

SUNDAY JUNE 1, 2025    **The Ascension of the Lord**

<b>SATURDAY, MAY 31</b>		
5:30PM	† T.D. Pawelek, Jr.	<i>by Family</i>
<b>SUNDAY, JUNE 1    The Ascension of the Lord</b>		
7:30AM	Our Parish Family	<i>by Fr. Andrzej</i>
9:00AM	† Mike & Joy Swierc	<i>by Charlie &amp; Margie Zunker</i>
<b>MONDAY, JUNE 2</b>		
6:30PM	Living & Deceased Members of Catholic Life Branch 66	<i>by Catholic Life</i>
<b>TUESDAY, JUNE 3    St. Charles Lwanga &amp; Companions, Martyrs</b>		
6:30PM	Thanksgiving & Further Blessings upon Steven & Theresa Swierc Family	<i>by Steven &amp; Theresa Swierc</i>
<b>WEDNESDAY JUNE 4</b>		
7:30AM	† Chester Wiatrek	<i>by Family</i>
<b>THURSDAY, JUNE 5    St. Boniface Bishop &amp; Martyr</b>		
No Mass		
<b>FRIDAY JUNE 6    First Friday</b>		
7:00AM	† David Pawlik	<i>by Rudy &amp; Emily Pollok</i>
<b>SATURDAY, JUNE 7</b>		
5:30PM	† Alice P. Jendrusch	<i>by Tony &amp; Patricia Korzekwa</i>
<b>SUNDAY, JUNE 8    Pentecost Sunday</b>		
7:30AM	† Michelle Pawelek	<i>by Albert &amp; Sharon Zunker</i>
9:00AM	† Laurie Wiatrek	<i>by Philip &amp; Stacey Mika</i>

*Serving The Lord ~ June 7<sup>th</sup> & June 8<sup>th</sup>*

<b>Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion:</b>		<b>Lectors:</b>	
Saturday	5:30PM Dianne Dziuk	Saturday	5:30PM Dianne Dziuk
Sunday	7:30AM Karissa Jarzombek	Sunday	7:30AM Karissa Jarzombek
	9:00AM Mary Jane Stulting		9:00AM Katy Howell
<b>Altar Servers:</b>		Saturday 7:30AM Seth L, Kenna L, Alberto G	
Saturday Cayson M & volunteer		9:00AM Claire L, Cameron L, Haleigh H, Keller H	

<b>Money Counters</b>	
June 8    Pat & Karissa Jarzombek & Mary Stulting	June 22 James & Sophie Dziuk
June 15 Wilfred & Dianne Dziuk	June 29 James & Sophie Dziuk

Sunday Church Support \$2,937.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection this weekend is for Priest Pension.    *This is a caring way to express thanksgiving and gratitude for our retired priests.*

**ALTAR SOCIETY MONTHLY ROSARY**-The monthly (First Sunday) Rosary will not be recited during the months of June, July and August.    The Rosary will begin again Sunday, Sept. 7th at 5pm.

**FIRST FRIDAY**    *Please join us this Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00am for Mass, Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.*

**TABERNACLE FLOWERS** - *This weekend's floral arrangements are in memory of Louis Pat Dziuk donated by Al & Nancy Waclawczyk.*

**The Ascension of the Lord**

*You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses. (Acts 1:8)*  
*Today we celebrate the Ascension, the day when Jesus left his disciples and returned to his Father in heaven. Jesus had just promised them a share in his own power, which would equip them to be his witnesses, but now he was gone (Acts 1:8). How could they—alone and unsure—bring his message to the ends of the earth? By the power of the Holy Spirit! When Jesus walked the earth, he could only be in one place at a time. But now that he was ascending to heaven, he could send the Spirit to all his disciples and work through them.*

*Jesus always keeps his promises, and in just a few days, the Spirit did come. The frightened men who had abandoned Jesus at his death were now boldly proclaiming that he was alive. On the day of Pentecost alone, those same disciples touched more than three thousand people—and that set off a mighty chain reaction! Day by day and in the centuries that followed, countless disciples have spread the gospel to every corner of the earth.*

*Jesus’ promise of power wasn’t just for the apostles or the early Christians. It is for all people in every age. You are part of this glorious band of witnesses! Through you, Jesus can bring the good news of his kingdom to people everywhere. The same Spirit who came upon the disciples lives in you, empowering you to bring hope to the men and women around you. The darkness of fear and discouragement can be illuminated by your joyful witness. In homes and workplaces, in parishes and neighborhoods, Jesus can open hearts—through you!*

*So don’t be afraid to share God’s love. Jesus, the ascended Lord, has given you the same power that raised him from the dead. And he wants you to give it to everyone you meet. “Holy Spirit, help me to witness to Jesus today.”*    Reprinted with permission of The Word Among Us, 7115 Guilford Dr #100, Frederick, MD 21704 June 2025 wau.org, 301-874-1700

**The Ascension brings us closer to Jesus**

*Growing in Faith*

The Ascension might have felt like a moment of separation to Jesus’ disciples, but in reality, it brought them closer to Him in a deeper spiritual connection. Through His Ascension, Jesus became spiritually present everywhere, continually interceding on our behalf. He is always thinking of us, presenting our needs to the Father. When we pray, we are never alone—Jesus Himself is praying with us and for us.

