


Ascension of Our Lord Church

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By this is my Father glorified, that you bear much fruit
and become my disciples.

JOHN 15:8



FIFTH
SUNDAY OF
EASTER

MAY 2, 2021



ASCENSION OF OUR LORD PARISH

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL: 4:00 PM.

SUNDAY: 8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.

DAILY MONDAY - FRIDAY

12:00 Noon

CONFESSIONS

FRIDAY: 11:30AM-12NOON

SATURDAY: 3:15 - 4:00 PM.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

8:00AM ~12NOON ~6:00PM

BAPTISMS

Parents must be registered parishioners. Please call the parish office for information about our baptism schedule and preparation requirements.

WEDDINGS

Bride, groom or parents must reside in parish area and be registered parishioners. Please contact the parish office to prepare for your wedding at least six months in advance of your proposed wedding date and before making any preparations for a hall.

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LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, May 2, 2021

8:00 AM Intention of our Parish Family

10:00 AM Intention of Father Jose's as he celebrates
His 35th Anniversary of Ordination

Monday, May 3, 2021

12:00PM Intention of Tracey Brewer - Marge Mariani

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

12:00 PM Intention of the Presider

Wednesday, May 5, 2021

12:00 PM Intention of Father Jose - Parish Staff

Thursday, May 6, 2021

12:00 PM †Eli Felper - Felper Family

Friday, May 7, 2021

12:00 PM †Eugene and Patricia Pellegrini - Family

Saturday, May 8, 2021

4:00PM †Ted Calinog - Family

†Adeline Randell - Family

Living and Deceased Members of the Lamberty and
Pestka Families

Living and Deceased Members of the Tumino &
Demma Families - K & M Demma Families

Sunday, May 9, 2021 - Mother's Day

8:00 AM Intention of our Parish Family

10:00 AM Intention of All Mother's

50th Anniversary Blessing for Zenaida & Carmilto Dungca

† Denotes Deceased



Dear Padre,

Why is the Church considering a word change to the Our Father? It seems fine as it is.

Of the two versions of the Lord's Prayer in Luke 11:2–4 and Matthew 6:9–13, Luke's is more concise. The petition, "and lead us not into temptation" in Greek means both "do not allow us to enter into temptation" and "do not let us yield to temptation" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 2846). The *Catechism* includes the explanation from James 1:13: "God cannot be tempted by evil and he himself tempts no one," to certify that God "wants to set us free from evil. We ask him not to allow us to take the way that leads to sin." Consequently, Pope Francis reportedly approved the English wording, "do not let us fall into temptation" to replace "lead us not into temptation."

"It is not a good translation because it speaks of a God who induces temptation," the Pope said in 2017. "I am the one who falls. It's not him pushing me into temptation to then see how I have fallen." On the contrary, "a father helps you to get up immediately," he added. "It's Satan who leads us into temptation—that's his department."

However, unlike the change in the Italian Lord's Prayer that will appear in their third edition of *The Roman Missal*, no immediate plans have been made to change the wording in English-speaking countries.



THE TEMPTATION OF CHRIST BY THE DEVIL BY FELIX JOSEPH BARRAS, 1860 / WIKIPEDIA

Fr. Byron Miller, CSSR
Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org



A WORD FROM Pope Francis

Let us not forget that the Our Father is the prayer of the poor. Our asking for bread expresses our entrustment to God for our basic needs in life. Everything that Jesus taught us in this prayer expresses and brings together the cry of all who suffer from life's uncertainties.

FIRST WORLD DAY OF THE POOR, NOVEMBER 19, 2017

Calendar

Monday

MAY 3

Sts. Philip and James,
 Apostles
 1 Cor 15:1–8
 Jn 14:6–14

Tuesday

MAY 4

Easter Weekday
 Acts 14:19–28
 Jn 14:27–31a

Wednesday

MAY 5

Easter Weekday
 Acts 15:1–6
 Jn 15:1–8

Thursday

MAY 6

Easter Weekday
 Acts 15:7–21
 Jn 15:9–11

Friday

MAY 7

Easter Weekday
 Acts 15:22–31
 Jn 15:12–17

Saturday

MAY 8

Easter Weekday
 Acts 16:1–10
 Jn 15:18–21

Sunday

MAY 9

Sixth Sunday of Easter
 Acts 10:25–26,
 34–35, 44–48
 1 Jn 4:7–10
 Jn 15:9–17

Parish News

*We wish to offer our
sympathy and a
promise of our
prayers to family
and friends on the
recent death of*
Mary Ellen Aiu



Confessions

UPDATED CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Confessions **will continue** on Fridays **before** the 12noon Mass, starting at 11:30am.

