SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2018 PENTECOST SUNDAY

On this feast of Pentecost, when the Apostles and the other disciples were filled with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit and began to fearlessly proclaim the Good News of Jesus, we celebrate the birth of the Church. So let us open our hearts today to receive the outpouring of this same Holy Spirit, the Third Person of the Blessed Trinity, by offering the traditional prayer to the Holy Spirit:

"Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful.

Enkindle 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.

Let us pray: O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit did instruct the hearts of your faithful, grant that by that same Holy Spirit, we may be truly wise, and ever rejoice in His consolation.

Through Christ, our Lord.

Amen."

God bless, Father Herb

We congratulate and pray for our 13 adults receiving their Confirmation and First Communion today. May God bless you!

WORDS OF TITHING:

From the Pastor: Pray to the Holy Spirit for courage to continue giving Our Heavenly Father the first fruits of our income every week. Our Gift to God is more a sacrifice when we need courage to persevere. Please count on God's goodness, His providence to us, His humble good servants, especially in the more difficult times of our lives.

Words of Tithing from the Pews: Without making this about my faith in God, tithing would be just another request for church support. When I prayed about this it became clear that tithing would have to be an important part of my life, my way of thanking God for His goodness.

Monthly Weekend Collection Report	Amount
Weekend Collections (April 2018)	\$ 64,926
Monthly Collection Budget	\$ 80,333
Year to Date Weekend Total	\$770,915
10 Months Year-to-Date Weekend Budget	\$803,333
Weekend Surplus/(Shortfall)	(\$ 32,418)
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Saint Peter's is sustained by your generosity, dear parishioners, with gifts of your Time, Talent and Treasure. THANK YOU for everything you do for our parish.

MASS ATTENDANCE

Mass attendance May 12/13: 1,700 Mother's Day Weekend

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

This month, we have the Peter's Pence Collection, to provide Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

You may place your envelope in the collection basket along with your regular contribution envelope any time this month. Thank you for your generosity.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES – DIOCESE OF PATERSON

Due to the unprecedented requests for assistance from Catholic Charities' food pantries and in order to fulfill our obligations to the poor, Bishop Serratelli has authorized a Diocesan-wide food collection in all parishes and agencies on the Feast of Corpus Christi, Saturday/Sunday, June 2/3, 2018. We are all asked to bring two specific food products on that weekend.

We have been asked to provide COLD CEREAL AND OR DISH DETERGENT.

Check/Cash donations are also welcome. Checks should be made payable to: **Catholic Charities**.

Please mark Saturday and Sunday, June 2 and 3 as the food collection day for Catholic Charities to help people in need in our Diocesan communities of Morris, Passaic and Sussex Counties. Thank you.

SCRIPTURE READINGS MAY 21-27

MONDAY James 3: 13-18

Gospel: Mark 9: 14-29

TUESDAY James 4: 1-10

Gospel: Mark 9: 30-37

WEDNESDAY James 4: 13-17

Gospel: Mark 9: 38-40

THURSDAY James 5: 1-6

Gospel: Mark 9: 41-50

FRIDAY James 5: 9-12

Gospel: Mark 10: 1-12

SATURDAY James 5: 13-20

Gospel: Mark 10: 13-16
SUNDAY Deuteronomy 4: 32-34, 39-40

Romans 8: 14-17

Gospel: Matthew 28: 16-20

SANCTUARY LAMPS & FLOWERS



You may have the Sanctuary Candles in the Church, Chapel or Adoration Chapel burn in memory of a loved one (\$10.00 donation), roses at the Tabernacle (\$10.00 donation), or flowers at the altar (\$50.00 Donation). Please call or stop into the rectory office.

