

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Sunday, May 2, 2021

1648 FM 340
Hallettsville, Texas 77964-5862
St. Mary's Rectory: 798-2128
Sacred Heart Rectory: 798-5888

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 9:15 a.m.
First Friday: 7:00 p.m.

MARRIAGES

Consult the Pastor six (6) months in advance before making any plans or decisions.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our parish family.
Please stop by the rectory or call to register.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

First Friday: 6:30 p.m.
Any time upon request.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the rectory.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CCD – Every Wednesday from
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Contact: Carol Rother (798-6856)

WEBSITES

Cemetery: www.victoriadiocese.org
(Click on “Catholic Cemeteries”)
Safe Environment: www.victoriadiocese.org
(Click on “Safe Environment Program,” then on “eAppsDB”)



PASTOR

REV. MSGR. JOHN C. PETERS V.G.

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Scott J. Hill
Rev. John Affum

DEACON

Rev. Mr. Joseph (Joey) Targac
Rev. Mr. Michael Tankersley

ST. MARY'S HALL RENTAL

Judy Opela (798-2738)

PARISH BUILDING COMMITTEE

Leon Etzler, Robert Technik, Francis Klekar,
Richard Sommerlatte, & Al Svetlik, Jr.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Joyce Janak, Blasé Konvicka, Jr., Jerome
Pesek, Pat Pesek, & Larry Svetlik

CEMETERY Miranda Henke (798-3731)

EWTN Cable Channel 71 or Dish Channel
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Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday, June 1, 2021, by
12:00 p.m. (Noon)

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Sunday, May 2, 2021

Mass Intentions:

Sunday, May 2—Fifth Sunday of Easter

9:15 a.m.— Stanley & Annie Janak

Friday, May 7—First Friday

7:00 p.m. – Stanley Bujnoch, Sr.

Sunday, May 9—Sixth Sunday of Easter

9:15 a.m.— John, Albena & Johnny Sitka

Sunday, May 16—The Ascension of the Lord

9:15 a.m. – Henry Matula and Frank & Mary Matula

Sunday, May 23—Pentecost Sunday

9:15 a.m.— Helen & Raymond Janak' 64th Wedding

Sunday, May 30—The Most Holy Trinity

9:15 a.m.— Catherine & Sie Nolen

Friday, June 4—First Friday

7:00 p.m.—For the Parish

Sunday, June 6—The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

9:15 a.m.—1st Holy Communion Candidates

Financial Report for April, 2021

Income:

Sunday's Collections	\$3,919.15
Hall Rental	450.00
Votive Candles	20.25
Holy Land	254.75
Home Missions	25.00
Small House	50.00
Flowers	10.00
Education of Seminarians	1,055.00
Rice Bowl	<u>339.35</u>
Total Income	<u>\$ 6,073.50</u>

Expenses:

Administration	\$ 357.00
Church Expenses	92.49
Hall Expenses	2,065.59
Maintenance	180.48
Office/Rectorry	532.23
Utilities	649.53
Home Missions	25.00
Holy Land	254.75
Rice Bowl	339.35
Education of Seminarians	1,050.00
Medical Insurance	406.00
CCD	36.88
Diocesan Services Appeal	7,102.60
Priests Pension Plan	<u>62.00</u>
Total Expenses	\$13,158.90
Beginning Balance:	\$115,115.64
Income	6,073.50
Expenses	<u>13,158.90</u>
Balance	<u>\$108,030.24</u>

Dear Parishioners:

The ropes are missing from the pews as well as the altar server cinctures. Please return to the Church or the Rectorry. You can leave them in the back of church.

PARISHIONERS

If you have information for the Bulletin, please be reminded that the Deadline for Bulletin entries is Monday at Noon before the First Sunday of the Month Bulletin.



ATTENTION TO ALL PARISHIONERS

A mask must be worn to Church at all Masses and any event that is held in the church. Social Distancing is required until further notice.

ATTENTION ALL EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS (ALTAR SERVERS, LECTORS, AND USHERS)

If you know that you will not be attending Mass in the Church, please contact Pat Mladenka at 830-832-5607, so that she will not schedule you. If you do not contact Pat, then you will be responsible for finding a replacement.

