

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

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Amen.



"Heavenly Father, we thank You for the gift of motherhood. Today, we celebrate the loving sacrifice of mothers, both biological and spiritual, who nurture and guide us in Your ways. Bless them with joy, strength, and love to continue their selfless devotion. May they feel deeply appreciated and honored not just today, but every day.

Amen."



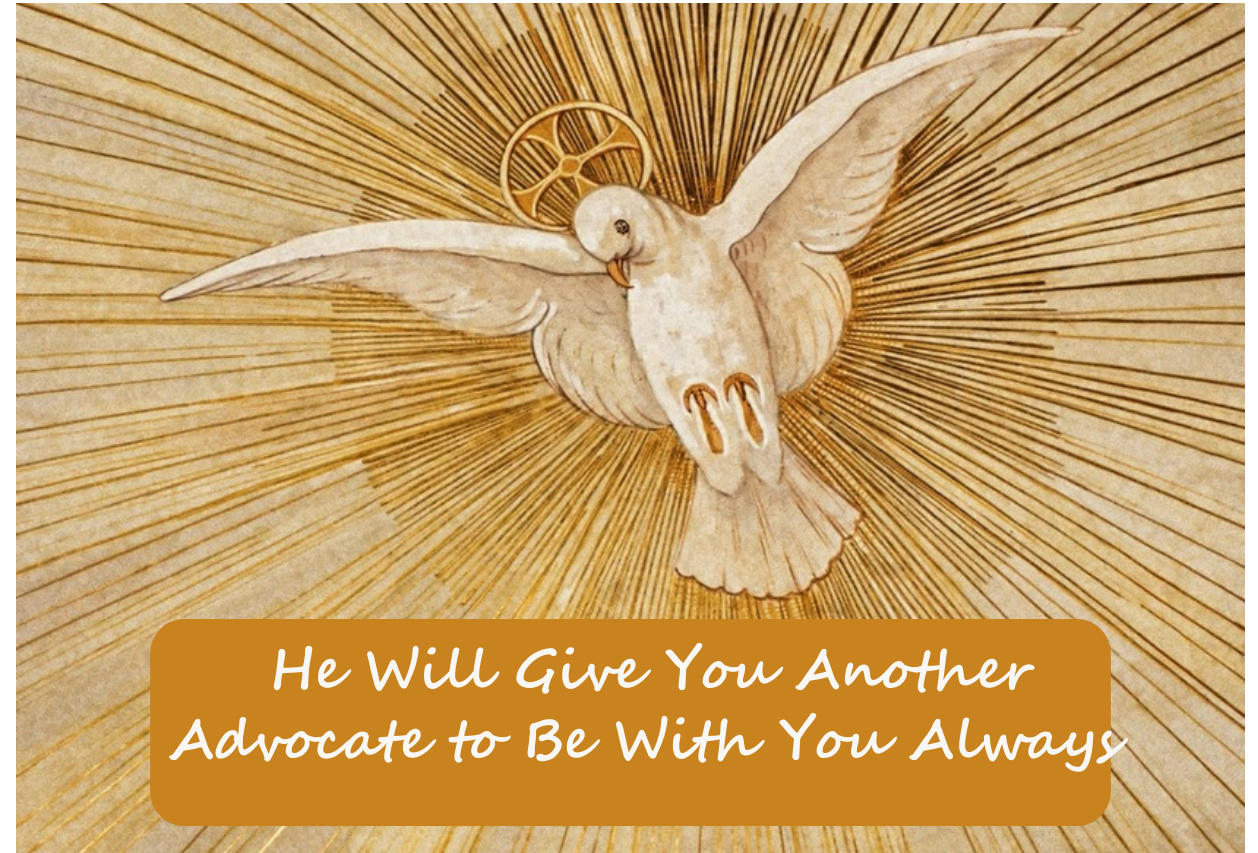
Join us for Mass at 10:30am on Thursday (May 14th) for the **Ascension of the Lord**, a Holy Day of Obligation.



