

#### Readings for the week of May 16, 2021

Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/ Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20 Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:15-17,20a, 20c-26/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 [19a]/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19 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 [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

Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 52, 53, 55, 56 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7,8-9/JI 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 Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

# Saint Henry

May 16, 2021 7th Sunday of Easter, Year B

# Gospel Reflection

God remains where love remains. When a believer realizes without doubt that God is love, it is a powerful moment. Being able to place our resurrection trust in this fundamental truth allows us to experience God's presence in all of our experiences: the good and the bad, positive and negative, life enriching and destructive events we encounter. It is no wonder that St. Paul so accurately tells us that it is love that endures all things and lasts. How can God not endure or ever fade away? Because he is God, Jesus also guarded and protected his disciples as the endearing shepherd who always had their best interest at heart.

If we become too immersed in the world, we lose touch with these deeper realities. We can become so preoccupied with preserving what we have created or think that we need, forgetting that it is not building our city that really matters, but God's. Jesus clearly did not belong to the world and, by virtue of his resurrection, he tries to get us to understand that we do not either. The truth brings us to other worldly. more divine places and takes our eyes off of the concerns that often captivate our fears and storm our senses.

Life can easily erode our faith. Think of your life over the last couple of weeks. What challenged your faith and distracted your divine glance? Even being overly stimulated with technology and social media can erode our sense of confidence and cause us to forget who we really are. We need to distance ourselves from the world in order to experience the joy that Christ offers. The world will never like the word of God. It is too challenging and too perplexing. The world mistakenly believes that it can survive on its own. It is a mistaken judgment that may cost people a lot in the end. It is all so very simple: God remains when we love one another. If in all the business of our lives and all that each day brings. the good and the bad, we follow the call and path of love, we will walk with God. There is nothing to fear and anxiety finds no home. ©LPi

# This Week at Saint Henry

# Sunday, May 16 The Ascension of the Lord 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Rosary

8:30 AM Mass—George & Jeanne Florek \*

10:30 AM Mass— Doug Faust +

Baccalaureate Mass & Reception

1:00 PM Mass—St. Henry Parishioners

#### Monday, May 17

6:30 PM Boy Scouts (SH) 7:00 PM CCW Meeting (FS)

#### Tuesday, May 18

Saint John I, Pope and Martyr
5:15 PM Reconciliation
6:30 PM Mass—CCW
7:15 PM Parish Council (SH)

#### Wednesday, May 19

8:15 AM Mass—Roman Svobada +

#### Thursday, May 20

Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest

8:15 AM Mass—Freeman Mahoney † 7:00 PM Iron to Iron (SH/Gardens)

#### Friday, May 21

Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

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8:15 AM Mass-Upper Room Participants and

Prayer Team

9:00 AM Reconciliation 6:30 PM YM Book Club (SH)

7:00 PM Spanish Prayer (WS)
7:00 PM FYSHbowl (SH/FYSH/G)

#### Saturday, May 22

Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious

#### 4:25 Rosary

9AM-4PM Upper Room Retreat (WS/CH/FS/GS/

K/CL)

3:45 PM Reconciliation

5:00 PM Mass—Dorothy Ann Gay †
6:00 Pm Altar Server Training (WS)

### Sunday, May 23 Pentecost Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Rosary

8:30 AM Mass—Barrie Dalbec †
10:30 AM Mass—Frances Walz †

1:00 PM Mass—St. Henry Parishioners

WS = Worship Space CH = Chapel SH = Social Hall FS = Fireside Room FYSH = Room 23 CL #(2-22) = Classrooms G = Gym

N = Nursery G = Gym GS = Gathering Space K = Kitchen

MR = Music Room MCR = Money Ctr. Room

#### Synod Prayer—Year of St. Joseph

Heavenly Father, who gave St. Joseph to Jesus and Mary as protector and guide, grant that our Archdiocesan Synod, under his protection and guidance, may help us discern your direction for our Church. May we listen as he listened, trust as he trusted, obey as he obeyed, receive as he received, love as he loved, and share in his life of devotion to Jesus and Mary. Amen. St. Joseph, pray for us.

# Anuncios En Español

Misa en Español Los Domingos a la 1:00 PM

#### Grupo de Oracion

Se Reune en la Iglesia. Viernes, 7-9 PM

#### Colecta de comida

El primer Domingo de cada mess se colecta comida para el almacén de Monticello. Favor de traer productos perecederos.

