Second Sunday of Easter
(or Sunday of Divine Mercy)

Jesus said to Thomas, “Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”

John 20:29

April 28, 2019

Very Reverend Thomas R. Lafreniere, Pastor

Rev. Nadeem Yaqoob, O.A.D., Assisting
Rev. Daniel Devore, Assisting
Rev. Melvin Shorter, C.P., Assisting
Rev. Lee Smith, Retired
Rev. Brian Flanagan, Retired

Deacon Frank Bandy
Deacon Gregory C. Quinn
Deacon Solomon Kaanan

Masses
Daily:
Mon. - Fri.
8:00 am & 5:30 pm,
Sat. 8:00 am
Sat Vigil: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am,
9:00 am, 10:45 am,
& 5:00 pm
Confessions: Sat.,
8:30 - 9:00 am or
by appt.
Looking Through Stained Glass

A Column by Fr. Tom

Life in Christ – Part 9: Love – The Greatest of These is Love!

During Lent, we explored the Capital Sins as a way to help us examine our consciences and prepare for Easter. Now that the Easter season has arrived, we will turn our focus to the virtues. First, we will explore the Theological Virtues of Faith, Hope and Love. Later, we will discuss the Cardinal Virtues – Prudence, Justice, Fortitude and Temperance.

In one of the most famous passages from Scripture, Paul writes to the Corinthians a treatise on love that is used in many wedding ceremonies. [cf. 1 Cor. 13] This treatise includes these words: “So faith, hope, love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love.” [1 Cor. 13:13] This passage introduces us to the theological virtues and tells us that the greatest virtue is Love. In our examination of the Capital Sins, we expressed that Pride is the first of all sins and that all sins spring from Pride. [cf. Looking Through Stained Glass, “Life in Christ – Part 2: Pride – Good For You?” Feb. 24, 2019] As we examine the virtues, we will see that Love is first of all virtues and also the virtue from which all others are born, as suggested in the above quote from St. Paul. It is God’s love that brings us both faith and hope, and our love for God and neighbor that encourages us to practice the Cardinal Virtues. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) explains it this way: “The practice of all the virtues is animated and inspired by charity [or Love], which ‘binds everything together in perfect harmony’ [Col. 3:14]; it is the form of the virtues; it articulates and orders them among themselves; it is the source and the goal of their Christian practice. [Love] upholds and purifies our human ability to love, and raises it to the supernatural perfection of divine love.” [CCC 1827]

It is this elevation of love to the divine that helps us to realize that Love is a theological, as well as human, virtue. After all, we learn from Sacred Scripture that “God is love.” [1 JN 4:8]

Love is also known as a theological virtue because it is the virtue on which the mission of Christ was based and it is the one new commandment that He gave us. “This is my commandment: love one another as I love you.” [JN 15:12] Because love was the basis of Jesus’ mission and He gave that mission to us, love is our mission too. Since Love is of God, our human actions of love come from God and return to Him. The Catechism tells us, “[Love] is the theological virtue by which we love God above all things for his own sake, and our neighbor as ourselves for the love of God.” [CCC 1822] Therefore, the virtue of Love animates our actions and produces good fruit. The fruit of this virtue are “joy, peace, and mercy.” [CCC 1829] Love brings joy, peace, and mercy to us and to the ones who receive our love.

If all sins begin with Pride and Love begins all virtue, then it makes sense that the greatest weapon of defense against Pride is Love. Love humbles sinful Pride. Pride brings discord and Love brings concord. Pride seeks the good of the self and Love seeks the good of the other. Pride caused the disobedience of Adam and Love brought the obedience of Christ.

