

May 15 & 22, 2016

M: St Mary • J: St Joseph
Rc: rectory chapel

Keep this bulletin for two weeks!

7th Week in Ordinary Time



May 16 6pm • Rc † Noel Brouse r/o Ty & Mary Ellen Krigbaum

May 17 9am • Rc † Josephine Bodock

May 19 Noon • Rc † John Susko r/o son, John

May 21/22 Trinity C

3:30pm • J † Albert Gius
r/o Maylath Healthcare System



5:15pm • M † David Milosh r/o family

8:15am • J † Lewis & Gloria Horvath r/o Lori Horvath

10:15am • M † Joseph O'Boyle r/o Debbie & Jerry Manbeck

May 23 6pm • Rc † Noel Brouse r/o Ty & Mary Ellen Krigbaum

May 24 9am • Rc † Albert Rodgers

May 26 6pm • Rc *Philip Neri* Mother's Day Intentions

May 27 9am • Rc † Leonard Marzen
Noon @ Ashland

May 28/29 Corpus Christi C

3:30pm • J † Albert Gius
r/o M/M Ed Shamany



5:15pm • M † Blanche Lewis r/o Cousin & Family

8:15am • J † Lewis & Gloria Horvath r/o Dolores Andrews

10:15am • M † Noel Brouse r/o Family

Memorial Day

May 30 10:30am • J Cemetery 10: Church inclement weather
Veterans, Living & Deceased

❖ **STEWARDSHIP: M:** S: 1299; Dues: 180; Campaign: 48; **J:** S: 2101; Dues: 470; BF: 935; Campaign: 130; Mother's Day: 115.
Stewardship of time, talent & treasure!

❖ **Scripture:** Acts 2:1-11; Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23 • Next weeks: Prv 8:22-31; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15 • Gn 14: 18-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17



❖ Fill out the forms, even if you're healthy & would like to be prayed for in times of need!... • John & Ann Biros • Richard Buczkowski • John Washko • Dorothy

Yanusiewicz • Rose Ann Aponick • Jean Jarzinko • Joseph Washko • Grace Snover • Vickie Hartz • Ann Lewis • Bob Fellin • Gordy Weikel • Kathy Milefsky • Phil & Shirley Kennedy • Bill/Flo Steele • Theresa Szott • Helen Mehalick • Margaret Krupilis • Barbara Green • Brian Irslinger • Al Mehalick • Helen Gurka • Irene Feeko • Jennifer/Rose Gilliam • Loretta Zienkiewicz • LouAnn Rader • Jim/Virginia Spudis • Pauline Lorah • Fr. Raymond Slezak • Mary Yadiniskie

❖ MAILING ADDRESS: [No PO Box!]

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NB: the office is closed until a new secretary is secured.

❖ **Birthday Blessings:** : Anne Careyva, Graham Fritz, Margaret Krupilis, Dorothy Leach: 5/10; Val Sutton: 5/11; Deborah Friendly: 5/13; Ken Fisher, Bev Kreiger: 5/14; Connor Kanute, Nathan Koscuk, Nancy Krajnikovich: 5/15, Jean Lewis: 5/17; Luke Messina: 5/18; Laura Motil: 5/19; Len Savitsky, Margaret Daly: 5/21, Johan Coghill: 5/24; Roy Gius, Nancy Sokolofski: 5/25; Paul Staerk, Kristi Piaskowski: 5/30.

❖ **Year of St. Luke's Gospel:** Pray your Bible!

❖ **St. Joe's 50/50:** May tickets are out now!

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❖ Visit us on the web: www.stmarystjoseph.net

❖ **Stewardship:** *No one can do everything, everyone can do something!* Make an offering of a gift in gratitude for May & Springtime!

❖ **Orange Ribbons:** Wear one as a sign of support that we wear the "color" the "people of the Cross" wear when they're martyred.



❖ **Knights: Prayer for Persecuted Christians:** Join in prayer for our brothers & sisters who share in Christ's suffering, so as to share in His Resurrection!

❖ **Amazon Purchases: Smile:** visit our webpage or Facebook: hit the smile, taking you to your amazon page, the parish receives 5% on your purchase! We use St Mary's to filter purchases, if you'd like credit to go to St Joseph's, let us know. No cost to you!

Reflection: Pentecost C: The gifts that we've been praying for these last 10 days: Charity, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, Self-Control, Goodness.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the Hearts of your faithful & kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth. O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

It is my prayer that the Spirit will enliven more in our parishes to live by these spiritual standards!

Christ is Risen! Truly He is Risen!

● Be a saint...what else is there? ●

Fr. Jim 🐾 & Peaches frjim.stmj@gmail.com
Welcome Fr. Zelonis, Boston Marathon athlete extraordinaire, & Fr. Winne, covering while I attend the wedding of friends of mine in NY.

St Mary's: \$1,000 Pa Daily 4 Evening # 3964
Mother's Day Winner: **Marjorie Lorah:** Congrats!

