

QUEEN OF PEACE
907 Sixth Avenue



CATHOLIC CHURCH
Patton, PA. 16668

**Anniversary of the Dedication of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, April 23, 1899
Sunday, April 25, 2021**



Jesus said, "I Am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. This is why the Father loves Me, because I lay down My life in order to take it up again. This command I have received from My Father." - Jn 10:11-18

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Mon. - April 26 7:30 am † John Williams
Tues. - April 27 7:30 am † Bob Leiden
Wed. - April 28 7:30 am † Eleanor Hirko
Thurs. - April 29 7:30 am † Leona Karlheim
Fri. - April 30 7:30 am † Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sat. - May 1 7:30 am † Dorothy Boyle
Sat. - May 1 5:00 pm † Kate Long, Anniv.
Sun. - May 2 8:00 am † Fannie Ropp
and The L & D of the Parish
High Mass, Latin 11:00 am L&D Mem of the LaFosse Fam.
4th Sunday after Easter

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday – 4:00 – 4:45 PM or anytime by appointment



The Sanctuary Lamps burn
**In Memory of Dorothy Boyle and
Gail Frycklund**
The week of:
April 25 – May 1

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Families using Sunday Envelopes:

	NUMBER	PERCENT
April 18, 2021	84	28%
April 18, 2021, weekly/monthly - \$2,540.00		
April 18, 2021, Repair Fund - \$0		
April 18, 2021, Fuel Fund - \$0		
April 18, 2021, St. Vincent de Paul - \$100.00		
† SVDP Conference - \$0		
† SVDP Food Pantry - \$100.00		
Catholic Home Missions - \$40.00		
Add. Good Friday (Holy Land) - \$111.00		
Add. Easter - \$1,065.00 - (\$6,688.00 to date)		
Mother's Day - \$22.00		

2021 Catholic Ministries Drive

**16 Families (5%) have donated \$2,275 toward our
Parish Goal of \$20,712**

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, May 1

5 PM – Amanda Price

Sunday, May 2

8 AM – Lydia, Colin & Mallory Sherry

LECTORS

Saturday, May 1

5 PM – Alice Leiden

Sunday, May 2

8 AM – Karen Anna

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE
EUCHARIST**

Under a directive from the Bishop, the distribution of Precious Blood is suspended until further notice, as is bodily contact during the Sign of Peace.

Parish Breakfast – Please join us on **Sunday, May 2** from 8 AM – 1 PM for a delicious breakfast buffet, served in the lower level of the Parish Center by the Men of the Parish. Prices: Adults, \$8 / Children (5-12), \$4 and Children (under 5), free. Thank you for your support.

Parish Prayer List – We entrust to the care of Christ the Divine Physician, those members of our Parish Family in need of Healing in Body, Mind, or Spirit especially **Alice Thiec, Gary L. Morella, Guido & Connie Butch** (Fr. Ananias' Parents), **Clara Fitzpatrick, Donna Dietrick, Jacob Miller, Dick Anna, Derek Miller, Gerard Macaluso, Bernie Ropchock, Leona Hoover, Angel Sherwood, Kara Vozniak, and Rose Moxley**. May they embrace their trials in union with the Crucified Christ for the salvation of souls, and the remission of sins.

*We thank Thee, Lord, for our daily bread,
As by thy hands our souls are fed,
Grant us to grow more like Thee,
Today and through Eternity. Amen...*

*To err is human; to forgive, Divine.
- Alexander Pope*

Parish Office Hours
Monday & Friday, 9 AM – 3 PM
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 9 AM – Noon

CONGRATULATIONS to **Augustine Joseph Gindhart** who received his First Holy Communion on **Sunday, April 18** at the Extraordinary Form of the Mass at 11 AM.

CONGRATULATIONS to **Ryan James Anderson** and **Brynley Nicole Swasing** who will receive their First Holy Communion **Sunday, April 25** at the Ordinary Form of the Mass at 8 AM.

CONGRATULATIONS to **Gemma Rose Wirfel** who will receive her First Holy Communion **Sunday, April 25** at the Extraordinary Mass at 11 AM.

