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June 2, 2019



St. Columbkille's Holy Name Society
& Altar Society Presents

A date night for married or engaged couples

Saying "I Do" in a "Maybe I Do" World

An entertaining look at the seven stages of marriage
with *Lydia LoCoco, D.Min*

Thursday, June 6

St. Columbkille Church, W10802 County TT, Columbus
Mass at 6:00 p.m. | Program at 6:45 p.m. with Pork Loin Dinner Following

No cost, no need to RSVP | Come as a couple and invite your friends!
We will provide a meal with babysitting and a movie for your children.
Any question, contact Jeff Gaska at 920-210-6387.



Lydia LoCoco is in her twelfth year of working for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee, providing strategic leadership in areas related to core values, ethics, Catholic identity and spiritual formation. She currently serves as Managing Director of Administration and Ministry at St. Jemima Parish in Oconomowoc. Previously, she served as director of the Nazareth Project for Marriage and Family Formation and as host of Relevant Radio's The Lydia LoCoco Show. Lydia LoCoco holds a BA and Masters in Theology from the University of Dallas, and a Doctor of Ministry degree from Mundelein Seminary in the Archdiocese of Chicago. Lydia and Frank LoCoco are the parents of eight children. Their son Fr. John LoCoco will begin ministry in Fond du Lac as Associate Pastor of Holy Family this summer. They are blessed to be waiting for the birth of a tenth grandchild this fall.

Love God, Love Others, Make Disciples

MASS SCHEDULE

Mondays	8:20 am - St. Katharine Drexel
Tuesday	8:00 am - St. John the Baptist
Wednesdays	5:30 pm - Holy Family
Thursdays	*6:00 pm - St. Columbkille
Fridays	8:20 am - St. Katharine Drexel
Saturdays	4:30 pm - St. Katharine Drexel 6:00 pm - St. Columbkille
Sundays	8:00 am - Holy Family 10:00 am - St. John the Baptist

Reconciliation: Currently available by request, Thursday evenings during 6 pm Adoration hour at St. Columbkille or 9:30 am Saturday mornings at St. Katherine Drexel Church.

Sacrament of the Sick: Given privately upon request. For pastoral emergencies you may contact Fr. Mike Erwin at (262) 206-6987.

Baptism: Active parishioners should call the Tri-Parish Center to arrange a date/time. First time parents who are active parishioners need to attend a "Pre-Baptism" conference.

This conference can take place even before the child is born. **Marriage:** Active parishioners are to contact Fr. Mike Erwin at his Beaver Dam Office at least 6 months prior to the anticipated date of the wedding. Couples must attend an Enrichment Day for the Engaged, and submit to a Pre-Marital Inventory.

St Vincent DePaul Society: Those in need may contact the SVDP by calling the Tri-Parish Center at any time and leaving a message.

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Gospel Reflections... Ascension of the Lord

It is the moment in which Jesus returned to heaven with his Father, after having fulfilled his mission on earth! In the Gospel of St. Luke, 24:50-53, it's told how, after giving the last instructions to the Apostles, Jesus took them near Bethany and while blessing them, raising his hands, he ascended to Heaven. The Apostles saw him go away until he disappeared into a cloud.

With his Ascension into heaven, Jesus opens the doors for us to follow Him. The Ascension is for all Christians a symbol of hope because we know that Christ is sitting at the right hand of the Father, interceding for us and that one day, we will be with him to enjoy eternal happiness. For this, we celebrate the feast with a solemn Mass. During the celebration of the Mass, there may be a solemn procession with incense. The crucifix is decorated with white lights and flowers are carried.

What does the Ascension teach us? We must strive to be perfect and good so we can go to heaven with Jesus. Living among us, he carried out his mission - teaching with his words and setting the perfect example for us. His mission did not end with death, but continued with his Resurrection and his Ascension.

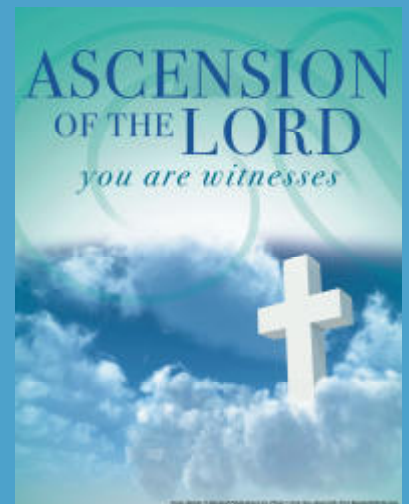
With the Ascension, Jesus reached the final goal and is exalted; He becomes Lord and firstborn of his brothers. The fullness is only reached at the end and is a gift from God.

Jesus has ascended to heaven and awaits us. We must work to fulfill our mission on earth. You have to live like Him, love like Him and seek the Kingdom of God.

We must proclaim the Gospel in our words and our lives.