Mass is live-streamed on Facebook
<https://www.facebook.com/SacredHeartCatholicChurchHallettsville> and on the
Radio Stations FM 99.9 & FM 94.3 at 8:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church

YEAR OF THE FAMILY

Pray. Pray one Glory Be before bedtime.

Eat. Ask each person at the table about the best part of their day.

Play. Sign up for the diocesan Easter family retreat!

From the Desk of Msgr. John

Letter from Bishop Brendan Cahill

April 27, 2021

Many are longing to come together for our liturgies and parish gatherings with our past year of pandemic experiences. Recognizing this continues to be a time of transition, and as more of our population is able to receive the vaccine and are encouraged to do so, we must remain vigilant. Patience and understanding must be a priority for all of us as we move forward. We acknowledge that there are those who are vulnerable and others who are more comfortable with the new practice. In order to eagerly continue to return to our liturgical celebrations with a sense of safety and necessary precaution, the following updated directives are being published for the faithful of the Diocese of Victoria.

Church Buildings:

- Hand sanitizer should continue to be available at all church entrances. **All pews are now open.** Parishioners are to keep safe and respectful distance as much as possible (staggered seating is encouraged).
- Holy Water fonts remain empty. Parishes should inform parishioners of its availability to take to their homes.
- Proper sanitizing of the Church should be maintained.

Distribution of the Eucharist:

- Those distributing the Holy Eucharist must properly sanitize their hands and wear masks.
- Distribution of the Precious Blood is still suspended.

Parishioner's Interaction during Mass:

- Wearing a face covering is strongly encouraged. **(Masks for our 4 Parishes ARE REQUIRED).**
- The sign of peace remains suspended.

As a reminder:

- Those who are symptomatic or who have been exposed to a person who is COVID positive within 7 days should remain home, in accord with national, state and local health directives.
- Those who are at risk or vulnerable because of an underlying health issue and those who are elderly are strongly encouraged, for their own health, to avoid the risk of attending public celebrations of the Mass, unless they have been vaccinated.

We keep in our prayers all who are suffering from the COVID-19 virus, for all health care workers and first responders. As Bishop Cahill wrote in his letter to the faithful in September of 2020: May each of us in the Diocese of Victoria keep the whole world in our heart, praying for health and healing; praying that we may never be found indifferent to the pain of others and praying for the salvation of all souls, especially those in most need of God's mercy.

Free Drive-Thru Sharps Disposal

Sponsored by Health Ministry of Hallettsville and Lavaca Medical Center—May 6, 2021—9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. – The Lavaca Medical Center Parking Lot.

We encourage the Community to bring your sharps to be disposed properly in an environmentally safe process. Please bring your SHARPS (syringes, needles, lancets, etc.) in a sturdy closed container. For further information, contact Barb Koehn – 361-798-4674

AREA EVENTS

- + **Queen of the Holy Rosary Parish Mayfest, Hostyn, Texas,** Drive-through only Meal, Sunday, May 2, 2021, 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Sausage & BBQ Pork).
- + **St. Michael Catholic Church, Cuero, Texas,** Annual Parish Spring Festival, Sunday, May 16, 2021. Roast Beef Dinner with all the trimmings, 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. All plates will be packaged as to-go plates, with options for outdoor dining on-site or drive thru for plates to-go. Meal tickets are \$12.00. Live Music
- + **Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Hallettsville, Texas—2021 Spring Picnic—**Sunday, May 30, 2021, at the KC Hall, Hallettsville, Texas. Adult Plates **-\$10;** Children (12 & under) \$5; Cake Walk, Bingo, Country Store, Religious Articles Booth, Washer Pitching Tournament, Auction, Raffle, Music by Texas Sound Czech and Red Ravens. Come join in on the fun!



The Emmaus Center provides individual, couple, **family, adolescent and children's** counseling as well as specialized support groups from a Catholic perspective. For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call (361) 212-0830.

Wied KJT #43

Wied KJT #43 will hold their next meeting on Sunday, June 6, 2021, after 9:15 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's. All members are invited to attend. Any questions call Rebecca at 594-4328.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA) Court #797

There will be a Craft Day on Monday, May 3, 2021, from 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. – Family Center.

