

Joke of the Week

The Sunday School lesson for the first graders was on the plan of salvation. The teacher asked, "If I sold my house and my car, had a big garage sale, and gave all my money to the church, would I get into heaven?" "No!" all the children answered. "If I cleaned the church every day, mowed the yard, and kept everything neat and tidy, would I get into heaven?" Again, the answer was, "No!" "Well," she continued, "then how can I get to heaven?" One boy confidently answered, "You've gotta be dead!"

Story of the Week

An elderly Chinese woman had two large pots, each hung on the ends of a pole which she carried across her neck. One of the pots had a crack in it while the other pot was perfect and always delivered a full portion of water. At the end of the long walk from the stream to the house, the cracked pot arrived only half full. For a full two years this went on daily, with the woman bringing home only one and a half pots of water. Of course, the perfect pot was proud of its accomplishments. But the poor cracked pot was ashamed of its own imperfection, and miserable that it could only do half of what it had been made to do. After 2 years of what it perceived to be bitter failure, it spoke to the woman one day by the stream. "I am ashamed of myself, because this crack in my side causes water to leak out all the way back to your house." The old woman smiled, "Did you notice that there are flowers on your side of the path, but not on the other pot's side?" "That's because I have always known about your flaw, so I planted flower seeds on your side of the path, and every day while we walk back, you water them." "For two years I have been able to pick these beautiful flowers to decorate the table. Without you being just the way you are, there would not be this beauty to grace the house." Each of us has our own unique flaw. But it's the cracks and flaws we each have that make our lives together so very interesting and rewarding. You've just got to take each person for what they are and look for the good in them.

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**05/26/2019**  
**Sunday of the Man Born Blind**

Date	Loca- tion	Day	Time	Service / Intention	
05/25	N. Cam.	Sat.	3:00 PM 3:30 PM 4:00 PM	Confessions Holy Rosary In Memory of William (Bill) Ziroka	John Zrioka
05/26	N. Cam. Revloc N. Cam.	Sun.	9:00AM 11:00AM 5:00PM	In Memory of Andrew Sidwar Private Intentions For the People	Marlene Hamula
05/27	N. Cam.	Mon.	10:00AM	Deceased Loved Ones	In The Cemetery Chapel
05/28	Revloc	Tues.	6:30PM	Private Intentions	
05/29	Revloc	Wed.	6:30PM	Ascension of Our Lord	Chuff Family
05/30	N. Cam	Thurs	6:00PM	Ascension of Our Lord	Chuff Family
05/31	N. Cam.	Fri.			
06/01	N. Cam.	Sat.	3:00 PM 3:30 PM 4:00 PM	Confessions Holy Rosary In Memory of William (Bill) Ziroka	John Ziroka
06/02	N. Cam. Revloc N. Cam.	Sun.	9:00AM 11:00AM 5:00PM	In Memory of Andrew Sidwar Private Intentions For the People	Marlene Hamula

**The Man Born Blind**

Let us the faithful acclaim and worship the Word, coeternal with the Father and the Spirit, and born of the Virgin for our salvation. For He willed to be lifted up on the cross in the flesh, to suffer death and to raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.*

Blinded in the eyes of my soul, I come to You, O Christ, like the man who was blind from birth, and I cry in repentance: You are the brilliant light of those in darkness.

*Now and forever and ever. Amen.*

Though You descended into a tomb, O Immortal One, yet You destroyed the power of Hades; and You rose as victor, O Christ God, calling to the myrrh bearing women: Rejoice! And giving peace to Your Apostles: You, who grant Resurrection to the fallen.

*Prokeimen (Tone 8)*

Pray and give praise to the Lord our God.

*verse:* In Judea, God is known; His name is great in Israel.

Pray and give praise to the Lord our God.

*Alleluia*

*Verse* Look upon me and have mercy.

*Verse* Direct my steps according to Your word.

*Instead of “It is truly...”:*

The Angel cried out to the one full of grace: O chaste Virgin, rejoice! And again I say, Rejoice! Your Son has risen from the tomb on the third day and raised the dead. Let all people rejoice!

Shine, shine, O New Jerusalem! For the glory of the Lord has risen up on you! Exult now and be glad, O Sion! And You, O Chaste Mother of God, take delight in the resurrection of your Son.

*Communion Hymn*

Receive the Body of Christ; taste the fountain of immortality.

Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. Alleluia. (3)

**Announcements**

**Income Report 05/19/2019**  
**Sunday: \$704.25 Loose: \$159.00 Diocesan: \$50.00 Total: \$913.25**  
**Candles: \$31.00 Building: \$80.00 Cemetery: \$50.00**

**Play “Jesus” Info**

If you have registered to attend “Jesus” at the Sight n Sound Theater on Thursday, July 25th the balance is due on or before June 2nd. The price per person is \$140 which includes round trip bus transportation to and from the theatre, admission to the play and dinner at Hershey Farms after the play. Make check payable to: “Lodestar”. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call 814-244-8011.

**All You Can Eat Buffet Breakfast**

Queen of Peace Parrish, Patton, Pa  
June 2, 2019 from 8:00AM to 1:00PM  
Adults: \$8.00 Children (5-12): \$4.00 Under 5: Free  
Lower level of the Parish Center  
Prepared by the men of the Parrish

**Kitchen News**

We have extra of the following  
Halushki: \$6.00/qt  
If interested please call 814-948-9193

A sincere thank-you to George Fisanich for his generous donation to the Parish. May God Bless You.

**Please remember the sick, shut-ins and deployed of the Parish and our community in your prayers, especially:** James Scott, Mike Saxon, Mary Hanwell, Herb Kirsch & Family, John Kerr, Herluf Pedersen, George & Patty Kotrick, Jane Pavelko, Frank Farabaugh, William Paronish, Special Intention for a parishioner diagnosed with cancer (anonymous), Michael Katchmer, Barb Sidwar, Sarah Kelt, Brody Dick, Dustin Kirsch, Joyce Dolges, Bob Manioc and Shirley Baum.  
Deployed: Tim Shapiro