

# Our Lady Queen Of the Americas Church

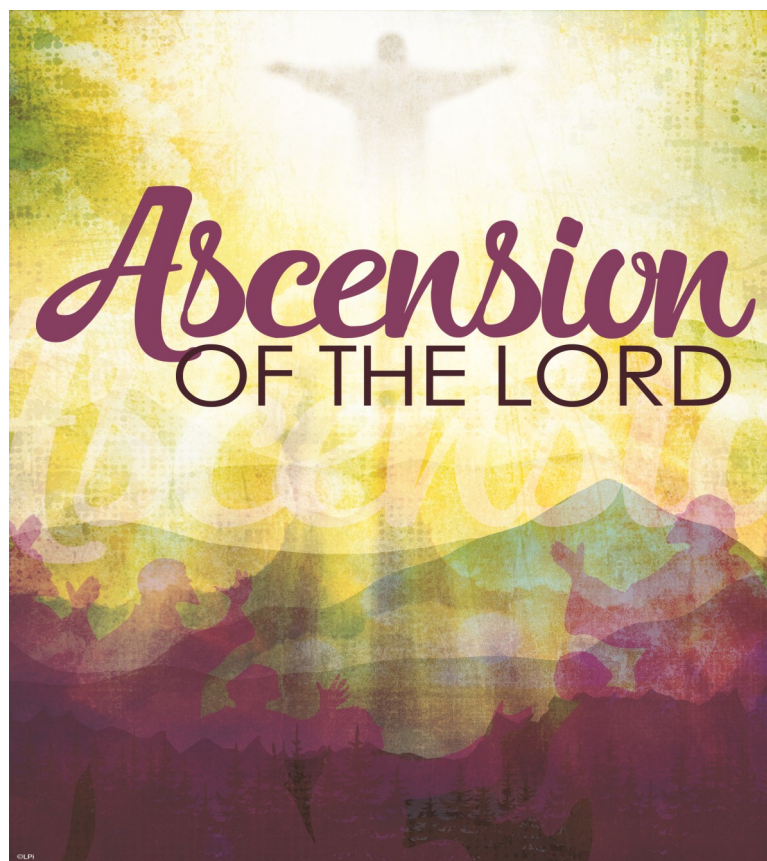
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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM  
Sunday Morning: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM  
Holy Days: 8:00 AM; Vigil: 6:30 PM

### WEEKDAY Schedule: Monday—Friday

6:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
6:45 am Vigils  
7:15 am Lauds (Morning Prayer)  
7:35 am Holy Rosary  
7:50 am Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament  
8:00 am Holy Mass  
8:30 am Confession

<b>SAT, MAY 12</b> 5:00 PM	<b>SAINTS NEREUS &amp; ACHILLEUS</b> Tim Andres † (Arlene Andres)
<b>SUN, MAY 13</b> 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	<b>THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD</b> Barbara Molnar † (Memorial Mass) The Parishioners
<b>MON, MAY 14</b> 8:00 AM	<b>SAINT MATHIAS</b> Bernadette Evanovich † (Melvyn Evanovich & Family)
<b>TUE, MAY 15</b> 8:00 AM	<b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b> Raymond F. Schneider † (Rhoda Schneider)
<b>WED, MAY 16</b> 8:00 AM	<b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b> Doris Carter
<b>THU, MAY 17</b> 8:00 AM	<b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b> John Maddigan † (Bill & Sandy Eldridge)
<b>FRI, MAY 18</b> 8:00 AM	<b>SAINT JOHN I</b> Walter Wolf
<b>SAT, MAY 19</b> 5:00 PM	<b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b> Margaret & Harvey Anderson † (Anderson Family)
<b>SUN, MAY 20</b> 8:00 AM 10:30 AM.	<b>PENTECOST SUNDAY</b> The Parishioners John Kozlowsky † (Joanie & Family)

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Chuck Dolnosich and JoAnn Elwell

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS** **BULLETIN DEADLINE**  
Monday-Thursday 9AM—3PM BY 3:00 PM, Monday  
**CLOSED FRIDAY**

**RECONCILIATION**  
Saturday 3:30—4:30 PM, or by request

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please phone the Church Office if you have family members in the hospital, or who are seriously ill, or elderly, and are confined to their homes. It is important that all of our sick be anointed by a priest, on a regular basis. I am always available to anoint our Sick

### SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE & BAPTISM

Call Parish Office for information.

### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Call the Parish office (form on back of bulletin)

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):

Individuals interested in learning about the Catholic Church and/or becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish office. Inquiries welcomed at any time. Sessions begin September of each year.

### SISTER PARISH

St. Anthony of Padua, Tekit, Yucatan, Mexico  
St. Isidore, Ochil  
Our Lady of the Assumption, Mama  
St. John the Baptist, Sabacche

*The Week Ahead* May 13 thru May 19, 2018




SUN, May 13	6—8PM Altar Server Meeting 7PM Confirmation practice, St. Agatha's
TUE, May 15	6PM Book Club—Silver Shores Restaurant
WED, May 16	7PM Confirmation, St. Agatha's Church

**The Second Annual Night at the Races was a total success thanks to everyone that participated.**

The organizing committee coordinated getting sponsors, baskets for the Chinese Auction, beverages, snacks, the pasta dinner, setting up and decorating the hall and all the behind-the-scenes happenings. We had many volunteers on this project to also include the youth of our parish.

**Good Job Everyone, your hard work is greatly appreciated.**



**A BIG THANKS FOR YOUR HELP**



Looking for something to do on a Saturday morning?

**We need help** getting the grounds ready for summer. Please bring, rakes, shovels, or your tool of choice, and be part of our annual Parish clean up on **June 3, Starting at 9AM**

**Our Lady Queen of Americas First Holy Communion Class of 2018**



OFFERTORY May 6 = \$3,634.00

2018 Campaign  
Feb 11, 2018 thru Jan 31, 2019



**CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL**

Diocesan Goal: \$42,508.00  
Pledged to date: \$59,805.00  
**Amount Received to Date: \$28,678.50**



**Congrats** ..

DAVE JACOBS was the lucky winner of week #38 of our "300 Club" for \$200, #030. Congratulations, Dave!

**Special Blessings to our Confirmation Candidates!**

Please join us in congratulating:  
MADELINE CORNER, ARIANNE DEMARCO,  
DOMINIC ELLIS, ANDREW JACOBS,  
SKYE KARASTURY, CALIEGH KISER,  
JOHN KOZLOWSKY, BENJAMIN KULLEN,  
NICHOLAS TEMEL AND MATTHEW UZELAC.



May the Holy Spirit bless you!




**ALTAR SERVERS!**

There will be a training session for both **NEW** and **CURRENT** servers on May 13th and 20th from 6-8pm. Please consider being a part of this wonderful ministry!

"Come celebrate Deacon Ian McElrath's ordination to the priesthood! A bus will leave St. Agatha's on June 8th at 5:00pm for St. Peter's Cathedral for the Mass at 7:00pm. We will arrive back at St. Agatha's by 9:45pm. Cost is \$15. Register with Amy 333-2274 ext. 2."

**ANNUAL MOTHERS DAY CARNATION PROJECT.**


Mother's Day carnations provided by People for Life will be available at the church entrances after Mass today. Help celebrate Mother's Day by getting some beautiful carnations for mom or another special person in your life. Your donation of \$1 per carnation will help support pro-life educational programs and activities right here in our local communities. There are vases on Mary's altar for those who would like to honor a deceased mother or the Blessed Mother with a carnation.



**31 Club—Please pray for vocations...**

14th: P Gilfoyle	18th: D McQuiston
15th: S Ragozine	19th: P Taylor
T Tobolewski	20th: R A Cooper
16th: R Bullock	
17th: M Addison	

If you would like to join the 31 Club, call Terry Conlin @ 814-720-6041.





