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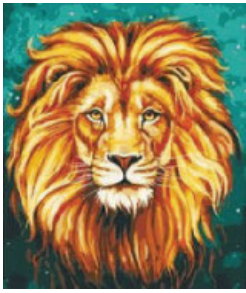
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## From the Deck of Fr. Leo

**Forming Intentional Disciples** will meet on Wed, May 18 at 7:00pm in Centennial Hall when we will finish talking about chapter two of our text. With this book as our guide, the primary drive behind our gathering is to teach and motivate participants to be “more intentional” in their discipleship.

Once we are more convinced in and comfortable with our own discipleship, we can then reach out to others so as to make disciples of them and to bring back those who have drifted away from the active practice of the Faith. Do you have family and friends you would like to see back in the Church? We must not limit ourselves to only praying for them, but learn how to begin the conversation, how to listen to their stories and experiences, how to invite them back and how to share your own Faith and love for our Lord. It’s not too late to join our group – just show up!

### Congratulations SA / FX First Holy Communion Class of 2022!

Scarlett Benzie, Alayna Lee, Maddox Lingenfelter, Claire Mardula, Trace McConnell, Orion McIntosh, John Mullen, Mason Sciko, Addilyn Skebeck, Colen Strayer, Parker Wagner.



### Congratulations SA / FX Confirmation Class of 2022!

Gregory Asberry, Sophia Cannonie, Robert Glass, Zachary Grove, Christiana Koytek, Gavin Long, Kaylee Mento, Aliya O’Donnell, Tyler Plazik, Isabella Spahr, Austin Wheeler.



*“Through the fear of the Lord, we rise to piety, from piety then to knowledge, from knowledge we derive strength (courage), from strength counsel, with counsel we move toward understanding, and with intelligence toward wisdom and thus, by the sevenfold grace of the Spirit, there opens to us at the end of the ascent the entrance to the life of Heaven.” -- Pope St. Gregory the Great*

**Pastoral Council Nominations** will be taken up on May 22 for both parishes. Please consider nominating yourself or others who you feel might serve well in this capacity.



## ECCLESIA IN AMERICA

### Pope Saint John Paul II CH 5 - THE PATH TO SOLIDARITY

#### *The Church's social doctrine*

54. Faced with the grave social problems which, with different characteristics, are present throughout America, Catholics know that they can find in the Church's social doctrine an answer which serves as a starting point in the search for practical solutions. Spreading this doctrine is an authentic pastoral priority. It is therefore important “that in America the agents of evangelization (Bishops, priests, teachers, pastoral workers, etc.) make their own this treasure, which is the Church's social teaching and, inspired by it, become capable of interpreting the present situation and determine the actions to take”. In this regard, special care must be taken to train lay persons capable of working, on the basis of their faith in Christ, to transform earthly realities. In addition, it will help to promote and support the study of this doctrine in every area of the life of the particular Churches in America, especially in the universities, so that it may be more deeply known and applied to American society. The complex social reality of the continent is a fruitful field for the analysis and application of the universal principles contained in this doctrine.

To this end, it would be very useful to have a compendium or approved synthesis of Catholic social doctrine, including a “Catechism”, which would show the connection between it and the new evangelization. The part which the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* devotes to this material, in its treatment of the seventh commandment of the Decalogue, could serve as the starting point for such a “Catechism of Catholic Social Doctrine”. Naturally, as in the case of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, such a synthesis would only formulate general principles, leaving their application to further treatment of the specific issues bound up with the different local situations.

An important place in the Church's social doctrine belongs to the right to dignified labor. Consequently, given the high rates of unemployment found in numerous countries in America and the harsh conditions in which many industrial and rural workers find themselves, “it is necessary to value work as a factor of the fulfillment and dignity of the human person. It is the ethical responsibility of an organized society to promote and support a culture of work”.

**Reflection:** It is said that Catholic Social Teachings are one of Her best kept secrets. That’s true because they are not very well promoted by the Church, and when they are by individual priests, they are often met with resistance and rejection. Nevertheless, the Church has addressed just about every social issue imaginable to help all of humanity live in harmony with one another according to the revelations of our God. All would-be activists for any social cause should first explore what the Catholic Church has already taught on that topic. I highly recommend: Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church published by USCCB. Educate yourselves.