May 20-26

Sanctuary Lamp in the Church is for the People of the Parish Sanctuary Lamp in Mary's Daily Chapel is for the Daphne

Pucilowski

Sanctuary Lamps in the Adoration Chapel In Thanksgiving,

Karine Previl-Dunel, Rev. Joseph Simoly **Tabernacle Flowers:** Betty Birilli

Altar Flowers:

MARTHA MINISTY – FRIDAY, MAY 25– TEAM 3

Claudette Pavel, Anne Monahan, Florence Gerould, Aurora Arayata

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION - MAY 19/20

Thank you for your continued generosity to our Food Pantry each month. Our May collection is this weekend May 19/20. Our most needed items are: canned fruit, juice, condiments, side dishes, coffee, crackers, cold and hot cereal, pancake mix and syrup, macaroni & cheese, rice and rice products, shampoo and conditioner, cleaning products, laundry detergent and paper products. Through the generosity of the Boy Scouts' food collection, we do not need canned soup or canned vegetables this month.

Monetary donations are always welcome; please put your donation in an envelope marked "Food Pantry" and drop it in the regular collection basket this weekend of **May 19/20**.

CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS OF THE USA

Join the CWV – We need YOU with US to help THEM. Membership eligibility requirements: Baptized Catholic; 90 Days of Active Duty, Honorable Discharge – any branch welcomed. For more information, please contact Deacon Rick Gaydo – email: Deacon.Rick@yahoo.com or call 973-539-7050. You can also visit the post. Meetings are the 1st Wednesday of every month at 7:00 PM at Saint Christopher's.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Be aware that online technologies give traffickers the ability to exploit a greater number of victims and advertise their services globally. Social media opens the door for predators to gain access to your child. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking. sistersagainsttrafficking.org.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR MAY 21-27

MONDAY, May 21-St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest &

Companion, Martyrs

6:45AM-People of the Parish

8:00AM-Bill Verdon, Landa DeThomasis

TUESDAY, May 22-St. Rita of Cascia, Religious

6:45AM-Frank DeNigris, Jr. **8:00AM-**Daphne Pucilowski **WEDNESDAY, May 23**

6:45AM-Charles Hathaway, Gregory Loff, Richard Locilento

8:00AM-Carmen Pasquale, Sr.

THURSDAY, May 24

6:45AM-Special Intention for the Priests & Deacons of the Parish **8:00AM-**Deacon Corwin Weber (28th Anniv.) Neil Liguori

FRIDAY, May 25-St. Bede the Venerable, Priest & Doctor of the

Church; St Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin

6:45AM- Ralph Zito

8:00AM-Elsa Ibarra, Leah Villa

5:00PM – Thanksgiving for the Priesthood

SATURDAY, May 26-St. Philip Neri, Priest

8:00AM-Grace Neumaier, Mary DePaul, Teresa Moroney (1st Anniv.), Louise Contaldi (1st Anniv.)

5:30PM-Joseph Wallace, James Gallagher & Richard Hogan, Joyce Ferraiuolo

7:00PM-Enrique Alvarez Ramos, Jose Eduardo Sanchez

SUNDAY, May 27-The Most Holy Trinity

7:30AM-James Brannigan, Grace Finn, Art Sesselberg

9:00AM-Barbara Barretti, Msgr. John Gilcrist, Joseph Gallante, Regina E. Reardon

10:30AM-Deacon Corwin Weber (28th Anniv.), Lucy & Tony Venadas, Al Martin

12:00PM-Joan Sciuk, James Soto, Frank Vaccaro

7:00PM- Annie Castro, Emilio Castro, Special Intention for Sylvia Irizarry

CONFIRMATION WITH BISHOP SERRATELLI

This Tuesday evening at 7:30 PM, fifty-six of our high school aged young people will be confirmed by Bishop Serratelli.

Please pray for their families this week.

You are welcome to attend this Mass.

