



St. Rose of Lima

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St. Joseph Mission

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MASS SCHEDULE @ ST. ROSE
Mon. No Daily Mass
Tue, Thu, Fri 8:15 am
Wed 6:00 pm
Sat 5:30 pm Sun 9:30 am
Confessions Sat one hour prior to Mass
Or by appointment.

St. Joseph Mission, Fairplay
Sunday 12:30 pm
Anticipated Holy Days Mass
5:30 pm

COUNCILS/COMMITTEES

COORDINATOR OF COMMUNION MINISTERS OF THE SICK:

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ENVIRONMENTS

COMMITTEE: Chairperson:
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Chairperson: Fr. Stephen
Parlet 719.395.8424

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Joanne Carrera 717.654.3546;
Mary Kale 719.221.2879;

Cindy Novak 336.214.4768

Luke Paschall 719.293.4606

PLANT COMMISSION:

Chairperson: Steve Kuennen
719.221.0209

SOCIAL CONCERNS

COMMISSION:

Chairperson: Barb Paarz
719.486.2922

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday one hour prior to Mass

Sacramental Preparation
Infant Baptism: Baptismal
Instruction Required; please
contact Parish Office for more
information

Marriage: Contact Pastor at least
1 year before date of wedding.

OCIA: Adult preparation for
Sacraments; please contact Parish
Office for more information.

SERVICE GROUPS

CHURCH STORE

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Wednesday, 9:00 am
to 4:30 pm

Closed Noon to 1:00 pm

Thursday, 9:00 am—Noon

Friday Closed

STAFF

ADMIN ASSISTANT/ RECEPTIONIST

Valarie White 719.395.8424

FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR

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MAINTENANCE

Jayne McCracken

BOOKKEEPER

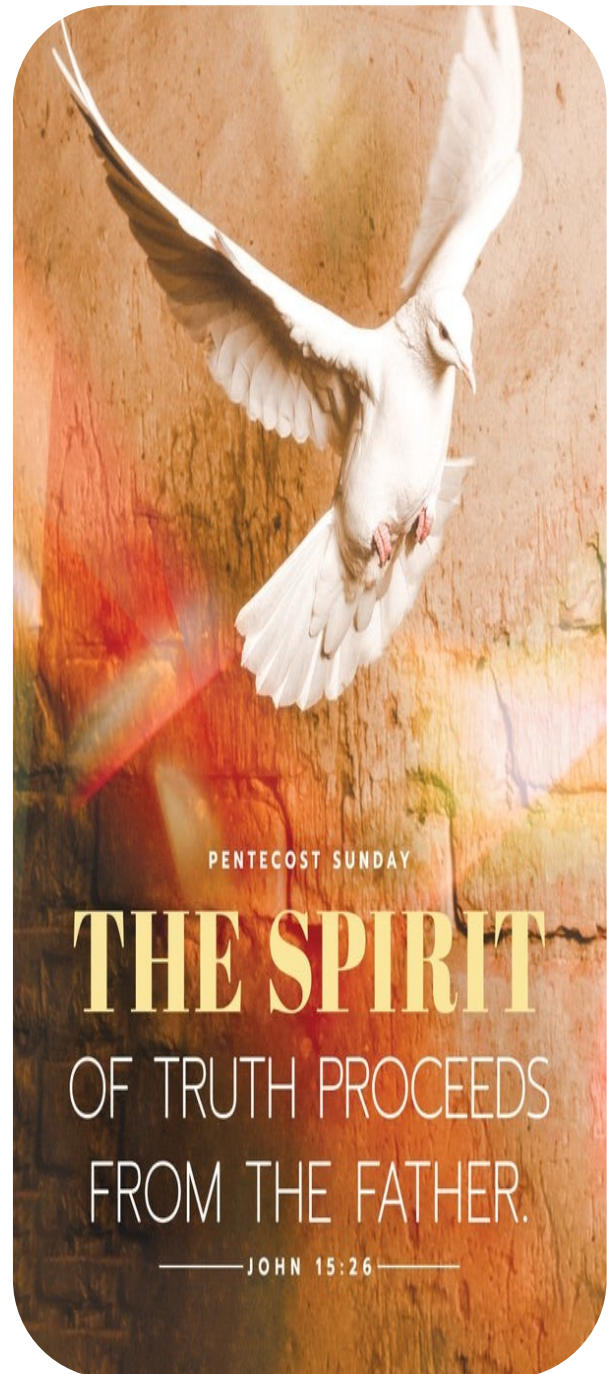
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Bulletin Deadline