#### **Confesiones**

Cada Martes a las 5:15-6:15 PM, Viernes 9:00 AM, y los Sábados a las 3:45 PM-4:45 PM.

#### **Bautizos**

Hay que planear con tiempo. Contacte a Adriana para mas información al 763.807.0061.XV y Bodas contacte al Padre Barnes al 763.271.3073.

#### We pray for those in need and in the military

Pray for those in the military:

SrA Joe Fasen, Maj. Isaac Hedtke, PO3 Nicholas Bomersine, AFC Colin Scherber, LTJG Nicholis Relias

Pray for those in need:

Maddie Poranski



Jesus is the perfect steward – watching carefully over all who have been entrusted to Him by the Father and then sending them all out into the world in service. May I similarly protect and wisely

use the gifts entrusted to me!

### Financial Corner

<b>Sunday Offering</b> 2020-2021 Budget	\$940,000.00 \$ <b>732,131.00</b>
Building Maintenance Fund 2020 FY Collected as of 6/30/2020	
Balance (5/2/2021)	\$257,641.00
Debt Reduction (Mortgage) Balance as of April 12, 2021 Less:	\$2,238,825.52
Accelerated Payment (4/26/2021)	\$4,769.00
Balance May 2, 2021	\$2.233.756.52

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2021 Fiscal Year Debt Reduction Collected......\$65,862.00

# Community News

#### Ordination to the Priesthood

Archdiocesan and Pro Ecclesia Sancta seminarians completing Theology IV will be ordained to the Sacred Order of Priesthood. Social distance restrictions prohibit inviting the general public. Date: Sat., May 29th at 10am. Please join this joyous occasion via livestream on the Cathedral's website: <a href="https://www.cathedralsaintpaul.org/">https://www.cathedralsaintpaul.org/</a>. We pray for all the seminarians, especially Deacon James Bernard, who served at the Church of Saint Henry during his formation time, as they prepare for Ordination.

O God, Father of all Mercies, Provider of a bountiful Harvest, send Your Graces upon those You have called to gather the fruits of Your labor; preserve and strengthen them in their lifelong service of you.

Open the hearts of Your children that they may discern Your Holy Will; inspire in them a love and desire to surrender themselves to serving others in the name of Your son, Jesus Christ.

Teach all Your faithful to follow their respective paths in life guided by Your Divine Word and Truth.

Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, all the Angels, and Saints, humbly hear our prayers and grant Your Church's needs, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

# Question of the Week

Q:

What is the meaning of the letters that professed religious have after their names?

The Catholic Church includes hundreds of religious communities. The priests, religious brothers, religious sisters, and nuns of these communities (which are often referred to as "religious orders") are committed to particular spiritual traditions and often to a particular charism (such as teaching, healthcare, social work, or pastoral care).

To help identify a person as a member of a particular religious community, the custom developed of including post-nominal letters that provide a sort of shorthand for the name of the community that the priest, brother, sister or nun is part of. So, for example OSB after a person's name would indicate that they are a member of the Order of St. Benedict (the Benedictines), just as SJ would indicate that a priest or brother is a member of the Society of Jesus (the Jesuits) or RSM would show that a woman is a Sister of Mercy.

Other common examples include:

DC = Daughters of Charity

FSC = The Brothers of the Christian Schools/Christian Brothers

OCist = The Order of Cistercians

OCD = Order of Discalced Carmelites

OFM = The Order of Friars Minor (the Franciscans)

OFM Cap = The Capuchin Franciscans

OP = The Order of Preachers (Dominicans)

**OSF=Franciscan Sisters** 

SC = Sisters of Charity

SDS = Society of the Divine Savior (Salvatorian Priests and Brothers and Salvatorian Sisters)

SSND = School Sisters of Notre Dame

SVD = Society of the Divine Word (Divine Word Missionaries)

#### Statement of the MN Catholic Conference

The letter from the Bishops of Minnesota, dated April 20, 2021, on the Close of the Trial of Derek Chauvin, can be found on the Minnesota Catholic Conference website:. <a href="https://www.mncatholic.org/statement-of-the-minnesota-catholic-conference-at-the-close-of-the-trial-of-derek-chauvin/">https://www.mncatholic.org/statement-of-the-minnesota-catholic-conference-at-the-close-of-the-trial-of-derek-chauvin/</a>.