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The Walter and Barbara Parkes Family Chapel at St. Ann's Community

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST
WEEK OF May 10th, 2026
All Chapel Services can be viewed on Channel 2493

- Sat. (May 9th) Anticipated Mass for the Sixth Sunday of Easter**
4:00pm Theresa & Sam DeVecchio on the Anniv. of Their Marriage—
Their Family
- Sun. (May 10th) Sixth Sunday of Easter**
10:00am Rose Ann Rosica—Maria Rosica
May Crowning During Mass
- Mon. (May 11th) Monday of the 6th Week of Easter**
10:30am Shirley Fischer—Dolores
- Tues. (May 12th) Sts. Nereus & Achilleus / St. Pancras (Optional Memorials)**
10:30am For All the Chaplain Priests & Resident Priests at St. Ann's Home
—Friend
- Wed. (May 13th) Our Lady of Fatima (Optional Memorial)**
10:30am The Intentions of Fred Donofrio—Friend
- Thurs. (May 14th) The Ascension of the Lord (Holy Day of Obligation)**
10:30am Marge Lortie—St. Ann's Angels
- Sat. (May 16th) Anticipated Mass for the Seventh Sunday of Easter**
4:00pm Jean Jablonski in Celebration of her 90th Birthday—Family
- Sun. (May 17th) Seventh Sunday of Easter**
10:00am John & Rosemary Lamphron—Daughters

Dear Friends,

The mystery of the Trinity can be difficult for us to grasp. Today's Gospel invites us to consider how the three persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—work together so that God's salvation is made known to us. Jesus' mission is continued through the activity of the Holy Spirit in the lives of his disciples. We have received this same Spirit through our Baptisms. The Spirit, living and working within us, reveals the mystery of God's love for us. Just as the first disciples were not left orphaned, we are not orphaned; we remain in God's embrace through the gift of the Holy Spirit.

As we have seen in the last few weeks, Jesus is preparing to leave his disciples to return to the Father. Again, relationships are key. The word "love" bookends today's gospel, as Jesus invites us into the relationship he has with the Father. In a very intimate way, Jesus invites us to know God in a way that is deeply personal.

How many times do we choose against God, in small things and in big ones? If our own salvation were determined by our own works, we would have no reason for hope. Thankfully we rely on Christ's merits, and not our own. If we are to love Jesus, it is because he has already loved us first and offers us the grace to love him in return, even if imperfectly.

Have a Blessed Easter Season! ~ Rose

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“Let Mary never be far from
your lips
and from your heart.
Following her, you will never
lose your way.
Praying to her, you will never
sink into despair.
Contemplating her, you will
never go wrong.”

Saint Bernardine of Siena, Feast Day
May 20th

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John 17:9

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4:00pm Jean Jablonski in Celebration of her 90th Birthday—Family

Sun. (May 17th) **Seventh Sunday of Easter**
10:00am John & Rosemary Lamphron—Daughters

Mon. (May 18th) **St. John I, Pope & Martyr (Optional Memorial)**
10:30am Rev. John B. Crowley

Tues. (May 19th) **Tuesday of the 7th Week of Easter**
10:30am The Intentions of JoAnne & Fran Maier—Friend

Wed. (May 20th) **St. Bernardine of Siena (Optional Memorial)**
10:30am Joan DiProsa on the 30th Anniv of her Death — Frank

Thurs. (May 21st) **Thursday of the 7th Week of Easter**
10:30am Rev. John B. Crowley

Sat. (May 23rd) **Anticipated Mass for Pentecost**
4:00pm All Elders at St. Ann's Community

Sun. (May 24th) **Pentecost Sunday**
10:00am The Intentions of William & Mary Butler—
Faith & Don Keeley

Dear Friends,

We've heard Jesus's Farewell Discourse now for several weeks, pointing us to and preparing us for the inevitability of Jesus's departure. Having celebrated the Ascension on Thursday, this is one Sunday between the ascent of Jesus to the Father and the descent of the Spirit at Pentecost, giving us special context in which to continue to reflect on the words of Jesus. What are the Apostles (and us) to do in the meantime? I'm sure that they had the same question at the Last Supper hearing these words or gathered together after the ascension. They knew that their relationship with Jesus would not disappear, but it had to change. Where they could not see him, they took to prayer, as we see in the first reading. Fortunately for us, we have the same path to Jesus as the apostles did. As Jesus has returned to the Father, we remain on earth to do the work of God, holding on to his memory as handed down through Scriptures.

In the gospel, Jesus proclaims that he glorified the Father by doing the work given to him. Jesus says, "I have been glorified in them," them being each of us called by God into his kingdom. We are called to do the same. Because we are united in Christ, everything we do should give glory to God. Are we ready to accept this responsibility?

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