

# Mass Intentions for the Week

<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>May 25, 2019</b>
4:30 p.m.	Anthony Pinto by Matthew & Maureen Zagami
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>May 26, 2019</b>
7:30 a.m.	Angela Sienko by her family
9:30 a.m.	John Reno by his family
11:00 a.m.	Agnes Janie Acsadi (1st anniversary) by her family
<b>Monday,</b>	<b>May 27, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Mary O'Donnell by her friend
<b>Tuesday,</b>	<b>May 28, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Sebastian "Mike" Motta
<b>Wednesday,</b>	<b>May 29, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Lou Boudreau by Les & Carol McCallum
<b>Thursday,</b>	<b>May 30, 2019</b>
7 45 a.m.	Gordon Yale by the O'Connor family
6:00 p.m.	St. Mary Parish
<b>Friday,</b>	<b>May 31, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Helen Motta
<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>June 1, 2019</b>
4:30 p.m.	Deborah Therriault (47th anniversary) by the Jay McCaffrey family
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>June 2, 2019</b>
7:30 a.m.	Angela Sienko by her family
9:30 a.m.	Donatantonio Gerardi, Jr. by Emil & Anna Prunk
11:00 a.m.	Philly Navaratne by her children

**Readings for the week of May 26, 2019**

Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29  
 Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Jn 15:26--16:4a  
 Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [7c]/Jn 16:5-11  
 Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22--18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15  
 Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/Jn 16:16-20  
 Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53  
 Friday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [6]/Lk 1:39-56  
 Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10 [8a]/Jn 16:23b-28  
 Next Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53  
 7th Sunday of Easter: Acts 7:55-60/Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9 [1a, 9a]/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26

Parish Support May 19, 2019

Weekly	\$7,715.00
On-line giving	<u>\$1,272.00</u>
Total	\$8,987.00
Catholic Communications Campaign	\$2,071.00

**Calendar**

5/28	9:00 a.m. Foodshare truck—St. Mary Parking lot
	6:15 p.m. Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room
5/31	7:00 p.m. Fun Committee—Gathering Space



Next Thursday, May 30, The Ascension of the Lord, is a holy day of obligation. Mass will be celebrated at 7:45 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.



**Volunteer Thank you Dinner**

Monsignor Motta invites you to a **Thank You Dinner** in your honor! The volunteer Thank You Dinner is a celebration to recognize all of our dedicated parish volunteers who graciously give of their time, talent and efforts to continue our parish ministries, committees, council, choir or religious education. It will be held in the Father Golas Gathering Space on Friday, June 14 at 6:30 p.m. Please RSVP no later than Monday, June 3 so that we can order enough food. You may sign up in the Gathering Space, by email to [stmarysrsvp@yahoo.com](mailto:stmarysrsvp@yahoo.com) or by calling Laura Roberts at 860 673-2307. Please provide your name, ministry and phone number.

**Food Collection** for our friends at Westerleigh -We are collecting the following items for our elderly, low income and/or disabled friends at Westerleigh on Plainville Avenue in Unionville the weekend of May 26/27. The items to be collected are ONLY the following items, to make healthy sandwiches:

15 oz jars of "light" mayonnaise

Canned Tuna packed in water, not oil

Canned Chicken

PLEASE BRING YOUR DONATION/S by May 27. Items donated after that will be donated to the local food pantry. Please see the display in the Gathering Space for sample ingredients. If you have questions please contact Lynne Murphy at 860-673-9551. Thank you and may God bless you all for your generosity toward this program. It is very much appreciated.

**Religious Education Registration**

Registration for the "2019 – 2020" Religious Education year has begun. **All new and returning students are required to submit a registration form.** Forms can be found in the entrances to the Gathering Space and Hart House. The normal registration period will end **June 14<sup>th</sup>** after which time tuition fees will increase and class assignments made on a "**space available**" basis only.

