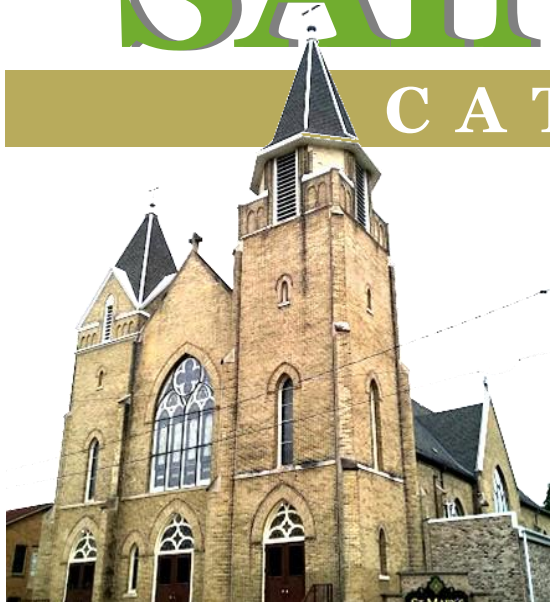


May 22, 2022 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays

Tue, 5:30 pm

Wed, Thurs, & Fri, 8:30 am

Weekends

Saturday 7:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 1:00 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Wed, Thurs, & Fri 8:00 - 8:25 am

