



# SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

## MAY 21, 2023


Flowers on the Main Altar have been designated by Gloria Neiderer in memory of Nadine Neiderer.

### Mass Intentions

Saturday May 20	5:30pm	Clara M Riggs
Sunday May 21	7:30am	Shannon Jesko
	10:00am	People of the Parish
Monday May 22	12:15pm	Special Intentions
Tuesday May 23	12:15pm	Chris Leonard
Wednesday May 24	8:30am	In Thanksgiving for all Caregivers
Thursday May 25	12:15pm	Marie Timmins
Friday May 26	12:15pm	Mr & Mrs Thomas F Devine
Saturday May 27	5:30pm	Pauline M Devine
Sunday May 28	7:30am	Jovita Agsulid
	10:00am	People of the Parish

### Offertory Procession

If you are interested in bringing the gifts forward for the Offertory Procession at a weekend Mass, please speak to an usher before Mass.



Pray for the repose of  
the soul of  
Rev. Chester Snyder

## Parish Faith Formation: Lourdes and the Miraculous Cures

*Sunday August 6* *7:00 pm* *In the parish gym*

☞ This multimedia presentation reviews the history of the Blessed Virgin Mary’s apparitions at Lourdes and highlights some of the miraculous cures attributed to Our Lady’s intercession. It will be given by Steve Hemler, President of the Catholic Apologetics Institute of North America (CAINA) and author of a trilogy of published apologetics books. Many of his ancestors attended Conewago Chapel and are buried there. Almost everyone has heard of the extraordinary appearances of the Virgin Mary to 14-year-old Bernadette Soubirous at Lourdes in 1858. But have you ever really explored the details of the incredible healings that have occurred since then at this small town in Southern France? This presentation briefly reviews the history of the apparitions and then looks at several of the thousands of cures that have taken place in Lourdes, including recent ones that defy explanation by even the most skeptical medical personnel using the best modern technology.

## May Devotions

*Every Sunday of May* *7:00pm*  
☞ All are welcome to come and pray in honor of our Blessed Mother Mary!



## Interior Restoration Project

The work crew is advancing well with the project. They are working on the 1787 part of the church which requires more repair—since it is older. They recently discovered the spot where the 1787 church connects with the 1851 addition. Fascinating!

We are steadily approaching our financial goal. We need only **\$142,479.53** more in donations to cover the cost of the restoration of the historic marble altar. The rest of the project is paid for; thanks to your generosity.

This week we would like to thank the following donors:

Anonymous in memory of:  
Emory & Jess Krise; Herb & Marie Groft;  
and Eugene, Mary & Diane Groft  
Benedict & Denise Neiderer  
in memory of Nadine Neiderer  
Horace & Marlene Hartlaub  
in memory of Sr. Ignatia Maria Smith  
Brian and Diane Livelsberger  
Linda Holmes  
Karen Castillo  
Nancy Fahey

## Feast of the Sacred Heart

If you would like to sponsor **flowers for the Feast of the Sacred Heart** on June 16, please sign up in the blue notebook on the table in the back of the church. A total of seven bouquets are needed to decorate the altar.

## Feast of the Visitation Novena

On May 31, the Church celebrates the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary; her visit to her cousin Elizabeth and the encounter of Jesus and Saint John the Baptist while in the wombs of their mothers. Pray and share the Respect Life Novena May 22 to May 30. The novena and additional information can be found at <https://www.usccb.org/resources/novena-life-feast-visitation-blessed-virgin-mary>

## Diocesan Annual Campaign

Goal: \$67,987.34  
Total Paid: **\$50,085.00—Thank you!**  
Amount Needed: **\$17,902.34**