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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekends

Saturday: 6:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM

Daily

Mass (Tuesday & Friday): 9:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM
(At St. Augustine 3:00-3:45 PM)

Holy Day Masses:

As announced

If you are a visitor or if you are new to our parish, we welcome you. If you would like to become a member of our parish, you may call the parish office, contact us by e-mail or return this form by mail or by placing it in the offertory collection.

This form may also be used for change of address or to request a call from a member of our staff.

Name _____

Address _____

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New parishioner Change of address Please contact me

Linwood/Uxbridge, Massachusetts

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**

- Saturday, May 15**
6:00 PM Eva, Rita & Nelson Daigle Sr.
 by Jeannette Daigle Massey
- Sunday, May 16**
9:00 AM Katherine Rachwal by Mark
- Tuesday, May 18**
9:00 AM Mary Gigliello by Eleanor Hatén
- Friday, May 21**
9:00 AM Lacy & Luther Butler by the Butler family
- Saturday, May 22**
6:00 PM Rita Cogliandro by Joyce Paquette
- Sunday, May 23**
9:00 AM Katherine Rachwal by Mark

Liturgical Roles May 22 & 23

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 6:00 PM** A. Thomson
9:00 AM R. Poulin

Lectors

- 6:00 PM** J. Hauge
9:00 AM S. Desjourdy

Altar Servers

- 6:00 PM** V. Jordan
9:00 AM C. Wilson

Ushers/Greeters

- 6:00 PM** P. & K. Jordan, J. Lydon
9:00 AM J. & M. Morrissey, need 1

Readings for the week of May 16, 2021

- Sunday:** *Ascension:* Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/
 Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/
 Mk 16:15-20 *Seventh Sunday of Easter:* Acts
 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20
 [19a]/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19
- Monday:** Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab [33a]/
 Jn 16:29-33
- Tuesday:** Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21 [33a]/
 Jn 17:1-11a
- Wednesday:** Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68: 29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab
 [33a]/Jn 17:11b-19
- Thursday:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8,
 9-10, 11 [1]/Jn 17:20-26
- Friday:** Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab
 [19a]/Jn 21:15-19
- Saturday:** *Morning:* Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7
 [7b]/Jn 21:20-25
- Next 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 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13,
 14-15/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 52, 53, 55,
 56 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3,
 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28,
 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34
 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or
 Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27;
 16:12-15



The Week Ahead

Sunday, May 16	9:00 AM	Mass
Tuesday, May 18	9:00 AM 5:00 PM	Mass TOPS (Parish Center)
Wednesday, May 19	6:00 PM	Rosary Makers (Parish Center)
Thursday, May 20	7:00 PM	Bible Study (Parish Center)
Friday, May 21	9:00 AM	Mass
Saturday, May 22	10:00 AM 4:00 PM 6:00 PM	Confessions (Church) Bible Study (Parish Center) Mass
Sunday, May 23	9:00 AM	Mass

2021 May Basket Raffle
Good Shepherd Parish

We are pleased to let you know that we have come up with a plan to hold a modified May Basket Raffle, taking into account all the state and diocesan guidelines.

27 Themed Baskets and Several Gift Certificates

Tickets for the above are \$1 each of 6 tickets for \$5

You can access tickets on our website :
goodshepherdlinwood.org/may-raffle-baskets

Mail your payment and your raffle distribution sheet to the parish office at the above address and please put

Attention May Raffle Baskets on the front of the envelope

We will be set up in the hall after our Saturday 6pm Mass and Sunday after the 9am Mass from May 1st through May 30th, so that you may stop in at your convenience to view the baskets and drop off your purchased tickets. We will also be open to the public on Saturday, May 8th from 4:00pm to 5:30pm and Saturday, May 22nd from 4pm-5:30pm.

If you are not comfortable coming in, but would like to take chances on any of the raffles, you may send a check or cash to the parish office. Simply let us know which raffles you would like to purchase tickets for and how many tickets will be placed on each basket or gift certificate by filling out the raffle distribution sheet.

All drawings will take place on Monday, May 31st and you will be contacted by phone to pick up your prize.

This will be our major fundraising event for the year, so whatever you can contribute would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Linda Roberts by phone (774) 280-6602 or Ann Wagstaff by email at wagstaffa473@gmail.com.

Thank you,

Linda Roberts and Ann Wagstaff
 May Basket Raffle Committee



7th Sunday of Easter

God remains where love remains. When a believer realizes without doubt that God is love, it is a powerful moment. Being able to place our resurrection trust in this fundamental truth allows us to experience God's presence in all of our experiences: the good and the bad, positive and negative, life enriching and destructive events we encounter. It is no wonder that St. Paul so accurately tells us that it is love that endures all things and lasts. How can God not endure or ever fade away? Because he is God, Jesus also guarded and protected his disciples as the endearing shepherd who always had their best interest at heart.

If we become too immersed in the world, we lose touch with these deeper realities. We can become so preoccupied with preserving what we have created or think that we need, forgetting that it is not building our city that really matters, but God's. Jesus clearly did not belong to the world and, by virtue of his resurrection, he tries to get us to understand that we do not either. The truth brings us to other worldly, more divine places and takes our eyes off of the concerns that often captivate our fears and storm our senses.

Life can easily erode our faith. Think of your life over the last couple of weeks. What challenged your faith and distracted your divine glance? Even being overly stimulated with technology and social media can erode our sense of confidence and cause us to forget who we really are. We need to distance ourselves from the world in order to experience the joy that Christ offers. The world will never like the word of God. It is too challenging and too perplexing. The world mistakenly believes that it can survive on its own. It is a mistaken judgment that may cost people a lot in the end. It is all so very simple: God remains when we love one another. If in all the business of our lives and all that each day brings, the good and the bad, we follow the call and path of love, we will walk with God. There is nothing to fear and anxiety finds no home.



SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Weekend of May 8 & 9
 Regular \$3101; Electronic \$728; Utilities \$55;
 Parish Savings \$212; Candles \$40;
 Living Faith Booklets \$2

Total Envelopes: 62
Thank you!

Mitu Mission

This weekend May 15 & 16 is our monthly collection in support of the Diocese of Mitu, Colombia. Please make sure to add your donation to the collection basket, using the special Mitu envelope or another envelope with MITU on the front. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity!

THANK YOU FOR A DECADE OF SPREADING 'TRUTH FOR LIFE'!

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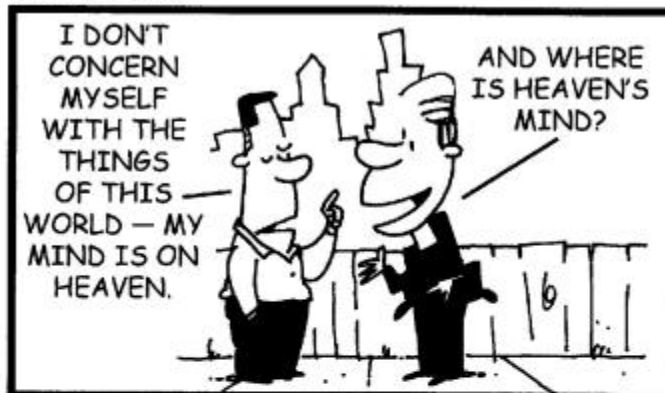
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The Rosary Makers group will meet on Wednesday, May 19 at 6:00 pm in the **Parish Center**.

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