

May 22, 2022



Fifth Sunday after Easter

ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH



*Traditional Latin Rite Parish of the Diocese of Boise
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Preliminary rendering of the new St. Joan of Arc Church

Mass Times

Sunday	7:00 AM Low Mass
	8:45 AM Low Mass
	10:30 AM Sung Mass
	1:00 PM Low Mass
	5:00 PM Low Mass
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M, W, F	6:30 AM, 12:15 PM
Tues. & Thurs.	6:30 AM, 8:30 AM

Saturday	6:30 AM, 8:30 AM

Confession Times

30 min. before each Sunday Mass
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30 min. before each daily Mass
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4:00-5:00 PM Saturday

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MASS AND EVENT SCHEDULE

Events		Mass Times & Intentions
Sunday May 22nd Fifth Sunday after Easter		7:00 AM: Pro Populo 8:45 AM: Private 10:30 AM: (Sung Mass) Private 1 PM: Private 5 PM: Private
Monday May 23rd Feria of Paschaltide Lesser Rogations		6:30 AM: Private 12:15 PM: Private
Tuesday May 24th Feria of Paschaltide Lesser Rogations	Chess club mtg. 6 pm	6:30 AM: Private 8:30 AM: Private
Wednesday May 25th Vigil of the Ascension Lesser Rogations		6:30 AM: Private 12:15 PM: Private
Thursday May 26th Ascension of Our Lord	Ascension Sung Mass 6:30 pm	6:30 AM: Private 8:30 AM: Private 6:30 PM: Private
Friday May 27th St. Bede the Venerable, Doctor		6:30 AM: Private 12:15 PM: Private
Saturday May 28th St. Augustine, Bishop	Altar server mtg. 9:30 am Troops mtg. 1 pm St. Tarcisius mtg. 3 pm	6:30 AM: Private 8:30 AM: Private
Sunday May 29th Sunday after the Ascension		7:00 AM: Private 8:45 AM: Private 10:30 AM: (Sung Mass) Private 1 pm: Private 5 PM: Private
Adoration Chapel candles: For my special intention (Patricia Kacsir) Sanctuary candle: †Fr. Roland Gierak (The Ambrosetti's) Flowers for the Bl. Virgin Mary: No sponsor this week Flowers for St. Joseph: No sponsor this week Flowers for the Altar: No sponsor this week.		

TODAY'S HYMNS

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Processional Come, Ye Faithful

Recessional At the Lamb's High Feast

Mass I, Credo I

Marian Antiphon Regina Caeli

REMINDER: Please *silence* your cell phones!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mass intentions are currently closed for all priests. Thank you for understanding.

Perpetual Adoration: Hours needed are: Thursday 5 am, Saturday 9 am, and Sunday 7 am. There are many hours that need a second adorer. Email the Tomes at adoration@stjoanarc.com if you are interested in becoming an adorer. Thank you to all the adorers for keeping the Lord company.

Fr. Flick's Mass intentions: are private this week, **Fr. Gordon's Mass intentions** are also private this week as he will be out to town at ordinations in Nebraska. Father will offer his Mass on Sunday May 29 *Pro Populo*, for St. Joan of Arc parish.

Ushers needed: please contact the parish office if you are interested in being an usher at Mass. Thank you

Chess club mtg: for those interested in playing/learning the game of chess will be **Tuesday May 24** at 6 pm in the parish hall with Fr. Flick. Chess 'masters' are welcome and needed to help instruct others.

Cancelled Men's Focus mtg: this month's meeting is cancelled as Fr. Gordon is out of town.

Cancelled Adoration/Benediction: due to the **Sung Mass on Ascension Thursday May 26**, Adoration/Benediction is cancelled this week.

Also cancelled: is the 'Exploring Catholicism' class on May 26 due to Ascension Thursday Mass.

Altar Servers mtg: for those who serve at the altar of our Lord, there will be a meeting of servers on Saturday, May 28 at 9:30 am.

