

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**Monday, May 10, 2021**

- 7:30 AM Frank Cazzetta
 12:30 PM Sadie Grace (Living)
 7:30 PM Spanish Intentions

Tuesday, May 11, 2021

- 7:30 AM Luisa Pereira Araujo
 12:30 PM Daniel Sapanara

Wednesday, May 12, 2021

- 7:30 AM Jaclyn Mallari
 12:30 PM Anthony Hroncich
 5:00 PM Cecilia Sison

Thursday, May 13, 2021

- 7:30 AM In Honor of Mary and
 Joseph G. Vaskas
 12:30 PM Our Lady of Fatima and
 Souls in Purgatory
 5:00 PM Rev Patrick Callan

Friday, May 14, 2021

- 7:30 AM The Freitas Family
 12:30 PM Ann Hlavenka

Saturday, May 15, 2021

- 5:00 PM Deceased Memebers of
 the Corley Family
 Cindy Senia
 Pat Boland
 John Maksanty
 Gloria, Manuel and Jose Azevedo
 Jose Lopes
 Manuel Rodrigues

Sunday, May 16, 2021

- 7:00 AM Tiolinda & Francisco de Sousa
 8:30 AM Portuguese Intentions
 10:00 AM Jack L. Sullivan
 11:30 AM People of the Parish
 5:00 PM Rosa Hoyas Abril
 7:00 PM Jose Pimenta

PRIEST CELEBRANTS' SCHEDULE**Saturday, May 15, 2021**

5:00 PM Fr. Tomaz

Sunday, May 16, 2021

7:00 AM Fr. Ngozi
 8:30 AM Fr. Basilio
 10:00 AM Fr. Malcolm
 11:30 AM Fr. Malcolm
 5:00 PM Fr. Malcolm
 7:00 PM Fr. Ngozi

(Schedule is subject to change)

Corpus Christi Mass on YouTube

This Sunday May 9th, you can watch Bishop Anjay celebrate the English Mass and Fr. Tomaz celebrate the Portuguese & Spanish Masses. The English Mass will be on YouTube as of 7:00 AM on Sunday, the Spanish Mass will be available at 7pm & the Portuguese Mass will be available after 11am. Please type tgomide to watch the Mass in the language of your choice from the comfort of your homes or wherever you are. The masses will be posted to our Facebook page as well. Tell all your friends and family about it so they too can watch.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Sharing Time, Talent and Treasure

Jesus' commandment is that His disciples love one another, even to the point of laying down their lives, if necessary. What gifts of myself — my skills and talents, my time and resources — will demonstrate my love for God's people? (Our Sunday Visitor, *ibid.*, page 18).

May 2nd Actual Collection = \$9,983

May 2nd Mail-In Donations = \$4,340

May 2nd Total Collection = \$14,323

Catholic Elementary Schools = \$2,450

Attendance = 837

**CMA Numbers for 2021**

Goal = \$96,500

Pledges = \$38,601 Payments = \$30,641

Donors = 152 Average = \$254

Thank you to all the families who already have made a sacrificial gift. Please consider a yearly offering.

Pastor's Notes

I pray that all of you who are mothers and grandmothers are embracing this day as we honor you throughout our country. God's gift of motherhood is such a unique quality for each of you, just as each one of your children and grandchildren testify to their one-of-a-kind light to the world. For every child conceived in every mother's womb reminds us all of all the mysterious creative power of the Lord's love for all humanity. So much so, that God loves us each and all, that He would give us His only begotten Son through the womb of the Virgin Mary. May all your sons and daughters (and especially those who have been adopted by you in the name of sacrificial love), appreciate profoundly the sacred place of you mothers and grandmothers in our families and hearts; both the living now, and those beloved in paradise!!

