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SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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[Jesus said to his disciples:] "The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." - Jn 14:26-27a



Saturday, May 21, 2022

4PM SPV: Anthony Sullivan

4PM HF: The Parishioners of our Collaborative

Sunday, May 22, 2022

7:30AM SPV: Rose Rezendez 9:00AM SPV: Lauren Casey

10AM HF: Virginia & Joseph D'Amico and Lee &

John Gallo

11:30AM SPV: Justin Michael DeBerardints

Wednesday, May 25, 2022

7AM: Sean Cusack

6:30PM HF: Ascension Vigil Mass

Thursday, May 26, 2022

7AM SPV: Ascension Mass 10AM SPV: Ascension Mass 7PM SPV: Ascension Mass

Saturday, May 28, 2022

4PM SPV: Janet Collins 4PM HF: Juan Gauna

Sunday, May 29, 2022

7:30AM SPV: Barbara Fallano

10AM HF: For the Parishioners of our Collaborative

11:30AM SPV: Will Porche

If you would like to request a Mass Intention, please, call 781-595-7487.



Please pray for those who have died recently. Especially: Joseph Anderson, Theresa Richard, and all those who have died from the war in Ukraine. Pray also for the sick and their caregivers, for those who struggle to make ends meet, for a greater respect for the gift of human life and for peace in the world.

Holy Day of Obligation Schedule

Wednesday, May 25, 2022 6:30PM at Holy Family Church

Thursday, May 26. 2022 7:00AM at St. Pius V Church

10:00AM at St. Pius V Church (School Mass All are Invited)

7:00PM at St. Pius V Church

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Host Catholic Collaborative Pastoral Center St. Pius V Church

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Masses at St. Pius V:

Saturday-4:00 PM

Sunday-7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:30 AM

Monday-Friday-7:00 AM Holy Day-as announced

Masses at Holy Family Parish:

Saturday-4:00 PM Sunday-10:00 AM

Holy Day-as announced

Confessions at St. Pius V and Holy Family:

Saturday- 3:00-3:30 PM. Any time by appointment

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Weekly Offertory Host Catholic Collaborative

We are most grateful to all our parishioners and visitors who support our collaborative.

It is wonderful to see people coming to Mass and worshipping as a faith community. It is through your support that we serve our faith community. We thank you.

As a reminder, the offertory basket will be located near the back of the church near the main entrance. Please leave your offertory gift in the basket as you enter church. Ushers will be there to assist you. There will NOT be a collection during the Preparation of the Gifts. You may also continue to make your offertory gifts through Online Giving or drop them off at or mail them to the Pastoral Center. Below is a summary of recent offertory and other donations:

May 9-15 (Masses May 7/8) St. Pius V Offertory: \$9832.00

St Pius V 2021 Grand Annual (through 5-15-22)

Paid Pledges: \$59,452.37

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!

Please also remember our St. Vincent DePaul Society and consider leaving a donation in one of the boxes as you leave the church. They serve those in need year round right here in our community. Thank you!!!

If you have any questions, please contact Mary Ellen Lepley at 781-595-7487 or e-mail at maryellenlepley@gmail.com.





The 2022 Catholic Appeal has officially begun here in our parish and across the Archdiocese. In addition to supporting the programs and operations of our parish, the Appeal also puts faith into action in our schools and in our broader communities. We invite you to prayerfully consider making a generous gift to this year's appeal. When our parish reaches its goal of \$39,932.82 in paid pledges, a portion of the additional funds received will be returned to us for use in our parish. To make a gift online scan the QR code or visit

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Thank you!



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MANAGEMENT ACCORDING TO THE APOSTLES

If you've ever worked in any kind of organization, for-profit or not-for-profit, I'm sure you have attended a conference or two. Whatever our expectations going in, I usually find these conferences expose me to communication and problem-solving styles that are different from my own, nudging me into a little unexpected self-discovery. And it's a great opportunity to meet new people and do something different.

Here's my idea for a leadership conference: The Management Style of the Apostles. Think about it, the only thing the Apostles had more abundantly than holiness was problems. Lots and lots of problems ... most of them of the human resources variety. It's no small feat, starting Christ's Church on earth. I wouldn't want to be project manager of that endeavor.

The Acts of the Apostles is, in some ways, a big book full of problems and ways to solve

them. It's a blueprint for tackling interpersonal issues in the manner of a true steward, who encounters every problem starting from the same place: What would my Master want?

It's a question we should be asking ourselves every time we, too, encounter a problem — especially problems relating to other people. What is the truth in this situation, and how would God have me communicate it? How could I handle this in a way that is worthy of the name of my Master?

