



May 15, 2022

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Date	Observance	Mass Intention	Readings	Event
Mon May 16		5:30 pm Kitty Remis by Duane Aurette	Acts 14:5-18; Jn 14:21-26	100th Anniversary Committee 6:30 pm WH
Tues May 17			Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31a	Kenmore Free Store 4 - 7 pm SB
Wed May 18	John I, Pope & Martyr	No Mass	Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15:1-8	
Thur May 19			Acts 15:7-21; Jn 15:9-11	
Fri May 20	Bernardine of Siena; Priest	5:30 pm Special Intention by a Friend	Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17	
Sat May 21	Christopher Magallanes, Priest & Companions, Martyrs	5:30 pm Nancy Blondin by Joe & Beth Langton	Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21	Confessions 9 - 10 am CH Kenmore Free Store 9 am - noon SB
Sun May 22	Sixth Sunday of Easter	8:30 am Aldo Ciccarelli by Ida Rea 11 am Ron Shaw by Chris Eggert	Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Rev 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29	

Sanctuary Lamp - Special Intention

Holy Family Candle - Special Intention

COLLECTION REPORT

Week Ending	May 1	May 8
Sunday Offering -	\$3,075.00	\$3,632.00
Daily Offering -	\$162.00	
Easter Offering -	\$140.00	
Total	\$3,377.00	\$3,632.00
Weekly operating costs	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00
(Shortfall) Overage	(\$223.00)	\$32.00
YTD Over (short) -	(\$4,907.65)	(\$4,875.65)
St. Vincent De Paul -	\$160.00	\$20.00
Capital Improvement -	\$360.00	\$220.00
Diocese Designated -	\$20.00	\$239.00
Rice Bowl -	\$79.30	
Other Gifts -	\$465.00	\$25.00
Envs used of 225 sent	53	67

Stewardship of Treasure: If you look at the Collection Report, you'll see that we have fallen behind on our YTD goal. Your parish envelopes are a sign of your willingness to practice the Stewardship of Treasure assuring the continued ministry of our parish to the people of Kenmore. If you visit another parish or are not yet coming to Mass, please send in or drop off your envelopes. Thank you.

We have re-instated the **Offertory Procession and Hymn**. Please continue to put your envelopes in the basket at the front of the church as you have been doing. Thank you.

100th Anniversary Committee Meeting – this Monday, May 16th at 6:30 pm in Waldeisen Hall.

Parish Pastoral Council will meet Tuesday, May 24th at 7 pm in Hitch Hall.

Community Meal – Our next take-out meal will be available on Tues., May 31st at 5 pm in front of Waldeisen Hall. Menu: Spaghetti, salad, bread, cupcakes. If you know someone in need of a meal, pick one up and deliver it.

Mark Your Calendars – Memorial Day – Mass at 9:30 am. We invite all our veterans & their families to Mass and then join other Mass attendees in Hitch Hall for a continental breakfast. June 26th – Parish Picnic; July 29th – Rubber Ducks Game. Stay tuned for more!

Students – If you are graduating from high school or college, we'd love to know your future plans – further education, work, military? We are proud of you! Please write up a little piece for our bulletin and submit it to the rectory in writing or by email to ickenmore@yahoo.com.

Mass Change - Wednesday Masses remain suspended for the foreseeable future with the exception of the last Wednesday of each month when we will celebrate the **Anointing of the Sick** at the 5:30 pm Mass.

Stay informed, visit www.ickenmore.org for parish updates, announcements, pictures and more.

History of Popes

#230 – Innocent IX - Pope from October 19, 1591 – death, December 30, 1591. Giovanni Antonio Facchinetti, born July 20, 1519, had been trained as a lawyer in Bologna. He lived in service to the Church for most of his adult life. He was first appointed by Cardinal Farnese (Pope Paul III) to manage the Archdiocese of Avignon in 1544. Giovanni was named Bishop of Nicasastro in 1560 and was present at the Council of Trent a few years later. St. Pius V sent him to Venice in 1566, where he played a crucial part in the Catholic alliance against the Turks, which led to victory in the Battle of Lepanto in 1571. Giovanni was made Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem in 1575 and then appointed Cardinal in 1583. During Gregory XIV's short reign, he managed most papal business for the ailing pope. Pope Innocent IX was the choice of the pro-Spanish party of cardinals and he was elected after just three rounds of voting. Innocent favored King Philip II in his efforts against King Henry IV of France, who had previously been deemed a heretic by Gregory XIV. During his short papacy, he held a single consistory to name two new cardinals just weeks before his death. Innocent was an avid writer, but died before his works on theology and philosophy were published.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

