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SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



[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

GATHERING SONG

GLORY AND PRAISE TO OUR GOD



Glo - ry and praise to our God, who a - lone gives light to our days.



Man - y are the bless - ings he bears to those who trust in his



ways.

1. We, the daughters and sons of him who built the valleys and plains, praise the wonders our God has done in ev'ry heart that sings.

2. In his wisdom he strengthens us, like gold that's tested in fire. Though the power of sin prevails, our God is there to save.

3. Ev'ry moment of ev'ry day our God is waiting to save, always ready to seek the lost, to answer those who pray.

PSALM RESPONSE



R. O God, let all the na - tions praise you!

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

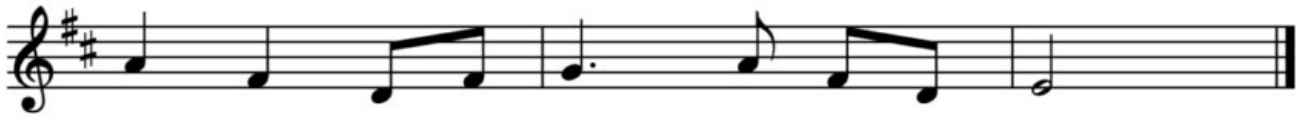
LOVE GOES ON



1. Love is pa - tient, love is kind, nev - er
2. Love is faith - ful, love is true, ev - er
3. Love a - lone has shaped our soul, and our
4. Love our jour - ney, love our goal. Though our
5. Love, our Sav - ior's one com - mand: "Love the
6. There are three gifts that re - main when all



1. end - ing, nev - er end - ing; slow to an - ger, rich in
2. joy - ful and for - giv - ing; love en - dures when life is
3. hearts are al - ways rest - less un - til love be - comes our
4. faith may move the moun - tains, love a - lone can heal the
5. way that I have loved you," with a tow - el and a
6. oth - er things have per - ished. On - ly faith, hope, love en -



1. mer - cy, love goes on be - yond all time.
2. o - ver, love is old and love is new.
3. pur - pose, new cre - a - tion to un - fold.
4. bro - ken; on - ly love will make us whole.
5. ba - sin, wash - ing feet with ser - vant hands.
6. dur - ing, and the great - est gift is love.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

LITANY OF PEACE



- Verses
1. God of love, your gift of peace is plant - ed
 2. God of peace, wher - ev - er there is ha - tred,
 3. May we bring your hope and glad - ness where de -
 4. May we seek to un - der - stand an - oth - er
 5. Faith - ful God, wher - ev - er there is dark - ness,
 6. God of mer - cy, help us to for - give when
 7. Gra - cious God, when - ev - er peo - ple hun - ger,
 8. Set us free from all our fear and an - ger;



- Refrain
1. deep with - in our hearts: Make me an in - stru - ment
 2. may we bring your love:
 3. spair and sad - ness are:
 4. with a pa - tient heart:
 5. may we bring your light:
 6. there is in - jury done:
 7. may we fill their need:
 8. set us free to love:



of your peace. Make me an in - stru - ment of your peace.

CLOSING SONG

CELTIC ALLELUIA: SENDING FORTH



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



**Mass Intentions
for the week**

Mon May 23	8:00 am	Sally Haddad Request of St Basil the Great Choir
Tue May 24	8:00 am	John V. Gianni Request of Family
Sat May 28	4:00 pm	Richard Simpson
Sun May 29	9:30 am	Sandy Marino Request of Family

Mass Schedule

<p>St. Basil the Great Church, Wolcott Confessions 3:00 – 3:30 PM 4:00 PM Vigil Mass – Saturday 9:30 AM Mass – Sunday 8:00 AM – Monday & Tuesday</p>
<p>St. Leo the Great Church, Waterbury Confessions 3:00 – 3:30 PM 4:00 PM Vigil Mass – Saturday 11:00 AM Mass – Sunday 8:00 AM - Wednesday and Thursday</p>
<p>SS. Peter & Paul Church, Waterbury 8:00 AM Mass – Sunday</p>



We keep in our prayers the following parishioners, as well as those who are homebound, in the hospital and care facilities. May God bless them with His love and keep them safe in His care.

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| Dee Baldwin | Joan O'Brien |
| Ellen Barrett | Louise Olmstead |
| Marcel Beaudoin | Mary Ellen Perrilli |
| Annie Blacker | Jeanne Perrier |
| Cathy Girouard | Paul Pitcher |
| Eleanor Hart | Jeffrey Roche |
| Heather Hogaboom | Janice Rosselot |
| Luca Johnson | Stanley Samuolis |
| Janet Lawlor | Sister Ann Stango |
| Doris Maglio | Paul Theroux |
| Damon Marz | Priscilla Vaillancourt |
| Fran Masi | John Varanelli |

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MON May 23
Rosary after 8 a.m. Mass

TUE May 24
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
after 8 a.m. Mass

OFFICE HOURS
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Friday 9:00 am - 1:30 pm
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Week of May 15

Weekly Collection \$4,449.23



Thank you for your joyful giving!



Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



The Feast of the Ascension of the Lord

On Thursday, May 26, we celebrate the Ascension of Jesus, forty days after His Resurrection. On this day, we hear the instructions that Jesus gave to His disciples before He was taken up into Heaven. He told them to preach repentance for the forgiveness of sins and to become His witnesses. Ten days later, at Pentecost, they would receive the power of the Holy Spirit to boldly proclaim the Good News of Christ's redeeming love and saving grace!

