

Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 24, 2020

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	23	4:00 p.m.	<i>Theses intentions have been rescheduled from April 4, 2020 4:00pm Mass Paul E. Trosclair, Sr., William Miano, Sr., Edna Miano Chester & Ethel Louque, Lucien, Larry, & Velma Gauff, Joe, Ella, & Yana Perrilloux, Stella Gauff, Henry & Cecile Oubre, Joe & Ella White, Isabella & Walter Keller, Shirley Abadie, Peggy Miano, Patricia Ann Wallace, Michael Lipps. Peter Bernard, Shirley Gauff, Luisa & Antonio Olivier, Gloria Loupe, Paul, Mickey, & Joyce Oncale, Mr. & Mrs. Louis Duhe, Amelia Baker, Nelwyn Jacob, Glen Keating, Frank & Elsie Cambre, Janice & Pete LeBouef, Alden Badeaux, Sr. & Family, Felix LeBouef & Family, Mildred Schexnayder, Lynette Langlois</i>
Sunday	24	8:00 a.m.	St. Hubert Parishioners
Sunday	24	10:00 a.m.	Samuel Miano, Sr., Enes & Fred DeFrancesch, Luisa & Antonio Olivier, Mr. & Mrs. Horace Waguespack, Glendora Waguespack Rich, Irma St. Pierre, Karen & Lanny Cambre, Pearl & Earl Madere, Perry Levett, Lynette Langlois
Tuesday	26	9:00 a.m.	Enes & Fred DeFrancesch
Wednesday	27	9:00 a.m.	Sam F. & Peggy Miano
Thursday	28	9:00 a.m.	The Poor Souls in Purgatory
Friday	29	9:00 a.m.	Stella Z. Thompson
Saturday	30	4:00 p.m.	Tammy Scontrino, Enes & Fred DeFrancesch, Luisa & Antonio Olivier, Richard & Catherine Oubre, Lynette Langlois
Sunday	31	8:00 a.m.	St. Hubert Parishioners
Sunday	31	10:00 a.m.	<i>Theses intentions have been rescheduled from April 12, 2020 10:00am Mass Carol M. Elfer, Willie & Edna Miano, Samuel Miano, Sr., Jimmy Bourgeois, Billy Borne, Herman, Jeanne, Glynn, Barry, & Nicole Entremont, Frank & Frances Roccaforte, Luisa & Antonio Olivier, Gladys & Carolyn Haydel, Earl & Pearl Madere, Perry Levett, Hubert & Clara Oubre, Coleman Oubre, Ella & Alan Ryan, Joey Landry, Lynette Langlois</i>

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Dawn Dottolo, Dale Tamplain, Ronnie Heltz, Betty Bourgeois, Brady LeBoeuf, Scolastie St. Pierre, Fay Marse, R.W. Stoker, Chris Heltz, Margaret Volion, Steve Tregre, Carolyn Tregre, Stephen Ocmant, Gregg Kruse, Heather Landry, Robin Bourgeois, Cathy Borne, Jessica Millet, Jenny Torres Madere, Mary Falgoust Martin, Tony Monica, Clarence Marse, Donna Duhe, Eldon "Peewee" Tregre, Jonathon Perret, Walter Lambert, Sr., E.J. Doming, Gwen Miano, Betty M. Acosta, Leona Miano, Earl Gorio, Ethel Trosclair, Ranney Wilson, Joanna LeBlanc, Justin Lopez, Jean Simon, Amelia Gautreau, Heather Landry, Janice Millet, Donna Terrio, Lois Tamplain, Rosie W. Monica, Danny Roussel, Carl Schutz, Sr., Shorty Brignac, Reily Cleveland, Mrs. Paula Roussel, Darrin Roussel, Billy Kesey, Aniston Cancienne
If you would like to add a name, please call the Parish Office at 535-3312.

This week's Sanctuary Candle is in memory of Luisa & Antonio Olivier.

