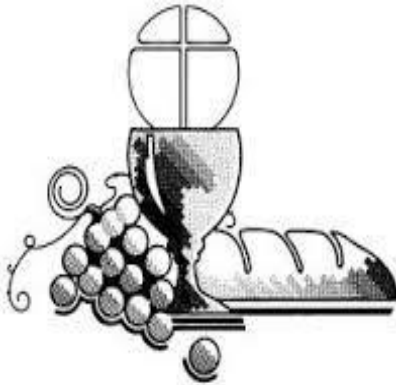


## *From the Administrator's Desk*

*Be careful not to forget the Lord. (Deuteronomy 8:11)*



The Israelites were about to enter the Promised Land, and Moses wanted to make sure that they would stay faithful to God once they were established in their new home. So he gathered them together and recounted all that God had done for them during their desert journey. Moses recalled the ten plagues and the parting of the Red Sea. He reminded them that during their years of wandering the desert, “the clothing did not fall from you in tatters, nor did your feet swell” (Deuteronomy 8:4). And most important he reminded them how God had fed them every day with manna. If they could just remember God’s goodness, the people would be more willing to service the Lord and put their

trust in him. Fast-forward to the Last Supper, when Jesus first instituted the Eucharist, telling us, “Do this in memory of me” (Luke 22:19). Just as Moses told the Israelites, Jesus now asks us to remember him and his goodness. He wanted us to keep in mind all that the Mass represents: his incarnation as a man, his teachings, his mercy, his miracles, and his death and resurrection. He has told us that as we break the bread in memory of him, he will be with us, feeding us with his own divine life and grace. How blessed we are! The manna sustained the Israelites during their earthly journey, but Jesus’ bread of life sustains us for eternal life. The manna came from heaven down to earth, but the bread of life comes from the earth and lifts us up to heaven. The manna reminded the people of the Lord, but the bread of life is the Lord. So when you receive Communion remember who you are receiving and what he did for you- and don’t forget this for the rest of the day! Remembering will help you stay focused on you obeying God’s commands. And most important, it will convince you that nothing can separate you from the love of God!

*“Jesus, help me to remember your love today and every day.”*

## **Saints of the Week**

**June 24<sup>th</sup>** – THE BIRTH OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST – The Nativity of St. John the Baptist is placed six (6) months before the Birth of the Messiah, Jesus Christ. This Feast came to be celebrated since the fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) century in accord with St. Augustine who found this date (near the summer solstice) after the birth of John, daylight begins to grow shorter; whereas after Jesus’ Birth, daylight begins to increase.

**June 27<sup>th</sup>** – St. Cyril of Alexandria, a bishop and doctor of the Church, who died in 444 A.D. He defended the Blessed Virgin Mary as “God-bearer,” (“Theotokos” in Greek) at the Council of Ephesus in 431 against heretics. He was a spokesman for orthodoxy; noted especially for his “Christological formulations,” he supported growth; of Egyptian monasticism.

**June 28<sup>th</sup>** – St. Irenaeus, a bishop and martyr, who was martyred in ca. 202. He was a disciple of St. Polycarp, a bishop and martyr (Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>) burned at the stake in ca. 155. Irenaeus was the Bishop of Lyons, France for 25 years; wrote against the Gnostics (heretics). He was the first to provide a coherent rationale for a Christian Bible including both testaments; and the first in God’s universal providential and redemptive economy.

**June 29<sup>th</sup>** - The Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles, both principal patrons of Rome and are named in the Roman Canon (First Eucharistic Prayer); Peter, the spokesperson for the apostles, who became the “Prince of the Apostles.” Two epistles in the New Testaments; and the first to offer a comprehensive account of belief in God’s universal providential and redemptive economy.

**June 30<sup>th</sup>** – First Martyrs of the Church of Rome – begun by Emperor Nero after the burning of Rome in 64 A.D. many of the faithful were tortured and slain. The pagan writer, Tacitus, testifies to these martyrdoms as does Clement the Bishop of Rome in his letter to the Corinthians 5 & 6.

