

St. Bernard CATHOLIC CHURCH

MAY 30, 2021 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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No office hours on Holydays and Holidays. Evenings by Appointment



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Then Jesus approached and said to them, "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." - Mt 28:18-19

DIRECTORY

- Administrator*.....Rev. Marcin Porada
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- Trustee*.....Charles Rauscher & Andrew Solecki
- Parish Secretary*.....Betty Rost
- CCD Director*Diane Schenk
- Organist*.....Joseph Donohue

MASS SCHEDULE:

- Saturdays:..... 4 PM (OLC) & **5:30 PM**
- Sunday:....8:30 AM (OLC), 10:00 AM (OLC-PL) & **11:30 AM**

- Monday, Wednesday, Friday at OLC:..... 8:00 AM
- Tuesday & Thursday:..... **8:00 AM**
- Holy Days:.....See inside bulletin for schedule

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays:.....5:00 PM
or by appointment

BAPTISMS: Arrangements to be made with
Fr. Marcin

MARRIAGE: Make arrangements with the rectory at
least six months before wedding.

CARE OF THE SICK: Call the rectory to make ar-
rangements with the priest.

NEW PARISHIONERS: You are welcome. Please
come to the rectory office and register as soon as possi-
ble. If moving, notify the rectory. We are concerned.

BINGO: Thursday & Sunday at 7:30 pm at St. Bernard

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION: Practicing
faith and supporting church for at least 3 months.



God Bless You For Your Generosity

SUNDAY, MAY 30

11:30 AM + Florian Korbel by Sally Pyszczek

TUESDAY, JUNE 1

8:00 AM +Edward & Helen Brodka by Harris Family Divine Chaplet

THURSDAY, JUNE 3

8:00AM + Deceased St. Bernard's Seniors by Past Senior Club

SATURDAY, JUNE 5

5:30PM + Stanley Olszewski by Hyla & Janis Family

SUNDAY, JUNE 6

11:30 AM + Anthony & Helen Wojclula by Daughter

MAY 22/23

Weekend Collections.....\$2808.00



Bingo starts next Sunday, June 6th. Doors will open at 6PM. Kitchen will be closed until we get Kitchen help. First team to start is **TEAM #1**. But asking for extra help for the first month till all teams feel comfortable. Thank you.



Next Tuesday, June 1st at 6:30PM. I would like my Bingo callers to come to the hall to refresh on the Bingo machine. Jerry will be there to help you all out. Janet, Martha, Adam, Ron N and Joe S. please don't miss this meeting. Thank you.



Monday, May 31st OLC will have a Memorial Day Mass at 9AM. To remember our love ones that were lost fighting for our freedom and are still out there keeping our Flag safe. God Bless America.

THE RECTORY IS CLOSED MONDAY, MAY 31ST. ENJOY YOUR HOLIDAY.

