

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH (+ Deceased)

**Sunday, May 9, Sixth Sunday of Easter
Mother's Day**

8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart-Geraldine Weber+ and Charles Frederick+
9:00 a.m. Latin Mass @ the Log Church-Helen Whited+
10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family-Women of Parish past and present

**Monday, May 10, St. Damien de Veuster, Priest
No Mass**

Tuesday, May 11, Weekday of Easter Season
8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart-Charles Frederick+

Wednesday, May 12, Sts. Nereus and Achileus, Martyrs and St. Pancras, Martyr
8:00 a.m. @ Holy Family-Fr. Dale Maxfield+

Thursday, May 13, Our Lady of Fatima
8:00 a.m. mass @ Sacred Heart-Evelyn Kemp+

Friday, May 14, St. Matthias, Apostle
8:00 a.m. Service @ Holy Family-Carlos Zavala, Jr.+

Saturday, May 15 Vigil of the Ascension of the Lord
5:00 p.m. mass @ Holy Family-Frank and Dorothy Matejka+



Sunday, May 16, Ascension of the Lord
8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart-Duane McClanahan
9:00 a.m. Latin Mass @ the Log Church-Whited Family
10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family-Carlos Zavala, Jr.+

**May God Bless our Mothers
Biological, Step, Adopted or Foster**



Parish SUPPORT

Please prayerfully consider your own stewardship and pray for the financial well being of Sacred Heart Parish

May 2, 2021

<i>General Collections</i>	
Envelopes (19)	\$1,027.00
Loose	10.00
Total General Collections	\$1,037.00
<i>Special Collections</i>	
Mission Appeal (3)	75.00
Candles	34.00
Total Special Collections	\$ 109.00
Total Deposit	\$1,146.00
Building Maintenance (3)	235.00
Mass Intentions (0)	0.00

****Please remember that during this time of uncertainty your donations are still needed to keep our church going.****



**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 16, 2021**



**Greeter
Lector**

**Eucharistic Minister-Choir :
Ushers:**

**Phyllis Gould
Geri Basinski
Rose Jordan
Christopher Cronin and Melanie Curtis**



Fr. Osang is available for Confession every Sunday morning at 7:30 a.m.

Reflection from the desk of the Pastor

Sixth Sunday of Easter Mother's Day May 9, 2021 Year B

The visit with Cornelius was preceded by a vision. In the vision, Peter saw a large sheet coming down from the heavens which contained all the earth's four-legged animals and reptiles and birds of the sky. When Peter was asked to rise and eat, he declared that he could not eat anything profane or unclean. Peter was then told that nothing created by God was unclean. Peter was then directed by the spirit to follow the men who had come to invite him to the house of Cornelius, a God-fearing centurion who was also a Gentile. Although it was unlawful for Jews to associate with the Gentiles, Peter proceeded to have a discussion with Cornelius. During the discussion, Peter declared that God had no favorites. Rather, whoever fears God and acts appropriately is acceptable to God. Peter then gives the order for the Gentiles to also be baptized. This encounter between Peter and Cornelius provides us with some insight on how God treats us. The gospel is not the exclusive preserve of a select few. Salvation is offered as a gift to all who accept it. It is easy for us Christian to think that we are the only ones that would be saved. Let us remember that there are several others who, through no fault of theirs, are not of the same fold as us. They will also be saved by God in his own way if they behave in an acceptable manner. Perhaps, this would help us appreciate other religious denominations.



SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Cassidy Aldridge, David and Sandy Anderson, Lauretta Anzalone, Kim Arnold, Lindsey Arnold, Donita Baldwin, Monica Bauer, Betty and Larry Blair, Jill Boker, Lydia Boyer and family, Gina Brendley, Jolene Carroll, Virgil Casey, Barbara and I.D. Cleveland, Camryn Coughlin, Betty & Don DeRousse, Frank Dowd, Margaret Dowd, Hannah, Jerry, and Marilyn Dycus, Marilyn Elfrink, Eli Fielder, Joan Frederick, Loretta Gardner, Marion Gautreaux, Erica and Michael Golightly, Joseph Gourley, Mary Gramm, Bryant Hahn, Christ Hallerman, Vernon Heine, Jerry Hight, Dale Hoepfinger, Linda Johnson, Tody and Carolyn Jones, Earnest Jordan, Jan and Norma Karstetter, Carol and Richard Kelling, Russell Kelling, Hailey Kofron, William LaCroix, Steve Lawlor, Beverly and Michele Martin, Geraldine McCoy, Lisa McDonald, Myron, Scott McIntosh, Jim and Nancy Merkley, Robin Miller, Linda Mooney, Kady Myers, Parker, Bill Pennock, Lillian Phillips, Karen Pratt, Irma Proffer, Alyssa Rhyne, Dillan Roberson, David Ryder, Mary Schmid, Richard Singer, Nina Smith, Abby Steffen, Dee Sullivan, Mandy Sullivan, Andy and Michelle Urke, Joshua Wade, Evermore Grace Wagner, Maryann Wagner, and James Whipple. **Please remember teenagers and their overwhelming challenges. *If you know of someone that needs to be added or removed from this list, please let Joan Scharf know as soon as possible.***



Please remember our Service Men and Women protecting our freedom!

Tressa Tucker , U.S. Air Force	Sister of Jake Weber
Hunter Kelling , U. S. Navy	Son of Holly and Travis Kelling
Joseph F. Gloeckner , U. S. Navy	Son of Michael and Renee Gloeckner



***Mass Intentions are a wonderful way to remember your loved ones, those who have special needs, or any special occasion. The recommended offering is \$10.00. Put your intention and money in the collection basket or send it to Sherri at the parish office, P. O. Box 35, Dupo, Illinois 62239.* Available NOW!**

Hospital Visitations-Due to the new privacy laws most hospitals are not notifying the Pastor of parishioners who are in the hospital. If you or a loved one is in the hospital and wish for Father Osang to visit, please leave a message for him at 618-337-4548 with the name, hospital, and room number (if you have it).

Home Visitation and Communion-If anyone would appreciate a visit or Communion brought to their home please call Fr. Osang at 618-337-4548 or leave a message at the parish office (618-286-4373).

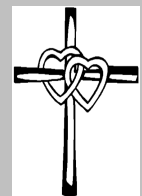
Hall Rental-For hall rental information please contact Linda Kukla at (618) 671-3349. You can view the Parish Hall - Policy and print out the Rental Agreement by visiting our website at www.sacredheartchurchdupo.org and clicking on Hall Rental.



Happy Birth day to You....Happy birthday to you...happy birthday dear...May 9th-Diane Lovell 10th-John Koebbe 11th-Nancy Merkley 13th-Monte Miller and Vernon Wienhoff 22nd-Fr. Paul Wienhoff 23rd-Oscar McCoy 10th-John Koebbe 30th-Mandy Sullivan 31st-Glenn McCoy

Anniversary Blessings for May:

12th	Idus and Barbara Cleveland	37 Years
17th	David and Elizabeth Vernon	46 Years
21st	Ralph and Joan Scharf	45 Years
21st	Bishop Michael McGovern Ordination	37 Years
30th	Duane and Carol McClanahan	58 Years



May each of you be richly blessed by the Lord! Your faith family.



The ballots have been tallied for the two Parish Council representatives and we would like to congratulate **Kathy Weichert and Karen LaCroix** and welcome them as the newest members of the Parish Council. We want to thank Kathy, Karen and Melanie for giving us the opportunity to have an election during these confusing times. We also want to extend our gratitude to Phyllis Gould and Melanie Curtis for their prior years on the Parish Council and know we appreciated their commitment to the meetings and counting the tithing. Everyone of these ladies have been instrumental in making Sacred Heart a better parish. Thank You!! **Dennis Martin, Parish Council**

**COVID 19 Vaccinations Available
St. Clair County Health Department**

If you have not been inoculated yet, but would like to receive your vaccination, call the Vaccination Hot Line at (833) 621-1284.

