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May 9, 2021 Sixth Sunday of Easter

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Mass Times

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM (Livestreamed)

Saturday: 5:00 PM (Vigil)

Sunday: 8:00 AM
10:30 AM (Livestreamed)

Holy Days of Obligation
7:00 PM (Vigil) & 12 NOON

Parish Office Hours
Tuesday to Friday, 9:00 am to NOON

BAPTISMS
Please contact the Parish Office.

MARRIAGES
Please contact Fr. Martin at least one year in advance.

CONFESSIONS
Saturdays at 4:15 or by appointment.

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✞ MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MAY 9, 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER
5:00 PM (Vigil) All Mothers, Living & Deceased

8:00 AM All Mothers, Living & Deceased

10:30 AM All Mothers, Living & Deceased

MONDAY, 5/10, 8:30 AM
Douglas Campbell
John Paluzzi
For the Healing of Mousumi Kemkar and a Safe Delivery

TUESDAY, 5/11, 8:30 AM
Barbara Neely

WEDNESDAY, 5/12, 8:30 AM
Patrick & Margaret McManamy

THURSDAY, 5/13, 8:30 AM
John Shilling

FRIDAY, 5/14, 8:30 AM
Martin Kelly
Katherine Thornton

MAY 16, ASCENSION OF THE LORD
5:00 PM (Vigil) Rose Arva
Ann Marie Barry
Ed Brenner

8:00 AM People of the Parish

10:30 AM Richard Ness
Giuseppina Gentile
Vanessa Cocuzza
Edith Dallavalle

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING	
Our Weekly Collection	**May 2**
Regular	$3,794.00
Electronic	$2,233.00
Total	$6,027.00
Weekly Collection Goal	$5,500.00
Week's surplus/(deficit)	$537.00

Please pray for those who have died.

Austin McBride
Jim Marion

PARISH PRAYER LIST

If you wish to place or remove a name on the Prayer List, please call the church office at 973 -884-1986.
If you know of someone in a hospital, homebound or care center, and would like the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick or a visit, please contact Fr. Martin.

PRAYERS NEEDED

Prayer to Saint Raphael Angel of the Sick;
May the Angel, Raphael, physician in care of our health, come down from Heaven to cure all who are sick, especially,

Gail Egan, Dona Van, Irene Dekker, Rocco Martone, Erin Cox, Roxanne Klein, Rachel Brzostowski, Alex Garfinkel, Jack Gumersall, Jean Burge, Patricia Baio, Judy Grasso, Bob Lapin, Daniel Paglia, Kyle O'Brien, Mark Berkowitz, Stefanie Appel, Anthony Michael LaSpina, Peyton Zitelli, William DeGrosky, Marcia Kirincich, Ida Kelly, Ralph Valentino, Christopher Plaxe, Sienna Ferrugio, Kendra Bramble, Jane Zegarski, Ethel Illuzzi, Gil Peterson, Jim Frederick, Sebastian Quinn, Linda Gearty, Megan Szaloczy, Barrett May, Norma Scinto, Justin Brown, Erika Gruisc, Mimi Mutty, Dana Pierce, John Mulhall, Emil Schneider, Phyllis Wyks, Carla Fresco, Mary Pat Kelly, Dwight Bellinger, Susan Katsekas, Sharon Acquaire, Sam Frisoli, Eugene Tappan, Ryan Whittom, Lou Borzone, Arlene Michalski, Joyce Salvi, Bernie Reidinger, Barbara Rotunno, Sr. Margaret Strauch, John Favia, Dorothy Collins, Doug Schroeder, Sara Fresco, Paul Spina, Judith McBride, Guy Schwanse, Linda Morris, Howard Grant, Bobby Visoskas, Autumn Iwaszczuk, Suzanne De Filippis, Maria Fiore, Judy Fallon, Francine Kramer, Anthony + Lenny Valentino, Alzate Vargas, Andres Felipe Gomez, Elizabeth Keller, Dana + Donna Melillo, Paula Esposito, John Duff, Anthony Lombardi, Colleen Russoniello, Ralph & Marianne Bridy, Gail Augusta, John Manfra, Paul Iradi, David Reidinger, Louise Morris, Richard Noack, Linda Sung, William Olivier, Frank Cardone, Sr. Frances, Aidan Donohue, Dottie DeCarlo, Kenneth Anton, Cara Conti, Bernie Berkowitz, Jerome Donohue, Joan Sheridan.

In honor of the Lord's presence, the Sanctuary lamp will burn this week beginning May 9 for Ann Maresca.