TRAVEL TO ITALY-ST. ROSE OF LIMA – SEPTEMBER

"QUO VADIS – WHERE ARE YOU GOING"

Vocations Discernment for young men 15-25. "Quo Vadis – Where are you going?" Where is the Spirit acting in your life? Where is the Lord encouraging you to go? Quo Vadis Days is a time of recreation, fellowship, and prayer to help you explore the Lord's call in your life. Activities will include prayer, Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Liturgy of the Hours, Rosary, games, sports, talks, great food and discussions. It is time to share our faith and meeting other young men seeking God's will. It will be held June 27-29 at Saint Mary's Abbey Retreat Center in Morristown. There is no cost. For more information and/or registration, contact Fr. Edgar Rivera and David Monteleone in the Vocations Office 973-777-8818. or email: revedgar@patersondiocese.org.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH MAY 20-26

SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2018

Veterans' Poppy Sale - Plaza

9:00AM-Children's Gospel Program - Church Hall

10:30AM-Food Pantry Client Shopping - School

1:15PM-Baptisms – Church

 $4:\!00PM\text{-}Filipino\ Mass/Fellowship-Church/Church\ Hall$

MONDAY, MAY 21, 2018

11:00AM-Golden Age Club – Community Center

7:00PM-RCIA Team Final Meeting – Rectory

7:00PM-Confirmation Practice - Church

7:30PM-S.I.N.E. - Spanish Room - School

TUESDAY, MAY 22, 2018

7:45AM- ASA Finance Meeting – Rectory

9:00AM-ASA Liturgy/May Crowning - Church

10:00AM-Peanuts Playgroup - Church Hall

11:00AM-Communion Prayer Service - Care One

4:00PM-Children's Choir - Church

7:00PM-High School Basketball - Parish Center

7:30PM-Confirmation – Church

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 2018

6:00PM-Boy Scout Troop 72-Cafeteria

6:00PM-HAS Parent Night – School Library

7:30PM-Spanish Bible Class – Spanish Room

7:30PM-Bible Sharing – Church Hall

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 2018

8:30PM-Sr. Men's Basketball - Parish Center

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 2018

5:00PM-Msgr. Herb's 50th Anniversary Mass – Church

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 2018

10:30AM-Ordination - Cathedral

4:00PM-Penance - Church

5:30PM-Blessing of Expectant Parents After Mass - Church

7:00PM-Indian Sports – School

7:00PM-Blessing of Expectant Parents After Mass - Church

7:30PM-AA Meeting - Church Hall



Please visit www.facebook.com/spayouthministry

OUTREACH CORNER

A parishioner needs a ride to his doctor. Please call the Rectory at 973-334-2090 if you can help.

TOUR WITH BISHOP SERRATELLI



Bishop Serratelli will be the spiritual director for a tour of the Alpine countries of Switzerland, Austria and Germany from July 8 to 17, 2018. Reservations are limited. For a brochure and information, contact Great Experiences at 201-825-3725 or by email at Anne@greatexperiencesnj.com.

For everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven...

...a time to be born
...a time to die

Daphne Pucilowski, Frank DeNigris, Jr.
Ralph Zito, Ida Mullen
...a time to heal
Fr. Leo Carey, Noah Lorencovitz,
Manuel Felipe Sequra Ramos,
Jim Wellman, Catherine Fraraccio
...a time to love

Jason Schwartz & Jennifer Corforte, Hector Quintero & Monia Guevara "...and a time of peace." Ecclesiastes 3:11

<u>SAVE THE DATE – SEPTEMBER 21ST</u>

We will be honoring Sister Sylvia on Friday, September 21st as she celebrates her retirement. Please save the date.

"MAKING A JOYFUL NOISE UNTO THE LORD"

Next Sunday, May 27th at our 12:00 Noon Mass, the Men and Women from Straight and Narrow will join us to celebrate a Gospel Choir Mass. Straight and Narrow is a human service agency of the Diocese of Paterson Catholic Charities. Thanks to the treatment offered, these men and women, whose lives were once broken by addiction, are now on their way to living wholesome and productive lives as enthusiastic contributors to society. You'll hear that optimism, determination and gratitude in the way they give praise to the Lord. Come! You'll never forget this experience.

