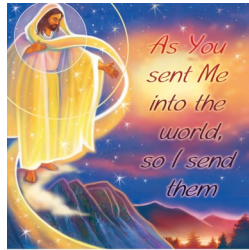


SAINT ANNE - SAINT PATRICK PARISH
MAY 16, 2021

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*If God so loved us,
we also must love one another.*
— 1 John 4:11



COMMISSIONED TO LIVE
IN THE WORLD

In today's scriptures we hear two different stories about commissioning. In the Acts of the Apostles Peter leads the assembly in prayer that the Lord will choose and commission the person to replace Judas among the Twelve. In the Gospel Jesus prays that His chosen disciples might be consecrated, or made holy.

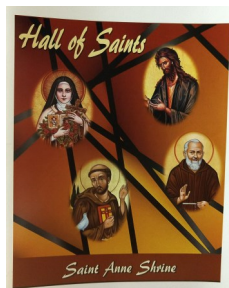
Jesus does not ask his Father to keep the disciples separate from the world, but instead sends them out into the world. While we might think that holy people are set apart from the world, we cannot hear today's scriptures without realizing that God's holy, chosen people are commissioned to live in the midst of the world, where they can reveal the love of God that makes the entire world holy.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36; Jn 17:11-19
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20; Jn 21:15-19
Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8, 16-20 or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Adults: Who needs my prayers this week?
Children: Whom can I pray for this week?



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MAY 8 & 9

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Maintenance - \$205
Parish Support - \$165
Shrine - \$190
Donation - \$63
Holy Thursday - \$10
Good Friday - \$10
Easter - \$10
Feast of the Ascension - \$184
Easter Flowers - \$10
Catholic Relief Services - \$10
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THANK YOU!



DIOCESAN SUMMER YOUTH EVENTS

The Diocesan Youth Ministry Office will be offering several exciting opportunities this summer for middle and high school youth! Events include a trip to an aerial adventure course, whitewater rafting, summer worship nights, the Diocesan volleyball league, and the Diocesan Youth Discipleship Team. To get

more information or to register a group for any of these opportunities go to the Diocesan Youth Ministry website at www.neworchester.org or contact Tim Messenger at tmessenger@worcesterdiocese.org or 508-929-4360.

DIOCESAN SUMMER YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

All young adults (ages 18-39) are invited to join us for our Diocesan Young Adult Ministry events this summer! Events include weekly pick-up volleyball, hiking trips to Mt. Wachusett and Mt. Monadnock, an aerial adventure course, and whitewater rafting. Some events require registration in advance. To sign up or to get more information go to neworchester.org/summer... or contact Tim Messenger at tmessenger@worcesterdiocese.org or 508-929-4360.



IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please pray for our young people who will be receiving First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 22nd at 10 AM in the Shrine Pavilion.
May God bless our children!

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY MAY 15

4:00 PM Vera Sisters - Teresita & Family

SUNDAY MAY 16

Mass will be live-streamed at 8:00 AM

8:00 AM + Lorraine & Edward Gauthier - Family

10:00 AM + Simon & Vincent Jambrone - Connie Jambrone & Family

12:30 PM + Charlotte Lloyd - Ruth Hamilton

MONDAY MAY 17

7:45 AM Parishioners and Pilgrims
+ Marie Hong Tran - Daughter, Mary Tran
+ Matthew Twomey - Family
FUNERAL - Phyllis Esslinger

TUESDAY MAY 18

7:45 AM Special Intention for Dan & Joseph - Mary Brady
Special Intention - Marielle Lessard

WEDNESDAY MAY 19

7:45 AM + Duran - Vera Grandparents - Teresita & Family
+ Peter Kotsifas - Wife, Sandy

THURSDAY MAY 20

7:45 AM + Marie Hong Tran - Daughter, Mary Tran
Special Intention for Stephen Deschamps - Sister, Deborah

FRIDAY MAY 21

7:45 AM Special Intention - Marielle Lessard
Thanksgiving to St. Anne - Mary Brady

SATURDAY MAY 22

7:45 AM + Marie Belisle - Rosalia Libiszewski & Family
+ Paulette Giroux - Family

4:00 PM

SUNDAY MAY 23

Mass will be live-streamed at 8:00 AM

8:00 AM + Brent Mimeault - Father, Peter & Family
10:00 AM + M/M Alfred Duran - Teresita & Family
12:30 PM + Josephine Kaitbenski - Ruth Hamilton



SANCTUARY LAMPS

MAY -

St. Patrick Chapel -
*In Loving Memory of
Alberta Berthiaume*
- Daughter, Joan

St. Anne Church -
*In Loving Memory of -
Normand Gibeault*
- Family



ATTENTION: ALL LITURGICAL MINISTERS
And those who are interested in becoming a Minister

Monsignor James Moroney, Director for the Diocesan Office of Worship, will conduct a Series of Formation Sessions for all Liturgical Ministers on the following Thursday evenings at **6:00 PM** in the Pavilion (weather permitting) or St. Joachim Chapel.

It is of the utmost importance that all attend the appropriate session. Please make every effort to attend.

May 20 - Lectors, Music Ministers, & Ext Ministers of the Eucharist

May 27 - Altar Servers (both daily and weekend Altar Servers)

June 3 - Ushers and Ministers of Liturgical Environment

Part of the New letter from Bishop McManus:

In light of the complexities in timing and execution of the reopening, I will be collaborating with the Bishops of Region I (Metropolitan Provinces of Boston and Hartford) in formulating a common date for lifting the suspension of the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.

With this letter, therefore, I extend the suspension of the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation pending the consideration of the Bishops of New England. While the obligation continues to be suspended, I nonetheless encourage all faithful who can safely attend Mass in person to do so. Many of our churches have sufficient capacity available while maintaining proper social distancing and cleaning routines. Although music and certain liturgical actions continue to be limited at this time, I hope and pray that we will seek the sacrament of the Eucharist which is the source and summit of our lives.
- Bishop McManus



Devotions at St. Anne Shrine
in *St. Anne Church*
Adoration: Friday: 8 - 8:30 am