

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

200 Front Street, Pierce City, MO 65723

May 28, Pentecost Sunday

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR MAY 27- JUNE 4

ST. MARY'S

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Leonard Bauer
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Jim & Carolyn Witt
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday	8:15 a.m.	Justice and Peace
Friday	8:15 a.m.	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family

ST. AGNES

Tues.	8:30 a.m.
Thur.	8:30 a.m.
Sun.	10:30 a.m.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Monday, May 29	8:15 a.m. Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday, May 31	Feast of The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary 8:15 a.m. Mass St. Mary's School Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the C.R.
Thursday, June 1	Memorial of Saint Justin, Martyr
Friday, June 2	8:15 a.m. Mass
Saturday, June 3	Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyr
Sat., June 3 & Sun., Jun.4	Mission-Co-Op Collection- Fr. Doug Grandon from Mary Mother of God Mission Society and the Vladivostok Mission will visit our parish to speak about the Roman Catholic Mission Churches in Eastern Russia. A second offering will be taken for the missions.
Sunday, June 4	36 th Annual Old-Fashioned Picnic

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, June 5	Memorial of Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr 8:15 a.m. Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday, May 7	8:15 a.m. Mass 7:30 p.m. Mass Knights of Columbus Meeting at 8:00 p.m. in the C.R.
Friday, June 9	8:15 a.m. Mass

OUR GIFT TO GOD LAST WEEK: Collection Counters in June:

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00 Last Week's Collection: \$ 3624.00

DDF: To date our parish has given \$14395.00 toward our \$19,044.00 goal. Thank you! If you have not yet made your pledge, please make a sacrifice, whatever the amount, in unity with those who have already given by returning a pledge card. We ask everyone to participate, as you are able.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Caroline Lamastus, Karen Sweeney, Joan (Whitman) Johnson, Brenda (Wroblewski) Buchanan, Guessie Pierce, Melissa Cahalan, Andrea Kristek, and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT JUNE 2, 2023 On First Friday of each month, we have Exposition starting at 1:00 p.m. with Adoration until 7:00 p.m. Exposition closes with Benediction at 7:00 p.m. Please remember that there must be at least two people present at all times during Adoration. If you have signed up for a time slot, but cannot make it, please call on one of the other people on the list who signed up to be substitutes. Also: anyone, at any time during Adoration is encouraged to spend time praying in the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. Visits to the Blessed Sacrament, written by St. Alphonsus Liguori, will be available on the small table in the center of the aisle at the back of church for use during adoration.

THANK YOU: The City of Pierce City would like to thank the PCCW Ladies for making cookies for the Community Picnic. The cookies were greatly appreciated! It turned out to be a really nice community event. Pierce City Hall

HAMBURGER STAND: The Hamburger Stand is asking for cash donations for the Church Picnic. Donations of any amount are appreciated, and can be placed in the offertory basket at church or left with Shelly Wroblewski at the church office. Please make checks out to St. Mary's Church. Thank You for all your help!

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

The 2022-2023 school year ended on Thursday at 1:00 pm. We hope everyone has a safe a blessed summer break. Throughout the summer we will be working on cleaning the building to get ready for the next year. Thank you to everyone for the continued prayers and support of our little school.

We are still in need of some help for the next school year. We could use a volunteer for PE and a volunteer to serve as a long term substitute teacher. We also are in need of a teacher for 1st & 2nd grade. If you know of anyone who would have the credentials and the ability to come in and teach at a high level for our students, have them get a hold of us. 417-476-2824.

