Fifth Sunday of Easter ~ May 2,2021

Today's reading from the Gospel of John is part of Jesus' discourse at the Last Supper. Recall that John tells the story of Jesus' Last Supper differently from the other Evangelists. In John's Gospel, the Last Supper begins with Jesus washing his disciples' feet. Jesus then provides them with a series of instructions. We call this section the Last Supper discourse or Jesus' farewell discourse. In these chapters of John's Gospel, Jesus instructs his disciples about the importance of following his example of love and service, about the gift they will receive when Jesus sends them the Holy Spirit, and about their relationship with Jesus and with the world. The Last Supper discourse concludes with Jesus' prayer for his disciples.

Saturday, May 1, 2021

1:00 p.m. Wedding of: Maribel Mendoza & Raul Iniguez 5:30 p.m. Mass

Intention:Rodrigo Sanchez Requested by:Xochitl Sanchez
Intention: Living & Deceased Members of Holy Rosary/St. Mary's Altar Society

Sunday, May 2, 2021 Fifth Sunday of Easter

7:00 a.m. Mass

Intention:People of the Parish

8:30 a.m. Mass (Portuguese)

Intention : Manuel Lima, Francisco & Maria C.Dias ♥
Requested by:Joe & Luisa Lima

Intention: by:Julio Agueda **†** Requested by:Wife & Family

10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Esther Martinez †
Requested by:Mark Martinez Family
Intention: Felishmina Noronha†

Requested by: Melanie Pinkerton Family

5:00 p.m. Mass

Intention: Maria Tavares † Requested by: Natalia Sousa

6:30 p.m. Spanish

Intention: Francisco Rodriguez **†** Requested by: Xochitl Sanchez

Tuesday, May 4 2021

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Jose F. & Elvira Lemos ♥
Requested by: Joao & Etelvina Lemos
Intention: Jose V. & Maria L.
Lourenco
Requested by: Grandchildren

Wednesday, May 5, 2021

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Vitalina Coelho Requested by: Arthur & Anna Cabral Intention: Deceased Brothers & Sisters Requested by:Felisminia Noronha (RIP)

Thursday, May 6, 2021

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Mary Souza Requested by: Family
Intention: Joao T. Avila Requested by: Fernando & Mary
Rodrigues

Friday, May 7, 2021 First Friday

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Richard Avila The Requested by: Mother & Family Intention: Manuel Mendes Sr. The Requested by: Great Grandchildren

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 5 p.m./Confessions 5-6 p.m.

Saturday, May 8, 2021

9a.m. First Communion

Intention: Children Receiving First Eucharist

11:30 a.m. First Communion

Intention: Children Receiving First Eucharist

2p.m First Communion

Intention: Children Receiving First Eucharist

5:30 p.m. Mass

Intention of: Stephanie Armendariz
"Happy Birthday"

Requested by:Family
Intention: Joe Chibante †
Requested by: Irene Avila

Sunday, May 9, 2021 Sixth Saturday of Easter Mother's Day

7:00 a.m. Mass

Intention:Guadalupe Sousa Requested by: Luis & Angela Melo

8:30 a.m. Mass (Portuguese)

Intention: Joao Almada † Requested by:Manuel & Maria Almada Intention:by:Manuel & Margarida Raulino† Requested by:Luis & Maria Cardoso

10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: For All Those Inscribed in the Legacy of Faith Book

Intention of: Bernadette Silveira © "Happy Birthday"

Requested by:Mother

Intention: Manuel, Rosa & Joe Silveira † Requested by: Manuel & Linda Andrade

5:00 p.m. Mass

Intention: People of the Parish Intention: Joao M. Borba 🕏

Requested by: Rafael & Natalia Apolinario

6:30 p.m. Spanish

Intention: Maria Jesus Villalpando Prequested by: Yolanda Jimenez

<u>Please Keep in Your Prayers:</u>, Manuel Andrade, Eliza Alves, Rosemary Arias, Olivia Avila, Jack Betschart, Carl Boutte, Greg Boutte, Tina Carmo, Dan Coelho, Ann Depalma, Elizabeth DeSousa, Joe Dutra, Rosa Fagundes, Elvira Freitas, Yvonne Gualco, Jared Germann, Jennifer Gonzales, Debbie Hutchins, R. J. Jefferson, Joe Louro, Frank Anthony Freitas, Woody Jorritsma, Patrick McSweeney, Loretta McFaddin, Edward Meneses, Malissa Mendes, Nelda Mendonca, Tina Mendonca, Jorge Oliveira, Maria Pessoa, Iracema Pires, John Rocha, Manuel Silva, Lucy Silveira, Sandra Smith, Carolina Sousa, Piper Sousa, Mary Sozinho, Luciano Terra, Jeanne Tristant, & Maria Vieira. *Please remember if you have an ill family member or friend that you would like to include on our prayer list or even have a <u>visit by the priest call the parish office at 667-8961.</u>*

+Religious Education News+

Confirmation pictures and certificates will be ready for pick up on Wednesday, March 3rd after 1:00pm in the parish office.

