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WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 15, 2022

Sunday: Acts 14:21-27/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 15, 2022

Sunday: 5th Sunday of Easter; St. Isidore

Wednesday: St. John I, Pope and Martyr

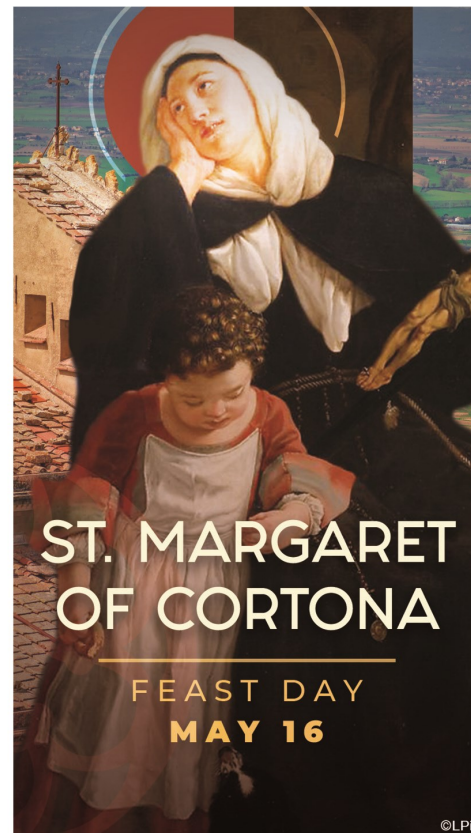
Friday: St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest

Saturday: St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs; Armed Forces Day

Next Sunday: 6th Sunday of Easter; St. Rita of Cascia, Religious

LIVE THE LITURGY Inspiration for the week

The resurrected Christ gives us the strength to do things we can never have imagined. Life will often give us mountains to climb, and we wonder how we will find the energy, ability, and determination to forge ahead. But, with a good dosage of faith and a fervent life of prayer we find ourselves succeeding and ascending to heights that once frightened us. What we realize after we have reached the other side is that this hardship we once saw as an obstacle has become a vehicle for something better and greater. We are stronger. The same is true with the Gospel. The prospect of loving one another may seem idealistic or unobtainable. Yet, when we risk moving beyond just looking out for or helping each other to actually LOVING each other, miracles happen. There is something wonderful that occurs with love. We see people in ways we never saw before, understanding and appreciating each other's journey. Love leads to reverence. Faith is strengthened and we move on to try again.



SAINT OF THE WEEK

Though St. Margaret of Cortona (1247 - 1297) is today known as being an incredibly pious Catholic, she didn't start out that way. Born into a farming family in Laviano, Tuscany, her mother died when St. Margaret was seven. Her father remarried, but life with her stepmother was so difficult that St. Margaret moved out of the home and instead chose to live with a man named Arsenio, though they weren't married. They had been living together for nine years when she gave birth to a son. Knowing in her heart that this wasn't the life that God intended for her to have, she prayed for purity.

One day while waiting for Arsenio, his dog led her into the forest where she found Arsenio murdered. So shocked was St. Margaret that she fell into a life of penance. She and her son returned to Laviano, but still found her stepmother to be as unwelcoming as ever. They then went to Cortona, and eventually her son became a friar.

Three years after her conversion, St. Margaret followed in her son's footsteps and became a Franciscan tertiary. During her life, St. Margaret established a hospital and founded a congregation of tertiary sisters. She was canonized in 1728.

What's Happening This Week?

May 14 - May 22

Saturday(14): Vigil Mass - 4:30 p.m.
Bilingual Mass - 6:30 p.m. - *First Communion*
Mass Intention in Memory of Joseph Dinh
Pictures after Mass for Directory

Sunday(15): Mass - 9:00 a.m.
Mass Intention in Honor of Cecilia Jimenez
Pictures after Mass for Directory

Wednesday(18): Stewardship - 10:00 a.m.
Rosary - 4:00 p.m.
Mass - 4:30 p.m.
Mass Intention in Memory of Nancy Bible
CCE - 6:00 p.m.

Thursday(19): Mass - 10:00 a.m.

