St. Anthony † St. George Maronite Catholic Church

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5th Sunday of Pentecost
Happy Father's Day
June 20, 2021

Mass Intentions

5TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST				
Sat. 4:00pm	6/19	Bill & Mary Bedwick by Mr. & Mrs. William Bedwick		
		Raynond Monseur by Rosie Monseur		
Sun. 10:00am	6/20	Anthony Joseph by Bob & Carol Decker		
		Al Albert by Barbara Albert		

DAILY MASS				
Tues 9:00 am	6/22	Francis & Therese Shiner by Barbara Shiner Shinko		
Wed 9:00 am	6/23	Kathy Price by Donna Bedwick		
Thur. 9:00 am	6/24	William Shehwen by Cheryl & Stanly Shina		
Fri 9:00am	6/25	C.J. Moses by Barbara Shiner Shinko		

6TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST				
Sat. 4:00pm	6/26	James Kearney by Mimi & John Bereznak		
		Raynond Bedwick by Frank & Theresa Kasmark		
Sun. 10:00am	6/27	Marie Hudson by John & Mitzie Michael		
		Nicole Wallace by Alice Corba		

Readings for:

Saturday June 19 & Sunday June 20:

Phil 3:7-14

Mt 10:1-7



Rectory Office Hours:

Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday

9:30 am- 1:30 pm

Sanctuary Offerings: June 19 & 20					
To Request Sanctuary Offerings Call:					
	Joyce 570-814-1415				
Bread	Marie Hudson by Dennise Hudson Herskind & Children				
Dreau	George Bedwick by Mr. & Mrs. William Bedwick				
Wine	Marie Hudson by Dennise Hudson Herskind & Children				
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Sanctuary	Marie Hudson by Dennise Hudson Herskind & Children				
Candle	George Bedwick by Mr. & Mrs. William Bedwick				

FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKET REMINDER:

Recently, we distributed and mailed raffle tickets to our parishioners for our upcoming Festival on September 12, 2021. We remind everyone to please return the ticket stubs portion with your name, etc. along with your payment. Checks can be made payable to St. Anthony & St. George.

Georgette Austin, chairperson of the raffle, asks that anyone who can sell additional tickets to please contact her at 570-592-3253. Tickets are only \$5.00 each and we need everyone's help to make this a success.

1st Prize-\$,2000, 2nd Prize-\$1,000, 3rd Prize-\$500.

Do you know of any businesses that would allow us to set up a table to sell our tickets outside their store? Any other ideas to increase our ticket sales? Please let Georgette know any suggestions.

Altar &
Rosary
Society
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Cynthia Collins
President

Joyce Birk

Vice President

St. Joseph's Society

Michael Khalife

President

Bill John

Vice President

Weekly Contributions:

Collection \$ 2998.00

Diocesan Assessment

\$ 235.00

Candles \$ 208.00

<u>Council</u>

Parish

Linda Joseph
Cynthia Collins
Bill John
Bob Decker
Dave Lewis
Tony Ellis
Marie Judge
Shelley Senghaas

<u>Finance</u> Committee

Linda Joseph

Ed Michael

Greg Collins

Vaughn Koter

Every Thursday

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Adoration

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

First Thursday of Every Month Healing Mass

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm



Our Lord Jesus Christ made these twelve promises to those who honor His Sacred Heart to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, a French nun, whom he called "the Beloved Disciple of the Sacred Heart" and the Heiress "of all Its treasures", in the 1670's. They show us how much he cherishes this devotion.

Considering that the blood that redeemed us at Calvary came from His Sacred Heart and that so much love and light still exude from it, we can easily understand why! These promises were revealed in one of many private revelations that Jesus gave St. Margaret Mary. Our Lord promised the following:

- 1. I will give them all the graces necessary for their state in life.
- 2. I will establish peace in their families.
- 3. I will comfort them in their trials.
- 4. I will be their secure refuge during life, and, above all, in death.
- 5. I will shed abundant blessings on all their undertakings.
- 6. Sinners will find in My Heart an infinite ocean of mercy.
- 7. Lukewarm souls will become fervent.
- 8. Fervent souls will rapidly grow in holiness and perfection.
- 9. I will bless every place where an image of My Heart shall be exposed and honored.
- 10. I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
- 11. The names of those who promote this devotion will be written in My Heart, never to be blotted out.
- 12. I promise thee, in the excessive mercy of My Heart, that My all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Friday of nine consecutive months, the grace of final penitence; they shall not die in My disgrace nor without receiving their Sacraments; My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

These promises remind us that God's love for us is such that He doesn't want to lose *any* of us to Satan and Perdition. The Good Shepherd will search after His lost sheep, but we must *want* to be found.

As St. Augustine, the bishop of Hippo, one of our greatest theologians and a Doctor of the Church once said about God, "He who created us without our help will not save us without our consent."

Jesus, Meek and Humble of Heart, make my heart like unto Thine!