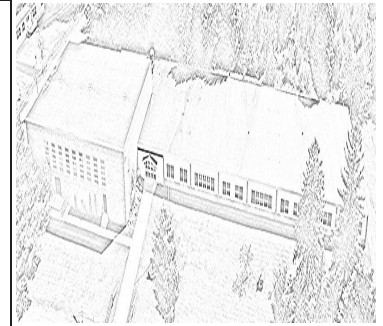


# St. Alphonsus-Holy Name of Jesus Parish



Pastor:  
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**Reverend Clement Rimonds**  
 Deacons:  
**James Ellis, Gerald Savage**  
 Religious Education Office (K-10):  
**Jill Bujold**  
 Parish Office:  
**Lisa Reed**



## Reconciliation:

Saturday - St. Alphonsus 3:15-3:30pm; Sunday - St. Alphonsus 8:00-8:10am

**Baptism Preparation:** Call parish office **Wedding Preparation:** Call parish office at least 6 months before desired date

**Communion to the Sick:** Call parish office

## **Pastor's residence:**

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## Masses this week

Monday	04/26	8:00am	HGC	Deceased members of the George Joseph family
Tuesday	04/27	8:00am	HGC	Art Mayotte by Marie
Wednesday	04/28	8:00am	HGC	Glenn Flagg by Shirley Hosler
Thursday	04/29	8:00am	HGC	Bill Crouse by the Fortune family
Friday	04/30	8:00am	HGC	Ernie Jessie by Claire Desabrais
Saturday	05/01	4:00pm	SA	Joanne Dechene by Chuck & Kate
Sunday	05/02	8:30am	SA	Maude Gardiner (10th Anniversary) by Maureen & Tim
Sunday	05/02	11:00am	SA	Rena Drew (7th Anniversary) by Patty & Elaine

## From the Pastor...

1. Getting close to the end of religious education live classes. This weekend and next weekend 02 May. First Holy Communion for our second graders 01 May at 10:30AM at Church.

May Crowning at the 11 AM Mass 02 May. I will bring my Peruvian Monta. I have a Peruvian cape for the Mother of God statue.. The South Americans dress their statues in royal attire. A beautiful tradition and custom. You will see this May.

2. Join our parish family Sunday May 2 at the 11 AM Mass. We will crown the Mother of God . She has interceded for us this covid year. Her prayers and love have kept us health here at Church this pandemic year. We owe her thanksgiving for watching over us always..

3. First Communion Interviews the coming week April 26 and April 28. . Meet Fr. Doug and Fr. Clement at St. Alphonses - Holy Name Church.

4 Confirmation Retreat Day May 2. We will begin with the 11 Sunday Mass at church. We will have a bite of lunch. A presentation and closing prayer. Students will be done at 2 PM that afternoon. Confirmation May 21.

*Fr. Doug*

*Parish happenings...*

**ROSARY WITH BENEDICTION**

Every Monday, 7:00pm, Holy Ghost Chapel

*From the Assistant Pastor...*

April 25, 2021

Fourth Sunday of Easter

"I am the good Shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep!" Jn 10: 11

Sitting at the table for the dinner, I casually enquired Fr. Decker about my English accent. I am just curious if the parish community and of course he himself is able to follow what I talk, and particularly the homily. Though we all speak English, you know we have different accent and usages. Though I do not find it difficult to follow your accent, but I am pretty sure you may have difficulty in following me. What I am doing now is to listen more and more, as to learn American accent and usage, however I know it is not an easy job. You are always welcome to correct me and let me have your opinion. I am sure your timely corrections and positive suggestions will help me learn better.

Thank you everyone for your positive response for our Facebook page. I hope and believe it will be of some help to you spiritually. I would request that you find some time every day to read the Facebook post. We have daily Gospel reflection, Saint of the day and a short story. I am sure you will like it. I request you to like and share the Facebook page and get more of our parishioner into it.

Two things that I forgot to pack in my travel box before boarding the flight to America was, an insulated cup and a Holy Bible in Hindi (My Language). Couple of days back Fr. Decker got me an insulated cup. He is very caring, and I must acknowledge that. But what surprises me more is getting a Holy Bible in Hindi here in this part of the world. Other day one person walked into my office and handed me a gift. I could not believe my eyes when I unpacked the gift. A Holy Bible in Hindi! My God, am I just witnessing a miracle here! This is beyond my words to describe. I never asked anyone for the Bible but only wished silently in my heart and you see, it was delivered at my door. Miracles do happen!

I was saddened to hear some bad news from India about the unexpected demise of some of my young priest and nun friends due to covid. Some of them are hospitalized and still critical. I request your prayers. May God bless and keep you all safe.

*Fr. Clement*

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**DAY OF REFLECTION:**

**Putting Forgiveness into Practice**

We all know from the Scriptures that we are called to forgive others and ourselves as well. We also know the challenge this call can be in our daily encounters. This reflection day will consider the dynamics of forgiveness, some obstacles often experienced in becoming a forgiving person, and some aids from our Catholic tradition. It includes presentations, time for personal prayer and reflection with opportunities for sharing.

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When: Saturday, June 19, 2021

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Time: 9:45am - 12:00pm

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Speaker: Sister Bethany Fitzgerald, SSJ

Cost is free. Anyone is welcome to register at [www.rcdony.org/reflection](http://www.rcdony.org/reflection)

Zoom link will be emailed as date approaches.

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT CORNER:**

**Did you know?**

Did You Know...online safety can be enhanced by following these guidelines: (1) DON'T give out personal information to people you only know online; (2) DON'T agree to meet people in person who you have only met online; (3) DON'T use the same username on more than one website; (4) DON'T make your email address public and searchable on social media; (5) DON'T check in on social media unless your account is 100% private

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Would you like envelopes?  yes  no

Would you like to volunteer for any parish ministry?  
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