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and kindle in them the fire of your love.*

*Ven, Espíritu Santo, llena corazones de tus fieles
y enciende en ellos el fuego de tu amor.*

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Please observe the public health guidelines for our community which augment the State of Missouri guidelines. Social distancing does make a difference. Use masks where appropriate and as your mother certainly insisted, "Don't just run water, wash your hands with soap".

Please remember, even in this time of isolation, that we still pray and worship together as a community of faith. Prayer is never constrained by human limits or locations. In our prayer, we join together with the entire communion of saints.

We lift up to the Lord all those who have died, especially victims of this pandemic, may they enjoy the fullness of Christ. We pray too, for those suffering from illness or stress, and those touched by this public health crisis, and for all others who are sick or suffering. May we be strong and persistent in our desire to live our faith. And may we remember the Lord's promise, "I am with you always, until the end of the age."

Durante esta crisis de salud pública, el obispo Shawn exime a todos los feligreses de su obligación dominical de asistir a misa hasta el 30 de junio. **Observe las pautas de salud pública** para nuestra comunidad. El distanciamiento social marca la diferencia. Use máscaras cuando sea apropi-

ado y como su madre ciertamente insistió, "No solo corra agua, lávese las manos con jabón".

Recuerde, incluso en este tiempo de aislamiento, que todavía rezamos y adoramos juntos como una comunidad de fe. La oración nunca está limitada por límites humanos o ubicaciones. En nuestra oración, nos unimos a toda la comunión de los santos.

Elevamos al Señor a todos los que han muerto, para que disfruten de la plenitud de Cristo. Oramos también por aquellos que padecen enfermedades o estrés, especialmente aquellos afectados de alguna manera por esta crisis de salud pública, y por todos los demás que están enfermos o sufriendo.

Que seamos fuertes y persistentes en nuestro deseo de vivir nuestra fe. Y recordemos la promesa del Señor: "Yo estaré con ustedes todos los días, hasta el fin del mundo".



Happy Birthday / Feliz Cumpleaños...June/Junio 1, David Hauser; **4**, Consuelo Arzola; **5**, Kevin Osorio, Damian Arellano, Kaley Bahena; **10**, Omar Roman; **11**, Noemi Gil; **15**, Nash Gardner; **16**, Blabka Diaz; **17**, Marcos Carrillo, Lizabeth Carrillo; **21**, Diego Chaparro; **24**, Jim Brinkley; **26** Edwin Pacheco; **28**, Paula Casteneda .

Anniversaries / Aniversarios...June/Junio 3, Dennis & Sherri Ryan, 42 years; **4**, Mario y liana Chapiro, 19 años; **8**, Rex & Paula May, 52 years; **14** Justin and Stephanie Oaks, 17 years.

Weekly Readings

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May 31, Sunday-Domingo
The Solemnity of Pentecost
La Solemnidad de Pentecostes
Acts/Hch 2:1-11
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13
Jn 20:19-23

June 1, Monday-Lunes
Mary, Mother of the Church
María, Madre de la Iglesia
Gn 3:9-11, 20
Jn 19:25-34

June 2, Tuesday-Martes
2 Pt/Pedro 3:12-15a, 17-18
Mk/Mc 12:13-17

June 3, Wednesday-Miércoles
St Charles/Carlos Lawanga
2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12
Mk/Mc 12:18-27

June 4, Thursday-Jueves
2 Tm 2:8-15
Mk/Mc 12:28-34

June 5, Friday-Viernes
St Boniface / San Bonifacio
2 Tm 3:10-17
Mk/Mc 12:35-37

June 6, Saturday-Sábado
2 Tm 4:1-8
Mk/Mc 12:38-44

June 7, Sunday-Domingo
Holy Trinity Sunday
La Santísima Trinidad
Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9
2 Cor 13:11-13
Jn 3:16-18

Mass Intentions

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Parish

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Pentecost, Year A Pentecostés, el año A Gospel of St. Matthew / El evangelio de San Mateo May / Mayo 31, 2020

From Deacon John...

