



**SATURDAY, May 25<sup>th</sup>**  
 8:30 A.M. + John Bukvie'  
 Req. by his Family  
 4:30 P.M. + Deceased members of the Harcher and LeRose Families  
 Req. by Jean & Pete LeRose

**SUNDAY, May 26<sup>th</sup>**  
 8:00 A.M. + People of the Parish and Michael and Mark Esposito  
 Req. by Marguerite Violante  
 10:30 A.M. + Marite Civile  
 Req. by her sister Barbara Cardana

**MONDAY, May 27<sup>th</sup>**  
 8:00 A.M. + Bobby (Zisimos) Katsaittis  
 Req. by M/M C. Montrose

**TUESDAY, May 28<sup>th</sup>**  
**NO MASS**

**WEDNESDAY, May 29<sup>th</sup>**  
 5:30 P.M. **Vigil Ascension of the Lord**  
 + Cecilia Wiggins  
 Req. by St. Charles Helping Hands Ministry

**THURSDAY, May 30<sup>th</sup>**  
 8:00 A.M. **Ascension of the Lord**  
 + Edward Byrne  
 Req. by his Wife  
 7:00 P.M. Special Blessings and graces on Carol Esposito and Family

**FRIDAY, May 31<sup>st</sup>**  
 8:00 A.M. + Angie Romano  
 Req. by Minnie Seitz

**SATURDAY, June 1<sup>st</sup>**  
 8:30 A.M. In Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
 Req. by Renna Meyer  
 4:30 P.M. People of the Parish and + Mildred Amelia Bukvie'  
 Req. by her Family

**SUNDAY, June 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
 8:00 A.M. **7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**  
 + Mary R. Alonzo  
 Req. by her Husband and Family  
 10:30 A.M. + Karen Rossister  
 Req. by Kathleen Puntar

**IF YOU HAVE ARRANGED FOR A MASS TO BE SAID, WE REMIND YOU THAT IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE GIFTS—PLEASE SEE THE USHERS BEFORE MASS BEGINS. THANK YOU.**



**PLEASE PRAY FOR AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS.**

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**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL.**



**PRAYER REQUESTS**

Rose Compitello, Kenneth Collins, Richard Continanzi, Meridith Steimele, Bill (Coach) Freer, Samantha Styles, Judy Callahan, Maria Cino, Kim Chanowitz, Marianna Nelson, Fran Burgess, Barbara Valk, John Lenio, Paul Williams, Jeanne Ann Dlugolecki, Gary Sperano, Stephen Rodgers, Jenny Sasson, Kylie and Kelsey Wohlguemuth and Finnigan Family.

If you know of someone in need of prayer, please let us know by calling the rectory.

**LECTORS**


05/25	4:30 p.m.	Marguerite Violante
05/26	8:00 a.m.	Kathleen Fowler
05/26	10:30 a.m.	Lisa Betanzos
06/01	4:30 p.m.	Peter LeRose
06/02	8:00 a.m.	L. & D. Youssefbaik
06/02	10:30 a.m.	Need Volunteer

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST**

05/25	4:30 p.m.	Peter LeRose, Ann Gulbrandsen, Need Volunteer
05/26	8:00 a.m.	Doreen Allen, Cathy Naclerio Janet Betanzos
05/26	10:30 a.m.	Marie Regino, Jamie Hoyt, Need Volunteer
06/01	4:30 p.m.	Ann Gulbrandsen, Peter LeRose, Need Volunteer
06/02	8:00 a.m.	Ed & Gladys Collins, G.Gravatt
06/02	10:30 a.m.	Alice Heidecker, Need Volunteers

**ALTAR SERVERS**

05/25	4:30 p.m.	Danielle & John Reynolds
05/26	8:00 a.m.	Jack Cook, Frank Seelmann
05/26	10:30 a.m.	Roseanna Perillo, Need Volunteer
06/01	4:30 a.m.	Need Volunteers
06/02	8:00 a.m.	Frank Seelmann, Jack Cook
06/02	10:30 a.m.	Need Volunteers



Our parish family warmly welcomes new members. You may register by coming to the rectory office or completing the form on the front cover of the bulletin. Registration is necessary for Sacramental preparation and Religious Education. For letters of eligibility, you must be registered in the parish and actively participating in our parish.

**OUR CHURCH LIBRARY**

Go out to all the world and tell the Good News. (Mk 16:15). To do this, we'll get some books from our library and prepare yourself to "tell the Good News." **READ, RETURN OR PASS IT ON.**



**ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION –**

May 18 & 19 Attendance: 225  
 ( 205 Adults - 20 Children)  
 Regular Collection: \$2863.00 Fuel: \$10.00  
 Central/Eastern Europe Collection: \$698.00

**MEMORIALS**

Arrangements for Memorials can be made in the rectory office. You may call or stop in.



**the CARDINAL'S**  
 ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL  
*Sharing God's Gifts*

**2019**

Our parish goal has been set for \$27,000.00 We have received \$15620.00 in pledges toward our goal.

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**First Reading: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29**

Some men informed the Gentiles that they must be circumcised if they wished to be saved, because of the Old Laws. Disciples then went forth to tell the Gentiles to honor only those rules which were strictly necessary, such as abstaining from eating meat sacrificed to idols and illicit sexual union.

**Second Reading: Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23**

John depicts Jerusalem coming out of heaven, sparkling with the radiance of precious jewels. Angels were stationed at each of its twelve gates, and each gate bore the name of one tribe of Israel. The city had no temple, because God was its temple. The glory and light of God and the Lamb also replaced their need for the sun.

