



# Mary Help of Christians Traditional Roman Catholic Church

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## May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 † St. Joseph the Worker

Sunday, May 1, HOLY MASS 9:00 a.m. - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Easter

*Pro Populo*

Mon., May 2, HOLY MASS 7:00 a.m. - St. Anthansius, BCD

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Tues., May 3, HOLY MASS 8:15 a.m. - Finding of the True Cross

*Father Michael Anaya*

Wed., May 4, HOLY MASS 8:15 a.m. - St. Monica, W

*Fr. Augustine's Intention*

Thurs., May 5, HOLY MASS 8:15 a.m. - St. Pius V

*Joseph Foley*

Fri., May 6, HOLY MASS, BENEDICTION and EXPOSITION 6:30 pm – First Friday

*Special Intention of Maryanne Perelli*

St. John before the Latin Gate, ApEv

Sat., May 7, REPOSITION 8:45 am, HOLY MASS 9:00 am – First Saturday, St. Stanislaus

*For generosity in answering God's call to Holiness, Vocations*

Sunday, May 8, HIGH MASS 9:00 a.m – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Easter (Mother's Day)

*Pro Populo*

### Serving Schedule:

Sun. May 1<sup>st</sup>: Anthony Kosovich, Jude Vigil

Tues. May 3<sup>rd</sup>: Eric Vigil, Toby Vigil

Thurs. May 5<sup>th</sup>: Alexander Vigil, John Fries

Sat. May 7<sup>th</sup>: Dominic Pulliam, Steven Kosovich

Sun. May 8<sup>th</sup>: Steven Kosovich, Oliver Vigil

Sun. May 15<sup>th</sup>: Joseph Fries, Anthony Griess

Wed. May 4<sup>th</sup>: Anthony Vigil, Jude Vigil

Fri. May 6<sup>th</sup>: Eric Kosovich, Oliver Vigil

**“Blessed are they who have not seen, and yet, have believed!” - Christ to St. Thomas**

**Confessions:** Sundays – 8:00 am and after Mass      Tues. & Wed. – 7:35am      Thurs. – 2:00pm

**Children's Catechism Classes:** Class Today, May 1, 8:15 – 8:45am

**Adult Doctrine Classes:** Wednesday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 – 8:00pm

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Kyle Kaltenbacher, Elijah Nosko, Sarah Watterson, Rebekah Hibdon, Michael Micklich, Christopher, Jimmy, Camron and Stephanie Howe, our Military and Police, RIP Eugene Kauhane, Maria Atwood, Tom Gallegos, RIP Marilyn Soisson, RIP Anita Grasins, RIP Joshua Baert, RIP Susan Chenoweth, RIP George Trahan and all the sick. (Contact Sister to add to this prayer list.)

**FLOWER COLLECTION:** Today there will be an extra collection to support beautifying the House of God with fresh flowers.

**MAY CROWNING:** will take place every Sunday of May! The faithful are encouraged to bring extra flowers to adorn Mary's Shrine!

**VOLLEYBALL:** today at the Nancy Lewis Park. Bring your own food! Come and join the fun in the sun!!!

**FIRST FRIDAY and FIRST SATURDAY MASS:** in reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary are this week. Please sign up for the all night adoration on the Google sheets link that has been sent out. All the hours must be filled in order for us to have this privilege! Devotions for First Saturday will begin at 8:00am; these include the Rosary with meditations and prayers to the Immaculate Heart.

**SERVER'S SATURDAY:** will resume on June 4<sup>th</sup>. These practices are for current servers, past servers who would like to start serving again or who would like to help train the younger servers, and those who would like to learn to serve. Dads are welcome to join. Future practices will always follow the First Saturday Mass; afterwards there will be an excursion of some kind: a hike, trip to the park, etc. Please direct questions to Fr. Augustine.

**ACADEMY PROGRAM:** is Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00pm. All are welcome! Please bring a finger snack to share.

**GARAGE SALE:** will be the week of May 15<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup>. Donations can be left in the church basement or given to the Sisters. Help with set up, running the sale, and take down will be much appreciated! Please volunteer on the google sheet that has been emailed out. Many hands will be needed Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, to move the garage sale items from the convent garage to the school.

**COLLECTIONS TOTALS FOR APRIL:** 4-3 \$877; 4-10 \$889; 4-17 \$1235.75; 4-24 \$937.

**VOLUNTEER(S) NEEDED:** to take over or help with sacristan work, cleaning and linen care.

### **The Popes and St. Joseph the Worker**

Pope Pius XI wrote in his 1937 encyclical *Divini Redemptoris*: To hasten the advent of that "peace of Christ in the kingdom of Christ" so ardently desired by all, We place the vast campaign of the Church against world Communism under the standard of St. Joseph, her mighty protector. He belongs to the working-class, and he bore the burdens of poverty for himself and the Holy Family, whose tender and vigilant head he was. To him was entrusted the Divine Child when Herod loosed his assassins against Him. In a life of faithful performance of everyday duties, he left an example for all those who must gain their bread by the toil of their hands. He won for himself the title of "The Just," serving thus as a living model of that Christian justice which should reign in social life. Pope Benedict XV, wrote in his 1920 *motu proprio Bonum Sane* that we must turn to St. Joseph to fight the evils of socialism: The advent of a certain universal republic ... which is founded on the absolute equality of men and on the communion of goods, and in which there is no longer any distinction of nationality, does not recognize the authority of the father on the children, neither of the public power on the citizens, nor of God on the men gathered in civil consortium. We, therefore, most worried by the course of these events ... remind the children of the Church of their duty ... who earn their bread with labor, to keep themselves immune from the contagion of socialism, the bitter enemy of Christian principles. We, with great solicitude, recommend them in particular to St. Joseph, to follow him as their guide and to receive the special honor of his heavenly patronage. Pope Pius XII in 1955 instituted the feast day of St. Joseph the Worker. He instructed members of the Association of Christian Workers to "honor Joseph as the high example and invincible defender of their ranks, for no worker was ever more completely and profoundly penetrated by the Holy Ghost than the foster father of Jesus, who lived with Him in closest intimacy and community of family life and work."

