

Offertory: April 18, 2015 OLM \$520, OLV \$866, COS \$306 Total \$1,692
April 17, 2016 OLM \$517, OLV \$706, COS \$309 Total \$1,532 (incl. online giving)

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 14, OLM 4:00 PM For James Copeland, requested by Karen Shaw
Sunday, May 15, OLM 8:30 AM For a Special Intention, requested by John Nappi, Jr.
Sunday, May 15, OLV 10:30 AM For Lorraine Schoellhorn, requested by, Shirley Sherman
Sunday, May 15, COS 12:30 PM For Nancy Delio, requested by her family
Saturday, May 21, OLM 4:00 PM For Joan Kopins, requested by Karen Shaw
Sunday, May 22, OLM 8:30 AM For a Special Intention, requested by John Nappi, Jr.
Sunday, May 22, OLV 10:30 AM For Margaret and William A. Schaefer, requested by Eleanor C. Crombie
Sunday, May 22, COS 12:30 PM For Robert Barry, requested by Carol Barry

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

May 15: First Communion, OLV 10:30 AM

May 15: Pentecost

May 18: Cursillo Ultreya, OLV, 7 PM

May 19: Finance Council Meeting, 4:30 PM, Rectory

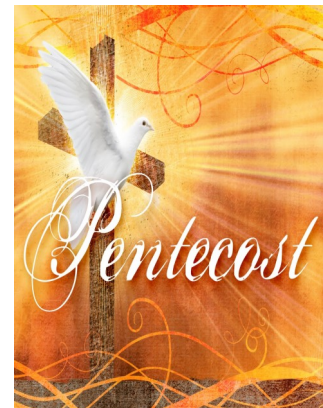
May 20: Adoration, 3 PM, OLV

May 21 & 22: Special Collection, Fuel #2

May 22: Jubilee for Deacons, 3 PM, St. Joseph Co-Cathedral, Burlington

June 1: Parish Pastoral Council Meeting, 7 PM, OLV

June 3: First Friday Mass, 5:30 PM, St. Edmund's, Saxtons River



<p>HOLY COMMUNION</p>	<p>Jacob Cusick and Brian Sullivan will be receiving First Holy Communion today at Our Lady of the Valley. Please pray for these boys and their families at this special time.</p>	
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	<p>BISHOP'S FUND ANNUAL APPEAL</p>	<p>INSPIRED ON A MISSION OF MERCY 2016</p>
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A reminder that this weekend, we are asking for your commitment to the 2016 Bishop's Fund Annual Appeal. In a Holy Year of Mercy we are all thankful for all of the ways God has extended his Mercy to us. One way to extend his mercy to others is by offering financial support to the far-reaching ministries funded by the diocese. Please remember, if pledges are made this weekend or next, there is a very large cost savings so that the diocese can be good stewards of gifts! If you are unable to make a commitment this year, you may also indicate this on your pledge card, but all are encouraged to participate. Next weekend will also serve as a second follow-up opportunity. Thank you!

~You are all invited to attend the Jubilee for Deacons on May 22 at 3:00PM at St. Joseph Co-Cathedral in Burlington. This celebration is part of our year-long recognition of Diocesan life, so whether your parish has a deacon or not, please come to support our permanent deacons and their families. Confessions will be available before and after the ceremony to obtain the Jubilee plenary indulgence. All of our ceremonies have been very beautiful. Light refreshments to follow. Please note this is not a Mass.

~All are invited to a MEMORIAL DAY MASS celebrated by Bishop Coyne at Resurrection Park Cemetery, 10:00 a.m. on May 30th! Parking is available in the cemetery or at St. John Vianney Church. Bring a chair and an umbrella (for shade), if you wish. In the event of rain, Mass will be celebrated at St. John Vianney Church.

	<p>Weekly Intention:</p>	
<p>For the grace this week to live with the new energy and self-awareness bestowed on us by the Holy Spirit.</p>		

“Life isn’t about waiting for the storm to pass. It’s about learning how to dance in the rain.” Vivian Greene

From Fr. Fred:

The Gift of God's Glorious Dawn

To see the Light of Glorious Dawn, our Gift from God on High—
look to His unchanging Truths.

Look to Him in the Truth that all people are the work
of his mighty hand until time is no more.
Look to Him by following His Way,
which rejects all that is not of His will for us His Children—all.
Look to Him in the Truth that He created us to be,
immortal body and soul—a Truth that he purchased
at great price, for us His people—all.

Look to Him: our compassionate Father God;
our servant King, Jesus, Son of God;
and our Holy Spirit, Breath of God—
these are our Triune God: mystically One God in Three.

For it is He Who is the Great I AM!
He Who invites us to the only True Banquet which embraces
the only True Faith and contains the only True Morals.
These of which surpass His test of time and
are written in His Light—the Gift of His Glorious Dawn.

Only intrinsic love of our Triune God can empower us to never
change His Sacred and Holy Truths—keeping us close
to whom we are meant to be.

So, let us open our hearts to be drawn to the Sacred and the Holy;
found only in the True Fellowship of the Holy Spirit.

For it is beyond a doubt, that we who intrinsically love God, will abide
completely in His Light, by intrinsically loving Him first,
and then in turn intrinsically loving all people. We must lovingly
speak to all people, of His Light—the Gift of His Glorious Dawn:
His timeless plan for us—All.

Now is the time, indeed, it is always the time, to be true
to His Way—lovingly helping those far away, to see and embrace
the One True Light—the Gift of His Glorious Dawn.

~Anonymous

Quote of the week:

“Whenever the divine favor chooses someone to receive
a special grace or to accept a lofty vocation, God adorns
the person chosen with all the gifts of the Spirit needed
to fulfill the task at hand.”

~St. Bernardine of Siena.”

Just for Fun:

If Mississippi wore Missouri's New Jersey
what would Delaware?
Idaho, Alaska.