## ST ALOYSIUS PARISH

Catholic	Parish Target	\$20,955.00	
Ministries	Total Pledges	\$ 9776.00	47%
Drive	No of Gifts	55/306	18%
2022	Actual Rec'd	\$ 9476.00	45%
M/M P Calandra	M/M C Hanlon	M/M E Hoover	
R McDermit	M/M A McElheny	M/M K Nadolsky	
M/M J Stohon	S Suckinos		

**Collection 5/1/2022:** Adults \$3569; children \$42; loose \$70; candles \$48; Easter \$115; rent \$425; utilities \$2; Cath. Home Missions \$5 **Total Deposit \$4276** cemetery \$20

**SA Office Closed:** The St. Aloysius Parish Office will be closed on Monday, May 9. Ann is taking a vacation day.

**Birthright Collection:** Due to the increased cost of carnations, Birthright will not be selling flowers on Mother's Day; instead a second collection will be taken up on May 8. Your generosity will change lives.

**Election Day Bake Sale:** St. Aloysius Church will hold a bake sale/soup sale on Tuesday, May 17 (Election Day), at the social hall Baked goods can be dropped off at the parish office on Monday, May 16 from 8:30-3:30 or at the social hall from 4-6 pm. Please have all donations dropped off by noon on Election Day.

Pre orders will be taken for Chicken Noodle Soup or Chili. Pre-orders will be packaged and refrigerated until pick up. Orange order forms can be found in the rear of the church and should be returned to the parish office by Friday, May 13. Hot soup can be purchased at the bake sale.

**Extra Powerhouse** subs have been ordered and can be purchased at the bake sale.

**Rabies Clinic:** The Patton Fire Company #1, Magee Avenue, Patton, is hosting a rabies clinic on Sunday, May 15 from 11am – 1pm. Pets must be 12 weeks old or older to receive shots. Cash only. Rabies shots \$15; parvo \$20; grooming ears/nails \$10.



**The Catholic Daughters** wish to thank all for their support given for the April Sub sale and the monetary donations.



## ST FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

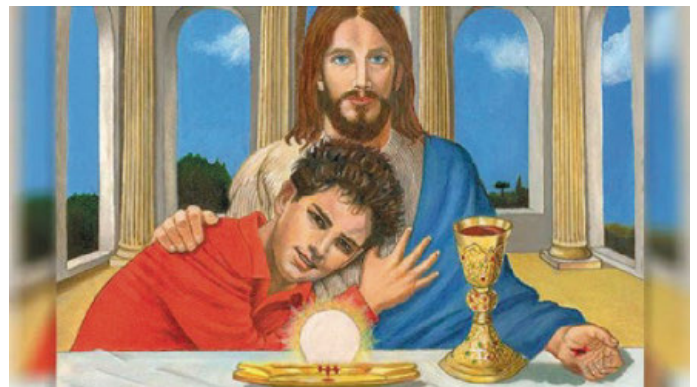
Catholic	Parish Target	\$18,308.00	
Ministries	Total Pledges	\$13,683.00	75%
Drive	No of Gifts	59/294	20%
2022	Actual Rec'd	\$ 10,473.00	57%
R Booterbaugh	M/M J Cronauer	M/M T Dunmyer	
M Fees	M/M C Horton	M/M R Leturgey	
M/M D Taddy			

**Collection 05/01/2022:** Adults \$2780.27; Loose \$153.25; youth \$43.40; Easter \$90; Energy \$10; D M Novena \$40; candles \$3; Divine Mercy Candles \$12 Mother's Day \$278 ; Catholic Home Mission \$20; Hall Rental \$200; Baptism Perq \$50; **Total Deposit \$3679.92:** Church Improvement \$10:

**FX Pastoral Council** meeting is set for May 10 at 7:00pm in Centennial Hall.

**Fatima Devotions** begin Friday, May 13 at 6:30pm. We will gather for the Rosary in front of St. Ann Shrine unless it rains (or snows) - in that case we will use the church.

**St. Francis Xavier** July tickets are available in the parish office. The ticket give away is from July 2nd to July 11th with \$250.00 given per day. Thank you for your support in the past ticket sales and this win might make a nice prize to help with summer vacations.



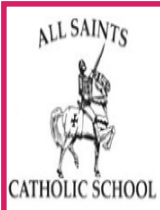
**The Eucharistic Miracles of the World** will be on display at **St. Aloysius Hall, May 8 to 14**. There is a lot to see, read and learn, so plan to visit more than once. While you are enjoying hospitality, you can watch a short film on Carlo's life and your children can watch a longer cartoon he created on the life of Jesus. His life's ambition was to get others to establish a "friendship" with Jesus which he enjoyed himself. Come and see!

**Exhibit Schedule:** Sunday, May 8: 9am-4pm; Monday-Friday, May 9-12: 5-8pm; Tuesday & Thursday, May 10 & 12: 9-11am; Saturday, May 14: 8am-Noon .



