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— ALL FOR THE GLORY OF GOD —

JUNE 5, 2022
PENTECOST SUNDAY

MASS SCHEDULE

Masses are currently being held
in the St. Dominic Savio Center
to the right of the school.

MASS TIMES

Saturday..... (Vigil) 4:00pm
Sunday..... 8:30am, 10:30am, 7:00pm
..... (Spanish) 3:00pm

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday..... 8:30am

CONFESSIONS

One half hour before each Mass daily
and Sundays.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

CHAPEL - Currently closed for repairs.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will
take place every day from 9am till 9pm in
the St. Dominic Savio Center, except during
weekend Mass times.

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LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

St. Josemaria Escriva tell us, "To live according to the Holy Spirit means to live by faith and hope and charity. To allow God to take possession of our lives and to change our hearts, to make us resemble him more and more." Today we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit given freely by God to us. The Holy Spirit is the very breath of God and the true source of our power and strength. When we accept that God is the beginning and the end of all things, we open ourselves to receiving this powerful presence. The Holy Spirit alone is the one who teaches us how to pray, who stirs us to lift our eyes to heaven in search of our Creator and opens them to recognize the wonderful gifts of faith, hope, and love God gives us. The Holy Spirit is the one who teaches us how to understand ourselves, God, others, and the world. When we allow God's Own breath to truly take possession of us, we realize that we are meant to become like God and know Him as He really is. This ultimate helper lifts our eyes from what is below to what is above and empowers us to live life with joy and keener vision! ©LPi

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 6 • The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

8:30 am Bill Kirkpatrick

Tuesday, June 7

8:30 am George S. Hoffman

Wednesday, June 8

8:30 am Vivian Scioneaux

Thursday, June 9 • St. Ephrem

8:30 am All Souls

Friday, June 10

8:30 am Special Intention

Saturday, June 11 • St. Barnabas

4:00 pm Rick Gaille, Deceased members of KC Council 9623 Living & deceased members of the Carmen & Ronald Perilloux Family, Melancon & Fisher Families, Byron & Thelma Melancon, Dan Guidry, Gregory Hymel, E.J. & Edna Guidry, Conrad & Betty Hymel, Melvin & Nellie Powell, Marilyn Torres, James Perilloux, Il, Mae & Alton Berthelot, Sr., Special Intentions

Sunday, June 12 • The Most Holy Trinity

8:30 am Steve Navarre, Tom & Teresa Bautsch, Zulma Williams, Dan Guidry, John Snyder, Sr., Charles P. Wilson, Emanuel & Doug Sicard, Arlen Perilloux, Lester Savoie, Nguyen Quang Hai, Special Intention
10:30 am Henry Harris, Jr.
3:00 pm (en espanol) Religious Vocations
7:00 pm Our Parishioners



VIGIL LIGHT FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

For the successful rebuilding of our Church Parish.

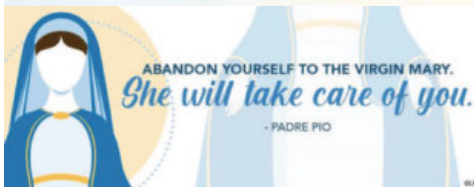
CHAPEL CANDLES BURN THIS WEEK FOR

For the healing of Robert & Linda Feucht



FATHER'S DAY MASS INTENTIONS

Please return your Father's Day Mass Remembrance offering envelopes in the offertory collection basket or to the Parish Office by **June 13th**.



ADORATION • COMMUNITY • THEOLOGY • SERVICE

ACTS Women's Retreat

June 9-12, 2022

There are still spots available for the upcoming **ACTS Retreat for Women** at the Lumen Christi Retreat Center in Schriever, LA. Please visit our website for more information and a link to registration forms.



Pope Francis' June Prayer Intention Families

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

AROUND OUR CHURCH & OUR COMMUNITY

Ascension of Our Lord congratulates AOL School Alumni who recently earned highest honors at St. Charles Catholic High School.



*Barry J. Cummins, Jr.
Valedictorian*



*Karen E. Trichell
Salutatorian*



*Congratulations
Deacon Cory
Ford!*

*May the Lord's blessings
be upon you in your
service to His people.*

*Transitional Diaconate Ordination
Saturday, May 21, 2022*



Vacation Bible School

July 11 - 15, 2022

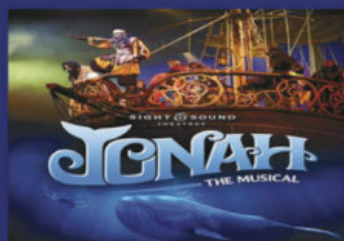
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FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 2022

