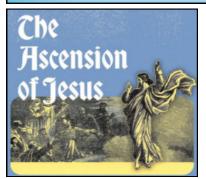
# A Franciscan Parish for 157 years! - May 21, 2023 - Feast of the Ascension of the Lord



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### MASS SCHEDULE

<u>Weekend</u> Saturday at 5:30 pm Sunday at 8:00 & 10:00 am <u>Weekdays in Main Church</u> Monday-Friday at 8:00 am <u>Holy Day</u> Please check the bulletin.

VIRTUAL MASS SCHEDULE LIVE on Saturdays at 5:30pm on our Facebook page Available on our Website shortly after Saturday Mass

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

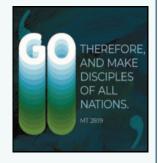
Contact <u>Beth Geis</u> to arrange a Baptism holyfamilybeth@gmail.com/ 812-934-3013 (ext. 125)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturdays from 4:30pm - 5pm

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# Fr. Carl's Thoughts and Reflections Feast of the Ascension of the Lord, May 21, 2023

We are drawing to the close of the Easter Season with our celebration of the Ascension this weekend & Pentecost next weekend. During this time we have prayed & reflected on the events of Jesus' life, death, Resurrection & Ascension, as well as the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the apostles and disciples. We have reviewed the actions of the early disciples and apostles as they went forth from Jerusalem to preach and teach the early Christian communities scattered around the Mediterranean and mid-east areas.



Today our first reading is from the very beginning of the Acts of the Apostles.



St. Luke reviews briefly what he covered in his Gospel, ending with the 40 days of post-resurrection appearances. He promises the coming of the Holy Spirit, which will make them witnesses in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. Then Jesus was lifted up and a cloud took Him from their sight. St. Paul, writing to the Ephesians, promises them a Spirit of wisdom and revelation, that they will be enlightened, giving them hope and insight into the riches of His glory. Jesus is head

over all things for His Body the Church, and fulfills all things in every way. St. Matthew's Gospel describes the Ascension of Jesus into heaven, after He sends them forth to make disciples of all nations, Baptizing them in the name of the Trinity, teaching them to observe all that they have been commanded. Then Jesus promises to be with them (and us) until the end of the age. We Christians have received this promise and this commission, to extend the Church to all nations of the world. This is what we commit ourselves to every time someone is Baptized.



Thanks to all our Catechists, Teachers, Staff and Parents who have worked hard these past 9 months to instruct all of our children in our Religious Education Program. Beth Geis has

educators. We celebrated

with the May Crowning Mass last Wednesday, followed by our ice cream social. Thanks to the Schrank family for providing the home-made ice cream. We also thank the Knights of St. John and Columbus for their service at our May Crowning and this past Sunday for preparing our delicious Mother's Day Breakfast.



Fr. Carl

Congratulations to Fritz John Klosterkemper, son of Jarrad and Ann (Weigel) Klosterkemper, who was Baptized on Saturday, May 13, at Holy Family Church. May he and his family continue to grow in their love of God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit.

Have a Blessed Feast and Week of the Ascension!



Meeting - May 21st @ 2pm in the Fr. Rudolf Room! All are welcome to join!



FREE blood pressure checks after all Masses MAY 27 & 28

located in the bride's room at the back of church. If you are able to help with B/P checks in order to offer them at each mass once a month, please contact Barb Luff if you would like to help. 812 934 4671

### Give your purse purpose New



and very gently used purses, handbags, travel or exercise bags are needed for the annual Safe Passage

Handbags 4 Hope. The popular purse auction to benefit victims of domestic & sexual violence in our communities will be Aug. 22 at **RomWeber Party Place in Batesville** from 5 to 8 p.m. If you're purging closets or like to shop and find a great deal on a new or designer bag,

please consider donating it to Safe Passage. Drop off purses at the shelter by July 8. Save the date and plan to attend the fundraiser, a great girl's night out for a

great cause! For more info, call Safe Passage Safe Passage, Inc. at 812-933-1990.

Help. Healing. Hope.





