Pentecost Sunday – June 5, 2022

"And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were."

-Acts 2:2



Send out your Spirit

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13

MondaySir 1:1-10; Mk 9:14-29TuesdaySir 2:1-11; Mk 9:30-37WednesdaySir 4:11-19; Mk 9:38-40ThursdaySir 5:1-8; Mk 9:41-50FridaySir 6:5-17; Mk 10:1-12

Saturday Sir 17:1-15; Mk 10:13-16

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday—	June 4	4:00 PM	Juozas Urbutis (The Paolucci Family)
Sunday –	June 5	9:00 AM	Edward Burns (Florence Trowbridge)
Monday –	June 6	12:00 PM	Intention of Donor
Tuesday –	June 7	12:00 PM	Jim Gurn (The Gurn Family)
Wednesday -	June 8	12:00 PM	Intention of Donor
Thursday –	June 9	12:00 PM	Janet Smith (Michael & Lou Ann Kilmer)
Friday –	June 10	12:00 PM	Intention of Donor
Saturday –	June 11	4:00 PM	All Holy Name of Mary Parishioners
Sunday –	June 12	9:00 AM	Ed Nowik (John & Sally McGrath)

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1st Reading: Acts 2:1-11

In the early days, before Abraham, people raised the Tower of Babel, thinking in their arrogance that they could reach God. As a result, their punishment was to be separated by misunderstanding and by differing language, so that they would never be able to cooperate in such an enterprise again. In the courtyard told of in today's reading, the Holy Spirit filled the people with an understanding of each other's language, and what was separating people before was effectively eliminated by God. Through Jesus Christ all people could reach God *through the Spirit*.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians: 12:3b-7, 12-13

We are all brothers and sisters of Jesus Christ, and we are all equal within the Spirit; we are not the same, but we are all equal. The gifts of the Spirit, through faith in Jesus Christ, are given by God to further the great Gospel mission, and to build up Christ's Body: the Church. Within the Body we are truly free to be what God has intended that we should be according to His salvation plan.

Gospel Reading: John 20:19-23

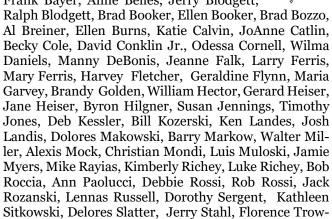
This is that moment when, traditionally understood within our Roman Church, Jesus empowered the apostles with the sacramental faculty of reconciliation. It is also possible that the passage refers to the forgiveness associated with baptism and, if so, then the empowerment is one of recognizing that baptism follows faith in Jesus Christ and is to be administered by the apostles. Either way, or both ways, Jesus has initiated the succession of apostolic empowerment to administer these sacraments. What this passage shows is foundational structure of the Church: Jesus to the apostles through the Holy Spirit and then to all who would be evangelized and bound by God's grace as found within the Church. And our Roman tradition finds its roots expressed within scripture.



MEMBERS OF THE HOLY NAME OF MARY PRAYER CHAIN are available to pray for you or your loved ones in need of prayer. Please call Maureen Van Nostrand at: 570-278-4590.

LET US PRAY THIS MONTH:

We remember in prayer those who are ill & pained in body, heart & mind. We pray especially for Betsy Arnold, Richard Arnold, Frank Bayer, Anne Belles, Jerry Blodgett,



bridge, Ruth Vandermark, Wavne Vandermark, Rose-



marie Whalen.

LET US PRAY FOR THOSE WHO PROUDLY SERVE IN THE MILITARY:

Floyd Beamer, Thomas Butler, Daniel Daly, Christopher Jordan, James Kane, Mark Nowalk, Michael Pelicci, Nate Seymour, Julie Snyder, Aaron Taylor, Nancy Travis, and Travis Walter.

PARISH FINANCES	5/29/2022
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(FY18/19 Budget)	\$ (4867.00)
Sunday Collection	\$ 3,618.25

Thank you for your generosity & support



Please remember that during these difficult times, Holy Name of Mary is relying on your continued support to meet our financial obligations. Thank you!!

2022 Catholic Women's Conference

Over the past four years, more 2,000 women from the Diocese of Scranton have deepened their faith by attending the "Refresh Your Faith" Catholic Women's Conference. I am happy to announce that the conference will return this year on June 11, 2022, with another outstanding line-up of speakers and music. The theme will be: "Full of Grace." The day-long conference will be generously hosted by Marywood University for the second consecutive year.

