

# May 13th & 14th, 2017 Fifth Sunday of Easter

## MASS INTENTIONS

5/13 4:00 PM Gil Lyon - 7th Anniv.  
 5/14 9:00 AM Harry, Rita & Laura Deltufo  
 Albert, Helen & Albert Jr, Petrilli  
 John & Elizabeth Leonard  
 Donna Roche - Mem.  
 Noon All Mothers Living and Deceased  
 5/16 9:00 AM Mass for All Mothers  
 5/17 5:30 PM Mass for All Mothers  
 5/18 5:30 PM Annette O'Shea - 17th Anniv.  
 Helen & John O'Shea, James O' Shea  
 Jeremiah O'Shea - Mem.  
 5/20 4:00 PM John Angie - 3rd Anniv.  
 Francis Angie - 19th Anniv.  
 Anthony Angie - Mem.  
 Linda Leahy - Mem.  
 5/21 9:00 AM Nancy Ryan - B'day Remb.  
 Noon Louise Duniec - 8th Anniv  
 Daniel J. McMullen - 12th Anniv.

## Presider's Mass Schedule for May 20th & 21st

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<b>Saturday</b>		
<b>4:00 PM</b>	Fr. Griffith	Fr. Schatzel/Dcn Booker/C. Landry
<b>Sunday</b>		
<b>7:30 AM</b>	Fr. Lee/Dcn Booker	
<b>9:00 AM</b>		Fr. Hobson/Dcn Winn
<b>10:30 AM</b>	Fr. Lee/Dcn Winn	
<b>12:00 NOON</b>		Fr. Hobson

**Offertory Collection:** The May 6th & 7th collection amounted to \$5,431.00. Thank you.

Facilities Maintenance amounted to \$1,795.00

### Upcoming Collections:

5/14 - **Special Collection** in support of the completion of the central and final dome in mosaic for The Trinity Dome at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. The Basilica is the nation's preeminent Marian Shrine. Checks can be made out to 2017 Basilica of the National Shrine Collection  
 5/25 - Ascension Thursday collection is for SVdP  
 5/28 - The Catholic Relief Services

## PARISH CALENDAR

Every Mon 6:00 PM - Teen Pizza & Prayer in Halifax  
 Every Wed 6:00 PM - Confessions heard  
 6:00 PM - Adoration for one hour  
 Every Thurs 3:45 PM - Youth Choir  
 6:00 PM - Adoration for half hour  
 7:00 PM - Adult Choir  
 7:00 PM - Gamblers Anonymous  
 Every Sat Noon - Rosary for Trad. Marriage  
 1st Sun 10:00 AM - Donut Sunday after Mass  
 2nd Wed 6:30 PM - Sodality of Our Lady  
 1st & 3rd Thurs 6:30 PM - Prayer Shawl Ministry  
 1st Fri 8:00 PM - Youth Movie Night  
 3rd Friday 7:30 PM - Baptismal Preparation Class alternating with Our Lady  
 2nd Sat 1:00 PM - Monthly Baptism  
 4:00 PM - Anointing of the Sick Mass

**2017 Catholic Appeal** campaign is ongoing. So far we have raised 68% toward our parish campaign goal of \$31,836.00. Envelopes are available in the gathering area for those who wish to contribute.

**Masses for May 25, Ascension Thursday, Holy Day of Obligation** are: 9:00 AM at Our Lady of the Lake Church and 7:00 PM here at St. Joseph the Worker Church. There will **NOT** be a 5:30 PM Mass or Adoration. Collection is for St. Vincent de Paul

**Fifth Sunday of Easter** - Jesus makes it abundantly clear in today's Gospel that our destiny is heaven! "In my Father's house there are many dwellings...I am going to prepare a place for you so that where I am you also may be." In the busyness of life, we often lose sight, get waylaid or distracted from what is essential about our faith. How grateful we are today for this reminder - that Jesus is **our** Way, **our** Truth and **our** Life and that he awaits us in heaven.

