

Reflection for Today

Jesus can only free and save those who seek to be saved. We will receive the Lord’s spirit and grow in our awareness of Jesus only if we request it in prayer and follow the law of God by keeping the commandments.

On at least four occasions during the Last Supper Christ said: ‘If you love me keep my commandments.’ Jesus invites us to show our loyalty by remaining faithful. Only those who are obedient in carrying out his will are capable of experiencing the fullness of the Spirit. The gospel is not about easy victories. In the struggle to build a better world we are his instruments charged with opening ears, eyes and hearts to what is good, true and beautiful in his kingdom. We do this by living lives of goodness in unspectacular ways. If we are willing to place our lives in his hands, he will accept and bless them and make use of them in ways beyond our greatest expectations.

Holy God, Saint John Paul’s words make me want to be more just, to restore the right order in the world and among all peoples. It’s hard to know how to do this, even in small ways. I want to pray over this and ponder how I can do my small part to make justice happen, to stand beneath “the pillars of true peace and justice” as Jesus did. Amen.

Schedule of Masses

Monday, May 27—St. Augustine of Canterbury

10:00 am (Polish) O Błogosławieństwo dla Zofii & Alfreda
(Lofon Piechotw)

Tuesday, May 28—No Mass—St. Germain

Wednesday, May 29—St. Maximinus & St. Olaf II

6:30 pm Rosary & Novena

7:00 pm (Polish/English)

+Thomas (Anniv) & Elizabeth Yantha

(Doris Hudder)

+Stasia Shulist (Adam Shulist & Family)

+Bennie Stamplecoskie (Joe Lorbetskie)

Thursday, May 30 –St. Joan of Arc

9:00 am +Mary C. Luckasavitch (Bronis Lorbetskie)

Friday, May 31-Visitation of Blessed Virgin Mary

3:00 pm Adoration

7:00 pm +Mary Borutski (Theresa Trader)

+Elsie Brotton

(Dennis, Josephine & Denise Etmanskie)

+Zilney Family (Robert Zilney)

Saturday, June 1-St. Justin

5:00 pm +Rene Luckasvitch (Anniv) (Mary E. Luckasavitch)

Sunday, June 2—The Ascension of the Lord

11:00 am (Polish/English) For all of our Parishioners

In your prayers remember:



- * Our sick and hospitalized
- * Our elderly parishioners.
- * All those at the manor, lodge and homebound.
- * Our deceased family & friends.

Ministry Assignments Next Weekend

	Sat, June 1—5:00 pm	Sun, June 2—11:00 am
Rosary	Susan Prince	Bronis Lorbetskie
Altar Servers		Emilia Sadecki Janisa Visutskie
	Delmar Recoskie	Aaran Visutskie Tobias Sullivan
		Benjamin Sullivan
Lector	Christine Recoskie	Joanna Ropego / David Shulist
Eucharistic Minister	Ed Chippior	Steve Platt
	Dominic Burchat	Zbigniew Mroz
Ushers	Xavier Hudder	Michael Coulas
	Jerome Kuiack	Tony Murack
	Ray Kutchkoskie	Zbigniew Szymkow
Altar Guild	Sat, June 1st to Fri, June 7th —Virginia Platt & Bernice Bleskie	



Announcements

Parishioners are invited to join us for **Rosary and Novena to Our Lady of Częstochowa on Wed at 6:30 pm and Adoration on Friday beginning at 3:00 pm.**

Prayer cards for a new Bishop are available at the back of the church.

Easter decorations will need to come down. If you are available to help on **Mon, May 27th after 10:00 am Mass**, it would be greatly appreciated.

Rosary Society Meeting on Mon, May 27th at 7 pm. All members are encouraged to attend.

Our **deepest sympathy** to family and friends of **Theresa Stamplecoskie (nee Foubert)**. May she rest in peace.

Food Bank Grow-a-Row Program: Since fruit and veggie donations are rare, gardeners are encouraged to grow an extra tray of seedlings or row of produce for families in need. For more information or to donate, please contact Terry Newcombe at 613-756-3344.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish in Braeside invites everyone to their **barbecue chicken parish supper** on **Sun, May 26th from 2-6 pm.**

Parish Supper in St. Francis Xavier Parish, Renfrew, Sun, June 9th. Hot roast beef dinner, fresh home baking. From 2-6 p.m.

Madonna House Apostolate presents: I Will Be Love! – Summer Program 2019 for young adults between the ages of 19 and 35 from Jul 7th – Aug 10th. Week 1 (Jul 7-13): *Receive from the Father* – Week 2 (Jul 14-20): *Prayer transforms* – Week 3 (Jul 21-27): *Forgiveness that heals* – Week 4 (Jul 28-Aug 3): *Today – here and now* – Week 5 (Aug 4-10): *Behold your Mother*. For more info or to register please call 613-756-3713 or email registrar.of.men@madonnahouse.org (men) or registrar.of.women@madonnahouse.org (women). More information also available at <http://www.madonnahouse.org/programsguests/>.

You are invited to a **Turkey Dinner** with all the trimmings at the Royal Canadian Legion on **Fri, May 31st from 5-6 pm**. Meal ticket must be **reserved by May 28th noon**. Call 613-756-6535 or email wendishqueen@gmail.com. Cost is \$15 per plate.

Thought for this Week

“The world offers you comfort, but you were not made for comfort. You were made for greatness.” *Pope Benedict XVI*