Ascension Thursday May 26th Mass Schedule

Ascension Thursday is a Holy Day of Obligation

St. Basil the Great 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

St Leo the Great 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.



Religious Education Classes are now completed for all grade levels and we are preparing for the upcoming 2022/2023 Faith Formation year. Registrations will be sent to all returning student by the end of June.

Please contact the office if you have any questions or wish to register a new student. We look forward to another year of learning about Jesus and growing in faith! Phone: 203-879-9030 Email: faithformation@st-basilparsih.org



Second Collection Next Weekend

Next weekend 5/28 - 5/29 our special collection supports the Catholic communications Campaign. This campaign engages and builds Catholic communities in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Archdiocese of Hartford to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message. For more info visit: www.usccb.org/ccc.



Why do we say, "Peace be with you" to each other?

After his resurrection, Jesus entered a room full of frightened disciples who had been in hiding since his crucifixion and said, "Peace be with you (John 20:19)." These words were not a greeting, like saying good morning or good afternoon. His words were a profound prayer and expression of hope. Through these words Jesus was praying that the disciples would find peace. They were words of assurance that he would be with them in the future. They were a source of tremendous strength for the anxious disciples.

Jesus says, "Peace be with you" to us too. As they were for the disciples, his words are a prayer for us, his sometimes panicky disciples, to be at peace with the assurance that he is with us. His words also beckon us to do more than simply greet each other with hello or how are you. Like Jesus, we are called to say "Peace be with you" to others as a prayer, as a declaration of our hope that the other person knows the presence of God in his or her life.

SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:

'It is the decision of the Holy Spirit and of us not to place on you any burden beyond these necessities.' (Acts 15:28)

PSALM:

O God, let all the nations praise you! (Ps 67)
Or Alleluia.

SECOND READING:

The angel took me in spirit to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God. (Rev 21:10)

GOSPEL:

"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." (Jn 14:26)

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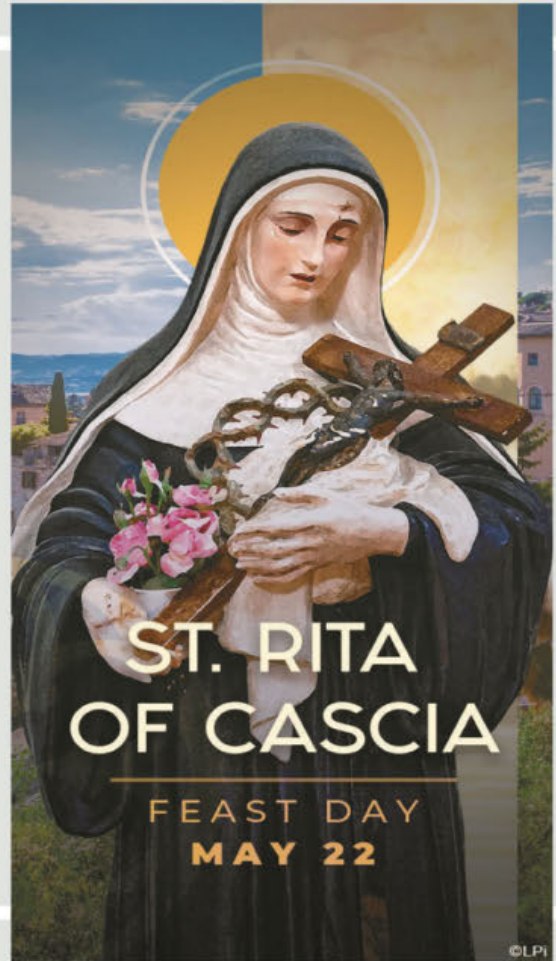
OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 22, 2022

- Sunday: 6th Sunday of Easter; St. Rita of Cascia, Religious
Wednesday: St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church;
St. Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin
Thursday: St. Philip Neri, Priest
Friday: St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop
Next Sunday: 7th Sunday of Easter; The Ascension of the Lord;
St. Paul VI, Pope; World Communications Day



May is the Month of the Blessed Virgin Mary

In honor of the Virgin Mary we will have a special evening of prayer and music with the recitation of the rosary on Tuesday evening, **May 31st in the Church beginning at 7 p.m.** All are welcomed and encouraged to attend the special evening of prayer in honor of Mary, Mother of God.



Saint of the Week

St. Rita of Cascia (1381 – 1457) had the opportunity to live her life as a wife, mother, widow, and eventually, member of a religious community. Born in central Italy, St. Rita felt the calling to become a nun, but was pressured at a young age into marriage. During her 18-year marriage to a cruel man, she raised two sons. When her husband was killed in a brawl and her sons died, St. Rita decided to go back to her first love and attempted to join the Augustinian nuns in Cascia. Her status as a widow caused some complications to her entering, but she eventually succeeded in professing vows.

Throughout her lifetime, St. Rita of Cascia was known for her prayerfulness and charity. She also experienced stigmata on her forehead, meditated frequently on Christ's passion, and cared for the nuns of her religious community and those in the lay community who came to her for counsel.

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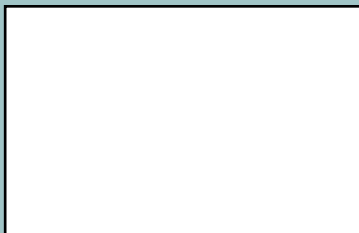
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