



Mary Help of Christians Traditional Roman Catholic Church

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June 8, 2025 † PENTECOST SUNDAY

Sunday, June 8, HOLY MASS 9:00 am – Ss. Medard & Gildard, BbCc

Pro Populo

Mon., June 9, HOLY MASS 7:00 am – Pentecost Monday

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Tues., June 10, No Mass in Springs – Pentecost Tuesday

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Wed., June 11, No Mass in Springs – Ember Wednesday

Day of Fast and Partial Abstinence

Murena Vroom (Kosovich)

Thurs., June 12, No Mass in Springs – Pentecost Thursday

Private Intention (D Vigil)

Fri., June 13, HOLY MASS 7:00 am – Ember Friday

Day of Fast and Abstinence

Glover Family (E Glover)

Sat., June 14, HOLY MASS 7:00 am – Ember Saturday

Day of Fast and Partial Abstinence

Private Intention (Fries)

Sunday, June 15, HOLY MASS 9:00 am – Trinity Sunday

Pro Populo

Serving Schedule:

Sun., June 8th: Steven Kosovich, Andrew Fries

Mon., June 9th: Anthony & Alexander Vigil

Fri., June 13th: Andrew & John Fries

Sat., June 14th: Thomas Vigil

Sun., June 15th: Joseph Fries, Alexander Vigil

Sun., June 22nd: Thomas, Nick, Anthony, Alexander and Jude Vigil, Joseph and Andrew Fries

“The Most Loving Heart of Our Savior is a burning furnace of Most Pure Love for us!”

- St. John Eudes

EASTER DUTY: The faithful are reminded of the Church Law, binding under pain of mortal sin, to receive a worthy Holy Communion during Eastertime, that is from the 1st Sunday of Lent through Trinity Sunday (6 weeks)

Confessions: Sundays – 8:00 am and after Mass

Fri. - 6:30am

Ending Hymn: Come Holy Ghost

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Blessing of Religious Articles: Following Holy Mass on the Third Sunday of each month.

PRAY FOR: Anna Ahern, Gerard Crochet, Frank Eberwein, Rose Borders, Mark Gilmor, Arlin Wertish, the Slusher Family, Gabriel, Alex and Xavier Trujillo, Pauline Buonocore, Maria Allie, Kyle Kaltenbacher, Elijah Nosko, Joshua Potts, Cynthia Bernard, Miller Family, Michael Micklich, our Military and Police, RIP Mary Watson, RIP Timothy Pogar, RIP Don Hopkins, RIP Roger McCarville, RIP Joe Vogel, RIP Tom Gallegos, RIP Mike Felthager, RIP Mary Gilmor, RIP Maria Atwood, RIP Charles Lambrecht and family, RIP Jose Raul Flores, RIP Frances Kwitek, RIP Susan Walz, RIP Malachai Miller, RIP Matias & Ben Trujillo, RIP Richard Micklich, RIP Edward Ponder and all those in need. (Contact Sister to add to this list.)

UPCOMING EVENTS: Girls' Camp (Omaha): July 14th - 19th Boys' Camp (CO): July 28th - Aug. 1st
Please send in your registration asap! Colorado Boys' Camp forms are due by JULY 1st!

GARAGE SALE: will be continue June 12th - June 14th. This will be the final dates no matter how it goes! Trucks are needed from 12 - 1pm on June 14th to haul away the remaining items. Volunteers to arrange the drop-offs are also needed.

EMBER DAYS: This week Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are the Ember Days. All those over 21 and under 59 are obliged to fast (only one full meal is allowed; two smaller meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken but together they should not equal a full meal). Those 7 and older are obliged to partial abstinence (meat only at the main meal) on Wednesday and Saturday, complete abstinence on Friday.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: will be Sunday, June 22nd! All grade school girls who have made their First Holy Communion are invited to dress in white and throw flowers for the procession. Please let the Sisters know if your child/ren will be participating so that the correct number of baskets can be prepared. If anyone has flower petals that they can bring that day, that would also be appreciated. Again, please let the Sisters know. Thank you!

THE LOVE OF GOD

On this great festival of Pentecost, fifty days after the resurrection of our Lord from the dead, the Holy Ghost came down upon the disciples. The Apostles had been told by our Lord that the Holy Ghost should come upon them in power to fit them to preach the Gospel over the whole earth. And they continuing altogether in prayer, with the Blessed Virgin and the disciples, waited for the coming of the Holy Ghost. On Pentecost Sunday there came a sound from heaven as of a mighty wind coming, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting; and there appeared to them cloven tongues as it were of fire, and it sat upon each one of them; and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and they began to speak with divers tongues according as the Holy Ghost gave them to speak. The Holy Ghost was given to each of them in this outward, visible, miraculous way for our instruction, that we may understand the office of the Holy Ghost, which is given to each one of us, to sanctify our souls and lead us to heaven. There are, as you know, three Divine Persons in the Blessed Trinity: the Father, who is our Creator, as we say in the Creed--"I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth"; the Son, who is our Redeemer--as we say, "I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived of the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried." Here is the whole work of our redemption and release from the penalty of sin. Then we say: I believe in the Holy Ghost, who is called the Comforter and the Sanctifier. The whole work of our sanctification, the whole spiritual life of our souls, is the work of God; of ourselves we are utterly powerless. We could do nothing worthy of eternal life unless it be by God's help; as Scripture says, "Not that we are able to do anything of ourselves, but it is God who worketh in us both to will and to do." What a glorious thing this is to think of! How glad we ought to be that it is so! If it depended on ourselves we should indeed be miserable, but as it depends on God we need never be discouraged or downhearted. The Holy Ghost, God Himself, is occupied without ceasing in the work of our salvation. He is stirring up everything good in us. We have a good thought, and we say to ourselves that it has come by chance or accidentally. It is not so; it is the Holy Ghost which has suggested it to us. The Holy Ghost from morning until night, and in the middle of the night, is constantly making us think of something good. Do you know where He is to be found? Right in our own hearts. We need not look up to heaven to find Him; He is within us. "Know ye not that ye are the temples of God and the Holy Ghost dwelleth in you?" Then the Holy Ghost sits on His throne, and is ready to give audience to you whenever you seek it. And if you do not seek it, He often seeks you. He says, Come, my child, away from the world and all its vain, unsatisfying things and pass a little time with Me. I will fill your soul with good things. Just such good things as you need the most I will suggest to you. If you are discouraged, I will console you; I will put some thought into your mind which will be an answer to all your discouragement. If you are inclined to be proud and hard-hearted, I will show it to you and put gentle and kind thoughts in you; I will make you patient under afflictions and trials. If your burden is too heavy to carry, I will take the weight of it and make you carry the rest with cheerfulness. Put your confidence in my help, and I will bring you safe through all the various circumstances of life, to your home in heaven.