1st Holy Communion will take place Saturday, May 8th at 9AM Family Style, 11:30AM Children only, and 2:00pm Family Style. Rehearsal times are as follows: Thursday, May 6th at 6:00pm for the 9AM mass, and Friday, May 7th at 6:00pm in the New Church for the 11:30 Children's Only Mass, and 7:30pm for the 2pm Mass. Please note: All those who are participating in family style need to attend rehearsal or have substitutes in place.

Altar Server's will resume the first weekend of May. If you have received your First Holy Communion and would like to be an Altar Server please contact Veber Caetano for more details. He can be reached at 604-6314

We are need of Catechists for next year's Religious Education Classes: We are in need of 2nd & 3rd Grade Catechists on Tuesday's from 2:30-3:45pm, 5th Grade on Tuesday's from 4-5:15pm, 7th Grade on Wednesday's from 6:45-8:30 for the upcoming Religious Education Year 2021-2022. If you are interested in teaching please call Dina at 632-7163. Please consider this important ministry. The youth of our parish need you to share your faith with them.

Treasured! Discovering your priceless to God is the theme for the upcoming VBS June 14-18,2021, and concluding with Mass on June 20th at 10AM. Mark your Calendars and plan now on attending. Registration will begin May 1st-May 15th, if you have any questions please Call Shasta Oliveira at 605-2814.

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DISCOVERING YOUTH Proceeds to God

May is the Month of Our Blessed Mother Let's imitate Jesus in His love for Our Lady by offering her flowers and praying the rosary with our families. During the month of May we encourage you to bring flowers from your own garden to place at the alcove where Our Blessed Mother is.

We Congratulate the newest members of our Catholic Faith Community who are being baptized this weekend: Addisyn Grace Leal daughter of Anthony & Brianna, Marina Amelia Pinkerton daughter of Jarad & Melanie, and Nolan Aaron Snider son of Aaron & Melissa. We pray that they and their families will continue to grow in faith and in the love of Jesus as they remain close to His church.

PRE-ORDERS are now being taken by our local **Pro-Life organization** for beautiful **orchid corsages** for Mother's day. The suggested donation is \$5. Please contact Melissa Wood 535-6236 or Rosemary Ouse 634-1002 to reserve yours. We take this opportunity to thank these ladies for giving of their time and talent in helping with this important cause.

cleaning teams needed for our new church. A team can consist of 7 or more members who would be responsible to clean the new church every 2 months. You can make this a bonding experience with family and friends. Anyone who would like this opportunity to serve in this special ministry is asked to call Carmel Caetano 668-0795. Thank you in advance for your time and talent in serving your parish.

A Special Request

Please do not make any special requests or demands of Father Isaque before or after Mass, unless they are of an emergency status (such as visiting someone sick or dying) This is a special time that Father needs to prepare mentally for Mass. Also, after Mass there may be many requests and he would not want to forget to attend to, so please call the office on Monday morning and speak with him directly or leave a message. Thank you for your understanding.

Bible Study takes place on Thursdays, at 6:30pm in the Msgr. Minhoto building (across the street from the parish office). All are invited and encouraged to attend.

THIS WEEKEND we will reinstate the SECOND COLLECTION for the BUILDING FUND.

As you know we are looking to the future to build NEW CCD classrooms and a Parish Hall. This collection will take place the first weekend of every month as before, however now this collection will be earmarked for these projects.

A <u>BIG THANK YOU</u> to the **Our Lady of the Rosary Committee** for organizing another successful Fish Dinner.

This year's fish dinner netted \$30,378.52.

All proceeds benefit the parish. This dinner would not be possible without the many hardworking **dedicated volunteers** who have assisted in making this fund raiser a success for many years. To all we say....

Thank you, Obrigado!

Have You Checked Out the Brick Garden? We thank all those who supported the Brick project thus far. Memorial/Honorary Bricks may still be purchased to complete the second phase. Honorary bricks make a wonderful gift to commemorate a special sacrament: Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation or Marriage and will last a lifetime. For more information or questions, please call the parish office 667-8961 or pick up an order form in the narthex.



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