



ST. ROMUALD CATHOLIC CHURCH

394 N HWY 259 · HARDINSBURG KY 40143

May 26, 2019 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

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St. Romuald

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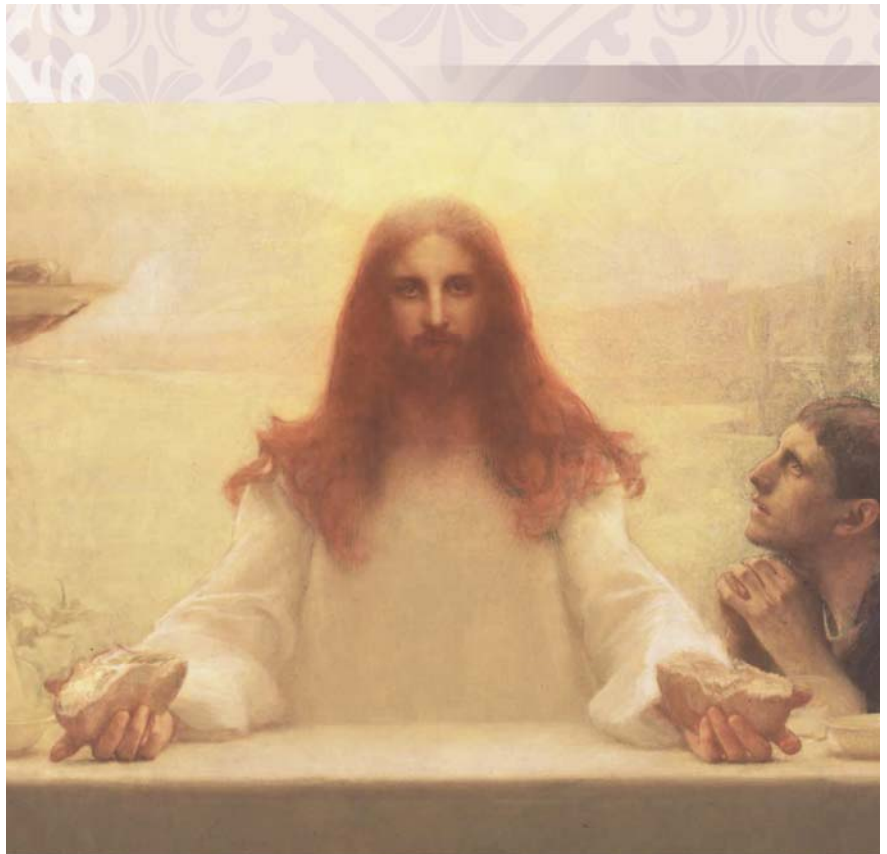
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Representatives:

Amy Flood, Marvin Mattingly

Jennifer Payne



6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid." - Jn 14:27

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Masses for the Week

May 27th - June 2nd

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| Mon | 8:00 am | Deceased Veterans |
| Tues | 1:00 pm | Casey Mattingly (Extended Care) |
| Wed | 5:00 pm | Butch Androski |
| Thur | 9:30 am | Travis Greenwood (Medco) |
| Fri | 9:00 am | Special Intention |
| Sat | 8:00 am | Billy Kannapel |
| | 5:00 pm | St. Romuald Parishioners |
| Sun | 7:00 am | Donnie Vessels |
| | 10:00 am | Ron Wilcheck |

Stewardship of Finance

REGULAR COLLECTION (Envelopes and Loose)

Amount needed Weekly.....\$9,500.00

May 11th & 12th Collection

Sunday Collection.....\$6,418.00
 Building Fund.....\$15.00



Worship and Sacrament

Anointing of the Sick: Anointing of the Sick is celebrated with the parish community every first Wednesday at 5:00 pm Mass. Yet, anytime, anointing is available for illness, preparation for surgery or for recovery, by calling Fr Tony.

