

ASCENSION SUNDAY

JUNE 2, 2019

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CHRIST THE KING

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ST PATRICK (Main Office)

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ST PETER THE APOSTLE

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LaVonne Dalton Christian Outreach

--If you know someone that should have a card sent to them or is in the hospital or experiencing illness, give LaVonne a call at 970.854.5125

Young Adults—Going to Denver for a day or two?

Get event updates by texting DCYA to 84576 to see what's going on for YOU!

Bulletin messages: Fr Jerry 720.339.1472 or jerryrohr@gmail.com by Noon, Wednesdays

****Use of St Patrick facilities: contact Fr Jerry****

Sacrament Information:

BAPTISM/MARRIAGE: Contact Fr Jerry

RECONCILIATION: St Patrick, Sat. 3:00-4:00pm

Christ the King Sat. 4:30pm

St Peter before Sunday Mass

Or by appointment—720.339.1472



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"A Hundred Thousand Welcomes"

ST PATRICK

Sunday Mass at 8:00am

Communion Service—Mon at 7:30am

Mass—Tues/Wed/Thurs/ Fri at 7:30am

First Friday Adoration & Benediction

6:00pm to 7:00pm

Confessions—Saturday 3:00 to 4:00pm

CHRIST THE KING

Saturday Mass, 5:00pm, June 8

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

Confessions before Mass 4:30pm to 4:50pm

ST PETER THE APOSTLE

Mass this Tuesday, June 4, 5:00pm

Sunday Mass, June 9, 10:30am

Confessions before Mass OR by appointment

Pray for the Sick of our Parishes...

Michael Black, Bill Tepley, Joyce, Lenora Troelstrup, Mark Dalton, Derek Weingardt, Fred Kropp, Ivan Venezuela, Angela Conde Purdy, Cliff Schmitz, Shawn Maloney, Lonnie Krueger, Marty Tindera, Leah Pridemore, Joe Kinnie, Bev Susman, Shawn Maloney, Marie Bricknell, Adrianna Pridemore, Dolores Haskell, Frank Unrein, Lucy Dominguez, Carl Morgan, William Pridemore, Frances Boerner, Ruth Guthrie, Kathy Wolff, Brenda Pauley, Karen Hoefler, Joanine Lousberg. Changes? Tell Father. God bless.



Need a wheelchair at St Patrick's? You'll find one you can use for transport into and out of the building by the votive candle stand in the church. Please return when finished with its use so others may use it.

St Patrick Hall reservations—must be a current registered member of one of our Parishes.

Contact Fr Jerry

SACRISTANS:

Jason Depperschmidt—José Leon—Thom Elliott—
Raymond Brekel—Vince Hoefler

MINISTRIES FOR JUNE 8-9

Christ the King Saturday 5:00pm

Music: Carolyn Davis & Trainee

Lector: Tim Swan

Eucharist: Jerry Wagoner & Jim Helfer

Confessions Before Mass 4:30-4:50pm

St Patrick Sunday 8:00am

Hospitality: Tina Krogmeier

Ushers: Harold Blomme & Jerry Lauer

Servers: Claire H & Ellie K

Lector: LaVonne Dalton

Eucharist to sick: Julie Elliott

St Peter the Apostle Sunday 10:30am

Ushers: (for June): Dave Boerner & Marvin Brekel

Servers: Jesse Bornhoft

Lector: Jeff Brekel

Eucharist: Vicki Horton & Raymond Brekel

Offertory: Bill & Phyllis Helgoth

Confessions Before Mass by Request

--St Raphael Counseling 720.377.1359

Clinical counseling for individuals, children, teens, couples & families. Outpatient substance abuse counseling. Post-abortive counseling. Tele & Electronic counseling also available.

Totus Tuus! This experience is for young people 1st Grade thru High School. Middle & HS program starts evening of Sunday, June 9 and Elementary program starts June 10. Registration forms not received by Friday cannot be accepted. Scholarships are available.



We will need help with set-up—serving—clean-up on Sunday, June 9, for the Confirmation reception. If you will sign up to help with these important tasks, we would be grateful.

Mass Intentions

Sunday 8:00am	June 2 +Margaret Hendrix by family
Monday 7:30am	June 3 Communion Service
Tuesday 7:30am	June 4 +Francesca Carbonaro by family
Wednesday 7:30am	June 5 +Marguerite Koehler by family
Thursday 7:30am	June 6 +Robert Pelzel by family
Friday 7:30am	June 7 For the success of our Totus Tuus program
Saturday 7:30pm	June 8 Neo-Catechumenal Mass



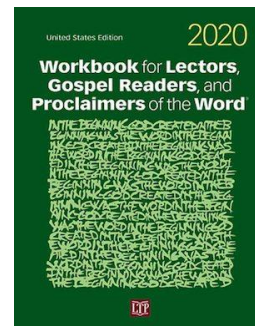
ARCHBISHOP'S

CATHOLIC APPEAL

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achieved in the past and hopes to accomplish in the future. Gifts to the Appeal are immediately invested in works of religion, education, and charity. Every parish family is asked to donate in a spirit of genuine sacrifice. Please call 303. 867.0614 or visit www.archden.org/givetoday.

Current & Future Lectors—let Fr Jerry know if you would like your own copy of the Lector's Workbook for the new liturgical year that begins December 1, 2019. Early, I know, but early orders will get us a discount.