The month of May is also a time to celebrate the children of our parish receiving their First Holy Communion. These Masses always remind me of one reason why I became a priest: to serve with joy for God's little ones; who by their innocence show us the way to the true Kingdom, on earth as it is in heaven. Please enjoy the many pictures we have of our holy youngsters, and pray that they will grow in the grace of the Eucharist every Sunday here at Corpus Christi!

Sunday 23 May is the culmination of the Easter season, with the coming of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost (50 days after the Resurrection), and the birth of our beloved Church. On this day, bishops give pastors and priests permission to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for adults who already have been Baptized and practicing their faith. Here in our parish we have 12 young adults who have come forward to confirm more deeply their commitment to Catholicism. Some are born right here in our nation; and others came from different countries, cultures, colors and languages. Precisely the same as the Biblical Pentecost 2000 years ago; the Spirit of God uniting us all as the Body of Christ ("You Together are My Body") in the face of our differences. The Scriptural images of the Spirit's power

(fire and wind) will hopefully bring about the reality of the Spirit's peace (dove and olive branch) to our world, our nation, our families and our souls.

Yours in Christ,
Father Malcolm

P.S. The combined collection for our 2021 Easter gifts and flowers exceeds \$55,000! Extraordinary generosity on the part of all our parishioners, especially during this pandemic period of our history! Thank you for loving Corpus Christi through the crisis and always!





DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE
OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

May 6, 2021

Dear Nurses of Long Island:

In this last year, no one was left unaffected by the trials and tribulations of the COVID-19 pandemic, but nurses, in a most profound way, were at the frontline from the very beginning, have been there during the darkest hours, and will be there to the very end. I am most grateful for the dedication of every nurse in our Diocese of Rockville Centre who, called to duty in these unprecedented times, demonstrated the grace, strength, and perseverance that epitomizes the Nursing profession and our Christian duty to care for the sick and suffering.

But it is more than just the last year. I thank every one of you in our hospitals, nursing homes and rehabilitation centers, home care environments, hospices, primary care and specialty clinics, schools, and most especially in our Catholic Health system, for giving selflessly, throughout your careers, and bringing Christ's compassion and consolation to so many. I thank you for seeing the beauty and dignity of the human person in every patient you serve.

In the last year, I know how so many of you, painfully aware of the dangers you faced with an unknown infection, bravely donned full body Personal Protective Equipment to minister to the sick and dying in our hospitals, nursing homes and private residences. But I also know of the less-chronicled times you have been away from your own families for extended shifts during a snowstorm or hurricane, when you have brought cheer with a small token of love for a lonesome patient, when you have listened or prayed with a family member, and when you have rejoiced over the news of a cure or recovery. At the same time, you have been there to comfort, console, and accompany many patients and their families through difficult times. You have been at the foot of the Cross.

It is for these qualities of character, this deep commitment, and these sacrifices whether small or heroic, that we know those who enter the field of Nursing have a special vocation: to bring Christ to the bedside, to heal the wounds of the body, and more importantly, those of the soul.

And so, as we mark National Nurses Week, it is with the sincerest gratitude that I thank you for all you do to serve God's people here on Long Island, for bearing witness to His call to love our neighbor: "For the whole law is fulfilled in one statement, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'" (Gal 5:14). Nursing, in its purest form, manifests this truth articulated by Pope Benedict XVI in *Caritas in Veritate*: "everything has its origin in God's love, everything is shaped by it, everything is directed towards it. Love is God's greatest gift to humanity; it is his promise and our hope."

May God bless you in your dedicated work and in your heroic sacrifices and charity.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre



May is such a sacred month in the life of the Catholic Church, especially here at Corpus Christi when we celebrate both Mother's Day and Our Lady of Fatima. We will pray for and honor all the mothers and grandmothers of our parish family at all the Masses during the month of May. Please write their names (both living and deceased) on the envelopes received in the mail, or the additional envelopes by the doors of the Church. We will keep them on the Altar and by the Tabernacle, to remind us of our mothers' perpetual presence in prayer and love.