**The Knights of Columbus** are taking up Pro-Life donations to benefit several Charities from Mother's Day to Father's Day by way of their Baby Bottles. Please be sure to take a bottle today and bring it back on Father's Day.

*Jesus I Trust in You*



## All Saints Catholic School

**Thank you** to those who supported our Spring Basket Raffle. We appreciate all who did work for it, donated to it, or bought tickets. We hope you were lucky enough to win one of our great baskets.

**Congratulations** to the following ASCS students for their winning entries in the Catholic Daughters of the Americas 2022 Education Contest sponsored by Court Joan of Arc # 716. Winners are: Laila Milavec- grade 5 - 1<sup>st</sup> place Poetry, Gabriel Sutton-grade 4 - 1<sup>st</sup> place Essay, Avery Myers – grade 7 – 1<sup>st</sup> place Art, Adison Myers-7<sup>th</sup> grade - 2<sup>nd</sup> place Art, Emma Maxwell-grade 8- 1<sup>st</sup> place Poetry, Abby Eberhart- grade 8 -2<sup>nd</sup> place Essay.

**We are celebrating** our ASCS teachers and featuring a few of them each week for the next few weeks.

**Mrs. Swope-3rd grade-** I graduated from Indiana University of Pennsylvania this past May with a degree in Early Childhood and Special Education. This is my first year teaching, but I could not be more excited to be part of the ASCS team! In my free time, I enjoy spending time with my family, coaching soccer, and camping!

**Ms. Moyer – 4th grade** - I graduated from Mount Aloysius College in May of 2021 and am so excited to be at All Saints Catholic School! I live in Puzzletown with my family and my dog, Angel. In my free time, I like to travel, spending time with my family and friends, and do just about anything outdoors!

**Mrs. Rieg -- 5th grade** - I am in my 13th year of teaching. I graduated from Saint Francis with a Bachelor of Science in Elementary/Special Education. I also received my master's degree from Saint Francis in Education with a specialty in Reading. In addition, I have my Special Education Supervisor papers. I live in Ashville with my husband Steve and our goldendoodle Roscoe. Some of my hobbies are painting, gardening, and reading.

## Our Lady of Fatima



On July 13th crowds began to gather for the apparition. This time Our Lady said, "I want you to come here on the thirteenth day of the coming month, and to continue to say five decades of the Rosary every day in honor of Our Lady of the Rosary to obtain the peace of the world and the end of the war. For She alone will be able to help." Lucia asked for a miracle to prove Her appearances to people who doubted. The Lady responded, "Continue to come here every month. In October I will tell you who I am and what I wish and will perform a miracle that everyone will have to believe. . . Sacrifice yourselves for sinners and say many times, especially when you make some sacrifice: 'O Jesus, it is for Thy love, for the conversion of sinners and in reparation for sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary.'"

**Reflection:** Our Lady made these children personally responsible to pray and make sacrifices for the conversion and reparation of sinners – it's a responsibility we all ought to embrace personally.

FX Sanctuary Lamp — SHANA NEWTON (M/M C Horten)  
SA Sanctuary Lamp —JEFF McCLOSKEY (Pat Briesley)

**MASS SCHEDULE FOR MAY 09 TO MAY 15**

**Servers - MAY 14—MAY 15**

4:00pm A & K Gottshall  
8:00am Sutton Family  
11:00am E & M Olienyk

**Lector-**

4:00pm C Evans  
8:00am Kristen Eger  
11:00am C Stransky

**Extraordinary Minister of Eucharist**

4:00pm H Poloisky  
8:00am Alice Lee  
11:00am Volunteer

**MON - MAY 09**

8:00am FX **NO MASS**

**TUE - MAY 10**

8:00am SA AGNES GLUNT (Ethel)

**WED - MAY 11**

8:00am FX M/M T CONWAY &  
M/M C CONWAY (M E Beecham)  
8:00pm SA 24 HR. ADORATION

**THUR - MAY 12**

8:00am SA PAUL & DELORES MURRAY  
(G/C Eberhart)

8:30am ADORATION

7:00pm Holy Hour

8:00pm Confessions

**FRI - MAY 13**

9:00am FX JENNY CALANDRA  
(M/M S DeGol)

6:30pm FX FATIMA ROSARY

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**SAT MAY 14**

11:00am Conf. & Adoration @ FX

4:00pm FX PEOPLE OF FX & SA PARISHES

**SUN - MAY 15**

7:30am SA ROSARY

8:00am SA MO BAKER (Family)

10:30am FX ROSARY

11:00am FX TOM LAINO (wife Nancy)

**Dustbusters: SA:**

**FX: Mullen Family**

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