



A virus that produces boredom...

'I'm bored!" exclaimed Gracie as Lily turned on her side, took a deep sigh, and closed here eyes for a mid-day nap. But Gracie persisted, "I'm really, really bored" she exclaimed, "let's go bother the rabbit!" Lily opened one eye and murmured long '*nooo*', the rabbit is not bothering anybody so why bother the rabbit!"

Gracie sat upright, "Lily, it has been two months since we have seen people! Two months since people have walked in and out of the building! Two months of quiet! I'm tired of watching the same ridiculous commercials on TV. I'm tired of walking from one room to the other! I'm tired of the same old chew toys. I'm tired of rain. I'm tired of hot days. I'm just—." Lily interrupted her, "You are just bored." Gracie nodded, "I am! In fact I am so bored I wouldn't even mind a trip to the groomer! Lily smiled, "which we both need badly!" After moments passed and Gracie began her whining once more, "Let's go tear something up and get in trouble. That would be fun finally—just being yelled at!" Lily shook her head no suggesting she come up with another idea." Gracie thought for a long moment and, as though a spark had ignited her imagination she spoke. "Let' just go and sit in front of Father until he gets the idea that we need something! Maybe he'll

take us on the golf cart or for a walk. Lily nodded in agreement as she added, "I wouldn't count on much of a *walk* but maybe the golf cart! The two dogs went into the parlor and found Father in an easy chair. They sat at perfect attention both staring at him intently (*as dogs can do*) Moments passed into minutes. Nothing! Then turning to the two set of bearded collie eyes focused on him he said, "Sorry Lily & Grace. I don't feel like doing anything right now. You wouldn't understand it but the fact is I'm BORED!





In the last few weeks how many drawers have you cleaned and reorganized?

How many times did you rearrange things in your home, in the garage, in a closet, or in the fridge?

How many times did you go to Marcs?

How many times did you watch the same news *over and over* again? How many times did you find yourself bored over the same routines or the same meals?

How often did you 'yell' at the same **ridiculous** commercials on TV? How often did you think it would never stop raining!

COVID19 is a lot more than a virus-it's been a curse to contentment & personal fulfillment! Fr.k

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

You can feel so small standing by the seashore. The vastness of all that is before you expands much farther than your eye can see. What is happening on the other side? As tides continue to ebb and flow, what occurs as they come and go remains largely a mystery and the effects of their presence unknown in your sight. Yet, things are moving and changing as you gaze upon the water, as the thumbprint of their presence is left behind. The greater the wind and wave, the greater the effect. But even a gentle breeze leaves its humble mark upon the seashore on which you stand. The smallest pebble still makes a ripple in the great blue expanse of ocean waters. It doesn't need to be big.

You never know the full impact of your smallest gesture or simplest of words. A yes or no, agree or disagree, here or there, this or that can influence time and history in ways you may never know. The Holy Spirit is like that: fierce and torrential, and then almost still and silent, creating and recreating nonetheless. Coming as a gentle breeze or a gusty wind, God's Holy Spirit continues to move over, around, and into the waters of our lives. The Spirit brings fruit and unknown possibilities to what we humbly bring with us and that same Spirit eventually brings all to fulfillment in Christ.

The first disciples didn't have much. They possessed simple faith and a willingness to go into unchartered territory with a love of their friend-God, humble offerings, and a knowledge that they were not alone. This allowed them to do amazing things with very little. Do you believe that you are being led and that you have a purposeful life? We often do not realize our value because we do not think that the little we have is good enough. How wrong we are! A little flour mixed with water and embraced by a prayer of blessing transforms simple offerings into the magnificent Eucharistic presence of God. If the Holy Spirit can do such amazing things with these humble gifts of the earth, even more can happen with you. Don't underestimate the value of the smile you gave a stranger, the door held open for an elderly widow, the listening ear offered to one who was lonely, the tolerance given to the wounded soul who is angry, and the loving shoulder you offered as a cradle under the head of someone in pain. Modest gifts offered with love can be transformed by the Spirit into wondrous blessings you may never know. It's Pentecost. Trust. You are not alone.

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B reathe into me, Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy. Move in me, Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy. Attract my heart, Holy Spirit, that I may love only what is holy. Strengthen me, Holy Spirit, that I may defend all that is holy. Protect me, Holy Spirit, that I may always be holy.