Our Lady of Fatima
Nossa Senhora de Fatima
Nuestra Senora de Fatima

On Thursday 13 May 2021 at 8:00 PM, we will be celebrating Mass for Our Lady appearing to the three shepherd children; Jacinta, Lucia and Francisco, in Fatima, Portugal, 104 years ago. What a joyful day this is for all of our parish and Mineola!! Mary Mother of Jesus and our Mother, always brings all of us together as her sacred children. We welcome all three dominant cultural communities of Corpus Christi to join this celebration, in honor of our united love for the Blessed Virgin Mary!!!



A MOTHER'S LOVE

Anonymous

There are times when only a Mother's love
Can understand our tears,
Can soothe our disappoints
And calm all of our fears.

There are times when only a Mother's love
Can share the joy we feel,
When something we're dreamed about
Quite suddenly is real.

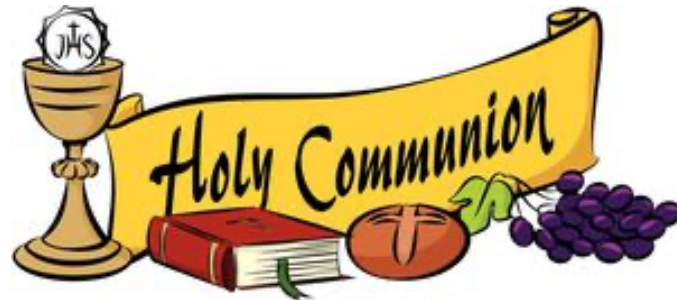
There are times when only a Mother's faith
Can help us on life's way,
And inspire in us the confidence
We need from day to day.

For a Mother's heart and a Mother's faith
And a Mother's steadfast love,
Were fashioned by the Angels
And sent from God above.



First Holy Communion





Samira Argueta
Kimberly Avila
Anthony Barbosa
Ryan Blanco-Cruz
Olivia Bosco
Angel Cabrera Benitez
Abigail Caldas
Grace Carmichael
William Cassidy
Alyssa Chernoff
Carolina Coelho
Jonathan Cruz Giron
Hunter Davidson
Erik Diaz Luca
Walter Diaz Luca
Peter Fischer
Patrick Flynn
Kingsley Forero
Lauro Franco
Sebastian Franco-Jimenez
Jacqueline Franco-Jimenez
Abigail Gandarela
Amanda Gandarela
Juan Sebastian Garcia Tamayo
Emmanuel Garcia Tamayo
Gabriella Granados Gomez
Adrian Guzman
Isabella Guzman
Christopher Hernandez Joya
Victoria Holguin

Thomas Iannone
Madelyn Jeremenko
Isabella Lucas
Eva Machado
Mateo Manipol
Giovanni Marques
Luis Marte
Cayla Mendes
Jaelyn Molina
Alison Molina
Edward Molina
Bryan Molina Mejia
Maria Joao Pacheco
Arianna Pereira
Joseph Picarello
Jillian Powers
Mason Rodrigues
Lucia Romito
Eileen Salmeron
Marco Sekar
Jake Senra
Jane Siracusa
Matthew Tenaglia
Amaia Valderrama
Carlos Valderrama
William Walker
Addison Webb
Leonardo Xavier
Stephany Zelaya Quintanilla



The Corpus Christi's 2021 "Continuing the Educational Mission" Scholarship Award

We are pleased to announce again this year the Corpus Christi "***Continuing the Educational Mission***" **Scholarship** award. Even though our beloved parish school has closed, the mission of educating the young people of our parish continues. It is in this spirit that the scholarship award has been established.

A committee of educators from grammar school, middle school, high school and college as well as members from the financial community was formed and worked on this program for a number of months and developed this scholarship.