Baptism: Congratulations on the birth of your child! Your Church Family is excited about your family growing and our family growing! We look forward to celebrating your child's baptism! Preparation for new parents or those new to the parish is held by appointment. Call Fr Tony.

Marriage: Congratulations on your engagement! Your Church Family wishes to help you fully prepare spiritually and walk with you into this lifetime commitment to each other. In order to allow sufficient time, couples must contact the parish office at least 6 months before the anticipated wedding date.

Confession/Reconciliation: Every Wednesday 4:00-4:45 pm; every Saturday 4:00-4:45 pm, every first Saturday after 8:00 am Mass, or anytime by simply asking or calling Fr Tony for appointment.

Visitation of the Sick: Please notify Father or the office upon admission of a family member into nursing homes or hospital. Often we rely upon word from the family about illnesses of a member. Please call.

RCIA: Interested in the Catholic Faith? The RCIA process is a "spiritual journey" that fully initiates those who are not baptized or who have baptism from another tradition and wish to join fully the Catholic Church. Classes are offered through the year culminating at Easter! Please call the office for details!

Membership in the Parish: Welcome to all new families or persons moving into our parish. We are glad that you are joining the parish community. We want to visit with you and help you settle into the church. Please register in the parish office as soon as possible.

Ministers of the Liturgy - June 1st & 2nd

| | Eucharistic Ministers | Lectors | Ushers | Servers | Rosary Leaders | Music Ministers |
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| 5:00 pm | Donald Bland Kathy Flood | Jenny Pile Dayle Riley | C-Eric Barr C-Evan Barr S-Jamie Barr S-Harry Mattingly | Benjamin Barr Ben Aldridge | Jamesetta Whitfill | P.J./Alison |
| 7:00 am | Janet Bland Gabe Carwile | Janet Board | C-Michael Kennedy C-Matt Oelze S-Greg Wethington S-Leo Wheatley | Andrew Carwile Luke Carwile | Mary Vessels | |
| 10:00 am | Lori Carwile Ort Critchelow Sandy Horsley Rhonda Walz | Barbara Critchelow Laura Frank | C-Joey Walz C-Danny Flood S-Greg Hinton S-Mack Mattingly | Layne Carwile Luke Walz | Minnie Nimmo | A.J. Anthony |

Radio Minister: Melissa Oelze

PICNIC NEWS

Our annual church picnic is coming up on Saturday, June 15, 2019. Last year our Silent Auction raised \$1,195.00. We would like to see if we can double that amount this year!

We need items for this year's auction, such as homemade cakes, rolls, pies, baskets, embroidered items, pictures, frames, decorative mailboxes, memory baskets (in honor of loved ones), tote bags, handmade furniture, dishes, and quilts. If you have a special craft, good at baking or have items you have collected that could be useful to someone else, we would appreciate your donation to our Silent Auction.

Please contact:

Sheila Sills - Text or call 270-993-8166

Home Phone: 270-756-2297

Email swsills@gmail.com

Or

Brenda Elder

Cell: 270-617-0176

Picnic Raffle Tickets: Raffle tickets are available at the doors of the church and at the church office. We receive 100% profit from the raffle, this is the most profitable part of the picnic, so please do all you can to sell these tickets.

Meat Donations: Rudy & Kathy Brumfield will be collecting meat donations again this year. You may mail your check for a minimum of \$50 to Rudy & Kathy Brumfield, 333 Hillside Drive, Hardinsburg, KY 40143 or put it in the collection basket in an envelope marked meat donation or drop it by the church office. **PLEASE MAKE CHECKS OUT TO ST. ROMUALD PICNIC!**

I want to welcome my family and some of my closest friends to the 10:00 am Mass today. Monday the 27th of May, I will celebrate 30 years as a Priest.

Welcome to St. Romuald.

Memorial Day Mass: On Monday, May 27th, we will be having an outdoor Mass in the cemetery. At this Mass we will have a commemoration of all those buried here who have served in the armed forces.

In case of rain, we will have Mass in Church.