Saturday(21): Vigil Mass 4:30 p.m.
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Spanish Mass - 6:30 p.m.
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Sunday(22): Mass - 9:00 a.m.
Mass Intention in Honor of Antonio Jimenez
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Picture Directory

Our Picture Directory needs updating. We will be taking pictures after Mass on Saturday, May 14, Sunday, May 15 and the following weekend after all Masses. Please plan to have your family's picture made.

Weekly Stewardship

May 7 & May 8 \$4,171.75

Thank you for your generosity.

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Zander Brown-Maldonado, Seth Marceaux, Randi Davison, James & Kathy Wilcox, Carl Pope, Colter Eckert, Maria Gary, Raulins Gallups, Jo Audilet, Melissa Maxwell, Kay Chandi, Nancy Rollins, Paige Evans, Ashlynn Evans, Lois Cuccia, Shirley Anderson, Wayne Cook, Steven Crain, Evelyn Daigle, Linda Dipuccio, Ronnie Duncan, Gene Emfinger, Dianne Necessary, Linda Passons, Carol Richoux, Fr. Frank Rossi; those in financial crisis, seeking employment or in need of food and shelter

Homebound/Nursing Home: Jeannette Bourque, Harold Boyd, Mary Goodwine, Leola Kimball, Frances Martin, Rosemary Urban, Iralene Ventrello, Judy Odom

Repose of the soul: Rance Cole, Gene Schmidt, Alice Munchak, Daryl Hoff

Names will remain on the prayer list for two weeks. Names written in the Prayer Book in the vestibule of the church will be offered as daily Mass intentions.

Prayer Support for our Pastor

Let's join together during this time by praying the Rosary and the Memorare daily at 4:00pm.

Congratulations on your First COMMUNION

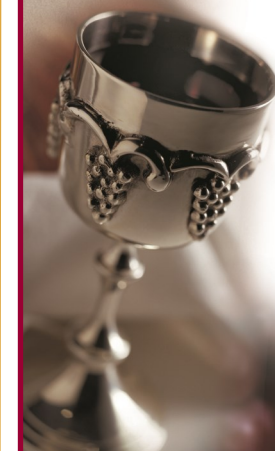
Ngoc Xuan Nghi 'Sunny' Dinh

Ian Kyle Dunbar

Yahir Saavedra

Maite Roque

Kristine Isabel Salas



May you always know
the Peace of Jesus,
the Light of His Love
and the
Joy of His Life
within you.

Grieving With Great Hope

Widow & Widowers gathering

Thursday, May 26, 2022

after the 10:00 a.m. Mass

Ladies Altar Society End of Year Dinner

June 7 at 6pm at LA Enchilada Restaurant

All women are invited,

husbands are welcome to attend.

RSVP to Lois Henderson: 409-547-3352 or 409 673-9559

Permanent Diaconate Information Meeting for Next Class!

Has your pastor asked you about being a permanent deacon? Have friends told you that you would make a great deacon? Come to the Permanent Diaconate Information Meeting for the next permanent diaconate class, Sunday, May 15, 2022, at 3:00 P.M. at St. Anthony Basilica Cathedral Hall. For more information or questions, contact Fr. Sinclair Oubre, Director of Permanent Diaconate Formation, 409-749-0171 or soubre@dobcentral.org.

*felicitades por tu
primera comunión*

Ngoc Xuan Nghi ‘Sunny’ Dinh
Ian Kyle Dunbar
Maite Roque
Yahir Saavedra
Kristine Isabel Salas



Que siempre sepas
la Paz de Jesús,
la luz de su amor
y el
alegría de su vida
dentro de ti.

VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA (Live the Liturgy)

Cristo resucitado nos da la fuerza para hacer cosas que nunca hubiéramos imaginado. La vida a menudo nos dará montañas para escalar, y nos preguntamos cómo encontraremos la energía, la capacidad y la determinación para seguir adelante. Pero, con una buena dosis de fe y una ferviente vida de oración, nos encontramos triunfando y ascendiendo a alturas que una vez nos asustaron. Lo que nos damos cuenta después de haber llegado al otro lado es que esta dificultad que una vez vimos como un obstáculo se ha convertido en un vehículo para algo mejor y más grande. Somos más fuertes. Lo mismo ocurre con el Evangelio. La posibilidad de amarse unos a otros puede parecer idealista o inalcanzable. Sin embargo, cuando corremos el riesgo de ir más allá de solo cuidarnos o ayudarnos unos a otros para AMARNOS realmente, o curren milagros. Hay algo maravilloso que ocurre con el amor. Vemos a las personas de formas en que nunca antes habíamos visto, comprendiendo y apreciando el viaje de los demás. El amor conduce a la reverencia. La fe se fortalece y seguimos adelante para intentarlo de nuevo.
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PREGUNTAS DE LA SEMANA REFLEXIONAR Y RESPONDER (Questions of the Week)

