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Special Collection

Peter's Pence June 26th

Mass Intentions

June 19th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

June 26th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

Liturgical Ministers

June 26th:

Lector: Lois Freeland

Altar Servers: Ella Grace Muetze

Eucharistic Minister:

Altar Linens — Eleanor Michie, Khuyen

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Ushers—Men of the Parish

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ June 19, 2022

As often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.

— 1 Corinthians 11:26

THE GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST

Today we hear how Abram encounters Melchizedek, "king of Salem . . . and a priest of God Most High" (Genesis 14:18). Melchizedek appears nowhere else in scripture, but is nonetheless significant. Psalm 110 declares of the great King David, "You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek," a description later given (in the letter to the Hebrews) to Christ as High Priest.

Early Christians saw in Melchizedek's bread and wine the bread and wine of the Eucharist; Paul's account of the Last Supper (in today's second reading) is the oldest one in scripture. In the Gospel, Luke describes Jesus providing bread for a crowd in words similar to Paul's, words still used by the Church: Jesus takes bread, gives thanks, breaks it. Together, these three readings reveal how Christian priesthood, Christ's Real Presence, and the call to serve those in need are all found in the gift of the Eucharist.



The PRE Department is in need of the following for the coming school year:

1 teacher for Kindergarten If you are interested, please contact Lois Freeland @ 770-714-7167 (cell) or 731-858-2332 (home). If you have agreed to Sub, please text her with your name and contact number. We also need 3 new positions to be filled. One would coordinate activities for the students similar to "field trips"; one to coordinate the celebrations after mass for First Communion and Confirmation and one to take charge of the Christmas program. We currently have costumes and a set available to be used this year making the task much lighter. As our program continues to grow, so do our needs. Please consider volunteering your time for our children.

Registration will begin the week of July 17th and the first class will be on August 14th. Anyone not registered on the first day of class, will not be admitted to class until the following week when all paperwork is completed. Also this year with the registration, they must include a copy of the Baptismal Certificate if they are a new student or have not yet received First Communion. No exceptions.

TODAY'S READINGS FOR YEAR C

First Reading — Melchizedek brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).

Psalm — You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110).

Second Reading — Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-

Gospel — Jesus feeds the crowd with five loaves

and two fish (Luke 9:11b-17).

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER **Parishioners**

Grant Adams, Gary Booth, Lucien Cravens, MaryAnn Maness, James Trim, Madonna Wall

Relatives

Kelli Blankenship, Thomas Blankenship, Austin Ernst, Emily Ernst, Jackie Donnett, Andrew Grower, Christine Hart and the twin boys Benjamin and Theodore, Nicholas Kirkpatrick, Jenny Moore, Andrew Morlan, Yu Youn Suk

Friends

Emma Cupples, Sunny Maness, Bobbie Keeton, John Henry Maness, Fr Robert Ponticello, Park Mi Kung, Na Song Ae

PRAYER OF THE WEEK The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament have left us a memorial of your Passion, grant us, we pray,

so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood

that we may always experience in ourselves the fruits of your redemption.

Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How am I part of the Body of Christ in the world? Collect text from the English translation of *The Roman Missal*, © 2010, Internation Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

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WEEKLY OFFERING

	June 12th
Budget	\$1750
Actual	\$3427
Bldg.	\$320
Over	\$1997

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Ps 60:3-5, 12-13;

Mt 7:1-5

2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Tuesday: Ps 48:2-4, 10-11; Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Ps 119:33-37, 40; Mt 7:15-20

<u>Vigil</u>: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17 Thursday:

Day: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5b-11; Friday:

Lk 15:3-7

Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Ps 74:1b-7, 20-21; Saturday:

Lk 2:41-51

1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Sunday:

Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

Mass Schedule



Monday: 11:30 am Wednesday: 11:30 am Thursday: 9:00 am **Friday:** 11:30 am Sunday Vigil: 4:30 pm **Sunday:** 9:00 am

Coming Events

June and July: No Sunday Scripture Study Group

Saturday, August 6th: Save the date for Mass and our Parish Picnic at Sunset Valley Farms. More information coming.

Deacon Moss classes are canceled until the second Tuesday in September.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Most Holy Body and Blood of

Christ;

Father's Day: Juneteenth

Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time Monday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer Tuesday:

begins

Wednesday: St. Paulinus of Nola;

Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More The Nativity of St. John the Baptist Thursday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Friday:

Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of the

Blessed