❖ **Graduates:** Submit your family member's name, school graduating from, future plans, etc. We'll place their name in the June bulletin & offer a gift for our high school graduates. Email/Index cards, print please.

❖ **St Joseph's:** As the engineer prepares our drawing, we're waiting for some direction from the diocese as to what to present & vote on: hall/church. We'll be asking you to prayerfully consider supporting our proposals.

❖ **Choir practice @ M** after Mass: give 30 mins of your time to keep our music ministry as beautiful as it is! New members always welcome!

❖ **Church Cleaning @ M:** We need disciples to cover church cleaning @ month at a time. We've several disciples who answered the call! Contact us!

We're in need of disciples to clean the linens for the cup/altar. It requires one/two additional steps to purify, can be done 1x a month. They need to be washed & ironed.

❖ **SCRIP:** We've \$25 Amazon, \$25 Applebee's, \$25 Cabela's, \$10 Bath & Body Works, \$25 & \$100 Weis, \$10 Dairy Queen, \$10 Denny's, \$10 Pizza Hut, \$10 & \$25 Dunkin' Donuts, \$25 Home Depot, \$15 iTunes, \$25 Boscov's, \$25 Old Navy, \$25 Sheetz, \$25 Lowe's, \$25 Giant, \$10 ng John Silver's, \$25 PetSmart, \$25 Olive Garden, \$25 Kmart, \$25 Dunham's Sports, \$25 Red Robin, \$50 Sunoco, \$50 Ruth's Chris, \$10 & \$25 Regal Cinema, \$25 Kohl's, \$10 Taco Bell, \$25 Staples, \$25 Bed Bath & Beyond, \$10 Wendy's on hand. Contact the office, we'll get them to you.

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❖ **Yankee Candles, Crosses:** Prices vary! Crosses are handmade by † John Zakavage (M), Bob Bruno & Randy Brown (J). New crosses by Randy available: \$20 offering.



❖ **Year of Mercy:** Pentecost/Trinity/Corpus Christi in the Year of Mercy a great time to enter into the Lord's Resurrection. ...**the 7 Secrets of Divine Mercy**.... an easy read by Vinny Flynn open the door to Divine Mercy. Our gifts for what you do to make St Mary & St Joseph a home of great grace! Extra copies are available offered: 1st come/1st served.

❖ **Immaculate Waters: Hand/Body Lotion:** Lavender, Rose & Unscented. Favors, graces continue to be reported. A favor granted? Let us know. Our Lady's intercession reveals Christ's healing. The offering is \$10@.

❖ **Baby Bottles for Life:** fill with your loose change through this month. It supports local pro-life agencies.

❖ **Parish Cemeteries:** Your care for your loved ones grave is inspiring! Please, as we move into a new season, remove old decor, otherwise, they'll be disposed of as we prepare for Memorial Day.

❖ **Interested in our Catholic faith?** Ask, encourage, invite! Share the gift of faith!

❖ **Fyi:** May 31, 1975: Fr. Schware was ordained 41 yrs ago! Keep him in your prayers.

Additionally, Fr. Slezak is on our prayer list, please keep in your prayers!

❖ **St M Block Party: Set for June 10 & 11**

We ask donations of brand named soda (& diet), water, ketchup/mustard!

Setup: Tues, Wed & Thurs @ 6pm;
Food prep: Wed & Thurs @ 9am @ hall.

We seek baskets for a minimum value of \$25. If you'd like, give a gift and we'll make up a basket or why not support the purchase of a \$25 gift card for us to use. The sign-up board & car show boards are at the entrance to Church!

❖ **Grand Raffle @ J:** We've 55 sponsors for gifts for our ticket! The ticket should be out soon: \$10 for a chance to win prizes ranging from \$1,000 top prize to \$25: value is more than \$4,000! We're looking for donations of: paper towels, aluminum foil, plastic wrap, masking tape, duct tape.

Umbert the Unborn

by Gary Cangemi



We're interviewing applicants for our secretary position. The job entails up to 19 hours per week, flexible hours, basic knowledge of computers, printers, record keeping & the like.

Contact fr @ the parish office. We are able to access messages, but cannot guarantee a timely return call.

If you've an emergency, contact a local parish. Until the position is filled, the office is closed.

❖ **Outside Events:** Sheppton Fire Co: Bingo 5/15 1pm • Lions sponsor "hometown heroes" banners @ Sheppton: see a member. • Trinity Academy May Procession: Wed. May 11 @ 6:30pm (gather 6:15) @ Bl. Teresa of Calcutta Church, Mahanoy City. • Padre Pio Healing Mass: Divine Mercy Church, Shenandoah. Fri, June 10 @ 7pm. Confessions: 6-6:45. Info: Fr. Johnson: 570-599-5265/parish office: 570-462-1968. • Race for the Cherubs: Run.Walk Sat, 6/18, Eagle Rock; 8-Noon www.racefordh.com.

❖ **Into the Wild: Kings Men: Aug 4-7, Hickory Run State Park** Join us for this Catholic Men's Fellowship. Father's & Sons, Brothers, Friends, Neighbors

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