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May Mass Schedule

Tuesday Noon

Wednesday Noon

Thursday Noon

Friday Noon

Saturday 4:15

Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am

Office hours are Tuesday-Friday
8:00 to 4:00

May 24th, 2020

*"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood
remains in me and I in him, says the Lord." John 6:56*

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God makes himself known to us.

In the first reading, after Jesus' Ascension, the disciples went to the upper room and devoted themselves to prayer. In Peter's Epistle, he encourages the beloved community to rejoice in persecution; privileged to suffer with Christ, they will also glorify God. In John's Gospel, Jesus, nearing the end of his earthly life, prays for his followers who remain in the world.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday May 26th noon

Stash & Victoria McClosky

Wednesday May 27th noon

Living & deceased members of the
John & Frances Wisnoski family

May 28th noon

Marcelle Reaves

Friday May 29 noon

Living & deceased members of the
Fritz & Gertrude Heyman family

Larry Sechelski

Saturday May 30th 4:15

John Michael Dobyanski, Jeremy Poret &
Rodney Laskowski

Sunday May 31st 8:00 am

Sunday May 31st 10:00 am

Frank & Alice Grupa

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Liturgical Ministers Schedule

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Saturday May 30th 4:15pm

Lectors: Leonard Szymczak & Dana Wagner

Ushers: Darrell Wagner, Danny Pasket, Michael Wisnoski, Stephen Pasket

Rosary: Barbara Dibello

NO E.M.H.C. or Altar Servers

Sunday May 31st 8:00am

Lectors: Brian Burzynski

Ushers: Volunteers

Rosary: Volunteer

NO E.M.H.C. or Altar Servers

Sunday May 31st 10:00am

Lectors: Margaret McClosky & Christi Leman

Ushers: Mike Wroblewski, Roger Vezurk, Marcus Klawinsky, Darrin Pasket

Rosary: Theresa Guidry

NO E.M.H.C. or Altar Servers



May 24, 2020

The Ascension of the Lord (A)

Acts 1:1–11

Eph 1:17–23

Mt 28:16–20

Where Are You Looking?

Are we, like the disciples, looking in the wrong direction? As they looked up to heaven, they probably realized what they had lost. Jesus was no longer in their midst. But then, the Easter stories all tell us that they never really understood his risen presence with them. And so they were asked: “Why are you standing here looking at the sky?” (Acts 1:11).