Confessions will remain on Saturdays from 3:15pm-4pm.

Or by appointment



Pope Francis invites Catholics and Marian Shrines around the world to dedicate the month of May to a marathon of prayer for an end to the Covid-19 pandemic.



If you did not receive a Holy Water bottle at Easter and would like one contact the Parish Office - limited supply available.

The initiative, behind which the Pope has thrown his support, involves 30 Marian Shrines from various parts of the world.

It takes place under the theme "The whole Church was fervently praying to God," which recalls a verse in the Book of Acts (12:5). After more than a year, and with the world still in the grips of the pandemic, the Pope and the Church around the world are once again leading the way in imploring God for an end to the suffering which so many people are forced to bear. Please continue to pray!

Taken from Vatican News



Minister Schedule

SATURDAY, MAY 8- 4:00 PM

Presider: Father Bob

SUNDAY, MAY 9- 8:00 AM

Presider: Father Jose

SUNDAY, MAY 9 - 10:00 AM

Presider: Father Jose



Pray for the Sick of Our Parish

If you or a family member are ill and would like to be placed on the Ascension of Our Lord Prayer List, please call the Parish Office. The name will be added for one month. Due to privacy issues, we will only honor requests made by you or a family member. Name will remain on list for one month.

Please call the Parish Office at 630-629-5810 to add a name to the "Pray for the Sick" list.

STEWARDSHIP

Sunday, April 25, 2021—\$4,681

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY AND
SUPPORT OF ASCENSION OF OUR LORD PARISH.**

This Week's Calendar

MONDAY, MAY 3: MASS 12NOON

TUESDAY, MAY 4: BLESSING & SPECIAL COMMUNION
9AM-2PM, 12NOON MASS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5 12NOON - MASS BILICAL WALK
WITH MARY—ZOOM 6:30PM

THURSDAY, MAY 6: 10:30AM LEGION OF MARY -
CORPUS CHRISTI, 12NOON - MASS,

FRIDAY, MAY 7: 11:30AM CONFESSION, 12NOON MASS,

SATURDAY, MAY 8: 3:15 —CONFESSION, 4:00PM MASS

SUNDAY, MAY 9: MASS 8AM AND 10AM MASS HAPPY
MOTHER'S DAY!

Congratulations on the 35th Anniversary
of your Ordination



Father Jose Kadukunnel, CMI
Ordained May 5, 1986

As you continue to follow the example of the Lord with
care and compassion, May our loving God bless you
abundantly every day and especially on your
Anniversary.

Ascension of Our Lord Parish Family and Friends
wish you
Congratulations and continued Blessings!

Around the Diocese and Parish Neighborhood

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

WE'RE ALL IN SOME STATE OF POVERTY

When we look at those around us and then at ourselves, we can see that we all lack something in our lives. It may be close friendships or companionships, it may be more perfect bodies, a great sense of humor, or it may simply be that we envy others for their capabilities or confidence in cutting through and overcoming problems. Yes, no one is perfectly fit or without deficits as we go through life. In our St. Vincent de Paul Conference work, we focus on the material, basic needs of people such as housing, employment, food, clothing, health & mental health care, transportation, and a spiritual compass. That is our work as an organization, charity.

In our parish SVDP Conference, our Members, too, each have deficiencies in our health, our spirit, our physical capacities, and other weaknesses in our lives. However, we all provide what we can to the mission of serving the acknowledged poor that seek our help or are found and referred by others to the doors and phones of our office. Because we, too, have our limitations, we need you to support this Ministry with what you can. Please do not forget the work of our Society, as the poor will always be with us just as we also have our individual poverties and deficiencies. Please do not forget that you also can work on poverty through your donations, your time, talents, ideas, your Membership in our work and above all your prayers which no one should find lacking in their lives.

