

DAILY READINGS

Readings for the Week of May, 2023

Sunday Acts 2:1-11 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 Jn 20:19-23
Monday Gn 3:9-15, Jn 19:25-34
Tuesday Sir 35:1-12 Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday Zep 3:14-18 Lk 1:39-56
Thursday Sir 42:15-25 Mk 10:46-52
Friday Sir 44:1, 9-13 Mk 11:11-26
Saturday Sir 51:12cd-20 Mk 11:27-33
Next Sunday Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9 2 Cor 13:11-13 Jn 3:16-18

Lector Schedule

April 3 Saturday

4:00pm Lorena Moctezuma and Azul Martinez

April 4 Sunday

8:00am Anabel de Leon and Maribel Diaz

9:30am Jayleen Avila

11:15am Lizbeth Bautista and Leticia Guzman



MASS INTENTIONS



Tuesday, May 30, 2023

8:00am Virginia Corona & Family by Lucille Aiello

Wednesday, May 31, 2023

8:00am Colin Zielinski, by Bernadette Furon (†)

Thursday, June 1, 2023

8:00am In Thanksgiving

Friday, June 2, 2023

8:00am For the Sick

Saturday, June 3, 2023

4:00pm Moscinski & Russell Families by Amelia Russell

Sunday, June 4, 2023

8:00am Graciela Chaidez by Maria Mejia

9:30am Bob Babcock by family (†)

11:15am Manuel & Margarita Chavez by family (†)

MAY 20TH & 21ST, 2023

Sunday Envelopes.....\$2,097.00

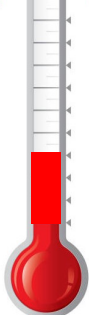
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Total\$3,641.46



Goal

\$20,142.00



\$8,117.00



The theme of the appeal this year is "Know Him. See Him." In building our relationship with Christ, we are capable of loving others even more. One way we can show compassion for others is by supporting the ministries, programs, and services that make a huge difference to families across the diocese.

El tema del llamamiento de este año es "Conócelo. Véalo". Al construir nuestra relación con Cristo, somos capaces de amar aún más a los demás. Una forma en que podemos mostrar compasión por los demás es apoyando los ministerios, programas y servicios que marcan una gran diferencia para las familias de la diócesis.

Saint Patrick Church invites you on a pilgrimage on August 19, Saturday, to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe in La Crosse, WI. The departure will be at 6:30am from the church parking lot and we will back at 7:00pm. The bus ticket price is \$60.00. There will be pot-luck lunch and many more.

Please call the office for reservation and more information (815) 965-9539. (Payment is necessary to reserve your spot).



The Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Crosse, WI

Saint Patrick Parish

My Home, Your Home, Our Home!

All are Welcome

Parroquia de San Patricio

¡Mi casa, tu casa, nuestra casa!

Todos sean bienvenidos



OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday - Friday 9 am - 1 pm

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DAILY MASS: Tuesday -Friday: 8:00 am Chapel (Parish Office)

WEEKEND MASS: Saturday: 4:00 pm (English)

Sunday: 9:30 am (English)

8:00 am & 11:15 am (Spanish)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Tuesday

and Thursday 8:30 am - 6:00 pm

RECONCILIATION: Saturday from 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Sunday 10:30 am—11:00 am

Week day after 8:00 am Mass

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Tuesday / Thursday 6:00 -7:30 pm

MARRIAGE: Arrangements should be made with Fr. Ariel.

A minimum of 6 months preparation is required.

Call Parish Office for appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please call Parish Office to make

arrangements to receive this Sacrament. For emergency

please call Fr. Ariel (815)505-7471.

BAPTISM: (English) Please call the Parish Office to make

arrangements for the Preparation Class and Baptism date.

BAUTISMO ESPAÑOL Las Pláticas Pre-Bautismales serán

cada primer sábado del mes a la 1:00 pm en el centro

parroquial. Donación de \$50.00. (No niños por favor).

Celebramos el sacramento del Bautismo durante

las misas dominicales.

PRESENTACIONES: Domingo durante la Misa.



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“We were all given to drink of one Spirit.”

“A todos se nos ha dado a beber del mismo Espíritu.”

MAY 28, 2023 ~ PENTECOST SUNDAY

The Lion's Roar

Dear friends,

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Most Blessed Trinity. The catechism of the Catholic church teaches: The Trinity is a mystery of faith in the strict sense, one of the "mysteries that are hidden in God, which can never be known unless they are revealed by God". To be sure, God has left traces of his Trinitarian being in his work of creation and in his Revelation throughout the Old Testament. But his inmost Being as Holy Trinity is a mystery that is inaccessible to reason alone or even to Israel's faith before the Incarnation of God's Son and the sending of the Holy Spirit (237).

Paragraph 254 states: The divine persons are really distinct from one another. "God is one but not solitary." "Father", "Son", "Holy Spirit" are not simply names designating modalities of the divine being, for they are really distinct from one another: "He is not the Father who is the Son, nor is the Son he who is the Father, nor is the Holy Spirit he who is the Father or the Son." They are distinct from one another in their relations of origin: "It is the Father who generates, the Son who is begotten, and the Holy Spirit who proceeds." The divine Unity is Triune.

I recommend that you read more about God and pray that your knowledge may become a relationship.