Based upon the success from last year, this year we are expanding the scholarship program with the inclusion of an award for a student parishioner attending a Catholic grammar or middle school. Now three young people from our parish, will each be awarded a scholarship toward their Catholic education. A scholarship award of \$4,000 will be given to a student who will be attending starting September 2021 at a local Catholic grammar/middle school in grades 6, 7 or 8th for the academic school year 2021/2022. A scholarship award of \$5,000 will be given to a student who will be attending a local Catholic High School starting September 2021 for the academic school year 2021/2022 and a \$6,000 scholarship will be given to a matriculated college student carrying a course load of a minimum 12 credits/semester who will be attending full time starting September 2021, a 2-4 year college or university for the academic school year 2021/2022. The scholarship will be paid directly to the school, college or university in two equal payments, one half for the fall semester and the second half for the spring semester or if the academic year is divided into trimesters, half will be paid in the first trimester and the second half paid in the third trimester.

The funding for these scholarships will come directly from the investment income earned from the proceeds of the sale of the Searing Avenue properties and **not** from any weekly or special parish collections. The announcement of the scholarship recipients will be made later this summer. The scholarship is for one year.

For information on the eligibility requirements, application, timelines for submission and all related documents for this scholarship award, please visit our parish website at www.corpuschristi-mineola.net Applications are available online and at the rectory.

Please direct any questions regarding this scholarship to Deacon Brian Mannix at the rectory.

Religious Education Update

Sunday, May 9, 2021 - Happy Mother's Day!

9:30 AM Gr. 7, 8, 9 (*Fitzgerald Hall*)

10:00 AM Class Mass

Tuesday, May 11, 2021

4:00 PM Practice for Dedication to Mary

5:15 PM Communion Practice for

Classes 2N, IC-2, IC-3

(*Students and one parent*)

Saturday, May 15, 2021 - First Communion Mass

11:30 AM 2N (*Mrs. Palumbo*)

IC-2, IC-3 (*Ms. Carmen*)

Sunday, May 16, 2021

9:30 AM Gr. 1, 2, IC-2, IC-3

10:00 AM Class Mass and Dedication to Mary

Twenty Minutes with the Director

Sunday, May 9th Grades 7, 8, 9

Sunday, May 16th Grades 1, 2, IC-2, IC-3

Sunday, May 23rd Grades 3-4

CHIEFS FOOTBALL REGISTRATION

Chiefs PAL Football has upgraded its website so that online registration for the Fall 2021 Season is available at www.mineolapal.org. The sign up is for flag (5 and 6 year olds) and for tackle (7's, 8's, 9's, 10's, 11's & 12's). The registration fee for tackle is \$195 and for flag is \$60. For those unable to register online, please email mcavallaro@arexs.com or text or call 516-848-4248 so arrangements can be made to register.



*Please Pray For
The Deceased*



**Luis A. Salazar
Manuel J. Valente**



Please remember the sick in your daily prayers, including the following who have asked to be included in our list:

Connie Altvater, Armandina Araujo, Vinnie Benedetto, Violeta Bernal. Anne Boland, Erin Burke, Marie Byrnes, Jeanne Carroll, Michael Castalino, Arlene Cavanagh, Frank de Carolis, Sue Citro, Joann Cornacchioli, James Cunney, Jerry Daraio, Anthony Donnelly, Kate Donovan, Virginia Fallon, Lena Fiorillo, Lilly Fuentes, Kenneth Gallagher, Vanessa Gomes, Robert Hartlett, Eileen Hendrickson, Maryann Iaquinto, Sue Krebs, Diane LaBianca, Joseph LaBianca, Vincent Lodato, Christine Lucivero, Augustus & Camella Lodato, Jason Lopes, Thomas Mitchell, Pat Nicolosi, Susan O'Brien, Melissa Ogunsuyi, Gabriel Palhete, Edward Panzella, Linda Pires, JoAnn Russo, Mary Santucci, Robert Santucci, Lisa Simeone, Alice Squeri, Beatriz Silva Pontes, Paul Tubito, Lorraine Verdade, and any other members of our parish who are sick at this time.

