

Fifth Sunday of Easter – Sunday, April 29, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Apr. 30
6:00 p.m.

Oconee – Genevive Pastor

Tuesday, May 1
8:00 a.m.

John “Jack” Kindermann
By Donald & Deborah Batterton
Prairie Rose – William Bailey
By Roy & Carolyne Faddis

10:00 a.m.

Wednesday, May 2
8:00 a.m.

John Sennezy
By Mr. & Mrs. Emil Litz

Thursday, May 3
8:00 a.m.

Mary Ellen Spalding
By Bill & Mary Chernisky

Saturday, May 5
4:00 p.m.

Dolly Weers
By Charlie Weers

Sunday, May 6
7:30 a.m.
9:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

Oconee – Virginia Kuhn
Parishioners
Brian Siebert
By Tyrone & Rose Corso

SERVERS

Tues. - Thurs. **8:00 a.m.**
Saturday **4:00 p.m.**
Sunday **9:00 a.m.**
 10:30 a.m.

Delaney Epley & Lydia McFarland
Logan Gorenz & Noah Gorenz
Alexander Rodgers & Evan Swisher
Grace Fitzpatrick, Drew Hackler, & Aaliyah
Henschen

GIFT BEARERS

Saturday **4:00 p.m.**
Sunday **9:00 a.m.**
 10:30 a.m.

Volunteers
Matthew Clavin Family
1st Communicants

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Commentators

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Bob Zueck
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Tom Morrell
	10:30 a.m.	No Commentator

Extraordinary Ministers

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Bob Zueck, Rosemary Horsthemke, Naomi Gorenz
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Mike Holthaus, Ann Cottrell, James LaMarche
	10:30 a.m.	Kevin Duez, Cindy Duez, Kayla Duez, Shelby Lehman

Lectors

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Addie Deere
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Eric Schafer
	10:30 a.m.	Cindy Duez

HOMEBOUND

Sharon Morell

NOTICE

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO BE A GIFT BEARER, EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER, LECTOR, HOMEBOUND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OR SERVER AT YOUR ASSIGNED TIME, PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK BEYERS CONSTRUCTION CO.

On the back page of our bulletin is a suggested Business Directory. Please consider these businesses for their products or services. Because of them, this bulletin is cost-free to the Parish. When you patronize one of them, tell them you saw their ad on our bulletin.

CALENDARS WINNERS

4/23	Kellie Kuhn	Oconee, IL	\$25
4/24	Beth Funneman	Pana, IL	\$25
4/25	Alexa Smithson	Ramsey, IL	\$25
4/26	Sheldon & Mary Marrs	Lebanon, IL	\$25
4/27	Randy Smith	Pana, IL	\$25
4/28	Scott & Angela Lynch	Witt, IL	\$25
4/29	Holly Beier	Fort Walton Beach, FL	\$75

Weekly Contributions

Apr. 21 – Apr. 22, 2018

We Need \$6,500 Each Week

Regular	\$6,086.00
Buildings & Grounds	\$20.00
Major Repairs	\$25.00
Needy	\$80.00
Easter	\$50.00
Seminarians	\$25.00
Loose	\$501.00

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle, *the Eternal Light*, will be lit the week of April 29
For the Special Intention for Joyce Postehar Family by Lloyd & Pauline Taylor.

BAPTISMS

Baptized in Christ: We welcome into the Family of St. Patrick's Parish and the Universal Church, **Charley Nicole Beyers**, daughter of Jeff and Heather Beyers; **Cruz Anderson Ohmes**, son of Scott and Katie Ohmes; and **Ethan Michael Schneider**, son of Josh and Kelsey Schneider who were Baptized April 22.
May their lives as Catholics be richly blessed by God.

Still bearing fruit. Who is the vine, who are the branches, who is the grower? We know this story and the answers by heart. It draws us into the second reading (1 John 3:18-24) about the behaviors of beloved children. We are Easter children who believe and love, who think and act.

- What needs pruning in my life?
- What Word of God, what truth do I need to hear?
- How will I "love one another just as he commands us"?

MEETINGS

P.S.R. – Wed., May 2 with K-6 from 3:30-4:30 p.m., 7-8 grade at 7-8:00 p.m., Parish Hall.

LOAVES & FISHES FOOD PANTRY

The Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry is collecting food and nonperishable items **EVERY** Saturday and Sunday. Baskets are located in the church vestibule for your convenience. Please remember those who have very little. One canned good/item from each family one weekend a month can make a difference. Food Pantry is open on Mondays 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon and Fridays 3:00-5:30 p.m. Next working day Monday, May 7, 2018.

