

**Mass Intention**  
**22 May - 30 May 2021**

22 May 2021 - Saturday - Easter Weekday

8.30 am:

4.30 pm: +Vincent Bernardone by *Tom & Roseann Bernardone*

23 May 2021 - PENTECOST SUNDAY

8.30 am:

11.00 am: +Kevin Peter Kane & Deacon William F.X.Kane

24 May 2021 - Monday - The Bl. Virgin Mary , Mother of the Church

8.30 am:

25 May 2021 -Tuesday - Weekday

8.30 am:

26 May 2021 - Wednesday - St. Philip Neri, Priest

8.30 am: No Mass

27 May 2021 - Thursday - Weekday

8.30 am:

28 May 2021 - Friday - Weekday

8.30 am:

29 May 2021 - Saturday - Weekday

8.30 am:

4.30 pm:

30 May 2021 - SUNDAY - The Most HOLY TRINITY

8.30 am:

11.00 am: +Bruce Reichmana by *Susan Reichmann*

**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

J. Gottesmann, W. Rieger, K. Eschenberg, J. Feeley, R. Knack, Ron Rhodes JR, Dan Buddenhagen, Brenda Long, Mary Ann, Eileem Ohman, Madeleine Wootan, Olga Viruet, Anita Robertson, Linda Roche, Gloria Grunn, Marcia Bauer, Frank M Geosits Jr, Baby Alexian, Shirley Rangaves, Josephine, Danny Andrews, Dr.Kuncar, Christopher Milk , Vincent McCarthy, Billy Smith, Skip Mudge and all sick and needy.

To submit a name please call the Rectory



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## PENTECOST SUNDAY

**COME**

**HOLY**

**SPIRIT**



**Fill**

**the**

**hearts**

**your**

**Faithful**

## Regular Mass

Weekdays: 8.30 am—Holy Cross Church

Saturday: 4.30 pm — Holy Cross Church

Sunday: 8.30 am —St. Patrick's Church

11.00 am —Holy Cross Church

**"The Holy Spirit transforms and renews us, creates harmony and unity, and gives us courage and joy for mission."**

**- Pope Francis.**



# Pentecost Prayer

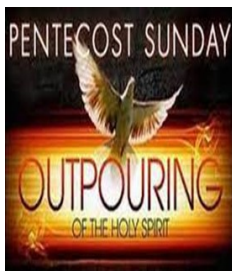
Breathe in me O Holy Spirit  
that my thoughts may all  
be holy;  
Act in me O Holy Spirit  
that my works, too, may be  
holy;  
Draw my heart O Holy Spirit  
that I love but what is holy;  
Strengthen me O Holy Spirit  
to defend that is holy;  
Guard me then O Holy Spirit  
that I always may be holy.... Amen.

“The world needs men and women who are not closed in on themselves, but filled with the Holy Spirit. The gift of the Holy Spirit has been bestowed upon the Church and upon each one of us, so that we may live lives of genuine faith and active charity, that we may sow the seeds of reconciliation and peace.”

– Pope Francis

The seven gifts of the Holy Spirit are wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord.

The 12 fruits of the Holy Spirit are charity (or love), joy, peace, patience, benignity (or kindness), goodness, longanimity (forbearance), mildness (or gentleness), faith, modesty, continency (or self-control), and chastity.



## LITURGY OF WORD

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11

Second Reading: Galatians 5:16-25

Gospel Reading: John 15:26-27;  
16:12-15

Both the Jews and the Christians now celebrate Pentecost. Along with the Feast of the Passover and the Feast of Tabernacles, Pentecost was one of the major feasts of the Jews. During these three great Jewish festivals, every male Jew living within twenty miles of Jerusalem was legally bound to go to Jerusalem to participate in the feast. The

word Pentecost is Greek for *pentecostes* which means “fiftieth.” The feast received this name because it was celebrated fifty days after the Feast of the Passover. At Pentecost, two loaves of bread were offered in gratitude for the harvest. Later, the Jews added to the Feast of Pentecost the element of Yahweh’s Covenant with Noah, which took place fifty days after the great deluge. Still later, they made this feast an occasion to thank God for His Sinaitic Covenant with Moses, which occurred fifty days after the beginning of the Exodus from Egypt.

Pentecost marks the end and the goal of the Easter season. For Christians, it is a memorial of the day the Holy Spirit descended upon the apostles and the Virgin Mary in the form of fiery tongues, an event that took place fifty days after the Resurrection of Jesus. The Paschal Mystery — the Passion, the Death, the Resurrection, and the Ascension of Jesus — culminates in the sending of the Holy Spirit by the Father (at the request of His Son), on Jesus’ disciples. The feast also commemorates the official inauguration of the Christian Church by the apostolic preaching of St. Peter, which resulted in the conversion of 3000 Jews to the Christian Faith. Pentecost is, thus, the official birthday of the Church.



### Stewardship May 16, 2021

Sunday Collection \$	1893.00
Second Collection \$	188.00
Day of Ascension \$	220.00
Poor Box \$	18.00
Candles \$	25.00

With Prayers & Blessings of God  
the Father

Fr. John Kennady MMI  
Dn. John Lyttle  
23 May 2021