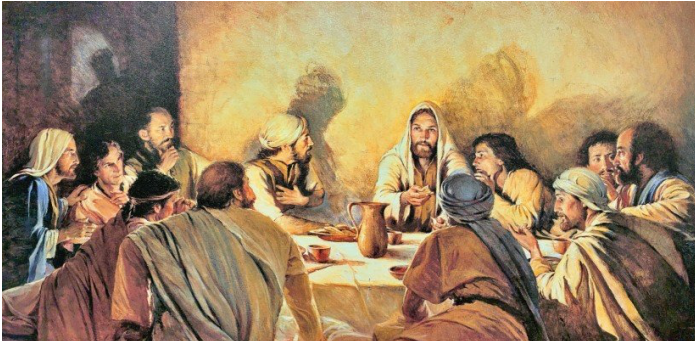
St. Vincent de Paul Society

Happy and Blessed Mother's Day to all of our Mothers! In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us, "This is my commandment: love one another as I have loved you...You are my friends if you do what I command you." The Essential Elements of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are: Spirituality-To bear witness to Christ and His Church by showing that our faith inspires us to work for the good of humanity. Friendship-To bring together people of goodwill and to assist them by mutual example and true friendship in drawing nearer to Christ. Service-To establish a personal contact between its members and those who suffer, visiting them in their homes and bringing them the most effective and charitable aid as possible. Thus, fulfilling Jesus's command to "Love one another". The St. Vincent de Paul Society is ALIVE in Corpus Christi Parish. For information please call 516-248-4858

Jim O'Keefe,
President

Español

VI DOMINGO DE PASCUA



EVANGELIO SEGÚN SAN JUAN 15, 9-17

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: *“Como el Padre me ama, así los amo yo. Permanezcan en mi amor. Si cumplen mis mandamientos, permanecen en mi amor: lo mismo que yo cumplo los mandamientos de mi Padre y permanezco en su amor. Les he dicho esto para que mi alegría este en ustedes y su alegría sea plena. Este es mi mandamento que se amen los unos a los otros como yo los he amado. Nadie tiene amor más grande a sus amigos que el que da la vida por ellos. Ustedes son mis amigos, si hacen lo que yo les mando. Ya no los llamo siervos, porque el siervo no sabe lo que hace su amo; a ustedes los llamo amigos, porque les he dado a conocer todo lo que he oído a mi Padre. No son ustedes los que me han elegido, soy yo quien los ha elegido y los ha destinado para que vayan y den fruto y su fruto permanezca, de modo que el Padre les conceda cuanto le pidan en mi nombre. Esto es lo que les mando: que se amen los unos a los otros”*.



El evangelio de Juan, en esta parte del discurso de despedida de la última cena de Jesús con sus discípulos insiste en el gran mandamiento, en el único mandamiento que Jesús ha querido dejar a los suyos. No hacía falta otro, porque en este mandamiento se cumplen todas las cosas. Jesús

quiere repartir con los suyos, con su comunidad, lo que Dios ha hecho con él. Jesús siente que Dios le ama siempre (porque Dios es amor) y una comunidad no puede ser nada si no se fundamenta en el amor sin medida: dando la vida por los otros. Ese es el signo de los hijos de Dios. Mi amor por otros no debe estar condicionado por cómo ellos responden. Jesús me ama totalmente, ya sea que yo sea una persona buena, mala o indiferente. Mi amor debe tener también esa cualidad. Este es un amor costoso, que puede demandar mi misma vida.