from 7:00 - 9:00PM

St. Benilde School

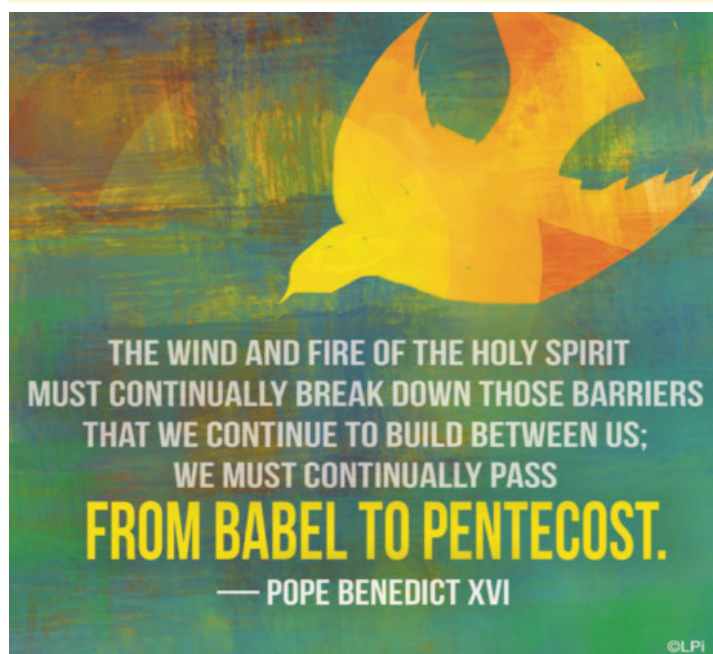
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After a series of wild adventures, Jonah finds himself in the belly of a giant fish. It is here God teaches Jonah how to receive grace and extend mercy. Join us for this bible story adventure for the whole family.

There is no cost to attend.
Light snacks and refreshments will be available.



PENTECOST SUNDAY

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Monday, June 6

6:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet - Savio Center

Tuesday, June 7

7:00 pm Baptismal Seminar - Parish Office

Wednesday, June 8

Thursday, June 9

Friday, June 10

Saturday, June 11 • Team 2

Sunday, June 12 • Team 2

7:00 pm Youth Mass - Savio Center



PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL



Come Let Us Adore!

Adoration is being held in the St. Dominic Savio Center (the temporary Church) every day from 9:00am to 9:00pm, except when Mass is being celebrated or a special activity is being held.

Please understand that continuing Adoration while sharing the St. Dominic Savio Center with other ministries has been difficult.

Personal prayer time with Jesus refreshes our lives and feeds our souls.

Patience and love is necessary during this rebuilding process.

Thank you for your commitment.

Keep in touch with us
VIA EMAIL AND TEXT MESSAGE *flocknote*



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Kids Corner

SHARING THE GOSPEL

God the Father sent the Holy Spirit to take the place of Jesus on earth. When you are at home, in school, or in church, the Holy Spirit helps you learn new words and new skills. He helps you in your studying and praying. The Spirit helps you remember things from last week and last year. The Spirit helps you use this knowledge to lead you to heaven.



PRAYER

Father, I am thankful for the Holy Spirit who helps me learn new things.

MISSION FOR THE WEEK

I will ask the Holy Spirit to help me remember things from the past.

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Come Holy Spirit!

The feast of Pentecost came nine days after Jesus had ascended into Heaven. The disciples and Mary were praying together when the Holy Spirit suddenly came with the sound of a huge wind and what looked like flames of fire coming down on each of them. The apostles went right out and began to preach and teach people about Jesus.

The Holy Spirit comes to us in Baptism and lives in us whenever our souls are in a state of grace (when we don't have any serious sins.) He comes into us more whenever we receive a Sacrament, especially Confirmation. He helps us do what is right and serve God using all the gifts He gives us. The Holy Spirit, who is the third Person of the Blessed Trinity, draws us closer to God the Father and Jesus.

Pray to the Holy Spirit every day to help you to do everything for God. Then see how your life changes!

Pentecost Cross-Word

Use the words from the list to fill in the blanks in today's first reading, and then write them where they belong in the puzzle.

DOES
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SPIRIT
SITTING
HEAVEN
SPEAK
HIS
HOUSE
US
PENTECOST



When _____ (4D) day came round, they had all met in _____ (2D) room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from _____ (6A) the noise of which filled the entire _____ (6D) in which they were _____ (14A) and something appeared to them that seemed like _____ (12A) of fire; these _____ (9A) and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy _____ (1A) and _____ (7A) to _____ (1D) foreign _____ (3D) _____ (13A) the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were _____ (5A) and astonished. "Surely," they said, "all these men speaking are Galileans? How _____ (10D) it happen that each of _____ (8A) hears them in _____ (11D) own native language?" (A=Across D=Down)

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SACRAMENTS

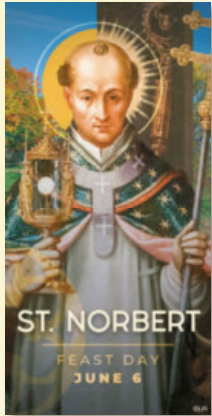
BAPTISMS: Baptismal seminars are held on the first Tuesday of each month in the Parish Office at 7:00pm. Please call the Parish Office to pre-register.