Peace,
Fr. Ariel A. Valencia



Queridos amigos,

Este domingo celebramos la fiesta de la Santísima Trinidad. El catecismo de la Iglesia Católica dice: La Trinidad es un misterio de fe en sentido estricto, uno de los misterios escondidos en Dios, "que no pueden ser conocidos si no son revelados desde lo alto". Dios, ciertamente, ha dejado huellas de su ser trinitario en su obra de Creación y en su Revelación a lo largo del Antiguo Testamento. Pero la intimidad de su Ser como Trinidad Santa constituye un misterio inaccesible a la sola razón e incluso a la fe de Israel antes de la Encarnación del Hijo de Dios y el envío del Espíritu Santo (237).

El párrafo 254 nos enseña: Las Personas divinas son realmente distintas entre sí. "Dios es único pero no solitario". "Padre", "Hijo", Espíritu Santo" no son simplemente nombres que designan modalidades del ser divino, pues son realmente distintos entre sí: "El que es el Hijo no es el Padre, y el que es el Padre no es el Hijo, ni el Espíritu Santo el que es el Padre o el Hijo". Son distintos entre sí por sus relaciones de origen: "El Padre es quien engendra, el Hijo quien es engendrado, y el Espíritu Santo es quien procede". La Unidad divina es Trina.

Le recomiendo que estudie más acerca de Dios y reces para que el conocimiento se convierta en una relación.

Paz,
Padre Ariel A. Valencia

Prayer by Thomas Merton

"My Lord God, I have no idea where I am going. I do not see the road ahead of me. I cannot know for certain where it will end. Nor do I really know myself, and the fact that I think that I am following your will does not mean that I am actually doing so. But I believe that the desire to please you does in fact please you. And I hope I have that desire in all that I am doing. I hope that I will never do anything apart from that desire. And I know that if I do this you will lead me by the right road, though I may know nothing about it. Therefore will I trust you always, though I may seem to be lost and in the shadow of death. I will not fear, for you are ever with me, and you will never leave me to face my perils alone."

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK/QUE ESTÁ PASANDO ESTA SEMANA

Monday, May 29th

Tuesday, May 30th

Wednesday, May 31st

Thursday, June 1st

Friday, June 2nd

Saturday, June 3rd

Sunday, June 4th

6:00pm - Reunion Mensajeros de Cristo

8:30am - 6:00pm –Eucharistic Adoration/ Adoración Eucarística

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6:00pm– Cleaning of the Church/ Limpieza de la Iglesia

5:00pm - Adoración

5:30pm - Rosario de Liberación

6:00pm - Misa de unción de los enfermos

6:30-8:00pm Youth Group/ Grupo Juvenil

12:00pm - Rosario de Liberación

1:00pm - Clase pre-Bautismal

3:00pm-3:45pm Reconciliation– Confesiones

10:30am - 11:00 am Reconciliation – Confesiones

10:30am - Rosario de Liberación

Reflecting on the Word

Jesus breathing on the disciples seems like such a strange thing to do, but this also happened in creation! In Genesis 2:7, God formed man out of dust and then blew the breath of life into his nostrils so that he became a living being. At the Chrism Mass, which is celebrated by the bishop before Easter, he breathes over the three different vessels of oil that will be used for the sacraments. This gesture recalls Jesus' action in today's Gospel: a symbol of the Holy Spirit coming down to consecrate the oil. The Holy Spirit that is breathed into Adam, breathed over the sacred oils, and breathed onto the apostles gives life. The Holy Spirit is God's very life and it is within you also. At your baptism you received the gift of the Holy Spirit so that you can live your life God as the apostles did after receiving the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.

Living the Word

The Holy Spirit is waiting to be invited into everything you do. As a family, make it a habit to invite him into you every activity by saying, "Come, Holy Spirit. You are welcome here." Invite him before driving, before school activities, or before a difficult conversation. He is waiting to be let in.

Reflexionar sobre la Palabra

Jesus sopló sobre los discípulos y esto nos parece algo tan extraño, ¡pero esto también sucedió en la creación! En Génesis 2:7 Dios formó al hombre del polvo y luego sopló el aliento de vida en sus fosas nasales para convertirlo en un ser vivo. En la misa crismal, que celebra el Obispo antes de Pascua, él sopla sobre los tres diferentes recipientes de aceite que se utilizara para los sacramentos. El gesto recuerda la acción de Jesús en el evangelio de hoy: símbolo del Espíritu Santo descendiendo para consagrar el aceite. El Espíritu Santo que se insufló en Adán, se insufla sobre los aceites sagrados y también sobre los apóstoles, da vida. El Espíritu Santo es la vida misma de Dios y también está en usted. En su bautismo, usted recibió el don del Espíritu Santo para dedicar su vida a Dios como hicieron los apóstoles después de recibir el Espíritu Santo en Pentecostés.

Vivir la Palabra

El Espíritu Santo está esperando ser invitado a todo lo que usted hace. A partir de esta semana y en familia, adopten el hábito de invitarlo a todas sus actividades diciéndole: "Ven, Espíritu Santo. ¡Esta es tu casa". Invitenlo antes de conducir el auto, antes de hacer la tarea escolar, antes de un juego o antes de una conversación difícil. Está esperando que lo dejen entrar.