Mass Attendance:
May 1/2: 5:00 PM, 75; 8:00 AM, 43: 10:30 AM, 85 = 203
April 24/25: 5:00 PM, 53; 8:00 AM, 44; 10:30 AM, 99 = 196

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER 5/9 8:00 AM Mass 10:30 AM Mass (Live Streamed) Mother's Day	**MONDAY 5/10** 8:30 AM Mass	**TUESDAY 5/11** 8:30 AM Mass	**WEDNESDAY 5/12** 8:30 AM Mass
THURSDAY 5/13 8:30 AM Mass	**FRIDAY 5/14** 8:30 AM Mass	**SATURDAY 5/15** 4:15 PM Confessions 5:00 PM Vigil Mass	**ASCENSION OF THE LORD 5/16** 8:00 AM Mass 10:30 AM Mass (Live Streamed)

SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:
"In truth, I see that God shows no partiality.
Rather, in every nation whoever fears him and acts uprightly
is acceptable to him." (Acts 10:34-35)

PSALM:
The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.
(Ps 98) Or Alleluia.

SECOND READING:
Beloved, let us love one another,
because love is of God;
everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows
God. (1 Jn 4:7)

GOSPEL:
"This is my commandment: love one another as I love you.
No one has greater love than this,
to lay down one's life for one's friends." (Jn 15:12-13)

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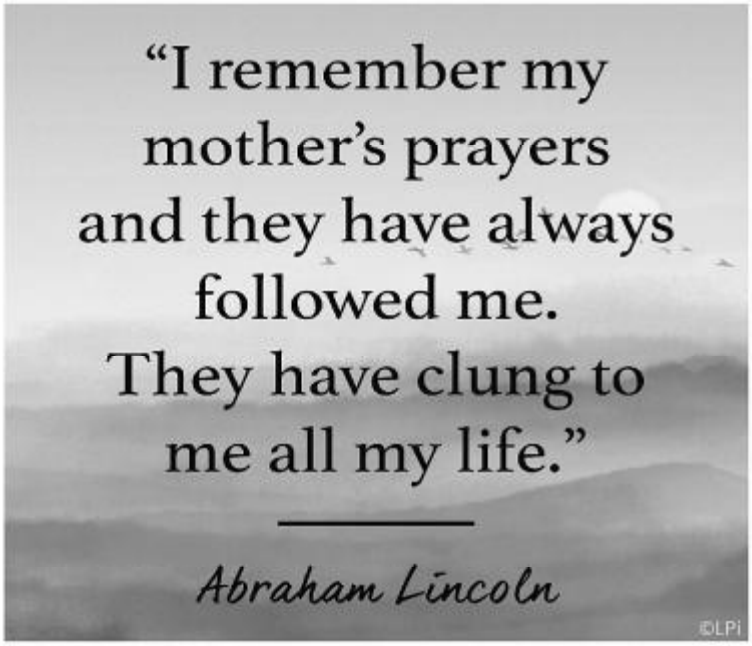
OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 9, 2021

Sunday:	6th Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day
Monday:	St. Damien de Veuster, Priest
Wednesday:	Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; St. Pancras, Martyr
Thursday:	The Ascension of the Lord [holy day in some U.S. dioceses] Our Lady of Fatima
Friday:	St. Matthias, Apostle
Saturday:	St. Isidore; Armed Forces Day
Next Sunday:	The Ascension of the Lord; 7th Sunday of Easter World Communications Day



REFLECT

FIRST READING
In the home of the Gentile-believer, Cornelius, Peter revealed one of the most significant insights from the early Church: "In truth, I see that God shows no partiality." Where do you see this message of unity needed today?

SECOND READING
John saw love at the very core of God's divine identity. In fact, for John, "God is love." For this reason, believers are called to love one another. How do you keep this virtue paramount in your life?

GOSPEL READING
During his farewell discourse, Jesus refers to his disciples as his "friends." How often do you think of Jesus as your "friend?"

A Word from Fr. Martin.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 9, 2021
Mother's Day

I am delighted to announce that Bishop Kevin Sweeney has appointed Fr. Joseph Garbarino as the new pastor of St. Ann. Fr. Joe comes to us with a wealth of pastoral experience, he is presently pastor of St. Philip the Apostle in Clifton. Prior to his present assignment he served as pastor of St. Pius X in Montville.

Fr. Joe is no stranger to St. Ann having been here many times giving adult education presentations. I am very excited with this announcement as I know Fr. Joe and I assure you he will make a wonderful pastoral leader for many years.

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The Bishops of the Ecclesiastical Province of Newark have decided to transfer the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord from Thursday, May 13, 2021 to Sunday, May 16, 2021, replacing the Seventh Sunday of Easter. May 13 is not a Holy Day of Obligation. This change is only for the present year.

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Please enjoy this Mother's day prayer.

A Mother's Love

By Carol Matthews

A mother loves right from the start, She holds her baby close to her heart.
The bond that grows will never falter, Her love is so strong it will never alter.

A mother gives never ending love, She never feels that she has given enough.
For you she will always do her best, Constantly working, there's no time to rest.

A mother is there when things go wrong, A hug and a kiss to help us along.
Always there when we need her near, Gently wipes our eyes when we shed a tear.

A mother's prayer means so very much, Believing in God and his gentle touch.
Keeping you safe both day and night, Your mother's prayer will time it just right.

So on this day shower your mother with love, Gifts and presents are nice
but that is not enough. Give your mother a day to have some peace of mind,
Be gentle, be good, be helpful, be kind.

