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+ My dear parishioners and friends:

What a fantastic weekend to welcome you back to Mass! It felt like such a wonderful homecoming to see those of you just returning to church as well as those who have already been back with us for a little while now. I am so happy to say that I think this challenging time of COVID is beginning to fade, and for that we may be truly grateful!

As I mentioned in my homily, the Feast of Corpus Christi was the perfect occasion to return to church. For many, this was the very first time in a long time to physically receive the Body and Blood of Jesus. Never before in our lives have we experienced this kind of deprivation, when all



we could do was to make an Act of Spiritual Communion and tell Jesus how much we desired to receive Him into our soul. It is unlikely that we will ever forget these last 15 months, and so joyously, I want to introduce you to another Communion prayer – *Anima Christi*.

My granduncle, Father Joseph Fichter, was a famous Jesuit sociologist. He had a truly beautiful priesthood and spent much of his time vigorously trying to bring desegregation to the deep South. I think we could say that his thinking was ahead of his time. In any event, I mention Uncle Joe because as he lay dying, he had taped to his wall, where he could see it, a copy of the *Anima Christi* prayer. Here is the English translation:

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.
Body of Christ, save me.
Blood of Christ, inebriate me.
Water from the side of Christ, wash me.
Passion of Christ, strengthen me.
O good Jesus, hear me.
Within your wounds, hide me.
Do not let me be separated from you.
From the malicious enemy, defend me.
In the hour of my death, call me
and bid me come to You,
that with your saints I may praise You
for ever and ever. Amen.

Speaking of celebrations, I want to congratulate our Eighth Grade class on their graduation! You can see their smiling faces on the front cover of this bulletin. They are an exceptional group of students, who like their predecessors, managed to complete this part of their education under restrictive and difficult circumstances. I am so proud of all of them, their teachers, and their parents. They are unstoppable, and I think this will be their hallmark for everything they undertake in the future! Once again, my sincere congratulations on a job so well done!

In a bit of a lighter moment, we are making a change to our bulletin. Instead of our weekly game of *Finding Jesus*, we are now looking for Saint Elizabeth! Please be advised, and good luck to all our participants.

Finally, as we begin these summer months, let us take time to relax a little and take a mental inventory of so many things for which we can be grateful. I know for a fact how grateful I am for each of you!

In Christ's Peace,

Father Stephen

NEWS AND EVENTS

Stewardship Reflection: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time "For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive recompense, according to what he did in the body, whether good or evil." - 2 CORINTHIANS 5:10 We are all accountable for all of the gifts God has given us – our time, our talent and our treasure; everything we have and everything we are. Each of us is accountable not only for our own life but for the lives of others as well. One day God will ask each of us what did we do with the gifts we were given. How will you respond?

Correction for COLLECTIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING June 6 Offertory \$14,284 | Online \$11,344 | Total \$25,628

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 12 9:00 am Paul Cantilina 5:00 pm People of the Parish

Sunday, June 13

7:30 am Francesco Salazer 9:00 am Scott Edward Mault 10:30 am John "Ted" Noble 12 noon Robert McGarvie, 11th Anniversary 6:15 pm Gustavo Acosta

Monday, June 14

7:00 am Katy Dyer 9:00 am Paul Cantilina

Tuesday, June 15

7:00 am Francesca Comotta, Nancy Cannon 9:00 am Ellen Nelson & Raymond & Helen Fennell

Wednesday, June 16

7:00 am Jeannette Andre 9:00 am Mary Ann Hammond

Thursday, June 17

7:00 am Douglas & Lydia Reitz 9:00 am Sandy Corvari

Friday, June 18

7:00 am Gail Smerglinolo 9:00 am Paul Cantilina

Saturday, June 19

9:00 am James Byrnes 5:00 pm Catherine & Joseph Francica

Sunday, June 20

7:30 am People of the Parish 9:00 am Living & Deceased members of the Colgan & Meighan Families 10:30 am Gertrude & Leon Auger 12 noon Daniel Giletta 6:15 pm John Conte

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Pray for Us!



