



**May 13, 2018**  
**The Ascension of the Lord**

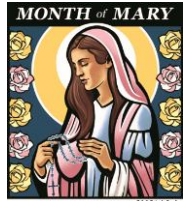
**HYMNS FOR TODAY'S LITURGY-**

**Entrance: #183, Offertory: #194,**  
**Communion: #368, Recessional: #421**



**MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST:** The Knights of Columbus will be preparing their famous annual *Mother's Day Breakfast after the 8:15 am Mass today.* Please come and treat your Mother to this special feast!!!

**SECOND COLLECTION:** The Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) helps the Church spread the Gospel message through the media locally and nationally through the Internet, social networks, television, radio, and print. Half of all donations to the CCC collected in our diocese stays in our diocese to support our local communications needs, such as radio and television programming and diocesan publications. The Catholic Communication Campaign helps connect people at home and abroad with Christ. Please be generous!



**THE MONTH OF MAY IS TRADITIONALLY DEDICATED TO OUR BLESSED MOTHER.** On Sundays during May, the Knights of Columbus will be leading us in the Rosary 30 minutes before Mass. Please come a little early and join us in this special devotion.



Congratulations to: Mallory Carman, Bailey Edwards and Ruben Gonzalez who received the sacrament of **First Holy Communion** here at St. Joseph on Wednesday, May 9. Also, congratulations to: Chase Clanton, Lana Clanton, Lauren Clanton, Kee Curro, Shiloh DeBeukelaer, Landry Erwin, Holden Holloway and Lexie Tripoli who received the sacrament of **First Holy Communion** at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Madison on Sunday, April 29.

**PLEASE PRAY for members of our parish, our families and friends who are in need of prayer, especially Paul Aubin, Sandy Brignac, Earlyn Carmody, Warren Davis, Doris Degenhardt, Ryon Degenhardt, Abbie R. Dupont, Geraldine Dupont, Robyn Dupont, Jean Ferguson, Earlene Fletes, Bernice Fontenot, Peggy Gauthier, Thomas Guest, Beverly & George Kehle, Debbie Killebrew, Lacey Madden, Nicole McDonald, Arleen Mink, Martha Faye Minninger, Mike Minninger, Robin Morris, June Schmidt, Maverick Schwanzenburg, Jan Smith, Hazel Strong, Linda Sullivan, Sheila Yeck, Matt & Amanda Cobb family, Patsy Hubert, Janeth Lachmann, Catherine Bratton, Breanna Halley, Rob Edward, Kristen Campbell, Ava Martinez, Joe Jones, III, Jo Dillon, Jimmy Justice, Hollis Felts, Olivia Scott, Dan Riesenbeck, Joe Forsythe and our loved ones serving in the military.**

**OUR DIOCESAN SEMINARIAN THIS WEEK IS CARLISLE BEGGERLEY:** Contact Carlisle with your prayers and best wishes at his email: [cwbeggerly@gmail.com](mailto:cwbeggerly@gmail.com). Our seminarians need and appreciate our continued prayers!



**Weekly Readings**

Mo, May 14: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; John 15:9-17  
 Tu, May 15: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; John 17:1-11a  
 We, May 16: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; John 17:11b-19  
 Th, May 17: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; John 17:20-26  
 Fr, May 18: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; John 21:15-19  
 Sa, May 19: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; John 21:20-25

**Meetings & Events for the Week of May 13 – May 20**

Sun, May 13 Mother's Day Breakfast, 9:15 am, Parish Hall  
 5:00 pm Mass (int - † John Chung)  
 Mon, May 14 KC Ladies Auxiliary Meeting, 6:00 pm, Heritage Hall  
 Tues, May 15 Mass, 6:30 am, Chapel (int - †Julius Bariola)  
 Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary, 9:15 am, Chapel  
 Ladies Bible Study, 10:00 am, Heritage Hall  
 Wed, May 16 High School Prayer Group – 5 pm, Youth Center  
 Mass, 6:00 pm, Chapel (int - †Mike Beasley)  
 Sat, May 19 Formal Tea, 2:00 pm, Parish Hall  
 Sun, May 20 Confirmation Mass, 5:00 pm  
 5:00 pm Mass (int - †Margie Mitchell)

**THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION** will be celebrated here at St. Joseph for our candidates from St. Joseph and Sacred Heart next **Sunday, May 20** at the **5:00 pm** Mass. Bishop Kopacz will celebrate the Mass. Please pray for our candidates: Kirsten Agostinelli, Dulce Basurto-Arce, Patton Beard, Mary Scott Bishop, Shelby Couch, Ben Crout, Jake Davis, Alin Garcia, Clara Ann Gibbs, Meg Gordon, Mary Greene, Celeste Hall, Bailen Haynie, Claire Iupe, Thomas Iupe, Jr., Noah Ivan, Alaina Liess, Maggie McKinnis, Ashton McKinnon, Sara Martin Meyers, Cameron Miller, Olivia Osborne, Ruben Padilla, Peyton Rea, Marshall Runnels, Makenna Schisler, Trey Thomas, and Emily Grace Tubertini as they take this important step on their faith journey.