The CDA #797 would like to thank the workers, donors, bakers, and of course, the buyers at the Fiddler's Frolics Bake Sale. The Bake Sale was a huge SUCCESS! Monetary donations may still be given.



**SACRED HEART
CATHOLIC SCHOOL
REGISTRATION
IS OPEN FOR 2021-2022**



Sacred Heart Catholic School is in the process of planning for the 2021-22 school year. We offer enrollment in grades Pre-K 3 through high school. Students at Sacred Heart Catholic School receive an outstanding education in a faith-filled environment. Our high school students are well prepared for college and vocational schools. We have multiple sports teams in both junior high and high school. After school care is offered for students in grades Pre-K through 5th. For Pre-K 3, your child must be 3 years old on or before September 1, 2021. For Pre-K 4 your child must be 4 years old on or before September 1, 2021. For Kindergarten, your child must be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2021. There are 3 options for our Pre-K students: until noon, 4:00 p.m., or 5:30 p.m. Join our Sacred Heart Catholic School family! Visit our website at www.shschool.org and check out our Facebook page at Sacred Heart Catholic School. Come by the school office to register or call for more information. 361-798-4251

This is a reminder that you can purchase Communion, Confirmation Gifts, Wedding Gifts and other Religious Articles and books at the Rectory. Come by and see the latest items for sale.



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MEMORIALS

EASTER FLOWERS

In Memory of Daniel Opela by Doris Opela-\$10

ST. MARY'S CEMETERY

In Memory of Rita Marcia Hybner Janak by Mr. & Mrs. Richard W. Rouse, Sr.

2021 RISE UP for LIFE

PRO-LIFE RALLY

May 22nd (Saturday), 2021



9:30 am Assemble at Hallettsville Post Office -
206 N La Grange

9:45 am March to Lavaca County Courthouse

10 am Rally at the Courthouse Gazebo –
109 N LaGrange Hallettsville

Join us-Lavaca County & Crossroads citizens, clubs, churches, veterans, schools, chambers, families & officials as we march in solidarity for the Pro-Life movement.

We will stand in unity for the dignity of human life and prayerfully.

call for an end to abortion in America and support all ages of life.

For more information contact:

2021 Chairman – Pastor Jerry Tanner 361-5225308

2021 Treasurer- Barb Koehn

2021 Secretary -Michelle Hall

<https://www.facebook.com/rise4liferally/> Facebook

<https://www.riseup4lifelavaca.com/> Website

Please mail your donations to:

Rise Up for Life

108 N. La Grange Hallettsville Texas 77964

St. Mary Catholic Church

Communicants

Sunday, April 25, 2021

Jacob Bell

Lyla Connor

Gage Grahmann

Dawson Gutierrez

Lucy Leopold

Tanner Pustka



PICNIC

IT IS PICNIC TIME! St. Mary's Annual Parish Picnic will be on Sunday, June 13, 2021

Preparations are under way and we need your help.

Clean picnic grounds. Saturday, June 5 at 8:00 a.m. Rake leaves, trim trees, pickup sticks, power wash pavilions.

Cut up meat for sausage. Tuesday, June 8 at 4:00 p.m. at Janak Packing

Cut up stew meat. Thursday, June 10 at 4:00 p.m. at Janak Packing

Setup Day! – Saturday, June 12 at 8:00 a.m. set up chairs, tables, auction area, booths, kitchen food prep.

On Picnic Day please bring:

Bingo Prizes- Some suggestions are 12 pack soda (Cokes, Dr. Pepper, Sprite and etc.), tea, toilet paper, paper towels, coffee, tea, water, sugar, flour, vegetable oil, cup towels, washing detergent, chips, shower and body gel, liquid hand soap, juices, mustard, mayo, ketchup, cake and cookie mixes. Chairpersons Richard & Ruth Rouse 361-550-7870

Cake & Plant Walk – We need a lot of good looking and great tasting Homemade cakes and pies. Bring your favorite plants and those heirloom plant cuttings that everyone likes. Chairpersons- Francis 361-798-0585 & Charlene Klekar 361-798-6486

We are in need of CATTLE for the auction.