Monday

Noon

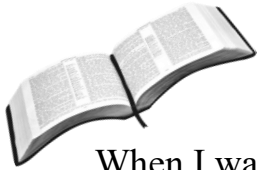
May 19, 2024



PENTECOST SUNDAY

THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH PROCEEDS FROM THE FATHER.

— JOHN 15:26 —



Gospel Reflection

When I was twenty-two years of age in August of 2000, I experienced World Youth Day in Rome. As for many of my generation, the event was life-changing for me. Surrounded by joyful, hope-filled young people from seemingly every nation and tongue, we were gathered around the Pope, sharing a common Faith and love. The Pope spoke to us of our shared family bond in the Church and invited us to give our lives in service to others. Now twenty-four years later, my life as a priest, like that of so many others from those special days, continues on that same path of love and unity — despite my many weaknesses. What makes that continuation possible?

This week’s feast gives the answer: the Holy Spirit. The gift of God — His very life — the third person of the Trinity, is the Spirit who animates the entire Church and each member of it. He makes us one-in-love in a way that utterly exceeds human capacity. For example, he makes the apostles speak with tongues of fire, and everyone hears them in his own native tongue. The Holy Spirit is the means by which Jesus establishes a new family, one that crosses all possible boundaries of time, space, and culture. The Holy Spirit never tires in enthusing us for mission.

Aren’t we longing to experience the Holy Spirit in a fresh way? Today we celebrate this untiring flame, once ignited on earth and burning still. So, we humbly cry out: Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in us the fire of your love!

— Father John Muir

LITURGICAL + ROLES

All liturgical ministers, please arrive 15 minutes before mass begins to meet in the sacristy for prayer.

Saturday, May 25, 2024 5:30 PM

Most Holy Trinity

Lectors: D Barrows

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Deacon Russ, K Rau, S Braatz

Altar Servers: P Allison

Hospitality Ministers: T Small, L Gillingham

Sacristan: S Braatz

Music: J Giles

Sunday, May 26, 2024 9:30 AM

Most Holy Trinity

Lectors: K Paschall

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

K Paschall, OPEN, T Small

Altar Servers: R Calvert

Hospitality Ministers: T & S Murphy

Sacristan: T Small

Music: Brady Group



May 20, 2024 – May 26, 2024

Tuesday– 8:15am †Dick & †Josephine Wittwer

Wednesday—6:00 pm †Roger Grover

Thursday– 8:15am †Buck Klugh

Friday– 8:15 am †Bob & †Bertha Hougnon

Saturday– 5:30 pm †Dick & †Josephine Wittwer

Sunday– 9:30 am †Isabel Bejarano

St. Joseph Mission 12:30pm For the Parish

With Him All Things Are Possible

We continue to keep in our prayer list– Cathy Pfalzgraff, Dorothy Maestas, Karen Klugh, Curt Cordova, Marija Willas, Joann Willburn, Catherine Smith, Robert Hines, Johnny Rowe, Frank Maestas, Mary T. Meurs, Cathy Rowe, Trish Young, George Janik, Cecelia Chapman, The Family of Pete and Jenna Ambrose, and all of our home bound and those in nursing homes.

For our recently departed parishioners and family members, please pray for their souls. Please keep their families in your thoughts and prayers.



May 20, 2024

*Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/
Jn 19:25-34*

Men's Bible Study 7 am (PH)
Stitchin' Gals 10:15 (PH)

May 21, 2024

Jas 4:1-10/Mk 9:30-37

Ladies Bible Study 9 am (RR)
Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)
Men's Bible Study 6:30 pm (RR)
Pastoral Council 5:30 pm (PH)

May 22, 2024

Jas 4:13-17/Mk 9:38-40

Ladies' Meditation 10:30 am (CH)

May 23, 2024

Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:41-50

LOTS 9 am (RR)
God's Girls 11:45 am (PH)
Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

May 24, 2024

Jas 5:9-12/Mk 10:1-12

May 25, 2024

Jas 5:13-20/Mk 10:13-16

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
English as a Second Language 9-10 am (PH)

Graduation Party (Keira White)

1 pm—4 pm (PH)

Rosary 5 pm


May 26, 2024

*Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Rom 8:14-17/
Mt 28:16-20*

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Rosary 9 am



 The Knights of Columbus are always willing to lend a hand. Please reach out to a Knight if you, or someone you know, is in need of assistance. This assistance can be in the form of a visit or a small home repair. For further information call Steve Kuennen (719) 221-0209.

