

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST CORPUS CHRISTI JUNE 2, 2024



Today's Readings: Ex 24:3-8 (168B) Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 Heb 9:11-15 Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

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Confession: Wed. 5:30 to 6:20 pm & after Mass until 7:30

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Thurs. 5:30 to 6:20 pm

Web Address: <http://saintisidorehollyfamily.org>

Sacrament of Baptism

Sacrament of Matrimony

Anointing of the Sick

Last Rites

Please contact the office

For emergencies call the Rectory at 517-651-6617

ST. ISIDORE, LAINGSBURG

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Saturday — June 1 —(5:30 PM) Anniv. of the Ordination of Fr. Bob Bacik by the Basgalls

Sunday — June 2 —(9:00 AM) † Robert & Marie Davidek by the Family

Wednesday— June 5 — (6:30 PM) † Patty Greene by Clare Greene **1st Wednesday Devotions**

Thursday — June 6 — (8:30 AM) People of the Parish

Friday —June 7 —(8:30 AM) † Sheila Doyle by the Family **1st Friday Devotions**

Saturday — June 8 —(5:30 PM) Autumn, Heather & Charles Hewitt by Lana Kaiser

Sunday — June 9 —(9:00 AM) † Jamie Antcliff by Terri Klein Gove

HOLY FAMILY, OVID

Saturday— June 1 — (4:00 PM) † Bill & Cletis Nall by Richard & Carol Theile

Sunday— June 2 —(11:00 AM) † Mr. & Mrs. Timothy & Yvonne Porta by the Porta Family

Tuesday — June 4—(12:10 PM) † Tony Sinicropi by Angie Wittenberg

Thursday— June 6 —(6:30 PM) † Greg Smith by the Smith Family

Saturday— June 8 — (4:00 PM) † Ed Ladiski by Gertrude Dunham

Sunday— June 9 —(11:00 AM) † Micky Chapko by Mary Cerny



ADORATION

St. Isidore Church- Wednesdays

5:30—6:20 pm Adoration & Confessions

6:30 pm Mass

Adoration & Confessions Following Mass

Until 7:30 pm

Holy Family—Thursdays

5:30—6:20 pm Adoration & Confessions

6:30 pm Mass



ROSARY BEFORE MASS—ST. ISIDORE

Sundays 8:30 am—Thurs. & Fri. 8:05 am



MONTHLY DEVOTIONS

1st Wed. of Month—St. Isidore
Rosary and Litany of St. Joseph after Mass

1st Friday of Month—St. Isidore
Litany of Sacred Heart after Mass

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

May 25 & 26, 2024

St. Isidore Offertory- \$2,444

Holy Family Offertory - \$2,639

Online Offertory - \$1,735

TOTAL: - \$6,818

Pray for the Sick of our Parish

Names included should be parishioners, their relatives and friends. Also, remember all of our service members in your prayers.

Emily Rocheleau	Pam Morgan	Chris & Jan Bozumg
Kelly Rocheleau	Dan Schwart	Rick Smith
Nita Hughes	Armando Anguiano	Hugh Smith
Russ Mallery	Beverly Adcock	Jan Smith
Mary Hughey	Judy Eyde	Tammy Smith
Craig Henning	Susan Hullburt	
Dorothy Woodworth	Olivia Klein	
Ken Latz	Bruce Chandler	

Please contact the office to put names on the prayer list.

Notes from Fr. Anthony

Sequences in the liturgy

At various times during the Church year, there are feasts that have been very popular amongst various parts of the Church, and they were celebrated in particular ways with some additions that emphasized the importance of that feast to the people of God. One of the ways that particular feasts were celebrated was by the use of the Sequence. The Sequence is a poem, in the form of a chant that speaks of the character and the theology of the feast. They find their beginning around the 9th century during the high period of Gregorian Chant in Europe. It quickly grew in popularity to the point where in some places there were sequences every Sunday. The reforms during the counter reformation reigned in the practice to limit the number of sequences in the liturgy. In 1570 there are 4 sequences that are allowed: *Victimae paschali laudes* (praise the Paschal victim) for Easter, *Veni Sancte Spiritus* (come Holy Spirit) for Pentecost, *Lauda Sion* (praise o Sion) for Corpus Christi and *Dies irae* (day of wrath) for All Souls' Day and Requiem Masses that immediately follow a death. Then, in 1727, the *Stabat mater* (at the Cross her station keeping) was added for the new feast of the Seven Sorrows of Our Lady.