Mayslake Ministries
Enriching Catholicism in the Modern World
Celebrating 30 Years

REGISTER TODAY DIGITAL WORSHIP/SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

How do we encounter Jesus in Spiritual Communion?

Join us for a virtual Night of Reflection
presented by Fr. Edward Foley on
Tuesday, May 4th at 7:00pm-8:30pm.

Fr. Edward Foley
is a retired Professor of Liturgy and Music at Catholic
Theological Union. A published author of over 30
books, Fr. Foley is a gifted priest and presenter. He has
lectured around the world on liturgy and Eucharist.

REGISTRATION: \$20 PER PERSON

Register online at
Mayslakeministries.org or by phone at 630-852-9000.
314 Summit Avenue
Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois



*Lovely Lady dressed
in blue —
Teach me how to
pray!
God was just your
little boy,
Tell me what to say!*

*Do you really think He cares
If I tell Him things —
Little things that happen?
And
Do the Angels' wings*

*Make a noise? And can He
hear Me if I speak low?
Does He understand me
now?
Tell me - for you know.*

*Did you lift Him up, sometimes,
Gently on your knee?
Did you sing to Him the way
Mother does to me?*

*Did you hold His hand at night?
Did you ever try
Telling stories of the world?
O! And did He cry?*

*Lovely Lady dressed in blue
Teach me how to pray!
God was just your little boy,
And you know the way.*

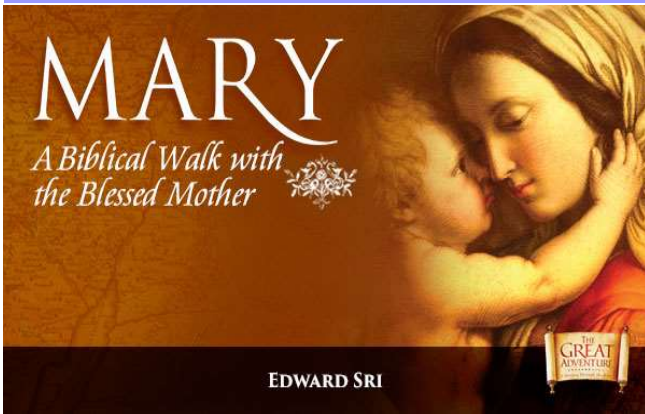
SAINTS FOR THE WEEK

SAINTS PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES

May 3 Call Philip the gospel's "Answer Man." "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Nathaniel asked Philip, who had proclaimed Jesus "the one about whom Moses wrote in the law, and also the prophets" (John 1:45). Jesus asked Philip, "Where can we buy enough food for them to eat?" (John 6:5). Greeks brought Philip their request: "We would like to see Jesus" (John 12:21). Philip's answer to each question: bring people to Jesus! At the Last Supper, finally, Philip had a request of his own: "Show us the Father!" (John 14:8). Jesus had three last questions for Philip: "You still don't know me? How can you ask that? Don't you believe?" And an answer: "I am in the Father and the Father is in me" (John 14:10). Today's James is not John's brother, Zebedee's son, but, tradition says, author of the New Testament Letter of James, who died praying for his murderers in Jesus' words: "Forgive them, for they know not what they do." Few historical details for either saint, but lessons aplenty: Bring every question we have and everybody we meet to Jesus; be, as James' letter challenges, "doers of the word and not hearers only" (James 1:22). Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

MORE PARISH NEWS

During this month of May,
spend some time getting to know our Blessed Mother!



**BACK BY POPULAR
DEMAND!**

**Wednesdays from
May 5th– June 2nd**
facilitated by Vince Zaprzal.
6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. on ZOOM!

Registration is required. Please
register by calling the parish office or by going to the
parish website.

\$10 per person!

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, *Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother* will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of Mary's earthly life, taking you through her joys and her sorrows. You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her divine Son. Seeing Mary in this way will change you forever. She will become a part of your daily life and help you to become more like Christ.