Primera Lectura:
En Hechos escuchamos cómo Pablo y Bernabé formaron iglesias de creyentes gentiles en ciudades del este del Imperio Romano. ¿Qué crees que se necesita hoy para construir una comunidad de fe fuerte?

Segunda Lectura:
En las visiones finales de Juan, él ve "una nueva Jerusalén" que desciende del cielo. Dios está plenamente presente con la humanidad y no hay más sufrimiento y muerte. ¿Con qué frecuencia piensas en los últimos tiempos?

Evangelio:
Mientras Jesús hablaba de su muerte inminente con los discípulos, les presenta "un mandamiento nuevo: amaos los unos a los otros." ¿De qué maneras te desafía este mandamiento?
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LAS LECTURAS Y CONMEMORACIONES SEMANALES INVOLUCRAR A PARROQUIANOS EN MISA Y ORACIÓN DIARIO (Weekly Readings and Observances)

Las lecturas de la semana del 15 de mayo de 2022
Domingo: Hch 14, 21-27/Sal 144, 8-9. 10-11. 12-13/Ap 21, 1-5/ Jn 13, 31-33. 34-35
Lunes: Hch 14, 5-18/Sal 114, 1-2. 3-4. 15-16/Jn 14, 21-26
Martes: Hch 14, 19-28/Sal 144, 10-11. 12-13. 21/Jn 14, 27-31
Miércoles: Hch 15, 1-6/Sal 121, 1-2. 3-4. 4-5/Jn 15, 1-8
Jueves: Hch 15, 7-21/Sal 95, 1-2. 2-3. 10/Jn 15, 9-11
Viernes: Hch 15, 22-31/Sal 56, 8-9. 10 y 12/Jn 15, 12-17
Sábado: Hch 16, 1-10/Sal 99, 1-2. 3. 5/Jn 15, 18-21
Domingo siguiente: Hch 15, 1-2. 22-29/Sal 66, 2-3. 5. 6. 8 [4]/ Ap 21, 10-14. 22-23/Jn 14, 23-29

Las conmemoraciones de la semana de 15 de mayo de 2022
Domingo: 5º Domingo de Pascua; San Isidoro
Lunes:
Martes:
Miércoles: San Juan I, papa y mártir
Jueves:
Viernes: San Bernardino de Siena, sacerdote
Sábado: San Cristóbal Magallanes, sacerdote, y compañeros, mártires; Día de las fuerzas armadas
Domingo siguiente: 6º Domingo de Pascua; Santa Rita de Casia, religiosa

Directorio de imágenes

Nuestro directorio de imágenes necesita una actualización. Estaremos tomando fotos después de la misa el sábado 14 de mayo, domingo 15 de mayo, sábado 21 de mayo y domingo 22 de mayo.
Por favor planee tener una foto de su familia.



¿Qué está pasando esta semana?
14 de mayo—22 de mayo

Sábado(14): Misa de Vigilia - 4:30 p.m.
Misa bilingual - 6:30 p.m. - primera comunión

Domingo(15): Misa - 9:00 am

Miércoles(18): Rosario - 4:00 p.m.
Misa - 4:30 p. m.
CCE - 6:00 p.m.

Sábado(21): Misa de Vigilia - 4:30 p.m.
Misa en español - 6:30 p.m.

Domingo(22): Misa - 9:00 am



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Weekend Masses

Saturday Confessions: 3:45 - 4:15 p.m.
Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m. & Spanish - 6:30 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Wednesday: 4:30 p.m.
Thursday: 10:00 a.m.

Devotional Schedule

Rosary: Wednesday - 4:00 p.m.
Divine Mercy Chaplet: Thursday, following 10:00 a.m. Mass
Sacred Heart Devotion: First Friday - 9:00 a.m.
Eucharist Adoration/Confessions: First Sunday of the Month - 8:00 a.m.