

21 May 2023
**7th Sunday
of Easter**

After Jesus said this, he looked toward heaven and prayed:

"Father, the time has come. Glorify your Son,
that your Son may glorify you."

John 17:1

**I believe that I shall see the
good things of the Lord in
the land of the living.**

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THE CELEBRATION OF MASS

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 AM
Mon.-Tues. – Wed.- 8:00AM Thurs. - NO MASS
Friday: 9:15AM (SCHOOL MASS)
HOLY DAY MASSES 6:30AM, 9:00AM, 7:00PM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday: 3:00 to 3:45 PM
Sunday: 10:00 to 10:25 AM
Other times by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the 4th Sunday of the month. A pre-baptismal workshop is required for parents, who are expected to be active members for at least three months. Please call Deacon Mike to make all arrangements. (610-262-2227)

HOLY MATRIMONY

A minimum preparation time of six months is required for the couple by the Diocese for the proper celebration of the Sacrament. Please call Father Lamb to make all arrangements. (610-262-2227)

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY MAY 22

8:00 AM Nancy Novogratz - Fred & Marie Pany
John Marth, Jr. - Pat & Chris Bracy

TUESDAY MAY 23

8:00 AM Margaret Hudak - Marge & Joe Kish
Colleen Tomline - Bonnie & Gretchen
Fritchey

WEDNESDAY MAY 24

8:00 AM Gladys Doncsecz - children
Colleen Miller - Sharon Snyder

THURSDAY MAY 25

9:15 AM Gabriella Amato - Marcus Wendland
(SCHOOL MASS)

FRIDAY MAY 26

8:00 AM Dorothy Minetti - Joyce Wlodek
Erika Kurtz - M/M Frank Garger

SATURDAY MAY 27

4:00PM Carmen Curatola - Family

SUNDAY MAY 28

8:00AM Priscilla Huertas - Family
10:30AM Joseph & Helen Schreiber - Family

SUNDAY COLLECTION

May 14 - \$10,434.75

May God bless your generosity!

The Knights of Columbus, Council 4050 would like to thank the parishioners of Queenship of Mary for their extraordinary generosity to the Pro-Life Rose Campaign on the weekend of May 6 & 7. A total of \$927.00 was collected to benefit our Pro-Life mission. THANK YOU QUEENSHIP OF MARY PARISH



SANCTUARY LAMP

will be lit this week
IN MEMORY OF

Ignatius & Mary Sipics



Pastor's Corner

Many thanks for all your prayers, best wishes, donations to various charities, and genuine goodwill to me in the celebration of 40 years of priesthood. It's amazing how time passes so quickly. All you have to do is keep breathing! Two of my sisters and two of my brothers-in-law came up for the 10:30 AM Mass last Sunday. My brother-in-law, Deacon Jim DeCapite, came on for the Mass as Deacon of the Word. He is very thankful for all your prayers for him as he continues to battle cancer.



In other news, our seminarian from last year, Rev. Mr. Aaron Scheidel, was ordained a deacon along with his four classmates on Saturday, May 20th at 10:30 AM at the Cathedral. We hope to get him back sometime this summer to preach one of our Masses. He is grateful for your prayers as well. If you want to send him a note of support his address is:

802 Alleghenyville Road,
Mohnton, PA 19540

Please pray for the soul of Bishop Edward Cullen who was buried this past Friday. May he rest in peace.

Please join us on Memorial Day for the 8 AM Mass as we remember in a special way all of our veterans. We need to gather and pray in thanksgiving to God for the gift of our freedom.

Next month will mark eight years that I have been here at Queenship of Mary Parish. It has gone so quickly. All of you have made it a joy. Thank you for that. Let's keep praying for each other!

May God bless you and keep you,
Father Lamb

DONUT SUNDAY

Thank you to our
Respect for Life Group
who hosted the May
Donut Sunday: Regina
Gabriel, Annaleigh
Gidosh, Rita Luciani, and Frank &
Bonnie Gimbel.



**This was our last Donut Sunday
for the season.**

SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER!!!