Next Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> eight men will be ordained to the priesthood for the Archdiocese of Boston. Pray in a special way this week for these men, that their love for Jesus Christ and the joy of serving Him and God's people will only grow stronger each day.

**Addiction- a War we must unite against to win** - The St. Vincent de Paul Conference of St. Bridget's Church in Abington is sponsoring an information meeting on Tuesday, May 16th at 6:30pm in their parish hall behind the church at 455 Plymouth ST.(Rte 58), Abington. You will hear what the initiative "EB Hope" is doing that is gaining national attention. Come, listen and find that hope is available. You will be in awe at the number of community groups and the number of community leaders that have joined and endorsed this initiative.

**New Prayer Request Procedure** - We have a new section in our bulletin in which prayer requests will be published weekly. (This will replace the prayer intention book in the gathering area.) We would like to encourage the people of Saint Joseph the Worker to pray for each other's needs. Moreover, a Mass will be said each month for all of the intentions published in the bulletin for that month. Please contact the parish secretary if you have a specific need that you would like prayed for! If it is a prayer request for a person who is homebound or in the hospital, kindly ensure that that person consents to having his/her name published in the bulletin. Otherwise, we can simply record your prayer request as, "special intention." This will greatly enhance the communal prayer of our parish family. May we be generous in our prayers for each other knowing that God will not be outdone in generosity! Please call Deirdre at 781-293-3581, ext 115 or email [j.worker@comcast.net](mailto:j.worker@comcast.net).

### Please Pray for:

**Kenneth Snow, Carla Maroun, Tricia Calnan Brantly, Maria Baez**

**Private & Confidential Parish Prayer Line** - Please call 781-293-7592 or 781-447-3247

**Theology on Tap** - New World Tavern, Plymouth, Monday, May 15, This event will feature a talk and Q&A session with an All American Basketball Player, 3-term Mayor of Boston and Ambassador to the Vatican...**Ray Flynn**. Ambassador Flynn will speak about *faith in politics and religion in the public square*. Please join us for a time of presentation, questions, discussion, and sharing in an informal setting. **Bring a friend or 2!**

**Twitter:** @PlymouthonTap **Instagram:** @ToTPlymouth  
**Facebook:** Theology on Tap Plymouth

**HANSON FOOD PANTRY** at 228 High Street. Hours are Tuesday 10 AM - Noon, and 6 - 8 PM. **May: shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, adult toothbrushes, disposable razors, etc.** These items may be left in the Food Pantry baskets in the gathering area. **Your donations are always greatly appreciated.**

**When donating food items, please be sure to check the expiration dates. The Food Pantry is not able to give away food that has expired. Thank you!**

**St. Joseph the Worker Church's, 2017 Vacation Bible School - ONLINE Registration Is Now Open** - Please visit <https://stjosephtheworker.org> to register. VBS will be July 17-21, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. The cost is \$45 per a child. Full payment must be made by June 1st and no refunds will be given after July 1st. VBS is open to any child age 4 through grade 5 (the grade they are currently in now).

If you have any questions feel free to contact our VBS Directors at [saint.joseph.vbs@gmail.com](mailto:saint.joseph.vbs@gmail.com). **Registration is open until May 31, 2017**

**Whitman Hanson H.S. Baccalaureate** - Thursday, June 1, 7:00 PM for high school graduating seniors. Family and Friends are invited and their families are invite to come. Please join us after for light refreshments

**Pembroke H.S. Baccalaureate** - ceremony will take place on May 31st at 7PM in the auditorium for graduating seniors and their families.

If you are new to St. Joseph the Worker and would like to be part of our parish family, please call the parish office at 781-293-3581, ext 115. Or log onto our website <https://stjosephtheworker.org> to join our parish or update information. **Welcome!**

## FAITH FORMATION OFFICE



**May God bless all of our First Communicants and their families.**  
**There were 62 children who received the gift of Jesus through the Sacrament of First Eucharist.**