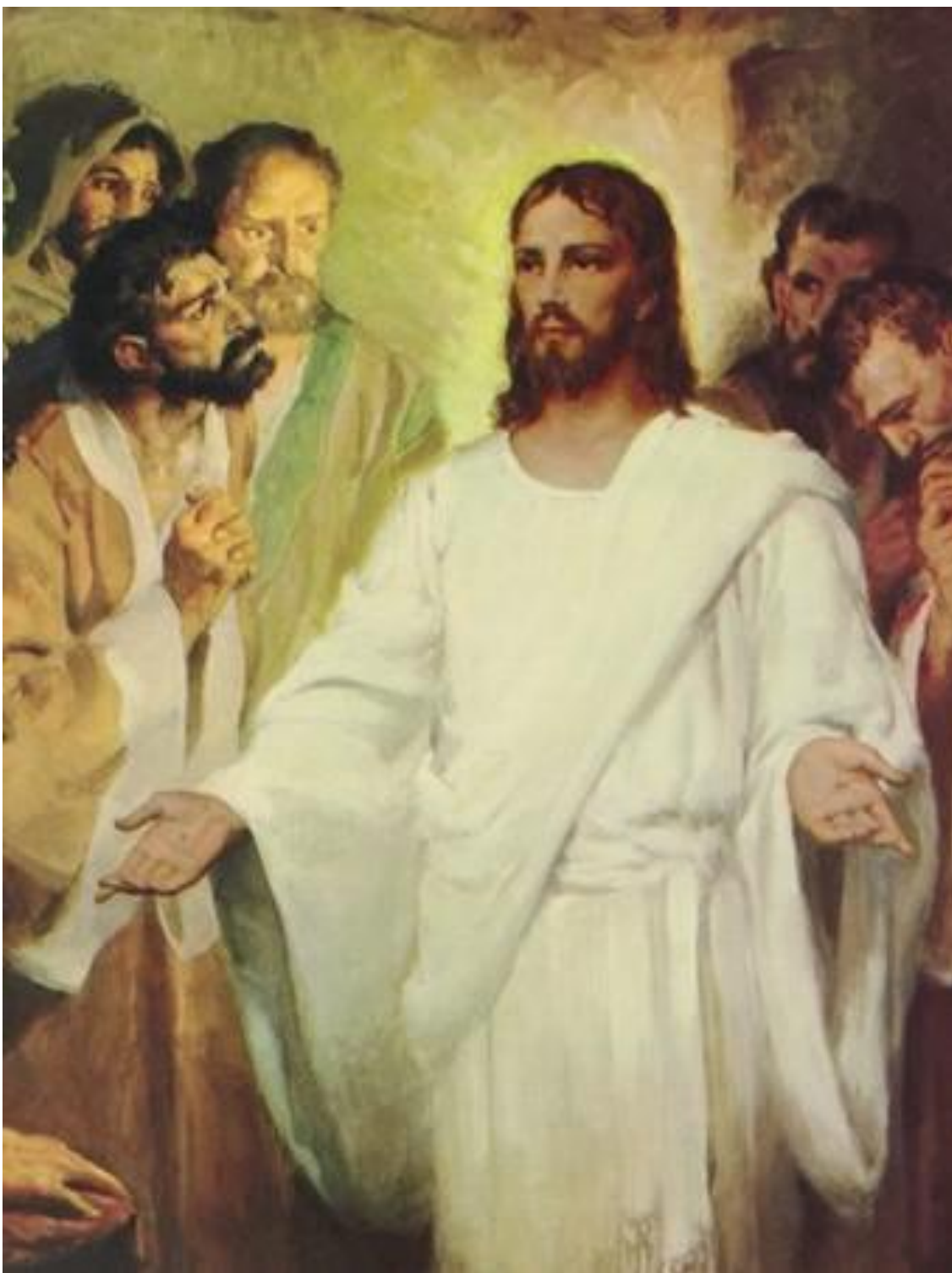
Confessions

Tues 5:00 pm & Saturday 6:00 pm

Rosary

Saturday 6:35 pm

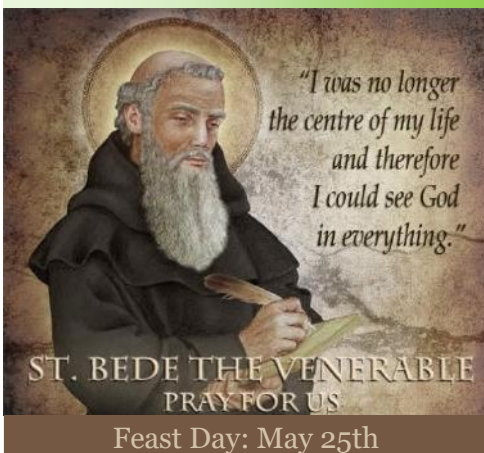
Sunday 8:35 am



“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. You heard me tell you, ‘I am going away and I will come back to you.’ If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father; for the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you this before it happens, so that when it happens you may believe.”

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 24 5:30 pm	† Mary Ann O'Donnell By: Linda & Mary Jane Nate
Wednesday, May 25 8:30 am	† Casey Jakacki By: Elizabeth Mitchell
Thursday, May 26 8:30 am	† Tom & Vicki Puetz By: Family
Friday, May 27 8:30 am	† Julian Tylka By: M. Poolczerwinska
Saturday, May 28 7:00 pm	† Anna McGowan By: Mary Beth Crowley
Sunday, May 29 9:00 am	† Mike Gruszka By: Larry & Teri Mueller
1:00 pm	Parishioner Mass



Upcoming Events

Cemetery Mem. Day Mass
May 29th @ 9:00 am

8th & 12th Grade Graduates' Mass
June 5th @ 9:00 am

Donut Sunday! IT'S BACK!!!
RESCHEDULED TO:
July 3rd after 9:00 am Mass

"Dad was sure the church photo would only be taken from the waist up."



Need for New Evangelization

I am very much excited with the last week announcement that I will be assigned at St. Mary's, Lyndon Station. This is part of priestly life, we don't get attached to one place. Priests going to a parish is like a ship entering into a harbor, either to load or unload. I am reminded of the beautiful word that I learnt from my junior seminary, **"Bloom where you are planted"**. The environmental factors such as soil, climate, water, manure and the care play a major role in blooming process. Hope I will have a sound environment at St. Mary's, Lyndon Station.

We are in the sixth week of Easter. We continue to read part of farewell speech of Jesus in John's Gospel. We read from the Acts of the Apostles, how early church grew fast with the commitment of the disciples and the believers and their broad minded attitude. What is our thought on **Evangelization and need for New Evangelization** in the church today? Some thoughts derived from AUC magazine,

Evangelization is a mandate received directly from Jesus as he exhorted "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." (Mat. 28:19). The Second Vatican Council affirmed this, declaring that the Church is "missionary by her very nature." Hence let's discuss three basic questions regarding Evangelization:

What to Evangelize? To evangelize is nothing but to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the good news of his incarnation, life, passion, death and resurrection. Pope Paul VI says: *"Thus it has been possible to define evangelization in terms of proclaiming Christ to those who do not know Him, of preaching, of catechetical, of conferring Baptism and the other sacraments."*

Who to Evangelize? The responsibility of evangelization does not fall on only to the consecrated persons. But the entire Church is called to evangelize. As the Father sent the Son and the Son sent the Spirit, so, the Triune God sends the Church to *"make men share in the communion between the Father and the Son in their Spirit of Love"* (CCC 850). This is a participation in the prophetic mission that each Catholic receives at baptism. It takes place in the ordinary activities and circumstances of life like at home, in the work place, at school, and everywhere. Evangelization should come from everyone as a desire for all to be saved.

