

## ITEMS FOR SALE BY PARISHIONERS

**For Sale:** Petmate Dog house \$75 Contact John @ 696-2430

**For Sale:** Women's Mtn. Bike/Northern Dynacraft \$160, Subway table and 2 chairs \$45, Trolley/Lunch cart \$75., Malibu Barbie with handmade and store bought clothes, shoes, accessories.\$60—Call Sue @ (907) 406-6875

## ARCHDIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PROGRAM NEEDS

**Homeless Family Services** is in need of:

- Blankets
- Pots and pans
- Silverware
- Towels

**Supportive Family Services** is in need of:

- Size 4/5/6 Diapers
- Wipes

**Clare House** is in need of:

- White trash bags
- Sponges
- Dish Soap
- Paper towels
- Toilet paper

**St Francis House** is in need of:

- Canned Fruit
- Canned chili/tuna

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**BFS Meals Team:** Every day Brother Francis Shelter purchases breakfast and lunch for our guests. We hope to meet this need with the help of our community. If you'd like to cook breakfast and lunch for our guests once a month please email Katie ([kgordon@cssalaska.org](mailto:kgordon@cssalaska.org)) for more information!

### OTHER NEWS

**Our Amazon Wish-list** is up to date with our community's current needs. Browse the shopping lists of essential supplies on Amazon and choose to ship your gift directly to CSS Alaska. It's easy, safe, and your generosity contributes to a brighter future for thousands of Alaskans. Learn more at <https://www.cssalaska.org/donate/in-kind-donations/>.

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**St. Patrick's Parish,** —Director of Evangelization and Parish Life

St. Patrick's Parish has an immediate opening for dynamic, qualified applicants for the position of Director of Evangelization and Parish Life. Successful applicants must be actively practicing their Catholic Faith, love children and young people, and have a passion for evangelism and outreach, both personally and at the ministry level. Master's degree in Catholic Religious Education/Administration, Evangelization, Religious Studies, Pastoral Theology, or related field is required; career experience in a related field may be substituted. At least three years of ministerial experience in a Catholic parochial or diocesan environment is necessary. A complete position description and expected results statement is available up on request. Full-time. Excellent benefits including medical, dental, optical, and retirement match. Salary dependent on experience.. Contact Rev Leo Walsh 9070337-1538 Web: <https://www.st.patsak.org>

**Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish** has a volunteer or part-time paid accounting assistant position open. The position is for 8-10 hrs/week. Requirements include accounting experience, Excel, and organizational skills. Send resume to [Lana@akseas.net](mailto:Lana@akseas.net) or call 907-644-9720. Deadline to apply is May 21<sup>st</sup> or until filled.



**St. Andrew Catholic Church**

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**Church Office Hours: Tues-Fri 10am –2pm**

#### Pastoral and Staff Support

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**Welcome Visitors and soon to be New Parishioners**

Thank you for visiting our parish, and for joining us in our celebrations as we worship and praise Our Lord. Please stop by the Welcome Table after Mass to get information about our parish and pick up a parish registration form. We will have people to help you once COVID restrictions are lifted.

Prayer Chain Phone # 694-4771

The deadline for bulletin entries is Wed. @ noon.

**MAY 9, 2021**  
**6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Readings: Acts 10:25–26, 34–35, 44–48, Psalm 98:1–4  
1 John 4:7–10, John 15:9–17

God is love, and He revealed that love in sending His only Son to be a sacrificial offering for our sins.

In these words from today's Epistle, we should hear an echo of the story of Abraham's offering of Isaac at the dawn of salvation history. Because Abraham obeyed God's command and did not withhold his only beloved son, God promised that Abraham's descendants, the children of Israel, would be the source of blessing for all nations (see Genesis 22:16–18).

We see that promise coming to fulfillment in today's First Reading. God pours out His Spirit upon the Gentiles, the non-Israelites, as they listen to the word of Peter's preaching. Notice they receive the same gifts received by the devout Jews who heard Peter's preaching at Pentecost—the Spirit comes to rest upon them and they speak in tongues, glorifying God (see Acts 2:5–11).

In His love today, God reveals that His salvation embraces the house of Israel and peoples of all nations. Not by circumcision or blood relation to Abraham but by faith in the Word of Christ, sealed in the Sacrament of Baptism, people are to be made children of Abraham, heirs to God's covenants of promise (see Galatians 3:7–9; Ephesians 2:12). This is the wondrous work of God that we sing of in today's Psalm. It is the work of the Church, the good fruit that Jesus chooses and appoints His Apostles for in today's Gospel. As Peter raises up Cornelius today, the Church continues to lift all eyes to Christ, the only one in whose name they can find salvation.