**2018 VBS – “CAMP CATHOLIC” - JUNE 11-13, 2018:** Join us as we prepare to Camp in God's Creation at St. Joseph's this summer! **Sign up for attendees (those who are completing kindergarten through 4<sup>th</sup> grade) continues.** Registration Forms are available on the table in the church foyer. Volunteer sign-up sheets for Adult and Youth Helpers (grade 5-grade 12) are on the table as well. Any questions, contact Karen Worrell at [kworrellcre@hotmail.com](mailto:kworrellcre@hotmail.com).



**TEA TIME** - Tickets for the Formal Tea sponsored by our KC Ladies Auxiliary are available after all Masses **today**. **Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$5 for children 10 & under.** The Formal Tea is this **Sat, May 19, 2:00 pm** in the Parish Hall Proceeds will be donated to the Carmelite Monastery in Jackson. For additional info, contact Gracie Wilson at (601) 790-4524.

**WE WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS:** Jonathon & Kelly Sellers and children, Charlotte & Henry; Eva Valdez and children, Carolina, Emiliano & Daniela; Andrew & Anna Harris and children, Patrick & Mary Robb. We are so happy to have you with us and hope you will find a true home here at St. Joseph.



**PENTECOST SUNDAY:** We invite all parishioners to celebrate the “birthday of the church” next **Sunday, May 20** by wearing red. “Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them.” --Acts 2:3

**YOUTH NEWS**

**HIGH SCHOOL PRAYER GROUP** meets this Wednesday, May 16, 5:00-6:00 pm, Youth Center. (This is our last meeting for the year.)

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR - CONFIRMATION MASS** is scheduled for next Sunday, May 20, 5 pm.

Stay tuned for additional activities this Summer.



**PLAN AHEAD:** Our annual Memorial Day Mass will be Monday, May 28 at 9:00 am in the Church, followed by the blessing of the graves of our veterans and by the burial of pre-term babies from St. Dominic Hospital.

**KC AND KC LADIES AUXILIARY CORNER**

Next Sunday, May 20 -KC Corporate Masses  
 8:15 am & 10:45 am



Followed by Meet & Greet - Library

**Knights Meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month**  
**Next Meeting – Monday, May 21, 6:30, Parish Hall**  
*“In Service to One, in service to all.”*

**Ladies Auxiliary Meeting – 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month**  
**Next Meeting – Monday, May 14, 6:00, Heritage Hall**  
*“Helping Knights helping others.”*

**ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH** is seeking a part-time Director of Music Ministry. Qualifications: Candidate should be active in the Catholic Church and in good standing with the church's teachings; music ministry experience desired and should have a Bachelor's degree. Please send resume and cover letter to St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church office: [sallieann.inman@stfrancismadison.org](mailto:sallieann.inman@stfrancismadison.org); application deadline is June 15, 2018.

**School News**

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT** will host a choral camp this summer from June 4 thru June 8. The camp is open to students currently in 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup> grades. If your child is interested in attending, contact Michael Hrivnak at [mhrivnak@stjoebruins.com](mailto:mhrivnak@stjoebruins.com).

**JR. BRUIN BASEBALL CAMP** hosted by St. Joseph Catholic School is scheduled for Tuesday, June 19 thru Thursday, June 21 for boys in grades PreK through rising 7<sup>th</sup> grade at D.M. Howie Field, 9:00 am – noon. Cost is \$100 per camper. Please pre-register with Coach Gerard McCall at [gmccall@stjoebruins.com](mailto:gmccall@stjoebruins.com).

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

Sunday, May 13-

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

(8:15) Nicole McDonald & Tammy McKinney  
 (10:45) Laurie McCarley & Karen Worrell  
 Dara Bariola & Jeannie Barrier  
 (5:00) Mart & Ginger Bisek

**LECTORS**

(8:15) Judy Strong & Anne Marie Nelson  
 (10:45) Stephanie Word & Joe Best  
 (5:00) Anna Baldwin

**HOSPITALITY**

(8:15) Dale & Michelle James  
 (10:45) Mike & Cathy Hepburn  
 (5:00) Bobby & Susan Beebe

**USHERS**

(8:15) Joe Montalbano & Charles Strong  
 (10:45) Brad & Jane Turbeville  
 (5:00) Carla Lott & Carol Vice

**ALTAR SERVERS**

(8:15) Riley Didion & Elaina Price  
 (10:45) Cooper Word & Amanda Hair  
 (5:00) Makenna Schisler & John Lunardini

**VOCATIONS**

(8:15) Dennis & Judy Strong  
 (10:45) Chris & Kristi Thomas

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 (5:00) Larry & Vicki Moorehead

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 (5:00) Richard Macksoud

**HOSPITALITY**

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 (5:00) Wayne & Shannon Wasson

**USHERS**

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 (5:00) Mike & Teresa Speer

**ALTAR SERVERS**

(8:15) Olivia Rabalais & Colin Praytor  
 (10:45) Jake Worrell & Mabry Hirn  
 (5:00) Dylan Wasson & Ava Spence

**VOCATIONS**

(8:15) David & Lori Flood  
 (10:45) Eric & Beth Schirmer

**Collection Report**

Week of May 6, 2018  
 General: \$15,476.52 Bldg Fund: \$1255.00  
 Our Daily Bread: \$182.25 Catholic Communications: \$20.00

*Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved. -- Mark 16:16*