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29 MAY, 2022

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

## FROM FATHER CHUCK

### May Crowing

Today we celebrate May Crowing. It is a wonderful time to ask for the Blessed Virgin Mary to watch over our families and especially our parish family. The rosary has been a powerful prayer in our church. In honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary pray the rosary atleast once this week.

### Memorial Day Mass.

This is a reminder that Memorial day mass will be held at Saint Joseph's cemetery on Monday, May 30 at 9:00 a.m. This mass is one of the special moments of Jesus' grace and it is a wonderful opportunity to remember all of those who have served our country and all of our loved ones who have gone to heaven. If you attend this mass you will have to bring your chair as seating is not provided. I hope that everyone takes the time to remember the special people in our life who have gone to heaven and are now part of the communion of saints in heaven.

### Graduating Seniors.

One of the happiest times is our seniors graduating from high school This years Saint Peters seniors have been very active in our parish. It is a great blessing to see our young people involved in the ministries of the church. My greatest advice to our graduates is this: All of you have been blest to have been taught about Jesus' love for you and for the great gift that your Catholic faith is. Your Catholic faith will help you to listen to the Lord and to know the vocation that will give you the greatest peace and satisfaction in your life. I encourage you to stay close to your family, to your Catholic faith and to know that Saint Peters will always be your parish family. May the Lord bless and keep you close always.

### Bible Study.

This Wednesday we begin our 24th year of studying the bible. This years study will be continuation of study from the Book; "The Bible From Scratch". I have new copies of this book for those of you who have not attended bible study before. I also provide the bibles for the bible study. Our bible study has been one of the best things that we have offered for the enrichment of our faith. The bible study begins at 6:30 on Wednesday June 1st and will end before 7:45. There are six bible study session. If you are unable to attend all of the session please come to the sessions which you are able to attend. Refreshments are always served at bible study.

### No daily Mass.

This is a reminder that there will be not be daily mass for 5:30 p.m. Thursday June 2nd mass and the 8:00 a.m. mass on Friday June 3rd. I will be having my pace maker changed on Thursday so I do not know how quickly I will recover from the surgery.

### Vacation Bible School.

You have time to sign up your children for vacation bible school. This is the first time that we have had bible school in three years so please take advantage of this years vacation bible school.

### Server Training

If you missed the server training on May 28 and would like to learn to be an altar server please contact me at the office. Any child who is entering the fifth grade is eligible to serve mass. If you are an adult and would like to learn to serve mass contact me at the office.

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Readings for June 5, 2022
1st Reading: Acts 2:1-11
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13
Gospel: John 20:19-23

MASS SCHEDULE

Tue 5/31 8:00 am Cash Family
Wed 6/1 8:00 am Linda Schmitt
Thur 6/2 5:30 pm Mary Jo Dressel
Fri 6/3 8:00 am Harry Hansen
Sat 6/4 4:00 pm Mary Lou Pfeiffer
Sun 6/5 8:00 am Fran Beck
Sun 10:00 am Kenneth Finnegan & Frank Holzer
Sun Noon Rev Paul Koch

SATURDAY, 4PM, June 4, 2022
ALTAR SERVERS: Bianca Cihacek, Rowan Jackson, Rod & Annette Nuss
LECTORS: Dylies & Erik King
EUCH MINISTER: Pat Shadden
USHERS: Jack Gross, Linda Bonham, Fred Schaben

SUNDAY, 8 AM, June 5, 2022
ALTAR SERVERS: Noah Smith, Lena & Mollie Rosloniec, Oliver Juranek
LECTORS: Jim Marshall, Susan O'Neill
EUCH MINISTER: Nicole Juranek U
SHERS: Kevin O'Neill, Mike Rosloniec, Keith Wirtz, Jim Haverman

SUNDAY, 10 AM June 5, 2022
ALTAR SERVERS: Aiden Gaul, Alyssa & Kyla Brockelsby, Mary Brockelsby
LECTORS: Ed Fink, Jon Garrigan
EUCH MINISTER: Jennifer Lighthipe
USHERS: Dave Bristol, Bryan Carolus, Paul Schmitz, Andrea Nelson

SUNDAY, NOON June 5, 2022
ALTAR SERVERS: Jennifer Goodin, Aubree Brandau, Nolan Duitsman, Keegan McCaffery
LECTORS: Tony Peterson, Mary Ramsdell
EUCH MINISTER: Colleen Peterson
USHERS: Chris Olson, Rob Peters, Mike Thomas, Adam Thomas

FATHER'S THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

I have been writing about the seven things that successful Catholics do. The final thought on this subject was that successful Catholics believe in prayer and practice it on a regular basis. My thought for the week is for all of us to spend more time in praying for the protection of the unborn and their right to life.

Father's Day is Sunday, June 19. Celebrate him all week by starting with FATHER'S DAY BRUNCH, SUNDAY, JUNE 12 sponsored by the Altar Society. Serving French Toast, Sausage, donuts, yogurt, and fruit after the 8:00 & 10:00 am masses. Free will donation.

SAVE THE DATE! In honor of Bishop Joensen's passion for education, we invite you to join us for the inaugural Bishop's Celebration of Catholic Schools on August 27, 2022 in Indianola, Iowa. This event unites the entire Diocese of Des Moines community in celebration of the life-changing impact our faith-centered education has provided for more than 120 years. During the event, the diocese will recognize special honorees, educators, administrators and volunteers for their impact on our Catholic schools. Learn more and purchase your tickets today at dmdioocese.org/catholic-schools/support or call 515-237-5079

The Social Concerns Committee is collecting new or slightly used board games for the children of Children's Square. Please drop off your gift in the crib in front of church.

It is possible that on entering this church, you may hear the Call of God. On the other hand, it is not likely that he will contact you by phone. Thank you for turning off your phone. If you would like to talk to God, come in, choose a quiet place, and talk. If you would like to see him, send him a text while driving.

LIFE ACCORDING TO JEAN.....

- A co-worker asked me if I could be any more annoying. So the next day I wore tap shoes to work. (Robert)
Common sense is like deodorant. The people who need it the most never use it.
It's not my age that bothers me, it's the side effects.
I'm not saying I'm old and worn out, but I make sure I'm nowhere near the curb on trash day.
I haven't gotten anything done today. I've been in the Produce Department trying to open a plastic bag.
I'm on two diets. I wasn't getting enough food on the one.
I put my scale in the bathroom corner and that's where the little lair will stay until it apologizes.
Me sobbing: "I can't see you anymore. I'm not going to let you hurt me again.
My Trainer: "It was only one sit-up"
As I've gotten older, people think I've become lazy. The truth is I'm just being more energy efficient.
Turns out that being a "senior" is mostly just googling how to do stuff.

(Thanks to Mike Nielsen, these are great.)

Have a great week, stay safe, be nice to each other

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Monday, May 30-Memorial Day-Office closed
Wednesday, June 1-Bible study 6:30 in Social Hall
Thursday, June 2-Altar Society 6:00 pm in Social Hall
Saturday, June 4-VBS Work Day 9:00 am in Social Hall
Monday, June 6-Committee Meetings
Wednesday, June 8-Bible Study 6:30 in Social Hall
Sunday, June 12-Father's Day Brunch 8am-Noon Social Hall
VBS Set-up 5:00 pm St. Albert
Monday-Thursday, June 13-16-VBS 5:30 PM-8:00 pm

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