

Fifth Sunday of Easter



Estimated need each week: \$4475.00

04/18/2010 Collection: \$4039.57
Building Fund: \$280.00

Ministry Schedule

May 08

05:30 PM—Lector: **Nell Voisin**
Eucharistic Ministers: **Marie Kruzal, Jeanette Ormazabal, Doug LeDoux**

May 09

08:00AM - Lector: **Karen Quilliams**
Eucharistic Ministers: **Anna Marie Smith, Kevin Quilliams**

10:30 AM—Lector: **Ralph Ihli**
Eucharistic Ministers: **Lorraine LeCocq, Rose Marie Staley, Tom Miklusicak**

USHERS

May 08

05:30 PM—Robert Ruiz

May 09

08:00 AM—Joan & John Weis

10:30 AM—Steven Smith - Joe Long

ALTAR SERVERS

May 08

08:00 PM—Kristen and Kyle Halstead

May 09

08:00 AM—Kathleen and Joseph Staller

10:30AM—Eric White, Dominic Burry, Victoria Cordina, Andi Aparicio

***If you can not serve for your scheduled mass, please find a substitute. If you can not find a substitute, call Scott & Tara Halstead at 579-9342.



Pray for the Sick: Ed Bigelow, Bob Mallard, Bobby Ownby, Madeline Overfield, Bob and Mary Holifield, Steven Smith, John Kruzal, Howard Rothwell, Stacie Kidwell, Ed Doherty, Kurt Hosey, Jandark Faraj, Lorraine Hendricks, Rachelle Rodarte & Elizabeth Davis.

To place a prayer request on the prayer chain, please call Sue at 984-5440 / Claudia at 573-0056.



In the Gospel today, Jesus says “ I give you a new commandment: love on another...This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will show that you are indeed the disciple of Jesus as it will bring your love to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread.



Mass Intentions

May 01 05:30 PM **Amelia Gallagher** † by M/M Banks
May 02 08:00 AM **People of the Parish**
10:30 AM **Harold Burry** † by the Quilliams Family
May 03 08:15 AM **NO MASS**
May 04 08:15 AM **Mario DeLucia Sr.**
May 05 08:15 AM **Staff of Catholic Charities**
May 06 08:15 AM **Eleanor Driscoll**
May 07 08:15 AM **NO MASS**
May 08 05:30 PM **Amelia Gallagher** † by M/M Banks
May 09 08:00 AM **Frank Fisher** †
10:30 AM **People of the Parish**

May the souls of all our Faithful departed through the Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen
† = deceased



The Legion of Mary meets on Monday mornings at 9:00 AM and Tuesday evenings at 6:00 PM on the garden level of the church.

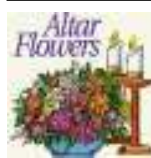
All are invited to attend.

We're extending an invitation to ALL parishioners to join us in praying the ROSARY every Sunday at 9:55 am right before the 10:30 mass.



***Please come join us on Thursdays 9am in the Family Life Center to make rosaries. The rosaries that are made will be used locally and/or donated to missions.

Our Lady of Fatima Statue would like to reach out to our parishioners by spending some prayer time in your home. The statue will be brought to your home with a 9-day novena. Please contact Annamaria Smith at 573-3629.



Parishioners are invited to make a donation at anytime for placement of flowers in the Sanctuary in memory of a loved one or for a special occasion. Recognition will appear in the bulletin. Please contact Louise at 573-1203 or secretary@holyfamilyseymour.org

Good News!

First Friday Adoration will be starting on June 4th. Adoration will begin at 12:00 noon and end at 7:00 p.m. with benediction or mass. Please sign up for a time on the sheet in the vestibule. A pot luck dinner will be held afterwards in the Family Life Center. Don't miss this wonderful blessing of time in God's presence and fellowship to follow.



