

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER—MAY 3, 2026

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**SACRAMENT OF
BAPTISM**
SECOND & FOURTH
SUNDAYS
1:15 PM ENG
2:15 PM PL

Please arrange the date
of baptism through the
Rectory office after
the birth of your child

**SACRAMENT OF
MARRIAGE**
Please call the Rectory
for an appointment at
least six months prior
to the desired date.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**
SATURDAYS
4:00 to 4:45 PM and
THURSDAYS BEFORE
FIRST FRIDAYS
4:00 to 5:00 PM
Other times by appointment.

1ST FRI. DEVOTION
7:30 to 10 PM

1ST SAT. DEVOTION
AFTER 8:00 AM MASS

3RD FRIDAY MASS
Mass for Vocations 7:30 PM



**LITURGY OF THE
EUCHARIST**
WEEKDAYS 7:00 AM
SATURDAYS 8:00 AM
SATURDAY EVENINGS
VIGIL MASS 5:00 PM
SUNDAYS 8:00 & 9:15 AM,
10:30 (Polish) 12:00 Noon

RECTORY HOURS
WEEKDAYS
9 AM to 12 Noon
& 1 PM to 4 PM

**EUCCHARISTIC
ADORATION**
TUES. 12 to 1 PM

MILLIONS OF MONICAS
TUES. 1 to 2 PM

**PL PRAYER GROUP
W/ ADORATION**
2ND THURSDAYS 7 PM

LAY CARMELITES
1ST SAT. AFTER
8 AM MASS

ALTAR ROSARY
1ST WED. 6:30 PM
(APRIL, MAY, JUNE,
SEPT., OCT. & NOV.)

YOUTH GROUP
2ND & 4TH MON. 6 PM

Our Mission Statement

Lord, God, all creation is Yours, and You call us to serve You by caring for the gifts that surround us. May the example of St. Isidore urge us to share our food with the hungry and to work for the salvation of mankind. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.
Saint Isidore, Pray for Us.

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5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER—MAY 3, 2026

IN LOVING MEMORY

Missalettes

Eleanor and Stanley Cichanowicz and Family

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, May 2, 2026

5:00 pm + Catherine A. Densieski (A)
+ Eleanor Cichanowicz and Deceased Members
of the Donahue Family

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 3, 2026

8:00 am + Rodney Anderson
9:15 am + Stanley and Stella Starsiak
10:30 am The People of the Parish, Living and Deceased
(PL) Za Członków żywego Różańca i Rodzinę Radia Maryja
+ Kamil Wnorowski
+ Jan Wasilewski i rodzina
+ Ludwika Kopec
+ Genowefa Kuznik
+ Romuald Sokol i rodzina
Birthday Blessings for Teresa Wasilewska
12 Noon + Rebecca Storms

MONDAY, MAY 4, 2026

7:00 am Intentions of Renee and Alexander Zuhoski
+ Tom Coppola

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2026

7:00 am Intentions of Deacon Mike and Reina Bonocore
+ Maryclaire O'Donnell

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 2026

7:00 am + Stephen Stimpfel
+ Timothy and Helen O'Donnell

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 2026

7:00 am + Jennie Koroleski / + Mary Phillips

FRIDAY, MAY 8, 2026

7:00 am Birthday Blessings for Kenny Massiello
+ Genowefa Kuznik

SATURDAY, MAY 9, 2026

8:00 am + Edward Gorski i dusze w czysccu cierpiace
+ Rev. Donald E. Babinski
5:00 pm The People of the Parish, Living and Deceased
+ Dana Columbus and + Family
+ George Gayda (Birthday)
+ Antonette Calcaterra (A)
+ Vincent and Jadwiga Suchta
+ Marian Drozd
+ Dillon, Steven and Janet Perry

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 10, 2026

All Masses for our Mothers, Living and Deceased

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12

Monday: Acts 14:5-18/ Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/ Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/ Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/ Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31/ Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/ Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16 and 20/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-2

OUR COLLECTIONS

Today, May 3: Sunday & DRVC Catholic Schools

Next Week, May 10: Sunday & Our Monthly School

Thank you for your generosity!