Next week, we will continue our discussion of the Theological Virtues with an examination of the virtue of Faith.
Charles & Evelyn Ullrich
Elaine M. Crawley
Steven Balboni
Ed & Leona Repka
Stanley & Stella Flisek
Frangione & DiGiovanni Families
De Luca Family
DeVol & Link Families
Mario, Mom, Dad & Paul
Vecchio & Costa Families
Bob DuSombre
Bob Colucci
Munson & Herbst Families
Luisa & Michael Clemenza
Connie Bruns
Thomas Herring
Obieski and Setitto Families
John Fallon
Knight Family
Kelly Family
Black Family
John Boyle
Dave Jamison
Dennis Sabo
Carol Forcillo
DeLeo & Cashon Families
Edward Bruno
M/M P. Nicolini
M/M F. Bruno
Claire Sabbatino & Family
Anthony Nicolini
Bill Robb
John Gintoli
Henry & Virginia Inserra
Henry Inserra Jr.
Doris Houghton
M/M Mario Baricevich
Anna Cattich
Bernard Slean
Phyllis M. Beckinella
Barbara Doherty
Vincent A. Arcieri, Jr. & III
Shelton Family
Jerry Hochschwender
Jody Withycombe
Louis & Dorothy Hamel
M/M Albert Dillaire
Walter B. & Matilda Butkus
Joseph & Agnes Immordino
Felice Family
Olszewski Family
Petracica Family
Ferretti Family
Josephine E. Burgess
Olga deClemente
Legaya Estacion
Louis & Luisa Espinosa
Guillermina Delgado
Junito Delgado
Romano Family
Cavalluzzi Family
Nitti Family
Colarusso Family
Roy & Eleanor Dohn
Ralph H. Bradley
Vincent Riggi
Dorothy Dziuba
Kyle Halligan
Jane & John Powers, Jr.
In honor of the RCIA 2019
In honor of Rose Cerini
In honor of Parish Families
In honor of Kim Keye
In honor of Clark Family
In honor of William Cooper Gentile
Rose Bongiovanni
Carmen Mondi
Josephine Monti
Santo Mondi
Tony Bongiovanni
Sophia & Michael Sedor
Ken Mendenhall
Frances C. & Lawrence X. Crilley Jr.
Crilley Family
Paul & Rose Pollak
Thomas M. Hennessey Sr.
AnnMarie Carbo
Blanche Y. Hennessee
Gioia Family
Laskey Family
ValiParr & Joyce March
Dave & Joan March
John & Bill March, Bea March
Bernice & Frances March
Vincent & Lucy Lombardo
Fran & Catherine Spagnolo
Lombardi & Spagnolo Family
Montella Family
Ernest Borgese
Celia & Michael Connolly
Frank Bonadies
Frances Bonadies
Peter Gehoski
Esme Gehoski
Mark Gehoski
We would also like to extend our gratitude to all those who contributed towards the beautiful floral display in our sanctuary for Easter.

We remember all our deceased veterans and all those who don’t have someone to pray for them.
SATURDAY, APRIL 27
5:00 PM † Catherine Gerard
by her husband, Franklyn
SUNDAY, APRIL 28 DIVINE MERCY
7:30 AM For the intentions of our parishioners
9:00 AM † Jeannine Chosson
by Ann-Marie Chosson & family
10:45 AM † Irma Peters by Arlene Widmayer
5:00 PM For the intentions of Joan & Lou Cashon
MONDAY, APRIL 29
8:00 AM † Mary Riordan by Charles & Faith Meyer
5:30 PM † Joan Comensky by Elena Reid
TUESDAY, APRIL 30
8:00 AM † Ronald Zettel by Lynda Zettel
5:30 PM † Frank DiCocco, 6th anniversary deceased,
by Mom, Dad and Nicole
WEDNESDAY, MAY 1
8:00 AM For the intentions of Brian Schluttenhofer
by Bob & Nancy Anderson
5:30 PM † Stephen Mazzarella by LaRue Dahlberg
THURSDAY, MAY 2
8:00 AM For the intentions of Bob & Annette Lesser
5:30 PM † Rita Peterson by Patti & Tim Wengierski
FRIDAY, MAY 3
8:00 AM † Jeremy Lake by Richard & Peggy Lake
5:30 PM † Wandy A. Ihrig, Sr.
by her daughter, Wanda
SATURDAY, MAY 4
8:00 AM † John Carroll Cahill by The Cahill Family
5:00 PM For the intentions of
Rev. Daniel Daza-Jaller,
1st anniversary ordination,
by Joe & Lorraine Sabatella
SUNDAY, MAY 5
7:30 AM † Virginia Houghtelin by Cheryl Houghtelin
9:00 AM † Marlene Miller by Ron Miller
10:45 AM For the intentions of
Our First Communicants
5:00 PM For the intentions of Rev. Frank D. Amato,
1st anniversary ordination,
by Joe & Lorraine Sabatella

Ministry of Religious Education & Confirmation
Kate Devine
RCIA/ Faith Inquiry
Deacon
Gregory C. Quinn
Director of Music & Liturgy
Jeanne Clark

Director of Family Life Ministries
Jon Niven

First Friday
Exposition & Holy Hour after 5:30pm Mass

Devotion to Mary
First Saturday of the month, rosary and procession to the
grotto following 8:00am Mass. Rosary is prayed
every Saturday after the 8:00am Mass, and
with the Legion of Mary, Tuesdays
after the 8am and 5:30pm Masses.

Adoration Chapel
Open for quiet meditation before the Blessed Sacrament during office hours. Exposition
every Friday. Located across from the Parish Office.