**Parent and Parishioner Information Meeting:
How to Talk to Your Children Regarding Sexual Abuse**

The Diocese of Knoxville will be sponsoring 4 informational meetings to help us process the news about the abuse of a child by a member of the clergy. There will also be information about how to address this sensitive topic with your children. A counselor from Catholic Charities who has expertise in this particular area, Kim Cook, will facilitate the meetings along with representatives from the diocese. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend. The meeting times and locations are as follows:

- May 03 Notre Dame Greeneville 7p.m. Parish Hall**
- May 06 St. Dominic Kingsport 7p.m. Parish Hall**
- May 12 St. Stephen Chattanooga 7p.m. Downstairs**
- May 13 St. John Neumann Knoxville 7p.m. Gym**

For more information please contact
Peggy Humphreys at 584-3307.



Don't forget about the half-price sale every 15th of the month at Seton's Thrift Store in Harriman, just 2/10 of a mile off I-40, exit 347. A Catholic Charities' program, Seton's is a large, clean, well-maintained store whose sales go to maintain the facility, which also includes a food pantry, primarily serving the rural poor of Roane County. For more information or to make a donation of clean, used clothing, furniture or household items, contact Mildred Morton at 865-882-0558.

Chili's Restaurants "Give Back Night" for Catholic Charities is May 4, 2010. Present the Chili's Give Back Night coupon at any Chili's in East Tennessee on the first Tuesday of the month, between 4 pm and 10 pm, and chili's will donate 10% of your purchase back to Catholic charities! Coupons are available at www.cctn.org.

The 12th annual Columbus Home Kids' Walk, held on Sunday, May 16th, needs fun funders. Partial and full sponsorships are available from \$50 - \$250 to help support the children's programs of Catholic Charities. Contact mikemartin@knology.net or 865-694-0629 for more information.

Youth Ministry Information



May 05th - Confirmation Class

Session 10 "Your Christian Vocation"

***Social time: 7-7:30. Sessions start promptly at 7:30 PM.

***Bring snacks and drinks to share.

***Schedule is tentative and subject to change.



Free Tai Chi Lessons—Just a note to anyone interested in improving your health and having a good time. The Tai Chi class meets on Wednesday evening at 6:00pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

You can join in anytime.

For more information please call Rachele @ 577-0337. Tai Chi is a healthy exercise program for all ages. Please wear loose fitting clothing to perform this activity.



Free Belly Dancing Lessons-Starting May 5th Wednesday mornings from 11am-12noon in the Family Life Center. Questions, please call Joy at 577-1566.

Pastor's Rundown:

"That was the coolest Mass...ever!" This is not something that is often heard from a teenager, usually the word "mass" can be substituted for "movie" or "video game." But, believe it or not, this is a direct quote from one of the young people being confirmed. The statement was made at a late night mass in the church after an overnight retreat for preparation for the upcoming Confirmation. The kids spent time during the retreat praying, learning, joking around, sharing ideas and playing educational games (even though I admit that I cheated during Jeopardy). All that stuff lead up to the celebration of mass. Seeing how "into it" they all were was very refreshing! Sometimes it can be easy to get sort of complacent about our faith but this group is really fired up which is kind of contagious! Our Youth Minister, Tom Miklusicak, is who I think spread the infectious interest in knowing more about the Church to the kids! In fact every week there is a bunch of our youth that come to Youth Ministry and are fortified in their faith. You can see it through the number of them who serve, sing, read, teach CCD and play the vital role of coming to mass each week!! This is a witness to ALL of us, no matter what age we are! We can look around our Parish and see the youth calling us more "mature" folks to get excited about Jesus. Its easy for all of us to say "I'm gonna wait till later to get involved in ministry" but I think its especially easy for kids to say that, but by the important witness that they are hopefully we can all remember that we are the Church of today and now is the time to do what we can to express our love for God! So thanks to all of the youth, Tom and the parent volunteers who help with this ministry, we are all blessed by it!

Peace,
Fr. R



Each week at mass, we are invited and called to full conscience, active and fruitful participation in the liturgical worship. Consider reading then reflecting on the scriptures for the coming

Sunday May 09, 2010

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29

Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8

Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23

John 14:23-29