NEWS AND EVENTS

Baby Feet Car Magnets: Show your love for babies in the womb! Get a "Baby Feet" Car Magnet! Symbols are very important in successful social movements. Show your love for babies in the womb and their families by putting a "baby feet" magnet on your car. There will be volunteers at the doors as you leave church giving out baby feet magnets. Please take one and put on your car. https://equalrightsforbabiesinthewomb.com

Rosary Society New Members Installation Mass will be on Thursday, June 17 at 11:00 am. Lunch will follow at the Brick House, 179 Godwin Ave. Wyckoff. If you wish to be installed and plan on attending the lunch, please call Ronnie at 201-891-5560 no later than June 14. The cost of the lunch is \$25 and a check made out to "Rosary Altar Society" should be dropped off at the Parish Center. Both men and women are welcome.

St. Elizabeth's Bereavement Ministry: Due to the pandemic, the Bereavement Ministry has not been able to offer in-person support groups. However, the designated, confidential phone line continues to be monitored by the Bereavement Ministry team of facilitators. The line is checked frequently for messages and calls are returned as soon as possible. For all who are grieving the loss of a loved one, we encourage you to call the bereavement line at 201-891-1122 ext. 266 for support during these difficult times.

Food Drive Update:

MAY Donations-127 Bags & \$1,255 Cash APRIL Donations-216 Bags & \$1,434 Cash 2021 YTD Donations-1,123 Bags & \$6,749 Cash 2020 YTD Donations-1,157 Bags & \$17,473 Cash All donations were delivered to OASIS in Paterson. The St. E's ministry team especially THANKS all our parishioner donors for their generous MAY support.



Father's Day Cards will be available at the Parish Center if you wish to have your father (living or deceased) remembered during the Masses for Father's Day.

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

Your loved one will be announced at Mass for two weeks, then included in the bulletin for six weeks. Call the Parish Center to let us know the names of those we should include in our prayers.

Healing prayers for: Ken Sinatra, Bernadette Casey, Anne Beecher, Linda Sokolowski, Kim Pokowitz, Baby Grace, Art Ebner, Ellie Soderlund, Diane Garbaccio, Ann Jillian

Recently deceased: Joanne Cooney, Frank J Tanki, Eleanor Combs

Memorials for the week of June 13

Altar Bread and Wine: In memory of Paul Cantilina donated Michael & Lisa Hroncich and family

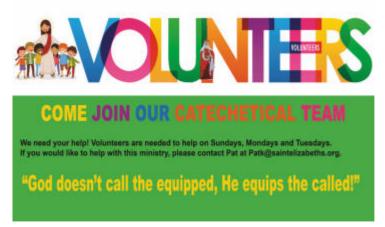
Candles on the Altar: In memory of Barbara Dennen donated Nina Hovey

Flowers for Holy Family Shrine: In memory of Annette Gallo Mani donated Joan Agag

Sanctuary Light: In memory of Clare Gellene donated by Cathy & Patrick Rice and Family

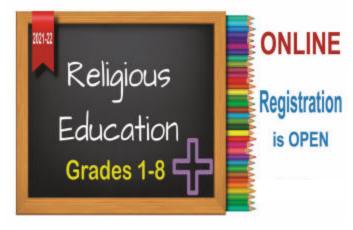
Flowers for the Elizabeth Shrine: In Memory of Ted Noble donated by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Mele



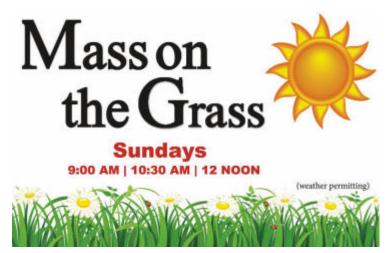














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