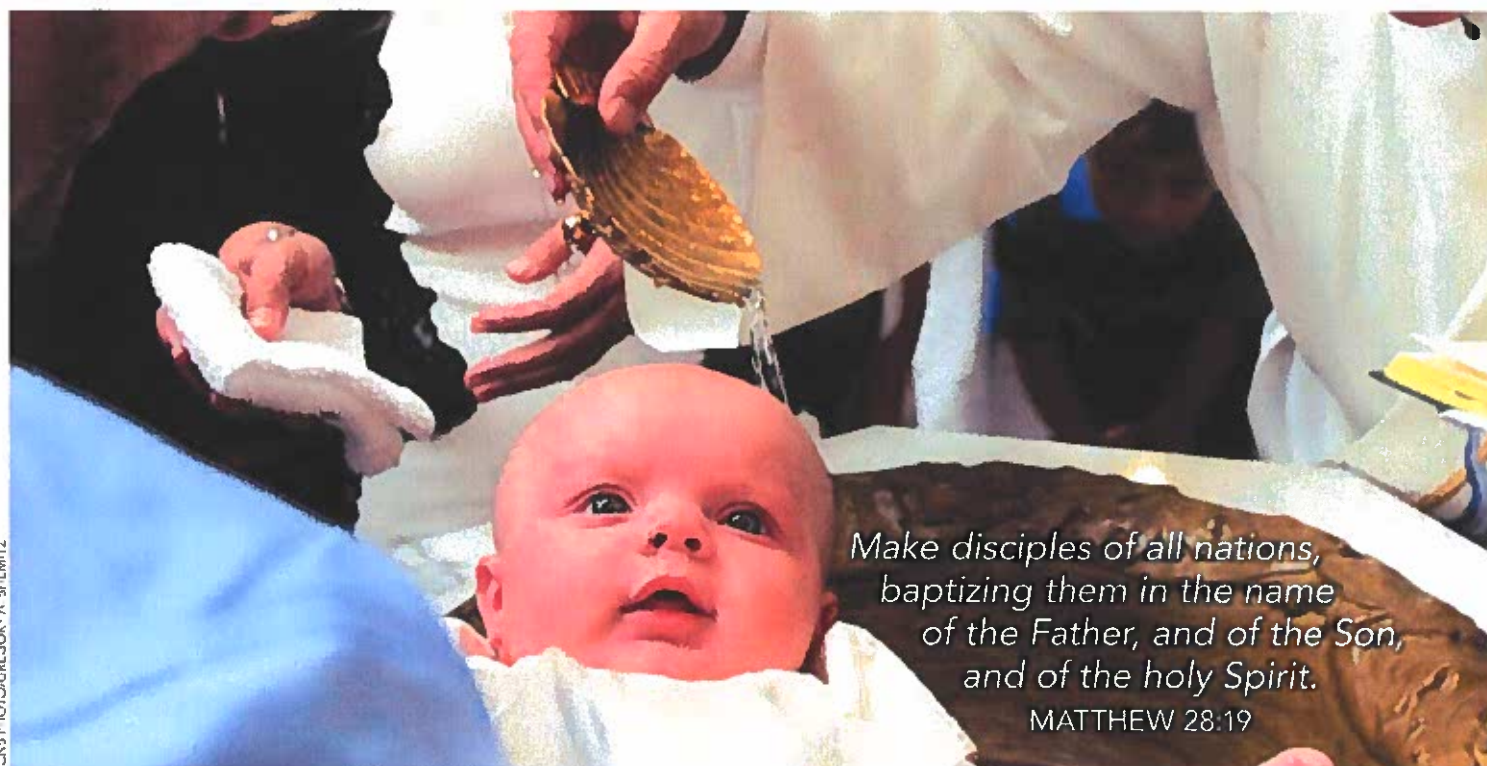
Are we also looking up to heaven when we should be looking out to the world? Of course, it is right that we reflect on Jesus’ ascension. However, today’s understanding of the universe helps us realize that the biblical account of Jesus’ ascension into heaven may be a way of saying that he is glorified with God. As Paul says, he has been granted the place of honor at God’s right hand, “far above every principality, authority, power, and dominion” with “all things beneath his feet” (Ephesians 1:21–22). Jesus, now with God, radiates the full splendor of his resurrection.

We must turn to the Gospel passage to get the fullness of the story of the ascension. Jesus did not say: “Watch what is going to happen.” Instead he told them to go out: “Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations” (Matthew 28:19). We might know these words so well that we miss their forcefulness. In effect, Jesus is telling them: go out to the whole world and tell them what you have seen and heard. I did what it was for me to do; now it is up to you to do the rest. Don’t worry, “I am with you always” (Matthew 28:20). Look where you’re going, not where I went.

—Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

FOR *Reflection*

- ★ *In what ways have other people touched you with the mystery of the risen Jesus?*
- ★ *In what ways do you bring the reality of Jesus to people in your life?*



*Make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name
of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the holy Spirit.*
MATTHEW 28:19

Dear Padre,

I want to deepen the spiritual sense of Christ in my life. How can I create a strong spiritual connection to Jesus?

Your answer may be within your own parish. I suggest you begin your spiritual journey by connecting with a parish outreach group. When I worked as a missionary in Brazil, I marveled at how the youth groups that I worked with brought a deeper spirituality to my own life.