In the Church, each of us has been begotten by the love of God. But the Scriptures today reveal that this divine gift brings with it a command and a duty. We are to love one another as we have been loved. We are to lay down our lives in giving ourselves to others—that they too might find friendship with Christ and new life through Him.

—Scott Hahn

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#### Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30 pm  
Sunday: 10 am and 7 pm (10am Live-streamed during COVID )  
Weekdays\* : Tues-Fri. Mass 9 am

\*Unless otherwise noted in the weekly schedule

Holy Days: 9 am and 7 pm  
Rosary—8:30 am daily, 6:15 pm on Thursday  
Eucharistic Adoration—Perpetual

#### Sacraments

Confessions—Saturday: 3:30 or by appointment  
Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of Sick--contact the office.

Sacraments of Initiation--**Adults interested in becoming Catholic** --Please contact Deacon Mark or the office.

## Mass Intentions week of May 10

Mon.		
Tues.	Sandy Roberts	ROS
Wed.	Michelle Boelter Tett	BD
Thurs.	Special Intentions of Marian Jones	
Fri.	Living & Deceased members of the Jones & Cook families	
Sat. 5:30pm	Travis Abel	ROS
Sun. 10 am	Terry Gregston	ROS
7pm	People of the Parish	

### Miscellaneous Items

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** "The Blessed Sacrament is the first and supreme object of our worship. We must preserve in the depths of our hearts a constant and uninterrupted, profound adoration of this precious pledge of Divine Love." -- St. Mary Euphrasia Pelletier

These hours need more adorers soon:

**Sunday 12-1am**  
**Monday 1pm and 4pm**  
**Tuesday 6am and 12 Noon**  
**Wednesday 3am and 11pm**  
**Thursday 3am and 1pm**  
**Friday 10pm**  
**Saturday 10am, 11am and 11pm**

Please call 907-632-0272 to reserve a Holy Hour on any day.



**CONFIRMATION**— We will be having Confirmation at the 5:30 Mass on Saturday **May 22nd**. Please keep our Confirmandi in your prayers.

**BACCALAUREATE MASS**— On Saturday **May 15th** at the 5:30 pm Mass we will honor our Graduating Seniors with a Baccalaureate Mass. Congratulations!

## 2021 Baccalaureate Mass and Knights of Columbus Scholarships and Adeline Campbell Service Award: Saturday, May 15th at 5:30pm.

—The Knights of Columbus traditionally present scholarship awards at this mass. Anyone who is receiving an award will be informed beforehand that they have been selected but we encourage you to attend regardless and be recognized by your parish community for your accomplishments! Please invite family and friends as well! Applications have been received and announcements will be at the baccalaureate Mass on May 15, 2021 at 5:30pm. POC is John Grennon [jgren14965@aol.com](mailto:jgren14965@aol.com)

**Flag Retirement Ceremony**—Our annual US and Alaska Flag retirement will be on Monday June 14th at 1830 Bring your tattered, worn out, or torn flags to the Knights for retirement. You can also drop off at the church, there is a box by the Knight Table/Bulletin Board.

**Next Officers Meeting**—The officers meeting will be held on Tuesday May 25 at 7pm. Information on address will be forthcoming.

**Next General Business Meeting**— our monthly business meeting is Tuesday June 4th at 7pm in the Narthex. COME JOIN US! We need to follow current mandates for this meeting. There will be a sheet to sign in when you arrive. (Just as you would if you are attending Mass)

**Annual Dues Payment**— There is a list of members that have unpaid dues on the Knights Bulletin Board near the Sacristy. Dues are \$30 , and can be paid by cash, check, or credit card to WT Pierre, WFS Tim Finley, Trustee Ken Kutney. Dues can be paid at our monthly business meeting , by check payable to Knights of Columbus council 9830 sent to Knights of Columbus 16300 Domain Lane Eagle River AK. 99577, or you can call Ken Kutney at (907) 223 3141, he will be able to take credit card payment over the phone.