Country Store- This is the favorite old-time country picnic store that all our guests love to visit. Please bring handmade aprons, potholders, embroidered pillow cases, cup towels or any craft item. Homemade noodles, jellies, canned goods. Pies, cookies, bread, fresh vegetables, eggs, toys, religious items. We are in need of more items because we sell out fast. Chairpersons- Jennifer Janik 361-772-5048 and Dorothy Schneider 361-772-2832

Kitchen – The kitchen is in need of your homemade canned pickles and desserts for the noon meal. Pickles can be sliced and dropped off Saturday or early Sunday morning at the hall. Cakes, kolaches, brownies, Rice Krispies, and cookies are needed for the meal. We rely on you to provide the dessert. Since we are short on kitchen workers, we ask that you please wrap your desserts in saran wrap before bringing to the hall. Kitchen help is needed with shifts throughout the whole day on Saturday and Sunday. Please call to see where you can lend a much-needed hand. Chairperson – Judy Opela 361-772-0458

Auction – The country auction kicks off at 1:00 p.m. Please bring all sorts of items for the auction. Tools, soda, homemade wine, canned goods, handmade furniture, big beautiful plants, antique items, crocks, homegrown vegetables, yard accessories, farm supplies, feed and etc. But most of all we are in need of CATTLE and QUILTS for the auction. Please bring your items to the picnic grounds on Sunday. If you have cattle, quilts, antiques or high value items, please call us 2 weeks ahead of time so we can advertise. Chairpersons- Robert 361-798-6544 & Carol Rother 361-798-6856.

HELP IS NEEDED All areas listed above and below are in need of volunteers to help fill work shifts. Other chairpersons to contact to donate or help are:

Beer Stand – Robert Pustka 361-208-4003

Children's Games & Rides– Mary Bludau 361-772-5441, Miranda Moses 361-798-3698 and Sandy Konvicka 361-772-0049.

Soda/Snowcone Stand/Hot Dogs/Nachos- Keith & Amy Orsak-361-772-4064

Ice Cream Stand- Scott & Diane Blaschke 361-772-6591

Raffle- Rita Migl 361-798-0971

Ball Throw – Volunteers Needed

Bouncy House – Volunteers Needed

Plates to Go – Tony Bludau 361-798-6053

St. Mary's Stew & Sausage Dinner, potatoes, sauerkraut, green beans, pickles, dessert. Serving begins at 10:30 a.m. All plates \$10 each. Eat in the air-conditioned hall or drive thru the to-go line. Nobody does stew like the St. Mary's crew. It has a long-standing reputation for the best around!

Live music 10:30 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. by Texas Sound Check, J & S Playboys, and Red Ravens. Enjoy good music, cold refreshments and delicious food all afternoon.

ST. MARY'S PARISH PICNIC

SUNDAY, JUNE 13, 2021
(Held Annually 2nd Sunday in June)

St. Mary's Parish Hall
Hallettsville, Texas
~1836 - 2021~



☆ BEER ☆

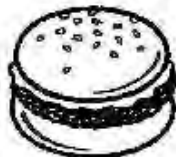
☆ POPCORN ☆

☆ SODA WATER ☆

☆ SNOWCONES ☆

☆ ICE CREAM ☆

☆ HAMBURGERS ☆



Mass at 9:15 a.m.

Meal Begins at 10:30 a.m.

Featuring

Special St. Mary's Stew & Sausage & all the trimmings

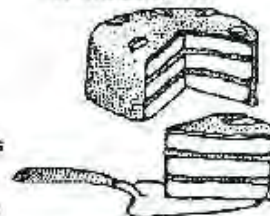
ADULT PLATE: \$10.00 (Dine-in or Drive-thru)

Games

BINGO
BALL THROW
RING TOSS
CAKE & PLANT WALK
TRAIN RIDE
FISH POND
TOY SPINNING WHEEL

COUNTRY STORE

Arts & Crafts
Canned Goods
Kolaches, etc.