Returning Home Study students (grades 3-8) will be re-assigned to the Home Study curriculum unless a change of status is indicated on the form at the time of registration.

Those new to the program are asked to provide a baptismal certificate and evidence of completion of prior religious education so that a proper grade level assignment can be made.

**Fifth Annual St. Mary Star of the Sea  
Charity Golf Tournament  
Save the Date – September 24, 2019  
Rain Date-October 1, 2019**

Dear Parishioners: Save the date now for the St. Mary Star of the Sea Fifth Annual Golf Tournament to be held on September 24 at Blue Fox Run in Avon. Join the over 150 participants who last year enjoyed the event. This year's event includes golf, box lunch, dinner, and cocktails, and the chance to win fabulous prizes, all for \$125 per each golfer. Or just join us for dinner and cocktails for \$40 per individual. Over the four years since we began the event we raised \$70,000 for the House of Bread in Hartford and Ste. Therese de L'Enfant Jesus in Lilavois, Haiti. Help us to continue the growth of our event by donating gifts/raffle prizes. For more info. please see the poster in the gathering space and pick up a brochure or contact Carol L'Heureux-860-307-1199 (c), 860-675-1430 (h), c.lheureux@comast.net; George Crowley-860-674-0844 (h), 860-463-2069 (c), georgecrowley@comcast.net; Dave Popielarczyk-860-675-8884 (h), 860-922-7774 (c), djpabc@hotmail.com.

**May is Mary's month.** The Legion of Mary has set up Our Lady of Fatima altar in the Gathering Space. It will be there through 6/2. Please stop by and offer a prayer. Our Blessed Mother will intercede for you to her beloved Son Jesus. Rosaries and instruction pamphlets are there. Please help yourself. Make this May the month you learn to pray the Rosary, one of the Catholic Church's greatest devotions. For more info. or if you would like some help to learn the Rosary please call: Kathy Dossot (860)673-3263.

## For Your Information

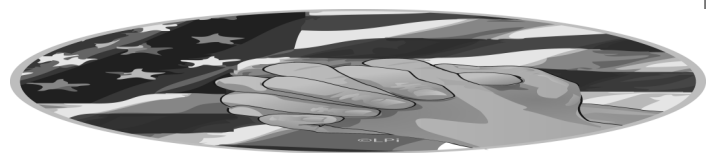
**Social Justice—The Foodshare Truck** will be available in the Church parking lot from 9—9:30 a.m. May 28. If you have questions regarding the Foodshare program, call Pat Robotham, Site Coordinator, at 860 673-3435.

## TEEN RETREAT

This two-night retreat at Holy Family Passionist Retreat Center offers interested teens of high school age opportunities for growth in personal faith, community building and leadership training. The retreat provides a sacred and restful atmosphere to support teens in the understanding of their Catholic faith. It encourages teens to share their gifts and talents with their parishes and to be leaders in sharing their faith with others. The retreat begins on Friday, June 21 at 7:00 p.m. and concludes with a family Mass on Sunday, June 23 which begins at 11:00 a.m. Refreshments will follow. The offering amount is \$175 however, Peer Connections will sponsor parishioners attending the retreat. For more information, go to the Youth Ministry page on [stmary-uninville.org](http://stmary-uninville.org)

**New Horizons 62nd Annual Strawberry Festival & Summer Concert**—June 20 6:00—8:30 p.m. Alice Clover Pinney Park Gazebo, 173 School Street, Unionville. Great music, free pony rides, magician, balloon art, food trucks. If rain, Concert will beheld at the Farmington Community Center

**Thank you** letters have been received from Loaves and Fishes Ministries and St. Vincent DePaul Mission for the donation of tomato basil pasta and rice and beans from the Outreach program as well as a letter from the Farmington Food Pantry for our April food and monetary donations. **Thank you to all for your support.**



The rectory office will be closed on Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day and will re-open at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 28. Have a safe and relaxing weekend.