



# Mary Help of Christians Traditional Roman Catholic Church

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## May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023 † Sunday after the Ascension

Sunday, May 21, HOLY MASS 9:00 am – St. Hospitius, C

*Pro Populo*

Mon., May 22, HOLY MASS 7:00 am – Feria (St. Rita of Cascia, W)

*RIP Poor Souls in Purgatory*

Tues., May 23, HOLY MASS 7:00 am – Feria (St. John Baptist de Rossi, C)

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Wed., May 24, HIGH MASS 7:00 am – MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS

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Thurs., May 25, HOLY MASS 7:00 am – St. Gregory VII, PC

*The Glover Family*

Fri., May 26, HOLY MASS 7:00 am – St. Philip Neri, C

*My Children and Grandchildren*

Sat., May 27, No Mass in Springs – Vigil of Pentecost (Day of Fast and Partial Abstinence)

*For the Intentions of the Kosovich Families*

Sunday, May 28, HIGH MASS 9:00 a.m – Pentecost Sunday

*Pro Populo*

### Serving Schedule:

Sun., May 21<sup>st</sup>: Anthony Vigil, Joseph Fries

Tues., May 23<sup>rd</sup>: Volunteer

Thurs., May 25<sup>th</sup>: Volunteer

Sun., May 28<sup>th</sup>: Nick Vigil, Andrew Fries

Sun., June 4<sup>th</sup>: Anthony Kosovich, Jude Vigil

Mon., May 22<sup>nd</sup>: Volunteer

Wed., May 24<sup>th</sup>: Joseph & Andrew Fries

Fri., May 26<sup>th</sup>: Nick Vigil, Toby Vigil

**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, help my heart to persevere in all that is holy. - St. Rita Cascia**

**Confessions:** Sundays – 8:00 am and after Mass    Tues. & Wed. – 7:30 am

**Ending Hymn:**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** RIP Susan Walz, RIP Paula Micklich, RIP Robert Bernard, RIP Ben Trujillo, Gloria Trujillo, Maria Allie, Kyle Kaltenbacher, Elijah Nosko, Michael Micklich, our Military and Police, Tom Gallegos, RIP Zack Hemlock, Cynthia Bernard, RIP Bob Cure, RIP Matias Trujillo, RIP Malachai Miller, RIP Carol Bollinger, Miller Family and all those in need. (Contact Sister to add to this prayer list.)

**FLOWER COLLECTION:** Today there will be an extra collection to support beautifying the House of God with fresh flowers.

**GARAGE SALE:** will begin tomorrow, Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, as we are ready thanks to lots of help! Continued help is appreciated. Please see the online sign-up sheet or call Sr. Mary Catherine.

**PARISH PICNIC and FIELD DAY** – will follow Holy Mass today at the Nancy Lewis Park. Please bring food, drinks and outside games to share! Volunteers to help Eric Vigil organized the field day events would be greatly appreciated.

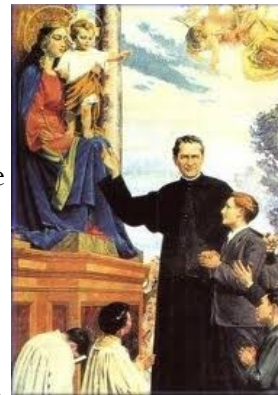
**PARISH FEAST DAY:** will be celebrated with a High Mass at 7:00am on May 24<sup>th</sup>!

**FAST and PARTIAL ABSTINENCE:** for Saturday, the Vigil of Pentecost. Meat only at the main meal; those 21-59 observe the fast.

### **St. John Bosco's Novena to Our Lady Help of Christians**

*To obtain a favor, St. Don Bosco generally advised a Novena to Our Lady Help of Christians. He had a singular devotion to the Hail Holy Queen and advised some work of charity as thanksgiving for graces obtained.*

O Mary, powerful Virgin, thou art the mighty and glorious protector of holy Church; thou art the marvelous help of Christians; thou art terrible as an army in battle array; thou alone hast destroyed every heresy in the whole world. In the midst of our anguish, our struggles and our distress defend us from the power of the enemy and at the hour of our death receive our souls in paradise. Amen. *Here mention your Petitions.* Say Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory be to the Father, three times Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our Life, our Sweetness, and our Hope. To Thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To Thee do we send up our sighs mourning and weeping in this valley of tears.



Turn then, most gracious Advocate, Thine Eyes of Mercy toward us, and after this our exile show unto us the Blessed Fruit of thy Womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary. Pray for us O Holy Mother of God. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ. *Indulgence of 300 days, every time.-Leo XIII, March 10, 1900* Most holy and immaculate Virgin Mary, our most tender Mother, and powerful Help of Christians, we dedicate ourselves entirely to thy most sweet love and holy service. We consecrate our minds with all their thoughts, our hearts with all their affections, our bodies with all their senses and powers, and we promise to desire always to work for the greater glory of God and for the salvation of souls. Meanwhile do thou, O incomparable Virgin, who hast always been the Help of the Christian people, continue to show thyself such, especially in these days. Humble the enemies of our holy religion, and frustrate their evil purposes. Enlighten and strengthen bishops and priests, and keep them ever united in obedience to the true Pope, their infallible master. Preserve incautious youth from irreligion and vice. Promote holy vocations and increase the number of thy sacred ministers, that by means of them the Kingdom of Jesus Christ may be preserved among us, and extended to the farthest boundaries of the earth. We pray thee also, most sweet Mother, to look at all times with compassion upon the young and thoughtless, exposed to so many dangers, and upon poor sinners and the dying; be for all a sweet hope, O Mary, Mother of Mercy and Gate of Heaven. Also we pray thee for ourselves, O great Mother of God. Teach us to copy thy virtues and especially angelic modesty, profound humility, and ardent charity; so that by word and example we may, as far as is possible in our state of life, present in the midst of the world a living image of blessed Jesus thy Son, and may cause thee to be known and loved, and so may succeed in saving many souls. Obtain for us, O Mary our Helper, that we may be all gathered under thy maternal mantle, that in temptation we may invoke thee promptly and confidently; in short, that the thought of thee, so good, so loving, and so dear, and the remembrance of the love which thou bearest to thy clients may be such a support to us, as to render us victorious over the enemies of our souls in life and in death, so that we may become thy crown in beautiful Paradise. Amen.