Sequences still exist, however they also have suffered

from the destruction of the liturgical traditions of the Church, which is why so many today have really no idea about what the Sequence is or why it is important. There are now only two that are mandatory: the *Victimae paschali* and the *Veni Sancte Spiritus*. The *Lauda Sion* is "recommended", the *Stabat mater* is optional and the *Dies irae* is practically never used outside of the breviary.

At the parish level, we have been trying to help bring back these sequences in the Liturgy, even if it is only by recitation. The ultimate goal is at some point to make it so that we can all chant them together. This weekend we will hear the *Lauda Sion* sequence and to help us appreciate it a bit more, we will touch on a bit of the history. This sequence was authored around the year 1264 by St. Thomas Aquinas for the feast of Corpus Christi. It was intended for use during the Mass and was later adapted into a hymn for the procession, which is one of the reasons for its length. It provides a summary of the history and teaching on the Eucharist to honor the great solemnity being celebrated. It is a rhythmic and poetic presentation of what we believe concerning the Eucharist, so this weekend it would be good to take a moment and really read over the text. Hopefully at some point we can add that hymn - "Praise o Zion, voices raising" - which is based on the sequence, to the hymns we sing in Church.

God love you, Fr. Anthony

Donations for the Elsie Food Pantry and the "Little Yellow" Pantry in Ovid And the Food Bank in Laingsburg

Thank you for your donations of food for the food pantries – we are always in need of food items for our local residents. Individual serving items need to be put into the "yellow" box and large family items need to be put into the Elsie Food Pantry box. Please check the expiration dates on all items to ensure the food items are fresh and can be distributed to our local citizens. Some needed items for the Elsie Pantry are --- spices (example, garlic powder, salt, pepper, cinnamon, etc.); canned items, laundry detergents, pasta items, etc. Also, personal care items are always welcome --- small travel items can also be used for the "small pantry". The summer months are upon us --- the need for food items will increase because schools will not be in session to help feed the ones who need it. Please be generous with your donations --- we appreciate all who contribute to both venues ---- the need is great.



PARISH ACTIVITIES

Mondays—7:30 pm—"Zoom" online Rosary
Thurs—9:00 am—Quilting Ministry—Holy Family
June 1—Activities Group Meeting –5:00 pm -Holy Fam
June 2—Corpus Christi Procession—Noon -Holy Fam
June 8—TMIY—7:30 –9 am—Holy Family
June 30—Corporate Communion—11 am—Holy Family

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



June 12 —Business Meeting—7:00 pm

Knight of the Month: Andrew Braun

Family of the Month: Roger and Shirley Hughes

SAINT OF THE MONTH - ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

- Feast Day - June 13th

Born in Lisbon, Portugal on August 15, 1195; Died June 13, 1231 from ergotism (poisoning from food that has been contaminated with a fungus, commonly found in rye, but found in other grains and grasses too.)

St. Anthony of Padua accomplished many things during his short time in this world as a priest. He was noted for his powerful preaching, vast knowledge of scripture, and undying love and devotion to the poor and the sick. This made him one of the most quickly canonized saints in church history. His fame spread through Portuguese evangelization, and he became the patron saint of Lisbon, Padua, and many other places in Portugal.

What do you eat on St. Anthony's day? Spaniards are fond of beans and prepare them in many ways. Bean and Escarole Soup with or without pasta is often cooked in Spanish family homes and is offered to the poor on St. Anthony's Day after Mass. **Pick up a recipe next week in the back of the church.**

What was St. Anthony most known for? Ask your children and grandchildren if they know. Answer in next week's bulletin.



QUILTING QUIPS. . .

The Quilting Ministry "Closet" is finished. After many hours of donated time and talent, Jeff & Diane Mysinger have finished the project. All are welcome to come quilt on June 6th, starting at 9 am. Thanks again for all the volunteers hours to help get this project done.



6th Annual Fr. Anthony's Classic Car Show

June 7 - Noon to 7pm

St. Roberts Bellarmine Parish in
Flushing



Thank you to all who have donated diapers to the Elsie Baby Pantry.



That Man is You Summer Program

Last week we finished all but the last chapter of second Peter in our Bible study. Next week we plan to finish that chapter and start on the first letter from St. Peter. First Peter encourages Christians to remain steadfast to the faith and live virtuously in spite of threats of persecution. It speaks of living in the true freedom offered by Christ through our baptism. That freedom is not to be used for our own gain but for doing the will of God that is for our own benefit. It goes on to relate the sufferings of Christ to the suffering we will encounter through living our faith in a secular world. We meet on the second and fourth Saturdays from 7:30 – 9:00 am, at Holy Family. Our next meeting is Saturday June 8th.

NOTICE:

There have been water issues at the Mt. Olivet Cemetery. We have to get a new well drilled which will be completed in the very near future.