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Cerca del comienzo de su vida pública, Jesús llamó a algunos pescadores y les dijo: "Siganme y los haré pescadores de hombres". Esos pocos hombres aceptaron con entusiasmo su desafío. Durante los siguientes tres años, oraron con él, comieron con él, trabajaron con él, caminaron con él. Finalmente Jesús les dijo: "La paz sea con ustedes. Como el Padre me ha enviado, yo también te envío a ti. Para esos discípulos había llegado su hora, no más preparación, no más espera. Jesús respiró su propio espíritu sobre ellos, transmitiendo coraje y fuerza. Recibieron la voluntad y el deseo de comenzar su propio ministerio de servicio al mundo. Nosotros también, tenemos ese espíritu divino dentro de nosotros, también recibimos un llamado a servir. Por favor, haga saber cualquier necesidad en nuestra comunidad al Padre. Pat o un diácono. Ustedes son los ojos a través de los cuales Cristo hace el bien. Trabajando juntos, ayudaremos a satisfacer las necesidades que se desarrollan dentro de nuestras comunidades.

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Background on the Gospel Reading

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We already heard today's Gospel proclaimed on the Second Sunday of Easter this year (Lectionary Cycle A). That Gospel passage, however, also included the description of Jesus' appearance to Thomas. In that context, we were led reflect on belief and unbelief.

In the context of the Feast of Pentecost, John

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Bishop McKnight's June prayer intention for our Local Church

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Intención del mes de junio del Obispo McKnight por nuestra Iglesia Local

Que el Sagrado Corazón de Jesús transforme a todos los hombres, especialmente a los padres, para que confiando en el modelo de San José obtengan devoción y un liderazgo valiente por aquellos que el Señor ha encomendado a su cuidado.

action of the Holy Spirit. Jesus greets his disciples with the gift of peace. Jesus then commissions his disciples to continue the work that he has begun, "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." He breathes the Holy Spirit upon the disciples and sends them to continue his work of reconciliation through the forgiveness of sins. Jesus' act of breathing the Holy Spirit mirrors God's act of breathing life into Adam at the time of Creation. In fact, both the Greek and Hebrew words for "spirit" can also be translated as "breath."

This Gospel reminds us that the Church is called to be a reconciling presence in the world. The reconciling presence of Christ is celebrated in the Church's sacramental life. In the Sacrament of Baptism, we are cleansed of sin and become a new creation in Christ. In the Sacrament of Penance, the Church celebrates the mercy of God through the forgiving of sins. This reconciling presence is also to be a way of life for Christians. In situations of conflict, we are to be agents of peace and harmony among people.



Giving and Spending	Last 30 Days	Year To Date
Collections	\$5,045	\$66,653
Bills Paid	\$6,149	\$80,035
Balance	-1,104	-\$13,382

Question of the Week

Pentecost — John 20:19-23

Key Passage: The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit."

Question for adults: What important work does Jesus ask of you at this time in your life?

Question for children: How would Jesus want you to treat your family and friends this week?

Pregunta de la Semana

Pentecostés -- Juan 20:19-23

Pasaje Crucial: Cuando los discípulos vieron al Señor, se llenaron de alegría. De nuevo les dijo Jesús: "La paz esté con ustedes. Como el Padre me ha enviado, así también los envío yo". Después de decir esto, sopló sobre ellos y les dijo: "Reciban el Espíritu Santo."

Pregunta para los adultos: ¿Qué trabajo importante te pide Jesús en este momento de tu vida?

Pregunta para los niños: ¿Cómo querría Jesús que trataras a tu familia y amigos esta semana?

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Please observe the public health guidelines for our community. The recent increase in infection rates makes this especially necessary. Social distancing makes a difference. Use masks where appropriate, remain six feet apart, and wash your hands often.

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Collections	\$790	\$32,183
Bills Paid	\$1,730	\$25,503
Balance	-\$940	\$6,680

Remember, in this time of isolation, that we still pray and worship together as a community of faith. Prayer is not constrained by human limits or locations. In prayer, we join together with the entire communion of saints.

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To date, the COVID-19 infection rates have been much higher in Sullivan and Adair counties than in Putnam county. These higher rates compelled us to continue suspension of all public liturgies, most especially, the sacrifice of holy mass. For the present time, we will continue that public suspension in both the Milan and Unionville churches. However, the Sacrament of Reconciliation continues to be celebrated on Wednesday evenings and celebration of the other sacraments for you or your family may occur under circumstances that meet current public health guidelines. Contact Deacon John to schedule any upcoming sacraments. Your diocesan and parish leadership is working to resume public liturgies as soon as is safely possible.



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**Pentecost,
Year A, Sunday, May 31, 2020**

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We Celebrate and Give Thanks...

Birthdays: June 2, Kathleen VanWyhe; June 3, Ed Brockmeyer
Anniversaries: June, no recorded weddings.

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Father Pat is available for confessions on Wednesdays. from 5:00 to 5:45 pm.

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