APPOINTMENTS

If you are unable to make your appointment, please find a replacement

Saturday, June 3 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Beverly Miller, Madeline Ceselski

Servers: Blake Landoll, Carly Landoll

E.M.: Cathy Brown, Lora Saffer, Richard Ceselski

Ushers: Michael Abramovitz, Leonard Fenske, Larry Gasser, Doug Witt

Sunday, June 4 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Mary Abramovitz, Linda Fenske

Servers: Evy Eckhart, Simon Eckhart

E.M.: Mary Abramovitz Dale Jasumback, Jerri Jasumback, Ralph Abramovitz (Choir)

Ushers: Ralph Abramovitz, Jim Barchak, Ian Brottlund, Dale Jasumback

Saturday, June 10 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Madeline Ceselski, Beverly Miller

Servers: Charrie Jones, Layla Jones

E.M.: Bonnie Parrigon, Debbie Parrigon, Jim Parrigon

Ushers: Doug Sloan, Michael Sloan, Tom Cahalan, Tommy Cahalan

Sunday, June 11 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Rachelle Brown, Jennifer Eaton

Servers: Hadley Barchak, Quinn Barchak

E.M.: Rachelle Brown, Jennifer Eaton, Mellanie Carder, Carri Caddell (Choir)

Ushers: Rex Cooper, Levi Cooper, Jesse Cooper, Ellis Motley

Saturday, June 17 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Beverly Miller, Madeline Ceselski

Servers: Kelcie Taylor, Kallie Taylor

E.M.: Shelly Stellwagen, Dan Witt, Jennifer Garner

Ushers: Bryan Stellwagen, Michael Abramovitz, Leonard Fenske, Larry Gasser

Sunday, June 18 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Joe Crowell, Denise Crowell

Servers: JJ Randall, Blaise Randall

E.M.: Joe Crowell, Denise Crowell, Joe Parrigon, Adam Boman (Choir)

Ushers: Darren Brown, Dustin Avondet, Levi Cooper, Jesse Cooper

Saturday, June 24 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Madeline Ceselski, Beverly Miller

Servers: Wittley Cahalan, Reece Cahalan

E.M.: John Witt, Cindy Witt, Jessica Cahalan

Ushers: Doug Sloan, Michael Sloan, Tom Cahalan, Tommy Cahalan

Sunday, June 25 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Cody Washam, Barbara Glouse

Servers: Knox Ellis, McKinley Ellis

E.M.: Rachelle Brown, Jennifer Eaton, Mellanie Carder, Dale Jasumback (Choir)

Ushers: Dereck, Washam, Rick Washam, Cody Washam, Ian Brottlund

Pentecost Sunday

Sunday May 28

Acts 2:1-11
Ps 104:1,24,29-31,34
1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13
John 20:19-23

Monday May 29

Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

Gn 3:9-15,20 or
Acts 1:12-14
Ps 87:1-3,5-7
Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday May 30

Sirach 35:1-12
Ps 50:5-8,14,23
Mark 10:28-31

Wednesday May 31

Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Zep 3:14-18a or
Romans 12:9-16
Isaiah 12:2-3,4bcd-6
Luke 1:39-56

Thursday Jun 1

St. Justin, Martyr

Sirach 42:15-25
Ps 33:2-9
Mark 10:46-52

Friday Jun 2

Sirach 44:1,9-13
Ps 149:1b-6a,9b
Mark 11:11-26

Saturday Jun 3

St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

Sirach 51:12c-20
Ps 19:8-11
Mark 11:27-33

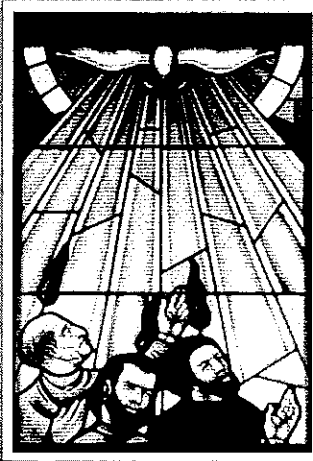
"Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth." This is our prayer on Pentecost. It's the reason the Church can exist and continues to exist. We live in the age of the Holy Spirit.

Without the power and presence of the Spirit of Christ, Christianity would have been unable to sustain itself during two millennia of persecutions, scandals, and obstacles.