Troops of St. George: is a father/son group that meets for a variety of events, including camping, hiking, and service projects. All boys and young men of the parish, ages 6 to 18 yrs, and their father/male sponsor are welcome to attend, meet current members, and learn more about the Troops of St. George. If you have any questions, please email Armando.alderete@protonmail.com

St. Tarcisius group: is a monthly gathering of families with the goal of training children how to meditate from an early age. Meets in the parish hall on the 4th Saturday of the month from 3 – 4 pm and led by Fr. Eichman. Registration forms and information can be found on the credenza. For more information, please contact Fr. Eichman at fr.eichman@stjoanarc.com.

Parish picnic: will be held here at St. Joan of Arc on June 4th, Saturday from 12–5 pm. Hope to see you.

Help needed serving coffee and donuts: If you would like to meet new parishioners and enjoy helping, please consider signing up to serve coffee and donuts after the three Sunday morning Masses (7am, 8:45am, and 10:30 am). Please click on this link to sign up for a specific time: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10CoD4EA8AE2CA5F4C52-sunday> In order to continue having coffee and donuts after the Sunday morning Masses, we will need more parishioners signing up. If you would like more information, please contact Genevieve Walsh at g.walsh@stjoanarc.com

Prayers for priests: for those women interested in praying for the clergy during these times when it is necessary, please consider sevensistersapostolate.org and prayfully consider.

Summer camp fund raiser: there will be a Bake (donation) sale after the morning Masses on **May 29th** in the parish hall to support the boys' and girls' summer camps. If your child is going to summer camp and you would like to participate in the sale, please go to the following link to sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10CoD4EA8AE2CA5F4C52-bake> There will also be a jobs board posted soon in the parish hall. Parishioners can post needs and wants to help summer camp kids raise money.

Church flowers: Donations are being accepted for the weekly flower arrangements both on the High Altar (\$150) and for Our Lady (\$30) or St Joseph (\$30). If you would like to make a monetary offering for a special intention (e.g. the repose of the soul of a friend/relative, or to honor a particular saint, or the Holy Family, or a special Feast Day, or for the intention of prayers for a particular person), please bring your donation and payment to the office or place in the box in the vestibule. Thank you.



APOLOGETICS CORNER

Defending our Faith with the Truth

By Father Dennis M. Gordon, FSSP

Holiness necessary to enter Heaven

Question: “I’m definitely going to heaven! Our righteous acts are like filthy rags (says Isaiah 64:6), so my personal holiness doesn’t matter, as long as I’ve accepted Christ as my Lord and Savior. Why do you **Catholics believe that personal holiness—a soul cleansed for God—is necessary to enter heaven?**”

Answer: “I’ll give you one guess... because it’s in the Bible! Here we go...

“I know that Luther thought that a justified soul was just a ‘snow-covered dung pile’, but God thinks differently! God truly cleanses us to make us holy!

“Holiness means to be set apart for the Lord—to become cleansed from what is common, so that one may belong to God (**Leviticus 19:24-26**). Objects can be made holy (Exodus 30:32; Ezekiel 45:1), days can be made holy (Exodus 35:2), and people can be made holy (Numbers 8:13-14).

“A few places in the Bible where you will find that one needs to *become holy* to enter into **heaven**, and that those in heaven are clean, without spot, are these:

“God prophesied this cleansing in **Jeremiah 33:8**, “*I will cleanse them from all their iniquity.*” Notice He said cleansed from **all** their iniquity. This is a true cleansing—a true setting apart of one for God!

“In **Colossians 1:22**, St. Paul says that Our Lord “*has reconciled [you] in the body of His flesh through death, to present you **holy and unspotted and blameless** before Him.*” In other words, we are made truly unspotted

“Yet it is not enough to have *been* cleansed, for we must persevere in the state of cleanliness to the

end; for **Matthew 24:13** says, “He that shall persevere to the end, **he** shall be saved.”

“In **Revelations 14:3-5**, we find that the “144,000 who were purchased from the earth” whom St. John sees in his vision are *not* the number of saved Jehovah’s Witnesses (as that group believes), but rather they are *celibate men*, and that they are “**without spot** before the throne of God.”

“**Revelations 21:27** says, “There shall **not enter into it** [the ‘heavenly Jerusalem’] **anything defiled** or that worketh abomination or maketh a lie: but they that are written in the book of life of the Lamb.” Isn’t it evident by saying *anything defiled shall not enter* into the heavenly Jerusalem, that only those.

