

Holy Family Traditional Roman Catholic Church

Traditional Latin Mass according to the Tridentine Rite codified by St. Pius V

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Father Gregory Safreed, OSF



Fifth Sunday After Easter

May 9, 2021

MASS INTENTIONS

	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Sunday, May 9, 9:00 AM:	Jane+ & Eugene+ McCallan	Sue & Tim Audley
11:30 AM:	Gloria May	Nancy Calvelli
Monday:	Marian Draper+	Bill Draper
Tuesday:	Libby Constanza+	Eric & Pam Lemcke
Wednesday:	Richard Robenstein+	Anita & Peter Faas
Thursday:9:00 AM:	Conversion of Sinners	David McCallum
7:00 PM	Special Intentions	Dominic
Friday:	W. J. Noel+	J. Noel
Saturday:	Rose Sebetka Clendaniel+	Yvette Sebetka
Sunday, May 16, 9:00 AM:	Gerald Kelderhouse, III	Ray & Michele DeFillips
11:30 AM:	Mr. & Mrs. Knudson	The Board of Directors

+deceased

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays: 9:00AM and 11:30AM

Weekdays: 9:00AM

Holy Days of Obligation: 9AM and 7PM

CONFESSIONS - Before Each Mass

ROSARY - Before All Masses

BAPTISMS, MATRIMONY, EXTREME UNCTION

CONSULTATIONS AND SICK CALLS

Please contact the Priest at 321-775-4325

Board of Directors: James DeFillips, Jennifer Griffin, Joe Kelderhouse, Ray DeFillips, Joyce Hunter

(jamesdefillips@gmail.com)

NOVENAS

Miraculous Medal - Saturdays after Mass

Sacred Heart - Fridays after Mass

COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Sundays after 9AM Mass

BLESSING OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

At the communion rail after Mass

CHOIR PRACTICE - Sundays after 9AM Mass

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GOSPEL John 16:23-30 At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: "Amen, amen, I say to you: if you ask the Father anything in My name, He will give it you. Hitherto, you have not asked anything in My name. Ask, and you shall receive; that your joy may be full. " These things I have spoken to you in proverbs. The hour is coming when I will no longer speak to you in proverbs but will speak to you plainly of the Father. In that day, you shall ask in My name: and I say not to you that I will ask the Father for you. For the Father Himself loves you, because you have loved Me and have believed that I came out from God. I came forth from the Father and came into the world. Again, I leave the world and I go to the Father."

His disciples said to Him: "Behold, now You speak plainly and utter no proverb. Now we know that You know all things, and do not need that anyone should question You. By this we believe that You came forth from God."

Saint Robert Bellarmine, S.J. ~ Bishop, Confessor and Doctor of the Church



Roberto Francesco Romolo Bellarmino – (4 October 1542 – 17 September 1621) He was born at Montepulciano, the son of noble, albeit impoverished, parents, Vincenzo Bellarmino and his wife Cinzia Cervini, who was the sister of Pope Marcellus II. As a boy he knew Virgil by heart and composed a number of poems in Italian and Latin. One of his hymns, on Mary Magdalene, is included in the Roman Breviary. He entered the Roman Jesuit novitiate in 1560, remaining in Rome three years. He then went to a Jesuit house at Mondovì, where he learned Greek. While at Mondovì, he came to the attention of Francesco Adorno, the local Jesuit Provincial Superior, who sent him to the University of Padua. In 1569 he was sent to finish his studies at the University of Leuven in Flanders. There he was ordained and obtained a reputation both as a professor and as a preacher. He was the first Jesuit to teach at the university, where the subject of his course was the *Summa Theologica of Thomas Aquinas*.

In poor health, in 1576 he made a journey to Italy. Here he remained, commissioned by Pope Gregory XIII to lecture on polemical theology in the new Roman College, now known as the Pontifical Gregorian University. Later, he would promote the cause of the beatification of Aloysius Gonzaga, who had been a student at the college during Bellarmine's tenure.

St. Bellarmine was made rector of the Roman College in 1592, examiner of bishops in 1598, and cardinal in 1599. Immediately after his appointment as Cardinal, Pope Clement made him a Cardinal Inquisitor.

Upon the death of Pope Sixtus V in 1590, the Count of Olivares wrote to King Philip III of Spain, "Bellarmine ... would not do for a Pope, for he is mindful only of the interests of the Church and is unresponsive to the reasons of princes." In 1602 he was made archbishop of Capua. As bishop he put into effect the reforming decrees of the Council of Trent. He received some votes in the 1605 conclaves which elected Pope Leo XI, Pope Paul V, and in 1621 when Pope Gregory XV was elected, but him being a Jesuit stood against him in the judgment of many of the cardinals.

St. Bellarmine's books bear the stamp of their period; the effort for literary elegance (so-called "maraviglia") had given place to a desire to pile up as much material as possible, to embrace the whole field of human knowledge, and incorporate it into theology. His controversial works provoked many replies and were studied for some decades after his death. At Leuven he made extensive studies in the Church Fathers and scholastic theologians, which gave him the material for his book *De scriptoribus ecclesiasticis* (Rome, 1613). He wrote the preface to the new Sixto-Clementine Vulgate. St. Bellarmine also prepared for posterity his very own commentary on each of the Psalms. An English translation from the Latin was published in 1866.

St. Bellarmine retired to the Jesuit college of St. Andrew in Rome. During his retirement, he wrote several short books intended to help ordinary people in their spiritual life: *De ascensione mentis in Deum per scalas rerum creatorum opusculum* (The Mind's Ascent to God – 1614) which was translated into English as *Jacob's Ladder* (1638). *The Art of Dying Well* (1619) (in Latin, English translation under this title by Edward Coffin) and *The Seven Words on the Cross*.

