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**SUNDAY, MAY 23, 2021
PENTECOST SUNDAY**

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Pastor**

**The Reverend Edwin Ezeokeke, Parochial Vicar
The Reverend Lino Gonsalves, In Residence**

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PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Friday: 8:30am-5:30pm

**The Catholic Faith Community
of
Our Lady of Victory
and the
Church of St. Andrew
www.olvsta.org**

OUR LADY OF VICTORY

MASSES

Sunday: 10:15, 12:15pm & 5:15pm

Mon. - Fri.: 8:15am, 12:15pm*

*** (All in Upper Church.)

* Following the 12:15, the Novena of the day follows.

Holidays: 8:15am, 12:15pm

Holy Day Vigil: As Announced

Holy Days: 8:15am, 12:15pm, & 5:15pm

CONFESSIONS

Mon. - Fri.: 12:45-1:15pm

NOVENAS & DEVOTIONS

Mon.: Miraculous Medal

Sat.: The Rosary

Tues.: St. Anthony

1st Fri.: Sacred Heart

Wed.: St. Jude

Novena

Thurs.: The Holy Spirit

Fridays of Lent:

Fri.: The Rosary

Stations of the Cross

BAPTISMS: Please call the rectory for information.

ST. ANDREW'S

MASSES

No Mass at Saint Andrew Till Further Notice

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Legion of Mary (OLV) - As Announced

Patrician Catholic (Discussion Group (OLV)) -

As Announced

FiDi Catholic Young Adults - As Announced

May 23, 2021 Pentecost Sunday

LORD, SEND OUT YOUR SPIRIT

In today's responsorial psalm the Church sings out: "Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth." All three readings describe how God has answered that prayer already.

In the first reading from the Acts of the Apostles and in the Gospel passage from John, we read of astonishing events that called cowering disciples to step out of hiding and proclaim news that would condemn them and change the world forever! In the second reading Paul's words reach out into the future to us: "we were all given to drink of one Spirit" (1 Corinthians 12:13).

It is our task to truly pray today's psalm response. Let us together beg the Holy Spirit to renew the earth by renewing the Church, sending many more men and women to serve in its various ministries.

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your
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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak in different tongues (Acts 2:1-11).

Psalm — Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth (Psalm 104).

Second Reading — There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13) or Galatians 5:16-25.

Gospel — As the Father has sent me, so I send you: Receive the Holy Spirit (John 20:19-23) or John 15:26-27; 16:12-15. The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the Lectionary for Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The roots of today's "birthday of the Church" are in an ancient Jewish festival of springtime harvest, seven weeks after Passover. Now, seven weeks after Easter, our great fifty days of rejoicing come to an end. In the countries where the Church first came to life, this is a time of harvest, and the first fruits appear: apricots and lemons, cherries and strawberries. Even in our gardens, herbs are abundant and asparagus, that close relation of the Easter lily, comes fresh to our tables. The earth is laden with so much new life, and that has always been a sign to Christians of Easter's glory. Pentecost means "fifty" and our fifty days of Easter joy are complete. This Sunday is a day to savor the glory of Easter once more: picnics and cookouts, walks by the water, time in the garden—are all ways of extending the feast. Notice the paschal candle today, still burning during Mass. Our Easter celebration now complete, the candle will soon be moved to a place near the baptismal font, and be lighted at baptisms and funerals as a silent witness to Christ's abiding presence.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14;

Ps 87:1-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23; Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: Sir 42:15-25; Ps 33:2-9; Mk 10:46-52

Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;

Mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8-11; Mk 11:27-33

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-6, 9, 18-20, 22; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

WORK OF THE SPIRIT

Where the human spirit fails, the Holy Spirit fills.

—Anonymous

Pentecost Sunday

May 23, 2021

*There are different kinds of spiritual gifts
but the same Spirit.*

— 1 Corinthians 12:4



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday

Monday: The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church; Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

Tuesday: St. Bede the Venerable; St. Gregory VII; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi

Wednesday: St. Philip Neri

Thursday: St. Augustine of Canterbury

Saturday: St. Paul VI; Blessed Virgin Mary

■ **Please Pray For Our Priests Who Are Ill** ■

■ Monsignor Thomas Bergin, Father Brian Brennan, Father Patrick Curley, Monsignor Michael Curran, Father Alfred D’Incecco, Father John Figueroa, Father Hugh Grace, Father Jack Hunter, Monsignor George Kuhn, Father Thomas Lynch, Monsignor Hugh McManus, Father Philip Quealy, Father Richard Seagraves.

■ **Please Pray For Our Priests Who Are Deceased** ■

■ Monsignor Dermot Brennan, Monsignor John T. Mulligan.