Prayer to Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

*Remember, Our Lady of the
Sacred Heart, the great things
the Lord has done for you. He chose
you for his Mother. He wanted you
close to his cross. He gives you a
share in his glory. He listens to your
prayer. Offer him our prayers of
praise and thanksgiving; present our
petitions to him. Let us live like you,
in the love of your Son that his
Kingdom may come. Lead all people
to the source of living water that
flows from his Heart, spreading over
the world hope and salvation, justice
and peace. See our trust in you;
answer our prayer. Show yourself
always our Mother.*

Amen.

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Divine Mercy Diary Dialog

“Sorrow will not establish itself in a heart
which loves the will of God.” (St. Faustina)

SUNDAY READINGS

May 21, 2023

Acts 1:1–11

As they were looking on, [Jesus] was lifted up, and a
cloud took him from their sight.

Ephesians 1:17–23

And he put all things beneath his feet and gave him
as head over all things to the church.

Matthew 28:16–20

[Jesus said,] “Make disciples of all nations, baptiz-
ing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the holy Spirit.”

WEEKDAY READINGS

May 22–27

Monday, Easter Weekday: Acts 19:1–8 / Jn 16:29–
33

Tuesday, Easter Weekday: Acts 20:17–27 / Jn 17:1
–11a

Wednesday, Easter Weekday: Acts 20:28–38 / Jn
17:11b–19

Thursday, Easter Weekday: Acts 22:30; 23:6–11 /
Jn 17:20–26

Friday, St. Philip Neri: Acts 25:13b–21 / Jn 21:15–
19

Saturday, Easter Weekday: Acts 28:16–20, 30–31 /
Jn 21:20–25

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3/4.**

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festival. If you can help
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UNDERSTANDING OUR GRIEF

Our parish will be offering a six week program for parish members who have lost a loved one recently.

It will be an informal gathering with the goal to help each other cope and understand our feelings of loss. Always asking God the Father; Jesus, His Son; and the Holy Spirit for strength, faith, patience, and acceptance.

The program will begin:

Wednesday – June 14, 2023 10:00 – 11:30 AM

Every Wednesday till:

Wednesday – July 19, 2023 10:00 – 11:30 AM

To Register – Please call:

1. Brenda Fritz (Retired Oncology Nurse)

610 349-2300 (leave voice message if no answer)

2. Rectory – 610-262-2227

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Aaron Scheidel, the seminarian who spent last summer with us, was ordained a Deacon on May 20, 2023. Please continue to pray for all our seminarians.



Aaron R. Scheidel



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All You Can Eat Breakfast

\$10.00 - Age 11 and up

\$6.00 Age 6 - 10

Under 5 - FREE

Pancakes

Sausage

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Ham

Toast

Sunday, May 21, 2023

8:00 AM - 12:30 PM

In the Saint Nicholas Social Hall

St. Nicholas Church - 1152 Oak Road - Walnutport, PA

A portion of the proceeds will benefit:
St. Nicholas Building Fund and Habitat for Humanity

Where Are You Looking?

By Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

Are we, like the disciples, looking in the wrong direction? As they looked up to heaven, they probably realized what they had lost. Jesus was no longer in their midst. But then, the Easter stories all tell us that they never really understood his risen presence with them. And so they were asked: "Why are you standing here looking at the sky?" (Acts 1:11).

Are we also looking up to heaven when we should be looking out to the world? Of course, it is right that we reflect on Jesus' ascension. However, today's understanding of the universe helps us realize that the biblical account of Jesus' ascension into heaven may be a way of saying that he is glorified with God. As Paul says, he has been granted the place of honor at God's right hand, "far above every principality, authority, power, and dominion" with "all things beneath his feet" (Ephesians 1:21–22). Jesus, now with God, radiates the full splendor of his resurrection.

We must turn to the Gospel passage to get the fullness of the story of the ascension. Jesus did not say: "Watch what is going to happen." Instead he told them to go out: "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19). We might know these words so well that we miss their forcefulness. In effect, Jesus is telling them: go out to the whole world and tell them what you have seen and heard. I did what it was for me to do; now it is up to you to do the rest. Don't worry, "I am with you always" (Matthew 28:20). Look where you're going, not where I went. □

Turn to the Gospel passage in Matthew to get the fullness of the story of the ascension.

Have I ever missed a blessing because I was too busy looking elsewhere?
Do I turn my blessings into burdens?

