

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sunday, May 11 ♦ Pentecost
 9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
 11:00 a.m. Ruth Castle (The Ruffing Family)
 Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

Monday, May 12 ♦ Weekday
 11:30 a.m. Special Intention
 (Richard & Shirley Lumpe)
 Jas 1:1-11; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday, May 13 ♦ Weekday
 11:30 a.m. Elizabeth Webster
 (Richard & Shirley Lumpe)
 Jas 1:12-18; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday, May 14 ♦ St. Matthias
 11:30 a.m. William O'Reilly (Mary Lane Mills)
 Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Jn 15:9-17

Thursday, May 15 ♦ Weekday
 11:30 a.m. Spencer Jones
 (Cirilio & Maida Barroso & Family)
 Jas 2:1-9; Mk 8:27-33

Friday, May 16 ♦ Weekday
 11:30 a.m. Living and Deceased of Cullinan Family
 (Jeanne Cullinan Brown)
 Jas 2:14-24, 26; Mk 8:34-9:1

Saturday, May 17 ♦ Weekday
 11:30 a.m. **50th Wedding Anniversary –
 John & Margie Griesenbrock**
 Jas 3:1-10; Mk 9:2-13

Sunday, May 18 ♦ Most Holy Trinity
 9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
 11:00 a.m. Alice Mushrush (Warren & Carolyn Roberts)
 Ex 34:4-6, 8-9; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

MASS SCHEDULING POLICY: In order to accommodate as many requests for specific dates as possible, we cannot schedule more than five at one time. Requests without a specific date are scheduled as openings permit. Please include the suggested offering of \$10.00 (for each Mass) when the request is made. Thank You!

+ **Please remember in your prayers** our homebound parishioners and those who are ill: Hilda Barrett, Sara Fingerlin, Peter Garrett, Marianne Garrison, Lydia Green, Chris Igel, Jestina Jones, Mary Knapp, Edith Kowalsky, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Rita Neff, Jim Scanlon, Mary Scholl, Marilyn Scott, Sheila Shirey, Margaret Trainor, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker, Anna May White

THANKS!	
MAY 4, 2008 OFFERINGS	
Designated Collections (Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)	Offertory..... \$1,629.30 Votives..... 27.25 Novena/1st Friday 26.00 Repair 0.00 Less Tax (84.13) Net to Parish..... \$1,598.42
Mass Attendance 9:00 a.m. = 91 11:00 a.m. = 80	

Pentecost Recognition

Please choose the title with which you most closely identify in your life today and stand when it is named:

- Catechists, Teachers, Students, Librarians, all Forms of Education
- Computer Technicians, Photographers, Financial and Business Operations
- Construction Workers, Real Estate, Plumbers, Electricians, Painters, Carpenters
- Health Care; Nurses, Doctors, Dentists, Technicians, Home Health Care, Family Home Care Providers
- Homemakers: Parents, Childcare Providers
- Law Enforcement, Firefighters, Lawyers
- Government Workers
- Retail Business; Restaurant Workers
- Retired Persons; Providers of Official or Unofficial Volunteer Services

Donut Sunday Today!

Please come to the Cum Christo Center for coffee and donuts following each Mass today to enjoy the company of your friends and family.



Mother's Day Prayer

Loving God, we thank You for giving us Mom and for the many ways she shows us Your love. On this, her special day, we ask You to bless her with Your joy and peace. As she cares for all of us, help her to find strength for the many challenges she faces. Help us to show our gratitude for all she does, and especially for who she is. Amen.

Got News!!!

Now that the *Holy Cross Connections* newsletter is one year old, we want to invite you, our parishioners, to contribute to our publication. **Tell us your news!** We want to know about births, graduations, honors, travels, and those things that make us a parish family. If you have access to a computer, send an e-mail to Jack Kustron (jack@photoj.com). If not, drop off a note at the Rectory and we'll get your news in the next edition.

Catholic Cemeteries

Offices at St. Joseph, Resurrection, and Holy Cross Cemeteries will be open today and on Sunday, May 18, from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Family Service Advisors will be available to assist families with preneed arrangements and answer questions.