Without the Spirit of Christ, we Christians would be unable to be Christ in today's world. We'd be unable to do what the Father asks of us.

Pentecost Sunday re-lives the birthday of the Church, and as it does, it also re-lives our spiritual birthdays, i.e., our initiations as members of the Church. It's a community-wide celebration of the impact that our baptisms have had on our lives and it's a reaffirmation of the Sacrament of Confirmation when the bishop confirmed that we truly received the Holy Spirit during baptism. Pentecost reminds us that through these sacraments we received God's power and presence so that we can overcome sin, live in holiness, and change the world around us.

How does God "renew the face of the earth"? Through us! First, God the Father gave his Holy Spirit



to Jesus the Son so that he could successfully fulfill his mission on earth. Jesus then gave his Holy Spirit to us, so that we can grow in holiness and to continue the work of renewal that he began.

If you feel inadequate for any holy task, you're correct: You are inadequate. But the Spirit of God who dwells in you is more than adequate. Proceed forward trusting in this partnership!

Reflect & Discuss:

- † Are you making a difference on the earth because of the Holy Spirit living in you and working through you?
- † What is the Holy Spirit doing – or wanting to do – through you? Answer this first regarding your home life, then your job, then your parish, then your recreational activities, in that order of priority.
- † How did you first discover that the Holy Spirit was making a difference in the lives of others through you?
- † Describe a recent time when God partnered with you.
- † How do you feel about the Spirit of God renewing the world through you? What are your hopes and dreams for this?

PICNIC --Sunday, June 4th. It is almost here!

Following are the worklists for all activities. Every parishioner is encouraged to do your part to make this picnic a success. Please read through the lists and see where you are assigned. If you are not available to work your time assigned, please find a replacement or contact the appropriate chairperson.

****SETUP**** We will set up on Saturday, June 3rd, at 8:00am.

All tables and chairs will need to be setup for every stand. All help is greatly appreciated!

****CLEANUP**** will be Monday, June 5th, at 8:00am. Again, all help is greatly appreciated! --Many hands make light work.

*******EVERY FAMILY IS ASKED TO BRING*******

One cake for the Cake Walk - please no refrigerated items, no cake mixes.

One pie/cheesecake for the dinner - no cakes, please.

Three items for the Country Store - household item, food, toy, etc.

TRASH AND TREASURES – see the worklist for added information.

NO CLOTHES, SHOES OR ELECTRONICS!

**NEW THIS YEAR WILL BE A CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT FOR 21+ YEAR OLDS.
SEE THE FLYER IN BACK OF CHURCH FOR REGISTRATION INFO. EARLY
REGISTRATION IS NEEDED.**

2023 Worklists--Please work your shift or find a replacement.

CHICKEN FRYING – Mary Jo Washam (417) 489-4546, Linda Eck (417) 825-9862, Chairpersons

**7:30 AM--Rick Washam, Cody & Joselyn Washam, Dereck & Brittany Washam, Minnie Roberts,
Lawrence Seufert, Jesse Cooper, Debbie Seufert, Dale & Kim Seufert & family, Brant & Rebecca
Mettler, Don Gripka**

COUNTRY STORE – Veronica Carder – 737-2813 / Rachelle Brown – 489-8378

11-1	Sherryl Parrigon	Joe Boman	Pam Boman
1-3	Cari Caddell	Jennifer Graves	Jennifer Eaton
3-5	Tootie Knott	Jessica Butts	Jennifer Brown
5-close	Veronica Carder	Rachelle Brown	Adelyn Brown

ICE CREAM STAND – Cheryl Reynolds, Chairperson

12:00 – 2:00	Jean Patterson	Samantha Prescott	Kelly Klassen
2:00 – 4:00	Marla Sperry Tricia Bachert	Haley Sperry	Blake & Josie Sperry
4:00 – 6:00	Janell Witt Chris Blackburn	April Torez Cheryl Reynolds till Close	Barbara Jones

