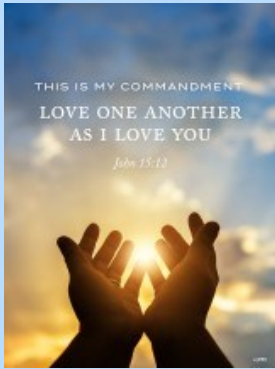
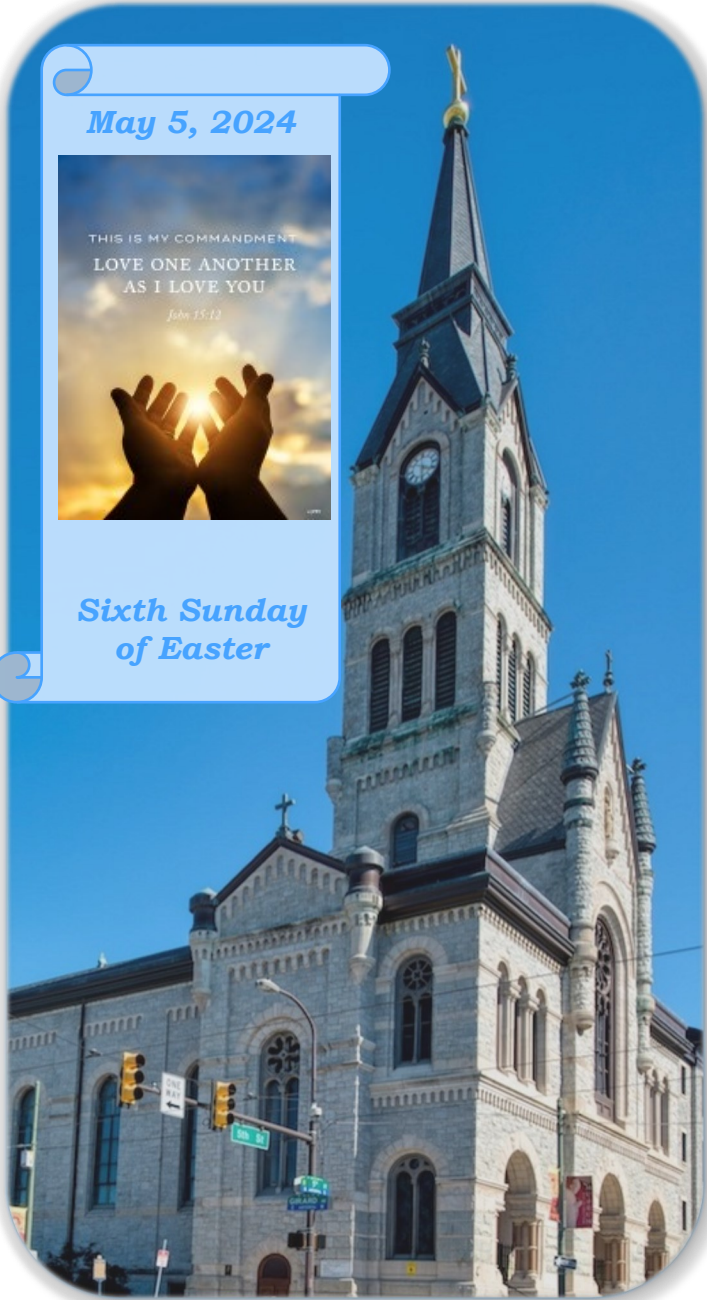


May 5, 2024



Sixth Sunday
of Easter



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Spanish),
12:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m.

Weekdays: 7:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

O.L.P.H. Novena: 7:00 p.m. (Shrine) Filipino Sponsored

CONFESSIONS

Mon - Sat: 11:45 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. (Spanish)

RECTORY OFFICE

Monday - Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday 9 a.m. - 12 noon.

GIFT SHOP SCHEDULE

Monday - Sunday: 10 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

APPOINTMENTS: You are asked to arrange an appointment in advance by telephone with the Priest you wish to see.