**Bison Hunt Raffle:** Drawing held on May 1, 2021

- 1st winner Paulette Mordini, ticket sold by Council 9830 of Eagle River
- 2nd winner Alice Irvin, ticket sold by Council 9581 of Wasilla
- 3rd winner William Wallace Jr, of Colusa CA, ticket sold by Mail Order

**ROSARY FOR THE END TO THE PANDEMIC:** Catholics across the globe are encouraged to dedicate the Marian month of May to praying for an end to the pandemic. "The initiative will involve all the Shrines of the world in a special way, so that they might encourage the faithful, families, and communities to recite the Rosary to pray for an end to the pandemic Pope Francis will open the Marian month of prayer on 1 May with a Rosary broadcast across Vatican Media's platforms. [www.vaticannews.va/en.html](http://www.vaticannews.va/en.html) Each day will see Vatican News broadcast the recitation of the Rosary at 6 PM Rome time (8 am Alaska Time) from the various Shines taking part in the initiative.. The Pope will also close the initiative on 31 May with another specially-broadcast Rosary.

	Shrine	Country	Prayer Intention
8	Our Lady of Luján	Argentina	For all communication workers
9	Holy House of Loreto	Italia	For all seniors
10	Our Lady of Knock	Ireland	For all people with disabilities
11	The Virgin of the Poor (Banneux)	Belgium	For all the poor, the homeless the economically distressed
12	Our Lady of Africa (Algiers)	Algeria	For all people who live alone and those who have lost hope
13	Our Lady of the Rosary(Fatima)	Portugal	For all prisoners
14	Our Lady of Health (Vailankanni)	India	For all scientists and medical research institutions
15	Our Lady Queen of Peace (Medjugorje)	Bosnia	For all migrants
16	Saint Mary's Cathedral (Sydney)	Australia	For all victims of violence and human trafficking
17	Immaculate Conception(Washington, D.C.)	USA	For all world leaders and for all heads of international organizations
18	Our Lady of Lourdes	France	For all doctors and nurses
19	Mother Mary's House <i>Meryem AnaEvi</i> (Ephesus)	Turkey	For all people at war and for world peace
20	Nuestra Señora de la Caridad del Cobre	Cuba	For all pharmacists and health care personnel
21	Our Lady of Nagasaki	Japan	For all social workers
22	Nuestra Señora de Montserrat	Spain	For all volunteers
23	Notre Dame du Cap (Trois Rivières)	Canada	For all law enforcement and military personnel and for all fire-fighters
24	To be confirmed		For all those who provide essential services
25	Basilica of the Blessed Virgin of Ta' Pinu	Malta	For all teachers, students and educators
26	Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe	Mexico	For all workers and entrepreneurs
27	Mother of God (Zarvanytsia)	Ukraine	For all the unemployed
28	Black Madonna of Altötting	Germany	For the Holy Father, bishops, presbyters, and deacons
29	Our Lady of Lebanon (Harissa)	Lebanon	For all consecrated men and women
30	Blessed Virgin of the Holy Rosary of Pompeii	Italia	For the Church
31	Vatican Gardens	The Vatican	For the end of the pandemic and the resumption of our social and economic life

**MOMS—Thursday, May 13, 2021 is the Feast Day of Our Lady of Fatima and also the Feast of the Ascension** Please join us in attending 9am Mass on this Feast Day. There will also be a simple ceremony after mass for those interested in being enrolled in the Brown Scapular Confraternity for any who are interested: <https://www.sistersofcarmel.com/brown-scapular-information.php>. Please let Donabelle know if you will be attending and would like a scapular at 702.994.9269 or [donabelle@gmail.com](mailto:donabelle@gmail.com).

**\*May is the month of Mary\***

**Marian Feast Days in May:**

**Thursday, May 13 Our Lady of Fatima**

**Monday, May 31, The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Join our St. Andrew MOMS Rosary - Our Lady's Blue Army  
 All our invited and welcome! Praying the Rosary Everyday on Zoom, Sunday-Saturday at 7am  
 Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8964391349>  
 Meeting ID: 896 439 1349

Offertory - April 28-May 2, 2021				
	Offertory		Building Fund	
		& Debt Reduction	Total	
Masses & Mail Box	\$ 7,696.29	\$ 2,102.00	\$ 9,798.29	
Given On-line	\$ 7,928.00	\$ 1,946.00	\$ 9,874.00	
Earthquake Repair	\$ 300.00		\$ 300.00	
Yurt	\$ 5,063.00		\$ 5,063.00	
Total	\$ 20,987.29	\$ 4,048.00	\$ 25,035.29	