*Through receiving the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ for the **first** time, may you feel your union with Jesus today and every day as you live your lives of faith dedicated to Him. By receiving **the Eucharist** for the rest of your lives, you will be one with Jesus and live with Him one day in eternity.*

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES** to Kay Nagle who celebrated her birthday on **Wednesday, April 21**. Your Queen of Peace Parish Family sends you their love and special blessings for a wonderful birthday!

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FISH (Cod) FOR SALE – We have boxes of 6 oz. cod loins for sale for \$42/box. Each box is 10 lbs. and contains approx. 26- 28 pcs/box. They will be sold on a first come basis until they're gone! Also, we have salmon patties for sale at \$2/each or \$10 for ½ dozen. These are made from freshly caught Norwegian Salmon and are fully cooked. Just pop them in your microwave or warm them in the oven. Absolutely delicious! If interested, call the Parish Office at 814-674-8983 during open business hours.

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**TREASURE AND TRADITION** – This beautiful hardbound text which truly is the ultimate guide to the Extraordinary Form of the Mass is available for purchase at a cost of \$20/book. Whether you are a weekly Mass attendee at the Latin Mass here or have had a life long attachment to the Ancient Rite or happen to be neophytes to the Usus Antiquior, this is the book for you! It is not a misnomer to claim that this book is the “ultimate guide” to the Old Mass for young, old and any who wish to gain a deeper understanding of the Holy Sacrifice as we knew it and prayed it for countless generations. Pick one up after Mass or call the Parish Office at 814-674-8983 to reserve your copy.

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Rabies Clinic & Dog/Cat Grooming sponsored by the Patton Firemen will be held on **Sunday, May 2** from 11 AM – 1 PM at the Fire Hall on Main Street in Patton. Dogs/Cats must be on a leash or in a carrier. Dogs must be at least 12 weeks old to receive a rabies shot. Rabies Shot - \$15; Distemper/Parvo - \$20; Grooming (ears/nails) - \$10. CASH ONLY and CDC guidelines will be in place (masks and social distancing). Proceeds benefit the Patton Fire Co. #1.

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**Spring Fling Turkey Dinner and Basket Auction** at St. Benedict Church Hall, Carrolltown on Mother's Day, **Sunday, May 9** from 11 AM – 2 PM. All dinners will be take-out only. Menu: Roasted turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, homemade stuffing, green beans, coleslaw, cranberry sauce, dinner roll and dessert. Prices: Adults \$12 Children (up to age 12), \$6. Proceeds benefit the St. Benedict Home School Association.

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GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 2021

I AM the Good Shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. Today's Gospel is from St. John (10:11-18). The image of Christ as our Good Shepherd has always appealed to human nature. One of the earliest paintings of Christ in the Roman catacombs represents Him as carrying an injured sheep on His shoulders. This is a manifestation of love which touches our innermost feelings. Indeed, we all act like sheep on many occasions, when it comes to the things that concern our spiritual welfare. We often ramble off from the flock to nibble at little bits of forbidden pasture. However, we have a Shepherd Who understands us, one Whose patience and love are infinite. He is always ready to go after us when we stray too far; His voice is constantly reaching out to us in missions, retreats, sicknesses, crosses and other various ways. How many times have we already felt His loving grace calling and helping us back to the safety of His fold?

There are many who are not so fortunate as we, who either through no fault of their own or through their own fault do not hear His voice and do not know or follow Him. This is an opportunity He gives us to show how we appreciate all He had done for us. He died on the cross for all men. He wills all men to profit by His death, and His statement “them also I must bring” is a direct appeal to us to cooperate with Him in this work. Every Christian is a missionary.

The sermon preached by our Savior nearly two thousand years ago is still echoing and re-echoing around the world, calling on His faithful flock to do all in their power to help those other children of God who are still outside the fold. Do not shut your ears to this call of Christ today. Give Him a helping hand by helping your fellowman to see the light of the true faith.

- Excerpted from *The Sunday Readings* by Fr. Kevin O'Sullivan, O.F.M.