

June 16, 2019

[T]he love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.
— Romans 5:5b

A Note from Fr. Conoboy

Dear Parishioners,
Happy Father's Day!

We thank God for those men in our lives who have supported us and who have been good models for us—those men who have accepted the responsibilities to cultivate our physical and spiritual growth.

I look forward to the youth ministry event this week. All youth grades 9-12 are invited!

Here are some words from Pope Francis on fatherhood (February 2015):

“Everyone knows that extraordinary parable of the “prodigal son”, or better yet of the “merciful father”, which we find in the Gospel of Luke. What dignity and what tenderness there is in the expectation of that father, who stands at the door of the house waiting for his son to return! Fathers must be patient. Often there is nothing else to do but wait; pray and wait with patience, gentleness, magnanimity and mercy.

A good father *knows how to wait and knows how to forgive* from the depths of his heart. Certainly, he also knows how to correct with firmness: he is not a weak father, submissive and sentimental.

If, then, there is someone who can fully explain the prayer of the “Our Father”, taught by Jesus, it is the one who lives out paternity in the first person. Without the grace that comes from the Father who is in Heaven, fathers lose courage, and abandon camp. But children need to find a father waiting for them when they come home after failing. They will do everything not to admit it, not to show it, but they need it; and not to find it opens wounds in them that are difficult to heal. The Church, our mother, is committed to supporting with all her strength the good and generous presence of fathers in families, for they are irreplaceable guardians and mediators of faith in goodness, of faith in justice and in God's protection, like St Joseph.”

God bless you,
Fr. Shawn Conoboy



Mass Intentions For The Week

- Saturday, June 15**
4:00 pm (L) Mary Boynton-Family
- Sunday, June 16, The Most Holy Trinity**
8:00 am +Charles Toth-Loretta & Family
11:00 am Parishioners
- Monday, June 17**
8:00 am NO MASS
- Tuesday, June 18**
8:00 am +Edward O'Lear-Family
- Wednesday, June 19**
10:00 am Country Club (Nursing Home)
- Thursday, June 20**
8:00 am (L) Mr. & Mrs. Mark Stempak-Betty Schilling
- Friday, June 21**
8:00 am Special Intention
- Saturday, June 22**
4:00 pm +Terrance Holesko-Jim & Linda Bobbey
- Sunday, June 23, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**
8:00 am Parishioners
11:00 am +Joan Ellis-The John Hildack Family

Liturgy Schedule June 22 & 23

	4 P.M.	8 A.M.	11 A.M.
Reader 1	L. Moore	E. Freisen	M. Tatman
Reader 2	S. Mason	J. Thiry	M. Madison
Host	J. O'Malley	J. Smeiles	S. Kurtz

A handicapped restroom is located in the Priest's Sacristy

For our Sick

Let us pray this week for: All Shut-ins and Homebound, those in the hospital and also for: Evelyn Ballas, Gabe Ballas, Rita Totta, Tom Fetock, Lisa Fraelich, Grace Brackin, Jeanne Sherlock, Cathy Kovac, Jane Brasko, Bob “Buckskin” Davis, Helen Surick, John Surick, Sharon Henning, Ben Elser, John Spisak, Louise Carocci, Ashley Moore, Monica Holliday, Bob Cabosky, Timothy Broderick, Kathy Keith, Ali Lemasters, Jean Layshock, Maria Ricciardi, Bernice Krol, Cecelia Wolf, Steve Namesnik, and Walter Grondeski.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The wisdom of God played on the surface of God's earth, finding delight in the human race (Proverbs 8:22-31).

Psalm — O Lord, our God, how wonderful you name in all the earth! (Psalm 8).

Second Reading — The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit (Romans 5:1-15).

Gospel — The Spirit of truth will guide you to all truth (John 16:12-15).

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MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3-4; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2, 5-9a; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1bc-4, 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-4, 7-8; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30; Ps 34:2-7; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Ps 34:8-13; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity; Father's Day; Julian Calendar Pentecost
Monday: Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time
Wednesday: St. Romuald
Friday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer begins
Saturday: St. Paulinus of Nola; Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More; Blessed Virgin Mary

The St Mary & St Joseph Ladies' Guild is accepting applications for their 2nd Annual Scholarship Award. Entries must be received by July 15, 2019 at the Parish office, addressed to the St Mary & St Joseph Ladies' Guild. Criteria will include an essay of 500 words or less outlining work experience, volunteerism/community service, honors, GPA and goals. You must be an active member of St Mary & St Joseph Parish. Graduating Seniors only. Please include contact information with your submission.



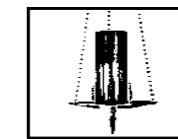
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Stewardship- “But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth...” (JOHN 16:13)

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us know and live the truth. To prepare ourselves, we need to open our hearts to receive this gift before we can give it. Develop a daily prayer routine. Talk and listen to the Holy Spirit. This is best done in silence, when we can hear His response.



The Sanctuary Lamp at St. Mary & St. Joseph is burning for: Parishioners



Please, pray for all members serving in our Armed Forces. May God watch over them and grant that they may return home safely and soon:

A Prayer for those in the Military
Almighty God, We stand before you in supplication,
Asking Your Divine mercy and protection,
To envelop with Your invincible armor,
Our loved ones in all branches of the service.
Give them courage and strength.
Against all enemies, Both spiritual and physical,
And hasten their safe journey,
Back to their homes and families.
If it be Your Holy Will That they be gathered to Your bosom,
With the eternal vanguard of the saints,
Let their journey to Your everlasting arms.
Be swift and painless,
Where they may stand in honor and glory,
Praising You for all eternity. Amen

Food Pantry



Thank you for all of your support and generosity. The food pantry is in need of bar soap and cereal.
Thank you!!

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