St. Bellarmine died on 17 September 1621, aged 78. He was beatified on 13 May 1923, canonized a saint in 1930 and named Doctor of the Church, one of only 36. He was one of the most important figures in the Counter-Reformation. His feast day is May 13th.



The Catholic Parish School

The Church Board is soliciting all parish members interested in forming a SCHOOL BOARD. **A meeting to discuss this topic will be held in the parish hall on Saturday, May 22nd at 2pm.** We encourage all those interested in participating to attend this meeting.

ROSARY ROSTER

9:00 5/9 - Sam Liburdi 5/16 - Martin Crain 5/23 - Mary Crain 5/30 - Ken Peldunas 6/6 - Tony Verzi 6/13 - Pat Lankenau
11:30 **Volunteers Needed**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Mother's Day** ~ Father Safreed and the Board of Directors extend to all mothers in the parish sincere wishes for a happy and blessed Mother's Day.
- **ASCENSION THURSDAY:** May 13th is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM.
- **Please take a 2021 Religious Calendar.** They are located at the back of the church and you are welcome to take a complimentary copy to use both as a calendar and a reference for religious holy days, fast days and feast days.
- All those interested in **forming a School Board for a parish school** are invited to attend a meeting being held in the parish hall on Saturday, May 22nd at 2:00pm.
- **All young men of the parish are encouraged to become an Altar Server.** Please see James DeFillips after either Sunday Mass or contact him at jamesdefillips@gmail.com.
- **Parishioners, friends and visitors** are welcome to refreshments in the church hall following the 9:00 AM Mass.
- **Visit us on our website, updated weekly** - www.holyfamilytraditionalcatholicchurch.org
- **Pray the Rosary for Peace.** Join fellow parishioners every Tuesday at 3pm in the church to recite fifteen decades of the rosary. Our intentions are to ask God and his Blessed Mother for their protection of our country and our church against the force which is trying to destroy us. Please make an effort to attend as often as you can.



"Declare it with the voice of joy and let it be heard, alleluia; declare it even to the ends of the earth: The Lord hath delivered His people, alleluia" (Introit). From the Christian point of view the most important of all truths is the fact that men have been redeemed and that they are the children of God. Now heaven has been opened again to us, and so, too, the heart of the Father. "Amen, amen, I say to you, if you ask the Father anything in My name, He will give it you".

"Ask and you shall receive, that your joy may be full" (Gospel). Our Savior has given the solemn promise, in His own name and in the name of His Father, that "whatsoever you shall ask the Father in My name, that will I do" (John 14:13). In prayer we have an unfailing means for obtaining light, power, and grace from God. "For everyone that asketh, receiveth; and he that seeketh, findeth; and to him that knocketh, it shall be opened" (Luke 11:10). He who fails to ask, will not receive; he who asks little, shall receive but little; while he who asks much, will receive much. This divine rule in the order of grace is borne out by experience and by the history of the Church. Baur



Feast of the Ascension



The fortieth day after Easter Sunday, commemorates the Ascension of Christ into heaven, according to Mark 16:19, Luke 24:51, and Acts 1:2.

In the Eastern Church this feast was known as analepsis, the taking up, and also as the episozomene, the salvation—denoting that by ascending into His glory, Christ completed the work of our redemption.

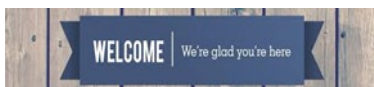
The terms used in the West, ascensio and, occasionally, ascensa, signify that Christ was raised up by His own powers.

Tradition designates Mount Olivet near Bethany as the place where Christ ascended from earth. The feast falls on Thursday. It is one of the feasts ranking with the feasts of the Passion, of Easter and of Pentecost among the most solemn in the calendar, has a vigil and, since the fifteenth century, an octave which is set apart for a novena of preparation for Pentecost, in accordance with the directions of Leo XIII.

In the liturgies generally the day is meant to celebrate the completion of the work of our salvation, the pledge of our glorification with Christ, and His entry into heaven with our human nature glorified.

Our Lord ascended into heaven to prepare a place for us. His apostles were sent to teach all nation what He had commanded them. We must now cleanse our souls from sin and store up good deeds, performed in the state of grace. These will speak for us when we appear before God.

COVID-19 Virus: At this time, with regard to the Coronavirus event, we are not making any changes in the availability of sacraments or the schedule of mass. However, in an abundance of caution, we are asking all parishioners to make decisions that are prudent for their situation. Elderly parishioners are particularly at risk and are excused from their Sunday obligations. Any parishioners that feel uncomfortable are excused as well. As always, if you are exhibiting any signs of sickness or feel unwell, please be considerate of your fellow parishioners and do not attend mass or any chapel functions. Thank you for your understanding in these trying times. Please stay well and may God bless you.



If you are new to the chapel, Welcome.
New parishioners please consult Father Safreed before the reception of sacraments.



Remember, also, Lord, Your servants and handmaids below who are gone hence before us, marked with the sign of faith, and sleep the sleep of peace. To them, Lord and to all that rest in Christ, grant, we implore You a place of happiness, light and peace through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

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 THURSDAY
 MAY 13, 2021**

**Holy Day of
 Obligation**

**Masses
 at
 9 AM & 7 PM**

Piano Lessons



by James Rossi, Mass organist

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 Greater than 50 Members of the Chapel - \$200
 Greater than 50 Non-members - \$300

SUGGESTED DONATIONS

Mass Intentions - \$15 Requiem Mass - \$150
 Baptism - \$50 Requiem Mass w/ Graveside Service - \$175
 Nuptial Mass - \$150 Wedding Service - \$125
 Organist Donation - \$50

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