

Readings and Mass Intentions

SUN, MAY 10 - Mother's Day

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3,
3-4/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

8:00 a.m. Mass **The Mothers of Holy Redeemer**

10:30 a.m. Mass **Johnathan Berkovsky †**

MON, MAY 11

Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/
Jn 15:26—16:4a

TUE, MAY 12

Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/
Jn 16:5-11

WED, MAY 13

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13,
14/Jn 16:12-15

9:00 a.m. Mass **Tori Valderas**

THU, MAY 14 - Ascension Thursday

Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9/Eph 1:17-23/
Mk 16:15-20

9:00 a.m. Mass

FRI, MAY 15

Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23
9:00 a.m. Mass **John Wright †**

SAT, MAY 16

Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/
Jn 16:23b-28

5:30 p.m. Mass **Ben Fortson †**



HOLY REDEEMER'S PRAYER INTENTION BOOK

Please continue to remember and pray for all those listed in the prayer intention book and those listed below.

Remember in Prayer
Recuerde en Oración

Returning our Treasure in Thanksgiving

Financial Information thru the week of
May 2nd & 3rd:

Weekly Need:\$11,350.00
Weekly Actual:\$11,601.72
2nd Collection (F/M Fund):\$3,273.02
Attendance: 899

Church Debt Loan Balance: \$536,834.33
Property Loan Balance:\$457,524.71
(as of 4/13/15)

Blessed Among Us Vincent Donovan Missionary (1926-2000)

Vincent Donovan, a Pittsburgh native and a Holy Ghost Father, departed as a missionary to Africa in 1955. Stationed in Masailand in Tanzania, he worked for a number of years in traditional mission work—building a hospital and schools. The Masai accepted such services, but they were not moved to convert. Eventually Donovan asked permission of his bishop to leave behind the mission compound, simply “to go to these people and do the work among them for which I came to Africa.”



In a later book, *Christianity Rediscovered*, he described his experience. He found that the Masai were happy to hear him talk about God. The challenge was to find a new language to present the Gospel in terms rooted in their own language and culture. Donovan found himself following in the footsteps of St. Paul and the early apostles, who had left behind the Jewish world to implant Christianity among the gentiles. The Masai were the new gentiles. The task was to help them encounter Christ in terms of their own culture, free of the “circumcision” of Western concepts. Many communities accepted the message Donovan brought them. And then, having helped give birth to a new Church, he moved on.

Returning to America in 1973, Donovan served in various parishes and as a chaplain at Duquesne University. To the end, he remained a missionary, seeking new ways to implant the Gospel in an alien culture. He died on May 13, 2000.

“*Evangelization is centrifugal. It leaves Jerusalem and is on its way to the ends of the earth and the end of time.*”—Fr. Vincent Donovan

Happy Mother's Day

From Monsignor Publius

And the staff at Holy Redeemer

May God's many blessings

Be yours forever more

And may you know you're valued

And loved by the Lord

Especially on this day

That we have set aside

To show our appreciation

To the Mothers in our lives.

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Ascension of the Lord

In regards to the observance of this holy day of obligation, the ecclesiastical provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha, and Philadelphia have retained its celebration on the proper Thursday, while all other provinces have transferred this Solemnity to the Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 17th.

If transferred, Thursday, May 14, is observed as
The Feast of Saint Matthias, Apostle.

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

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| May 11: <i>Adult Bible Study 6:30</i> | May 13: <i>Fatima Rosary 11:00</i> |
| May 11: <i>Boy Scouts 7:00</i> | May 13: <i>Youth Group 6:30</i> |
| May 12: <i>Bea's Quilt Group 9:00</i> | May 17: <i>Final RE and Confirmation classes until Fall</i> |
| May 13: <i>Wednesday Morning Ladies 9:30</i> | |



Holy Redeemer had a great turnout for the Texas Walk for Life held on May 2 at the Aledo Middle School. Thank you for your support!

Next week, our second collection will be for the **Catholic Communication Campaign**. This collection communicates the Gospel through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through podcasts, television, radio, and print media. Half of all proceeds remain in our diocese and support local needs. To learn more about the important work supported by this collection, please visit www.usccb.org (search "Catholic Communication Campaign").

Update your Contact Info

If you have recently moved or changed your phone number/email, please contact the parish office to update your contact info.



Lost and Found

Please check the lost and found in the office to see if any of the items belong to you. Also, please check your child's classroom if they attend RE classes. Classes end next week and all unclaimed items will be donated to charity.



Confirmation Mass

Bishop Olson will be confirming over 20 youth from our parish
On Sunday, May 31st @ 11:00am
(There will be no 10:30 Mass on that day)

Adult ACTS Reunion

Saturday, May 16
462 Ray Lane Cool
Praise and worship with the Divine Chaplet at 3:00
Followed by fellowship and dinner at 5:00
RSVP to olacts@yahoo.com or 972-342-0514

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ARE CALLED TO SERVE:

SAT, MAY 16 • 5:30 PM MASS

ALTAR SERVERS

PS - Olivia Caggiano PS - Brian McGee

READERS

Shawn Parks Parice Aziere

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Steve Weaver Elizabeth Weaver
Mary Staffeld Shawn Parks

USHERS

Mike Barron Tom Merkley
Wayne Mohr Rose Young

SOUND BOARD

Larry Mask

SUN, MAY 17 • 8:00AM

ALTAR SERVERS

PS - Katrina Mott PS - Aiden Slabbekoom

READERS

Donna Stockman Mary Atkinson

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Eloy Sanchez WR Alexander
Betty Alexander Barbara Anderson

USHERS

Loren Mott Duane Knesek
Kandi Smith

SOUND

Robert Speer

SUN, MAY 17 • 10:30 AM

ALTAR SERVERS

PS - Emily Lane PS - Tanner Wheaton

READERS

Lynda Wright Donya Fronk

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Chuck Sheridan Marc Pierel
Carolyn Pierel Rick Zilar
Cody Palmer Monica Collins
Alicia Palacios Melissa Watzlavick
Val Grooms Patrick Snell

USHERS

Rene Chavez Caitlyn Andrews
Tom Edmonston Donald Woodall

SOUND

Noah Murphey

COMMUNITY NEWS

Carmelite Discalced Nuns
Spring Board Installation Luncheon
La Puerita, Joe T. Garcia's in Fort Worth
Tuesday, May 12, 11:30-2:00
Tickets are \$25
For reservations call, 817-832-3667

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