It was common in Brazil to have a three-day retreat leading up to Lent. Although this was a youth retreat, it also energized the adults who worked

with them. The highlight was on Ash Wednesday evening, when the teens would give public testimony at Mass to the Lord working in their lives. Their testimony inspired parishioners to rededicate themselves to educating the smaller children throughout the year. A youth group never lacks in spirit, which is usually contagious!

It's difficult to seek spiritual enlightenment alone. There's spiritual strength in numbers (even Jesus kept twelve disciples near him!), and even greater spiritual power within the graced walls of your parish. When you serve others, your spiritual path is deepened and expanded. Working with youths is just one

way to enhance your spiritual connection. Remember the words of St. Paul: "There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit" (1 Corinthians 12:4-7).

—Fr. John Gouger, CSSR
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A WORD FROM *Pope Francis*

The Church holds out a mission, and I would like to entrust you with this mission. It is to go back and talk to your grandparents. Today more than ever we need this bridge, this dialogue, between grandparents and grandchildren, between the young and the elderly.

—WORLD YOUTH DAY PRAYER VIGIL, APRIL 8, 2017

Calendar

Monday

MAY 25

Easter Weekday

Acts 19:1-8

Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday

MAY 26

St. Philip Neri,

Priest

Acts 20:17-27

Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday

MAY 27

Easter Weekday

Acts 20:28-38

Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday

MAY 28

Easter Weekday

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11

Jn 17:20-26

Friday

MAY 29

Easter Weekday

Acts 25:13b-21

Jn 21:15-19

Saturday

MAY 30

Easter Weekday

Acts 28:16-20,

30-31

Jn 21:20-25

Sunday

MAY 31

Pentecost

Acts 2:1-11

1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13

Jn 20:19-23



Welcome to St. Stanislaus Kostka

Please contact the parish office if you wish to register or know someone who would like to become a member of our parish.
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Our Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for May

For Deacons: We pray that Deacons, faithful in their service to the Word and the poor, may be an invigorating symbol for the entire Church.

Announcements

Today is Father Adam McClosky's 53rd anniversary of ordination as a priest. He was ordained here at St. Stanislaus by Bishop John Morkovsky on May 24th, 1967. Father Rivers Patout was also ordained as a priest that day. Please join us in congratulating Father Adam.

Knowing God in a way that brings eternal life is no casual acquaintance, but an intimate friendship. When we know someone as a friend, we know likes and dislikes, character and personality. God knows us intimately and, amazingly, desires to be known, and makes himself known to those created in his image.

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May 12th to May 17th

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Upcoming 2nd Collections:

June 14th St Mary Seminary

June 28th Peter's Pence

Please pray for those in active military duty:

Andrew Anderson, Austin Barnes,
Andrew Burzynski, Don Fontaine,
Travis Hayes, Cody Klawinsky,
Travis Klawinsky, Joe A. Lopez,
Matthew Macejewski,
John McKnight, Phillip Walkoviak



Please pray for our parish family who are ill and/or homebound:

Laverne Backhus, Janet
Bienski, Ralph Cervantes,
Pat Davis, Don Dobiyanski,
Margaret & Praslin Fann,
John Faust, Dolores Holler,
Mae Dell Izard, John Koch,
Caroline Kolbasinski,
Helen Molitor, Kellyanne
Katkoski, Tammy Kitchen,
BiBean Loukins, France
Loukins, Mathew Oliver, Regan
Oliver, Henry Ostermann,
Ashley Paskett,
Charlie Pasket, Marcus Reaves,
Kenny Sechelski, Katie Smith,
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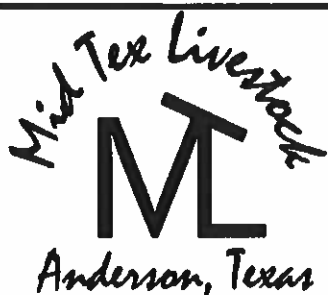
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