This Week at St. Romuald

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| Mon | | Office Closed (Memorial Day) |
| | 8:00 am | Mass (Veterans Memorial) |
| | 1:00 pm | Blue Army Rosary |
| | 7:00 pm | Al-Anon |
| Tues | 1:00 pm | Mass (Extended Care) |
| | 4:00 pm | Rosary |
| Wed | 5:00 pm | Mass |
| Thur | 9:30 am | Mass (Medco) |
| Fri | 9:00 am | Mass |
| Sat | 8:00 am | First Saturday Mass |
| | 4:00 pm | CONFESSIONS |
| | 5:00 pm | Mass |
| Sun | 7:00 am | Mass |
| | 10:00 am | Mass |

Around and About

St. Joseph Picnic, Leitchfield: Saturday, June 1 at 4:00 pm. All games and inflatable are **FREE for children** to play (except bingo and cake booth). Buy burgoo to go. Smoked pork and chicken dinners (4-7 pm) are \$10, \$9 seniors, \$5 (4-10). Buy a \$5 raffle ticket for a handstitched quilt and \$2,000 cash prizes, drawing at 8:30 pm. Pre-sale Boston Butts \$30. Karaoke will be from 5:30-8:30; Live Auction at 7 pm. Mass celebrated at 4 pm & 9 pm. Come join us!

BBQ Chickens: The Knights of Columbus will be selling BBQ chickens on 2nd of June after the 7am Mass at St Romuald's, the 9am Mass at St Mary's and the 1000 Mass at St Anthony and St Romuald. (KofC members: we will start cooking at 3:30am at the pit, if you can help please contact Robbie Henning @ 617-8505

Al-Anon Meeting: Mondays 7:00 pm St Romuald Parish Hall. Come find support and understanding to recover a sense of serenity in your life.

IRELAND: October 28 - November 8, 2019

Fr. Tony Stevenson invites you on a 12-day pilgrimage to explore the traditions of our faith in beautiful churches, chapels and shrines on the Emerald Isle.

For a brochure or additional information you may write or call:

Saint Anthony Catholic Church
1654 South Highway 79
Hardinsburg, KY 40143
Phone: 270-257-2123

(Please leave a message with your name, address and phone number).

Disciples Response Fund Update:

550 Families in Parish

100 Families Donated

Target Amount \$13,070.77

Total Pledged \$12,062.00

Total Paid \$10,502.00

Total Due \$ 1,560.00

Outstanding Catholic School Educator of the Year Award

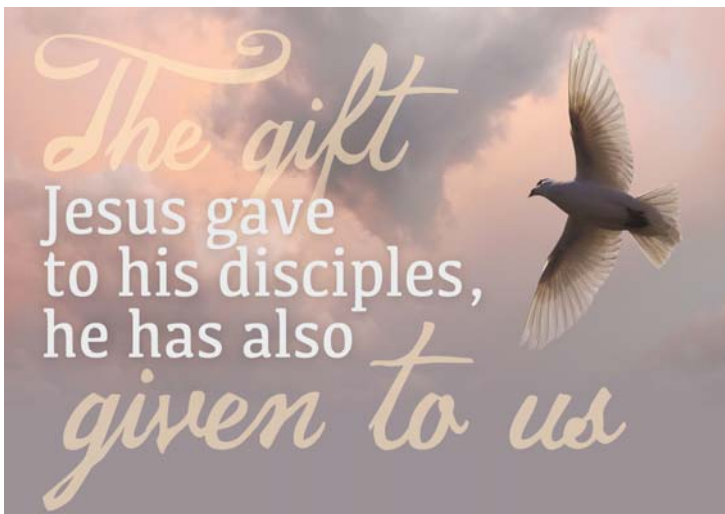
Attention parents and students of Catholic schools in the Diocese of Owensboro: has a teacher changed you or your child's life for the better? If so, nominate this teacher for the Outstanding Catholic School Educator of the Year! The deadline to submit is July 1. Find a form here with all the nomination criteria:

<https://owensborodiocese.org/educator-award/>.