Saint Augustine

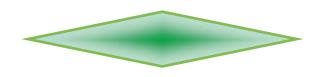
powerful prayer –easily remembered, quickly said, and often to be repeated: COME HOLY SPIRIT!





Ordinary Time begins the day after Pentecost Sunday and ends the day before the First Sunday of Advent. The first Sunday following Pentecost is always Trinity Sunday and the last Sunday before Advent is always the Feast of Christ the King.

The liturgical color returns to green!



LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

7 ith Pentecost, the disciples significantly changed. They were charged up and ready to go. They received the Holy Spirit and no longer harbored fear and apprehension. They knew who they were and what needed to be done. With the peace of the Lord and the power of the Spirit within them, they set out to do amazing things with simple means. We have received the Holy Spirit as well. What keeps us from truly understanding the mission of Christ and continuing the advancement of the Gospel? Some may think this was a work of the past and not relevant now. Others may believe that the work set before me is simply about doing what I need to do to merit heaven and has little to do with my brothers and sisters. Take a good look at the world. More are in need of hearing the Good News than there ever were. We have the power to get up and out and start doing life changing things!

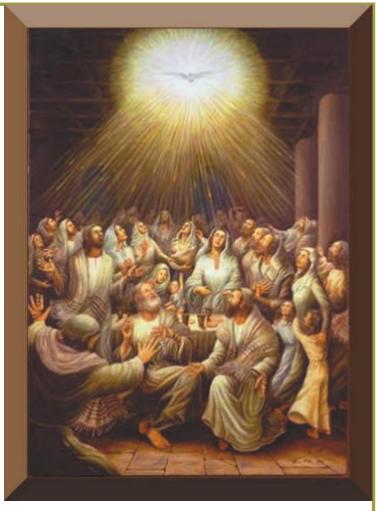
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THE FEAST of PENTECOST....

"If you go back and read the Old Testament, you will discover that Pentecost was one of the Jewish feast days. Only they didn't call it Pentecost. That's the Greek name. The Jews called it the Feast of Harvest or the Feast of Weeks. It is mentioned five places in the first five books—in Exodus 23, Exodus 24, Leviticus 16, Numbers 28, and Deuteronomy 16. It was the celebration of the beginning of the early weeks of harvest. In Palestine there were two harvests each vear. The early harvest came during the months of May and June; the final harvest came in the Fall. Pentecost was the celebration of the beginning of the early wheat harvest, which meant that Pentecost always fell sometime during the middle of the month of May or sometimes in early June.

There were several festivals, celebrations, or observances that took place before Pentecost. There was Passover, there was Unleavened Bread, and there was the Feast of First fruits. The Feast of First fruits was the celebration of



the beginning of the barley harvest. Here's the way you figured out the date of Pentecost. According to the Old Testament, you would go to the day of the celebration of First fruits, and beginning with that day, you would count off 50 days. The fiftieth day would be the Day of Pentecost. So First fruits is the beginning of the barley harvest and Pentecost the celebration of the beginning of the wheat harvest. Since it was always 50 days after First fruits, and since 50 days equals seven weeks, it always came a "week of weeks" later. Therefore, they either called it the Feast of Harvest or the Feast of Weeks." *-the above was taken from Christianity.com*

nd so...40 days after the Resurrection we celebrate the Ascension. Nine days following, by the Lord's instruction, the apostles & others gather in the Cenacle in Jerusalem for the coming of the Holy Spirit! Our PENTECOST! The streets of Jerusalem would have been filled with travelers who had come from every point of the compass to celebrate the great Jewish Feast and the bringing in of the wheat harvest. Sooo, when the apostles leave the room after being filled with the Holy Spirit they go out and encounter people from EVERYWHERE! When Acts of the Apostles tells us that the Apostles understood and spoke various languages we now know why! The Jewish people were celebrating a great feast in the streets of Jerusalem—as are we celebrating a Great Feast, Pentecost, the beginnings of the Church, and in a special way 'back' in our Church Building! Be filled with the Holy Spirit! Celebrate!