There will be a graduation reception for Keira White on Saturday, May 25th from 1-4 pm in the St. Rose of Lima Parish Hall. Please RSVP to Val at the office if you plan to attend.



Sacramental Prep classes have concluded for this year at St. Rose of Lima. Please stay tuned for information regarding summer opportunities.

Are you desirous of receiving the Holy Eucharist, but are homebound due to chronic illness, a disability or a recent surgery and therefore unable to attend Mass? Are you aware that St Rose has parishioners mandated and trained as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the sick? Whether your situation is short or long term, we are blessed to bring Christ in the Eucharist to you. Please contact Deb Kuennen, (719) 966-4757, or debkuennen@hotmail.com for more information.



If anyone would like prayer for any reason, contact Janine and she'll get the prayer request on the prayer chain. Additionally, if anyone would like to join and pray for one another, please contact her as well. janine.giles@yahoo.com

Holy Spirit

Q: How do we know when we receive the Holy Spirit?

A: My brothers and I discovered something as we got older. There's a little bit of dad in us. Each time we catch ourselves using one of his gestures, expressions, or comments about a meal, we say, "I'm getting more like Dad!" Many laughs and good-natured kidding have come out of it. Mom loves it, and so does Dad, although I doubt he'd admit it!

When we are confirmed, we receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit. There is no radical change in us that makes us seem suddenly different. Over a period of time we come to see that there is a little bit of the Spirit in us. We catch ourselves using the gifts, and often end up wondering where a bit of wisdom came from, or why we were so patient or we feel an intensity in our prayer. Perhaps we felt drawn to deepen our spiritual life or found courage in witnessing to our faith. That's when we know we have received the Holy Spirit. We take on his image. Yes, we grow in age, grace and wisdom, but we also grow in our awareness and understanding of the working of God in our life. We become more godlike, realizing we're getting more and more like God. Our thoughts, words and actions carry that quality and others too, see it in us. You might call it holiness. But be confident! There's a little bit of him in all of us.

LITURGICAL + ROLES

St. Joseph Mission

Sunday, May 26, 2024

12:30 PM

Most Holy Trinity

Lectors: S Anderson

Extraordinary Ministers of

Holy Communion: S Steidl,

C Hart

Altar Servers: J Prochazka

Ushers: P Greguoli, J Prochazka

Sacristan: J Prochazka

Music: C Erdle



You Don't Have What It Takes — but You Will

Those of us in ministry love this saying: God doesn't call the equipped. He equips the called.

We all know that sort of queasy feeling we get in the pit of our stomachs when it becomes clear what we're supposed to do, in any situation. It's that feeling of: Oh, no. Not me. Not now. I can't.

We've all got our list of reasons why not, don't we? We do it for everything, from big life problems to small everyday choices. I'm not going to invite my neighbor to church because I don't want to come across as pushy. I'm not going to make amends with my cousin because she'll just walk all over me again. I'm not going to say a Rosary tonight because I'm tired and it'll just stress me out.

However, even if we all put our lists of "reasons why we can't" together, I don't think any of us have reasons quite as valid as the apostles. Their job was to convert the nations — and here they are, a bunch of fishermen who haven't been out of Judea, who speak only their own languages. Were they supposed to preach the Gospel via a particularly compelling game of charades? But even that big, giant, stop-you-dead-in-your tracks Reason Why We Can't was nothing, because God had a plan. He didn't call a bunch of equipped men. He called them, and He equipped them. Cue the tongues of fire!

God doesn't call us to do His will because we have what it takes. He calls us because He's ready to give us what it takes. Being a good steward is to answer the call of Christ knowing he will provide.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MT

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