Celebration

BIRTHDAYS:

JIM FLOOD, MAY 31ST



Are you a Catholic in a medical field?

We are in the beginning stages of starting a Catholic Medical Association "guild" in the Diocese of Owensboro. Anyone in any medical profession is able to be a member, but it takes three active physicians to start the guild. CMA Guilds provide fellowship, education, opportunities to serve the local Church and public, and a base for physicians, healthcare professionals, medical students and residents to find guidance, education, mutual support, service, and witness. Read more at www.cathmed.org. Contact Danny May or Deacon Richard Murphy if you are interested. 270-683-1545.

PRAYER REQUESTS

We Pray For:



Paul Alexander, Noretta Barton, Edwin Baysinger, Gene Bennett, Roy Bennett, Ava Bruner, Anna Carrico, D.J. Clark, HL DeJarnette, Debbie Dubree, Davye Duggins, Sammy Duggins, Helen Fentress, Cara Franko, Dorothy Greenwell, Linda Greenwood, Austin Harris, Kay Harris, JoAnn Henning, Kitty Himmelhaver, Bill Hinton, Joe Jarboe, Dorothy Jackson, Mary Ann Johnson, Becky Keenan, Robert Lasle, Michael Manning, Danika Mattingly, Janie Maysey, Bevan Michael Miller, Eddie O'Bryan, Joe Oelze, Paisley Oelze, Janet O'Reilly, Carl Phillips, Peggy Phillips, Bobby Potts, Marilyn Preher, Joe Priest, Mary Jo Rankin, Rita Roach, Shirley Robbins, Dale Severs, Martha Severs, Max Sharp, John Sosh, Joe Speaks, Casey Sturgeon, Pam Sturgeon, Lucye Tate-Stupak, Adalee Taul, Ginna Thornsberry, Rufus Tivitt, Marilyn Vessels, Jesse Watkins, Pat Watkins, Greg Weise, Raymond Wethington, Carrie White, Eddie Whitfill, Carolyn Wilcheck, Kevin Wilcheck, David Williams, Anne Wolfe, Jackie Yates

Serving in the Armed Forces: Mandie Adams, Kevin Arnold, Fred Barham, William Barham, Austin Brown, Timothy Cashen, Ryan Critchelow, Cody Garst, Parker Findlay, James Hanor, Christian Hansen, Charles Kuhlman, Bradford O'Reilly, Jordan Pate, Jeff Smith, Lane D. Taul, Liana Tindle, Chase Upchurch, Garrett Wadsworth

PRAYER AND SPIRITUALITY



GOSPEL MEDITATION

May 26, 2019
6th Sunday of Easter

Remembering and Praying for the Deceased

Walter Manning, Alfred Jarboe, Terry Smith, Joe Hess, Bucky Barr, Charles Maurice Payne, Ricky Brooks, Hubert Greenwood, Donnie Vessels, Brenda Sills Kelley, Keith "Butch" Androski, Rudy Brumfield, Sr., William Kannapel, Helen Fentress

We will keep a name on this list for a year from the time of their death. If you have a family member not of this parish and you would like to have their name listed please call the office (270-756-2356).

Let us continue to pray for **ALL Families** who have lost loved ones. May Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.

We have Journals and Resource Books available in the Church Office for anyone wishing to pick one up.

Care Notes are available at the main entrance of the Church. Feel free to take which ever meets your needs.

Pray to end abortion: Join other Catholics and those from other faiths that gather each Saturday at 2nd and Market in Louisville from 7:00-8:00 am (EST) to pray for families entering the abortion clinic. Many children have been saved and mothers spared future grief by this prayer action and support. With God, all things are possible!

Abortion Update: Last week 66 women went into EMW Clinic for abortions at 2nd and Market Street in Louisville. **Please pray to end abortion.**

Theology has two words to describe the space between God and us - transcendent and immanent. When we say God is transcendent, we speak of the One whose ways are not our ways, the placer of stars and maker of mountains. This is God who transcends our understanding, whose being goes beyond what we can know. When we say God is immanent, we mean His nearness to us. This is the way Jesus speaks of himself in today's Gospel. "Whoever loves me keeps my word...and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him."