PLEASE REMEMBER YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING YOUR OWN REPLACEMENT						
MAY		ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	GREETERS Side Door
SAT	5:00 PM	H Wentzel H Morini	T Donegan J Verno	B Greco M B Jacobs M Donegan	J Haylett G Humes B Irwin J Mushrush	J Haylett
SUN	8:00 AM	P Karastury S Karastury P Karastury	A Darke J Cunningham	T Predis J Treacy S Treacy	R Bullock K Novosel D Reese F Cunningham	R Bullock
SUN	10:30 AM	J Jacobs D Jacobs C Dickey	G Ellis S Ragozine	K Jacobs P Jacobs J Skendal	J Arnett V Leap J Meyerhoff D Perfett	J Arnett
OFFERING COUNTERS		May 6 M Staahl J Smock	May 13 P Hilton R Bullock	May 20 K Itel J Elwell	May 27 L Joyce P Gilfoyle	June 3 L Helch A Andres


**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:**

May 13: Rhonda Brown, Lauren Kratzenberg  
 May 14: Anita Clarkin, Daniel Foster, Louise (Dolly) Werner  
 May 16: Mary Anne Cole, Victor Morini, Chelsea Wolbert  
 May 17: Thomas Predis, Brady Sherry  
 May 18: David White  
 May 19: Arianne DeMarco

**ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:**

May 13: Gary & Pam Humes (39)  
 William & Alexandria Eldridge (46)  
 May 14: Thomas & Patricia Baldwin (52)  
 May 17: William & Mary Jude Jackson(22)  
 May 18: Ronald & Angela Krachkowski (27)  
 May 19: Shane & June Murray (28)


*If you find an error in any of these listings, please call the office to update your records. Thank you*



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**FAITH FORMATION NEWS**

For more information, or an appointment contact **Amanda Darke**  
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Time to get out of the house and enjoy the sunshine. Come out to the **Samaritan's Holy Ground Thrift Shop** where you will see sunny volunteers and lots of bargains. All areas of the shop have been thinned out to make room for new Spring items now on sale. You don't want to miss the chance to fill out your wardrobe or home with inexpensive, lovely items. You will not find a thrift shop with better prices anywhere in the area!! Donations of seasonal clothing, housewares, small appliances, bedding, etc. are always welcome during store hours. Store hours are: Mondays, 9am-noon and 5:30-7:30pm and Thursdays, 9am-6pm. Please call 814-382-4487 during store hours for more information.

Sun, May 13	Confirmation Practice. 7PM St. Agatha's
Wed, May 16	Confirmation, 7PM, St Agatha's
Sun, June 10	Baccalaureate Mass, 10:30 AM Coffee & Donuts
July 13-15	Steubenville Youth Conference-- more info to follow

**A MESSAGE FROM OUR BULLETIN PUBLICATION TEAM**

Due to the Memorial Day Holiday, the bulletin dated June 3, 2018 will go to the publisher on Wednesday May 23 @ noon.



just a reminder:

The Parish Office will be **closed** for the Memorial Day Holiday starting on Thursday, May 24th.

See you on Tuesday, May 29th

Remember our veterans

**Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments**  
**Prevalence of Child Sexual Abuse:**

Child sexual abuse is a great deal more prevalent than many imagine. Some studies suggest that as many as one in six boys and one in four girls will be the victim of some form of sexual molestation before the age of 18. That means that, directly or indirectly, child sexual abuse will touch most of us during our lifetime. And although we would like to believe that most accusations are false, the facts tell us that children rarely lie about being molested. In fact, they rarely tell anyone at all. An adult study about the prevalence of sexual abuse found that 42% of the men and 33% of the women who were victimized as children had never told anyone. (Source: Sharon Womak Doty, "Refresher from the Protecting God's Children® Program") To see what the Diocese of Erie is doing to help create safe environments, check out <http://www.eriecd.org/protectyouth.htm>





Readings for the Week  
<http://www.usccb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible>

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