

The Church of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The face of prayer has changed. The need for prayer has not.



GOD BLESS AMERICA

Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD...

—Psalm 33:12

PENTECOST SUNDAY

MAY 24TH 2015

MASSES - MISAS

Daily: 8am (English)
Saturday: Vigil: 5pm (English)
Sunday: 8am & 10am (English)
Sunday: 12 Noon (Español)

CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:30pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am & 11:30am
Or anytime by appointment

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 8:30am -2:00pm & 2:30pm -4:30pm
Msgr. George Puthusseril, Pastor ~ Rev. Antony Vayalickarottu, In Residence
Cheryl Thornhill, Parish Secretary

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Marcia Waite, Director of Religious Education (DRE)
Religious Ed. Office: (305)651-7044 ~Email: ccddre@bellsouth.net

SACRAMENTS

Please contact the parish office to make arrangements

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK/POR FAVOR RECEN POR LOS ENFERMOS



Susan DeBiase, Elisabeth Schwab, Robert Schwab, Frances Bureau, Ada Rivera, Omar Paz, James Whitter, Micheline Bechard, Carmen & Luis Vargas, Jack & Gloria Woodworth, Andres Canpillo & family, Luis Guzman, Giuly Talledo, Nando Talledo, Rod Maldonado, Cunliffe George, Carl Bolduc, Jacqueline Corriveau, Jean-Paul Bolduc, Flore Cloutier, Jerry Davis, Yohanka Garcia, John & Lynn Feuerstein, Mark Calabrese, Isaias Muro-Montalvo, Tony Carlucci, Roselien Ojudoh, Steven Lagueux, Lorenzo Gaudet, Mary DeBiase, Paul Mention, Percy & Electra Forbing, Jo & Tom Pender, Miriam Slome, Paul & Adam Feuerstein, Vic Grindle, Hazel Herman, Ingrid DeLanders, Teresita Diez, Rose B. Lagueux, Stephanie Lamanna, Angie Maalouf, and all the sick of our parish. (Please let the office know if you would like to add/remove a name).

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week

May 23rd to May 29th 2015 for

AVAILABLE



Mass Intentions

Sat., May 23rd, Vigil: Pentecost Sunday

5pm: †David Horney/Donald Bourke

5pm: †Deceased members of the Kobilarcsik family/Irene Kovalcin

Sun., May 24th, Pentecost Sunday

8am: In Thanksgiving/Marie Labissiere

8am: St. Anne & The Virgin Mary/Allette & Evelyn

10am: The people of the parish

Noon: †Frank Boughner/Zoila Boughner

Noon: †Lydia Osuna/La Burgos familia

Mon., May 25th, Weekday, Eight week in Ordinary Time

8am: †Rudy Cascio/The DeBiase family

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

Tues., May 26th, St. Philip Neri

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

8am: AVAILABLE

Wed., May 27th, Weekday, St. Augustine of Canterbury

8am: All souls/Denyse Barber

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

Thurs., May 28th, Weekday

8am: †Johnny Winters

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

Fri., May 29th, Weekday

8am: All souls/Denyse Barber

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

Sat., May 30th, Weekday

8am: †Francis Surpris/Wife, Marie Surpris

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week

May 30th to June 5th 2015 for

†Angel Diez requested by Teresita Diez



Mass Intentions

Sat., May 30th, Vigil: The Most Holy Trinity

5pm: †Thomas Caron/Donald Bourke

5pm: †Deceased members of the Andresko family/Irene Kovalcin

Sun., May 31st, The Most Holy Trinity

8am: †Ann West/John West

8am: †Augustin Faustin/Marie & Harry Victor

10am: †Angel Diez/Teresita Diez

10am: Wedding Anniversary Blessings/Johnny & Barbara McLean

Noon: The people of the parish

Mon., June 1, St. Justin (Ninth Week in Ordinary Time)

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

8am: AVAILABLE

Tues., June 2nd, Weekday, St. Marcellinus & Peter

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

8am: AVAILABLE

Wed., June 3rd, St. Charles Lwanga & Companions

8am: Birthday Blessings for Emma/Regina Odiwo

8am: All Souls/Denyse Barber

Thurs., June 4th, Weekday

8am: †Jeannine Dupont/Denyse Barber

8am: Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit for Kevin/Mother

Fri., June 5th, St. Boniface

8am: †Johnny Winters

8am: Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Sat., June 6th, Weekday

8am: Immaculate Heart of Mary/Marie Frenel

8am: Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

My Time Talent Treasure

ROSARY~

Monday ~ Saturday at 7:30am in the Church.