SICK CALLS: Emergencies & Hospital Visitation: Please contact the Rectory office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is administered monthly. Arrangements are made in advance at the Rectory. Sponsors must provide proof of eligibility by a letter from their respective pastors, and must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion, and Confirmation. Parents attend a Pre-Jordan meeting prior to Baptism, which is arranged at a mutually convenient time.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least six months before the date of the wedding. Pre-Cana instructions are required. Couples rather than parents or wedding coordinators should contact the church. If either party was previously married, an annulment must be granted prior to the selection of a future wedding date.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, MAY 4

5:30 PM † Joseph Kramer– rb: Karl Buchert

SUNDAY, MAY 5

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society

9:30 AM † Gus Pozzi- rb: Family

11:00 AM Familia Parroquial

† Sista Velez & Matilde– rb: Jenny Almodobal

12:30 PM † Patricia Tan Budyana Candra–
rb: Lili Ondang

MONDAY, MAY 6

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Amelia E. Lewis- rb: Maria Goldston

5:30 PM † Lorraine Kingsbury Minor

TUESDAY, MAY 7

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Leonila Echiverri Fernandez
rb: Fernandez Family

5:30 PM † Rita Santo–rb: Familia Martinez

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM OLP Mass League

5:30 PM † Sofia Raguza– rb: Family

THURSDAY, MAY 9

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Stanley Rynkiewicz, Jr–
rb: Stanley Rynkiewicz III

5:30 PM Le Nguyen Thanksgiving–
rb: Le Nguyen

FRIDAY, MAY 10

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM Neumann Guild

5:30 PM † Maria Ortiz - rb: Crecencia Martinez

SATURDAY, MAY 11

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM OLP Mass League

REMEMBER THE SICK OF THE PARISH

In your prayers, please keep in mind our sick, homebound, and those in healthcare facilities including: Fr. Gerard Brinkmann CSsR, Fr. Donald Miniscalco CSsR, Charlene Williams, Jane Kernan, Pedro J. Graulau, Marcelino, James Kernan, John Fairey, William J. Butter, Andrew Boyle, Liam Bocarro, John Paul Gordon, Jr., Rose M. Noordzy, Charles Lovett, Mary Zajac, Aelya Farrell, Antonia Neris, Leonor Alfonso, William Santos, Mia Cassoli, Gail Warren, Emery Rivera, Matthew Lee, Robert Federico, and Shawn Wojciechowicz, Andrew Little, Margaret McGonigle, Miguel Olmeda.

Please call the rectory office to add a name. 1-125

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



This past week, we had the pleasure and honor of recognizing three people in our parish and school community. Cecilia (Hee Zoo Kim) became aware of a need within our parish when our previous Pastor, Father Richard Bennett, mentioned the need and desire to illuminate our bell tower.

Cecilia heard the need and responded; before long, a cherry picker and a crane were being mobilized to make it a reality. Because of her kindness and generosity, we can now look to the horizon on any given night from almost anywhere in the City of Philadelphia and catch a glimpse of the place many of us call home.



This past week, Father Jack Kingsbury, our Shrine Director, and I thanked Cecilia for her generous gift after 12:15 PM with a blessing, word of thanks, and a plaque marking her kindness and generosity. Then Jannine Malave, Farther Jack, Cecilia, and I went to the kitchen for homemade cookies and coffee, freshly baked for this special occasion by Shicaira Walker, our cook and member of our parish family.



On that same day in the evening of Thursday, April 25th St. Peter the Apostle School honored Shakirra Clark and Jowell Perez-Pagan the 2024 Leaders and Achievers Award recipients. The Leaders and Achievers Awards at St. Peters honor Shakirra Clark as a leader in the community and Jowell Perez-Pagan as this year's student achiever. We are happy to celebrate them and are grateful for all Shakirra and Jowell do for St. Peter the Apostle School and our community.

A heartfelt thank you to all who came to support the event. It was an evening filled with friends, food, music, and dancing. A special thanks to Teresa Przybylski who organized this event and made it what it became an event that no one will soon forget. Teresa, we thank you for sharing your talents and creative gifts with the community. We look forward to seeing everyone again next year!

Blessings,
Fr. Mike

~ Parish News ~

WEEKEND COLLECTION - 04/21/2024

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Envelopes Mailed - Offerings	\$90.00
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Horas De Mayo

MAY
SATURDAY 25 2024

MASS: 11:00 AM
PROCESSION: 12:00 PM
ST. PETER THE APOSTLE UPPER CHURCH
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BARRIO FIESTA: 1:00 PM
ST. JOHN NEUMANN CENTER
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SANCTUARY CANDLES

This week, the candles in the sanctuaries will burn for the following intentions:

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Lower Church)

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

OLPH Shrine (Upper Church)

Little Family - rb: Nora Little

St. John Neumann Altar

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Upper Church)

