

SACRED HEART PARISH

SACRED HEART CHURCH

380 E. Fairmount Avenue
Lakewood, NY 14750

OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS CHURCH

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May 16, 2021

The Ascension of the Lord



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Office Hours

Monday - Thursday ~ 9:30 am - 4:30 pm
Friday ~ 9:30 am - noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday - 3:15-3:45 pm (L)
or upon request

Weekend Holy Masses

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 pm (L)
Sunday - 8:30 am (P) & 10:00 am (L)

First Friday Devotions

Holy Hour with Exposition of the Holy Eucharist - 4:30 pm (L)
Holy Mass - 5:30 pm (L)

First Saturday Holy Mass

9:00 am (L)

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HOLY MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, May 15

Sunday Vigil Mass

4:00pm (L)+Rose/Gabriel Abbate and sons by Janet Abbate

Sunday, May 16

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8: 30am (P) +Erika Roemer by Rensel Family
10:00 am(L) +Fr. Joseph Dowdell by Estate

Monday, May 17

No Church Service

Tuesday, May 18

St. John I, Pope and Martyr

5:30pm (L)+Rev. Romeo Hontiveros

Wednesday, May 19

9:00am (L) All Parishioners by Fr. Piotr

Thursday, May 20

St. Bernadine of Siena, Priest

9:00am (L) Anthony Joseph Cusimano by Fran Bishop
(Healing)

Friday, May 21

St. Christopher Magalianes, Priest and Martyr

9:00am (L) John Mohan and Dorothy Van Allen
By Tim Sullivan

Saturday, May 22

Sunday Vigil Mass

4:00pm (L)Fr. Piotr Zaczynski by Parish
Anniversary of Priestly Ordination

Sunday, May 23

Pentecost Sunday

8:30am (P)+Fr. Bernie Staszak by Sprankle Family
(Birthday Memorial)

10:00am (L) Confirmation Students by Parish

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Piotr Zaczynski, Pastor
Dineen Muniz, Secretary/Faith Formation
Doris Pappalardo, Business Manager
Gloria and Lillian Marsh, SH Music
Marie Rensell, OLS Music
Lyle Hajdu and Don Pangborn, Trustees

WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR MAY 8-9

Regular loose collection \$476.00

Regular Envelope Collection \$2164.00

TOTAL \$2640.00

PRAYER LIST

Grant Damon, James Post, the Unborn, Rose Atkins, Essential Workers, those in the Military, those fighting Covid-19, People of India, Tom Hart, and Fr. Albert Clody

All those touched by loneliness or illness.

READINGS FOR MAY 22-23

**Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13
GOSPEL
John 20:19-23**

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED
All Who Have Died from Covid

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them, Amen.

Sanctuary Lamp for May is in Honor of
St. Peregrine by Alice Mistretta

LECTORS FOR MAY 22-23

4:00PM-Carol Bankowski

8:30AM-Katy Lord

10:00AM-Rey Muniz

OLS News

If anyone is interested in providing altar flowers for Mass on Sundays, please sign the list in the narthex. If the flowers are donated in memory of someone, please include the persons name on the sign-up sheet. You may also donate money to Altar and Rosary to have flowers purchased for you.

Snows Altar and Rosary Society will hold their annual Memorial Day Pie Sale on May 31. The sale will take place in front of the church. If you would like to help bake a pie for this fund raiser a signup sheet is in the narthex. If it is raining that morning the sale will be canceled. We will keep an eye on the weather forecast for that weekend. Thank you for your help in baking or buying a pie!

Give the gift of food. Catholic Charities runs nine food pantries, seven in Erie County and a pantry in both Franklinville in Cattaraugus County and Wellsville in Allegany County. Your donation of non-perishable food items can help feed hungry individuals in your community. In light of the pandemic, all donations must be scheduled ahead of time. To schedule a time to drop off your donation, call 716-218-1400, ext. 2005. To find your nearest pantry, visit www.cwny.org/food. **Appeal 2021** is ongoing through June 30.

To make a donation go to www.cwnyorg/donations.

For local counseling or other help, contact the Jamestown, NY office at 716.488.9188, located at 42 Dunham Avenue (off Fairmount Ave)

If you need food assistance you may also call the parish office at 763.2815 during business hours.

FROM THE PASTOR

Acts 1:1-11-Ascension.

"Feast of the Ascension"

The mystery of the Ascension has three distinct aspects. First is the glorification of Jesus. In his human nature Jesus passes to the state of glory and is reunited with his Father and the Holy Spirit, signified by the "the cloud" (Acts 1:9), a biblical sign of the Divine presence. Jesus takes possession of the Kingdom He won through His death to prepare a place for us in Heaven (Rev 3:21f) and to send the Holy Spirit to His Church. Second, the Ascension brings to completion Jesus' visible ministry on earth and the beginning of the kingdom of the Messiah. Third, Jesus is Lord of eternal life. By His Cross and Resurrection Jesus has opened the gates of heaven for us, "now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf" (Heb 9:12) In His risen body Jesus showed Himself to His disciples and then He was taken up to heaven in their sight, to claim for us a share in His divine life.

PRAYER FOR THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Oh Lord, thank You for Your benevolent nature. Whilst Your Son was taken up into heaven, He blessed us here on earth. I pray that I do not take for granted the blessings that You have given me, instead I receive them with my whole heart. So, on this ascension Sunday, Father I give You the glory, honor and praise because of who You are and because of all that You have done, in Jesus' Name, Amen.

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS OUR YOUNG PEOPLE WHO WILL BE MAKING THEIR CONFIRMATION ON MAY 23, 2021 AT ST.

JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL.

MATHEW BURLINGAME, LOGAN HREN, ARRINGTON RESTIVO, PAUL HAYES, AND WILLIAM HODEN.

MANY THANKS TO OUR STUDENTS, PARENTS, CATHECHISTS, AND FR. PIOTR. GOD BLESS YOU ALL!

IN LOVING MEMORY

Michael Abbate and Frank Geaben

LeRoy and Ethel Anderson

The Barnes and Rieg Families

Rev. Frank Barone

Ann K. Buckreis

Maria Cabaj

Dominic, Rita, and Don Roger Carvella

Charles E.J. Cassidy

Mary Anne Dietrick

Msgr. Joseph Dowdell

Mary Margaret and James Fusco

The Galati and Williams Families

Giordon Family

Fr. John Horn

The Hutchinson and Truax Families

The Irons and Pfurtscheller Families

Andrew B. and Eleanor H. Johnson

Carolyn Karolcia Karolewska

Marie F. MacNamara

Frank Mallare

Laura A. Miller

James and Joan Miller

Mary Jo Mason Montagna

O'Hagan and Dominick Families

Tom Prechtl and Katy Guye

Nicholas Rodriguez, Sr.

Barbara Senske

The Sickler and Maurer Families

The Slipetz and Wendel Families

The Tichy, Brunecz, and Horvath Families

The Tyler, Nickerson, Degenfelder, McCulla,
and Guiffreda Families

David & Loreene Twichell and David J. Twichell

Jennifer Uhl

Matthew Charles Vullo

Sam and Sally Vullo

The Wescott and Boland Families

Sister Frances Boland

Willis, Mary, and Nancy Wells

Rev. Msgr. Rupert Wright

Constance and Alfred Zannelli

The Zaczynski and Grabowski Families

The Zahler, Cuffney, and Green Families

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

May the prayers of Mary, the Mother of God, who stood by the cross as Her Son was dying, help those who mourn for our brothers and sisters and accompany all of us in our time of need. Amen.