

JUNE 4, 2017 - PENTECOST

HYMNS FOR TODAY'S LITURGY—

Entrance: #188, Offertory: #443,

Communion: #648, Recessional: #375



Today we celebrate Pentecost, the day when the Holy Spirit was given by Jesus and received by the disciples. The readings from Acts and the Gospel of John offer accounts of that day while First Corinthians offers an analysis of the many gifts that resulted from the infusion of the Holy Spirit. The psalm and the sequence sung today are filled with praise for the work of the Spirit. Today represents a culmination of all the difficult days that have gone before, the triumph of Holy Thursday, the death and despair of the Cross, the astonishing Resurrection, and the appearances of a familiar but transformed Jesus to his disciples. It represents the pivotal transition for the disciples from people of uncertainty and fear to people of commitment and action. The Spirit moves the disciples and moves us as well. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

Our Daily Bread Sunday is today. Nonperishable food items may be placed under the table in the fover; monetary donations may be placed in the container on the table. Thank you for your generosity!

Our Daily Bread Service is Wednesday, June 7. Please meet in Canton at 11:30 am if you are available to help. The address for Our Daily Bread is 313 W. Franklin Street, Canton. If you need directions, please call the Parish Office at (601) 856-2054.

PLEASE PRAY for members of our parish, our families and friends who are in need of prayer, especially Betty Adkins, Larry Adkins, Dana Aubin, Paul Aubin, Denise Bell, Judy Berkowitz, Dolores Best, Cheryl Blalock, Sandy Brignac, Otto Browning. Aimee Burrow, Kristen Campbell, Earlyn Carmody, Doris Degenhardt, Ryon Degenhardt, Abbie R. Dupont, Geraldine Dupont, Robyn Dupont, , Robert Endris, Jean Ferguson, Peggy Gauthe, Donna Gunter, Peggy Harkins, Connie Haynes, Paul Howrilla, Deanne Hunter, Beverly & George Kehle, Debbie Killebrew, Kirk Ladner, Martha Faye Minninger, Mike Minninger, John Mitchell, Gina Pfau, Inge Reep, Andy Reeves, Neil Rhodes, Charles Rhoten, Paul Stevens, Hazel Strong, Jay Trimm, Lesa Waggener, Catherine Williams, Leon Williams, Robin Morris, Liz King, Warren Davis, Sheila Yeck, Patsy Hubert, Nicole McDonald, Josh McIntosh, Robert Caskey, Judy Borthwick, Crews Ishee, Debbie Reilley, Ana Deck, Paiten Furr, Lacey Madden, Renee Murphy, Melanie Brown, June Schmidt, Harris "Brother" McGraw, Jim Butler, Patrick Moore, Angie Moore and our loved ones serving in the military.



OUR DIOCESAN SEMINARIAN THIS WEEK IS **CESAR SANCHEZ:** Contact Cesar with your prayers and best wishes at his email: csanchez@nds.edu. Our seminarians need and appreciate our continued prayers!

Meetings & Events for the Week of June 4 – June 11

Sun, June 4 – Youth Mass, 5:00 pm (intention - †Stephen Ingram) Tues, June 6 – Mass, 6:30 am, Chapel (†Elliott Thomas)

> Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary, 9:30 am, Chapel Ladies Bible Study, 10:00 am, Heritage Hall

Wed, June 7 – Rosary, 6:00 pm, Chapel

Mass, 6:30 pm, Chapel (†William Hinds)

Sun, June 11 – Mass, 5:00 pm (intention - †Martha Hart)

Weekly Readings

Mon, June 5: Tob 1:3;2:1-8; Ps 112:1-6; Rev 1:5; Mark 12:1-12 Tues, June 6: Tob 2:9-14; Ps 112:1-9; Eph 1:17-18; Mark 12:13-17 Wed, June 7: Tob 3:1-17; Ps 25:1-9; John 11:25-26; Mark 12:18-27 Thu, June 8: Tob 3:1-17; Ps 25:1-9; John 11:25-26; Mark 12:18-27 Fri, June 9: Tob 11:5-17; Ps 146:1-10; John 14:23; Mark 12:35-37 Sat, June 10: Tob 12:1-20; Tob 13:2-10; Matt 5:3; Mark 12:38-44



INVITATION TO PRAYER: The second Saturday of each month our Knights of Columbus will lead us in praying the Rosary in the Mary Garden for Pro-life intention. Our next date is Saturday, June 10, at 9:00 am in the Mary Garden.



FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM - The Fortnight for Freedom is from June 21—the Vigil of the Feasts of St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More—to July 4, Independence Day. We are called to follow Christ as missionary disciples by seeking the truth, serving others, and living our faith in all that we do. In this time of increasing polarization in our culture, we can contribute to a better understanding of religious freedom in a way that respects all people.



VBS 2017 -Late Registration continues. However, tshirts have already been ordered so your child may not receive a t-shirt if you register them late. Our Vacation VALATION BIRDS \$\text{Sible School is scheduled for Monday, June 12 - Wed,} June 14, 8:30 am - 11:30 am.

