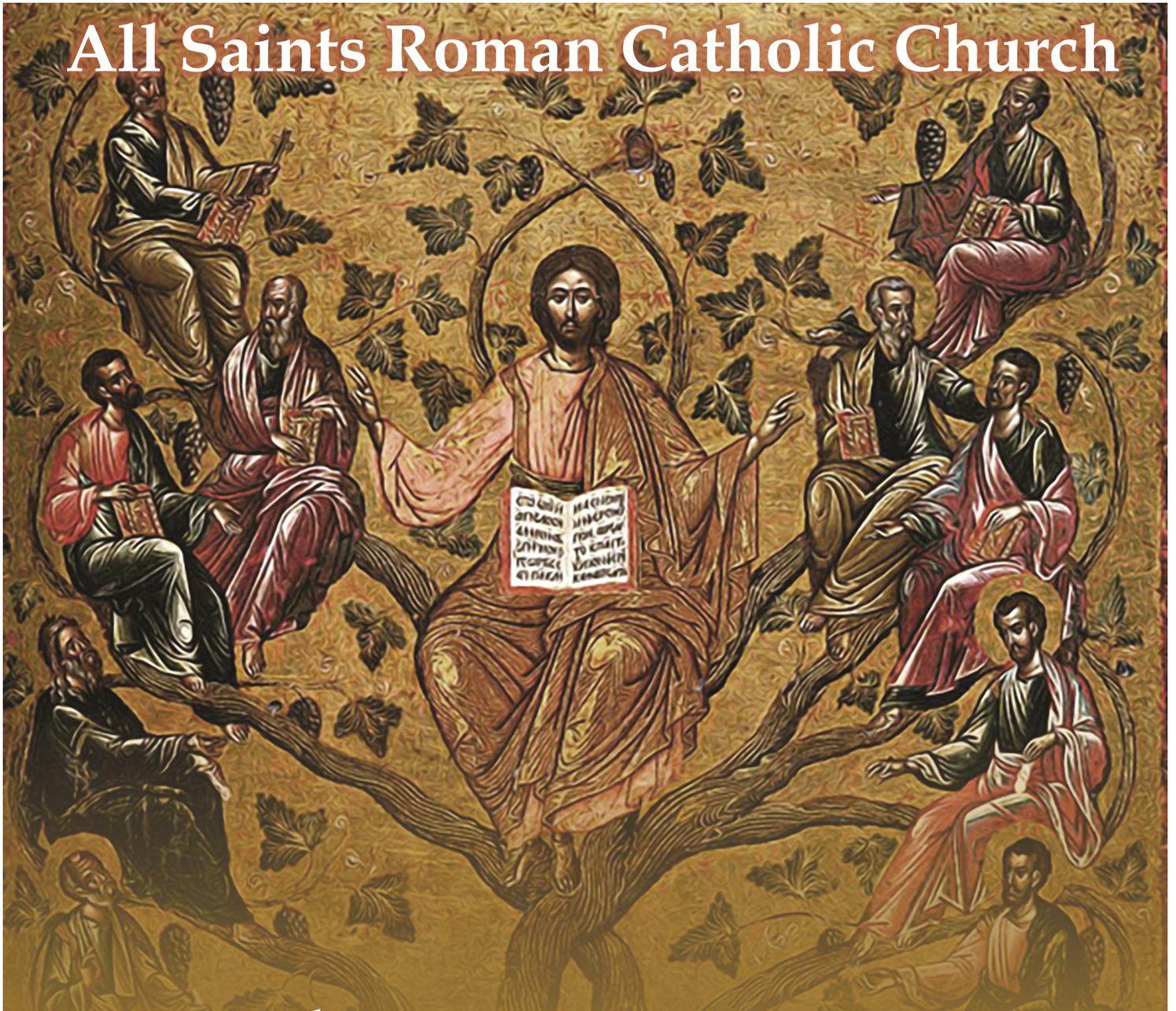


# All Saints Roman Catholic Church



## 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

“I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing.” - Jn 15:5

## Mass Intentions

April 28, 2018 – May 6, 2018

Sat. 04/28	4:30 PM	Joseph and Stella Tomczak (Sam and Mary Lou Johnson)
Sun. 04/29	9:15 AM	Larry Fox (Bonnie and Norm Krumpe)
Mon. 04/30	8:00 AM	Marian Bronakowski (Carolyn and George Dudas)
Tues. 05/01	8:00 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish
Wed. 05/02	8:00 AM	Mark Borowy (Borowy Family)
Thur. 05/03	8:00 AM	Communion Service
Fri. 05/04	8:00 AM	Agnes Gora (Loretta Greishaw)
Sat. 05/05	4:30 PM	For the People of All Saints Parish
Sun. 05/06	9:15 AM	Mary McAraw (Deacon Paul and Mary Bauman)

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Join us after the  
9:15 Mass on April  
29 for a parish  
pancake breakfast.  
ALL are welcome!

### Parish Council Nominations

Parish Council is taking nominations for four people to come aboard for the next three years on council. You may nominate an active member of All Saints Parish or you may nominate yourself. Forms are available in the gathering space. Fr. Greg will contact the people who are nominated. Parish Council will meet on Thursday, May 3, at 7:00 PM. All are invited.



2nd Collection for the Waterford  
and Summit Food Pantries

### “Online Giving Coming Soon!”



Online Giving will soon be available for parishioners, making donating simple, safe, and secure. Be sure to check the bulletin in the coming weeks for more information or call the parish office if you have any questions!

### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 4/29	Rel Ed Class Mass Gr. K, 1 & 2 PANCAKE BREAKFAST FOR ENTIRE PARISH
Thursday, 5/03	Communion Service
Thursday, 5/03	Parish Council Meeting 7:00 PM

### JUST SAYING -

Children, let us love not in word or speech  
but in deed and truth.

Am I really a living branch on the vine that is  
Jesus?

Am I really a Christian that bears fruit?

Am I living my life creatively so that others also  
benefit?

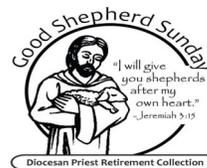
Can other people see the influence that Jesus has  
on my life – in my words, my actions, my general  
behavior and lifestyle?

Am I unmistakably a follower of Jesus?

How many people have come to know and believe  
in Jesus because of me?

How many people have asked to be baptized  
because of my example?

It is only through the way that we live that people  
will be inspired to follow our footsteps and discover  
what we have discovered: the joy of knowing  
God's love that comes to us through Jesus and his  
Church.



Last weekend, our parish took a second collection to support our retired diocesan priest fund. Despite these difficult economic times, you generously responded with over \$2,700.00 to help care for faithful priests who have ministered to your spiritual needs! Your priests truly appreciate your support and thank you for contributing to the Good Shepherd Collection for Erie Diocesan Retired Priests. If you would like to add your support to this collection you may still return the special collection envelope for Good Shepherd Sunday in upcoming collections or mail to the Parish Office. You may also send to Office of Finance for the Diocese of Erie, please make notation for Good Shepherd Collection on the check or envelope. The Catholic Foundation of the Diocese of Erie has an Endowment for Clergy Health and Welfare if you would like to remember a special priest with a gift or bequest to this Diocesan Endowment to benefit our priests.

# Religious Education



**Children's Liturgy of the Word will not take place April 29 because of the class Mass.**

**April 29—Class Mass Grade K, 1 & 2 Pancake Breakfast will follow in the social hall!**

**May 6—last classes**

**Rel Ed 8:30 to 9:10 AM Grades K-4**

**Rel Ed 10:20 to 11:50 AM Grades 5-10**

**May 20—First Communion at the 9:15 Mass**

**May 30—Confirmation**

The celebration will take place at Our Lady of the Lake in Edinboro at 7:00 PM. Please pray for Dakota, Jenna, Dylan, Kayla, Luke, Karly, Michael, Braden, Jessica, Nicholas, Kayla, Katy, Nicholas and Lukas as they complete their preparations for Confirmation.

**A Family Perspective**

Like the vine grower in today's gospel, parents must "prune and cleanse" the branches in their family if their children are going to be rooted. Discipline, limits and setting goals are a necessary part of parenting so our children will grow and "bear fruit."

**Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments**

**April is national Child Abuse Prevention Month.**

**Safety Rules Bear Repeating.** Research reminds us that teaching children how to resist the overtures of a potential molester requires repetition and reinforcement. Children and young people need to know the rules, and they need to hear them over and over and over again so that the rules become part of a thought process. This is done in the same way we teach the rules about looking both ways before crossing the street and the danger of getting too close to an open flame. Empowering children to speak up and resist the overtures of potential molesters can stop a child molester in his or her tracks. To see what the Diocese of Erie is doing to help create safe environments, check out <http://www.eriecd.org/protectyouth.htm>

The Diocese of Erie, along with all dioceses of the United States, has policies and procedures in place to address the national problem of child abuse and to aid in creating safe environments. The Erie Diocese is committed to on-going screening and training of paid or volunteer persons who have regular contact with our children and youth under the age of 18. It is committed to the yearly in-servicing and training of our children, youth and parents regarding touching-safety and safe environment. For more information, contact Cindy Zemcik at the diocesan offices at 824-1195.

## Parish App Feature-of-the-Week



Parish Info

- Easily contact our parish
- Helpful list of parish staff
- Connect with staff at the touch-of-a-button

Learn more or download our parish app at [myparishapp.com](http://myparishapp.com)

\*Available on Apple and Android Phones.



Have any questions about the All Saints app? Call the parish during office hours or email us so we can answer those questions. Just go to the Parish Info button in the App, then "directory", and call or email a staff member from your cell phone with the touch of a button!



The National Day of Prayer was created in 1952 by a joint resolution of Congress, and signed into law by President Harry S. Truman. In 1988, the law was unanimously amended by both the House and the Senate and signed into law by President Ronald Reagan on Thursday, May 5, 1988, designating the first Thursday of May as a day of national prayer. Every president since 1952 has signed a National Day of Prayer proclamation.

Prayer brings people together. Prayer builds bridges between opposing persons and even political parties. Prayer reminds us that we are created in God's image and He desires for us to represent Him everywhere we go. Prayer brings UNITY. In 2018, our theme will be Pray for America - UNITY, based upon Ephesians 4:3 which challenges us to mobilize unified public prayer for America, "Making every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace."

Our hope is that individuals, churches, and spiritual leaders in America, will humble ourselves and unify in prevailing prayer for the next great move of God in America. We can come together in clear agreement that this is our greatest need. We can become a visible union, standing together in prayer. We can pray more than ever before, and practice extraordinary prayer for the next great move of God in America that will catapult the message of the gospel nationally and internationally. Pray with us.

### Readings for next Sunday, May 6

ACTS 9:26-31; PS 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32;  
1 JN 3:18-24; JN 15:1-8