La primera lectura de este domingo es un resumen de un gran relato que Lucas, el autor de los Hechos, ha colocado en su narrativa en un momento importante de la vida de la primera comunidad. Estando Pedro en Joppe, tras una visión que le descoloca ideológica y prácticamente, es invitado a ir a la ciudad romana de Cesarea, donde residía habitualmente el prefecto romano, para entrevistarse con Cornelio, un jefe de la milicia y su familia. Habían oído hablar de ese nuevo movimiento entre los judíos y querían saber lo que proponían. Después de escuchar a Pedro, Cornelio y su familia reciben el Espíritu de Dios y son bautizados. Se conoce ese relato como el Pentecostés pagano. Son los primeros no judíos a recibir el bautismo en nombre de Jesús.



Están todos invitados a la misa de la Virgen de Fátima el día 13 de mayo, a las 8:00 de la noche.

Português

VI DOMINGO DA PASCOA



EVANGELHO SEGUNDO SÃO JOÃO 15, 9-17

Naquele tempo, disse Jesus aos seus discípulos: *“Assim como o Pai me tem amor, assim eu vos amo a vós. Permanecei no meu amor. Se guardardes os meus mandamentos, permaneceréis no meu amor, assim como eu, que tenho guardado os mandamento do meu Pai, também permaneço no seu amor Manifestei-vos estas coisas para que esteja em vós a minha alegria, e a vossa alegria seja completa. É este o meu mandamento: que vos ameis uns aos outros como eu vos amei. Ninguém tem mais amor do que quem dá a vida pelos seus amigos. Vós sois meus amigos, se fizerdes o que eu vos mando. Já não vos chamo servos, visto que um servo não está ao corrente do que faz o seu senhor; mas a vós chamei-vos amigos, porque vos dei a conhecer tudo o que ouvi ao meu Pai. Não fostes vós que me escolhestes; fui eu que vos escolhi a vós e vos destinei a ir e a dar fruto, e fruto que permaneça; e assim, tudo o que pedirdes ao Pai em meu nome Ele vo-lo concederá. É isto o que eu vos mando: que vos ameis uns aos outros”.*



Assim como o Pai me amou, eu também vos amei... Amai-vos uns aos outros.

No último discurso aos discípulos durante a Última Ceia, antes de deixar o Cenáculo e se dirigir para o Monte das Oliveiras, onde será preso, Jesus diz aos seus discípulos: *“É este o meu mandamento: que vos ameis uns aos outros, como eu vos amei”.* A medida do amor ao próximo já não é a indicada no Antigo Testamento: amar como a ti mesmo, mas: como eu vos amei. O próprio Jesus havia dito antes que não há maior amor do que aquele que dá a vida pelos seus amigos. Foi o que ele fez: deu a vida por todos nós. Os rabinos judeus impunham muitos mandamentos, enquanto Jesus os sintetiza num só. Este é o único modo que temos de demonstrar a Deus o nosso amor: *Quem não ama o irmão que vê não pode amar a Deus que não vê.* Diz São Paulo: *“Quem ama o irmão cumpriu toda a Lei”.*



Na Primeira Leitura deste domingo, vemos a conversão e o baptismo do oficial do exército romano, de nome Cornélio. Deus faz compreender que a graça de Jesus Cristo anunciada no Evangelho, se destina a todos os homens, porque Deus a todos quer chamar à fé e à conversão. Cornélio e sua família são os primeiros não judeus a serem baptizados.

INTENÇÕES PARA A MISSA DO DIA 14

+ António de Oliveira + Maria Agostinha Campos
+ Domingos Correia Martins + José Gomes
+ Manuel Martins + Manuel Miranda +
Guilherme Simões + António e Palmira Santos +
Manuel Ferreira + António Pires, Pais e Família.

INTENÇÕES PARA A MISSA DO DIA 16

+ Domingos e Teresa Cardoso + José e Ana
Cardoso + José Barreiro + Maria de Lurdes
Barbosa Lima + Olívia da Silva + António e
Helena Mendes + Rosa Mendes Correia + Isabel e
Leroy Barroca + Carlos Nunes Costa +
Guilherme Simões + João Paulo Cunha + Albino
e Cizaltina Souza.