

MASSES FOR MAY 23 - 29

Monday, 23	8:30 am (SF)	For the People Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26-16:4a
Tuesday, 24	8:30 am (SJ)	Chester Stasiulewicz (Family) Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday, 25	8:30 am (SF)	Judy Maple (Family) Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15
Thursday, 26	8:30 am (SJ)	Joan Lay (Family) Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20
Friday, 27	8:30 am (SF)	JoAnn Takacs (Wendel & Mary Lou Taggart) Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday, 28	5:00 pm (SF)	Mary Ellen Rawson (Jay Smith) Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28 (Daily Readings)
Sunday, 29	9:00 am (SJ)	Chris & Jim Flowers - 45th Wedding Anniversary (Mom, Stella)
	11:00 am (SF)	Bill Baier (Michele Lyons & Family) Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

THURSDAY: Choir Practice - 7:00pm (SF)

SATURDAY: Confessions - 10:30am (SJ)

As of 05/17/2022: Trinity West: **Dorothy Marker**; Trinity East: . Please remember to pray for all our sick, shut-ins, and those in nursing homes. If you or a family member becomes hospitalized, please be sure to contact the rectory.



The **Banns of Marriage** is announced for the **second time** for Brandon Hunter and Morgan Lewis Starr.



2022 Diocesan Campaign: My sincere thanks to all those who have responded to the 2022 D/PSC. Thank you to everyone for your generous response. Below is the report that we have received as of **May 17, 2022**.

	<u>Parish Goal</u>	<u>\$ Pledged</u>
St. Francis	\$20,517	\$32,186
St. Joseph	\$12,834	\$15,955

CWC NEWS

Dear Ladies: As you know, the 75th+2 Anniversary Convention of the Catholic Woman's Club in our diocese will be held on Wed., June 8, at Holy Family Church. The theme is "Doing Small Things With Great Love." Our CWC is also celebrating 77 years in Toronto and was established at St. Francis Church and St. Joseph Church in 1945. By way of the bulletin, I am inviting you to attend this special day with other women from around the Diocese. Our CWC convention fee will cover your registration fee. Please contact Michelle at the parish office that you will attend. A pre-convention dinner will not be held; however, raffle tickets are being pre-sold for the benefit of the Seminarians Assistance Fund. Once again, you may contact Michelle if you would like your name added to the list for tickets (6 for \$5.) A list of baskets appears in the latest edition of The Register. Since this is our deanery project for the convention, the theme for our basket is "**Christmas**". Other basket themes are: "**Small Dreams/Great Love**"; "**Blessed Virgin Mary**"; "**Baking with Great Love**"; "**Spa Day for Mom**"; "**A Taste of Amish Country**"; "**Garden Blessings**"; "**Party Time**"; "**Blooming Gift Cards**"; "**Money Tree**"; "**Watermelon Summer**"; "**Red, White and Blue Fiesta ware**"; "**Wine**"; "**Ticket Triumph**." You may also contact DeDe Kidder (740-632-3018) with questions or to make your reservation. Won't you please consider attending this year to represent our parishes in Toronto?



CHURCH SUPPORT: **St. Francis:** Adult: (75 Envelopes) 2,109.00; Loose: \$66.00; Candles: \$63.00. **St. Joseph:** Adult: (38 Envelopes) \$991.00; Loose: \$20.00; Candles: \$42.00. May God bless you for your goodness to His Church! **Weekly Mass Attendance for May 15th: Saturday 5:00pm: 77; 9:00am: 102; 11:00am: 102.**

MASSES: For **John Miller** by Shelly & Bill Meyer; Jim & Diane Orsini; Ted & Gayle Troski; Tom & Judy Koehnlein; John & Heather Koehnlein; **Paula Vanihel** by Kaylyn & Andrea.

MEMORIALS: To **St. Francis/St. Joseph Educational Fund** in memory of **John Miller** by Bill & Diana Warner; Jerry & Ginny Popson; Yale Cordage Co.; Christopher & Heidi Green; James & Sandra Shorts; Todd & Michele Barnes; Carol Rogers; To **St. Francis Church** in memory of **Alice Jane Bloomer** by Tim & Agie Rock. To **St. Joseph Church** in memory of **John Miller** by Sandra Zook; JF Taylor Co; Tim & Mary Grimes.

***Sixth Sunday of Easter
by The Faithful Disciple***

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

GROW: In the reading from John's Gospel today, Jesus eases into the message he has for his disciples – a message he knows they don't want to hear: He has to leave them. But Jesus tells his disciples that if they love him and keep his commandments, he and the Father will "make their dwelling" within them. He then assures them that they will not be alone: The Advocate will come to not only remind them of all he taught them, but also teach them everything they need to know in the future. Finally, he offers them peace, the peace that comes only through the Spirit and draws them closer to God. Though Jesus knows they are broken-hearted that he is leaving, he tells them to rejoice if they love him, for he is returning to his Father. Jesus' words to the first disciples ring true for every disciple throughout the ages. He does not leave anyone who loves him alone. He sends his Spirit to dwell in us, to teach and remind us of his love and how to love one another. The Spirit guides us, encourages us, and sustains us – always. We are never alone.

GO EVANGELIZE | PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

GO: The first Christians, guided by the Holy Spirit, shared this message with the Gentile communities to whom they were ministering: "It is the decision of the Holy Spirit and of us not to place on you any burden beyond these necessities." This is a profound moment in the Church as it shows first, the power of the Holy Spirit working in and with the Apostles; and second, the importance of faith (not ritual circumcision, or other human laws) for salvation. The Gospel is intended for all, without exception, and the Holy Spirit is our help and our Advocate in our own lives of faith, and in our sharing of that faith with others. Let us seek the counsel of the Holy Spirit in all we do, that we might be a blessing, not a burden, for everyone seeking the glory of God's light.

STUDY: The Acts of the Apostles is an amazing account of how Jesus' followers grew from a small group of frightened people into the courageous and zealous missionaries who founded his Church. Read the catechism from 687-747 to learn more about the Holy Spirit and pray for the grace to let him work in and through you for the salvation of all who seek him.

BULLETIN BOARD



Catholic Central High School will have a Summer Youth Basketball Camp next month. Boys/Girls, June 27, 28, 29 5-7pm at Aquinas; Boys/Girls July 7 & 8, 5-7pm and July 9 10am-12pm at Aquinas. Both session dates are \$30/person. There will be a Boys Only program July 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 from 4-7pm and July 16 9am-12pm at CCHS. Those sessions are \$50/person. Please contact Coach Don Ogden at (740) 632-2259 or ogdendon78@yahoo.com for further inquiries.



Have you ever considered being a foster family? Jefferson County Department of Job & Family Services is looking to expand their number of available of homes for fostering children in need. If you are interested in learning more, there is a brochure at the parish office or you may contact **Susan Young** at (740) 282-0961 Ext 1225, M-F 8am-4pm.