### Save the Date: June 24, 2023

Drive Through Chicken from 10am to 6pm (Oldenburg Firemen) with walk-up Dinners available

Parade at 12:00pm to 1:00pm: Biggest and Baddest (Text 812-212-1601 to Enter: Ex. Simply Text John Doe 1968 Mustang Entry)

Creek Bottom Brewery On Pearl Street at 12:00pm to 6:00pm

Music on the Street: Craig Quick and John Baslar at 1:15pm to 5:30pm

**Corn Hole Tournament On the Street** 

Schrank Family Homemade Ice Cream: Very Unique Process

Local Shops will be Open All Day for Shopping Bring your Kids, Lawn Chairs and Coolers For An Afternoon Of Fun and Music!!

### **Oldenburg Academy's 9th Annual** \$25,000 Cash Raffle – July 15, 2023



Proceeds will benefit OA's general operating fund to support the school's most important needs. There are 13 chances to win: One \$20,000 prize, two \$1,000 prizes, five \$500 prizes

and five \$100 prizes. Tickets are \$100 each and can be purchased by calling the OA Advancement Office at 812-933-0737. License #002071 - 158489

### OLDENBURG ACADEMY 2023 SUMMER CAMPS

Oldenburg Academy is excited to offer a variety of camps for elementary and middle school students! Our athletic and enrichment camps focus on a variety of interests.

To learn more and register, scan the QR code or visit oldenburgacademy.org/summer-camps

Questions? Reach out to Mrs. Molly Freeland mfreeland@oldenburgacademy.org 812.934.4440 ext. 250



# HOLY FAMILY PARISH FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Looking for 2 Co-Chairs for the Baskets Galore Booth.

Responsibilities include creating baskets and running the booth the day of the Festival. If interested in checking out the Basket Booth operations and specifics, contact Ellen Paul at 812-212-1285 & she will give you a tour & answer any questions.

SEEKING a Chair or 2 Co-Chairs for the Craft/Holiday Booth for the Festival. If interested, contact Cheryl at 812-934-3013.

# ITEMS FOR PREPARATION

While out shopping and you see a sale on CRISCO, FLOUR or PIE FILLING grab some extra to donate to our festival pie baking elves. Drop off the supplies in the brides room labeled 'festival supplies'.

# QUILTS NEEDED

We are still in need of some guilts for our Quilt raffle. Is that a hobby you enjoy and you would be willing to donate to our festival ... Please call Cheryl at 812-934-3013 & commit one to her today or drop it at the Parish office.

## FESTIVAL GRAND RAFFLE

We are looking for very nice suitable items that would make a well received offering as a Raffle Prize; If you are a Business, perhaps a Gift Card or merchandise from your store. If you are talented in crafts (Quilt, Afghan or similar item) or wood working (small table, lamps, "treasure chest" or similar item) and would like to donate it as a Grand Raffle Prize, please contact Cheryl at 812-934-3013 Option#2. And don't forget...when you plant

your garden this spring, remember to plant a little extra to donate to the Festival Produce Booth.

EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL: JUNE 9-11, BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD! 40-Hours Devotion & Family Campout This is a unique weekend combining fun, fellowship, teaching, praise, worship and adoration. It is open to all, but caters to families with children. Guest Rooms available. Bring a Dish to share for Sat. evening meal, Cincinnati Chili, spaghetti and hotdogs provided, Breakfast on Sunday provided. Cost: A donation.



JUNE 19-22, THE EUCHARISTVACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, Ages 7-High School - Know Jesus Better and be filled with the Holy Spirit. Four Days (Mon-Th) 9:30am-1:00pm Crafts, activities, Bible, Worship, Lunch. Cost: A donation.

JUNE 19-23 FAMILY VACATION WITH THE LORD (Includes VBS, guest rooms & more.)



Presentation Ministries - Our Lady of Guadalupe Discipleship Center 5701 Lawshe Rd., Peebles, OH 45660 Register online at www.presentationministries.com

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 20 5:30 pm † Dolores Enneking Sunday, May 21 8:00 am † Alice Nobbe 10:00 am Members of the Parish Monday, May 22 8:00 am † Louis Siefert Tuesday, May 23 8:00 am † Eugene J. Galle Wed, May 24 8:00 am † Kenny Yager Thurs, May 25 8:00 am † Margo & Rich Baldwin Friday, May 26 8:00 am † Martin & Jeanette Bedel Saturday, May 27 5:30 pm Living & † Deceased Members of the George & Anelda Moll Family Sunday, May 28 8:00 am † Herb Oesterling 10:00 am Members of the Parish Mass Intention Requests Is there

your life that has passed on & you would like a mass intended for them? We at Holy Family are blessed with several friars that would be able to hold them in their intentions during Mass. Please contact Toni Cummings at 812-934-3013 ext. 4 Or tdcummings96@gmail.com for intention requests. Mass intentions are \$10/Mass.

