

WE THANK everyone who shared a portion of their blessings to God through your church.

Apr.29 & 30, 2023: Regular Collection: \$1,748.00, Building Fund: \$400.00, Seminary: \$510.00.

*Thank you for your generosity*

Let us pray for our sick, our cherished elderly & their families: *Gertrude Burlison, Frances Cegielski (and family and care providers), Eloise Degoiani, Riley Faith, Elizabeth Falk, Josh Gurka, Joe Gutkowski, David Horton Sr., Kathy Kitowski, Kathy Kmiec, Frankie Koterak, Christine Kuciemba, Debra Mazurkiewicz, Pauline Mazurkiewicz, Virginia Moszkowicz Meschwitz, Barbara Moszkowicz, Shirley Moszkowicz Ray, David Stegent, Lawrence Wisnoski.*

NOTE: *Please inform us if you know of someone who is ill and needs prayers.*

#### MONEY COUNTERS (Note your day):

Monday, May 8: Clara Jozwiak, Peggy Husky, Evelyn Williams, Judy Willitzer.

Monday, May 15: Dorothy Bielski, JoAnne Horton, Mark Jozwiak, Alvin Malinowski.

#### **WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES** *Best Wishes and Congratulations to:*

Elizabeth/Larry Gurka, May 4—49th  
Janie/Albin Mikolajchak, May 6—51st  
Janice/Marty Kubeczka, May 18—38th  
Diane/Brennan Peterson, May 18—38th  
Virginia/Alvin Malinowski, May 21—57th  
Janis/Edward Kmiec, May 23—42nd  
Patricia/Gerald Novak, May 24—54th  
Bebe/Joe Gurka, May 26—61st  
Hayley/Matthew Frankson, May 27—6th  
Jenny/Kieran Tobin, May 27—22nd  
Susan/Joe Gutkowski, May 31—37th

The Altar & Rosary Society will have a meeting on Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 2:30 PM in the Meeting Room. All members, and anyone interested in joining, are urged to attend.

St. Stanislaus Parish Pastoral Council and Father Thaddeus are pleased to announce that we now have approval from the Diocesan Building Commission to move forward with Phase 3 in building a Family Life Center.

The diocese understands the need for an educational facility and wants to see it used for pastoral activities and other gatherings and meetings. The architect is in the process of finalizing the plans, based on suggestions by the Commission. Construction should begin soon.

It is our hope to have Bishop Vasquez bless the completed Family Life Center around May 8, 2024, the feast day of St. Stanislaus.

*Please continue prayers for this much-needed addition to our parish.*

#### **BAZAAR NEWS:**

Kelvin Mikolajchak, is our General Chairperson for "Bazaar 2023. Our Bazaar this year will be September 3rd.

As you all know the two largest money makers of the Bazaar are the Raffle Tickets and Grand Auction. Therefore, we are asking for donations for these two areas, we do not need your item (s) or cash donation immediately just your commitment. Donations should be of at least \$100 in value. If you would like to donate on the Raffle Ticket, contact Virginia (979/836-0080) and for the Auction, contact Crystal (979/251-4048). June 2nd is the deadline for donating on the Raffle Tickets, and we will try to have the tickets out by July 1st. Let's all work together and see if we can top our profit of \$100K from 2022.

#### **May 4th Feast Day of Saint Florian a Martyr** (lived between 250-280).

Saint Florian commemorated in the Roman Martyrology on May 4th, was an officer of the Roman army, who occupied a high administrative post in Noricum, now part of Austria, and who suffered death for the Faith in the days of Diocletian.



His "Acts of Martyrdom" state that he gave himself up at Lorch to the soldiers of Aquilinus, the governor, when they were rounding up the Christians, and after making a bold confession, he was twice scourged, half-flayed alive, set on fire, and finally thrown into the river Enns with a stone around his neck. His body, recovered and buried by a pious woman, was eventually removed to the Augustinian Abbey of St. Florian, near Linz. It is said to have been at a later date translated to Rome, and Pope Lucius III, in 1138, gave some of the saint's relics to King Casimir of Poland and to the Bishop of Cracow.

