

Weekly Newsletter Sixth Sunday of Easter May 22, 2022

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MASS TIMES:

MONDAY-SATURDAY: 12:10 PM SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 5:30 PM SUNDAY: 9:00 AM/ 11:30 AM/ 6:00 PM

CONFESSION:

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 11:30 AM-12:00 PM SATURDAY: 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM | 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM SUNDAY: 8:30 AM to 9:00 AM | 11:00 AM to 11:30 AM | 5:30 PM to 6:00 PM

A Word From Our Pastor

6th Sunday of Easter 5/22/22

Dear St. Joseph Parish Family,

Next Sunday, the 29th, after the 11:30am Mass, we'll be holding a going away party for **Fr. John Baptist**. That will be his last weekend at St. Joseph's and we hope everyone can stop by and wish him well.

This Thursday is **Ascension Thursday**, when Christ ascends to His heavenly throne. After Christ's resurrection he spends the time from Easter until Ascension Thursday with His apostles and disciples, and on Ascension Thursday He ascends to heaven. 9 days later the Holy Spirit descends upon the apostles at Pentecost and the apostles then start to spread the Gospel and build the Church. For details, read the Acts of the Apostles in the New Testament.

We will have a Wednesday 7pm Vigil Mass for the Ascension, and on Ascension Thursday we'll have the normal 12:10pm daily Mass and a 7pm evening Mass.

Also, if you've heard of **novenas** (prayers for 9 days in a row) these devotions originated in a prayer to the Holy Spirit prayed during the 9 days from Ascension Thursday to Pentecost Sunday. That's why novenas are 9 days of prayer! I encourage you to pray a novena to the Holy Spirit this year during the time from Ascension to Pentecost. There are many versions of this prayer that you can find online, but I've put a simple one below. Just pray it every day for the 9 days from Ascension to Pentecost.

God Bless.

Fr. Boniface Endorf O.P.

Novena to the Holy Spirit

Pray every day for the 9 days from Ascension Thursday to Pentecost Sunday:

Dearest Holy Spirit, confiding in Your deep, personal love for me, I am making this novena for the following request, if it be Your Holy Will to grant it: (mention your request).

Teach me, Divine Spirit, to know and seek my last end; grant me the holy fear of God; grant me true contrition and patience.

Do not let me fall into sin. Give me an increase of faith, hope and charity, and bring forth in my soul all the virtues proper to my state in life.

Make me a faithful disciple of Jesus and an obedient child of the Church. Give me efficacious grace sufficient to keep the Commandments and to receive the Sacraments worthily. Give me the four Cardinal Virtues, Your Seven Gifts, Your Twelve Fruits.

Raise me to perfection in the state of life to which You have called me and lead me through a happy death to everlasting life.

I ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Reading: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29

Some men informed the Gentiles that they must be circumcised if they wished to be saved, because of the Old Laws. Disciples then went forth to tell the Gentiles to honor only those rules which were strictly necessary, such as abstaining from eating meat sacrificed to idols and illicit sexual union.

Second Reading: Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23

John depicts Jerusalem coming out of heaven, sparkling with the radiance of precious jewels. Angels were stationed at each of its twelve gates, and each gate bore the name of one tribe of Israel. The city had no temple, because God was its temple. The glory and light of God and the Lamb also replaced their need for the sun.

Gospel: John 14:23-29

Jesus tells his disciples, "Anyone who loves me will be true to my word." For those who do honor his word, both Jesus and God will love them and stay with them always. He also tells them that God will send the Holy Spirit in his place to give them the instructions they will need. Jesus then tells them that peace is his farewell gift to them.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER DAILY READINGS

Saturday Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21

Sunday Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29

Monday Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26—16:4a

Wednesday Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Jn 16:12-15

Thursday Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28, 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53

Friday Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday Acts 18:23-28; Jn 16:23b-28



	MASS INTENTIONS
	Saturday, May 21
Saint Chri	stopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
12:10pm	Antonio Cusumano
5:30 pm	Isabelle Barreiro (living)
	Sunday, May 22
	Sixth Sunday of Easter
9:00 am	Domingo Cruz Inocencio
11:30 am	Marie Suggett
6:00 pm	People of the Parish
	Monday, May 23
12:10 pm	
	Tuesday, May 24
12:10 pm	Francisca Salvador Inocencio (living)
	Wednesday, May 25
	e the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; ory VIII, Pope; Saint Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi Virgin
12:10 pm	

7:00 pm

		ay, May 26	
Saint Philip	Neri, Priest,	The Ascension of the Lord	

12:10 pm

Margaret Colin (living)

7:00 pm

Friday, May 27

Saint Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

12:10 pm

Saturday, May 28

12:10pmCatherine Ferfoglia5:30 pmMark Hsiao

Prayer Requests

Please pray for:

Antoinette Biddick	Lynn Barr	Anna Basquez	
Susan Bonn	Odilia Calvillo	Martha Catel	
Anne Marie Couto	Cundiff Family		Shayla Decker
Colleen Eren		Elena Fratta	Carnena Ta Martin Fuered
Rhe Kennedy		Anne Kornacki	Dana Legate
Lieberman Family		Dante Lonata	
Virginia Fuller- Busardo	McKendry Family		
Alana Rose Melnik		Constance Pradelli	
Ramirez Family	Rosanna Ronin		John Thomas
Dan Schoenbrun	Anthony Scorra		Ventimiglia Family
Vertucci Family			

If you would like to include someone on our prayer list, please call the church office to submit their names. Names on the prayer list will remain for four (4) weeks. If you wish to leave them on longer, please call the church office, weekdays 8am – 4pm.

Weekly Collection

May 14th and May 15st

Masses Total\$7,880
WeShare (Online Giving)\$625
Faith Street (Online Giving) \$2,941
Total of Regular Collection\$11,446
Second Collection \$1,075
Grand Total\$12.521

Parish Office

Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm (212) 741-1274 secretary@stjosephgv.nyc

Parish Office Closed

The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday May 26th for the Feast of the Ascension.

2022 Friars Annual Appeal



"For over 800 years, the Dominican Friars have answered the Lord's call by preaching for the salvation of souls and by uniting faith and reason."

This Appeal helps support and sustain the Dominican Seminarians of the St. Joseph Province.

Please make your commitment to the Dominican Friars who have been such an important part of your life.

Checks should be payable: Dominican Friars Foundation-AAFA Online Gifts: www.dominicanfriars.org/formation

Ministries Meeting This Week

Sunday May 22nd

• In Vino Veritas -7:00pm

Monday May 23rd

• Entrepreneur's Group -7:00pm

Tuesday May 24th

• Faith and Reason -7:00pm

For more information please contact Stephen Saroki at ssaroki@gmail.com

Wednesday May 25h

Post-Cana -7:00pm

2022 Cardinals Annual Stewartship Appeal

2022 CARDINAL'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL: Charitable & Pastoral Outreach



The Cardinal's Appeal funds the many archdiocesan apostolates who are hard at work serving the faithful through ministries such as Youth Faith Formation and Catechesis, Young Adult Outreach, Family Life and Respect Life, Adult Faith Formation, and Black and Hispanic Ministry. Help us support this growth of the Church through a gift to the Appeal!

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