**Gospel: John 14:23-29**

Jesus tells his disciples, "Anyone who loves me will be true to my word." For those who do honor his word, both Jesus and God will love them and stay with them always. He also tells them that God will send the Holy Spirit in his place to give them the instructions they will need. Jesus then tells them that peace is his farewell gift to them.

**A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS HIS WORD TODAY** by Rev. William J. Reilly

**“Jesus said to his disciples: ‘Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him, and make our dwelling with him. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; yet the word you hear is not mine, but that of the Father who sent me’... ‘the Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you.’”**

Some recall famous farewell speeches. Others refer to them as pep talks. In business we find motivational speakers. The gospel of John in Jesus’ priestly talks, offers us all three.

How special to realize that because of my dedication and commitment, I am a living dwelling place of the Holy Spirit. How special to know that the Spirit is teaching me today, as a missionary disciple of a loving God. How special, because of my many cares and distractions, that I am reminded of what is of value, the treasure hidden in the field, the pearl of great price. Jesus is not just preparing me for His departure, or entrusting His mission to me, but expects me to carry it out by what I say and do.

**2020 MEMORIAL/ INTENTION BOOK IS OPEN**

2020 Mass intention book is open. Stipend for a Mass for those living or deceased is \$15.00. You may also have memorials/special intentions of Bread and Wine or Sanctuary Candles put on the 2020 calendar at this time. Memorials are also still \$15.00. Call the rectory office 255-1374 to make arrangements.

**ASCENSION OF THE LORD THURSDAY MAY 30<sup>TH</sup>**



Forty days after Easter, we commemorate the Ascension: Jesus returning to heaven to prepare a place for those he has called to discipleship on earth.

**The Ascension of the Lord is a holy day of obligation. Vigil Mass will be held on Wednesday evening at 5:30 pm and on the holy day Thursday at 8 am and 7 pm.**



In observance of Memorial Day the rectory office will be closed on Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup>.

**Memorial Day** is a [federal holiday in the United States](#) for remembering the people who died while serving in the [country's armed forces](#).

**THANK YOU FROM LIZ**

The Rummage Sale was a great success! Our net profit was \$1059.29. Thanks to all those who helped me set up the clothes. A big thank you to my family for set up and take down of the tables. The Kitchen staff – Thank you for all the delicious food! Girl Scout Troop 60287 took all the unsold clothing and forwarded them to those less fortunate. For all the donations, many thanks, and all those that attended, I could not do it without you.



**KNIGHTS CORNER:**

Our next meeting will be Monday June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7 pm in the Church hall.

If you would like to join the Knights of Columbus please contact Bill at 883-0138

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COME JOIN US AT DUTCHESS STADIUM  
RENEGADES GAME  
JUNE 17 @ 7:05pm –**

**This event will be A LOT of fun and serves as a fundraiser for our Religious Ed program.** Tickets are \$12/person and of that \$12, \$5 per ticket will be returned as a donation to St. Charles! Students from our program are invited to walk on the field and take a group photo after the game!

**Purchase your tickets [www.gadesgroups.com](http://www.gadesgroups.com) and use this password: **STCHARLESGARDINER****

**Let's get a great group together to represent our parish and have a FUN family night out at the Ballgame!**

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KID'S KORNER

St. Charles Borromeo Parish School Summer Camp for children ages 4 – 10 will be held the week of July 22nd – 26th from 9AM – Noon Registration forms are available in the vestibule For more information contact: Christina Wynn, CRE: st.charlesborromeo.CRE@gmail.com

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ST. CHARLES CEMETERY NEWS

Please take note: It is against our rules and regulations to have any borders, fences, stones, mulch or shrubs that exceed the height of the monument. All items that are not conforming to our rules and regulation must be removed by June 1st. The Cemetery Staff will discard any decorations remaining after that date. Thank you for your cooperation.

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Friday, June 7th. Adoration begins after the 8:00 am Mass and ends at 4 pm with Benediction. Please sign up today in the vestibule. The list will be used to ensure that the Blessed Sacrament will never be unattended. Signing

the sheet does not commit you every first Friday.

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SPIRITUAL BOUQUET

Spiritual Bouquet Father's Day cards are now available. Cards and intention envelopes are available in the vestibules and in the rectory. Intentions will be placed on the altar for nine days beginning on Father's Day. Please return envelopes with intentions and your contribution to the rectory or in the collection basket.

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Our Lady of Fatima Community Yard Sale

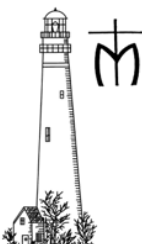
Saturday, June 1st

9 am – 3 pm

Come Rain or Shine.

Vendors Wanted. Call 564-4972 to inquire.

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CATHOLIC FAMILY RETREAT IN CAPE MAY NJ

A Summer Week-long Catholic Family Retreat. Join together with other families for the week.

For more information call 609 884-3829 or visit www.capemaymarianists.org



## **CALLING ALL ST. CHARLES FAMILIES AND FRIENDS**

We are looking to revive our Youth Ministry here at St. Charles in the Fall!

Our Youth Ministry will welcome all grades K -12 to join in the activities.

We are currently looking for members of our parish community and our Christian neighbors who have the desire to help us revive our Youth Ministry Program.

We are planning a summer kickoff event and would love you to share your ideas!

Come join us on June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9 am on the Rectory porch to learn more!

**WE ARE SO EXCITED TO BRING THIS TO OUR CHURCH COMMUNITY.**

If you are unable to attend the meeting on June 2<sup>nd</sup> and would like more information, please call the rectory.