May 17, 2020 Offering \$1496.00 Priests Retirement \$10.00 Maintenance 15.00 Ascension \$15.00
Catholic Home Missions \$10.00 Holy Land \$5.00 Clarion \$46.00 Easter \$10.00

Thank you for your financial support!

The St. Hubert's Ladies Altar Society will hold the drawing after 10:00am Mass on May 24th. The raffle is for one sack of crawfish, live or boiled, or \$100.00 (winner's choice). Thanks to MIKO'S SEAFOOD for donating the sack of Crawfish. All money raised from this raffle will be used to replace the kneelers in the church.

Thanks to everyone for supporting our fund-raising event.

Donations are being accepted every Monday morning from 10am to Noon for our annual Garage sale or please call 985-535-3312 and leave a message to arrange a drop off time.

Rosary Armada- Monday, May 25th at 8:30am in the Day Chapel

On this Memorial Weekend, please pray for all those who have lost their lives in defending our country, that they may have eternal rest and for their families that they may know God's comfort. The Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 25th in observance of Memorial Day.

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The Ascension of the Lord

“PUSHED” OUT ON MISSION

There is a delightful character in the original *Dr. Dolittle Tales* called the “Pushmi-Pullyu.” It is a beast with two identical halves, with a head at each end. No matter which direction the beast walks, one end is the “push me” and the other is the “pull you.” Today’s feast is a bit like that in the life of the church. In the book of the Acts of the Apostles, it is the ascension of Christ that calls for the Holy Spirit, which consequently sends or “pushes” the church out on its mission. This is the message that we hear from the angels today as they tell the friends of Jesus not to look up into the clouds, but to get busy. It is the message of Jesus himself in Matthew’s Gospel, as he sends them out to baptize. He also tells them, “I am with you always, until the end of the age” (Matthew 28:20). And it is this message, confident in faith that Jesus has ascended to shouts of joy, that “pulls” us along to our final destiny. The life of the faithful disciple, sent into the world on mission, will one day know the same risen, ascended glory.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

HEAVEN

The world is only peopled to people heaven.

—St. Francis de Sales

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Jesus tells the disciples that they will be witnesses to the ends of the earth (Acts 1:1-11).

Psalm — God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord (Psalm 47).

Second Reading — May the Father of glory give you a Spirit of wisdom and revelation (Ephesians 1:17-23).

Gospel — Jesus instructs the Eleven to baptize and teach people of all nations (Matthew 28:16-20).

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord;
World Communications Day
Monday: St. Bede the Venerable; St. Gregory VII;
St. Mary Magdalene de’ Pazzi;
Memorial Day
Tuesday: St. Philip Neri
Wednesday: St. Augustine of Canterbury;
Shavuot (Jewish observance) begins at sunset
Thursday: Julian Calendar Ascension
Friday: St. Paul VI

SAINT PHILIP NERI (1515-1595)

May 26

In a shop near the Vatican, a group of Americans laughed as the shopkeeper showed off his fluent English and latest souvenir, a key ring whose papal portrait, when pressed, activated a recorded blessing. Through the shop window, two clerics scowled disapproval. The shopkeeper grunted, “They’re a very somber order who’ve left the Church. I recognize them.” “By their long robes?” an American asked. “Many in Rome wear robes,” replied the shopkeeper. “It’s their long faces!” When Philip Neri arrived in sixteenth-century Rome, there was reason to be somber. Swiss Guards had been massacred on Saint Peter’s steps defending the pope. Parts of Europe were abandoning the Church. But Philip resolved to be an “apostle of joy,” drawing especially the young to Christ—and frequent confession and Communion—by his sincere interest in their problems, prayerful example, and gentle humor. His “Oratory,” a movement as well as a place, provided recreation and devotion in a joyful atmosphere of companionship, service, and liturgy. Philip Neri challenges each of us to begin improving Church and world by changing ourselves with unfailing joy.

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He was lifted up,
and a cloud took him from their sight.

— Acts 1:9



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