THE WORD

Gerard Manley Hopkins' poem "As Kingfishers Catch Fire" is about how each aspect of creation does one thing well. As a kingfisher dives into the water after a fish, it catches the sunlight on its wings and flames bright with magnificence; each bell flings out its own regal sound purely and with majesty; the string on a musical instrument vibrates with beauty in the ear; and finally, "the just man justifies," which is to say that the grace of God in each of us can't help but be flung out through creation, gracing all life and doing good.

The truth of the matter is that the world needs us doing what each of us does so well, be that raising children or crafting with wood or keeping an office running smoothly. It's how life keeps spinning around the sun and how you and I balance the scales, and most importantly how God makes all things new. As Paul took pains to point out to the community in Corinth, "There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit" (1 Corinthians 12:4, 7).

These days our drive to nurture and benefit the common good does seem to have withered. It has not yet shriveled into a dusty remnant, but it is a shadow of its former self. Yet every once in a while it does show its face, and when it does, when we begin to offer our gifted selves for the sake of the community, then it is the very face of Christ that looks upon the dream of a new creation. As Hopkins wrote, then each of us "acts in God's eye what in God's eye he is - /Christ - for Christ plays in ten thousand places/....through the features of men's faces."

– from "Living the Word"

✠ 11 May 2008 ✠
Pentecost Sunday

❖ Hymns are not announced ❖
The first reading begins on page 47
9:00 and 11:00 a.m. – Dan Di Santo, organist

Gathering Hymn	<i>Come, Holy Ghost</i> (#728)
Responsorial Psalm	<i>Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.</i> (#28, page 48)
Gospel Acclamation	(#29, page 49)
Offertory Hymn	<i>Come Down, O Love Divine</i> (#588)
Communion Hymn	<i>One Bread, One Body</i> (#649)
Closing Hymn	<i>O Holy Spirit, by Whose Breath</i> (#731)

Special Parish Dates

Mark your calendars for the following important dates for the parish:

- 1) First Communion – Sunday, May 18, 2008.
- 2) Parish Potluck, Friday, June 13th, 5:30 p.m. on the grounds between the church and Cum Christo Center.
- 3) Parish Feast Day – Sunday, September 14, 2008, 10:00 a.m. Mass – Bishop Campbell celebrant.

Repair Fund Collection Today

A second collection will be taken up for the repairs on the church and Rectory. We thank you in advance for your continuous support of this program.

ATTENTION, ALL MARRIED COUPLES CELEBRATING THEIR 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th ANNIVERSARY:

Jubilee of Anniversaries 2008 will be held on Sunday, June 22, 2008, at St. Peter Church, 6877 Smoky Row Road, Columbus, at 3:30 p.m. The occasion includes a Mass celebrated by Bishop Frederick F. Campbell and a reception in your honor. Registration forms are available from the Parish or Marriage and Family Life Office, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, OH 43215 or by calling 614-241-2560. Reservations for you and your guests are necessary and **must be received by Monday, June 9, 2008.**

Catholic Communication Campaign – May 18

Next week's 2nd collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. Your generous gift helps CCC and our diocese to provide television, radio and print materials that spread the Good News of Christ's abiding love for each and every one of us. For program information, visit www.CatholicCommunicationCampaign.org.

Cleveland Hosts Vatican Art Works

Western Reserve Historical Society is hosting the largest Vatican exhibition ever to visit North America, **Vatican Splendors from Saint Peter's Basilica, the Vatican Museums and The Swiss Guard**, starting on May 31, 2008. Unique opportunities are available to our parishioners in a program called PARISH ADVANTAGE. Look at the posters in the vestibule for more information or see Fr. Jerry or Sr. Pat.

Bishop Hartley Golf Outing

Bishop Hartley Alumni Association invites all alumni to its 4th Annual Golf Outing on August 2 at Cumberland Trails in Pataskala. The outing begins with an 8:30 a.m. shotgun start. The \$85.00 cost per person includes greens fees, cart, range balls and lunch. For more information, please contact Eric Motter at 614-352-8441 or email eric_motter@yahoo.com.