"PRACTICALLY CATHOLIC" Come explore different topics and practical applications of our Catholic faith beliefs Sundays from 9:30 - 10:30 am, Room 106. Our first class begins today, June 4. Open to all adults, *young* and old, interested in learning more: whether you're a lifelong Catholic or newly confirmed or somewhere in between! Each week for 6 weeks we will present a different topic and have a lively discussion. Drop in for one class, come to all! Today's topic is "Who's Who in the Catholic Church" presented by Pam Minninger. Topic for next Sunday, June 11 is "Catholic Practices – Practically Speaking" presented by Eileen Keller.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES BISHOPS' BALL is scheduled for Saturday, June 10 at the Jackson Country Club. The cost is \$85 per person. The dinner and auction event starts at 6:30 pm. For more details, call (601) 355-8634.



YOUTH MASS, TODAY, 5 PM, followed by dinner in the Parish Hall - (Youth Choir practice begins at 4 pm.)

HIGH SCHOOL PRAYER GROUP - will not meet during June & July. Stay tuned for updates regarding Summer Service opportunities with our Youth Group.

SUMMER SERVICE TRIP: Eleven of our teens will be traveling in mid-June to the "Steubenville on the Bayou Catholic Conference" in Houma, LA. Each conference participates in a Service Project, our project is "Share the Glory" and is dedicated to serving the needs of two local Christian pregnancy centers. We ask that you pray for the families that we will serve, the unborn babies, the staff & board members, our mission, our donors, and an end to abortion.

YOUTH SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES: The Wednesday CYO group has planned several summer service projects for 7th-12th grade youth. Projects include helping with a home repair project in Canton, Bingo at the Canton Nursing Home, serving at Our Daily Bread in Canton, and others to be announced. Details are being finalized but mark your calendars for Tuesday, June 27 and Wednesday, July 12. Stay tuned for more information.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: We still need Youth Helpers for VBS scheduled for June 12-14, 8:30 - 11:30 am. Any questions, contact kworrellcre@hotmail.com or (601) 672-5817.

25TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION OF FATHER BRIAN D. **KASKIE** - Join the parish community of St. Alphonsus as they celebrate 25th anniversary of the ordination of Fr. Brian Kaskie with a Solemn Eucharistic Celebration on Monday, June 5 at 6:30 P.M. at St. Alphonsus Liguori, 501 Delaware Avenue, McComb.

60TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION OF FATHER THOMAS DELANEY - The people of St. John the Evangelist Crystal Springs and St. Martin of Tours Hazelhurst would like to invite you to come and celebrate with them the 60th anniversary of Fr. Thomas Delaney with a Mass of Thanksgiving at St. James Catholic Church in Crystal Springs on Saturday June 24, 2017 at 11 am.

SCHOOL NEWS

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL offers a variety of Summer Camps -Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Spirit Steppers, etc. For more information or to register, visit www.stjoebruins.com.

OPEN ENROLLMENT CONTINUES FOR AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS please visit the various schools' websites for additional information.

THANK YOU from the family of Mary Klaas Schmidt to everyone who brought food and served food after the funeral of Mary Klaas Schmidt. We greatly appreciate your kindness. -Joe Schmidt, Margaret Gannon, Barbara Sparks

PASTORAL COUNCIL - Alicia Baladi, Stephanie Brown, Frank Blossman, Jim Caskey, Mike Hepburn, Stephanie Word FINANCE COUNCIL - Eddie Adkins, Krista Andy, Patrick Beasley, Susan Beebe, Mona Cobb, Whitt Whitten

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Sunday, June 4 –

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

(8:15) Jeremy & Natalie Hutto

(10:45) Jim & Dana Caskey

Joey & Eileen Keller

(5:00) Eddie Adkins & Susan Beebe

LECTORS

(8:15) Transito James & Julia Jesuit

(10:45) Belinda Gordon & Anthony Fertitta

(5:00) Youth

HOSPITALITY

(8:15) David & Suzanne Danaher

(10:45) Mike & Cathy Hepburn

(5:00) Youth

USHERS

(8:15) Dennis Strong & Nick Thomas

(10:45) Jason & Melanie Rice

(5:00) Youth

ALTAR SERVERS

(8:15) Makenna Schisler & Reily Lobrano

(10:45) Dylan Wasson & Augusta Hirn

(5:00) Youth

VOCATIONS

(8:15) to be announced

(10:45) to be announced

Sunday, June 11 –

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

(8:15) Joe & Margret Jones

(10:45) Mike & Cathy Hepburn

Chad & Kelly Hirn

(5:00) Anna Baldwin & Paula Bennett

(8:15) Denson Robinson & Kathy Mangialardi

(10:45) Eileen Keller & Katie Hair

(5:00) Eddie Adkins

HOSPITALITY

(8:15) David & Lissa Ruhl

(10:45) John & Kaye Kassel

(5:00) Vice family

USHERS

(8:15) Louie Tran & Glenn Wilson

(10:45) Brad & Jane Turbeville

(5:00) Andrew & Stephanie Brown

ALTAR SERVERS

(8:15) Mackenzie Danaher & Amelia Rabalais

(10:45) Cooper Word & Mabry Hirn

(5:00) Emma Adkins & Clayton McCarter

VOCATIONS

(8:15) to be announced

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Collection Report

Week of May 28, 2017

General: \$10,438.00 Building: \$480.00 Catholic Communications: \$968.00