



April 29, 2018 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Saturday April 28, Vigil
4:00 p.m.— For Father
Dan Redmond's Intentions
(Finance Council)

Sunday April 29, 2018
9:30 a.m.— James Makar
(John & Mary Husek)

Monday, April 30, 2018
8:45 a.m. – Frank & Reta Prudic
(Jim Rarick)

Tuesday, May 1, 2018
8:45 a.m. – Susan Lauder
(Deacon Phil & Betty Kraynik)

Wednesday, May 2, 2018
8:45 a.m. – Mr. J. A. &
Sue Misosky
(Carolyn Stauffer)

Thursday, May 3, 2018
8:45 a.m. – Marian Novak
(Joe & Antonina Novak)

Friday, May 4, 2018
NO MASS

Saturday, May 5, 2018
4:00 p.m.— Alice Twarogowski
(Deacon Bob & Marilyn
Schwartz)

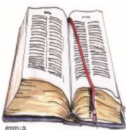
Sunday, May 6, 2018
9:30 a.m.— Richard Boruta
(Becky Steiner)

Daily Scripture ReadingsAPRIL

30 Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26

MAY 1

- 1 Acts 14:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a
Or Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col
3:14-15,17,23-24/Mt 13:54-58
- 2 Acts 15:1-6/Jn 15:1-8
- 3 1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14
- 4 Acts 15:22-31/Jn 15:12-17
- 5 Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21
- 6 Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48/
1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

*Dear Parish Family,*

This Sunday is the 5th Sunday of Easter and the First Reading is from the Acts of the Apostles (9:26-31). Saul is a changed man. He has encountered the Risen Christ and has become a Christian. He arrives in Jerusalem and tries to join the disciples, but they are afraid of him. They remember how he persecuted the Church and approved of Stephen being stoned to death.

Fortunately, Barnabas “took charge of him and brought him to the apostles, and reported to them how he had seen the Lord, and that he had spoken to him, and how in Damascus he had spoken out boldly in the name of Jesus.” The rest, as they say, is history. Saul would be named Paul and would become arguably the greatest missionary in the history of the Church.

It is important not to overlook the importance of Barnabas in this passage. Barnabas vouched for Saul’s genuine desire to join the Christian community. In some sense, Barnabas can be seen as “sponsoring” Saul before the apostles.

The role of a sponsor in the Church is an important one. A person chosen to be a sponsor (i.e. godparent) for baptism or for confirmation has a vital role in the life of the Church. They are to be fully initiated Catholics who practice their faith. If married, they are to be validly married in eyes of the Catholic Church according to Canon Law. Furthermore, they are to ensure that the child to be baptized will be raised in the Catholic faith should the child’s parents die or be otherwise unable to do so. The choice of a sponsor should be made carefully and prayerfully.

May God bless our newly confirmed and all those families whose children will be baptized in the coming months.

*God bless you.**Fr. Dan Redmond*St. Patrick Office Hours

Current office hours at St. Patrick Church are 9:30—12:30 Monday through Thursday. The phone number is (440) 298-1327.

To schedule a Mass Intention or Bulletin Announcement

Please call St. Patrick Parish Office at 440-298-1327, or place a Mass Intention envelope in the collection basket. For bulletin announcements please contact the office at stpatrickofficethompson@gmail.com by Monday evening. Thank You!

This Week’s Activities

- May 1, May Crowning 6:15
- May 2, Choir Practice 7:00 PM
- May 3, Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction 7:00 PM

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for May 5 & 6

	May 5	May 6
LECTOR	Joddi Savage	Brooke Perlik
EMHC	Mary & John Husek	Pattie & Scott Batchman
PLA	Beth Heinz	Trudi Clark
SERVERS	Tanner Gordon	Gabriella Mills
COUNTING CREW	C Team	

Offering for:
April 22, 2018

April 22	\$ 2,844.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 44.45
Diocesan Asses	\$ 10.00
Capital Improv.:	\$ 1,065.00
Catholic Home Missions:	
	\$ 30.00
PSR:	\$ 25.00

96 envelopes and loose checks

Thank you for your generous support of our parish ministries and operations.

St. Patrick, pray for us!



In a special way, we pray for:

- Jenny Adams, Chris Barber, Barbara Bock, Nanette Bryant, Joan Catalano, Frank Foote, Fr. Joseph Goebel, Jim Hale, Fr. Ed Janoch, Rick Kawalec, Deacon Phil Kraynik, Bishop Richard Lennon, Hildegard Redmond, Delores Lynch, Mella McCain, Anthony Mihalic, Joe O'Donnell, Virginia Perlik, Carol Pietch, Joe Potpan, Melissa Rhodes, Roseanne Ricci, Connor Sayers, Katy Sirna, Lance Sneath, Joel Walton Ann Zgonc.

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED.

May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.



Religious Education

Congratulations to the children of St. Patrick who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday, April 28th. May they grow in the grace and peace of Jesus through the Eucharist all the days of their life.

- James Kyle Auth
- Stella Blue Bateman
- William Marsh Breland
- Claire Marie Cadorette
- Kendall Elyse Dwyer
- Davia Veronica Gigliotti
- Connor Gordon
- Serafina Patrizia Ianiro
- Jacob Thomas Kovacevic
- Angelo Jerome Kozelka
- Aaron Michael Kuzma
- Addison C. Merinar
- Caitlin E. Seamon
- Brooke Lynn Verbic



We invite and welcome all parents, grandparents and parishioners to join us on Tuesday evening, May 1st for our annual May Crowning. Our celebration of Mary begins at 6:15 p.m. Join us and help pass on a beautiful Catholic tradition! A light reception for all will follow as we end our PSR school year.

Pancakes and More!

St. Mary Knights of Columbus will hold its Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, April 29th after Mass in the cafeteria. Adults \$7, Kids (under 5) Free, Kids 6-12 \$3. As always we will offer real maple syrup, all you can eat buttermilk, blueberry and chocolate chip pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage and bacon. Juice and coffee are included.

St. Mary's WOW Presents: Rosary and Tea with His Majesty and The Queen, Saturday, May 12th, 8 a.m.—9:30 a.m.

Ladies, high school age and up, save a spot now by emailing Or calling Christine Kolonko, ckolo@outlook.com (440) 867-3556. RSVP by May 6. We will begin promptly in church at 8 a.m. Please join us.



Pro-Life News—Baby Bottle Fundraiser

On Mothers day we will hand out baby bottles after the weekend Masses. *Fill A Bottle and Change A Life.* The proceeds go to several organizations, families in need, and provides Life Teen with packed lunches for the March for Life in Washington. Please continue to pray for all the issues regarding life.

