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MAY 8, 2022
Fourth Sunday of Easter

Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 8am, 10:30am
Weekday Mass: 8:00am (Chapel)
(Monday-Friday, Rosary after)

First Friday: 8:00am (Chapel)
Mass & Devotion To Sacred Heart
8:00am (Chapel)
Mass, Anointing of the sick, and Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00-3:45 pm
Sunday: 7:15 - 7:45am
9:45-10:15am
(Other times by Appointment)

Adoration

Tuesday: 8:00am-6:00pm
Friday: 8:30am-9:30am

Church Office Hours

Mon-Friday 8:30am-12:30pm
Wednesday 8:30am-12:00pm

Secretary Linda Bellocq



FIRST HOLY COMMUNICANTS 2022

Today's Readings

First Reading (*Acts of the Apostles 13:14,43-52*)

Paul and Barnabas continued on from Perga and reached Antioch in Pisidia. On the sabbath they entered the synagogue and took their seats. Many Jews and worshipers who were converts to Judaism followed Paul and Barnabas, who spoke to them and urged them to remain faithful to the grace of God. On the following sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. When the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy and with violent abuse contradicted what Paul said. Both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said, "It was necessary that the word of God be spoken to you first, but since you reject it and condemn yourselves as unworthy of eternal life, we now turn to the Gentiles. For so the Lord has commanded us, *I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth.*" The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord. All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region. The Jews, however, incited the women of prominence who were worshipers and the leading men of the city, stirred up a persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in protest against them, and went to Iconium. The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

Psalm (*Psalm 100:1-2,3,5*)

R. We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Sing joyfully to the Lord, all you lands; serve the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful song.

R. We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Know that the Lord is God; he made us, his we are; his people, the flock he tends.

R. We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

The Lord is good: his kindness endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

R. We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Second Reading (*Revelation 7:9, 14b-17*)

I, John, had a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue. They stood before the throne and before the Lamb, wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands. Then one of the elders said to me, "These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. "for this reason they stand before God's throne and worship him day and night in his temple. The one who sits on the throne will shelter them. They will not hunger or thirst anymore, nor will the sun or any heat strike them. For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Gospel (*John 10:27-30*)

Jesus said: "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

Gospel Reflection

The fourth Sunday of Easter is named as the Sunday of the Good Shepherd because the Gospel passage of that day always presents Jesus as the True Shepherd. The four verses that we read today in the Gospel are drawn from the final part of the speech of Jesus where we see the deep biblical image of Good Shepherd. John's Gospel chapter 10 presents Jesus as the Good Shepherd who will lead the people along the path of uprightness and closeness to the Lord.

The first image of Jesus as the Good Shepherd comes to our mind is that He holds a lamb on his shoulders. It is true that Jesus is the True Shepherd who goes in search of the lost sheep but this image is seen in the parable found in Luke's gospel (15:4-7). But St. John's Gospel presents the Good Shepherd as a tough and strong man who fights against the thieves and cruel animals to save his sheep. Jesus is the Good Shepherd because he is not afraid to fight until he gives his life for the sheep that he loves (Jn 10:11).

Jesus became a Shepherd when He sacrificed his own life as a Lamb as Revelation 7:16,17 speaks. Therefore, His sheep are those who have the courage to follow him in this gift of life. The shepherd is then a Lamb who shares in all the fate of the flock. Then who is the sheep? Both the church hierarchy and the laity. "My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me" (John 10:27). Jesus does not promise successes and achievements. He asks for self-denial and self-sacrifice because it alone will lead one to eternal life.

The obligation to personally participate in Holy Mass resumes for all in our diocese who are able to be physically be present and can do so without gravely endangering their health.