ADORATION: ~

Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday mornings @ 8:30am in the Church.

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION~

First Friday of the month from 7pm to 9pm in the Church.

COMMUNION & LIBERATION~

Monday's 7:30pm-8:30pm in classroom 2. This is a movement to bring us closer to Christ. All are welcomed.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP /CREOLE ~

Thursday's 8:00pm - 9:30pm in the Parish Hall.

LEGION OF MARY: ~

Saturday 8:30am -10:30am in the Activities Room for more information please call Marie Therese Noel @ 305-651-8978. If you would be interested in having the Pilgrim Virgin Mary Statue or a portrait of the Sacred Heart of Jesus visit your home for one or two weeks, please call Marie Therese.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY ~

Meets every 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month in the Food Pantry, Building #3. Distribution of food, every other Wednesday from 9am – 12pm. Please call 786-462-4815 for more information. (Holiday schedule differs)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ~

Classes will resume on September 13, 2015. Please contact Marcia Waite @ ccddre@bellsouth.net for more information.

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY ~

If you or someone you know is pregnant and needs help or would like to volunteer your time or donate baby items please call 786-452-0266. For more information, please call Jeanette Carter @ 305-652-2264.

WOMEN'S CLUB~

Meets every 4th Saturday of the month @ 6pm in the Activities Room. All women are welcomed. For more information, please contact Nettie Mildor at 305-321-0979 email nettiewc@comcast.net or Debbie Gadson at 954-614-6936 email deborahagadson@bellsouth.net

EL GRUPO DE ORACIÓN EN ESPAÑOL~

Están todos invitados al grupo de oración el primer miércoles y el tercer miércoles del mes todo los meses en el cuarto de actividades a las 7pm a 8:30pm.

COLLECTION SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2015

5pm Mass: \$796.00/42 Envelopes-1 Loose Check

8am Mass: \$1317.00/62 Envelopes-2 Loose Checks

10am Mass: \$2179.00/98 Envelopes-4 Loose Checks

Noon Mass: \$1030.00/61 Envelopes-1 Loose Check

Contributions received by the office: \$240.00

Catholic Comm. Campaign: \$952.00/59 Envelopes – 2 Loose cks

Building Fund: \$114.00

Thank you for supporting our Parish!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23; Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: Sir 42:15-25; Ps 33:2-9; Mk 10:46-52

Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8-11; Mk 11:27-33

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-6, 9, 18-20, 22; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

LECTURA DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Sir 17:20-24; Sal 32 (31):1-2, 5-7; Mc 10:17-27

Martes: Sir 35:1-12; Sal 50 (49):5-8, 14, 23; Mc 10:28-31

Miércoles: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17; Sal 79 (78):8, 9, 11, 13; Mc 10:32-45

Jueves: Sir 42:15-25; Sal 33 (32):2-9; Mc 10:46-52

Viernes: Sir 44:1, 9-13; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b; Mc 11:11-26

Sábado: Sir 51:12cd-20; Sal 19 (18):8-11; Mc 11:27-33

Domingo: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Sal 33 (32):4-6, 9, 18-20, 22; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

TODAY'S READINGS

PENTECOST SUNDAY

"The Spirit of truth will lead you to the complete truth."

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11

We are presented here with two scenes of the Spirit at work: at the "house", and at some unknown large space able to hold "a large crowd." His activity emboldens the disciples, and allows people from many countries to understand them despite the usual language barrier.

Second Reading: I Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Paul writes against any spiritual snobbery among his readers by attributing the gift of faith entirely to the Holy Spirit's action. The diverse gifts among the community coalesce in their service to the group.

Gospel: John 20:19-23

The sudden appearance of Jesus in the locked room brings peace to the frightened disciples, and fills them with joy. The scars left by His suffering still show on Jesus' glorified body, as He talks of an outpouring of mercy upon all sinners.