From: Catholic.net

Fr. Erick Cassiano



TRI PARISHES NEWS

1. This Tuesday, June 4th, our **Combined Parishes Pastoral Councils** will meet at 7:15 pm in the Holy Family Church basement. All are welcome to participate in the conversation!
2. **Tri-Parishes Prayer Circle** meets on Monday, June 10th, in the Tri Parishes Center. We pray the rosary at 7 pm followed by our meeting at 7:30. New members are always welcome to come.
3. June 23rd, 10:30 am will be our **Annual Tri Parishes Outdoor Mass & Potluck dinner** at the Lowell VFW. Bring a lawn chair and a dish to pass. Meat will be provided by the Knights of Columbus. Spread the word and invite your family and friends to join us.

ST. COLUMBKILLE NEWS

The **Altar Society** meets this Wednesday evening, June 5th, 7 pm in the church basement.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

If you haven't already picked up a **Baby Bottle** for our fundraiser supporting the Pregnancy Support Center of Dodge County, please do so today. Return the bottle filled with your coins, cash or check to any of the Knights of Columbus at your parish.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

1. Our next **Youth Group** Meeting will be in the REC (Parish Center Basement) on June 5th at 6pm. Open to all 6th-12th graders, we'll see you there! ****Please Note our Summer meeting day is now Wednesday**** Camping: June 19th-21st. Meeting - Wednesday July 3rd @ 6pm, and Wednesday July 17th @ 6pm. Rides available, contact John Pryme or the Tri Parishes office. We would like to start a shuttle from the Tri Parishes Center. Let us know if you're interested.
2. **Adult Scripture Study** is available Tuesday mornings immediately following the 8 am Mass at SJB and the 2nd/4th Wednesdays of each month, 6:30 pm at St. Columbkille Church.

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 3, 2019

St. Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs
8:20 am at St. Katharine Drexel

Tuesday, June 4, 2019

8:00 am at St. John the Baptist

For: †Jerome Haase

By: Doris Hoefl

Wednesday, June 5, 2019

St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr

5:30 pm at Holy Family

For: Open Intention

Thursday, June 6, 2019

St. Norbert, Bishop

*6:00 pm at St. Columbkille

For: L/D members of the SC Altar Society

By: St. Columbkille Altar Society

Friday, June 7, 2019

8:20 am at SKD

Saturday, June 8, 2019

6:00 pm at St. Columbkille

For: †Gary Wolski

By: Joe & Marie Roche

Sunday, June 9, 2019

Pentecost Sunday

8:00 am at Holy Family

For: Pro Populo

10:00 am at St. John the Baptist

For: L/D members of SJB Christian Mothers

By: St. John the Baptist Christian Mothers



Congratulations

Tri - Parishes Graduates!

God's Word

Readings for the Week

June 2, 2019

Sunday: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/
Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk
24:46-53

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-
7ab [33a]/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21
[33a]/Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-
35a, 35bc-36ab [33a]/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and
5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-
20ab [19a]/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps
11:4, 5 and 7 [cf. 7b]/Jn 21:20-25

Next Sunday: Vigil: 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 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-
39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31,
34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-
17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

Liturgical Roles 6/9/2019

	St. Columbkille 6 pm Saturday	St. John the Baptist 10 am Sunday	Holy Family 8 am Sunday
Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Dani Casperson & Volunteer
Readers	Deb Merfeld	Gloria Schuett	Mary Goldbach
Ushers	Tom Mannlein & Dan Groh	T. Weisensel & David Gratton	Bob Depover & Volunteer
Greeters	Jerry Gaska & Lois Schneider	Ushers	Steve & Connie Caine
Money Counters	Steve & Shelly Rhode	David & Eileen Gratton	Marlene Christian & Mary Simon
Church Cleaners	LuAnn Rake & Elaine Parpart	-	-

Contributions 5/26/2019

	St. Columbkille 6 pm Saturday	St. John the Baptist 10 am Sunday	Holy Family 8 am Sunday
Envelopes	\$ 375.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 465.00
Offertory	\$ 127.00	\$ 96.00	\$ 103.00
Donations	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ -
Building Fund	\$ -	\$ 185.00	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 502.00	\$ 1081.00	\$ 568.00

Please remember your parish in your will

The **Combined Collections: The Church in the United States** will be held next week, June 8-9, 2019, supporting five causes important to Catholics throughout the country: 1. Black & Indian Mission: funds projects which help communities here in SE WI.; 2. Catholic Campaign for Human Development: Assists low income people build better lives for themselves & their families; 3. Catholic Communication Campaign: Provides for local & national communication needs, including weekly radio broadcast of the Sunday Mass from the Cathedral in Milw.; 4. Catholic University of America: Educates students in a spirit of faith; and 5. Retirement Fund for Religious: Ensures adequate retirement funding for elderly religious throughout the county. The collection offers a wonderful opportunity to support hands-on efforts to help people in need. Please give generously... your gift does make a difference!

Milwaukee Retrouvaille: Helping Couples Connect. Retrouvaille has helped tens of thousands of couples experiencing marital difficulty. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend retreat in the Milwaukee area at the Redemptorist Retreat Center in Oconomowoc; June 28-30th, Please call (414) 502-7685m email: Milwaukee@helpourmarriage.org or visit our website at: <http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com>

Reflection for the Week

When he had said this, as they were looking on,
he was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight. (Acts 1:9)



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