How to Evangelize? The third question recalls the words of St. Francis of Assisi, *"Preach the gospel always, if necessary, use words"*. The methods of evangelizing vary according to the different circumstances of time, place and culture. An essential form of evangelization is witness in both words and deeds. As St John Paul II noted, *"People today put more trust in witnesses than in teachers, in experience than in teaching, and in life and actions than in theories."* In addition, other means of evangelization include preaching (both within and outside of liturgical celebrations), catechesis and mass media as well. *"Woe to me,"* St Paul lamented, *"if I do not preach the Gospel"* (1 Cor. 9:16). *"Faith is strengthened,"* St John Paul II exclaimed, *"when it is given to others"*. Evangelization, thus, entails real joy and inner happiness.

Need for New Evangelization: The New Evangelization calls each of us to deepen our faith, believe in the Gospel message and go forth to proclaim the Gospel. The focus of the New Evangelization calls all Catholics to be evangelized and then go forth to evangelize. In a special way, the New Evangelization is focused on re-proposing the Gospel to those who have experienced a crisis of faith. Pope Benedict XVI called for the re-proposing of the Gospel *"to those regions awaiting the first evangelization and to those regions where the roots of Christianity are deep but who have experienced a serious crisis of faith due to secularization."* **Let us respond to the invitation for The New Evangelization to renew our relationship with Jesus and his Church.**

Fr. Cryton

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St. Mary's Prayer List

Vinnie Bellock, Braun Family, Joan Burch, Rick Bornemeier, Mary Jean Cauley, Karen DeLange, Jamie Donnelly, Fr. Clayton Elmhorst, Mikey, Lori, Morgan & Alan Gruszka, Jim & Adela Hagen, Chuck Huber, Roseanne Kenneth, Gloria Kramer, Helena Kwit & Family, Mary Claire Marshall, Bud Miller, Lizzie Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Karen Patton, Charlotte Rybicki, Francis Senzig, Preston Shields, Jeri Smith, Jane Torgerson, Bob Walsh, Marion Walsh, those who are sick, unemployed, in need, & all families who are suffering in any way; from illness, cancer, uncertainty, & anxieties; Families & Friends please...**PRAY THE ROSARY!!!**



HELP WANTED!!!

We will be planting and weeding around the rectory and church grounds on Friday, May 27th starting at 9 am. Come join to help beautify the grounds - bring your own gloves and shovels if desired - we will have flowers.



Any help will be appreciated!!

If anyone wishes to donate any flowers, please contact Linda Lochner @ 847-867-4941 by Monday, May 23rd.

We're looking for someone to help out with some duties at the church such as replacing candles and watering flowers inside the church. The person would have training and unlimited help. If you're interested at all or have any questions, please contact the parish office @ 608-666-2421 or email office@stmlys.diocparish.org.



Please join us as we acknowledge and honor our 8th grade and 12th grade graduates at the 9:00 am Mass on Sunday, June 5th.

Memorial Day Mass

Next Sunday, May 29th, weather permitting, the 9am Mass will be celebrated at St. Mary's Cemetery. Bring a lawn chair or blanket and join us as we remember those who have served our country as well as our own departed loved ones. In the event that it rains, Mass will be at St. Mary's church.



Financial Stewardship

May 15, 2022

Adult Envelopes.....	\$1874.00
Student Envelopes.....	\$10.00
Offertory.....	\$636.25
Holy Days.....	\$20.00
Votive Candles.....	\$79.75
Total	\$2,620.00

Weekly Budget \$3,047.27

(156 registered families)

Fiscal year-to-date

Budgeted	\$140,174.42
Contributed	\$124,770.34

2021-22 Annual Appeal

Goal: \$17,155.00

Total Pledged & Received: \$13,080.00

Percent of Goal Pledged: 76.25%



Liturgical Roles

Saturday, May 28, 7:00 pm

Lector.....	Joyce Fuller
Servers.....	Katelyn Browne
.....	Aron Browne
Ushers	Jim McGowan Jr
.....	Dan McGowan
.....	Gary Fuller
Gift Bearers.....	McGowan Family
Musician.....	Tracey Tolzmann

Sunday, May 29, 9:00 am

Lector.....	Larry Mueller
Servers.....	Karina Strzemecki
.....	Amanda Strzemecki
.....	Brian Fox
Ushers.....	Mark Walsh
.....	Matthew Leja
.....	Tony Oldigs
Gift Bearers.....	Pat & Sue Mitchell
Musician.....	Jade Pusel

Sunday, May 29, 1:00 pm

Lector.....	Zach Housworth
Servers.....	Needed
Ushers.....	Clay DiCiaula
Gift Bearers.....	Needed

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Sunday, September 4th
St. Mary's church grounds



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