ACSA UPDATE

The 2017-18 ACSA Appeal theme is “Go therefore and Make Disciples.” This year our assessment is \$37,558. To date 159 families have generously donated \$24,233, which is 65% of our goal. Thanks to each of you who have responded thus far. If you have not had time to respond, please consider donating so we can reach our parish goal!

BAPTISMAL SESSIONS

According to Canon Law, we ask parents to attend a Baptismal Session prior to their child’s Baptism. We at St. Patrick’s offer parents the opportunity to attend a Baptismal preparation session six times throughout the year. **If you are expecting a child and anticipate Baptism, we urge you to attend a session as soon as possible. There is no need to wait until the child is born.** Please call the parish office at 562-5396 to register and attend a session that is most convenient for you. **ALL SESSIONS ARE HELD IN THE RECTORY BASEMENT, Immediately** after the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass on the appointed date. The schedule for the next session is **Sunday, May 6, 2018.** **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED AND MUST BE DONE NO LATER THAN THE FRIDAY BEFORE THE CLASS.** If no one registers for a class then that class will be cancelled.

Sacred Heart School Tuition Registration
Kindergarten Registration

Sacred Heart School is holding both all school tuition registration and Kindergarten registration for the 2018-19 school year on Thursday, May 10 and Friday, May 11 from 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Kindergarten parents begin tuition registration at the Parish office and proceed to the school office for registration.

Kindergarten parents should provide the following by the first day of school:

1. Proof of a health examination.
2. Proof of a dental examination or a signed waiver.
3. Proof of an eye examination by a licensed optometrist or a signed waiver.
4. Proof of a lead screening.
5. Proof of immunizations against preventable, communicable diseases.
6. Proof of a 2nd Varicella injection.
7. Copy of birth certificate. (Certified copy from the courthouse.)

Physical, dental, and eye exam forms available at this time, if needed. School registration forms available at www.shspana.com under the information tab. Please fill out and bring the day of registration. Parents unable to attend or needing further information contact Teresa Pollman at the school office (562-2425) or Chrisy Nollman at St. Patrick Church office (562-5396).

REFLECT RETREAT

Mid-life Singles (mid 30s-50s): Many never-married, divorced, or widowed people in mid-life feel alone, out-of-place (even in church!), and wondering what this phase of life means for them. Our retreats have offered mid-life singles the chance to experience healing, a sense of belonging, and a renewed relationship with the Lord. Register today for a life changing REFLECT Catholic weekend retreat at King's House Retreat Center, Belleville, IL, on June 1-3, 2018. Take a chance and get involved...you won't regret it! Cost is \$195 for meals and a single room. Visit www.ReflectRetreat.com, e-mail reflect.stlouis@gmail.com, or call 314-283-0044 for details.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASS

A Protecting God's Children class will be held on Thursday, May 3 at 6:00 p.m. in the Sacred Heart School 8th grade classroom. Please call the parish office at 562-5396 to register for the class.

LOVING ARMS BABY BOTTLES BOOMERANG

The Baby Bottles Boomerang is an opportunity for church families to have hands-on involvement in a project that saves the lives of unborn children and makes an eternal difference in the mothers' lives. Please take an empty bottle in the church vestibule and fill with a monetary donation (loose change, cash or check) of your choosing. Collect your donations from Mother's Day (May 13) – Father's Day (June 17). Return to the back of church on or before Father's Day.

TEUTOPOLIS MONASTERY MUSEUM

The Museum is open on the first Sunday of the months May thru November from 12:30-4:00 p.m. The museum is located on the second floor in the building behind St. Francis Church in Teutopolis. A chair lift is available for visitors who have difficulty with stairs. A collection of articles used by the early pioneers of the area and the Franciscan Friars can be viewed. Admission fee Adults, \$5.00; Children, \$1.00. For more information visit www.stfrancischurch.com, www.Teutopolis.com, or call 217-857-6404 ext. 236.

MAY CROWNING

The Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated during 8:00 a.m. Mass on May 9. The 2nd Grade Communicants will process in during the processional hymn.

GIFT CARDS

Order gift cards for your Graduates! S.H.O.P. has many cards to choose from in the parish office, as well as TONS more you can order! A full list of retailers is available in the office or on-line at glscrip.com. Any questions contact the church office (562-5396) or Amanda Lehn (217-412-8767).

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