

## Readings and Mass Intentions

SUN, MAY 24 - Pentecost Sunday

Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/  
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

8:00 a.m. Mass

10:30 a.m. Mass..... Joseph Gabriel †

MON, MAY 25 -

St. Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi

Sir 17:20-24/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/  
Mk 10:17-27

TUE, MAY 26 - St. Philip Neri

Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23/  
Mk 10:28-31

WED, MAY 27 -

St. Augustine of Canterbury

Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and  
13/Mk 10:32-45

9:00 a.m. Mass

THU, MAY 28 -

St. Joanna the Mryhbearer

Sir 42:15-25/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/  
Mk 10:46-52

9:00 a.m. Mass

FRI, MAY 29 - St. Ursula Ledochowska

Sir 44:1, 9-13/Ps 149: 1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and  
9b/Mk 11:11-26

9:00 a.m. Mass

SAT, MAY 30

Sir 51:12 cd-20/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/  
Mk 1:27-33

5:30 p.m. Mass

### 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

Willie & Vida Guilley, Kenny Wagner, Ed & Mary Monzingo, Clay Turner

### Returning our Treasure in Thanksgiving

Financial Information thru the week of May 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>:

Weekly Need:.....\$11,350.00

Weekly Actual:.....\$12,709.07

2nd Collection

(Catholic Communication

Campaign):.....\$2,055.00

Attendance: .....816

Church Debt Loan Balance: \$536,834.33

Property Loan Balance:.....\$457,524.71

(as of 4/13/15)

## Blessed Among Us Cardinal Emmanuel Suhard Archbishop of Paris (1874-1949)

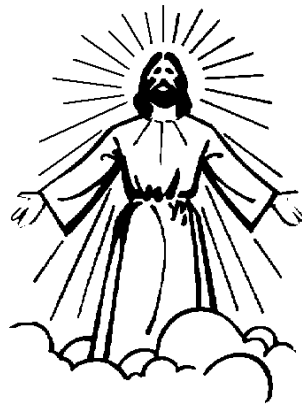
In Paris in the 1940's a group of idealistic priests embarked on a new field of mission. Like traditional missionaries, they wished to implant the Gospel in a "foreign land"—though in their case in the midst of "Catholic" France. Leaving the Catholic ghetto, they entered the world of the working class, for so long estranged from the Church. Swapping their soutanes for overalls, they applied for factory jobs, and so began the extraordinary, though short-lived experiment of the Worker Priest.

The inspiration lay largely with Emmanuel Suhard, who was named archbishop of Paris in 1940, just before the German invasion. Initially a supporter of the Vichy government of Marshall Petain, in 1942 Suhard issued loud protest against the deportation of Jews from Paris and broke with Vichy over its collaboration with the Nazis' racial policies.

The experience of the war had convinced him that the Church needed a new form of evangelization; rather than simply defending itself like a fortress against the inroads of secularism, the Church must go into the highways and byways to meet the world on its own terms. Suhard died on May 30, 1949. The worker-priest movement had many critics, and it was eventually suppressed. But Suhard's vision helped pave the way for a new spirit of evangelization in Vatican II.

*"Like Christ, the priest brings mankind a priceless good, that of worrying it. He must be the 'minister of restlessness', the dispenser of a new thirst and a hunger."*  
Cardinal Emmanuel Suhard

## PENTECOST SUNDAY



Pentecost, meaning "fifty days" after Easter, celebrates the Holy Spirit's descent on the Apostles. The narrative in the second chapter of Acts of the Apostles describes a dramatic transformation of the disciples in Jerusalem. A sudden sound, like that of a strong wind filled the house where they were. "Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim." (Acts 2:3-4)

The disciples shed their fear and boldly proclaimed the Gospel to those gathered in Jerusalem. There were Jews "from every nation under heaven" at the time and they all understood the disciples in their own native languages as they told of the mighty works of God. It was an amazing reversal of Babel. Pentecost was the birth of the church, the community of disciples who were sent on the mission of proclaiming the Good News.



### Graduation Mass

We would like to recognize and congratulate the graduating seniors of the class of 2015 that belong to our parish at the **10:30 Mass on June 14<sup>th</sup>**. Please wear your cap and gown to Mass. For planning purposes, we are asking you to let the parish office know if you will be participating.

## UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

<b>May 25:</b> Parish Office Closed <i>In observance of Memorial Day</i>	<b>May 26:</b> Bea's Quilting Group 9:00
<b>May 25:</b> Boy Scouts 7:00	<b>May 27:</b> Youth Group 6:30
	<b>May 31:</b> Confirmation Mass 11:00 No 10:30 Mass

*Blessed is the nation  
whose God is the Lord  
(Psalm 33:12)  
A Memorial Day Prayer*



Heavenly Father, as our nation pauses this Memorial Day to remember those in the military who have given their lives for freedoms we enjoy, we pray you would have us all look to you for strength, comfort and guidance. Be with all who serve in our Armed Forces. Bless them and their families. Grant your loving protection. Let peace prevail among all the nations, O God, let your mercy rest upon our land, even as we acknowledge with thanksgiving your past goodness on our country. Let our servicemen's sacrifice and the precious gift of freedom be remembered every day.

Amen.



## CONFIRMATION MASS

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

## Dear Padre

### What charities should we give to?

Must I give to every charity that asks? Monthly, I receive about fifty requests for money from religious organizations. Some even send free blessed gifts. I do not want to throw them away, but I cannot afford to give to all of these groups. What should I do?

Congratulations on your generosity in helping so many needy causes. The Lord loves a cheerful giver. Unfortunately as Jesus said, we will always have the poor with us (Matthew 26:11). Private charity can alleviate some of the misery, but it cannot handle all of it. We need true social justice and a fairer distribution of God's gifts, as Pope Francis has repeatedly said so well.

What you can do is evaluate how much money you can budget for gifts. Decide what your contribution to the parish will be each month. With the money left over, help a few of the groups asking for money. Try to choose the ones you feel are good causes and that may be less likely to receive donations.

As for the religious gifts they send, use what you can. Take whatever is left to your parish church and place it on a table offering free literature and pamphlets. Someone will benefit from your gift!

FR. DON KIRCHNER, CSsR  
sundaybulletin@liguori.org

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### San Antonio Missions

The San Antonio Missions is on the verge of being designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The San Antonio Missions nomination is made up of five frontier mission complexes (including the Alamo) and a mission ranch situated along the San Antonio River basin. The missions were nominated by the United States in January 2014 for inclusion on the World Heritage List as an exceptionally complete example of the Spanish Crown's efforts to colonize, evangelize, and defend the northern frontier of New Spain. The five missions are also a unique example of mission complexes lying in proximity along the San Antonio River and sharing a common approach to defense. For more information, visit [www.txcatholic.org](http://www.txcatholic.org).



## THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ARE CALLED TO SERVE:

SAT, MAY 30 • 5:30 PM MASS

### ALTAR SERVERS

PS - Jack Mayer PS - Kate Mayer

### READERS

Barbara Gosnell Mary Ann Barnard

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Steve Weaver Bobby Zeigler  
Karen Marsh Roxanna Young

Mike Barron

### USHERS

Mike Barron Tom Merkley  
Wayne Mohr Rose Young

### SOUND BOARD

Larry Mask

SUN, MAY 31 • 8:00AM

### ALTAR SERVERS

PS - Libby Clements PS - William Rudd

### READERS

Paulette Brodie Julia Murphey

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Eloy Sanchez WR Alexander  
Betty Alexander Myra Speer

### USHERS

Lorren Mott Duane Knesek  
Kandi Smith

### SOUND

Robert Florance

SUN, MAY 31 • 11:00 AM

### ALTAR SERVERS

PS - Clayton Crawford PS - Courtney Andrews

### READERS

Nathan Garner Ken Mican

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Chuck Sheridan Marc Pierel  
Carolyn Pierel Maggie Lozano  
Maureen Gabarino Monica Collins  
Maureen Munson Melissa Watzlavick  
Val Grooms Patrick Snell

### USHERS

Rene Chavez Caitlyn Andrews  
Tom Edmonston Donald Woodall

### SOUND

Mike Andrews

**THANK YOU,  
SOUTHWEST ORTHOPEDIC ASSOCIATES.  
WITHOUT YOUR SUPPORT THE BULLETIN WOULD  
NOT BE POSSIBLE. PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR  
SPONSORS. SEE BACK OF BULLETIN.**