In Acts, we see a lot of characteristics of everyday stewardship. We see the Apostles mindfully acknowledge the lack of peace that is posed by problems like false teachings, this Gospel's problem du jour. They prayerfully confront the obstacles to salvation posed by these issues. Always, always, always, their main objective is to reveal the will of God, remaining committed to the truth while helping newcomers find avenues to salvation.

Maybe I'm just saying it because it's my idea but it sounds like a conference we could all use

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

I CAN'T EXPLAIN IT. I FEEL A NUDGE FROM GOD TO SOMETHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY. HOW DO I RESPOND?

You're in good company!
Abraham was asked to leave all he knew and loved for a strange land, with only abstract divine assurance that such a sacrifice would be worth it. Plenty of prophets protested against God's call, whether it was claiming they were too young (Jeremiah) or running away entirely, only to end up in a whale's belly (Jonah). St. Joseph was asked to do



something very strange. He was asked to believe — on the word of an angelic appearance in a dream — that his betrothed was pregnant not from another man, but by a miraculous intervention of God. Then he was called to marry her.

Author Flannery O'Connor once wrote, "You shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you odd." Sometimes God's invitation might seem strange or challenging. It might require sacrifices we never expected to make. Our life might look different than we had always imagined. But as we all know, life throws its own curveballs, regardless of whether or not we're listening for God's will. Better, one would think, to be open to the promptings of God and to follow along the strange trails that they lead. We have the assurance that, eventually, we will find green pastures.

HOST CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM

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Faith Formation Updates

NOW IS THE TIME TO REGISTER!

We are looking for families to register TODAY. This will allow us to better prepare for the upcoming year to know the number of volunteers needed and materials. So please visit our website <a href="https://www.needed.no.go.no.go.needed.no.go.needed.no.go.needed.no.go.needed.no.go.needed.no.go.needed.no.

Congratulations

Congratulations to all of our Confirmation candidates who received the Gifts of the Holy Spirit this past Friday. Congratulations to all of our First Holy Communion children who received Jesus for the first time in the Eucharist.

Catechists Volunteers Needed for the 2022-2023 Year

Do you want to share Our Catholic Faith with the children and families of our parishes?

Then sign up to volunteer in our program.

We need help with hall monitors, assistants, and small group leaders.

We have a particular need for volunteers in our upper levels that being grades six through Confirmation which are not weekly programs. So, there is some flexibility.

All materials and trainings are provided.

In addition, all volunteers MUST complete a year CORI (background check), receive a copy of the Code of Conduct, and complete VIRTUS training (once). A meeting would be set up with the Director of Religious Education to see what your gifts and talents are and interest.

Contact Mr. Andrew Genovese at andrewgenovese3@gmail.com

Kids Corner

READ THE GOSPEL &



Jesus said when you love me, you will obey me. Then I will come to live in you. My Father will come to live in you, too. Look in the mirror, the twinkle in your eye and the smile on your lips shows that God is within you right now. The commandments are easier to obey when God is with you. Show God you love him by cleaning up your room.

PRAYER

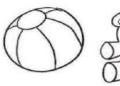
Lord, while you are with me I will do kind things for others.

MISSION FOR THE WEEK

I will pick up three pieces of trash near our house today.

Puzzle

Which one does not belong?













The light bulb is not a toy

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MAY 22, 2022

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SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2022 8:30 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M. **TSONGAS CENTER AT UMASS LOWELL**



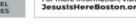








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Enroll Now for the 2022-2023 School Year! For Further Information please call 781-593-8292 or email cfrederick@stpiusvschool.org

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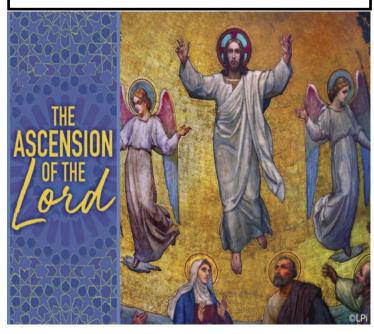
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Former Students, Colleagues and School Families...Please join us as the parish honors Mr. Paul D. Maestranzi as he prepares to retire after 22 years as principal of St. Pius V School. The 4pm Mass at St. Pius V Church on Saturday, June 4 will be in honor of Mr. Maestranzi and his service to the stu-

dents and families of the school, as well as, the Host Catholic Collaborative parish community. Immediately following Mass, an informal reception with light refreshments will be held in the Lower Church Hall. Feel free to stop by and wish Mr. Maestranzi well.





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