Charismatic Prayer Group
Thursdays at 7:30pm in the Parish Center. Mass &
Healing Service 3rd Thursday of each month in the Chapel.

Hospital/Homebound Visits
If someone is in the hospital or homebound
and would like a visit, please advise the Parish Office.

Parish Office Hours
Monday-Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm
Saturday 9:00am - 1:00pm
Sunday in the vestibule of the church 9am - 12noon

Religious Shop - 624-1752
Monday - Friday 8:30am - 1:00pm
Saturday 8:30am - 5:00pm
Sunday 8:30am - 12:00pm & 4:30pm - 6:30pm

New Parishioners
Registration forms are available on our website,
in the office during the week, and in the vestibule
of the church in the wall rack.

Registered Parishioners
Please help keep our census current by advising us
of any changes of address, phone numbers, and
family additions or deletions.
This week, April 29th, at a glance...

**Monday:**
8:30 AM  Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
2 PM  Yarn & Rose Knitters
5 PM  Sandwich Makers

**Tuesday:**
8:30 AM, 6 PM  Legion of Mary
6 PM  Kairos Team Meeting
6:30 PM  All Paul’s Men

**Wednesday:**
10 AM  Walking with Purpose Women’s Bible Study
6:45 PM  Choir Rehearsal
7 PM  Matthew: The King and His Kingdom Bible Study
7 PM  Knights of Columbus Officers Meeting

**Thursday:**
7 PM  Walking with Purpose Women’s Bible Study
7:30 PM  Charismatic Prayer Group

**Friday:**
9 AM - 5 PM  Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
6 PM  First Friday Adoration

**Saturday:**
8 AM  First Saturday Mass & Marian Devotion
8:30 AM  All Paul’s Men

**Sunday:**
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM  Coffee, Donuts & Fellowship
9 AM  Story Keepers
9:15 AM  RCIA
10:45 AM  First Holy Communion

Looking forward to, in the near future:
Mondays 5:30 PM  Al-Anon Meeting; 5/4, 5  Cinco de Mayo social after the 5 PM Masses; 5/9  LIFT; 5/19  Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Baptisms
Celebrated on the second Sunday of each month at 12:00pm. Parents are encouraged to attend instruction class prior to the birth of their first baby. Please call the office to register.
Next Baptism Class is Sat., May 11th

FOR MAY 4/5
Sat., 5:00 PM - Guy DiSpigno
Sun., 7:30 AM - Justine Carron
9:00 AM - Julie Bandy
Ken Dwyer
10:45 AM - First Communicants

For assistance
Call 1-800-348-2886, Ext. 611 or email: osvonlinegiving.com/611

ST. VINCENT de PAUL Thrift Store
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Located just West of Alt A-1-A
Call 561-401-9585
Mon. - Fri. 10am-4pm & Sat. 9am-3pm
Donations accepted, Volunteers welcome!

FOR PALM SUNDAY, April 14th
$ 20,569.00  + ONLINE  $ 1,643.00

GOOD FRIDAY, April 19th
CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND
$ 2,792.00  + ONLINE  $ 60.00

EASTER SUNDAY, April 21st
$ 39,161.00  + ONLINE  $ 1,739.00

God bless you and thank you for your generosity in supporting your church!

SECOND COLLECTION—NEXT weekend is our monthly collection for the Maintenance and Improvements Fund.

All Saints Catholic School
1759 Indian Creek Parkway
Jupiter, FL 33458 (561) 748-8994
www.allsaintsjupiter.org

All Saints is dedicated to providing all students with a nurturing, learning environment reflecting Gospel values and teaching the traditions of our faith. Come see for yourself!

“Where All God’s Children are Honored”
Help All Saints School collect BOX TOPS for cash. Please drop off your box tops at the welcome desk or the parish office.

Enrollment is open for the 2019-2020 school year.
Please contact Patty Rabideau, Admissions Director at 561-748-8994 or prabideau@allsaintsjupiter.org for more information or to schedule a tour.

Marriages - Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the wedding date. Please call the Parish Office. Our beautiful Ave Maria Banquet Hall (capacity 325) and our St. Joseph Hall (capacity 175) are available for rental for approved adult receptions and gatherings for occasions connected with church events.
SEEING IS BELIEVING

Seeing is believing! Since cellphone screens connect us instantly to social media, live TV, and loved ones’ faces near and far, “Doubting Thomas” could be our patron saint: “Unless I see, I will not believe!” But how comforting for any of us who share Thomas’s doubt, or love “doubters” who do, to see how kindly Jesus responds. By offering the very evidence that Thomas demanded, Jesus doesn’t scold Thomas, but seems to understand such skepticism. Could Jesus have been thinking of us, who long to believe that “Jesus is risen!” but see so much suffering, and perhaps even cause some, that we wonder, how could something so wonderful be true? In today’s reading from the Acts of the Apostles, the risen Jesus’ healing love comforts through disciples who love others. In Revelation, “our brother John” doesn’t just claim he saw Jesus alive, but passes on Jesus’ life-giving words, “Do not be afraid.” Seeing Jesus in others is believing!

