

**Mass Intentions This Week**

**Saturday, May 30, 2020**

4:00 PM Mass-Barbara Petty-Michele Nichols

8:00 PM Vigil Mass- Paul & Scott Liles Family—  
The Liles Family

**Sunday, May 31, 2020**

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners (Pro Populo)

**Tuesday, June 2, 2020**

8:00 AM Deceased Members of Loree Family-  
Mary Loree

**Thursday, June 4, 2020**

6:15 PM Josip Terebuh-Boris Terebuh

6:45 PM Adoration/Confession

**Saturday, June 9, 2020**

4:00 PM Kathy Barnwell-Barnwell Family

**Upcoming Dates: Saturday, May 30, 2020, 8:00 PM  
Sacraments of Initiation**

Our First Mass Attendances: 98

Sunday Offerings: March-April 2020 \$20,420.27

**May Ministry**

**Sat May 30, 8:00 pm Vigil Mass**

Serves: Simon Stolly, Montana & Utah Coleman, Isaac Dillon

Lectors: Steve Oder, Deb Baker, Peter Stolly, Maria Stolly

**RETIREMENT TO YOU BECKY OUR CO-WORKER, OUR  
FRIEND AND OUR PARISHIONER:**

Dear Lord Jesus,

I have come to an important cross-roads of my life and know that there are many unknown opportunities in the horizons of my life, and I pray that You would take my hand and guide me along the path that You would have me to go.

Thank You that Your word has been a lamp to my feet and a light to my path and as I now step out into the unknown, I pray that You would continue to guard and guide the way that I take – and thank You that You have scheduled every day of my life, including the unknowns in this retirement.

Lord I pray that this may be a wonderful new beginning for me and not the end of the road, that is so often the case when retirement arrives. Help me to seize every opportunity that arises and to explore the skills and gifts that You have given me, so that they may be used to glorify Your name.

I trust You Lord Jesus to be with me in sickness and in health, in poverty and in wealth and pray that I will submit day by day to the leading of Your Spirit and simply rest in Your love, knowing that You are my light and my life, my way and my end in Jesus name I pray,

BECKY

Amen

See you in the pew

**Dear Parishioners,**

Today we celebrate the great feast of Pentecost! Pentecost is known as the birthday of the Church because, after receiving the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, the apostles began to preach and baptize converts into the Catholic faith. We pray for a renewed outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon our parish on this feast day. We pray that the Holy Spirit will enliven our hearts and souls and enable us to be bold and courageous witnesses to Jesus Christ. We pray also for our evangelization groups that are working to bring people to a deeper knowledge of Jesus Christ and His Church.

This is also the first weekend that public Masses can resume since the middle of Lent. I know this time has been a trial for everyone, but it is truly a joyful occasion to have everyone back worshipping together in Our Lord's house. A number of people have told me how they've come to a renewed realization about how important the Mass is in their lives. It brings me great joy to once again celebrate Masses publicly, and I hope that people return with a renewed love for the Eucharist.

The sacraments of initiation for those in RCIA were moved this year from the Easter Vigil to the Pentecost Vigil due to the Coronavirus shutdown. I invite everyone to join us in welcoming the newest members to our parish and to the Catholic Church. Please pray for: Rich Armstrong, Della Baker, Heidi Baker, Scott Coleman, Josh Conklin, Austin Green, Angie Marcinko, Mike Mullins, Kaije Snider, and Todd White.

**Congratulations, and welcome to the Catholic Church!  
FATHER SHAWN LANDENWITCH, PASTOR**

**SUMMER ADULT ED CLASS**

The summer adult ed class will begin again on Friday, June 5. This class is held on Friday mornings at St. Mary of the Woods, after the 8:00 Mass. In the previous 3 summers, we have covered the first three sections of the Catechism. This year, we will look at the last section of the Catechism--Christian Prayer--as it is exemplified in the life and writing of St. Therese. As a Doctor of the Church, St. Therese is regarded as an exceptional teacher of the universal Church, whose insight into the divine truths is specially recommended for all the faithful. Though rightly assigned a place among intellectual giants and theological masters, it is the depth of her love and confidence in God, lived out through fidelity in whatever task God put before her, which makes her loved and approached by so many throughout the world.