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday, May 4, 2026

Confirmation 5 PM

Tuesday, May 5, 2026

Adoration 12 to 1 PM

Millions of Monicas 1 PM to 2 PM

Wednesday, May 6, 2026

English Rosary 7 PM

Altar Rosary Meeting to follow the Rosary

Friday, May 8, 2026

Polish Litany 7 PM



PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Przemyslaw Golembiowski * Bodhi Doroski * Cathy Harper * Margaret Lombardo * Lonneka Doroski * Peter Milovich *

Valerie Ainsworth * Victoria Weiner * Frank Stepnoski * Mary Jane Macarthur * Bruno Sidor * Nancy Kruszon Walters * Joanne DeMarco * Sandra Kuhlman * Albert Stepnoski * Richard Abbott * Beverly Bullock * Joseph O'Shea * Baby John Krepps * Dottie Bugdin * Jadwiga Luniewska * Wanda Tuminska * Etta Jean Otis * Richard Anderson * Eric Frak * Andrew * Chris Bonocore * Ethan Donahue * Irene Monahan * Jodi Ponce * Catherine & Charles J. Sehy * Ben G. & Elizabeth * Wm. Snyder * Nancy McDonald * Brendan Gallagher * Kristy West * Josephine Barker * Paul Farber * Nicholas Steinkamp * Teresa Muenkel * Ron Danowski * Peter Kraljic * Carson Whible * Dave Zazeski * Faye Anderson * James Gibson * Jim Kenna * Daryl Alec * Paula George * Christina Donovan * Joan Zaleski * Gillen Family * Blythe Fickenwirth * Benjamin Gonzalez * Dominique Tirado * Diana Perniciaro * Sammy * Brodie * James Kenna * Douglas Clark * Jan Suchta * Justin * Dakota Harmon * Cole Faller * Halikias Family * Liana Forstein * Rosemary & Daniel Ambrosini * Thomas Ryall * Anne Marie Donlon * Dorothy Sousa * Thomas McEnany * Mary Khulman * Michael Alpert * Roseanne Murphy * Barbara Kozlowski * James West * Elizabeth Farruggia * Kelly Wine * Mary Van Duesen * Thomas DeGirolamo * William Berenger * Daria Quarlena * Eileen Borchart * Sheila Nolan * Jeffrey Clark * Tom Wisniewski III * James, George & Barbara Jaeger * Ernest & Alex Aponte * Helen Long * Michael Miglionico * Ralph Conforti * The Barauskus Family * Hope & Brittany Williams * John Marion * Emilia Andrychowski * Augie & Georgianna Lucente * Johanna Benthall * Michelle Giaccone * Howard Seifert * Ed Kennedy * Kit Z. * Dolores Contino * Agnes Brown * Anders Ryden * Kevin C. Cook * Anita Costi * Doriane Bay * David Vallone * Brittany Schacor * Karen and Kim Finocchiaro * Grace Mary Schulteis * Victor Sechyshyn * George Angle * Melissa Alexandra * Christian Vidal * Suzanne Thompson * Anna Grefe * Anthony Mannino * Marcella Frisen * Theresa Puglia * Brian Darmody * Leigh Anne Brown * Dan Modjeska * Judy Zakorski * Marie Miley * John Shuot * Patrick Murphy * Brian Crowley * Louise Pampinello *

Please keep all those serving in the military and their families in your thoughts and prayers especially:
Nicholas Pelosi, Christopher Drowns, Jeffrey Heppner, James Fleming, Thomas V. D'Auria, Mateusz Marzec, Andre DeRosa, Garrett Bracht and Hunter Bahnke

Please keep Deacons,
Nicholas Waldron and Patrick O'Brien,
in your prayers.



BAPTISMS

We welcome:

Jane Louisa Walter

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THIS WEEK ON FORMED

The Boy From Milan: Stories of Carlo Acutis

Discover the inspiring story of Carlo Acutis, the young boy from Milan. You may have heard of him, the sneaker-wearing, computer-loving "gamer saint" of our time. But beyond the headlines and hashtags, the real story of Carlo is something deeper, something the world desperately needs to hear. Known for his deep love of God, devotion to the Eucharist, and quiet acts of charity, Carlo's life was a testament to everyday holiness.

