



5th Sunday of Easter

May 7, 2023

MASS SONGS AND READINGS

- * **Processional**—Now the Green Blade Rises #328
- * **Readings** #835 5th Sunday of Easter~Cycle A
- * **Presentation Hymn**—Only a Shadow #615
- * **Communion Hymn**—Draw Near #486
- * **Recessional**—O Come and Sing #710

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Parish Need for Operation:	\$1,385.00
Offering for April 30th	-\$1,050.00
Deficit for the week:	-(335.00)

Times are tough, see what you can do

Restoration:

~Sunday Offertory Budget Amount for Fiscal Year July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023 is \$72,000.

~Sunday Offertory Actual Money Donated as of April 30th- **\$65,358.84.**

CMAA GOAL-\$7,500 for this year
Actual Amount Pledged-\$4,145

Mass Intentions

****SUNDAY, May 7th— 4:30p.m.**

- ~Ditty Lynch by the Lynch Family
- ~Dean Anderson by Howard & Janet Loy
- ~Stephen Langevin by Sharon Langevin & Family

****SUNDAY, May 14th— 4:30p.m.**

- ~All Mother's Living & Deceased
- ~Leland & Anita Lambert by Corky & Paula Lambert
- ~Jerry LaFond by Marsha Willey

****SUNDAY, May 21st— 4:30p.m.**

- ~Phil Blain Family by Eileen Ratliff
- ~Hazen & Madeline Arseneau by Marilyn Champagne

Please Pray For:

Intentions: Gary Cahoe, Carter Brutlag, Lucy Lawrence, Rita & Jack Willier, Gayle Schuld, Sylvia Eddy, Shirley Guttman, Eugene Drummer, LouWanna Snodgrass, Tyler Shoven, Paisley Jackson, Sr. Linda Hatton, Jenna Jamnik, Ron Goyette, Kathy Wagner, Jewel Legan, Margo Reynolds, Beverly Maurer, Anna VanHolven, Tina Gooding, Joe Jamnik, Jerry Shortsleeve, Bob Arseneau, Ray Arseneau, Don Martell, Kelly Schladenhauffen, Kim Cann, Janet Lambert, Mike Tiarks, Gene Tammen, Debbie Turner, Betty Lambert, Elaine Arseneau, Judy Laurent, Shirley Arseneau, & Special Intentions

Our Departed:

Our Service Men & Women:

- *PV 2 Colby Arseneau, Army Reserves, Grandson of Jerry & Joyce Arseneau;
- *Maj. Todd Fatka, USAR, son of Angela Jones

***Please notify the Office at 815-644-6664 if a loved one is admitted to the hospital or would like to be on the prayer list or to have someone taken off the list if they are well.**

CEMETERY COLLECTION

Cemetery Fund

Please consider giving to the cemetery funds. There is a green envelope in your boxes that says the cemetery fund on it dated May 21. There are also envelopes on the book tables when you first walk in. The cemetery committee uses these funds for the upkeep of the cemetery. Please specify if you are giving to St. Mary's Cemetery, St. Joseph's Cemetery east of Papineau, or Mount Olivet in Martinton. Any questions, please contact Ryan in the parish office.

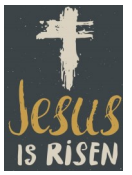
NEXT WEEK'S CO-MINISTERS FOR:

SUNDAY, May 14th @ 4:30p.m.

- READER:** Beth
- E.M.:** Kathy Webster & Chris B
- Money Counters:** Andrea & Diane
- Ushers:** Pat & Drew
- Servers:** Houbergs



St. Mary's Message



Preparing for Next Sunday's Petitions

- ~For an outpouring of the Holy Spirit, the Advocate on all people
- ~For healing for all those paralyzed in body, and hope for all those paralyzed in mind or spirit
- ~For the resolve and strength to suffer with Christ for the sake of doing good
- ~For the grace to always love Christ and to keep his commandments
- ~For all those newly baptized in water and the Holy Spirit
- ~For the good earth which God has given us and for the wisdom and will to protect it
- ~For our parish entrusted to God through prayer and works of charity
- ~For a Christian end to our lives and for all who have fallen asleep in Christ

Let Us Pray to the Lord

Preparing for Next Sunday's Gospel

Sixth Sunday of Easter "A"

John 15-21

"I will not leave you orphans!"

How can I better love Jesus by keeping his commandments?

How can I more intimately invite the Holy Spirit, the Advocate, into my life?

How can I abide in the Father in whom Jesus himself abides?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, victor over sin and death, at your Last Supper with your disciples you spoke to us of the intimacy you share with the Father and the Holy Spirit. Thank you for inviting me to share in that very divine life. Amen! Alleluia!

Remember to pray for all the newly Baptized throughout the World!

WITH GOD,
ALL THINGS ARE
possible
MATTHEW 19:26

Upcoming
**COMMUNITY
EVENTS**

Martinton Fire Department Pork Chop Supper

Saturday, May 20th from 5-7p.m.
at Martinton Fire House

\$14 for 2 chops, potato, green beans, applesauce,
and a dessert. Dine in or Carry Out

Spirituality for Two Halves of Life

When: Thursday, May 11th 9am-Noon

Where: One Heart One Soul Spirituality Center, Kankakee

Presenter: Fr. Vern Arseneau

Cost: \$25 or \$35 if having lunch

Register: 815-935-0800

Sponsored by Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary

To register, please visit our website:

<http://www.sscm-usa.org/online-programming.html>

For more information, contact Susan Amann

samann@sscm-usa.org



Martinton Community Food Pantry

The food pantry serves all of Iroquois County. They are in need of our help. **Please continue to bring in food donations.** They are also looking for monetary donations, volunteers to help unload the trucks, and working on distribution days. If you are able to help, please call Connie Stirling at 815-867-6480.

New Hours: Tuesday 9-11a.m., No PM hours

Items Needed at the Pantry:

Canned meats-tuna, chicken	Paper Towels
Canned Fruits	Toilet Paper
Personal Hygiene Products	Cleaning Supplies
Laundry Detergent	Individual Water Bottles