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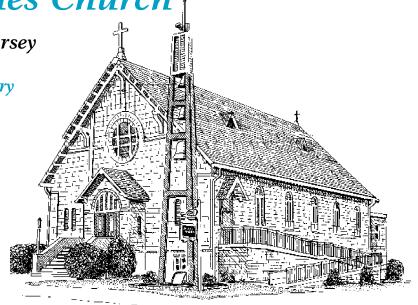
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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM Sunday: 8:00 & 11:30

Weekdays

Monday: 7:00 PM Mass with Miraculous Medal Novena Tuesday through Saturday: 7:00 AM Monday though Friday: 12:10 PM

Confession

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30 Saturday: After 5:00 PM Mass

# SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 25, 2025 • John 14:23-29

Jesus tells his disciples, "Anyone who loves me will be true to my word." For those who do honor his word, both Jesus and God will love them and stay with them always. He also tells them that God will send the Holy Spirit in his place to give them the instructions they will need. Jesus then tells them that peace is his farewell gift to them.

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#### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 25, 2025

**Baptism:** Baptism is celebrated on Sundays. Please call the parish office to schedule.

**Pastoral Care of the Sick**: Please call the parish office when you or a loved one is sick at home or in the hospital for visitation with the Eucharist and for the Anointing of the Sick.

Marriage: Couples should contact the parish office at least one year before the potential wedding date. New Parishioners: Should register as soon as possible.

Please contact the parish office

**Religious Education (CCD)**: Please log-on to *www.ololchurchnj.org* for calendar and parish events.

## **Mass Offerings**

SUNDAY, May 25

**8:00am** Mary Lynch req Ray & Connie Rembisz **11:30am** Steve Stetzko req Daugthers

MONDAY, May 26

7:00pm Joseph Kraemer reg Mom

**TUESDAY, May 27** 

7:00am Frank Milano req Pat Laudino

WEDNESDAY, May 28

7:00am Charles Leavitt reg Marianne, Matthew, Kaiden

**THURSDAY, May 29** 

7:00am Frank Milano req Cathy DiStefano

FRIDAY, May 30

**7:00am** Special Int. for Ann Marie Simons 80<sup>th</sup> birthday reg Shirley Cappella

SATURDAY, May 31

**7:00am** Ronald Albert Higgins req Peter & Ferry Clark **5:00pm** Intention of Parishioners

SUNDAY, June 1

**8:00am** Mary Lynch req Art & Adrienne Hamm **11:30am** Steve Stetzko req Daugthers



#### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Reading: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29

Some men informed the Gentiles that they must be circumcised if they wished to be saved, because of the Old Laws. Disciples then went forth to tell the Gentiles to honor only those rules which were strictly necessary, such as abstaining from eating meat sacrificed to idols and illicit sexual union.

#### Second Reading: Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23

John depicts Jerusalem coming out of heaven, sparkling with the radiance of precious jewels. Angels were stationed at each of its twelve gates, and each gate bore the name of one tribe of Israel. The city had no temple, because God was its temple. The glory and light of God and the Lamb also replaced their need for the sun.

#### Gospel: John 14:23-29

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#### Sunday

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29

#### Monday

Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26-16:4a

#### Tuesday

Acts 16:22-34; Jn 16:5-11

#### Wednesday

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Jn 16:12-15

#### Thursday

Acts 18:1-8; Jn 16:16-20 The Ascension of the Lord Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28, 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53

#### Friday

Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23

#### Saturday

Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Lk 1:39-56

### SCHEDULE FOR 1st SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

EUCHARISTIC MIN LECTOR

SAT. May 31

5pm Donahue Donahue

Sun. June 1

8am S. Abano Brack 11:30am Young Dinardo

## **Bulletin for May 24-25 Sixth Sunday of Easter**

#### Second Collection

Next weekend May 31-June 1, is a collection for Catholic Communication Campaign. The proceeds benefit the Catholic Communication Campaign (national and local levels) and the Catholic University of America.

**Maintenance collection** will be collected on second weekend of June 6/7. Since we have two collections on the first weekend.

# **Religious Ed Registration**

Is now open for 2025-2026 school year. See parish website for registration forms. Please get form in on time.

#### Altar Rosary Society

June 1st is Corporate Communion at 11:30am Mass. We will have our closing dinner Monday night June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 5pm, in Lourdes Hall.

#### Parish Registration

If you are 18 or older, you should be registered as a parishioner independently from your parents. If you are not a registered member, you are not eligible for letters of Sponsorship. To receive Sponsorship letter to be a Godparent or Confirmation sponsor, you would need to be an active member. If you receive envelopes, please use them. This is how we know your attendance at Mass (Which is an important for sponsor letters). The only way to verify faithful attendance at Mass is through the envelope system.

Last week's Offertory collection – \$2,793.00 Online- \$1,867.00 Development of the People – 664.00 Online - \$178.00 4<sup>th</sup> weekend counters – Linda Cafferty, Jodi Flynn Office Close Monday May 26<sup>th</sup> for Memorial Day!

## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Jesus said, 'Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him... I have told you this while I was still with you. The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send you in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of everything I have taught you... Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you."

How often Jesus' role is described as teacher, preacher and miracle worker. Today He places emphasis on His teaching mission as He promises to send the Holy Spirit to teach and remind us of His message. The Lord knows we sometimes forget and need to be reminded of His word and His wish to abide with us. As He was preparing to take leave, He knew we needed additional help and for this reason promises us a gift. He offers us the gift of His peace. Do you still have it? Can you make it your gift for someone else? It was given to you to be given away.

#### **HIS WORD TODAY**

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS





# Gospel Today Sixth Sunday of Easter | John 14:23-29

Jesus continues to prepare His disciples for His death and resurrection. He gives them the gift of peace and the power of the Holy Spirit to help them.

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# "Peace I leave with you."



-JOHN 14:27





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