

St. Mary St. Patrick



May 5, 2024 Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 5 – The Month of Mothers, the Month of Mary

May is the month of Mary.

In different ways we honor Mary throughout the year, observing different facets of the Mystery of Christ and the way that Mary is intimately bound up in that.

The month of May has come to be known for Catholics as the “Month of Mary.” Why is May dedicated to Mary?

The month of October we acknowledge Mary as Our Lady of Victory and Queen of the Rosary, so October is now observed as the month of the Rosary.

Then in December, Mary is very intimately bound up with Advent and the Christmas Mystery (and Dec. 8 is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception).

So why do we observe her again in May?

As we know, May is a month of springtime, of blossoming of flowers, of new life, and a time of birth.

Thus, it has also become a season of honoring Motherhood and also Mothers.

Thus even centuries before “Mother’s Day” was a formal national holiday in the United States, Catholic have honored Mary as the Mother of all believers during this springtime month.

Besides that Our Lord and King Jesus Christ called Mary “mother” and honored her as such, on the Cross, Jesus told the Beloved Disciples (who also represents all of us), “Behold Your Mother.”

So next Sunday, May 12, when we as a country honor our mothers, when we give them gifts and do things to show our honor, love, and respect for them, so too we will also honor our spiritual Mother Mary, with crowning her with blooming flowers and singing a hymn in love and honor of her!

We also have a couple of days celebrating Mary: May 13 is the day we remember Mary’s Apparitions at Fatima, Portugal in 1917. And May 31 we celebrate the “Visitation”, the event of Mary going to visit the Elizabeth.

Also, some prayer requests for this month: Besides saying an extra prayer in thanksgiving for all our mothers, please continue to hold in prayer:

- 1) Those who have recently received first communion (in the last weekend)
- 2) The graduates of our parishes, who we will be honoring at Masses this month of May
- 3) Also for those to be ordained for the Archdiocese of Dubuque at the end of the month (May 24 and 25): Deacon Greg Lambert who will be ordained a priest; And Hung Le who will be ordained a transitional Deacon (and so next year ordained priest).

Peace,
-Fr. Kevin

5 de Mayo – El Mes de las Madres, el Mes de María

Mayo es el Mes de María.

Durante el año honramos a María de distintas maneras, observando distintas facetas de, observando diferentes facetas del Misterio de Cristo y el modo en que María está íntimamente ligada a aquel.

Mayo es conocido por los Católicos como el Mes de María, pero ¿por qué mayo está dedicado a María?

En octubre reconocemos a María como Nuestra Señora de la Victoria y Reina del Rosario; así entonces, octubre se observa como el mes del Rosario.

Luego, en diciembre, María está íntimamente vinculada con el Adviento y el Misterio de la Navidad – y el 8 de dic. es la Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción.

Entonces, ¿por qué la celebramos otra vez en mayo?

Como sabemos, mayo es el mes de la primavera, del florecimiento, de nueva vida y un tiempo de nacimiento. Por lo tanto, también se ha convertido en la temporada para honrar la maternidad y también a las madres. Incluso siglos antes de que el “Día de la Madre” fuese un feriado nacional en los Estados Unidos, los católicos han honrado a María como la madre de todos los creyentes durante el mes de la primavera.

Además de que Nuestro Señor y Rey Jesucristo llamó madre a María y la honró como tal en la Cruz, Jesús dijo a los amados discípulos (quienes también nos representan a todos), “He ahí a tu Madre”.

Entonces, el próximo domingo 12 de mayo, mientras celebremos a las madres nacionalmente, dándoles regalos y demostrándoles nuestro amor y respeto, honremos también a nuestra madre espiritual María, ¡coronándola con flores y cantándoles himnos en su honor!

También tenemos un par de días celebrando a María, ya que el 13 de mayo celebramos las apariciones en Fátima, Portugal en 1917; y el 31 de mayo celebramos la “Visitación”, cuando María visita a Elizabeth.

Algunas oraciones para este mes:

Además de rezar en agradecimiento por todas nuestras madres, por favor continúa rezando por:

- 1) Aquellos que recibieron su Primera Comunión el fin de semana pasado
- 2) Todos los graduados de nuestras parroquias, a quienes estaremos celebrando en las Misas este mes
- 3) Por quienes serán ordenados en la Arquidiócesis de Dubuque el 24 y 25 de mayo. El diácono Greg Lambert, quien será ordenado sacerdote; y Hung Le, quien será ordenado diácono en transición, para ser ordenado sacerdote el próximo año.

Paz,
– Padre Kevin

St. Mary

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Book Club

May 6 – 6 p.m.

The Woman

By Kristin Hannah

Thank you

Thank you to Marcie, Jessica, Patti, Judy, Denise, Jo, Kleo and Morgan for helping to unload the flower baskets.

Bible School

Please help us with supplies for Bible school. Watch for the donation cross at the back of church.

If you would be willing to volunteer at Bible school let Jolene know. It would be helping with a meal or teaching a session.



Stewardship - Treasure

Sunday, April 28, 2024

Adult Envelopes	\$855
Offertory	\$216

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Liturgical Ministers

May 12 – Seventh Sunday of Easter - Mother's Day

Lector: Barb Keninger, Jessica Schipper

Ushers: Mark Uthe, Richard Bloom, Jorge Montes, Duane Sudtelgte

Eucharistic Ministers: Abbey Porterfield, Lisa Kiely

Money Counters: Mary Schumacher, Scott O'Brien

Altar Servers: Lucas Mausser, Elsie Kuper

Sacristan: Jim Wessels

If you are unable to fulfill your duties please find your own replacement.