Pedro Davila - rb: Eneida Davila

Redemptorist Chapel
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Mother's Day Candles

Remember Mom and/or that special woman (living or deceased) with a candle that will be lit in the Upper Church starting Mother's Day!
\$8.00 Donation per candle

Candles will be sold in the giftshop, rectory office and in the atrium after Sunday Masses



Available from April 7th until May 8th

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LA MISA DE HOY

11:00 AM † Isaias Pagan –
rb: Luz Pagan

CONFESIONES EN ESPAÑOL

10:30 AM

VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Esta semana, las velas de los santuarios se encenderán por las siguientes intenciones:

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Abajo)

Familia Nguyen - sp: Le Nguyen

Santuario de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro (Iglesia de Arriba)

Familia Little - sp: Nora Little

Altar de San Juan Neumann

Familia Nguyen - sp: Le Nguyen

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Arriba)

† Villanueva & Creachen Family
- sp: Mr & Mrs Raymond Villanueva

Capilla de los Redentoristas

Disponible

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Considere encender una vela por sus intenciones, o en memoria de un ser querido. Estas velas se encuentran en el Altar del Santísimo Sacramento, el Santuario de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro, el Altar de San Juan Neumann, el Altar Principal de la Iglesia de Arriba, y la Capilla de los Sacerdotes. Si usted está interesado, comuníquese con la oficina de la rectoría para más detalles.



Donación: \$20.00 por 2 semanas; \$10 por una semana.



VELAS PARA EL DIA DE LAS MADRES

Recuerda a mamá y/o a esa mujer especial (viva o fallecida) encendiendo una vela en la Iglesia Superior a partir del Día de la Madre!

\$8.00 Donación por vela

Las velas se pueden comprar en la tienda de regatos, la oficina de la rectoría y el atrio después de las misas dominicales.

Disponible de 7 de Abril al 8 de Mayo



DEL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

La semana pasada, tuvimos el placer y el honor de reconocer a tres personas en nuestra comunidad parroquial y escolar. Cecilia (Hee Zoo Kim) se dio cuenta de una necesidad dentro de nuestra parroquia cuando nuestro pastor anterior, el padre Richard Bennett, mencionó la necesidad y

el deseo de iluminar nuestro campanario.

Cecilia escuchó la necesidad y respondió; Al poco tiempo, se movilizó una grúa y una grúa para hacerlo realidad. Gracias a su amabilidad y generosidad, ahora podemos mirar al horizonte cualquier noche desde casi cualquier lugar de la ciudad de Filadelfia y vislumbrar el lugar que muchos de nosotros llamamos hogar.



La semana pasada, el Padre Jack Kingsbury, nuestro Director del Santuario, y yo agradecemos a Cecilia por su generoso regalo después de las 12:15 p.m. con una bendición, una palabra de agradecimiento y una placa

que marca su bondad y generosidad. Luego Jannine Malave, Farther Jack, Cecilia y yo fuimos a la cocina a comprar galletas caseras y café, recién horneado para esta ocasión especial por Shicaira Walker, nuestra cocinera y miembro de nuestra familia parroquial.

Ese mismo día, por la tarde del jueves 25 de abril, la Escuela St. Peter the Apostle honró a Shakirra Clark y Jowell Perez-Pagan como ganadores del Premio Líderes y Triunfadores 2024. Los premios Leaders and Achievers Awards en St. Peters honran a Shakirra Clark como líder de la comunidad y a Jowell Pérez-Pagán como estudiante triunfador de este año.



Estamos felices de celebrarlos y estamos agradecidos por todo lo que Shakirra y Jowell hacen por la Escuela San Pedro Apóstol y nuestra comunidad. Un sincero agradecimiento a todos los que vinieron a apoyar el evento. Fue una velada llena de amigos, comida, música y baile. Un agradecimiento especial a Teresa Przybylski, quien organizó este evento y lo convirtió en un evento que nadie olvidará pronto. Teresa, te agradecemos por compartir tus talentos y dones creativos con la comunidad. ¡Esperamos verlos a todos nuevamente el año que viene!

Bendiciones,
Padre Miguel

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EL ROSARIO



Les invitamos a unirse a nosotros todos los días a las 11:55AM en el Santuario a rezar el Rosario por la paz. Venga y únase a nosotros con el arma espiritua.



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SPAS está inscribiendo nuevos estudiantes en todos los grados. Asistencia para la matrícula está disponible, pero el espacio es limitado. ¡Contáctenos hoy para más información!



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