MASS Intentions

Would you like to have a deceased loved one remembered at Mass? Or would you like to have a Mass for a special intention? Masses for 2021 are available by stopping in or calling the office or by email. Donation is $10.

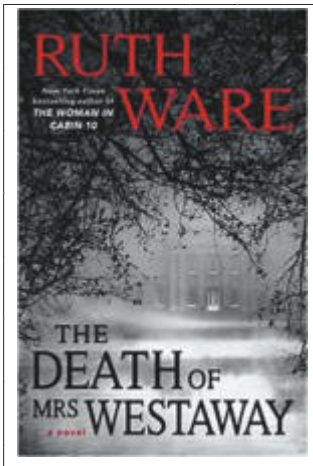
You may also have a loved one remembered by making a donation for the Sanctuary Candle. Donation is $5 for the week.

SCC Virtual Run for a Nun!

Join the Sisters of Christian Charity in Mendham, NJ for a **Virtual 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run** this spring.

You can participate anywhere and anytime by June 1, 2021. All proceeds benefit the education of the young women in Initial Formation. Sponsorship opportunities are available!

Visit the SCC website at www.scceast.org/runforanun to register or for more information.
You can also contact the Office of Mission Advancement at dev.director@scceast.org or 973-230-5355.



St Ann Book Club
The Death of Mrs. Westaway. by Ruth Ware

When a tarot card reader named Harriet "Hal" Westaway receives a letter informing her that an elderly relative's will bequeaths her a small fortune, she realizes right away that the letter was sent to the wrong person—but also that the cold-reading skills she's honed as a tarot card reader might help her claim the money. Soon, Hal finds herself at the funeral of the deceased…where it dawns on her that there is something very, very wrong about this strange situation and the inheritance at the center of it. Full of spell-binding menace and told in Ruth Ware's signature suspenseful style, this is a "captivating and eerie page-turner" from the Agatha Christie of our time.
Join us on May 13 at 10:30 AM in the Parish Life Center as we unravel this intriguing mind-boggler!

ST. PETER ITEMS FOR MAY:
APPLESAUCE, JELLY, COFFEE, JUICES, CONDIMENTS, ORAL HYGIENE ITEMS, BAR SOAP,
CLEANING PRODUCTS. Cash also accepted.

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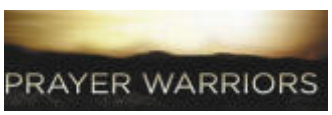
DIOCESAN MAY CROWNING

On Sunday, May 9, Bishop Sweeney will celebrate the Crowning of the Blessed Mother within Mass at St. Peter the Apostle Church, Parsippany at 12:00 PM. You are invited to view the liturgy on the parish website or on Facebook.



If you need an emergency prayer, just email or call our parish office and ask for a "prayer request". Our prayer warriors will pray for your needs.

50/50 Raffle

We are so grateful to all the parishioners who have already returned their raffle books! Thank you for your support! With the St. Ann Golf Outing being canceled and no Ad Journal, this raffle is an important fundraiser! Additional books are available at the parish office and after all Masses beginning May 1. Please consider offering your friends and family an opportunity to win. To date, we have collected over $7,900 with over $3,900 to the winner! You need to be in it to win it!

WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA, USA
Our Lady's Blue Army

Thursday May 13th - Come celebrate the 104th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima's first apparition to the three shepherd children in 1917. All are welcome at the National Blue Army Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima, 674 Mountain View Road East, Asbury, NJ.
08802. Celebrant: Most Rev. James Checchio, Bishop of Metuchen; Guest Speaker: Rev. Luke Fletcher, CFR.
Info (908) 689-1700 x210 www.bluearmy.com.

The DePaul Parents' Association cordially invites you to the 63rd Annual Walk Through Tricky Tray

"Mother Earth's Garden Party
Saturday, May 22, 2021
Attendees will be given a designated time slot to enter Tricky Tray Rooms beginning at 12:00 noon
Entrance Fee - $20.00. Ticket packages start at - $35.00
Entrance Fee Includes: admission, 1 sheet of small prize tickets and 1 small door prize
DePaul Catholic High School
1512 Alps Road, Wayne NJ 07470

St. Ann's Youth Group will be hosting a BBQ event May 23rd at 5 PM- 7 PM!

As you can see we changed the time to later in the day to help with some conflicts teens had. It will be located at St. Ann's outside the parish. Come join us for some yummy BBQ food and fun Yard Games! Feel free to bring a friend and even family!

We will start to RSVP to youth group events so we know how many people are coming to be more prepared or if no one comes we can reschedule.
Please RSVP by the May 17th with the link below, so we can prepare how much food will be needed for the BBQ. If you are a parent and would like to help out with the event please let me know!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4AADA92DA0FAC43-youth
This event will be held outside with covid restrictions.

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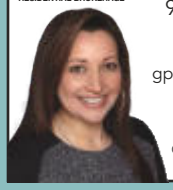

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