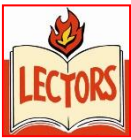
VISITATION WOMEN'S CLUB

On June 14th at the 10:00 am Mass we will honor the graduates of Visitation Church: Kindergarten, Middle & High School, College, Vocational & Professional followed by a brunch. Please submit the name of the graduate, their parents if necessary and the name of their school to the Women's Club contacts:

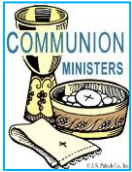


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SERVING IN THE SANCTUARY THE MOST HOLY TRINITY MAY 30TH & 31ST 2015



05/30	5pm:	Anselm
05/31	8am:	Alicia
05/31	10am:	Lester & Johnny
05/31	Noon:	Edwin



05/30	5pm:	Denise, Cecily, Anthony Carmen
05/31	8am:	Al, Bunni, Abby, Luis
05/31	10am:	Sylvie, Margarita, Marcia Sr. Filomena, Sr. Lidia Carstairs, Lucille, Josette
05/31	Noon:	Walter, Martha, Juan, Margarita



05/30	5pm:	Rudy, Richard, Shamar
05/31	8am:	Handell, Marcus
05/31	10am:	Olivier, Chidinma, Kelechi Obinna
05/31	Noon:	Sebastian, Jorge

THE WORD THIS WEEK

We arrive at the fiftieth day - the completion of the Easter Season, and the completion of the Paschal Mystery: the



Lord has died, is risen, has ascended to heaven and now gives birth to his Church, by sending the Spirit upon the apostles. This feast of the gift of the Spirit is so significant for us, because it marks the handing on of Jesus' ministry to the Church - in the Church we are guaranteed the presence of the Lord, in his sacraments, in his ministers, in the

Blessed Sacrament and in his Celebrated Word. It also marks the fulfilment of our thoughts about baptism throughout this season: the gift of the Spirit which we receive in Confirmation is the 'seal' of our baptism, guaranteeing and confirming all that baptism achieves.

THE LEGION OF MARY "MORNING OF REFLECTION"

Our Lady of the Visitation's Legion of Mary active and auxiliary members will host a "Morning of Reflection", Saturday, May 30th 2015 from 9am to 2pm in the Activities Room. Everyone is welcome. The morning will begin with the rosary, breakfast, songs, talks and discussion of God's plan for the Blessed Virgin Mary from creation and her role in salvation and conclude with prayers and lunch.

OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION FEAST DAY — MAY 31ST 2015

There will be a rosary procession on the 31st of May in honor of the feast day of The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Immediately following the 10am Mass, Father George will lead us from the church to Our Lady's Meditation Gazebo. Please bring your rosaries to Mass with you.



After which we will proceed to the hall for a light reception to wish Fr.

Carmelo Romanello farewell.



Flea Market & Car Wash

When: Sat., June 6th 2015

From: 8 a.m. 'till 3 p.m.

Where: Visitation Church Parking Lot

Sponsored By: Visitation Church CYO Group

INSPIRATION

HOLY SPIRIT FIRE

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit...
 — ACTS 2:3-4 NIV



Dear Friends,

Many of the parishioners request me to share what I had read during the homily on mother's day. The theme that day was Love and the command of Jesus to Love one another as He has loved us. Below is the requested section.

If you love someone because she is beautiful or he is handsome,
it is attraction, not love.
If you love someone because of his qualities or abilities,
it is admiration, not love.
If you love someone because the person has done something for you or is nice to you,
it is appreciation, not love.
If you love someone because the person has given you much,
it is gratitude, not love.
If you love someone because the person has wealth,
it is greed, not love.
If you love someone because the person can care for you,
it is selfishness, not love.
If you love someone because the person needs my help,
it is sympathy, not love.
If you love someone because the person is very successful in life,
it is esteem, not love.
If you love someone because it makes you feel good,
it is just a feeling, not love.

Love does not go by looks, love does not go by feelings,
love does not go by achievements, love does not go by success,
love does not go by gain, love does not go by money or wealth,
love does not go by pity, love does not go by sympathy.

The following is from the internet.

If I live in a house of spotless beauty with everything in its place, but have not love,
I am a housekeeper --not a homemaker.
If I have time for waxing, polishing, and decorative achievements, but have not love,
my children learn cleanliness--not godliness.

Love leaves the dust in search of a child's laugh.
Love smiles at the tiny fingerprints on a newly cleaned window.
Love wipes away the tears before it wipes up the spilled milk.
Love picks up the child before it picks up the toys.
Love is present through the trials.
Love reprimands, reproves, and is responsive.
Love crawls with the baby, walks with the toddler, runs with the child,
then stands aside to let the youth walk into adulthood.
Love is the key that opens salvation's message to a child's heart.
Before I became a mother I took glory in my house of perfection.
Now I glory in God's perfection of my child.
As a mother, there is much I must teach my child,
but the greatest of all is love.

Author unknown

http://www.appleseeds.org/love_home.htm

Enjoy reading and reflecting on these thoughts.

God bless you all,

Fr. George