In our Gospel this week, Jesus gives his disciples a new commandment: love one another. Love is one of those words we overuse and because of that it seems to have lost the meaning Jesus intended. We love ice cream; we love a good steak, or our car or our job. If that's the case, what exactly do we mean when we say we love our spouses or our children? Do they carry the same level of love as ice cream? Jesus told his disciples then and tells us now that we are to love others as he loved us. How do we show this love? What kind of conditions do we put on our love; conditions Jesus never intended. Do we love all people as we were commanded or only those who look like us or share our values? Do we share our stewardship to defend the innocent, the unborn and the elderly? We are a family of faith and like all families, there are disagreements, but we need to learn to agree to disagree in love and with respect. Let us take time this week to reflect on the command Jesus has given us and on our prejudices and our failure to love all of God's people the way Jesus has loved us.

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

In His Name: Toiletries for the homeless served by the Peter Maurin Center. Please place donations in the basket by the main doors of the church. Thank you.

Community Meal Needs: pasta sauce, Italian dressing, croutons, black olives.

CareCards - Please keep them coming! To participate, purchase cards of encouragement, add a short note and sign your name. Put the cards into the envelope (do not seal) & place into the basket. Please do not drop off cards from charitable/religious organizations.

Subway Cards – We've had quite a few people come to the rectory door in need of food & our card supply is getting low. We'd love to get more \$5 & \$10 cards so that we can continue to feed the hungry. Drop donations in the collection basket or at the rectory. Thank you.

Adopt-A-Plot - If it ever warms up... Hopefully it's all over and we can get started on our parish plots; perfect time for weeding and clean-up. Want a plot? Call the rectory and we will set you up.

Do you know of someone who has been away from the Church or is shut-in and can't get to Mass? Please let us know so we can reach out to connect with them.

Gardens – If you would like a space in the Kenmore Community Garden area next to Waldeisen Hall, please call the rectory. You will be responsible for planting, weeding and harvesting.

The Kenmore Free Store - Store hours are Tuesdays from 4 - 7 pm & Saturdays from 9 am - noon. Sanitizer will be available. Donations may be placed in the red cart in front of the school during store hours only.

Masses - If you'd like to schedule a Mass, please call the rectory; the stipend is \$10. The next available dates are: Weekdays: May 30, June 10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27, 29, July 1; Saturdays: June 4, July 2, 9, 16, 5:30 pm; Sundays, June 5, 26, July 3, 10, 17, 8:30 am; June 12, July 3, 17, 11 am.

Other Events

•**Theology on the Rocks:** Mon., May 16th, 7 pm, El Rancho Mexican Restaurant, 1666 W. Exchange St., Akron. Father John Valencheck will present "A Primer for Exorcisms" at 7:30 pm. Free chips & salsa; other food & drinks available for purchase. Sponsored by St. Sebastian Parish.

•**Padre Pio Birthday Celebration:** Sun., May 22nd, 5:15 Mass. St. Augustine, Barb. Presentation & refreshments after Mass. St. Pio's touring statue & relics for veneration will be on display.

•**Loyola Retreat House:** For info or to register for events, visit www.loyolaretreathouse.com or call 330-896-2315.

Encounter with Silence - June 26 – July 2. This retreat is a week of radical Gospel spirituality led by Fr. Neil Walters. Cost: \$500; includes meals & accommodations. **A Window to Heaven:** An Introductory Icon Retreat, July 31-August 5. Retreat includes instruction, Mass, time for personal prayer & reflection. Cost: \$600; includes overnight accommodations, meals, & all art supplies to create your icon.

•**Family VBS:** St. Hilary, Fairlawn, Sun., June 11, 2 – 7 pm, includes Mass and dinner; Mon – Wed, June 12-14, 6 – 8 pm. Have fun as a family and learn ways to teach your kids the Catholic faith. Children from age 4 to 4th grade can register as campers and family members of any age can tag along. Cost is \$30 per family. For info, email sthilaryVBS@gmail.com. To register, visit <https://vbspro.events/p/events/sthilary2022/>.