The Hebrews saw God as intimately involved with the fate of their people. But for all His care, God was still distant to most. He spoke through prophets and was represented in blazes of fire and pillars of cloud. Priests offered animal sacrifice to atone for the nation's sins. While we still know that God is transcendent - any morning's resplendent sunrise confirms this - Jesus introduces us to himself in a new way. Not only does Jesus walk among us, but the Holy Spirit dwells within us. "The Advocate, the Holy Spirit...will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you!"

How do you tend to view God? For many of us, the transcendent sense of a distant God might fill our perception. Today's Gospel reminds us of something altogether different, something more intimate. Our God remains with us. He overcomes the confusion of the world and speaks peace to our troubled hearts. Our God is not far from us. The more we remain connected to Him and love as He loved, the more we will experience His nearness. We can have confidence in His presence and rest in His encouragement: "Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

Readings for the Week

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a
- Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
- Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15
- Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53 (for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20
- Friday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 1:39-56
- Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28
- Sunday: Acts 7:55-60; Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9; Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; Jn 17:20-26; or, for Ascension, Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53

First Friday Adoration: June 7th at 9:30 am we will begin adoration until Saturday morning mass at 8:00 am. We are blessed with dedicated adorers for each hour, but can use extra people for some hours. Please call Minnie Nimmo 270-617-0297 or Patsy Whitfill 270-617-2557 to volunteer spending an hour in prayer with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Quiet Time with God and Self June 2-8

What inspires you? What kind of seeds are you planting in your garden or life? Does your body and soul need nourishment? Sign up for a contemplative week just for you. Let the peaceful and holy surroundings of Mount Saint Joseph Conference and Retreat Center feed your faith through prayer, reflection and quiet time to be with God. Cost: \$450 for Directed Retreat (includes Spiritual Direction, room and meals) or \$275 for Silent Retreat (includes room and meals) Retreat begins with a social at 7 p.m. on Sunday, June 2, and ends after breakfast on Saturday, June 8. Sister Mary Matthias Ward will meet with each retreatant to see if you would like spiritual direction during your stay. She is the director of the Center (located 12 miles west of Owensboro on Hwy. 56) and has many years of experience in spiritual direction and retreat work. Please register: Call 270-229-0206 or email retreatcenter@maplemount.org or register online: <https://ursulinesmsj.org/conference-retreat-center/registration-sponsored-programs>



Email Prayer Chain: Would you like to be part of an email prayer chain and pray daily for those in need of prayers due to illness or other needs? To be a part of this ministry, please send an email to Marie

Rose at rosejm@bbtel.com to become a prayer warrior. When others are in need of prayer you will be notified by email to begin praying for them. We (21 warriors) are currently praying for the needs of 66 people, those on our parish prayer list and the family members of the recently deceased, who were on our list. If you have a prayer request, just send an email to Marie at the above address.

Diocesan Prayer for Vocations

God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women from the Diocese of Owensboro to serve in your Son's kingdom as priests, deacons and religious

We pray that you continue to inspire young men and women to respond courageously to your call and give themselves generously to the Church in service of the Gospel.

Pour out your Holy Spirit upon our parishes, schools, and families and assist us in building a culture of vocations in which many will hear your call to serve your people.

Help us to remain faithful to the call of the Gospel as we support and encourage vocations of sacrificial love in our youth.

**We ask this through Christ our Lord
Amen**

Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us!



2019 High School Graduates

Thank You - I want to say thanks to Gayle Poole for all the work she did with regards to our High School Seniors Mass this past Sunday. Also a huge thank you to Deacon Tony and his family and the Knights of Columbus who put on a delicious breakfast for our Seniors and families and friends. I know I appreciated it very much.

Thank you for sharing your Time & Talent with the Parish.

Fr. Tony