The keynote speaker will be Colleen Carroll Campbell, author of numerous books, including My Sisters the Saints. The spiritual speaker is Father Jeffrey Kirby who is currently serving in South Carolina. Another speaker is Deb Hadley, who despite terrible tragedies, has found a life full of grace. Molly McManus will lead the spiritual music.

More detailed information and registration is available at www.cwcnepa.com.







Sunday, June 5th - 9:00AM Bernadetta and Albert Paolucci

Sunday, June 12th - 9:00AM **Isaiah Torres**

Sunday, June 19th - 9:00AM Lee John Sullivan

Sunday, June 26th - 9:00AM Isaiah Torres

Sunday, July 3rd - 9:00AM

Bernadetta and Albert Paolucci

Would you like to become an Altar **Server?** If so, please contact Pam Tometchko at 570-278-0497 or speak to Fr. Philip directly.

2022 CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE "BE A CATHOLIC MAN"

The 7th annual Catholic Men's Conference, sponsored by "Be A Catholic Man", is planned for Saturday, October 8, 2022, at Holy Redeemer High School, 159 S. Pennsylvania Blvd., Wilkes-Barre. The theme, "Be Not Afraid" is under the patronage of Saint Joseph. This event (from 8 am to 3 pm) will be blessed with nationally known Catholic Speakers to be announced. Men are challenged to live virtuous lives in this secular world, --- whether single, married, or clergy, --- all are encouraged to set this date aside and attend. There will be Rosary, Eucharistic Adoration, Sacramental Confession, and lunch break. Mass will be offered by the Most Reverend Bishop Joseph Bambera. Questions, please contact Michael Kilmer, Conference Chairman, at 570-746-0100 or michaelkilmer71@gmail.com.



RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND FOR COUPLES

August 19 - 21, 2022: at the Towneplace Suites, Moosic

Is your marriage going down the right road, or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, as can the challenges you face in marriage.

If the distance between you seems wide, if you are looking for a better way, even if you are already separated, Retrouvaille can help. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, rebuild intimacy, and heal - just as the team couples have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. For more information, contact our team @ 631-338-5413 or visit our website: HelpOur-Marriage.org



2022 WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

His Excellency, the Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Scranton, and the Office for Parish Life wish to invite couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversary in 2022 to a diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 26. The event includes a 2:30 PM mass at St. Peter's Cathedral followed by a reception.

The registration deadline for this event is May 29, 2022. To register, please go to www.dio-ceseofscranton.org or contact Jen Housel (570-207-2213 x 1104 or jhousel@dioceseof-scranton.org). Those celebrating couples who speak Spanish may contact Jose Flores (570-207-2213 x 1130 or jflores@dioceseofscranton.org).



BIBLE STUDY

The Host family would like to invite you to join them for a six-week bible study of *The Eucharist in Scripture*.

This video series is presented by Dr. Scott Hahn from the St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology at Franciscan University of Steubenville. This bible study will be held at the Host residence in Montrose on Tuesday evenings from June 21 to July 26 from 6:30pm to 8pm.

If you are interested, please contact us via text or phone at (570) 396-6228.

Travelers & Vacationers

Please remember that our parish relies on your contributions, even when you are away. Thanks!!





DIOCESE OF SCRANTON

300 WYOMING AVENUE SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA 18503-1279

May 25, 2022

Dear Parishioner,

At their November 2021 General Assembly meeting, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops voted to move forward with plans for a National Eucharistic Revival to renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. The multi-year Eucharistic Revival begins on Sunday, June 19, 2022, the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi), and culminates with the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, July 17-21, 2024.

The Diocese of Scranton will begin its local observance of the National Eucharistic Revival with a Mass followed by a Eucharistic Procession on Sunday, June 19, 2022 at 12:15 P.M. at the Cathedral of Saint Peter, located at 315 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton where I will serve as principal celebrant. Because of your strong devotion to the Sacrament of the Eucharist and service to the parish, I invite you to participate in this Mass. Please reply online at this link or by contacting the Office for Parish Life at oplgeneral@dioceseofscranton.org or at 570-207-2213.

Initial resources for the Eucharistic Revival, including the document issued by the USCCB concerning the Revival, *The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church*, can be found at https://eucharisticrevival.org. Additional Eucharistic Revival resources and events for the Diocese of Scranton are forthcoming and will be found on the diocesan website.

As we begin this Eucharistic Revival initiative, it is my hope that all of the faithful in the Church of Scranton come to a deeper awareness of the boundless love of God made present in the Sacrament of the Eucharist, so that it may bear fruit in our lives and in the life of the world.

Faithfully yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L.

Bishop of Scranton