EXPECT ACTION AT THE AUCTION featuring ANTIQUES, HANDMADE
QUILTS, ARTS & CRAFTS, Hundreds of other items and LIVESTOCK TOO!!

Auction Begins at 1:00 p.m.



LIVE MUSIC

10:30 a.m. till 9:00 p.m.

☆ TEXAS SOUND CHECK ☆

☆ J & S PLAYBOYS ☆

☆ RED RAVENS ☆

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Discovering **hope** and **joy** in the Catholic faith.

May 2021

Sacred Heart, St. Mary, St. John and Ascension Churches

Fr. John C. Peters, Pastor

One Minute Meditations

God is our strength

Life can be exhausting and we can become overwhelmed by what it takes to be good. It is important to remember that we don't struggle alone. "If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, will he not also give us all things with him?" (Romans 8:31-32).

A new approach

St. Paul said the whole law is summed up in love. While he was talking about Mosaic law, laws are given to preserve order. Jesus presented a new fresh approach. Out of love, He came not to abolish the Law, but to bring it to perfection. The relationship between heaven and earth is love.

"Whatever you ask in my name, I will do it, that the Father may be glorified in the Son; if you ask anything in my name, I will do it" (John 14:13-14).



Who do you say that Jesus is?

Jesus said to his Apostles, "But who do you say that I am?" (Matthew 16:15). In *Mere Christianity*, C.S.

Lewis wrote that there are three ways to answer this question.

Perhaps Jesus was a liar, deliberately misleading others by claiming to be God. Or, was He insane, deluded into thinking He was God? Finally, perhaps He is what He said He is - God.

Liar: If Jesus deliberately misled others, He would have been evil. Yet, his friends wrote that He did incredible acts of good, was honest, kind, and compassionate. No one experienced Jesus as a bad man.

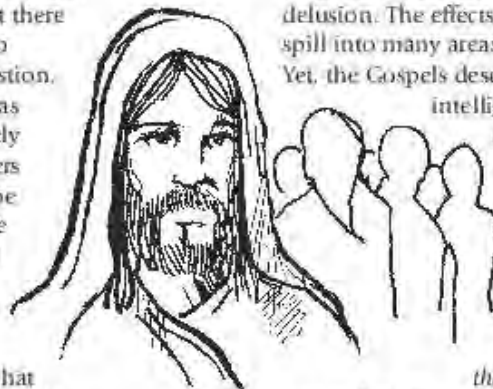
Lunatic: What if Jesus were insane

and deluded when believing He was God? Being out of touch with reality wouldn't have been confined to one delusion. The effects of mental illness spill into many areas of a person's life.

Yet, the Gospels describe Jesus' wisdom, intelligence, and practical good sense. He had an ability to attract people who respected His authority.

Lord: When Jesus asked, "But who do YOU say that I am?", Peter responded, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." It's the only answer that makes sense.

Ultimately, we each have to answer the question of who Jesus is for ourselves. We can pray for the faith of Peter to declare Jesus our Lord and our God.

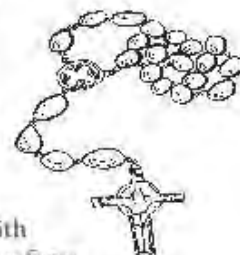


Why Do Catholics Do That? Why do Catholics pray the Rosary?

Popes, saints, and Catholics over the centuries have turned to the Rosary for miraculous help in seemingly impossible situations. The mysteries of the Rosary describe the events of Jesus' life, death and Resurrection. As we pray the Rosary, we revisit these events.

The Rosary is deeply ingrained in our Catholic identity. The rhythm of

the Rosary is meant to still our minds and direct our hearts to communion with God, placing our focus on God and not on the world.



Mary brings us to the heart of her Son

Jesus so loved his mother that his last thoughts on the Cross were of her. He gave her to us as our own mother, and wants us to honor her. "Since Mary is rightly to be regarded as the way by which we are led to Christ, the person who encounters Mary cannot help but encounter Christ likewise" (Mense Maio, Blessed Pope Paul VI).

For her "yes." Without fully understanding what God intended, she unhesitatingly agreed to become his mother. Her "yes" made it possible for God to become



human and be crucified for our salvation. Following her example means saying "yes" to whatever God asks.