ADORATION CHAPEL

"Suddenly the Host appeared in a visible way as true Flesh, sprinkled with red Blood." The Eucharistic Miracle of Bolsena, Italy, helped convince Pope Urban IV, to extend the Feast of Corpus Christi to the universal church. Today, proofs of the miracle are reverently enshrined in the Cathedral of Orvieto for the faithful to venerate Please visit Jesus in our beautiful Adoration Chapel. He's waiting for you. We need adorers for Sunday afternoons at 12:00 PM, 2:00 PM and 3:00 PM and Thursday afternoon at 12:00PM and 1:00 PM. Please think about being a substitute as well. Thank You! Please call Kim at 973-886-6334 for further information.

COME JOIN US: SOCIAL MEDIA OUTREACH MINISTRY

Would you like to become a "Digital Missionary"? You need just a few clicks:

- 1. "Like" our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/SaintPetertheApostleParsippany
- 2. Share our posts often and tag a friend in the Comments.
- 3. Invite a friend from outside the church to one of our events.
- 4. Ask your family members to do the same. This is the easiest way to get involved with our newest Parish Ministry. Questions? Contact Nicole C. Green at 973-650-4732 or use Facebook Messenger to send a message. Thank you!



ALL SAINTS ACADEMY CORNER

ASA Students Shine at STEM Symposium

All Saints Academy students recently participated in the Diocese of Paterson *STEM Symposium* held at nearby Caldwell University. A team of middle school students presented our school wide research project, "Clean Water - It's in Our Hands." This initiative centered on the need to reduce plastic pollution, and a highlight of the project was the creation of edible water bottles that are biodegradable and a more environmentally friendly option to individual plastic water bottles.

All Saints Academy provides all students – from preschool to grade eight – with a STEM enriched learning environment. Critical thinking and problem solving skills, creativity, teamwork, learning through process and challenge, innovation and global insight are key elements in student-centered STEM education. All Saints Academy teachers and staff are uniquely prepared to develop and implement lessons that combine the traditional elements of math, science and technology and interface them with the engineering design process. And all of this is done in a faith filled environment that places a paramount value on Christian ideals.

To learn more about All Saints Academy and STEM Education, contact our school principal, Mrs. Judy Berg at 973-334-4704.



COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS

The Compassionate Friends, a self-help group for bereaved parents, siblings and grandparents will be meeting on Thursday, June 14th at Saint Christopher's Church, 1050 Littleton Road (Rt. 202), Parsippany at 7:30 PM in Room 101. The topic will be "If I Only Had"; dealing with regret.

For more information, please call Lily Capriglione at 973-568-4164.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR PARISH CLERGY ALL ORDAINED IN MARY'S MONTH OF MAY

Our 4 priests and 4 deacons serving our parish were all ordained in May in the Easter Season in the month of Mary our Mother.

Our Priests

Fr. Yojan, ordained May 24, 2014, celebrates his 4th anniversary.

Fr. Babu, ordained May 24, 2008, celebrates his 10th anniversary.

Msgr. Chris, ordained May 5, 1979, celebrates his 39th anniversary.

Msgr. Herb, ordained May 25, 1968, celebrates his 50th anniversary.

Our Deacons

Deacon Peter ordained May16, 2009, celebrates his 9th anniversary.

Deacon Lou & Joe, ordained May 31, 2003 celebrates their 15th anniversary.

Deacon Bob, ordained May 24, 1991, celebrates his 27th anniversary.

Please pray in thanksgiving for our parish Priests and Deacons.

ALTAR SERVERS –MAY 26/27



5:30PM - Cattani, Marinelli

7:30AM - Torres

9:00AM - Lalo, Lalo, Lalo

10:30AM – Coyle, Coyle

12:00PM - Paraan, Manapurram, Abrenica

7:00PM - Sunga, Sunga

<u>FATHER HERB'S</u> 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION



We are celebrating Father Herb's 50th Anniversary as a Priest this Friday, May 25th with a Mass of Thanksgiving at 5:00PM. We cordially invite everyone to attend this Mass.