#### OFFERING AN ACT OF WORSHIP

May 21 <sup>st</sup> Sunday Collection	
Envelope Collection	\$7,643.50
Loose	\$2,170.75
Total	\$9,814.25
Budget	\$7,656.32
ABOVE Budget	

### Special Parish <u>MAY</u> Collection: Vacation Bible School

Please consider Holy Family Church in your will for a lasting way to give to your parish. We thank our parishioners for your generosity.





Baby Meer, Benjamin Mattingly, Steve Suding, Terry Duncan, Tom Wilson, Marvin Gehring, Kathleen Jones, Leah Schornick, Paul Messerschmidt, Bobby Patterson, Tami Peters, Dick Hirt, Beth Fasbinder, Marian Beetz Lisa Haessig, Jean Ham, Scott Cooper, Keith Milligan, Pat Schrank, Wesley Neil Thompson, Carlos Luken, Melanie Jones, Jane Fussner, Jon Flanary, Terri Jo Thompson, Tina Cohill, Carolyn Scheele, Gary Lewis, Andy Murphy, Dennis Harmeyer, Beth Lamping, Eugene Laker, Dan Wagner, Sylva Havens, Jen Tucker, Donna Doll, Doty Amberger, Rita Litzinger, Clare Ronnebaum, Jerry Lamping, Anna Mae Raver, Dave Amberger, Gary Payne, Mattie Wagner, Julianne Raver, Alma Simmermeyer, Dale Kuntz, Rita Struewing, Ruth Ronnebaum, and all our nursing home & homebound parishioners.

May 21, 2023



# READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 21, 2023

Sunday: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20 Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33 Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21/Jn 17:1-11a Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/ Jn 17:11b-19

**Thursday:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a & 5, 7-11/Jn 17:20-26 **Friday:** Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19 **Saturday:** Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 & 7/Jn 21:20-25

Next Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

Caring Committee Holy Family Caring Committee is looking for individuals who would like a visit; running errands; use some meals....etc. If you know of anyone, please contact Carol Dobson at 812-212-3582. We would love to help in <u>any way</u> we are able! PLEASE reach out! \*\*\*\*AT THIS TIME...we are unable to transport



anyone around, but would be willing to help in other ways.\*\*\*\*\*

Holy Family Church Caring Committee MAY MEETING is May 23rd at 7pm. JUNE MEETING (this month ONLY) is June 27th at 6:30pm (instead of 7) in the

Rudolph Room. This is open to anyone who would like to join this committee. For any questions please call Carol Dobson @ 812-212-3582.

# **Baby Items for Batesville Pregnancy**

**Hotline** In May, St. Joseph Commandery No. 220 of the Knights of St. John International, Oldenburg, is



hosting a month long baby shower for the Batesville Pregnancy Hotline. Donations of diapers (especially size 4,5 &6), wipes, clothing (much needed are gently used/new

summer sleepers - all sizes up to 2T), other baby items, or cash may be placed in the back of church throughout the entire month of May. More info may be found at <u>www.batesvillecph.org</u>.



# Mass Ministry Schedule

#### May 20 & May 21 Servers: 5:30pm Taytum Froehling & Annabelle Eckstein 8:00am Ellen Swain & Henry Spreckelson 10:00am Abe Trossman & Henry Jelinek Lector: 5:30pm Kristina Schneider 8:00am Patricia Doll 10:00am Carol Dobson **Eucharistic Ministers:** 5:30pm Tom Meyer. Doug Nobbe, Jay Pfeiffer, Connie Chaffee & Lisa Oldham 8:00am Christy Honnert, Karen Trenkamp, Dorothy Ziegler, Cathy Kaiser & Isaac Trossman 10:00am Beth Deputy, Steve Deputy, Tina Duncan, Wendy Havens & Julia Heidlage Music: 5:30pm Bryce & Shannon Mullins 8:00am Parish Choir 10:00am Leon Enneking, Tim Volz, Carol Roell & Kim Brockman