Called to Serve

~ Deacon Mark Race

## Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>June 21</b>
5:15 PM	Soul of Gwyane Collins & Intention of all Fathers
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 22</b>
8:00 AM	Intention of all Parishioners
10:00 AM	Soul of Joseph Rogers
12:15 PM	Soul of Barbara Keys
<b>Monday</b>	<b>June 23</b>
8:00 AM	Intention of all Fathers
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>June 24</b>
8:00 AM	Intention of all Fathers
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>June 25</b>
8:00 AM	Souls of Jacqueline, Dilcia, and Wilfred Morgan, Jr.
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>June 28</b>
5:15 PM	Soul of Lillian White
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 29</b>
8:00 AM	Intention of Brandi Arceneaux
10:00 AM	Intention of all Parishioners
12:15 PM	Soul of Andrew Leon

## Readings for the week

<b>Sunday</b>	Dt 8:2-16a, Ps 147:12-20, Jn 6:51-58
<b>Monday</b>	2 Kgs 17:5-18, Mt 7:1-5
<b>Tuesday</b>	Is 49:1-6, Lk 1:57-80
<b>Wednesday</b>	2 Kgs 22:8-13, Mt 7:15-20
<b>Thursday</b>	2 Kgs 24:8-17, Mt 7:21-29
<b>Friday</b>	Dt 7:7-11, Mt 1:25-30
<b>Saturday</b>	Mt 8:5-15, Lk 2:41-51
<b>Sunday</b>	Acts 12:1-11, Ps 34:2-9, Mt 16:13-19

## June 16, 2014 Weekly Collection

\$4,876.82 Tithe and Offering  
373.34 Building Fund  
213.34 "We Care"

## SUMMER SCHOOL JUNE 23 TO JULY 18

(No school on July 4<sup>th</sup>)

**8:30 AM to 2:30 PM**

(Ask about our Extended Care Program)

**Cost \$300.00 and Registration \$40.00**

**CALL TODAY! 323.292.3011**

## Save the Date Parish Picnic

KENNETH HAHN PARK

**Saturday August 16<sup>th</sup> from 9AM To 5PM**

If you have any questions, contact Deacon Greg Patterson in the rectory or e-mail dcn431@aol.com. Thank You!

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### Sunday June 22

*The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*

Baptism after 12:15pm Mass

2 PM Reserve Corps of St. Michael-church

### Monday June 23

Summer School Begins

7 PM Bible Study-hall

### Tuesday June 24

6 PM Pastoral Council-PCRM

### Wednesday June 25

6 PM Line Dancing-hall

### Thursday June 26

7 PM Choir Rehearsal-church

### Sunday June 29

*Peter's Pence Collection*

## Peter's Pence Collection

Next weekend June 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> is the Peter's Pence Collection for the works of the Holy Family. Your contribution allows us to respond with timely and effective emergency assistance to our suffering brothers and sisters throughout the world. Thank you for your offering to help build a better world for those most in need.

## Did you know?

**Don't just rely on "reputation" of summer programs, but seek information**

Sometimes parents rely on the reputation of a particular summer program from past years to determine whether they allow their children to participate. These historical perspectives from other parents and young people should always be a factor to consider in the decision making process, but if you find that the monitoring and screening processes in place are inadequate to assure your child's safety, do not let the "reputation" of the program or its apparent success be the guiding principle for whether your children are allowed to participate. For more information, visit: <http://archla.org/safeguard> "Summer Safety Tips can help prevent Sexual Abuse, Virtus," or call the Archdiocesan Victims Assistance Ministry, 213.637.7650.

## Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are in memory of **Gwyane Collins**, (husband of Pasty Collins) on his 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of death. Please keep the Collins family in your prayers. If you would like to donate flowers in memory or in honor of your loved one, please call the rectory office.

## Petition of the Sick

Virgie Aguilar, LaVern Agnew, Brandi Arceneaux, Brian Argusta, Rose Ball, Veronica Bearce, Sister Juliet Berber, Glenda Brown, Andrei Briggs, Manual Brule, Vivian Burgess, Joyce Barnett, Barbara Butler, Brownie Cain, Alberto Casanova, Katherine Clark, Beverly Colvin-Dorsey, Beryl Davidson, Nigel Dunn, Ethel Earley, Robert Evans, Connie Farlice, Dwight Fauria, Gwen Files, Teresa Franklin, Stacy Franklin, Marian Fussey, Judy Felton-Gardner, Mavis Gibbs, Msgr. Robert Howard, Mattie Hilburn, Janie Jackson, Robert Jordan, Irwin Lagarde, Jeanne LeBlanc, Barbara Lindsey, Connie Louie, Joe McZeal, Vylfred Manor, Sister Marianna, Mary Ann Mayer, Muriel Meyers, Yvonne Morgan, James Murphy, Dorothy Okoye, Martina Peters, Daisy Pratt, Gerald Pratt, Wiley R. Pugh, Michelle Raines, Emma Rausch, Dottie Rodriguez, Lolita Rodriguez, Reanna Semien, George Simon, Sr., Lionel Smith, Sr., Darnell Stang, Barbara Starks, Michele Starks, Wilbur Starks, Clara Sterling, Deborah Sterling, Alice Tenette, Leila Thomas, Stephanie Thompson, Emma Thornton, and Iris Turner.

When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them and healed their sick.

Matthew 14:14