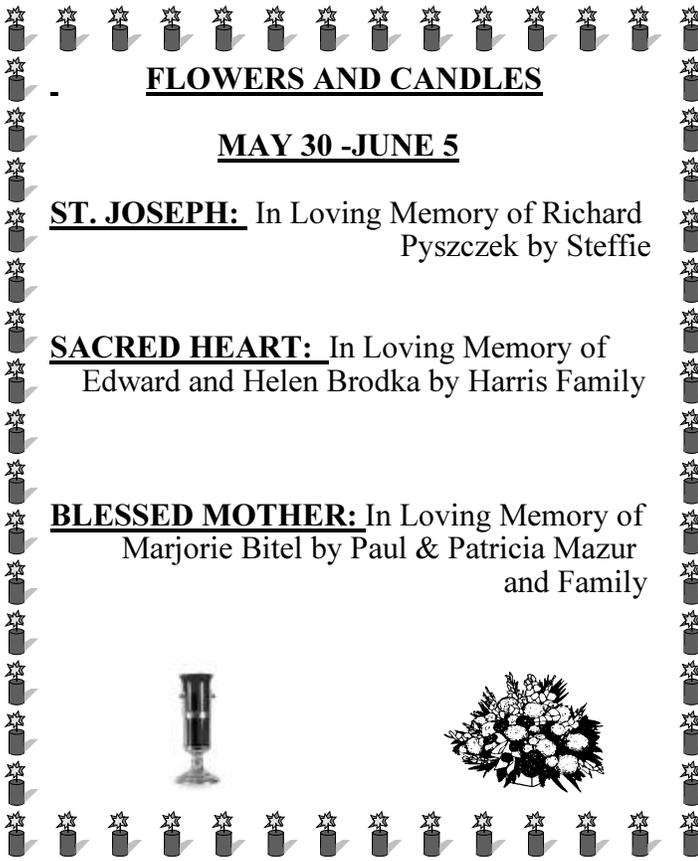
FLOWERS AND CANDLES

MAY 30 -JUNE 5

ST. JOSEPH: In Loving Memory of Richard Pyszczek by Steffie

SACRED HEART: In Loving Memory of Edward and Helen Brodka by Harris Family

BLESSED MOTHER: In Loving Memory of Marjorie Bitel by Paul & Patricia Mazur and Family



Let God be who God is. This is often one of the hardest things to do. Rather than allowing the mystery of being created in the image and likeness of God unfold and take root in our lives, we change the dynamic. We want to be the creators who want to make God into the image and likeness we need God to be. We have a hard-enough time letting the people in our lives be who they are. We struggle even more so with God. It is almost as if we want God to be our imaginary friend who is not only with us whenever we need but becomes the Being we need God to be. Who is it that we want God to be today? A protector, disciplinarian, champion for justice, healer, advocate for our cause, grantor of prayers, guardian of my life, or the avenger? Our prayers tell an interesting story. When you pray, what does God look like?

Recently, a young woman who was feeling invisible, overlooked, ignored, and misunderstood by her husband struggled to make her feelings known and get his attention. Finally, she screamed, "Listen to me!" Thus, birth was given to a renewed and healthier relationship. We spend so much time storming heaven with our agenda and trying to make God into a "god" of our desires that we do not hear God saying, "Listen to me!" God is desperately trying to get our attention. God is saying, I am here among you as not one but three, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Many people seldom notice God's presence because they are so caught up with other spiritual cares and concerns. And, when the "god" they fashion and create doesn't produce as they desire, they shake the dust from their feet and move on. "I tried," they exclaim, "but God didn't listen."

Healthy relationships aren't built on making someone be who we need them to be. Healthy relationships are built on encounters of persons and the development of an appreciation of someone solely for who they are. Deeper relationships can even be found with two people marveling at each other and almost experiencing a childlike joy and giddiness when they see the other coming. Do you ever have these feelings about God? Believe it or not, God does for you! There is a joyful laughter that gives rise to and connects all three members of the Holy Trinity. It is this laughter, flowing from the very depths of the Godhead that not only keeps the Trinity in joyful unity but spills over into the creation of all beings and things. It is an expression of Divine Delight! Have you ever taken time away from your agenda to experience the Divine Joyfulness of God?

We can reach a connection of Presence wherein even the smallest of creatures suddenly radiate the fullness of God: the wonderful creation of their being, the innocence and playfulness of their movements, and the sustaining life breath that flows through their veins. The same God who created the heavens and the earth is the same God who wants you to call him 'Dad' and the same God who preserves your life and has all things in His care.

June is upon us and it's the Sacred Heart of Jesus month. First Friday is June 4th. During the month of June you can say the Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus or the Divine Chaplet. This world needs Jesus more than anything. Please pray to Jesus for your family and families all over the world



Most Sacred Heart of Jesus We Place Our Trust in You.

The Diocese has announce a new mask policy. You must wear you mask as you enter and leave the Church. Also during communion. While you are seated in your bench you can remove your mask.

Also the Bishop has announced that with vaccination rates rising, infection numbers across the state are falling and we are seeing the reopening of every sector of society, including businesses, restaurants, and sporting events.

Now it is also time to return to Sunday Mass. The obligation to attend Holy Mass on the Lord's Day is a scared one. Anyone who is frail or at risk due to advanced Age or medical conditions is always excused from this obligation.

The obligation to attend Sunday Mass now resumes, effective the weekend of June 5-6 2021, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ in our diocese.

We are grateful to God to have reached this point, and we speak for all of our brother priests in saying we can't wait to see you again. **Come home to Mass. Bishop Michael Fisher.**



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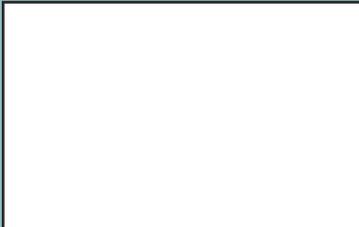
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