Respect for Life Corner

“Get up, I myself am also a human being.” In the First Reading from the Acts of the Apostles (Chapter 10) Peter meets Cornelius at his house and Cornelius immediately falls to his feet to honor Peter, but he is told to literally ‘get up, I am no different than you,’ Then Peter delivers the big news, that Jesus shows no partiality in salvation and that all of us can be saved! This astounded the crowd, especially as Peter began to baptize them into new life in the name of Jesus Christ.

Learn, Act, Connect and Pray- Through our faith, we know that we can never repay what we owe to our Father, but the seeds we plant today through our good works in love and obedience will bear fruit tomorrow. Our efforts are never wasted. May we too fall to our knees in gratitude of Christ who came for all mankind. As Bishop Kenneth Untener reminds us, “We are prophets of a future that is not our own.”

For free confidential counseling after an abortion call: 618-722-5068 or visit: hopeafterabortion.org. or projectrachel@diobelle.org. Wendy Fink, Respect for Life Coordinator, Diocese of Belleville

Ascension of the Lord

**Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48. Psalm 98:1, 2-3, 3-4. 1
John 4:7-10. John 15:9-17**

Love, Love, Love. “Love” or “loved” is spoken seventeen times in the Bible readings today. Not a mushy Hallmark movie kind of love. But the love God has for us. The love we have for God and Christ. The love, therefore, we must have for everyone else. Strong, bold, lasting.

- How do I know I am loved? Let me count the persons and ways?
- How will I love those who are near?
- How will I love everyone else?

**R. Diane Clark,
Office of Worship, Diocese of Belleville**

The 2021 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal

Whoever believes in me will do the works that I do...

-John 14:12

Sacred Heart has a total of 103 households with a target donation goal of \$3,920. So far 13 household have donated a total of \$1,390.



Help your marriage sacrament stay refreshed and full of energy by getting it recharged at a virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience.

Upcoming Experiences include:

May 6 - June 17, 2021 (Thursdays) - To register or for more information contact: Jim & Kris McCulloch, 630-577-0778, or to apply go to wwme.org



Reflect Catholic Retreat for Mid-life Singles

Are you looking for a renewed sense of connection & purpose during this pandemic? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT Catholic weekend retreat at King's House Retreat Center, Belleville, (20 min from downtown St. Louis), on June 4-6, 2021. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$210 including meals and a single room. Visit www.ReflectRetreat.com, e-mail reflect.stlouis@gmail.com, or call (314) 283-0044 for details.



Rummage Sale

Women's Club News....The Rummage Sale date is pending, however donations are still being accepted on Tuesday mornings after mass or by scheduling a delivery with Linda Kukla at (618) 671-3349 or Karen LaCroix at (618) 286-4392. Please remember that **no** televisions or electronic devices are being accepted. **Due to the COVID restrictions, meetings are suspended until further notice.** Thank you, **Karen LaCroix**, President

SS PETER & PAUL PARISH, WATERLOO ** GOLD RUSH RAFFLE **

The SS Peter & Paul Parish (Waterloo) GOLD RUSH raffle fundraiser started on May 1! Ticket sales are online by clicking on this link: <https://GoldRush2021.givesmart.com>. There is also detailed information about the 9 drawings for \$1,000 or more. Tickets are \$100 each, and your tickets will be put back into each drawing. This means you can win more than once! The first 2 \$1,000 drawings will be on the Saturday of our Parish Picnic on June 12, 2021. For more information, please contact Staci Wittenauer at wittens@mac.com or 618.791.7131. Thank you for your support of our local parishes!



SEXUAL ABUSE HOTLINE

Anyone wishing to report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel please call the hotline: 800-640-3044.

INFORMATION SHEET

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