For her sacrifice. Wouldn't you be forever grateful to someone who gave up her child so that you and your loved ones might live? Mary loved her amazing child and she experienced unspeakable heartache as he was sacrificed for us. Praying the Rosary regularly reminds us of the life of Jesus and the desire of his Mother to bring us close to his heart.

from **S**cripture

Matthew 28:16-20, The Holy Trinity

Jesus appeared to the Apostles on the mountain top in Galilee, so they could receive their final instructions. They were to go forth, baptize, make disciples, and to teach what they had been taught.

These are our instructions, too. Once we meet Jesus and experience his love for us, we can't keep him to ourselves. We must share him.

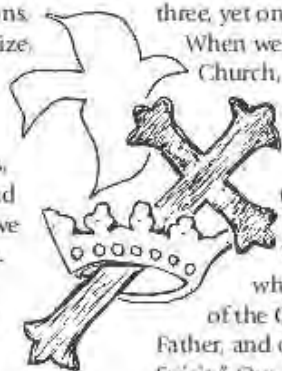
Jesus also revealed to the Apostles, and to the crowd gathered with them, that God is a Trinity – Father, Son, and

Holy Spirit – three Divine Persons united in love. The belief that God is three, yet one, is distinct to Christianity.

When we became members of the Church, we were baptized in the name of the Trinity.

The Trinity is a mystery we may not fully understand, but we can still live in its love and power.

We proclaim our faith in it whenever we make the Sign of the Cross: "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." Our ultimate goal is to follow Christ into the eternal life of the Trinity.



Q & **A** Why are Catholics urged to pray?

St. Therese of Lisieux said, "For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy." Practically speaking, prayer is how we connect with God.

Prayer helps us to hear God's voice. By praying, we learn about Him, come to understand what He wants for us, and how we reap the blessings He wants to give us. The more we pray, the closer to Him we become. "Christian prayer is a covenant relationship between God and man in Christ" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, #2564).

Through our Baptism, we are united with Jesus. When we pray often and regularly, we create the habit of being in His presence and in communion with Him. And, we tap into our Baptismal connection. Through a healthy prayer life, we enjoy a personal and living relationship with God.

God seeks to draw us each to Himself. Prayer is our answer to Him.



Feasts & Celebrations

May 1 – St. Joseph the Worker. Entrusted with the care of the Blessed Mother and Jesus, Joseph was a carpenter dedicated to his family and obedient to God.

May 13 – Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord (1st Century). This solemnity marks the completion of Jesus' mission of salvation and his triumphant entry into Heaven. Note: In many dioceses, observance of Ascension has been moved to the following Sunday.

May 18 – St. Felix of Cantalice

(1587). Born to poor, pious parents in Italy, St. Felix was called "Brother Deogratias" because he was always thanking God. As a young man, he joined the Capuchins, who sent him to Rome to be the friary's official beggar. He was also friends with Saints Philip Neri and Charles Borromeo.

May 23 – Pentecost (1st century). After the Resurrection and Ascension of Jesus, the Holy Spirit was given to the Church at the first Pentecost. When the apostles received the Holy Spirit, the "new age" of the Church was born.



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May

Oct. 2020 –
Sept. 2021

Pentecost: Happy Birthday!

Did you know that the Church has a birthday? Each year at Pentecost (50 days after Easter Sunday), we commemorate the day when the disciples of Jesus received the Holy Spirit and were inspired/commissioned to continue the work Jesus had begun. The Holy Spirit guided and gave courage to the disciples; therefore, with great joy the disciples began the mission of proclaiming the Good News to all God's people. We celebrate this event (birthday) on Pentecost.

PRAY

“Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful. And kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth.

Lord,
By the light of the Holy Spirit you have taught the hearts of your faithful. In the same Spirit help us to relish what is right and always rejoice in your consolation. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.”

Read a reading from Pentecost Sunday with your family. Pray together “Lord, send down Your Spirit, and renew the face of the Earth.”

PLAY

Do something kind for your mom or mother figure in your life! Have a Mass said for her, pick some wildflowers for a spring bouquet, or make a handmade card!

