Pentecost Sunday June 5, 2022

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PARISH INFORMATION

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil

5:00 pm St. Ambrose

Sunday

8:00 am St. Ambrose 10:00 am St. Patrick 12:30 pm St Ambrose

Daily Masses

Tuesday: 5:30 pm St. Ambrose Wednesday: 7 am St. Ambrose Thursday: 5:30 pm St. Patrick Friday: 8:30 am St. Patrick

Holy Days

7:00 am St. Ambrose 6:00 pm St. Patrick

<u>Holy Hour</u> - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday: 4:30 - 5:30 pm St. Ambrose Friday 7:30 -8:30 am St. Patrick

RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 5-5:25 pm St Ambrose Saturday 4:00-4:45 pm St Ambrose Thursday 5:00-5:20 pm St Patrick Friday 8-8:25 am St Patrick Saturday 9:00-10:00 am St Patrick

<u>BAPTISM</u>

By appointment—Please call the Parish Office

MARRIAGE

Arrangements are to be made at Least 6 months before the wedding.

CATHOLIC CEMETERY

Calvary Cemetery is our local Catholic Cemetery 2901 12th St., Rock Island, IL 61201-5335 Please call them when making arrangements for loved one by contacting them at 309-788-6197 or visit their website www.calvarycemeteryri.com

Cursillo

Call the office for information and dates

TEC

Teens Encounter Christ Website: https://www.northwest-tec.com

SPEC

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St Ambrose Parish Information

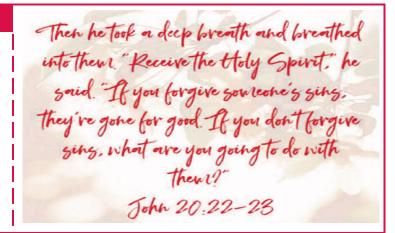
Weekly Contribution—FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022

Collection for May 29, 2022 Online Giving not included.

5,865.00
2,187.25
4,120.00
10.00
6,317.25



Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of Clifford McLaughin who passed away May 29th. May he Rest in Peace



BOTH PARISHES TAKE NOTE.....

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

Today we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the apostles on Pentecost Sunday. Each year this is a powerful occasion in which we're encouraged to beg the Holy Spirit to come down upon us and breathe new vigor into our Church.

If you weren't with us last weekend, I'd like to update you on the devotional practices I spoke about which I'd like to incorporate at St. Ambrose and St. Patrick. In response to the war in Ukraine, I was asked some time back about praying the Rosary together for world peace, as Our Blessed Mother asked us to do when she appeared in Fatima in 1917. Then, after the tragic events at the school in Uvalde, TX on May 24, I decided that, yes, we need to run to the arms of our Mother and implore her protection. Our world is broken in many ways. I don't know the answers, but I do know Mary is the closest person to Jesus and has promised to protect her children by covering them with her mantle and taking our prayers to her Son.

So I've decided to say the Rosary at the 8am and 12:30pm Masses at St. Ambrose and the 10am Mass at St. Patrick. The Rosary will begin 20 minutes prior to the start of the 10am and 12:30pm Masses. While I announced it would also be 20 minutes prior to the 8am Mass, it turns out there's still some discussion about when would be best for that service. Stay posted...

Additionally, I mentioned I would like to say the Memorare together as a community. This is a beautiful prayer to our Blessed Mother which speaks to the significance of placing our petitions beneath her throne. If you don't know the prayer, the text is found on the white cards placed in the book holders in each of the pews. After the final blessing of the 5pm, 8am, and 10am Masses, we'll say this prayer together before continuing with our recessional music. At the 12:30pm and daily Masses, I'm going to begin saying this prayer in place of the petitions. This will ensure the Mass isn't any longer, and we're still able to say the St. Michael the Archangel Prayer after Mass.

On another note, beginning June 11, I'll begin hearing confessions at St. Patrick on Saturday mornings from 9 -10am. For some time I've grappled with when I might be able to offer weekend confessions at St. Patrick. This seems to be the time that will work with my schedule, so we'll give it a try and see how it goes. If you want to go to confession, just come to the church on Saturday morning. If the door to the sacristy is open between 9 and 10am, I'll be in there waiting for you! It's a great feeling to join the Clean Souls Club! The only

stipulation is that if I happen to be gone on a Saturday, confessions will be canceled for that weekend. This won't be often and will be announced in advance.

May the Holy Spirit shower you with His Gifts this Pentecost!

Fr. Joe



St Patrick Parish Information

Weekly Contribution—FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022 Collection for May 29 not available due to schedule change.

**Online Giving totals are published once a month.

What a wonderful sacramental spring we have had! First, we had four St. Patrick children make their First Communion and most recently nine of our parish youth were Confirmed in the Holy Spirit.