We will have 11 young people receive their First Holy Communion and Confirmation on Sunday afternoon, 2:00pm, on June 9, in Holyoke. The rehearsal for this exciting event is at St Patrick, on Friday, June 7, at 5:00pm. Candidates, please have your Sponsors accompany you to rehearsal if they are in town. We will begin **PROMPTLY**, at 5:00PM. Do not plan to be late !!!



Ascension/ Seventh Sunday of Easter

We went to the most beautiful concert the other day. I'm still meditating on the many ways it touched and expanded my heart. It began with two songs sung beautifully by a "traditional" choir. Then a larger choir stepped up and joined them, and WOW. The sound and richness of their voices seemed to multiply ten times the sound of the original choir.

Applause. They disappear, and the sanctuary fills with the sublime colors of the Korean Choir, a combination of choirs from the Korean churches in the area. Oh, how this choir watches the director. Every note is perfect, every movement choreographed meticulously.

Applause. The colors swirl away, and now the church fills with the delightful dancers from India. The drums gently beat as these gorgeous dancers get everyone up on their feet and we all pretend we're in the closing dance sequence of some charming movie from "Bollywood."

Applause. Ha! Here come the Jews. All it takes is a clarinet, violin, two singers playing some kind of fascinating but unidentifiable string instruments, and we are transported to a pre-Holocaust Eastern European shtetl. The sound is haunting, dissonant, challenging, utterly stunning. I release my heart once again. The Jews own it.

And so it goes. One choir after the other commands the room, and then they all come together for the last piece, "Make the circle wider." I notice, for the first time, that there are four Caucasians mixed in with the Mexicans, and three African-Americans dancing with the Indians. And the words of today's gospel seem to sound all through the church, the city, the world: *Father, may they all be one.*

And they were. And we are.

In what ways are you using your life experience to make the circle wider?

Kathy McGovern c. 2019 www.thestoryandyou.com



Domingo de Ascensión/ Séptimo Domingo de Pascua

El otro día fuimos a un concierto tan hermoso. Todavía estoy meditando las tantas maneras en las que me conmovió y expandió mi corazón. Comenzó con dos canciones cantadas bellísimamente por un coro "tradicional." Después entró en escena otro coro mucho más grande que se les unió, y GUAU. El sonido y la calidad de sus voces multiplicaron diez veces el sonido del coro original.

Aplausos. Desaparecen, y el santuario se llena con los colores sublimes del coro coreano, una combinación de todos los coros de las iglesias coreanas del área. Ah, y cómo obedece a su director este coro. Cada nota es perfecta, cada momento está meticulosamente coreografiado.

Aplausos. Los colores dan vueltas y desaparecen, y ahora la iglesia se llena con los encantadores bailarines de la India. Los tambores suenan suavemente mientras estos hermosos bailarines nos hacen

poner a todos de pie para que pretendamos que estamos en el baile de cierre de alguna encantadora película de “Bollywood.”

Aplausos. ¡Ja! Aquí vienen los judíos. Sólo necesitan un clarinete, un violín, y dos cantantes que tocan una especie de instrumento de cuerdas fascinante pero que no pude identificar, y fuimos transportados a un pueblecito de Europa del Este antes del Holocausto. El sonido es evocador, disonante, desafiante, totalmente despampanante. Una vez más suelto mi corazón. Ahora le pertenece a los judíos.

Y así continua. Un coro después del otro toma posesión del lugar, y por último todos se unen para la pieza final, “Hagamos el círculo más grande.” Me fijo por primera vez que hay cuatro personas de raza blanca mezclados con los mexicanos, y los tres african-americanos que bailan con las personas de la India. Y es como si las palabras del evangelio resonaran por toda la iglesia, la ciudad, el mundo: *Padre, que todos sean uno solo.*

Y lo fueron. Y lo somos.

¿En qué maneras estás usando tu experiencia de vida para hacer el círculo más grande?

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Upcoming Events !!!

- June 3 Knights of Columbus meeting, 8:00pm, St Patrick Basement, Holyoke

- June 4 25th Ordination Anniversary for Fr Jerry. Join us for Mass in Holyoke, if you can, followed by breakfast at Kardale’s in beautiful downtown Holyoke! If you have a question, contact Mary Austin at 970.854.2605.

- June 7 Rehearsal for Confirmation, 5:00pm, Saint Patrick, Holyoke **DO NOT BE LATE! YOU WILL BE ASKED TO WAIT UNTIL NEXT YEAR’S CEREMONY!**

- June 7 First Friday Adoration & Benediction, 6:00pm, St Patrick, Holyoke

- June 7 First Friday Art Series, 7:00pm, Prairie Winds Art Center, Holyoke

- June 9 Confirmation, 2:00pm, St Patrick, Holyoke

- June 9 Totus Tuus Middle & High School Program begins, 7:00pm, St Patrick, Holyoke

- June 10 Totus Tuus Elementary School Program begins, 9:00am, St Patrick, Holyoke

- June 12 All Parish Potluck Dinner, 5:15pm, St Patrick Hall, Holyoke

- June 16 Father’s Day. Congratulations to all our fathers!

- June 21 Appreciation Dinner for all of our Religious Education Catechists and their families, 6:00pm, St Patrick Hall, Holyoke