Pentecost Sunday

Come, Holy Spirit! Today we celebrate Pentecost, the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the first disciples and on all who are baptized. We also commemorate the birth of the Church. Before Pentecost, the disciples remained hidden and uncertain; at Pentecost, those who were gathered were filled with the Spirit and proclaimed the wonders of the Good News of Christ to all. The Spirit guides us to the truth of Christ’s love and mercy and strengthens us to live as disciples. Without the Holy Spirit, we would perish; with the Spirit, we have life to the full. Relying on the Spirit, we are given the grace to turn away from the many temptations that we face each day and prefer instead what is good and holy. Come, Holy Spirit, come!



WELCOME

Lily Karen Marie Ball!

It is with great happiness and thankfulness that we announce that Lily Ball, daughter of John Ball & Julie Kontes, was baptized into the Roman Catholic faith on Saturday, April 24th. Her Godparents are Kenneth & MaryAnn Purcell. We are happy to welcome her into the Church as a child of God, signed & sealed now with the Holy Spirit. We also welcome her into the Parish of Our Lady of Victory & Saint Andrew. We extend our prayerful good wishes to all her loved ones and congratulate Kenneth & MaryAnn in their role as Godparents in assisting John & Julie in the raising of their daughter in the Catholic faith. Let us all rejoice!



A PRAYER TO THE SPIRIT

Holy Spirit, who sent Christ Jesus to carry the Good news to the poor, we pray to you:

Help us to continue your work by serving the poor, our brothers and sisters.
—From Come, Lord Jesus by Lucien Deiss, CSSP, copyright © 1976, 1981, Lucien Deiss. Published by World Library Publications. p.181



FEAST OF FAITH

Liturgy: Work of the Spirit

The Spirit of God who hovered over the waters at the dawn of creation—the Holy Spirit who descended upon the disciples at Pentecost in ever-changing forms in the sound of a mighty wind or tongues of flame—hovers also over our celebration of the liturgy, giving it life, making it real. It is the Spirit of God who draws us, gathering us together, Sunday after Sunday. It is the Spirit of God who called loudly to the inspired writers of the scriptures and who continues to whisper to us, revealing ever-new facets of God’s word, granting insight just when we need it. It is by the Spirit’s power that, when Christ’s words are uttered by the priest, the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ. And it is surely the Spirit who inspires us—that is, breathes in us—when, sent forth from the assembly, we seek ways to serve our brothers and sisters, to allow the gospel to come to life in the world. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of your love.

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6-DAY CANDLES AVAILABLE

You can now light a candle in the church and have it stay lit for almost a week for your prayer intentions, in thanksgiving to God or in memorial of a loved one!



These special votive candles have clear covers decorated with a cross design and can be placed inside one of the glass holders provided before the statues of Christ the King, Our Lady of Fatima, the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Divine Mercy, Our Lady of Victory or Saint Anne, the Mother of Mary in the Upper Church only. Once lit, the candles will stay burning for your intention for about a week.

They are available for purchase from the parish office downstairs or from Carlos, our Sacristan, if you see him in the Upper Church.

If you wish, you can also purchase the candle and light for your home. The protective glass containers are also available for purchase.

The lighting of candles for your prayer intentions is a time-honored tradition in the Catholic Church that we are happy to provide at Our Lady of Victory and St. Andrew.

PERHAPS SHE NEEDS THE VACATION MORE THAN HE DOES . . .

First woman: My son came to visit for summer vacation.

Second woman: How nice! Did you meet him at the airport?

First woman: Oh, no. I've known him for years!



**JOIN US IN
PRAYING
THE DIVINE MERCY
CHAPLET
MON-FRI
at 3:00 PM
in the Upper Church**

***For the sake of
his Sorrowful Passion have
mercy on us
and the whole world!***

MASS INTENTIONS

*** Indications "for the intentions of"

OUR LADY OF VICTORY ST. ANDREW CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 23

PENTECOST

10:15am: Douglas Hammond

12:15 pm: Mara Chavolla ***

5:15 pm: Joseph L. Rossi

*No Weekend Mass at
St. Andrew's location*

*No Weekday Masses at
Saint Andrew Till Fur-
ther Notice*

MONDAY, MAY 24

8:15 am: Fr. Romeo

Hontiveros

12:15 pm: Anthony Cerasuolo

TUESDAY, MAY 25

8:15 am: Alice Berulotti

12:15 pm: Gabrielle Block

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26

8:15 am: Jane & Stanley

Kalinowski

12:15pm: Rudy Tejada ***

THURSDAY, MAY 27

8:15am: Angela Rogers ***

12:15pm: Sr. Mary & Sr.

Christine ***

FRIDAY, MAY 28

8:15am: Vocations to The
Priesthood

12:15pm: Gary Bates

SUNDAY, MAY 30

10:15am: John Bassi

12:15 pm: Amelia D'Costa

5:15 pm: Mother of May
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