It is upon these high notes that I announce my retirement as DRE for our St. Patrick parish. I have enjoyed my years volunteering in this position and genuinely believe that our Church and parish futures lie in the hands and hearts of our wonderful children.

Parents, please bring your children to Mass every week and model to them that sports, birthday parties, and other commitments come second to their relationship with Jesus. I am deeply concerned that this is becoming an increasingly critical issue.

We are now in a time of restructuring how we serve our parish children, and our future program will be totally dependent upon parental response and level of commitment. Grandparents, this might be a time to prayerfully have a multigenerational conversation and recommitment to our children.

Parish members, please pray for us as our future unfolds.

~Pat Downey



Thank you Pat for all your hard work and dedication to the religious education program. Your expertise will certainly be missed. May God bless

you always!

Both Parishes Take Note



Congratulations on the Baptisms of Margo Johnson and Dean Quinn May God Bless them in their faith journey!

SAVE THE DATE: The annual St Pat's Ice Cream Social is scheduled for Sun, July 17. More information will be coming soon. We will need all the help we can get this year, as a couple of the key ice cream makers will be gone that weekend. However, we do have four brand new freezers to break in (St Pat's now has a total



of six ice cream freezers). All proceeds from this years' event will go into the Parking Lot Fund.



The St. Pius X FLEA MARKET returns this June! We will have all kinds of treasures for ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH sale. Early bird sale is Wed, June 15, 4:00-7:00pm; sale continues Thur, June 16,

8:00am-5:00pm and Fri, June 17, 8:00am-noon. Shop early for great bargains! Sale takes place in Farrell Hall, 2901 24th St., Rock Island. For more information, please call Coletta, 309-786-7661

BOTH PARISHES TAKE NOTE



St. Ambrose and St. Patrick parishes congratulate all the young men and women who graduated from various junior highs, high schools, and post-

secondary schools in our area. We assure you of our prayers as you move forward to the next stage on your life journey, seeking to remain always with the Lord. We especially congratulate the 8th graders who graduated from Jordan Catholic School last week: Chloe Lambert, Jack Rogers, and Alixandra Thorpe from St. Ambrose and Benjamin DeMarlie from St. Patrick. Of particular note Chloe was baptized and entered the Catholic Church this past Easter, largely through the influence of her time at Jordan Catholic School. Alix was the recipient of the Jordan Catholic School-School Spirit Award, while Ben was the recipient of the Jordan History Award and the Al & Pat Kukla Scholarship. Congratulations to all of our graduates!

> Volunteer are still needed for the John Deere Classic June 29-July 3



Help raise funds for the

Milan Christian Assistance Fund.

The John Deere Classic will give the MCAF a donation for staffing the handicapped parking lot. For just

3-3 1/2 hours of your time receive Free admission, Free round of golf, and Free parking.

Shifts are: 7:00am-10:30am, 10:30am-2:00pm, and 2:00pm - 5:00pm. Drinks will be provided, along with lunch for second shift workers. Please call Kathy Wynn to select a time slot 309-787-2372. She will give you additional information on registration. In 2021, the MCAF was given \$1,835

Need a Spiritual Up-grade? It's NOT too late! Up-coming Men's & Women's Cursillo Weekends might be what you're looking for!



Men's Weekend: June 9-12

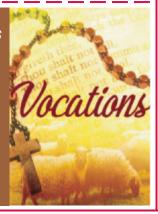
Women's Weekend: July 7-10

Please call your parish office for more information or You can go to nwcursillo.org/application to fill out a request for reservation.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS

> 6:30 PM WED JUNE 8TH AT ST PATRICK'S

Will include brief reflection, Rosary, time for silent prayer, Litany for Vocations & Eucharistic Benediction



Mass Intentions

MON. 06/06 - Monday The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church No Mass

TUES. 06/07 - Weekday

5:30 pm St Ambrose +St Ambrose Memorial Association

WED. 06/08 - Wednesday Weekday

7:00 am St Ambrose + Margaret Wadsworth

THUR. 06/09 - Thursday Weekday

5:30 pm St Pat's +Veneta DeKeyrel

FRI. 06/10 - Friday Weekday

8:30 am St Pat's +Steve Bush

SAT. 06/11 - Vigil - The Most Holy Trinity

5:00 pm St Ambrose +Kenneth Bush

SUN. 06/12 - The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 am St Ambrose +Jim Widdop

10:00 am St Pat's +Marilyn Hessman, Mike McManus 12:30 pm St Ambrose People of Our Parishes

Readings for the week of June 5, 2022

Sun: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or JI 3:1-5/ Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/JI 3:1-5/ Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: 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

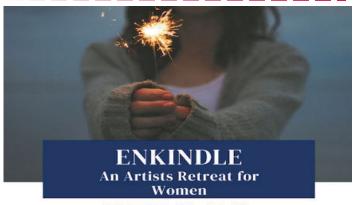
Mon: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 6, 6-7/Jn 19:25-

Tues: 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 5:13-16

Wed: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19

Thur: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26

Fri: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Mt 5:27-32 Sat: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mt 5:33-37 Next Sun: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15



JUNE 24-26, 2022 ST. MATTHEW PARISH, CHAMPAIGN

Calling all women artists, ages 22-40, in the Diocese of Peoria.