Fr.k



WEDNESDAYJune 3 - St. Charles Lwanga & Companions11:00 AMDavid Cleary

FRIDAYJune 5 - St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr11:00 AMErminio Peticca & Alfonso Pasani

SATURDAY	June 6 - S	t. Norbert,	Bishop;BVM
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4:00 PMTom Ulrich6:00 PMLiving & Deceased of the Krizner FamilySUNDAYJune 7THE MOST HOLY TRINITY8:00 AMGeorge & Mary Seman10:30 AMCathy Timko1:00 PMLiving & Deceased of O'Leary & McNamara
families

THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED OUR PRAYERS

Our friends and relatives who are ill. May God grant them healing and strength.

Greg Arasim, Larry Bender, Karen Biggs, Trevor Biggs, Frank & Sue Bindas, Donald Boggs, Justin Bogucki, Carrie Jean Bonnaci, Barbara Bonza, Bob Bruno, Patricia Burfield, Sandy Chojnowski, Elaine Coreno, Barb Deimling, Bob Demming, Gloria & Len Demko, Lorie Dillinger, Larry Dolin, Melissa Dubs, Robert Dumke, Sr., Mary Dumke, Richard Ekey, Jean Elber, Dave Ferencik, Marianne Fink, Sally Fisher, Sharon Fisher, Dottie Gallo, Celia Giganti, Anna Gottl, Kristen Grasson, Donna Grasson, Bob & Nancy Grau, Betty Gresko, Carolyn H., Mikayla Hall, John Haft, Barbara Harpster, Bill & Dawn Harrrington, Kathy Haveneth, Amy, Barb, Marilyn Healy, Brian Kim Helle, Jameson Huff, Chuck Hutchinson, Rita Jamison, Tanya Kasparek, Suzanne & Caitlyn Keller, Marie Keppler, John Kole, Amy & Drayden Lasever, Dave Mack, Elsa Mahnic, Norbert Mang, Suzanne Maphis, Pat MacGillis, Marge McKinney, Pete Meadows, Sandy Miller, Colin Nemets, Lillian Noga, Kathryn Oriti, Jeff Pandora, Piro family, Jesse Prybis, Pat & Ron Prybis, Bill Reinagle, Pat Richie, Darlene Saxon, Ken Schroeder, Angie Schurger, Pat Schwark, John Sciano, Christopher Seman, Shayne Marie Shella, David Shepley, Flo Skrovan, Travis & Christine Sorenson, Solis & Trobl families, Dolores Stanchina, Bill & Carol Thompson, Brian Thompson, Joseph Tonderski, Paula Ulas, Elijah, Shannon & Natalie Velez, Becca Vickery, Damian & Dereck Vitas, Joe Wantz, Carol Weiss, Anthony & Matthew Williams, Donna & James Woodyard, Jr., Debbie Woodyard, Chris Yanosko, Ryan, Jeremy & Ashley, Geraldine Zickes

WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES - EN-GAGE PARISHIONERS IN DAILY MASS AND PRAYER

Readings for the week of May 31, 2020

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39. Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 53, 55, 56 [52b] or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [1]/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39. Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23 Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2. 3 and 5. 6-7/Jn 19:25-34 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, Tuesday: 14 and 16 [1]/Mk 12:13-17 Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef [1b]/Mk 12:18-27 Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/Ps 4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14 [4]/Mk 12:28-34 Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17/Ps 119:157, 160, 161, 165, 166, 168 [165a]/Mk 12:35-37 Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8/Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22 [cf. 15ab]/Mk 12:38-44 Next Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

Observances for the week of May 31, 2020

Sunday:	Pentecost Sunday
Monday:	The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of
the Church	
Tuesday:	Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs
Wednesday:	St. Charles Lwanga and Companions,
Martyrs	
Thursday:	
Friday:	St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr
Saturday:	St. Norbert, Bishop

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For the time being our Thursday Holy Hour will not be conducted. As we try to resume to some normalcy we are putting the holy hour on hold.

The next Sanctuary Candle will be lit for the intentions of the



Parish Community

Renew the face of the earth !

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

We Are Never Alone

My children want my help sometimes, and other times, not so much. I remember being a teenager and young adult myself. At times, I thought I knew everything. I didn't need help because I was just so darn smart. Truth is, I needed to find my own way. I needed to stretch my wings and prove to myself and my family I could fly. I assume that is what is happening with my own children as well. It just seems so different now that I'm the parent.

Human beings need help. We need community, and we need to rely on one another. At Pentecost, we reflect on Jesus sending to the Church a helper, the Holy Spirit. God interacting with us in this manner means we are never truly alone. We focus most of the time on the Spirit of God as the assistance we need, and we do need Him for sure. However, since it is that very same Spirit that turned us into "Church" from a band of people looking to carry on after Jesus' ascension, at Pentecost we gained more than divine help: we gained each other.

