

OUR PARISH OF ST. CLARE



LECTOR SCHEDULE

May 8: Mike Berheide
 May 15: Pat Calie
 May 22: Lynn Feltner
 May 29: Fred de Rosset
 June 5: Carol de Rosset
 June 12: Mike Berheide

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

May 8: Isaac & Julianne Pryor
 May 15: Isidro Cadena
 May 22: Sophia Daugherty & Julianne Pryor
 May 29: Brian Russell

THIS WEEK AT ST. CLARE

Sun. May 8: 10:15 a.m. May Crowning
 10:30 a.m. Reception for First Communicants-all are welcome
 Mon. May 9: 9:00 a.m. Collection Counters
 Tue. May 10: Office hours by appointment
 Thu. May 12: 9:00-12:00—Office open
 Sun. May 15: 10:15 a.m.-CCD, Friendship Hall
 5:00 p.m.-JPII Knights of Columbus

STEWARDSHIP

Total Collections (fiscal YTD): \$74,571.45
 Collections 5/1/22: \$1,679.00
 Building/Maintenance: \$890.00

A Mother's Day Prayer

Dear Lord, we pray in gratitude for our mothers and for all the women who have joined with you in the wonder of bringing forth new life. You who became human through a woman, grant to all mothers the courage they need to face the uncertain future that life with children always brings. Give them the strength to love and to be loved in return. Give them the faithful support of family and friends as they care for the physical and spiritual growth of their children. Give them joy and delight in their children to sustain them through the trials of motherhood. Most of all, give them the wisdom to turn to you for help when they need it most. Amen.

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE / INTENTIONS

Sat. May 7- 5:00 p.m. (OLMV) Pro Populo
Sun. May 8- 9:00 a.m. (St. Clare)
 +Michael A. Davis
 11:45 a.m. (St. Paul)
 + Michael A. Davis
 4:00 p.m. (St Clare) *Misa en español*
 Int. Rev. Gary Simpson
Tues. May 10- 5:00 p.m. (OLMV)
 +Michael A. Davis
Wed. May 11- 6:00 p.m. (St. Paul)
 +Michael A. Davis
Thur. May 12- 8:00 a.m. (St. Clare)
 +Zolman Family
Sat. May 14: 5:00 p.m. (OLMV)
 Int. Marie Banderman
Sun. May 15- 9:00 a.m. (St Clare) Pro Populo
 11:45 a.m. (St. Paul)
 + Zolman Family
 4:00 p.m. (St. Clare) *Misa en español*
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PRAYER NEEDS

Parishioners: Beatriz Del Rosario,
 +Marjorie Hyleck, Lois Lear, Mary Ann
 Marr, Carol Norman, Bob Rucker, Mari
 Rucker, Gene Startzman.



Family and Friends: Fr. Frank Brawner; Fr. John Curtis.

Names will remain on the prayer list for the month in which they are inscribed, unless you would like for the prayer request to remain longer—please enter your request into the Book of Prayer in the narthex or contact the office.

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Baptism: Baptismal preparation is required of all parents prior to the celebration of baptism. Please call parish office for an appointment.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Any time by appointment.
Anointing of the Sick: Please inform the parish office when someone needs a visit from a priest.
Marriage Preparation: Make arrangements with the parish office at least six months before the intended wedding.
Visitation of Sick and Homebound: If you or a member of your family is in the hospital, privacy acts prohibit ministers from obtaining names through the hospital; therefore, you must contact the parish if you would like a visit. Also, please contact the parish to request homebound visits if you become ill.

Announcements/Anuncios

May 8: Fourth Sunday of Easter

~SPECIAL COLLECTIONS~

The second collection next weekend is for Catholic Communications.

FIRST COMMUNION AND MAY CROWNING TODAY

The parish will celebrate First Communion during Mass today, Sunday, May 8, and May Crowning after Mass.

A reception and parish fellowship will follow the May Crowning in Friendship Hall. Congratulations to our first communicants!

PLEASE NOTE: CHANGE IN ST. CLARE SYNOD SESSION DATE & TIME

Due to today being Mother's Day, when people may have other obligations, the date and time of our parish -level synod listening session at St. Clare have been changed. This bilingual session will now take place **next Sunday, May 15, beginning at 2:30 p.m. and ending by 3:45.** Augustinian priest Father Robert Deuwecke, OSA, is assisting our diocese as the synod facilitator, and he will be here with us next week. Drinks and light snacks will be provided.

Please plan to attend...let's have a good turnout as we think, discuss, and send our thoughts on to Rome about the future and the possibilities we see for our diocese to engage the world and spread the Gospel.

PRAYERS REQUESTED...

Please pray in Christian charity for the priests of the diocese who will gather together for the first time in three years for a Convocation at St Meinrad Archabbey in Indiana on May 16th- 20th.

Also please pray for all those about to be ordained in the coming months, especially the Rev. Mister Ben Horn, who will be ordained a priest of God on Saturday, May 21st at the Cathedral of Christ the King to serve the diocese of Lexington.