Since that time, St. Florian has been regarded as a patron of Poland as well as of Linz, Upper Austria and of firemen. There has been popular devotion to St. Florian in many parts of central Europe, and the tradition as to his martyrdom, not far from the spot where the Enns flows into the Danube, is ancient and reliable. Many miracles of healing are attributed to his intercession,

and he is invoked as a powerful protector in danger from fire or water since he is a Patron Saint of firefighters; chimneysweeps; soap boilers; brewers; protector from floods, fires, battles & drowning. His feast day is May 4th.

**Firefighter's Prayer:** Oh, Almighty God, whose great power and eternal wisdom embraces the universe, watch over all Firefighters. Protect them from harm in the performance of their duty to fight fire, save lives, and preserve property. We pray, help them to keep our homes and all buildings safe day and night. Through the intercession of Saint Florian, we entrust them to Your loving care because their duty is dangerous. Grant them Your unending strength and courage in their daily assignments. Dear God unite them safely with their families after duty has ended. Amen.

<https://www.saintsfeastfamily.com/copy-of-feast-of-sts-philip-and-jam-1>

***This Week's Message:***

“Christ, high priest and unique mediator, has made of the Church ‘a kingdom, priests for his God and Father.’ The whole community of believers is, as such, priestly. The faithful exercise their baptismal priesthood through their participation, each according to his own vocation, in Christ’s mission as priest, prophet, and king. Through the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation the faithful are ‘consecrated to be... a holy priesthood.’”

*(Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1546)*

**FIFTH WEEK OF EASTER**

***Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous deeds; he has revealed to the nations his saving power, alleluia.***

Sat. May 6	9:00 AM	+SANDRA CEGELSKI by Peggy/Ronnie Husky (First Saturday)
Sat. May 6	6:00 PM	+V.J. JOZWIAK by Margie Jozwiak
Sun. May 7	8:00 AM	+LOUIS KMIEC JR by Cathy/Clemons Faist
Wed. May 10	6:00 PM	+THADDEUS and ROBERT MOSZKOWICZ by Pauline Moszkowicz
Thur. May 11	8:00 AM	+CLARA GURKA by Virginia/Alvin Malinowski
Fri. May 12	8:00 AM	+SANDRA CELGELSKI by Virginia/Alvin Malinowski

**SIXTH WEEK OF EASTER**

***Speak out with a voice of joy; let it be heard to the ends of the earth: The Lord has set his people free, alleluia.***

Sat. May 13	6:00 PM	+PETE MAZURKIEWICZ by Family
Sun. May 14	8:00 AM	+EDWINA KAMINSKI by Family
Wed. May 17	6:00 PM	FOR PARISHIONERS
Thur. May 18	8:00 AM	In Thanksgiving for 38 years of Marriage by Diane/Brennan Peterson
Fri. May 19	8:00 AM	+JOHNNIE JEZIERSKI by Rita/Fabian Jezierski

***Congratulations to those who received their First Holy Communion on April 30th:  
Avery Amelia Korpe  
Kaia Nicole Lozada  
Bowen Marshall Riley***

Thursday June 1:

Rehearsal for Confirmation candidates, at St. Mary’s in Brenham, 6:30 pm.

Saturday June 3:

The Sacrament of Confirmation, at St. Mary’s in Brenham, 2:30 pm.

**ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**CHAPPELL HILL, TEXAS 77426**

**MAY 6TH & 7TH 2023**

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



**Pastor: Fr. Thaddeus Tabak, SDS**

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**Regular Mass Schedule:**

Saturday :	6:00 PM
Sunday:	8:00 AM
Wednesday:	6:00 PM
Thursday & Friday:	8:00 AM

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Sat. 5-5:45 PM/ Sun. 7- 7: 45 AM and  
30 minutes before weekday Masses

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Call at least 6 months before the planned wedding.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Contact Parish Office at least 2 weeks in advance.

**To Register in the Parish:** Forms are available in the narthex (near entry of the church).

**Parish Boards and Councils / Chairpersons:**

Pastoral Council & Maintenance: Mark Bilski  
Financial Committee: Doug Elder  
Religious Education: Peggy Husky  
Cemetery Board: Kenneth Kettler  
Altar Society: Gertrude Nowak  
Hall Committee: Janie Mikolajchak  
Organist: Linda Zientek  
Knights of Columbus: Ed Hoffart  
KJT: Henry Wilganowski

