reasons, we find it difficult to pray. That could be both because we find it hard to pray

for someone and because we just don't have the "oomph" to pray. The very groaning of our hearts can be converted by the Holy Spirit into a prayer with the Holy Spirit himself doing the praying in us and for us! This helps us to experience difficult moments when we find ourselves weak, including moments of temptation, to become moments of very effective grace.

All three of the Gospel options teach us about the range of ways we can experience the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit can be like a river that gives on-going refreshment to our lives (John 7:37-39). The Holy Spirit helps us to have the words we need to give praise and honor to God (John 15 & 16). And, while the first reading from Acts, chapter 2, describes the Holy Spirit as a strong, driving wind that shook the building where the apostles, Mary and other disciples were in hiding, the Gospel passage from John 20 - on the evening of the Resurrection - describes the Holy Spirit as bringing peace and mercy.

May we, also, experience the Holy Spirit giving us the kind of freedom that St. Paul describes in his letter to the Galatians. The Holy Spirit helps us to do those kinds of actions against which there is no law (Gal. 5:23). All of these help us to proclaim, with the assistance of the Holy Spirit, "Jesus Christ is Lord!"

Pastor's Letter

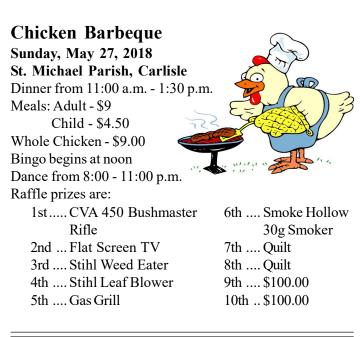
This week's Pastor's Letter is very brief because over this past week I attended our Annual Priests Retreat for the Diocese of Steubenville. Thank you for your prayers. I thank Fr. Bob and Fr. Jonas for helping with various things such as daily Masses, including a school Mass, that enabled me to participate in the retreat. It has been a welcome several days of rest, prayer and fellowship. I'm looking forward to sharing with you over these next few weeks some of the reflections gained from the time of retreat.





Memorial Day Mass

Mass will be celebrated at Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Cambridge, on Monday, May 28, at 10:00 a.m. (If it rains, Mass will be celebrated at church.) For your comfort, please bring a lawn chair.



OFFERTORY

(Weekend of May 5-6)

Adults	
Children	
Miscellaneous	
Monthly Collections for Those in Need	