#### Catechetical Institute

The School of Discipleship taught by Jeff Cavins will be held at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church on Tuesday evenings from 7pm. - 8:30 pm, June 22 – Aug. 3, 2021. Participants have the option to join in person or via Livestream! Includes a 40-Day Discipleship Challenge and a follow-up Activated Disciple seminar with Dr. Mary Healy on September 25, 2021! The course, materials (The Activated Disciple book & The Activated Disciple 40-Day Challenge Journal, Bible Timeline Chart, Commitment Card, Kerygma Card), and seminar is \$125/person. Sign up with friends and get a discount at <a href="mailto:semssp.org/ci">semssp.org/ci</a>.

#### Grief to Grace Retreat

Still hurting from the trauma of sexual, emotional, physical, or spiritual abuse suffered during childhood, adolescence or as an adult? This five-day, overnight healing retreat offers therapeutic staff, self-compassion, and hope; and an opportunity to explore an intimate encounter with Christ. Dates: June 6-11, Location: Minneapolis (Confidential), Cost TBD. FMI contact: Deacon Marty Meyer, deaconmeyer@outlook.com or diane@grieftogracemn.org.

### CCW

#### Monthly Meeting

All women of the Parish are invited to the next Council of Catholic Women meeting on May 17th at 7:00pm in the fireside room.

### Safe Environment

Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis Safe Environment Adult Requirements: All clergy and parish, school and archdiocesan employees, as well as all volunteers who have either regular or unsupervised interaction with minors, must complete the **Essential 3 (E3)** requirements:

- Background Check
- · Code of Conduct
- Safe Environment Training

Victim's Assistance Program 651.291.4475

Dan Dupay

Church of Saint Henry Safe Environment Coordinator 763.271.3072

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# General Information

#### New Members Registration and Welcome

Please contact us if you would like to become a member of this vibrant parish. To learn more about the Church of Saint Henry, contact the Parish office at 763.295.2402. Please note that we will not have registrations after Masses at this time.

#### Pastoral Visit for the Sick

Call Father Barnes at 763.295.2402 to request a pastoral visit, Holy Communion, Reconciliation, or Anointing of the Sick, at home, at the hospital, or at another care facility, for you or for a loved one.

#### Parish Cemetery Information

Call 763.295.2402. Located West on Chelsea to 90<sup>th</sup> St. NE, 3630 90th St NE Monticello, MN. If you are ordering a stone for placement in the cemetery, please pick up a copy of the current monument and marker information from the parish office.

#### Lost and Found

Located near Our Mother's Cupboard at end of Admin. hallway.

#### Weekend Announcements

Weekend announcements are due no later than 8:00 AM on Thursday.

#### Bulletin Guidelines

- Bulletin items are due on Thursday by NOON, the week BEFORE you want the article placed. Space is limited
- Early Submission Dates for 2021 due by noon:

June 6th—Due May 26th Jul. 11th—Due Jun. 30th Sept. 12th—Due Sept. 1st Nov. 21st—Due Nov. 10th Nov. 28th-Due Nov. 16th

Dec. 12th—Due Dec. 1st Dec. 19th—Due Dec. 8th Dec. 26th-Due Dec. 14th Jan. 2nd—Due Dec. 17th

- Emails are the preferred submission method using info@sthenrycatholic.com but hard copies are also acceptable. Verbal submissions are strongly discouraged so as to avoid errors or omissions.
- Staff reserves the right to edit articles.
- All bulletin content is approved by Fr. Barnes. This includes bulletin inserts. Inserts must be received in the Parish Office by Wednesday for inclusion in that upcoming weekend's bulletin.

# Outreach Drop-Off Sites

#### Food Shelf Box

Located in the Administration hallway.

#### **Greeting Cards**

Box for Cards is located in the Parish Center cabinets (across from Parish Office.)

#### **Inkjet and Printer Cartridges**

Please place empty cartridges (small only) in the old cardboard packaging to prevent damage. Money from cartridge recycling supports Mission Outreach programs at Saint Henry.

#### Mission Statement

We are a Eucharistic Body of believers sent forth by the Holy Spirit on a shared journey of faith. We invite everyone to join together in worship and ministry to become active disciples of Jesus Christ through His Holy Catholic Church.

