

# The Good News

May 28-29, 2022

## Ascension of the Lord

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### MASS SCHEDULE

#### Saturday

Holy Family: 4:00 pm  
St. Peter: 4:00 pm  
Sacred Heart: 4:00 pm

#### Sunday

St. Mary: 7:15 am  
Holy Family: 8:00 am | 10:00 am  
12:00 pm (Spanish)  
Presentation: 8:00 am  
St Peter: 8:30 am  
Sacred Heart: 9:00 am | 11:00 am  
Our Risen Savior: 10:00 am

#### Weekday

Monday, Wednesday | St. Mary: 12:10 pm  
Tuesday, Thurs., Friday |  
Holy Family: 7:00 am  
Thursday | Presentation 7:30 pm  
Saturday | Presentation: 8:00 am

### RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

#### Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Following 7:00 am Mass at Holy Family

#### Monday, Wednesday

11:30 am to 12:00 pm at St. Mary

#### Wednesday

Our Risen Savior – 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm  
with Adoration

#### Thursday

Presentation – 6:30 – 7:15 pm  
with Adoration

#### Saturday

After 8:00 am Mass at Presentation  
3:00 to 3:45 pm at Sacred Heart  
3:00 to 3:45 pm at Holy Family  
3:00 to 3:45 pm at St. Peter

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### St. Patrick's Rosary Guild to meet May 31

The St. Patrick's Rosary Guild Pot Luck will be held on Tuesday, May 31 in the Sacred Heart Church Hospitality Room. Social starts at 5:30 pm and dinner is at 6:00. Bring a dish to pass if you are able. New members are always welcome.

### Corpus Christi Procession

Join Holy Family on Saturday, June 18 from 8:30 to 9:30 pm for our Corpus Christi Procession through the Marian University Campus. The candlelight procession will begin at the Stayer Center on the corner of Second and National and process to Dorcas Chapel for prayer and benediction.

### Brown Bag Lunch Program needs your help!

We are grateful for your generous contributions to the Brown Bag Lunch Program these past few weeks, which are necessary to help us feed hundreds this summer! This weekend, **May 28/29, we are asking for donations of single-serve pretzels, crackers, and cookies, as well as sandwich-size Ziploc bags.** Please place your donations in the boxes at the back of church sites, or bring them to the Parish Office. If you have any questions, please call Erin or Gabby at (920) 921-0580.

### Read column on "Catechesis and Policy Concerning Gender Theory"

Recently, the Archdiocese of Milwaukee issued a "Catechesis and Policy Concerning Gender Theory." To explain this policy, and to provide guidance and insight on the issue of gender identity, Fr. Javier Bustos wrote a column for the May 19th edition of the Catholic Herald. "Gender Theory: Does a Secular Response have to be the Only Response?" includes statements of support from clergy and individuals in education and healthcare. You can read the article in English and Spanish by visiting [hffdl.org/column](http://hffdl.org/column).

### Memorial Day Masses

Holy Family priests will offer Masses at various locations on Memorial Day to pay tribute to those who gave their lives for our country. Masses are as follows: 8:00 am at Holy Family Church; 8:30 am at Calvary Cemetery with a Rosary Walk through the cemetery led by Boy Scouts beginning at 8:00 am; and 9:00 am at St. Charles Cemetery.

### Holy Family Christian Women to meet

Holy Family Christian Women will meet at 6:00 pm on Monday, June 6 at Holy Family Hall for a sloppy joe supper and games. A meeting will follow.

### Honor Guard to offer ceremony for veterans at St. Peter Cemetery

The American Legion Honor Squad from Abler-Engel Post #454 Mt. Calvary will pay their respects with a rain-or-shine ceremony for all deceased veterans at 7:30 am at St. Peter Cemetery in St. Peter on Memorial Day, Monday May 30. The public is invited to attend.

### Fr. Fabián, Fr. Alejandro Farewell Reception

On Sunday, June 12, we will say goodbye to Fr. Fabián and Fr. Alejandro with a farewell reception. Join us in the Gathering Space at Holy Family following the 8:00 and 10:00 am Masses for coffee, water, and cookies, and a celebration following the noon Spanish Mass.

### "Signs of Life" Summer Book Read

Fr. Edward Sanchez will host a Summer Book Read beginning in June with the book "Signs of Life – 20 Catholic Customs and Their Biblical Roots" by Scott Hahn. The book study will take place on June 22 & 29 & July 6 in the Holy Family Prayer Garden if weather permits (in the Fireside Room in case of rain) and be available at 6:30 to 7:30 am or 6:30 to 7:30 pm. People should bring their own copy and come to the first session having read the book. Sign up at [hffdl.org/event/summer](http://hffdl.org/event/summer).

### Spring Cash Drawing winners

On May 17, 2022 Holy Family held its Spring Cash Drawing. The winners are, in no particular order: Kari Stoffel, Ellen Wepner, Keith & Sarah Bentz, Ted Rady, Nate Polakoski, Jim Huck. Thank you to all who participated in the drawing and continue to support ministries here in the parish with your donations!

### Blood Drive

Donate blood at our Blood Drive from noon to 5:00 pm on Wednesday, June 8 in Holy Family Church Hall. All who attempt to donate will receive a portable Bluetooth speaker. To register, visit [bit.ly/holyfamilyjune8](http://bit.ly/holyfamilyjune8) or call 877-BE-A-HERO (877-232-4376). Walk-ins are welcome.