CAKE WALK – Virginia Lavigne- 236-0369 / Linda Fenske – 476-5215

11:30-1	Gail Brattin	Ambreia Brattin	Linda Fenske
1:00-2:30	Patty Mitchell	Martha Randall	Virginia Lavigne
2:30 to Close	Virginia Lavigne	Linda Fenske	

RAFFLE TICKET SALES – Mellanie Carder – 737-2812 / Frances Boman – 693-0174

Inside of GYM

Raffle Sales

11:00-1 Frances Boman & Rhonda Forgey
1-3 John and Karen Sweeney

Outside of GYM

Raffle Sales

11-1 Deidre Brown and Leslie Jones
1-3 Roxanne Hill and Debbie Goodman
3-5 Ron and Janelle Dunaway
5-7 Dick and Madeline Ceselski
7-close Frances Boman and Mellanie Carder

DUCK RACES – Lora Saffer

Lora Saffer, Gary Saffer, Jake Saffer, Danielle Saffer, Jordan Saffer, Meg Saffer

Purchase your tickets all day ---- RACE AT 4PM AT THE CREEK

\$5 FOR 2 ducks

\$3 FOR 1 duck

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	Tricia Bachert		
4:00 – 6:00	Janell Witt	April Torez	Barbara Jones
	Chris Blackburn	Cheryl Reynolds till Close	

FUNNEL CAKE STAND – Jessica Cahalan – 417-669-7729

12:00 -2:00	Dawnya Gibbs	Mary Lou Lombard
2:00 – 4:00	MicaylaBlinzler	Allison Witt
4:00 – 6:00	Teresa Boman	Jamie Taylor
6:00 – 8:00	Jessica Cahalan family	
Batter Prep	John Witt	

RING TOSS – Frances Boman – Chairperson

1:00 – 2:00	Brenden Kleiboeker – Baleigh Eaton
2:00 – 3:00	Adelyn Brown - Veronica Carder
3:00 – 4:00	Frances Boman – Deidre Brown

TRASH AND TREASURE//PURSES//JEWELRY -----Frances Boman 417-693-0174 Chairperson

NO CLOTHING OR SHOES--Please have your items in by Friday, June 2nd at 12:00 noon. Gym doors will open from 10:00am to 6:00pm to drop items off beginning Tues. May 30th through Fri. June 2nd at 12:00 noon. We will start pricing at 1:30pm Friday. If you feel a minimum price should be charged for any of your items, please price before you bring it in. Leave items on the tables or floor on the north wall of gym by the basketball goal.

DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS OUTSIDE BY DOORS.

***Call if you need a special drop off time because you cannot come during the stated times. Make sure all items are clean and presentable before you bring them.

We will be open after Mass on Saturday as well as all day on Sunday.

Saturday, June 3rd, 2023 Doors will close when no more shoppers

After Mass 4:45 to ??pm Frances Boman Danny Boman

Sunday, June 4, 2023

After 8:30 Mass	Frances Boman	Emerie Brown		
11:00-1:00	Darrell Brown	Danny Boman	Shawn Brown	Barbara
	Glouse-Cashier			
1:00-3:00	Tracy O'Hara	Kenny O'Hara	Rachelle Brown	
	Janice Bowen-Cashier			
3:00-5:00	Beverly Phillips	Adelyn Brown	Emerie Brown	
	Marcella Cooper - Cashier			
5:00 to close	Frances Boman	Danny Boman		

HAMBURGER STAND - Jill & Mike Kaiser Chairpersons

<u>12-2</u>	Mike & Jill Kaiser			
	Kelly Kaiser	Kristi Barchak		
	Grace Parrigon	Cody & Katie Lathem		
	Brian & Logan Abramovitz	Jared & Sara Hammond		
<u>2-4</u>	Brian & Shelly Stellwagen	Denise Crowell	Jenna Eck Pearce	
	Lexi Eck	Jillian Mack	Hailey Gripka	
	Pat Parrigon	Danny Lee Boman	Bobby Boman	
<u>4-6</u>	Randy & Melissa Bailey	Ralph & Mary Abramovitz		
	Ken & Peggy Heidlage	Carrie & Andy Hogenmiller		
	John & Angela Supplee	Heather Gripka		
<u>6-8</u>	Mike & Jill Kaiser	Cathy & Darrell Brown		
	Jason & Andrea Ehrhardt	Garrett Schmidt		
	Tootie Knott	Gary Pierce		