“Also, **Hebrews 12:14** says, “Follow peace with all men and **holiness: without which no man shall see God.**”

“Therefore, the Bible itself tells us that God doesn’t leave us in our filthy rags that Isaiah described in the Old Testament. He prophesied that He would *truly cleanse* us from all our iniquities, and that His cleansing makes us *unspotted* and blameless. We have to *persevere* in this state of cleanliness, since *nothing defiled* shall enter into heaven.

“But we should have great hope! For the one who *calls* us to this holiness, sent His Only-Begotten Son Himself to sanctify us!”



Faith, St. Thomas Aquinas

The Nature and Effects of Faith.—The first thing that is necessary for every Christian is faith, without which no one is truly called a faithful Christian.

Faith brings about four good effects. The first is that through faith the soul is united to God, and by it there is between the soul and God a union akin to marriage. “I will espouse you in faith” [Hosea 2:20]. When a man is baptized the first question that is asked him is: “Do you believe in God?” This is because Baptism is the first Sacrament of faith. Hence, the Lord said: “He who believes and is baptized shall be saved” [Mk 16:16]. Baptism without faith is of no value. Indeed, it must be known that no one is acceptable before God unless he have faith. “Without faith it is impossible to please God” [Heb 11:6]. St. Augustine explains these words of St. Paul, “All that is not of faith is sin” [Rom 14:23], in this way: “Where there is no knowledge of the eternal and unchanging Truth, virtue even in the midst of the best moral life is false.”

The second effect of faith is that eternal life is already begun in us; for eternal life is nothing else than knowing God. This the Lord announced when He said: “This is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you sent.” [Jn 17:3]. This knowledge of God begins here through faith, but it is perfected the future life when we shall know God as He is. Therefore, St. Paul says: “Faith is the substance of things to be hoped for” [Heb 11:1]. No one then can arrive at perfect happiness of heaven, which is the true knowledge of God, unless first he knows God through faith. “Blessed are they who have not seen and have believed” [Jn 20:29].

The third good that comes from faith is that right direction which it gives to our present life. Now, in order that one live a good life, it is necessary that he know what is necessary to live rightly; and if he depends for all this required knowledge on his own efforts alone, either he will never attain such knowledge, or if so, only after a long time. But faith teaches us all that is necessary to live a good life. It teaches us that there is one God who is the rewarder of good and the punisher of evil; that there is a life other than this one, and other like truths whereby we are attracted to live rightly and to avoid what evil. “The just man lives by faith” [Hab 2:4]. This is evident in that no one of the philosophers before the coming of Christ could, through his own powers, know God and the means necessary for salvation as well as any old woman since Christ’s coming knows Him through faith. And, therefore, it is said in Isaiah that “the earth is filled with the knowledge of the Lord” [11:9].

The fourth effect of faith is that by it we overcome temptations: “The holy ones by faith conquered kingdoms” [Heb 11:33]. We know that every temptation is either from the world or the flesh or the devil. The devil would have us disobey God and not be subject to Him. This is removed by faith, since through it we know that He is the Lord of all things and must therefore be obeyed. “Your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, goes about seeking whom he may devour. Resist him, strong in faith” [1 Pet 5:8]. The world

tempts us either by attaching us to it in prosperity, or by filling us with fear of adversity. But faith overcomes this in that we believe in a life to come better than this one, and hence we despise the riches of this world and we are not terrified in the face of adversity. “This is the victory which overcomes the world: our faith” [1 Jn 5:4]. The flesh, however, tempts us by attracting us to the swiftly passing pleasures of this present life. But faith shows us that, if we cling to these things inordinately, we shall lose eternal joys. We see from this that it is very necessary to have faith.

But someone will say that it is foolish to believe what is not seen, and that one should not believe in things that he cannot see. I answer by saying that the imperfect nature of our intellect takes away the basis of this difficulty. For if man of himself could in a perfect manner know all things visible and invisible, it would indeed be foolish to believe what he does not see. But our manner of knowing is so weak that no philosopher could perfectly investigate the nature of even one little fly. If, therefore, our intellect is so weak, it is foolish to be willing to believe concerning God only that which man can know by himself alone. One can also answer this question by supposing that a certain master had said something concerning his own special branch of knowledge, and some uneducated person would contradict him for no other reason than that he could not understand what the master said! Such a person would be considered very foolish.