Annunciation CYO Spring Festival Fundraiser

May 15, 2022 from 12:00 – 6:00pm
Parish Hall. All are welcome to come and enjoy the Fun, Food, and Fellowship
BBQ Chicken plates \$12
Hamburger plates \$12
Hamburger w/chips \$8
Chili-cheese nachos \$5
Cake Walk, Silent Auction
Face Painting, Corn Hole Competition
Kid's Carnival Games

Tuesday Adoration

(8am-6pm)

We encourage people to fill in the open hours on Tuesday's

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 7	
4pm-	Charles & Merle Haas†, Rhonda Stockstill
Sunday, May 8	
8:00am	Karen Koenenn†
10:30am-	Parishioners
Monday, May 9	
8:00am-	Julie White †
Tuesday, May 10	
8:00am-	Charles & Merle Haas †
Wednesday May 11	
8:00am-	Cecile Ladner
Thursday May 12	
8:00am-	Bernard Brager†
Friday May 13	
8:00am-	William Bellais †

Congratulations to
Ashlyn Borchert
Michaela Madere
Levi Hoda
Gabby Irias

Our First Holy Communicants

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY



COFFEE SHOP
Come by and have some
Coffee, Breakfast &
Fellowship after 8am Mass
Donations are accepted



If you are unable to come inside the Church, sit in your automobile and listen to our Broadcasting on 91.1 Fm. You can also listen to a Portable radio in Church if you have trouble hearing.

Financial News

Insurance	\$50,596.75
Diocesan Support	\$16,244.79
School Supplement	\$29,225.07
Salaries, Utilities, & Other Expenses	\$189,488.23
Total Yearly Financial Obligations	\$285,554.84
Amount needed each Week	\$5,491.43
Last Sunday Collection	\$3,728.27
Shortfall	-\$1,763.16

Church Cleaning
Team 3 this week

Prayer Request

Jennifer Albrittin	Larry Lind
Judith Amm	Walter Lonbourg
Johnny Banks	James Lovett
Emilee Battaglia	Layla Mallett
John Battaglia	Woody Mauffray
Stacey Battaglia	Charles Meador
Marge & Bill Blaisdell	Kathleen Micell
Gene Breazeale	Shannon & Carol
Ernest Brown	Moragas
Ida Brown	Barbara Moran
Claude Burke &	Cleopatra Moran
Linda Burke	Sonny Moran
John Byrnes	Warren Moran
Robert L. Cassell	Belinda & Kenny
Garland Cuevas	Morgan
Rosalind & Cynthia	Patrick Murphy
Dauzat	Bernadine Necaise
Jean Dohm	Bernell Necaise
Rennan Duffour	Janet Necaise
Eugene, James,	Tyrone & Faye
Jerry, Gretchen,	Necaise
Tessa,	Wilma Necaise
JoAnn, Jude, Shirley	Christopher Nugent
Cucurullo	Louis Nunez
Howard Edwards	Joy Patin
Ivan Garza	Jameson Gerard Patin
Peggy Glynn	Larry Phillips
Christine Green-Wood	Judy Richieu
Amanda Jones	Brooke Rolison
Jim & Mary Kenney	Tina Roundtree
Donald Koenenn	Carla Santiago
Shelly Koenenn	Larry Santinelli
Andy Ladner	Karrie Schultz
Barbara Ladner	Jason Schable
Janice Ladner	Jerry Shavers
Shelia Ladner	Mike Shubert
Willard & Cecile	Timothy Scott Steen
Ladner	Maura Strong
Patsy Ladner	Rose Tebo
Jean Lee	Josie Thomas
	Shaylynn Whitfield

Pray for our Troops

Amir Darwis _____ US Army National Guard

Darrell Little _____ US Army

Devin Nelson _____ US Army

Brandan Witt _____ USAF

Evan Cameron _____ USAF

Dillon Lacoste _____ US Navy

David Arceneneaux _____ USAF

Lance Cuevas.....USAF

Lord, hold our troops in Your Loving Hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need, and bring them home safely. May their sacrifices bring about a lasting and just peace in those lands. We ask this in the Name of Jesus Our Lord and Savior. Amen.

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