GOLDEN AGE - MAY 21-11:00 AM

Saint Peter's Golden Age will meet at the Community Center on Monday, May 21, 2018 at 11:00 AM – All welcome! They are having a trip to the Sands in Pennsylvania on Thursday, May 31. Call Joe and Jackie at 973-335-1209 for more information.

THE SMITH ROAD COFFEE HOUSE - ST. ANN'S

The Smith Road Coffee House at St. Ann Church announces their next show with Dan Ferrari on Saturday, June 16th. Tickets are \$10 at the door – cash or check only. Doors open at 7:30 PM. Refreshments will be available. For more information: www.saint-ann.net.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

"If any person may have been abused by any priest, they should immediately contact their local County Prosecutor's Office and Diocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator, Peggy Zanello at 973-879-1489. You may also be in touch with either of the Diocesan Response Officers: Rev. Msgr. James T. Mahoney, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818, ext. 205 or Sister Joan Daniel Healy, S.C.C., Chancellor/Delegate for Religious, 973-777-8818 ext. 248.

The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan Web site: www.patersondiocese.org."

SAINT PETER'S BOOK CLUB

The Book Club will meet on Monday, June 11th, 2018 at 7:30 PM in the Church Hall. We will discuss the novel, *A Man Called Ove* by Fredrik Backman. Coffee, tea and dessert will be served. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Hablando español en San Pedro Apóstol domingo, 20 de mayo de 2018 Domingo de Pentecostés

Horario de las Misas:

Confesiones: sábado: 4:00 a 5:00 p.m.

lunes a viernes: 6:45 y 8:00 a.m.

sábado: 5:30 p.m. y 7:00 p.m. en español

domingo: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m., 12 m. y 7:00 p.m.

<u>Intenciones de las Misas</u>: Por favor, notificar a la oficina parroquial (973-334-2090) con una semana de anticipación. El donativo para las intenciones es de \$10.00.

Mensaje del párroco:

En esta fiesta de Pentecostés, cuando los apóstoles y los otros discípulos fueron llenados con los dones del Espíritu Santo y sin temor proclamaron la Buena Noticia de Jesús, celebramos el nacimiento de la Iglesia. Así pues abramos nuestros corazones hoy, para recibir la derrama del mismo Espíritu Santo, la tercera persona de la Santísima Trinidad, ofreciendo la oración tradicional al Espíritu Santo:

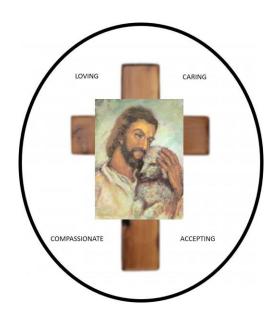
Ven, Espíritu Santo,

Llena los corazones de tus fieles
y enciende en ellos
el fuego de tu amor.
Envía, Señor, tu Espíritu.
Que renueve la faz de la Tierra.
Oremos: Oh Dios,
que llenaste los corazones de tus
fieles con la luz del Espíritu
Santo; concédenos que,
guiados por el mismo Espíritu,
sintamos con rectitud y
gocemos siempre de tu consuelo.
Por Jesucristo Nuestro Señor.
Amén



Dios le bendiga, Padre Herb

Felicitamos y oramos por nuestros trece adultos que reciben su Confirmación y Primera Comunión hoy. iQue Dios los bendiga!



STEPHEN MINISTRY

The Stephen Ministry Committee wants to extend a heart-felt thank you for coming to the information night last week and making this event so successful!

For those who missed the gathering and would like information about the new ministry, please call the rectory and leave a message, one of the team members will contact you.

Stephen Ministers are laypeople who provide a one-to-one, confidential, caring ministry to people who are going through difficult challenges in their life. We function in collaboration with our Priests, Deacons and existing Ministries to provide additional, ongoing care when appropriate.

If you feel the call of God in your hearts, please call us or e-mail us and we, together, will plant the seeds of the Lord.

Phone Number: 973-334-2090 x 217 E-mail: Stephenministry@optimum.net