If you have not already done so, please contact Ashley (at the parish office, or ashleyroberts.dre@gmail.com) to let her know you are interested in coming, and to get ordering information for the book we will be using. It is not necessary to have attended in previous summers.

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Please, fill out the form below and drop in the collection basket or mail to the office. There is a \$5 stipend for each Mass requested. **PLEASE, PRINT!**  
**Intention:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Offered by:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date requested:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Mass requested:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**We will make every attempt to get them on the date you request, however, funerals, prior requests and other events may prevent this, a specified date needs a 3 week notice to meet publication deadlines, first come first served.**

**THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READING:**

Mon, Jun 1: Gn 3:9-15,20, Ps 87:1-3,5-7, Jn 19:25-34  
 Tues, Jun 2: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18, Ps 90:2-4,10,14,16 Mk 12:13-17  
 Wed., Jun 3: 2 Tim 1:1-3,6-12, Ps 123:1b-2, Mk 12:18-27  
 Thurs., Jun 4: 2 Tim 2:8-15, Ps 25:4-5b, 8-10, 14, Mk 12:28-34  
 Fri., Jun 5: 2 Tm 3:10-17, Ps 119:157,160-161,165-166,168  
 Mk 12:35-37  
 Sat., Jun 6: 2Tm 4:1-8, Ps 71:8-9, 14-15b, 16-17,22, Mk 12:38-44



Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9  
 (Ps) Dn 3:52-55  
 2 Cor 13:11-13  
 Jn 3:16-18

Rosary will be recited: Sat at 3:30 pm & Sun at 9:15 am before the Mass. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Parish Prayer Line: Tammy Bauer, 937.441.0645

**COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND:** If you are a registered parishioner who is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the office.

**ANGEL OF GOD, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here, ever this day be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide, Amen.**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (937. 592.9455)  
 WE ARE OPEN!!!!!!!!!!**

*Hours: 10:00 am-12:00 pm, Tuesday & Thursday;  
 5:00-7:00 pm, Wednesday. Dates: May 19,20,21  
 Money Spent: \$350.00 Clients: 14*

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY**

**St. Patrick**



The statue of St. Patrick is located on the far right of the high altar. St. Patrick was born in Kilpatrick, Scotland in the year 387. When St. Patrick was 16 he was kidnapped by Irish raiders and was sold into slavery and tended the flocks of his master for six years. While St. Patrick was in Ireland he was able to learn the Celtic language and became familiar with the pagan religion, Druidism. After St. Patrick's six years of enslavement he was able to escape his master and had to travel 200 miles back home. When St. Patrick returned home his heart was set on devoting himself to the service of God. St. Patrick later returned to Ireland, as a bishop, to spread the Gospel. St. Patrick is known for converting all of Ireland. He is also known for using shamrocks to explain the Holy Trinity to the people of Ireland and for driving the snakes out of Ireland. While snakes are not native to Ireland and still do not live in Ireland today, the snakes are representative of the Druids that were in Ireland. St. Patrick died on March 17, 461 after having many churches built throughout Ireland. St. Patrick has a famous poem about his faith and trust in God, "Christ be within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort and restore me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ inquired, Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger." St. Patrick's feast day is March 17<sup>th</sup>.

Prayer from the tenth anniversary of the opening of St. Patrick Church:

*St. Patrick, Apostle of Ireland and patron Saint of our Church, behold us, thy children, prostrate before thee. We rejoice at the glory thou, whilst on earth, didst give to God by thy prayers, thy labours, and thy penance. We rejoice at the number of souls whom thou hast drawn after thee in the imitation of thy virtues. We rejoice at the greatness of the reward now vouchsafed to thee and them. Amen.*