

May 7, 2023

Fifth Sunday of Easter



Scripture Readings:
Acts 6:1-7; Psalm 33

1 Peter 2:4-9; John 14:1-12

“The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” 1 PETER 2:7

Every person has been given gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called “charisms” and they are used to build God’s kingdom of earth. While many people are able to recognize their natural talents and abilities, they may be unsure of their charisms. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern their charisms and how God is calling them to use them. Remember - no gift is too small or insignificant in God’s salvation plan.

Liturgical Assignments – May 13/14	
	Lector
4:30 p.m.	Susan Przybylski
7:00 a.m.	Chris Williams
9:00 a.m.	J.L. Robertson
	Altar Servers
4:30 p.m.	Jack Short / Volunteer Needed
9:00 a.m.	Peter & Charlie Bartulica
Weekday	School Servers
Money Counters	
Elizabeth Marek / Justine Hildebrand	
Sacrificial Offerings to God – April 29/30	
Envelopes	7,380.57
Plate	450.00
Votives	52.50
Repair/Utility Fund	
Air Conditioner Coll.	15,281.47
Miscellaneous	0.00
TOTAL	23,164.54
Average Weekly Offertory Needed	\$14,360.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This weekend the second collection will go to the repair/utility fund.

Air Conditioner Update
Last weekend’s collection for the air conditioner brought in \$15,281.47, including a donation from a family for the entire amount needed to replace the unit! Since we exceeded our financial need for this project, we are pricing an A/C for the parish center kitchen, which is no longer working and has needed replaced for some time. May God bless you all for your generosity and stewardship to our parish! If you would still like to make a donation, place it in an envelope marked “Air Conditioner”.

Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to **Larry & Vickie DeWar** - May 11th.

South Side Food Kitchen
Our Knights of Columbus will represent St. James Parish on Thursday, May 11th. Please contact a Knight or call the parish office if you can offer a dessert.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive Next Weekend
Please leave your non-perishable items in the back of church.

Geraniums are Here!
There will be geranium plants for sale in the church basement after Masses this weekend.

Married Couples Retreat at St. James Parish
Retreat Introduction to Domestic Church
St. James Parish will be hosting a 2-Day Retreat for married couples on June 10-11. This retreat is first and foremost a chance to encounter Christ together as a married couple and to enrich your spiritual life together. It is also an introduction to the Domestic Church movement which provides ongoing support and formation for married couples. The opportunity to participate in this ongoing formation at our parish will be discussed during the retreat. The cost for the retreat is \$75 which covers meals (light breakfast, 2 lunches, and dinner) and materials. Scholarships are available. **The Retreat will be led by members of the Domestic Church movement who will be available to answer your questions about this opportunity at the Married Couple’s Retreat Information Meeting on May 18th at 7pm in the Msgr. Moriarty Hall.** “This has been such a great benefit to our marriage in the last 5 years since we began to meet in a Circle group and grow in our practice of the 7 Commitments. We have grown in our prayer life together, learned how to communicate better, and are closer to each other than ever before. We have also formed some great new friendships through this movement.” -Dino and Cathy Durando
To learn more or register online use this link www.kcsfamily.org/light-life

THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES	
Sunday, May 7	Holy Hour – 8 am to 8:45am Altar Society Sunday Last Coffee and Donuts until September 10 am, MMHall Last CCD – 10:05 am, School Last RCIA – 10:05 am, Casper Erk Rm
Monday	Confessions – 7:30 am Legion of Mary – 8:45 am
Tuesday	Confessions – 5:00 pm Mother/Daughter Banquet- 6pm, MMHall
Wednesday	Confessions – 7:30 am May Crowning – 8am Mass Holy Name Smoker – 6pm, MMHall
Thursday	Confessions – 7:30 am 8th Grade Graduation – 7pm, Church
Friday	Confessions – 7:30 am Office Closed PreK Promotion- 7 pm, MMHall
Saturday	Confessions – 3:30 pm
Sunday, May 14	Holy Hour – 8 am to 8:45am Holy Name Sunday Happy Mother’s Day! CCD – 10:05 am, School RCIA – 10:05 am, Casper Erk Rm

Tuesday, May 9th – Mother/Daughter Banquet-6 pm
All ladies of the parish are invited!
No need to bring anything but your appetite.
More details are in the back of church.

Wednesday, May 10th – Holy Name Smoker – 6 pm

FORMED – The Catholic Faith. On Demand.



St. James the Lesser
Tune in to this episode of Catholic Saints, where Dr. James Prothro and Mary McGeehan talk about the life and witness of the first bishop of Jerusalem, the letter of James, and how Catholics today can follow the heroic example of St. James the Lesser.

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MIR House of Prayer Needing Adorers
Midnight & 1 am on Friday - every other week
4 am Sunday, 8 pm Saturday
Also needed are substitutes for the evening hours.
Contact Rose at 816-520-4009.

Coram Deo is meeting on **Thursday, May 11th**! Meet at Our Lady of Guadalupe parish at **6:10pm** for prayer, followed by a picnic at Krug Park! All young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend. We hope to see you there! Questions? Please contact Ally Gabler at allygabler@gmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS	
Sunday, May 7 Fifth Sunday of Easter 7:00 a.m. – Pam Bachman + 9:00 a.m. – Pat & Robert Lamar + Fourth Sunday after Easter 11:30 a.m. – Latin <i>Pro Populo</i>	
Monday, May 8 Easter Weekday 8:00 a.m. – Roger Pawluk +	
Tuesday, May 9 Easter Weekday 5:30 p.m. - For Those in Mass Media	
Wednesday, May 10 St. Damien de Veuster, Priest 8:00 a.m. – John Masson, Sr. +	
Thursday, May 11 Easter Weekday 8:00 a.m. – Russell Stevenson +	
Friday, May 12 Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs 8:00 a.m. – Mary Alice Chevalier +	
Saturday, May 13 Sixth Sunday of Easter 4:30 p.m. – Lori Redmond +	
Sunday, May 14 Sixth Sunday of Easter 7:00 a.m. – Charles & Mary Hanway + 9:00 a.m. – Michael & Frances Hernandez, Mary Ann Ellis + Fifth Sunday after Easter 11:30 a.m. – Latin <i>Pro Populo</i>	
<small>(A cross indicates that the Mass intention is for a deceased loved one.)</small>	