Graduation Mass

Congratulations to the Class of 2024. May God bless you through your next stage of your lives.

Giana Flores
Elizabeth Kiely
Eli Kuper
Angel Vera



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Rosary will be said before during the month of May. Plan to join us for this very special time of prayer.

We must pray, understand, love and live the freedom of true poverty. God forbid that our people reject us because of our riches.

Thirsting for God – daily meditations by Mother Teresa

St. Patrick

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9:00 AM-1:00 PM, excluding holidays.
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Liturgical Ministries

May 12, 2024 – May 12, 2024

Mass – May 12, 2024 10:30 a.m.

Lector: Julie Streblov

Ushers: Greg Cavazos, Ryne Wagner

Eucharistic Ministers: Dean Markwardt, April Schoning

Money Counters: Julie Streblov, Tracy Baltés

Altar Servers: Drew & Cameron Horton, Milly Aguilar

Sacristan: Joe & Lili Alonzo

Linens: Anabel Alanis

Spanish Mass – May/Mayo 12, 2024 5:30 p.m.

Lector: Margarita Dominguez, Jacqueline Garza

Ministros de Eucarísticos: Ambar Flores, Angel Flores

Contador es de Dinero: Ambar Flores, Raquel Garcia

Monaguillos: Skarlett Diosdado, Thalia Coloriano, Mailyn Contreras

Afritriones: Analia Flores, Thalia Coloriano

Sacristan: Esther Garcia

Linens: Anabel Alanis

**You are responsible to find your own replacement.
Usted es responsable de encontrar su propio
reemplazo.**



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**With Mother's Day,
Graduation and Father's Day
fast approaching, Scrip cards
are available in \$10.00 and
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after church and look over the
selection available!**

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Día del Padre acercándose rápidamente, las
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STEWARDSHIP TREASURY

SUNDAY April 28th, 2024

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OFFERTORY	\$ 549.00

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Happenings Week of May 5th, 2024

Tuesday/ Martes May 7th/ Mayo 7th

8:30 AM Mass

7:00 PM AA/AI-Anon (RE Center)

Wednesday/ Miercoles – May 8th / Mayo 8th

10:00 AM-12:00 PM Food Pantry/Dispensa de Alimentos
(Social Hall)

1:00-3:00PM Crafts/Artesanía (Religious Ed Center – Library)

Thursday/ Jueves May 9th/ Mayo 9th

8:30 AM Mass

6:00-8:00 PM Adoration/Adoración

Sunday/ Domingo May 12th / Mayo 12th

Rosary 30 Minutes Before Mass

10:30 AM Mass/Misa

5:30 PM Mass/Misa

Congratulations to those who received

FIRST COMMUNION on April 28th:

Felicitaciones a los que recibieron

PRIMERA COMUNIÓN el 28 de abril:

FERNANDA AVILA

MEGAN AVILA

ANDREW ECKHOFF

YAMILA FUENTES MATEO

LEAIEA HANSON

REED HEILSKOV

BRIANNA MATEO

BRIDGET PALMA

RHIANNON PRESTIDGE

Gael RODRIGUEZ

ASHLEY ROJAS RINCON

ELMER TROCHES



ROLL BREAKFAST & SOCIAL MAY 5th

Join us for fellowship after the
10:30am and 5:30pm Masses.



May Month of Mary & Mothers

The Rosary will be offered 30 minutes before each
Mass in the Month of May.

Please join us for the following mysteries:

May 5th: Joyful Mysteries

May 12th: Luminous – Mother's Day

May 19th: Sorrowful Mysteries – Graduation Mass

May 26th: Glorious Mysteries

First Communion



First Communion was held at St. Patrick. Congratulations to the following for receiving their First Communion:
Left picture: Elmer Troches, Leaiea Hanson, Andrew Eckhoff, Brigette Palma, Brianna Mateo, Rhiannon Prestidge, Yamilla Fuentes, Reed Heilskov. Right picture: Gael Rodriquez, Ashley Rojas Rincon, Megan Avila, Fernanda Avila

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who purchased or sold a flower basket your continued support for the faith formation program is very much appreciated.

Pray for...

Cathy Kuper, Dr. John Fetter,
Darwin Wikert, Jacob Sudtelgte



Please make use of your parish's prayer chain:

St. Mary, Ackley:

Jolene Harms at stmarystpatrick@gmail.com

St. Patrick, Hampton:

Mary Ann Patton at thepattons4@gmail.com

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, May 6

8:30 a.m. Tim Jones

St. Mary

Tuesday, May 7

8:30 a.m. Skyles family

St. Patrick

Wednesday, May 8

8:30 a.m. Deane Werger

St. Mary

Thursday, May 9

8:30 a.m. Gladys Ibeling

St. Patrick

Saturday, May 11

5:30 p.m. For the people

St. Mary
Spanish

Sunday, May 12

8 a.m. Tim Jones

St. Mary

10:30 a.m. Gladys Ibeling

St. Patrick

5:30 p.m.

St. Patrick
Spanish

Live stream of Mass

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