WEDDINGS: Couples must contact the priest at least six months prior to the preferred date of the wedding.

ANointing OF THE SICK: Please call the Parish Office at 985-652-2615.

HOLY COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND: To be added to the list, please call the Parish Office.

FUNERALS: Family must make arrangements with the priest prior to making final arrangements with the funeral home.



SAINT OF THE WEEK EXAMPLES OF OUR FAITH

St. Norbert
Feast Day June 6

Born to nobility, St. Norbert of Xanten, was ordained as a subdeacon and served in the court of Henry V, Emperor of Germany, however, at court it was easy to be distracted by wealth, power and luxury and he lived a worldly and corrupt life there. By the grace of God while traveling in a storm he was nearly struck by lightning and almost killed.

This experience changed St. Norbert and he became penitent, left his court post, and after a period of discernment in a monastery, felt called to be a priest.

Norbert became an itinerant preacher, preaching against worldly attitudes but at the Pope's request finally settled in northern France and founded the Norbertine order established according to the rule of St. Augustine. The order grew rapidly and soon founded women's branch. Norbert traveled and preached across Germany where he also founded a lay branch of the Norbertines. In Belgium he preached against heresies which denied the Blessed Sacrament.

Eventually he was made Archbishop of Magdeburg, Germany, and later he traveled to Rome in support of Pope Innocent II, against the antipope. Afterward he returned to Germany to court of Emperor Lothar as advisor, at end of life, in failing health, St. Norbert was carried back to Magdeburg where he died. ©LPi



REFLECT - QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading

On Pentecost Sunday, the Holy Spirit descended upon the apostles and gave them the gift of speaking in multiple languages of the mighty acts of God accomplished in Jesus Christ. What gifts of the Spirit might you pray for today?

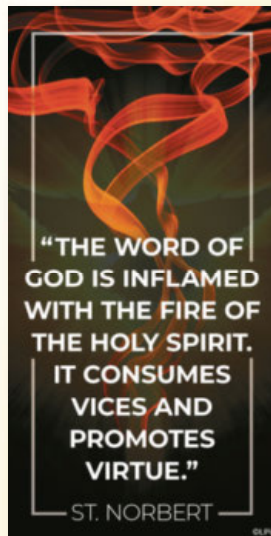
Second Reading

Paul speaks of believers in Christ as having the "Spirit of God" dwelling within them. How do you experience the presence of the Holy Spirit in your life?

Gospel

The resurrected Jesus breathed on the disciples and gave the Holy Spirit to them to forgive or retain sins. How often do you partake in the sacrament of reconciliation?

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RESPONDING TO THE CALL

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP
Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

Do You Speak Stewardship?

If you are married, I'm guessing that you know the best way to break bad news to your spouse, whether you realize it or not. Maybe it's simply that you know not to talk about the budget after your wife's football team has lost. Maybe you know your husband will take the news that your sister is coming to stay a little easier if you tell him over his favorite dinner. We do the same thing with our children, our friends, our coworkers — we have all learned the language of the people we love.

The truth is the same in every language, but it's important for us to convey that truth graciously. That's what Pentecost teaches us. The gift of being able to speak in tongues afforded the Apostles a practical skill to spread the Gospel message, but it also served as a powerful symbol of the importance of effective communication. Evangelization can only happen when you're speaking in words a person is able, ready, and willing to hear.

Let's ask ourselves: what is the language we need to speak to share the truth with the person who is standing in front of us? Is it the language of quality time? The language of concern? The language of laughter and friendship? The language of authenticity, of plain talk and frankness?

The Holy Spirit gave the Apostles the ability to speak in tongues, and it seems miraculous when we read about it in the Gospels — but only consider that we all have this same ability, in a certain way. The Holy Spirit can and will show us how to speak the truth, if we only ask.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:	<i>Vigil:</i> Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 <i>Extended Vigil:</i> Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/ Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 <i>Day:</i> Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26
Monday:	Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 6, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34
Tuesday:	1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday:	1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday:	1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26
Friday:	1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Mt 5:27-32
Saturday:	Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mt 5:33-37
Next Sunday:	Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

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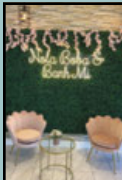
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