Then, again, if one were willing to believe only those things which one knows with certitude, one could not live in this world. Therefore, it is necessary that one believe others in matters which one cannot know perfectly for oneself. But no one is so worthy of belief as is God, and hence they who do not believe the words of faith are not wise, but foolish and proud. Finally, one can say also that God proves the truth of the things which faith teaches.

Thus, if a king sends letters signed with his seal, no one would dare to say that those letters did not represent the will of the king. In like manner, everything that the Saints believed and handed down to us concerning the faith of Christ is signed with the seal of God. This seal consists of those works which no mere creature could accomplish; they are the miracles by which Christ confirmed the sayings of the apostles and of the Saints.

If, however, you would say that no one has witnessed these miracles, I would reply: It is a fact that the entire world worshipped idols and that the faith of Christ was persecuted, as the histories of the pagans also testify. But now all are turned to Christ—wise men and noble and rich—converted by the words of the poor and simple preachers of Christ. Now, this fact was either miracle or it was not. If it is miraculous, you have what you asked for, a visible fact; if it is not, then there could not be a greater miracle than that the whole world should have been converted without miracles. We are more certain, therefore, in believing the things of faith than those things which can be seen, because God’s knowledge never deceives us.



May 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 St. Joseph the Worker (Second Sunday after Easter)	2 6:30 pm Catechism class	3 6 pm Women's group mtg.	4 6:30 pm Bible Study livestream	5 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert	6 First Friday 1 pm HS mom's mtg. 4 pm Play	7 First Saturday 9:30 Brunch 10:30 Maidens 2 & 6 pm Play
8 Third Sunday after Easter (Mother's Day)	9 6:30 pm Catechism class	10	11	12 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert class	13	14 5 pm Youth Group
15 Fourth Sunday after Easter	16 6:30 pm Catechism class (final class)	17 7 pm Homeschool mom's mtg.	18 6:30 pm Bible Study livestream (final class)	19 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert class	20 First Communion retreat 10 am—4 pm	21 8:30 am First Communion Mass
22 Fifth Sunday after Easter	23	24 6 pm Chess club mtg.	25	26 6:30 pm Sung Mass Ascension	27	28 9:30 am Altar servers 1 pm Troops 3 pm St. Tarcisius
29 Sunday after the Ascension	30 8:30 am Sung Mass, Feast of St. Joan of Arc	31	1	2 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert	3 First Friday 1 pm HS mom's mtg.	4 First Saturday 10:30 Maidens Parish picnic 12—5 pm

SICK AND HOMEBOUND

In your charity, please pray for the sick and homebound of the parish.

Patricia Barsanti, Sr. Maria Consuela, David Cools, Roberta Costa, Carmen di Pietro, Julie deTar, Regina Dumas, Ruben Finn, Timothy Finn, Sharon Flores, Alvin Froehlich, Robert Geist, Karen Graham, David Gunseor, Gale Hamilton, Susan Hamilton, Sherri Higgins, Donald Holbrook, Kathryn Holbrook, Margaret Hurn, John Joyce, Joseph Kemna, Carrie Kralicek, Paul Krieg, Joseph Larsen, Marianne Leake, Donald Lohman, Spencer Lowell, Bryce Lund, Patrick McMonigle, Katie Orozco, Philomena Ost, Florence Pearson, Phyllis Peick, Michael Permen, Rachel Porter, Julia Rose, Coleman Rozsnyai, Louis Sachwitz, Sister Mary Gemma, TOR, Joshua Schlader, Georgia Schrempp, Heaven & Mary Schumacher, Evelyn Simas, Michael Simpson, David & Erika Taxin, Jonathan Taxin, Esther Vasquez, Fr. Graham Walters, Mary & Charles West, Lezlie White, Nicolas Williams, Barbara Woods.

FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Please pray also for the deceased of our parish

Richard Ambrosi, Angelo Ambrosetti, Nancy Ambrosi, Francesco Barsanti, Robert Bowman, Diane Braun, David Brunson, Dennis Cockrum, Julie Cook, Veronica Cools, Terrence Cooney, Richard Copeland, Robert Courteau, Raymond Covarrubias, Ann deTar, Grover Dilsaver, Joseph Anthony Drongoski, Charles Douglass, Susan Douglass, James Duggan, Joan Duggan, Norman Dumas, Jean Duval, Brenda Finn, Frank Finney, William Fisher, Lorraine Floberg, Jess Flores, Mary Forrester, Lin Fulwiler, Dorothy Gallus, Joan Glaze, Beatrice Gordon, James P. Gordon, Fr. Bill Gould, Joseph Guarnotta, Jeanine Grenier, Helen Groves, Ed Hattrup, Leo Heinan, Patricia Howland, Fr. Michael Irwin, FSSP, Rosemary Jacobs, Rodney Johnson, John Keller, Mary Lynn Kenary, Daisy Koler, Paul Koudelka, Elemer Kovacs, Boleslaw Kozlowski, Wanda Kozlowski, Klaus Cuthbert, Vita La Fond, Jeremiah Leake, Steven Lepeilbet, Josephine LoCurto, Sandra Madrid, Patrick Mahoney, Bonnie McDonald, Erma McKay, Kevin McKay, Mike McManus, Agnes McMillan, David Metzger, Norm Miller, Florence McNamara, Lynnette Miller, Michael Mitchell, Ann Morgan, Carlos Moya, Arcadia Nicklay, Fr. Colman Nolan, Mary Norman, Molly Rose Pearson, William Pearson, Jerry Peick, Betty Rackie, Kathleen Rardon, Fr. George Rassley CSSR, Bonnie Royer, Tamiko Shaw, Jeremiah Shea, Alice Sires, Steve Slater, Jeremy Smith, Ed Stephens, Maryanna Thompson, Paul Upthegrove, Paul Uribe, Linda Vogel, Paul Van Voorst, Bob Wagner, Dorothy Wagner, Helen Walitzer, Joseph Walter, Elizabeth Welch, Ernest Willette, Wes Woods

VOCATIONS

Please pray for the members of our parish who are discerning or pursuing a religious vocation.

Fr. Peter Mary, FSSR; Fr. Joseph Loftus, FSSP; Fr. Martin Adams, FSSP; Sister Mary Imelda, Filiae Laboris Mariae, Dom Mary Peter Leedy, OSB, Monastero di San Benedetto Norcia; Brother Lawrence Marie Burns, OSB, Clear Creek Monastery, OK

Customary Stipends

Many people ask "what is a customary stipend in gratitude for the Sacraments?" Stipends are **not** required to receive any Sacrament. If one would like to give a gift, here are some customary offerings:

- ♦ **Mass:** \$10
- ♦ **Marriage:** \$80 - 100
- ♦ **Baptism:** \$25 - 50
- ♦ **Other Sacraments:** no stipend applies

We ask that parishioners request no more than three Mass intentions per priest at one time.

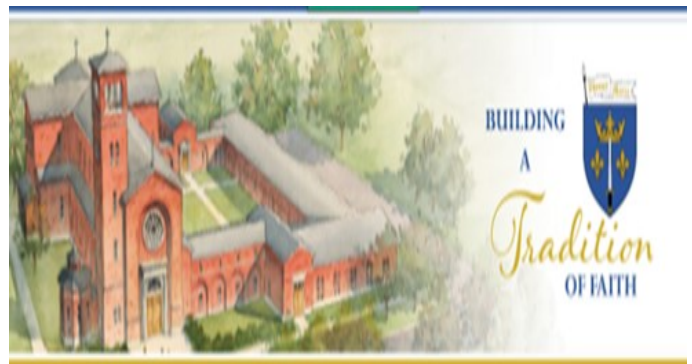
FINANCES

May 15 th Collection	
General, envelopes, loose cash	
On line donations	
Sunday Socials	
St. Helen's fund	
Summer camp donations	
Individual gifts	
SJA play	
Votive candles	
Building fund/Capital camp.	
Total	

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April Collections	
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Capital Campaign	

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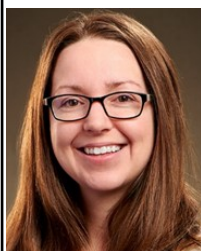


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