PRAYER

Lord Jesus, show us where to look for you and open our eyes to recognize your presence among us, we pray. Amen!
Alleluia!

The Redemptorists

The Pope's Monthly Intention for May

For church movements and groups

We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

A Word from Pope Francis

We must ask the Lord...to grant us the gift of wisdom, that wisdom of God that teaches us to see with God's eyes, to feel with God's heart, to speak with God's words. And so, with this wisdom, let us go forward, let us build our family, let us build the Church....

GENERAL AUDIENCE, ROME, APRIL 9, 2014

PARISH FESTIVAL BASKET RAFFLE

DONATIONS NEEDED

We are currently accepting donations of gift baskets and/or gift cards to help make our raffle and festival a huge success!

You may drop off your donation at the rectory during office hours or call Pete to make other arrangements. 610-972-5407



Thank you in advance!

Parish Festival Bake Sale

Time to 'butter' you up, we 'knead' baked goods!



Items can be dropped off
Saturday, June 10th, 9am - 4pm and
Sunday, June 11th, before either mass in the church
social hall.

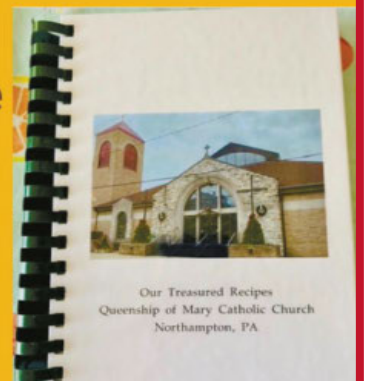


Amazon Festival Wishlist



Want to help our festival be successful? Scan the QR code and consider donating an item from our wishlist!

Parish cookbooks will be on sale at the festival! \$20, cash only!



A Formula for Contentment

By Fr. Byron Miller, CSSR

Next week we celebrate Pentecost Sunday. On the day of Pentecost, the giddy disciples of Jesus were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak about the mighty acts of God in various tongues. "They were all astounded and bewildered, and said to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others said, scoffing, 'They have had too much new wine.' Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and proclaimed to them, 'You who are Jews, indeed all of you staying in Jerusalem. Let this be known to you, and listen to my words. These people are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning'" (Acts 2:12–15).

Alleluia! The word itself is so peculiar it sounds like we're either speaking in tongues, babbling like a child, or inebriated. *Hallelujah* is a transliteration of two Hebrew terms meaning, "Praise the Lord!" It's an attempt to express our inexpressible happiness after a sobering Lenten season. "In the presence of the mystery that we celebrate on Easter, the mystery of our redemption, our usual intelligible vocabulary is inadequate; when faced with the super abundant mercy of God we can only stammer in amazement like children," wrote Balthasar Fischer in *Signs, Words, and Gestures* (Pueblo Publishing Co., 1981).

Yet, the sheer repetition of *Alleluia* throughout the Easter season won't instill happiness in the one uttering it, if a personal experience of God's profound love and mercy is lacking. How can our ecstatic hearts keep from singing *Alleluia*, if to know God is to feel elation? This, of course, begs the question: What makes us happy? On a trip to Tokyo in 1922, Albert Einstein discovered he was without money to tip a bellboy. Sensing the gravity of the faux pas, he scribbled a formula for happiness on a piece of paper—not as famous as his $E = mc^2$ —but isn't it all relative? His handwritten note read: "A calm and modest life brings more happiness than the pursuit of success combined with constant restlessness." Last year, the note sold for \$1.56 million at an auction in Jerusalem.

Is there a secret formula for happiness? According to Earnie Larsen, "The two deepest desires most people have are: to love and be loved and to believe they are worthwhile and know someone else believes that also. In other words, to be happy we need someone to love, something to do, and something to look forward to." Happiness, then, isn't winning a few bucks in the lottery. It's playing ball with your grandson. Happiness isn't determined by our number of friends on Facebook, but in befriending our Redeemer who tied a towel around his waist, poured water into a basin, and washed his disciples' feet. After performing this service, the master-turned-attendant tipped us with a formula for contentment: "I have given you a model to follow, so that as I have done for you, you should also do" (John 13:15). □

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