Carlo Acutis: God's Influencer

"Carlo Acutis: God's Influencer" is a beautifully animated film that brings to life the inspiring story of Carlo Acutis, a modern teenager who used his passion for technology to share the Catholic faith with the world.

The Father's Gift

You are a fullness I cannot receive.
I am already filled with many things:
Distractions, worries, erroneous beliefs, measures where
I'm never enough, jealousies, omissions,
excesses, past offenses I cannot let go.
I empty myself before your throne.
In your light, I see, sort, discard and
own what is mine to own.
You forgive my misdeeds, clear my confusion
and plead for my soul.
You have emptied yourself of your majesty
to draw me in close.
Your humility fills me.
You let me know that I am sent, though
I thought I came to you on my own.
No. It was the Father who claimed
me and gave me you.
I am a gift you open and accept.
My life is for you alone.

~ Rita A. Simmonds

LAY CARMELITE (3RD ORDER) OPEN HOUSE **June 6, 2026**



"The soul that walks in love neither rests nor grows tired."
(St. John of the Cross)

Is this you? Would you like this to be you? Come to the Lay Carmelite Open House on June 6 at 9:15am (following the 8am 1st Saturday Mass-lower level) here at St. Isidore's to learn how the great Carmelite saints "walked in love" with the Blessed Mother as their guide to seek a deeper relationship with our Lord. If you are a Catholic in good standing, man, woman (Diocesan Priests/Deacons are welcome) and over 18, desire a deeper contemplative prayer life and have a special place in your heart for the Blessed Mother, we welcome you to consider becoming a part of our Carmelite family.

Did you know that Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen and Pope St. John Paul II were both Third Order Carmelites? For more detailed information, please don't hesitate to call:

Director—Roberta Morrissey, TOC 631-833-1239

MONTH OF MARY

(by Catholic Culture)



The month of May is the "month which the piety of the faithful has especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady," and it is the occasion for a "moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world [pay] to the Queen of Heaven. During this month Christians, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance" (Paul VI: Encyclical on the *Month of May*, no. 1).

This Christian custom of dedicating the month of May to the Blessed Virgin arose at the end of the 13th century. In this way, the Church was able to Christianize the secular feasts which were wont to take place at that time. In the 16th century, books appeared and fostered this devotion.

The practice became especially popular among the members of the Jesuit Order — by 1700 it took hold among their students at the Roman College and a bit later it was publicly practiced in the Gesu Church in Rome. From there it spread to the whole Church.

The practice was granted a partial indulgence by Pius VII in 1815 and a plenary indulgence by Pius IX in 1859. With the complete revision of indulgences in 1966 and the decreased emphasis on specific indulgences, it no longer carries an indulgence; however it certainly falls within the category of the First General Grant of Indulgences. (A *partial indulgence* is granted to the faithful who, in the performance of their duties and in bearing the trials of life, raise their mind with humble confidence to God, adding — even if only mentally — some pious invocation.

Excerpted from *Enchiridion of Indulgences*.

The Month of Mary and the Popes

The pious practice of honoring Mary during the month of May has been especially recommended by the Popes. Pius XII made frequent reference to it and in his great Encyclical *on the Sacred Liturgy (Mediator Dei)* characterized it as one of "other exercises of piety which although not strictly belonging to the Sacred Liturgy, are nevertheless of special import and dignity, and may be considered in a certain way to be an addition to the liturgical cult: they have been approved and praised over and over again by the Apostolic See and by the Bishops" (no. 182).

Paul VI wrote a short encyclical in 1965 using the *Month of Mary* devotion as a means of obtaining prayers for peace. He urged the faithful to make use of this practice which is "gladdening and consoling" and by which the Blessed Virgin Mary is honored and the Christian people are enriched with spiritual gifts" (no. 2).