Join us for a weekend of enkindling our artistic gifts.

We will:

- Explore the value of rest, vulnerability, and evangelization in the artistic life through a series of talks.
- Engage in a community potluck where you get to share your artistic gifts with St. Matthew parish.
- Build community among women artists in the diocese.
- Take time to delight in God and his gifts through prayer, time in nature, and rest.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For conference schedule, questions, or an application for this retreat, email Lindsey Weishar at Iweisharwriting@gmail.com

CONFERENCE DETAILS

Even if you're not a young woman artist, there are ways to be involved in this retreat. Email lweisharwriting@gmail.com for more details

St Ambrose Prayer List

Prayer List Our Parishioners Janet Bell Pat Brandt JoAnn Catlin Robert & Mary Deschepper

Rita Elliott Shirley Elliott Michelle Elsbury Catherine Jochim Ruby Knight Barbara Laughlin Heather Munday Dick & Mary Myers Jerry Newberry Barb Nowack Julie Rodts

David Vasquez

David Watkins Jerry Wilcox Special Intention

Prayer List Other requests

Brice Boemecke Pat Goodwin Bernie Gorman Nancy Harlow Karen Ickes Darla Krapp Marilyn Scott Lehan Blaine Lofgren Dory Manning Dana McNeal **Bruce Myers**

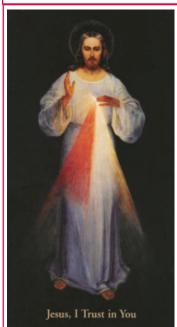
Kelley Salas Eva Salcido Rosa Santos Ronald Sedam Marie Stabler Mary Sweezy Andrew Voss Richard Weihler Thomas Weihler Harold White Tom Zambrano Jr. Special Intention Sr. M Michael Pam

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Joseph Ernat Thomas Fratzke Tristan Hawkins Collin Solorzano Hunter Stineman
All Military Personnel

St. Patrick Prayer List

Bill Allen; John Bald; Dorothy Barber; Dorothy Begyn; Albert Bermel; John Bivens; Linda Bopes; Dan Bosold; Travis Brown; Scott Brown; Jodi Chaput; Sue Charles; Maria Coronado; Ed Cox; Pat Curry; Arlene Daufeldt; Roger De-Backer; William Diez; Clark Downey; Charly Erpeiding; Bill & Karen Everingham; Steve Faith; Jon Fisher; Lisa Fore; Susan Francis; Darlene Fuhr; Luke Golden; Dan Hall; George Hall; Randy Hall; Tom Hamerlinck; Mary Hammen; Gary Hancq, Sr; Elwood Hill; Tom Huntley; Debra Jasper; Colton Jessen; Cathy Johnson; Craig Johnston; Cassie Kehl; DeeDee Kennedy; Blaine Kernan; Tom Kilcoin; Doris Kilkenny; George & Carole Korns; Myrthe; Tony Macioce; Linda MacKay; Peggy Madar; Julie Martin; Fred Martinez; Jonah Maynard; Scott Maynard; Jim & Pat McManus; MaryAnn McManus; Randy McIntyre; Isaac Moel; Adrienne Moore; Jim Morgan; Jim Mudd; Beverly Myers; Jon Nation; Pat Nimrick; Amy Nguyen; Therese Oldani; Jennifer O'Neil; Patrick Patton; Mandi Perkins; David Preston; Nancy Preston; Scott Reid; Shayleen Rienie; Jim Rosmann; Bev Samberg; Mark Schaecher; Marlee Schaecher; Betty Schmidt; Brian Schmidt; Keith Schmidt; Sharon Schultz; Ava Scott; Kash Smith; Sandy Soltan; Gavin Springsteen; Jeff Stroud; Amy Studer; Gary Suding; Heather Tahja; Tony Thorpe; Sonia Titus; Maxine Uhlmeyer; Ann Weeks; Ron Weilen; Anna Yates; Special Intentions; A Safe & Healthy Pregnancy with **Healthy Babies**



It is no easy thing to bear sufferings joyfully, especially those which are unmerited. Fallen nature rebels, and although the intellect and will are above suffering, because they are able to do good to those who inflict suffering on them, nevertheless the emotions raise a lot of noise and, like restless spirits, attack the intellect and will. But when they see they cannot do anything by themselves, they quiet down and submit to the intellect and will. Like some kind of hideousness, they rush in and stir up a row, bent on making one obey them alone so long as they are not curbed by the intellect and will.

Diary of St. Maria Faustina Kowalska, #1152

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