# Directory

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### Parish News

#### Upper Room Women's Retreat



Deadline today: Sunday, May 16th at 10:00pm, register online. Don't miss out on this opportunity and register today for the upcoming Women's Retreat led by Gina Bauer with the theme of the Outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Experience a beautiful encounter with God who loves you. There will be beautiful music, inspiring talks, opportunity for confession, and adoration. This retreat will be held at the Church of St. Henry's on Sat., May 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9AM –4PM, tickets are \$30 and includes a boxed lunch. Register: https://sthenrycatholic.weshareonline.org/ws/

opportunities/UpperRoom

#### Young Adult Group

Next event: "Fire, Fellowship and Marian Jeopardy". Enjoy a bonfire and s'mores to celebrate May as the month of Mary by playing as a team in a Marian-themed game of Jeopardy. The event takes place on Thursday, May 20th at 7:00pm behind the church. Iron to Iron is a young adult group (for those 18-39) based at the Church of St. Henry, aimed at building community and vitalizing faith.

#### Life Preservers Group



All are invited to Adoration on Monday evenings at 4pm in the chapel and the Pro-Life Rosary after the Tuesday 6:30PM Mass. Save the date: Quarterly Sunday Holy Hours at 4pm., August 8th and November 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### Mass Recording Volunteers

The Parish Office is looking for volunteers to help record Weekend Mass. In order to continue this ministry we are in need of more help. We would need you at Mass at least 15 minutes before it starts and for a short time after to complete the upload process. Masses are recorded via an iPhone. Training will be provided. We are hoping for at least a once a month commitment. Please email Lani if you would like to volunteer or have any questions lbrouwer@sthenrycatholic.com

#### Communications Ministry

The Communications Ministry is looking for some creative members who can help spread the good words and activities of our faith in action. This group uses a variety of ways to communicate newsworthy information, activities, and events to our parishioners. Meetings are once a month. If you are willing to share your skills in photography, writing, event reporting, graphic design and web developing, please e-mail Lbrouwer@sthenrycatholic.com

#### We have a Parish App!

To download: iPhone users text: ParishApp1 to 555888 Android users text: ParishApp2 to 555888. Things you will find on our app include: Prayers, Mass & Confession Times, Calendar, Contact info, Staff Bios. Bulletins. Daily readings. Online Giving etc. Enable "notifications" to receive notifications about parish news and ministries.

# Faith Formation

#### 2021-2022 Faith Formation

Online Registration is now open for the 2021-2022 Faith Formation year. Our Faith Formation program is designed to support parents, the primary catechists of their children. by offering Faith Formation Classes for children (PreK-8th) and Discipleship Groups for Teens (9th-12th) to help teach students about Christ and His Church as well as prepare them for the sacraments (First Communion—2nd grade, Confirmation starting in 9th grade)

Register by June 15th to take advantage of early pricing! FMI: Visit our website and online registration: https://www.sthenrycatholic.info/online-registration

#### Totus Tuus

We will be hosting the Totus Tuus program again this summer! This Summer program will be June 14<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> from 8:30AM-Noon ending with Mass each day at Noon, for 1st-6<sup>th</sup> grades. There will be a teen program June 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> from 6:45pm-9:00pm. This year they will be focusing on the life of Virtue and the Beatitudes. Online registration for Totus Tuus is open.

# Youth Ministry





EFC 2021



A HUGE thank you from our Fyshbowl Family for all of your generosity and support for Extreme Faith Camp (EFC) 2021! We have received even more donations since last week's bulletin update, so we wanted to share with you our updated fundraiser numbers:

100-Envelope fundraiser (as of 5/3/21): \$5,695 KC Breakfast fundraiser (April 2021): \$750 Faith Formation Soup Supper fundraiser (March 2021):

Leftover funds from 2019-2020 fundraisers: approx. \$3,961

#### TOTAL: \$11,144

We have also been able to open up more spots for camp, and now have a total of 30 youth attending EFC this summer! 100% of your donations goes towards their camp fees (\$495/camper or teen leader) as well as their bus transportation to/from camp. Thank you for all of your generosity and support! You are changing lives.

#### **Fyshbowl Bonfires**

Most Wednesdays, beginning June 2, 2021! Join us for Fyshbowl bonfires most Wednesdays this summer, 7-9pm. These nights are casual weekly

gatherings for Rising 6th gradegraduated seniors. Nights consist of a variety of sports and games, s'mores, Faith Q&A, and prayer. Just join us outside (near the garage). You are welcome to bring friends! Rain location: Social Hall.





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