2023 BINGO WORKLIST, Jim Larkin, Chairperson 476- 2436

Bingo has been a place where we have a considerable number of no-show workers.

Please!!!! work your shift or find a replacement.

12:30-2:30

Caller: Debbie Seufert

Mark Rakoski	Fred Chapman	Adam Boman	Andrew Eckhart
Mark Elbert	Dustin Avondet	Sarah Elbert	Jim Randal, Sr.
Phil Gollhofer	Greg Brown	Stephanie Brown	David Elbert
Joe Parrigon	Debbie Parrigon	Darren Brown	

2:30-4:30

Caller: Claire Eaton

Dan Kristek	Mike O'Hara	Shirley O'Hara	Jim Randall, Jr
Mike Rakoski	Joe Fenske	Dan Witt	Jim Barchak
Larry Carver	Debbie Parrigon	Blake Chapman	Hugh Chapman
Tom Cahalan	Deidre Brown	Leslie Jones	Joe Cahalan
Brenda Kennedy	Marty Kennedy		

4:30-6:30

Caller: Ellis Motley

Jason Chapman	Dena Chapman	Baleigh Eaton	Brenden Kleiboeker
Rick Bellm	Harold Gripka	Steve Jackson	Ian Brottlund
Joe Crowell	Denise Crowell	Rex Cooper	Doug Sloan
Janet Eck	Travis Eck	April Ellis	Russell Ellis
Jenna Pearce	Pat Sperry	Marla Sperry	

6:30-8:30

Caller: Dale Witt

Greg Chapman	Eric Chapman	Kimberly Marrow	Mark Chapman
Les Davis	Rita Seufert	Brenda McCracken	Keith McCracken
Sharon Blackburn	Randy Witt	Julie Witt	Steve Chapman
Grace Parrigon	Pat Parrigon		

2023 Dinner Work List. Some workers and places have changed. If you cannot work please find your own replacement.

Each family is to bring 1 dessert (pie, cheesecake, etc.) **NO CAKES.** Please have dessert in the gym Sunday morning between 9:00 and 9:30am.

The PCCW officers will be available on all shifts.

Bonnie Parrigon 476-5403 or 489-3866
Patty Osterloh 540-4182
Beverly Miller 737-9774

Saturday June 3rd 8:00 am until finished—

Salads, food preparation, and set-up dining area for serving food.

PCCW Officers Marjorie Layton Bernice Cochran Donna Witt

Sunday, June 4th

10:45am – 1:30pm-----Collecting money for the dinner

Peggy Jackson Marjorie Layton

8:00am-9:00 am –Preparation for dinner and other cleanup

PCCW Officers

9:00 am-1:00pm----Kitchen Help-- Preparation for Dinner

PCCW Officers Cindy Witt Lisa McDunner Marjorie Layton Cathy Brown Tricia Rosewitz

10:30am Dishwashers and help where needed

Jodi Schlup Rita Cartmell Chelsea Lamastus Denise Crowell Tina Abramovitz

11:00am -1:30 pm Meat Servers

Samatha Parrigon Kim Avondet Megan Jones Maebel Ballay

9:00am-11:30am Cutting desserts and help serve

Barbara Jones Debbie Elbert Sarah Elbert Darlene Parrigon Marge Gripka Maura Sparks

10:30 am-1:30 pm Serving drinks

Judy Flehmer Cindy Wellbaum Erin Flehmer Pam Barchak Carolyn Gollhofer