Attend the Easter Family Retreat in Victoria on May 22nd! More details on our website.

Create a prayer mobile... Tie red, orange, yellow ribbon/streamers around a coat hanger. Each ribbon represents a prayer or a person you are praying for.

Make an origami dove.

Watch the “Fatima” movie together to celebrate Our Lady of Fatima’s feast day on May 13th.

EAT

Celebrate the Church’s birthday by making a birthday cake!

Remember to pray BEFORE and AFTER each meal!

Over dinner, ask:

- What fruits of the Holy Spirit are most “abundant” in our family? The fruits of the Holy Spirit are charity, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, generosity, gentleness, faithfulness, modesty, self-control, and chastity

Decorate the table with red to represent the flames of the Holy Spirit.



May 23, 2021

Want More?

Visit our website:

<https://www.victoriadiocese.org/year-of-the-family>



Share pictures of activities using #DOVFamilies or email them to lighthouse@victoriadiocese.org.

ST. MARY'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE – MARCH, 2021

Sunday, May 2	
Altar Servers	Trace Patek, Layne Gerke, Jake Ressler, Abby Ressler
Cantor	1 st Holy Communion Class and Ruth Rouse
Ushers	Leon Matula, Al Svetlik, Francis Klekar, Sidney Jasek
Lector	1 st Holy Communion Class
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Dedie Dobbs, Sandra Pustka, Bev Hrcir
Rosary Leader	Dorothy Schneider
Church Cleaners	Sharon Henrichs, Lisa Matula, Laura Ulcak
Sunday, May 9 9:15 a.m.	
Altar Servers	Justin Perdziak, Allec Mizera, Macey Mizera, & Ashlyn Pustka
Cantor	Pat Mladenka
Ushers	Russell Sciba, Robert Sciba, Richard Sommerlatte
Lector	Terry Patek
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Leon Etzler, Nancy Etzler, Scott Sommerlatte
Rosary Leader	Laurie Janak
Church Cleaners	Vivian Mozisek, Rita Migl, Edna Wehman
Sunday, May 16 9:15 a.m.	
Altar Servers	Brandt Trlicek, Elizabeth Grahmann, Elena Grahmann, Paige Wright
Cantor	Laurence Bludau
Ushers	Stanley Orsak, Scott Blaschke, Gilbert Mozisek, Marvin Bujnoch
Lector	Dorothy Schneider
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Edward Pustka, Sandra Pustka, Billy Gerke
Rosary Leader	Janice Rother
Church Cleaners	Glenda Tobola, Mary Jo Bludau
Sunday, May 23 9:15 a.m.	
Altar Servers	Jules Janak, Timber Janak, Trace Patek, Wyatt Mudd
Cantor	Laurence Bludau
Ushers	Roman Henke, Robert Pustka, Gilbert Urbish, Charles Grafe
Lector	Daniel Matula
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Tony Bludau, Joyce Bludau, Carol Rother
Rosary Leader	Anita Steffek
Church Cleaners	Helen Janak, Gussie Kelnar, Marty Horecka, Pat Mladenka
Sunday, May 30 9:15 a.m.	
Altar Servers	Layne Gerke, Rynna Orsak, Rylyn Orsak, Ava Shimek
Cantor	Ruth Rouse
Ushers	Leon Matula, Al Svetlik, Francis Klekar, Sidney Jasek
Lector	Dedie Dobbs
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Trina Bludau, Janice Rother, Dedie Dobbs
Rosary Leader	Sandy Konvicka
Church Cleaners	Charlene Klekar, Janice Rother, Sue Cinadr
Sunday, June 6 9:15 a.m.	
Altar Servers	Jake Ressler, Abby Ressler, Justin Perdziak, Allec Mizera
Cantor	Laurence Bludau
Ushers	Russell Sciba, Robert Sciba, Richard Sommerlatte
Lector	Monica Barnes
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Richard Sommerlatte, Leon Etzler, Nancy Etzler
Rosary Leader	Lucille Klekar
Church Cleaners	Joyce Janak, Anita Steffek, Helen Technik, Ruth Rouse