Today, the Church needs help in a profound way. We need to lean on the Holy Spirit to blow through the Church with a profound renewal. But we cannot forget that we have been given each other to lean on as well. We are a gift to each other, and together with the Spirit's help, we are the Body of Christ here on earth. We must be strong and stand for one another. If we do that, this Pentecost will bear fruit that will be with us for many Pentecosts to come.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Catholic Cemeteries Association

The Catholic Cemeteries Association is constantly monitoring guidance set by the CDC, the State of Ohio and the Diocese of Cleveland in regard to stopping the spread of COVD-19. With that in mind, many of our scheduled events have been postponed or moved to a different format. To view our most updated calendar of events, please visit: clecem.org

e are happy to welcome you back! These many weeks have not the same without you. Believe it or not we were kept busy even in the midst of the construction in the baptistery & atrium. It was our pleasure to offer Mass online and our Thursday Holy Hours- it kept us in touch with so many of you. Know that as we return to regular hours we are here as YOUR parish Staff. Our prayers continue for you and our prayers go on that the virus will come to an end. Please know that you are Welcomed Home-welcome into the heart of it all, Jesus the Risen Lord Lisa, Deacon Tom, Jeanette, Bill, Kathy, Gift-shop Kathy, Ed, Bob, Noah, Chris & Larry, A.J., Vincent, Fr., Lily & Grace and Cotton! And our entire support staff!



St. Colette web site http://www.stcolettecatholicchurch.com



Mr. & Mrs. John & Alice Olenchuk

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Remembering with Love....

Our loving prayers and deepest sympathy are extended to the family of Robert Beirne (husband of Teresa) who was called to his Eternal reward. Please pray for him and all the faithful departed.



The Daughters of St. Colette



Lord Jesus, You gave us Your Holy Spírit and Your lífe is within us!

Throughout the summer, we will continue to meet at Wayside Shrine to pray the Rosary together on the **4th Thursday of the month at 11:00am**.

Everyone is more than welcome to join us at our next Rosary on **June 25th**. *Please bring a chair, if possible, so we can keep to COVID19 guidelines!*

"Come as a stranger, leave as a friend."



Please pray for those serving in the Military

Joseph Adams CPT Sylvester Azap SrA Aimee R. Budzinski USAF GySgt. John Burrell E5/2nd Class Jacob Camper USN S/A-Dept/State Bradley Carlson Foreign Service Officer Cynthia Carlson-Cook S/SGT Stephen Coughlan SPC Kristen Coughlan MJR Jason Cross LCpl Michael C. Dadaian USMC Michael Forlini SPC Bradley Graf CPL John Graf CPL Peter Grasso SPC David Greenfelder Jr. Major Rick Hanrahan USAF SGT Jeremy Hlavaty LT Zachary Hollister USMC M/SGT Melissa Hunt M/SGT Tyler Hunt CPL Zack Hunter USMC AMN 1st Class Joe Isabella Capt. Julianne Jamison USAF Lt. Kris Klaiber SGT Kevin Lessman S/SGT Sam Lupica Col. Andrew W. Mack Lt. Colonel Jeremy Matyas USAF SPC Kevin McCarthy Army

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm Sunday: 8:00-10:00- and 11:45am Wednesday & Friday: 11:00am Tuesday: 7:00pm Holy Day Vigil: 7:00pm Holy Day: NOON and 7:00pm

See page 7 of bulletin as things have changed!

SACRAMENTS

Baptism - following 11:45 Mass on the second and fourth Sunday of the month. Arrangements must be made in advance through the Parish Office. Baptism Class required for first child.

Matrimony –Congratulations! Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance with the priest.

Sacrament of the Sick - contact the Office for home visitations and Eucharist.

Reconciliation - 3 p.m. Saturday.

Eucharist Adoration - twice a month after Tuesday 7:00pm mass

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT THANK YOU!!!

Sunday, May 17, 2020	\$7,049.00
Capital Improvement Fund	
Children's	
Project Endeavor	\$2,620.00
Easter	. \$397.00
Ascension	\$196.00
We sincerely & always appreciate your kindness & g	enerosity!

To help start and build an endowment fund, please remember St. Colette in your will. We also have a

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