### Mass Intentions

#### Monday, May 30

##### **Holy Family (HF) 8:00 am:**

- John Tollefson and for all Living and Deceased Members of the Armed Forces
- The Living and Deceased Members of the Dorn & Roman Families

#### Tuesday, May 31

**HF 7:00 am:** Jacob O'Malley

#### Wednesday, June 1

**St. Mary 12:10 pm:** Sandy Weninger

- Edgar Waldschmidt (Anniversary)
- Irene, Bob, Tom, Gilbert & Jean Smet and Bob Lang

#### Thursday, June 2

**HF 7:00 am:** Thomas Kehrmeier (Anniversary)  
**Presentation 7:30 pm:** The Sam Hilgemann and Stu Ninabuck Families

#### Friday, June 3

**HF 7:00 am:** Alphonse Schneider and Victor Schneider

#### Saturday, June 4

**Presentation 8:00 am:** That the Supreme Court will grant justice for the unborn

#### Saturday, June 4 continued

**Sacred Heart 4:00 pm:** Robert & Eileen Hoey

**St. Peter 4:00 pm:**

- Richard Davies
- Servie Mand
- Gregory, Irene and Danell Halfmann, Victor Freund, and Louie & Dolores Halfmann
- Betty Sanchez

**HF 4:00 pm:** John Klapperich

#### Sunday, June 5

**St. Mary 7:15 am:** For the Parishioners

**HF 8:00 am:** David & Christine Beres on their 40th Wedding Anniversary

**Presentation 8:00 am:** Thomas Gratton

**St. Peter 8:30 am:** The Living & Deceased Members of the Terry Neumann Family

**Sacred Heart 9:00 am:** Robert Krueger & Family

**HF 10:00 am:** Rita Heil & Family

**ORS 10:00 am:** The Dorothy & Alvin Wix Family

**Sacred Heart 11:00 am:** Mary C. Hass

**HF(Spanish) 12:00 pm:** For the Parishioners

*A letter from your Holy Family Priest | "Well, when will we begin to do good?"*

Friends, this past week was the feast day of one of the more remarkable saints of our Church. This saint is the patron of jokesters and of friendship. He was the founder of an international community of priests that helped revive the priesthood. During his life he was informally called "the apostle of Rome." After he died, his body was found with several broken ribs because his heart had literally expanded to superhuman proportions.

This saint is Philip Neri, and if you haven't heard of him, it's not your fault – he gets surprisingly little press today. He was born in 1515 in Florence, the city of Michelangelo and Nicollo Machievelli. As a teenager, he was apprenticed to an uncle to become a businessman, but a powerful experience of God led him to abandon business, move to Rome, and begin working as a tutor while committing large amounts of time to prayer.

After two years of this, he entered the seminary. But he left the seminary after three years to become a sort of street preacher on the streets of Rome. His method was simple: he would crack a joke, draw people into conversation, and invite people to care for the sick or to spend time praying in the Seven Pilgrim Churches of Rome. After their conversations with him, people would find his question burning in their hearts: "Well, when will we begin to do good?"

In 1544, on the eve of Pentecost, Philip had an experience of God's love that nearly overpowered him. He later described an experience of fire, with his heart swollen up and pounding in his chest – after his death several ribs were found broken as a result of this experience. He continued his street ministry with renewed zeal but became convinced in 1550 that he could better serve the people as a priest. After his ordination he heard confessions endlessly and founded a community of priests called the Oratory.

The secret for Philip Neri was prayer and joy. "A joyful heart is more easily perfected than a downcast one" was a favorite saying, and his time of prayer led him into a deep mystical relationship with God. You can learn more about him on the [FORMED.org](http://FORMED.org) website – I recommend the "True Reformers" episode about him, which is very good.

In honor of Saint Philip Neri, crack a joke for God today. And pray for our parish community, that each of us can live with joy and prayer as he did, and that each of us would live in our own way as "an apostle of Fond du Lac."

– Fr. Edward

<p><b>CALVARY CEMETERY MEMORIAL MASS</b></p> <p>On Saturday, June 6, at 9:00 am the Calvary Cemetery Chapel of The Risen Christ Mausoleum will offer a Memorial Mass for families who have loved ones buried or entombed there. The Mass is offered the first Saturday of each month.</p>	<p><b>OUR DEARLY DEPARTED</b></p> <p>May their souls, and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace:</p> <p><b>Robert Hoey, Marcia Hoppman, Sandra Huseman, Mary Ann Mueller &amp; Patricia Sampson</b></p>
<p><b>WALLEYE WEEKEND MASS</b></p> <p>Holy Family will offer Sunday Mass at Walleye Weekend at 11:00 am on June 12 on Fountain Island! Join us for this outdoor Mass in the heart of Lakeside Park by the Gazebos. Due to limited seating, please bring your own chair.</p>	<p><b>COR JESU SET FOR JUNE 2 WITH FR. STEPHEN JONES</b></p> <p>Former Holy Family employee, Fr. Stephen Jones will join us for Cor Jesu Thursday, June 2 at Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church. Adoration and Reconciliation will take place at 6:30 pm and Mass with music at 7:30 pm. Come join us in prayer on this beautiful night.</p>

<p>May 28, 2022 Trevor Lee Witkowiak &amp; Kaitlyn Marie Rettler at Holy Family</p>	<p><b>WEDDING BANNES</b> June 4, 2022 Benjamin Joseph Kindschuh &amp; Katie Jo Albrecht at Holy Family</p>	<p>June 11, 2022 Uriel Diaz Jaimes &amp; Briseida Jaramillo Maldonado at Holy Family</p>
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