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 4:23-31-37; Ps 2:1-4, 7-9; Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21 or
(for the memorial) Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or
Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24;
Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36
Friday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14
Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21

To prepare for the Readings of May 4/5

First Reading — God exalted Jesus as leader and savior
Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).
Second Reading — To the Lamb be blessing and honor, glory and might (Revelation 5:11-14).
Gospel — When the disciples came ashore, they saw a charcoal fire with fish on it and bread
(John 21:1-19 [1-14]).
Our parish has committed to serve dinner at St. George's Kitchen on the first Thursday of each month. We need volunteers to make meatloaf and drop them off at the parish office by 1 PM Thursday. We also need volunteers to help serve and clean up at St. George’s. We start at 5 PM and are finished by 6:30 PM. If you are interested in helping either by making the meatloaf or serving, please contact Kate in the Parish Office by phone or email. Thank you!

### St. Paul of the Cross
#### 2 Year Comparison of Financial Activity

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FAITH FORMATION

CIA - Catholics In Action
1st - 5th grade, Sundays 10:15 - 11:45 AM
Family Mass 2nd Sundays, 9 AM
LAST Session, TODAY, April 28th
First Holy Communion 5/5, 10:45 AM MASS
Middle School, 6th & 7th graders,
and Confirmation I
Sundays 5 PM Mass followed by
dinner and class until 8 PM
LAST class April 28th

STORY KEEPERS
Children infants to age 5 are welcome to come
to the Parish Center during the
9 AM Sunday Mass. This program is ongoing
and free of charge. Hope you can join us!

Parish Family
Vocations Chalice Program
Sponsored by The Knights of Columbus Council 12322
Thank you to this week’s family:
The Sabatella Family
You or your family may sign up,
please call the Parish Office.

MOTHER’S DAY
SPIRITUAL BOUQUET CARDS
for Mothers, living or deceased, are
available in the Religious Shop and
the Parish Office.

Inspire us as we grow to know you,
and open our hearts
to hear your call. We pray!

CATHOLIC SOCIAL

Rerum Novarum (On the Rights and Duties
of Capital and Labor) was written in 1891
by Pope Leo XIII, regarding human rights
and economics:
But if the question be asked: How must one’s
possessions be used? - the Church replies
without hesitation in the words of [St. Thomas
Aquinas]: "Man should not consider his
material possessions as his own, but as
common to all, so as to share them without
hesitation when others are in need."

Challenge Question: What can I share from
my own good fortune, in the way of my time,
talent, or treasure, as an act of mercy
toward those less fortunate? Might this quote change
the way I think about my possessions?
If you are interested and would like to become a Columbiete, please call the parish office. Columbiete meetings are on the 3rd Wednesday of the month. The next meeting is Wed. May 15th at 7 PM in the All Saints Room.

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Please call the Parish office for more information.

CORE: Continuing Our Retrouvaille Experience
Next Meeting Sunday, May 19th, (3rd Sunday of the month) at 1 PM in the All Saints Room.
Facilitated by Ron & Maritza Garey
Please call the Parish office for more information.

Please join us as we embark on a Spiritual Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Italy Hosted by Fr. Tom
Even if you have been to Italy before, you will experience a new spiritual journey!
October 1 – 11, 2019
Still trying to decide if this trip is for you?
Do you need more information about the Shrines of Italy that will be visited on this Italy Pilgrimage?
Join us, in the comfort of your own home, on Monday, May 13th at 7 PM for a WEBINAR. All you have to do is call JoAnne or Gerri to register your email!

*Flyers located in church and in the Parish Office*

ONLY 15 SEATS LEFT

For more information, please contact JoAnne McCormack 561-254-8934 or Gerri Augustine 561-310-3997

Home-town pickup to your local airport, for our bi-residential parishioners, is included.
Financing is available.
Whether or not we are present at Church, we remain one in the Lord. Please keep the following members of our parish family in your prayers: Carol Lombardo, Sherrill Caprio, Helen Bloodgood, Marie Donohue, Lily Rojo-Sirico, Stephen Pomaro, Andrew Moss, John Licari, Carol Grusich, and...