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CELEBRATION

OF THE EUCHARIST

WEEKEND—Saturday 4:00 pm

—Sunday 9:30 am

WEEKDAY—Tuesday 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from

3:15 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. or
by appointment.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

TUESDAY—THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**5TH SUNDAY
OF EASTER
MAY 15, 2022**



THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

ACTS 14:21-27

REVELATION 21:1-5A

JOHN 13:31-33A, 34-35

We are called to love as

Christ loves us

We were made for glory - the glory which comes from God and which lasts forever. That glory can only be obtained in the cross of Jesus Christ. And the price for that glory is the total offering of our lives for the One who loved us first and who died on the cross to save us from everlasting death and destruction. God offers us the free gift of faith which enables us to believe in his only begotten Son, the Lord Jesus Christ, who frees us from slavery to sin so we can live as sons and daughters of God. The distinctive mark of the followers of Jesus is love - a love not bound by fear, greed, or selfishness - but a love full of compassion, mercy, kindness, and goodness. Lord Jesus, your love knows no bounds and surpasses everything I could desire and long for.

Fill me with the fire of your love and with the joy of your Holy Spirit that I may freely serve my neighbor with loving-kindness, tenderhearted mercy, and generous care for their well-being.



Catholic Women's Conference

"Refresh Your Faith" on June 11, 2022. The theme this year will be "Full of Grace."

A day-long conference will be hosted by Marywood University. The keynote speaker will be Colleen Carroll Campbell, author of numerous books, including *My Sisters the Saints*.

More detailed information and registration is available at www.cwcnepa.com.

BLUE RIDGE TRAIL GOLF CLUB, MOUNTAIN TOP, PA CAPTAIN & CREW

Last year's event was a sellout, so don't miss your opportunity to reserve a spot or a foursome now for Monday, June 27, 2022!

Early sponsorship commitments and/or raffle prize donations also welcome. Email vocationsgolf@dioceseofscranton.org or call 570-207-2250.

Thank you for supporting our future priests!



ASCENSION OF THE LORD

The Church celebrates the solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, on Thursday, May 26, 2022 a Holy Day of obligation.

Masses will be celebrated at **ST. FRANCES X. CABRINI CHURCH**

on Wednesday evening, May 25, at 6 p.m. (Vigil) and on Thursday morning, **May 26, at 8 a.m.**

Masses will be celebrated at **ST. THERESE'S CHURCH** on Wednesday evening, May 25, at 7 p.m. (Vigil) and on Thursday morning, **May 26, at 9 a.m.**



Requested By:

Tuesday 05/17 9:00 a.m.

Jack Tinner

Ray & Flo Mociun

Saturday 05/21 4:00 p.m.

Marie Cieczko

Holly, Heather & Ed

Sunday 05/22 9:30 a.m.

Deceased Members of the Voitek & Besciglia Families

Roxanne & Alan Voitek

**LITURGICAL
MINISTRIES**



CALLING ALL LITURGICAL MINISTERS.

If you've been away from serving our parish or would be interested in serving as a Lector or Minister of Holy Communion, please contact Diane in the parish office Tuesday-Thursday at 570-696-3737. We appreciate your help. Thank you.



WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

His Excellency, the Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Scranton, and the Office for Parish Life wish to invite couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversary in 2022 to a diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 26.

The event includes a 2:30 p.m. mass at St. Peter's Cathedral followed by a reception. The registration deadline for this event is May 29, 2022. To register, please go to www.dioceseofscranton.org or contact Jen Housel

(570-207-2213 x 1104 or jhousel@dioceseofscranton.org)

NOTICE REGARDING REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska at (570-862-7551).

ANNOUNCING AN UPCOMING

RETRouvaille WEEKEND FOR COUPLES

AUGUST 19 - 21, 2022 AT THE TOWNEPLACE SUITES, MOOSIC. Is your marriage going down the right road, or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, as can the challenges you face in marriage. If the distance between you seems wide, if you are looking for a better way, even if you are already separated, Retrouvaille can help. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, rebuild intimacy, and heal - just as the team couples have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples.

For more information, contact our team @ 631-338-5413 or visit our website: HelpOurMarriage.org



Remember in Your Prayers

Please pray for Don Hunter Sr., Sister Jan Marie Kalyan, Christopher Mortensen, Tom Roarty, Joyce Kishbaugh, Ray Mociun, Jim Starbuck, & Lilly Stroud.



American Red Cross

Together, we can save a life



The Light of the Marian Shrine Candle IS BURNING

THIS WEEK OF MAY 15 TO MAY 21, 2022: IN MEMORY OF: Stelma & Sakorsky Families REQUESTED BY: RAY & FLO MOCIUN

BLOOD DRIVE

AT ST. THERESE'S CHURCH

THURSDAY, JUNE 16 11:30AM TO 4:30PM

Schedule an appointment!

Call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit

RedCrossBlood.org today!



The Light of the Sanctuary Candle IS BURNING THIS WEEK OF

MAY 15 TO MAY 21, 2022: SPECIAL INTENTION REQUESTED BY: CAROL KALETA

COMMITMENT OF TREASURE

God has entrusted us with many gifts: Time, Talent & Treasure. We hope and pray that all members will share their gifts, and continue to share the Good News of Jesus with all people.

WEEKEND COLLECTION

5/08/2022

\$ 2,544.00