May 27 & May 28 Servers: 5:30pm Maggie Jelinek & Mackenzie Borgman 8:00am Wilbur Giesting & Blaise Mullens 10:00am Grant Wanstrath & Nolan Wanstrath Lector: 5:30pm Steve Kerker 8:00am Eric Doll 10:00am Julia Heidlage **Eucharistic Ministers:** 5:30pm Julie Bower, Michael Irvin, Connie Chaffee, Diane Raver Carla Enzinger 8:00am Angie Harmeyer, Teresa Merkel, Deann Kaiser, Eric Heppner & Connie Luers 10:00am Jenny Ilderton, Melissa Jacobs, Barb Luff, Kay Pulskamp & Allen Raab Music: 5:30pm Leon Enneking, Tim Volz, Carol Roell & Kim Brockman 8:00am Jayne Enneking

10:00am Bryce & Shannon Mullins

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June 3 & June 4

Carol Roell & Kim Brockman

USHERS for JUNE \_\_\_\_\_ 5:30pm: Brad Nobbe, Doug Nobbe & Rick Obermeyer

8:00am: Tom Honnert, Jeremy Honnert & Jason Honnert - 10:00am Joe Goldsmith, Troy Ilderton & Brian Lecher



WE have a great start to a successful group of ministers...stay tuned for upcoming training review sessions to join our Mass ministries team.

AND...<u>ANYONE</u> interested in Mass ministries (greeters, ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, lectors, servers), please reach out to Toni Cummings at tdcummings96@gmail.com or 812-932-3046 and we will schedule training time.

# 177th CORPUS CHRISTI June 11

Procession after 10am Mass. We <u>NEED VOLUNTEERS</u> to help make this great holy tradition a success!! We are looking for servers, flag bearers, canopy carriers, Eucharistic ministers,

lil' flower petal throwers & people to "save" flower petals in BROWN PAPER (not plastic) BAGS (they keep best in the refrigerator). *OUR HOPE* is to have a SUPER PROCESSION! Anyone who received a Sacrament



this year is asked to PLEASE attend the procession this year (may even be nice to see them in their 1st Communion attire).



Please contact Mary Gehring (812)-209-9063 with how you would like to join in on this time honored tradition!!

### HOLY FAMILY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES CONTACTS:

CATECHIST: Beth Geis: at 812-932-3045/holyfamilybeth@gmail.com TURTLE SOUP: Dorothy Ziegler @ 812-212-0414 MASS MINISTRIES: Toni Cummings @ 812-932-3046/ tdcummings96@gmail.com - RUMMAGE SALE: Dottie Hoff @ 812-934-9033 - FESTIVAL: Cheryl Borgman @ 812-934-3015/ holyfamilycheryl@gmail.com - CARING COMMITTEE: Carol Dobson @ 812-212-3582 BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE: Marcia Bischoff @ 812-871-4872 & LINEN SERVICES: Cheryl Borgman @ 812-934-3015/holyfamilycheryl@gmail.com NEED A HALL FOR FAMILY GATHERINGS?

Holy Family Cafeteria &/or Gym Call Cheryl Borgman @ 812-934-3013 Opt. 2

St. Mary of the Rock Hall & Shelter Call Brad Lecher @ 812-212-2908

# JOB OPPORTUNITY



St. Mary of the Rock is seeking someone to clean the church on a

regular basis. Please reach out to Marvin Roell at 812-717 -0950 if you are interested in this job opportunity.



# Religious Education/Youth Ministry Page

# TEAM JESUS HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

Youth Group is Today, May 21st @ 6:30PM @ the Price House. It will be at the Price's house with a Rosary Walk & a fun activity! More details to come in the future.

MISSION TRIP - The next Mission Trip meeting is Today, May 21st from 4:30pm-6:30pm @ St. Louis





### ADULT FORMATION OUR NEXT

Adult Formation Class will be on Wed., May 24<sup>th</sup> from 6:30pm – 7:30pm in the Rectory

Library. We will be meeting weekly (even throughout the summer). Please join us as we talk about faith & prayer the next few weeks!