Prayer “power-up.” Prayer doesn’t have to feel good to be good prayer. It can be a real struggle to pray throughout the day, to stay focused on God, and not get distracted. That’s when we can lean on Jesus’ perfect prayer to the Father. We

can join our prayers to His, and know they are pleasing to God.

Offer it up. Whether it involves suffering, fulfilling a necessary duty, or performing an act of charity, when we unite these actions with Jesus’ self-offering on the Cross, they gain profound spiritual significance and immeasurable value for souls — especially our own.

Mass intentions. During Holy Communion or right after Mass, take a moment to present your concerns, and your desires to God, dedicating them to the service and glory of His love. Remember, God is never outdone in generosity!



**Vacation Bible School - True North – Trusting Jesus in a Wild World**  
July 21-24 from 8:30am to 11:00am.  
Parents can sign up on Facebook if they ‘like’ the ‘Holy Trinity VBS’ page. Contact Candice Etzler for questions or more information 979-575-0683.

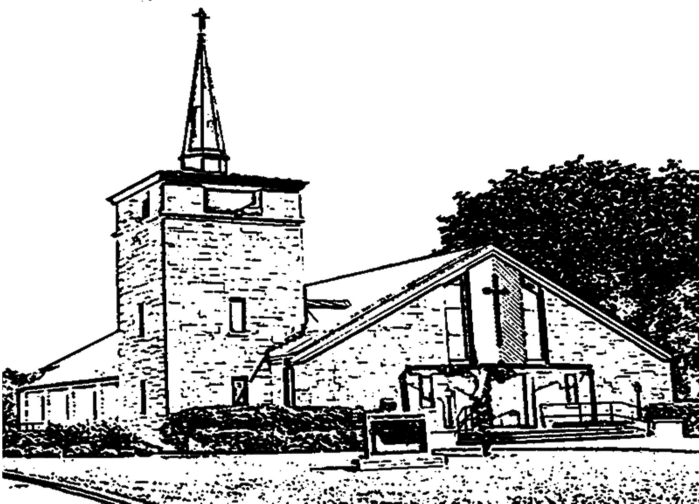
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**Memorial of St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr** - June 5th - The life of St. Boniface shows the importance of courage and perseverance in sharing our faith. He faced many dangers and challenges, yet he continued his mission. He trusted in God and believed that the message of Jesus was worth sharing, even when it was hard. His determination reminds us that spreading the Gospel is not always easy, but it is always worth the effort.

St. Boniface also teaches us the value of patience. He didn't give up when people were slow to accept the faith. Instead, he explained the truth with kindness and gentleness. In our own lives, we can learn from his example by being patient when sharing our beliefs with others. We might not see results right away, but persistence and love can help people understand the message of Jesus. Another lesson we can learn from St. Boniface is how he worked to build strong communities of faith. He didn't just convert people; he organized churches and trained leaders. This shows that faith is not just an individual journey, but something we should share and support within a community. Building and strengthening the Church helps all of us grow in faith together.

St. Boniface's life challenges us to think about how we can share our faith in our own way. His story reminds us that every effort to spread the Gospel, no matter how small, is important. Whether through our words or actions, we can help others come to know Jesus. (young-catholics.com)

**Learning from the Saints** – Pilgrim Center of Hope hosts Social with the Saints Podcast. Scan the QR code or go to <https://pilgrimcenterofhope.org/media-and-resources/all-media-series/socials-with-the-saints.html> to access the podcasts.



**Events**

**FFA Fried Chicken Drive-thru Dinner**-June 8-Diner-Call Josh 830-267-0801 for tickets

**Catholic Women's Conference**-July 26-Norris Conference Center, San Antonio, TX

**Bingo hosted by Roger Winkler Memorial**-June 8-Kosciusko Hall-Opens at 1pm/Play at 2pm

**Vacation Bible School (VBS)** – July 21-24, 8:30a.m. – 11:00a.m.

**Time to start planning for the 2025 Picnic!**

**Raffle Prizes** – If anyone would like to donate toward a raffle prize, please call or text Cheryl Stone at 210-415-9037.

**Let the canning begin!** Yes, we need "canned" items for the Country Store and Auction for our Church Picnic. This is the #1 request in the Country Store. So, if you have some spare vegetables or fruit, please don't let them go to waste. We need pickles, okra, jellies and whatever fits in a jar. "Can" them and bring them to our Church Picnic in September. Let's work together to make this picnic a huge success!

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 8AM-2PM  
Closed Thursdays

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:30PM  
Sunday 7:30AM & 9:00AM

## DAILY MASSES & HOLY DAYS

As scheduled.

## RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

30 minutes before every Mass

## DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

Monday after Mass

## SACRED HEART DEVOTIONS

First Friday: Exposition & Benediction after Mass  
Except during Lent

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays of Lent at 6:30pm, followed by mass

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please make arrangements with the Pastor at least six months in advance.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Call Rectory to schedule at least two weeks in advance. **A birth certificate must be shown.** Godparents shall request letter from their Parish.

## SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

Please call the priest when sick or before going to the hospital, if possible.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

30 Minutes before every Mass

## VISITING OF THE SICK & ELDERLY

First Fridays & upon request.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wednesday 6:00PM.

## LAMENTATIONS

Saturdays of Lent after 5:30 Mass