In May of 2002 Pope John Paul II said, "Today we begin the month dedicated to Our Lady a favourite of popular devotion. In accord with a long-standing tradition of devotion, parishes and families continue to make the month of May a 'Marian' month, celebrating it with many devout liturgical, catechetical and pastoral initiatives!"

Devotion to Mary

The Blessed Virgin Mary is the Mother of the Church and therefore the example, as well as the guide and inspiration, of everyone who, in and through the Church, seeks to be the servant of God and man and the obedient agent of the promptings of the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit, as Pope Leo XIII reminded us, is the soul of the Church: All the activity and service of the members of the Church, beginning with the supreme participation of the Blessed Mother in the work of the Church, is vivified by the Holy Spirit as the body, in all its activities, is vivified by its soul. The Holy Spirit is the Paraclete, Advocate, and Comforter which Christ Himself sent to be our consolation in the sorrowful mysteries of life, our source of moderation in the joyful mysteries of life, our added principle of exaltation in the glorious mysteries of life.

So He was for the Blessed Mother; so also He is for the least of us; so also He is for the rest of the Church, even for those who are its unconscious but conscientious members.

Wherever there is faith there is the example of Mary, because she lived by faith as the Scriptures remind us....

If, then, piety is the virtue which binds us to the sources of all life, to God, to our parents, to the Church, to Christ, certainly Christian piety binds us, in grateful love, to Mary — or our acceptance of Christ and of the mystery of our kinship with Him is imperfect, partial, and unfulfilled.

— Cardinal John Wright

MEDITATION OF THE DAY

Praise Him for the Peace He Gives

(by Thomas à Kempis)

His praise be ever in my mouth (Ps 34:2). How sweet the sound of these words in the ears of the devout, but sweeter still when sung in the presence of God and the holy angels. If all musical instruments were to play together and not resound to God's praise, they would play in vain.... The most beautiful harmony, both in heaven and on earth, is praising God with a pure heart, acknowledging his immense goodness and unsurpassed grandeur, and this in union with all creation.

It is a most pleasant duty to praise God at all times, to love the Creator of heaven and earth, and, most of all, to do homage to the Bestower of eternal life. Indeed, the life, homage, and glory of the holy angels is to praise God with all their being, and never are they to cease from that praise. In this they never grow weary, nor do they ever sing their praises in vain. The souls of the saints in their heavenly home—now free from the bonds of their bodies, the snares of the devil, safe from all his temptations, united to God in perfect charity and endless joy, and filled with unspeakable beatitude—are occupied in the same way. In their freedom, they recall with much happiness the many trials and sorrows they experienced in this unhappy life and how many temptations and dangers they escaped. Their lamentations are now turned into chants of joy, and their afflictions give greater brilliance to their crowns.

Happy that homeland where everything is peaceful, where there is no sadness but only joy, and where all is filled with divine praise and abundant rejoicing. Therefore, faithful soul, bless the Lord of heaven....

When undergoing a trial, call upon Jesus to assist you, and may he be at your right and left together with his holy angels. Pray that the assaults of the devil do not get the upper hand over you and that the weakness of the flesh lead you not astray.... For the love of Christ, take up the burden of the holy cross, which will open the gates of the kingdom of heaven for you.... Therefore, let the praise of God be ever on your lips, in good times and in bad.... He who made you in his image will not, out of his immense goodness, desert you when you are in need. Therefore, open your mouth in praise of the omnipotent God, by whose providence everything in heaven and on earth, in the sea and in its inner depths, is ruled.

Venerable Thomas à Kempis

Thomas à Kempis († 1471) was a German priest and monk who wrote many spiritual works From Bountiful Goodness: *A Little Garden of Roses & The Valley of Lilies*, Joseph N. Tylenda, S.J., tr. © 2013, Ignatius Press, San Francisco, CA. www.ignatius.com. Used with permission.

(Another well-known work of Thomas à Kempis is *The Imitation of Christ*)





Fatima Day

WEDNESDAY *13* MAY

10:30 *am* Solemn arrival and enthrone-
ment of the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima

11:00 *am* Rosary

11:30 *am* Mass
Procession following Mass

1:30 *pm* Conference

3:00 *pm* Solemn chanting of the Litany
of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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