### ST. PHILOMENA MOTHER/DAUGHTER RETREAT



Grow closer to Christ and one another while exploring God's gift of femininity! Based on biblical wisdom, Catholic teaching, and St. Pope JPII's Theology of the Body, the retreat offers talks and activities

geared towards girls ages 11-14 and plenty of one-on-one mother daughter time. Participants will reflect on the gift of their female identity, the gift of friendship, the gift of marital intimacy and holy chastity, the gift of the Holy Spirit and most importantly the precious gifts they are created to be. Wow, that sounds awesome! July 7-9 (Friday 6 PM - Sun. 12 PM). The spiritual Center of Marian Stein, 2365 St. Johns Road, Maria Stein, OH 45860! LOOK at HOLY Family Facebook for the link!



#### SAVE THE DATES: VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: "GOD IS OUT OF THIS WORLD" OUTERSPACE THEME Vacation Bible School is Monday July 24<sup>th</sup> – Thursday July 27<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 - 8:00 PM. Monday -Wednesday we will have different

stations & Thursday will be our annual Cookout with water night! Registration will be out beginning of June!

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Beth Geis! E-mail: holyfamilybeth@gmail.com or call: 812-934-3013 (ext. 3)

# FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

Symbolon Session 9: Mary & the Saints: Our Mother + the Communion of Saints: What do we think of Mary,



the Mother of Jesus, and how does our relationship with her impact our relationship with her Son? What is the connection between our understanding of Mary and the rest of the

saints? Why do we ask Mary and other "dead people" to pray for us? The answers to these questions serve to give us a framework for the Catholic Church's teaching on life after death and what we call "The Communion of the Saints".

### DO YOU INCLUDE GOD IN YOUR CHOICES??

Our Lady of the Greenwood's Young Adult Ministry presents the "Day of Discernment" retreat. Here, you will receive practical & spiritual guidance on how to discern, from testimonials and group discussion. The retreat will take place on June 3rd at Our Lady of the Greenwood

parish from 7:30am - 3:00pm. The cost includes breakfast and lunch. Look at Holy Family Facebook for the link! Our Lady of Greenwood: 335



Scan here for more information or to register

S. Meridian St. Greenwood, IN

## **RUMMAGE SALE** Upcoming Collection Dates

**MAY** Collection Dates: May 30, 2023 from 6pm-7:30pm JUNE Collection Dates: June 6, 2023 from 6pm-7:30pm

June 10, 2023 from 9am-12 Noon June 20, 2023 from 6pm-7:30pm

### **JULY** Collection Dates:

July 11, 2023 from 6pm-7:30pm

Please use **FRONT** entrance of school. Must bring items to sorting room INSIDE building.

**BAPTISM:** If you are preparing to have your child baptized or need to receive a Baptismal Certificate, please contact Beth Geis. If this is your first child, you will need to schedule a Baptism Class with Beth Geis. If this is not your first child & have attended a class already, we will need proof. E-mail: holyfamilybeth@gmail.com Phone #: (812)-934-3013 ext 3



Did You Know? Abortion is BATESVILLE never necessary to save a mother's life in the third PREGNANCY HOTLINE trimester. It is quicker and safer for the mother to deliver

the baby. Batesville has a pregnancy hotline whose mission is to help mothers in difficult situations. If you need help or know a mother needing help, please call 812-934-5116, ao to www.batesvillecph.org, or search for Batesville Pregnancy Hotline on Facebook. The hotline can also be reached through Facebook Messenger.

# Natural Family Planning

Artificial Birth Control is a moral wrong. Come learn the Christian Way. A Natural Family Planning class is held the first Sunday of the month, from 9a.m. to 12 Noon in Batesville. This class is taught in one session. The Sympto-Thermal method is 98% effective, natural, & safe. There is a \$40 fee for books & materials. For reservations call or text Aly (812)212-4951 or Michael (812)212-2719.

































Thank you to all our 8th grade & Senior families who joined us on Sunday, April 30th for recognition & the Breakfast!! It was a great time celebrating all of your journeys  $\phi$  we look forward to seeing what the future has in store for you.







