

## May 16, 2021–Solemnity of The Ascension of The Lord

### St. Joseph Mass Intentions

**May 15, Saturday-** Mother’s Day Novena

- 5:00 pm + Edwin & Margaret Zgabay/Lillian Faust
- + Georgia Beran/William Mikulin (B-Day)

**May 16, Sunday** – Mother’s Day Novena

- 8:00 am + Woodrow & Georgia Spacek/Riney Spacek

**May 18, Tuesday (St. John I, Pope & Martyr)**

- 6:00 pm **Mass Cancelled**

**May 20, Thursday (St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest)**

- 8:00 am **Mass Cancelled**

**May 21, Friday (St. Christopher Magallances, Priest)**

- 8:00 am **Mass Cancelled**

**May 22, Saturday** -Mother’s Day Novena

- 5:00 pm + John & Laura Mikulin
- +Elaine Muzny/Lillian Faust

**May 23, Sunday-** Mother’s Day Novena

- 8:00am + Theodore & Mary Koudelka/Lucy Mata

**Confessions: Saturday 4:00-4:30pm**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Money Counters</u>
<b>Saturday May 15</b>	Ida Schuman		Ida Schuman	Aguilar/Mikulin	
<b>Sunday May 16</b>	Dorothy Rackel		Dorothy Rackel	Caitlyn Correa	

<b>Saturday May 22</b>	Jaime Aguilar		Ida Schuman	Jayla Aguilar Hannah Muzny	
<b>Sunday May 23</b>	Monica Spacek		Monica Spacek	Monica Spacek	

**For Sunday May 8/9: Attendances: 102**

**Collections: Reg. \$1495.00**

**Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of John J. & Laura Mikulin**

<b>May 17</b>
Acts 19:1-8 John 16:29-33
<b>May 18</b>
Acts 20:17-27 John 17:1-11a
<b>May 19</b>
Acts 20:28-38 John 17:11b-19
<b>May 20</b>
Acts 22:30;23:6-11 John 17:20-26
<b>May 21</b>
Acts 25:13b-21 John 21:15-19
<b>May 22</b>
Acts 28:16-20,30-31 John 21:20-25
<b>May 23</b>
Acts 2:1-11 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7 Galatians 5:16-25

### Holy Family Mass Intentions

**May 16, Sunday**

- 10:00am + Maegan Sanders/Wesley Sanders/Helen Esquell

**May 19, Wednesday**

- 5:30 pm **Mass Cancelled**

**May 23, Sunday**

- 10:00 am + Betsy Feller/Donny Feller/Curtis Feller

**Confessions: Sundays: 11:00-12:00pm**

**For Sunday May 9: Attendance: 44 Collection: Regular: \$ 23,624.00**

**Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of Amado & Deolinda Baca**

### Reflection

In our Gospel, Jesus makes it clear that as Christian disciples, we do not belong to the world. He prays to God the Father, “I gave them your word, and the world hated them, because they do not belong to the world any more than I belong to the world.”

### Stewardship

Jesus’ ascension is a good reminder for us that we, too, are called to heaven. Let us strive to live our lives as a reflection of this goal in mind. And let us pray for the grace to understand just a fraction of God’s Perfect Love for us and for the grace to express our love in return.

**Bulletin Information: Submit by Tuesday to 979-884-3100 or [stjoedb@verizon.net](mailto:stjoedb@verizon.net)**

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[www.holyfamilylex.org](http://www.holyfamilylex.org)

**Calendar of Events**  
**St. Joseph's - Dime Box**

**Special Prayers for the Sick:** For the sick members of St. Joseph/Dime Box community: RJ Muzny Jalane Wiederhold Bernadette Beran Patsy Krenek Rev. Msgr. Isidore Rozycki Elena Massey Gladys Kallus Josephine Schultz Helen Fritsche Jak Chapman Lynette Supak Sue Bradford Becky Dallke Dwayne Muzny John David Mikulin Madelein Matocha Francis Goertz Joe Pertl Larmey Morris Margie Kostelka Oscar Slovacek Sue Strange Ray & Adele Zboril Dena Doonan Mateck Larry Lehmann Patricia Tarnowski Harrison Pharis Nelson Bounds Ernest Ofcarzak Jr. Vlasta Ofcarzak Carla West Louis Muzny Bennie & Doris Supak Glenn Spitzenberger Lynette Schatte Charles Fritsche Fr. Joy Adimakkeel Archie Kubena Dora Wiederhold  
**(May they be freed from danger, relieved of suffering, and held fast in the tender arms of Jesus, the Divine Healer!)**

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**Call to Protect Children/Youth:** The CTPC/Y class is today, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am. Parents please make sure your child is in attendance as this class is required by the diocese.

**Special Visitor:** We are honored to have Bishop Joe S. Vasquez as our celebrant for Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at the 5:00pm Mass. Let us give him a warm welcome.

**Scholarship Recipient:** Congratulations to our high school senior, Gracie Aguilar for being the recipient of the Randy Kocurek scholarship, which will awarded on May 22<sup>nd</sup> at the 5pm Mass.

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**Ethics & Integrity Ministries:** EIM program is offering a Basic and Refresher class, scheduled for **Saturday, June 12<sup>th</sup> from 10:00-12:00pm** at the parish hall. If anyone who has not filled out an EIM application and has not had a training are welcomed to join and we will help you complete and application. Please contact Ida Schuman at 979-542-6161. Those who took a class 3 years or more ago will need to take this class. Please RSVP by May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**2021 Bazaar:** The parish council, bazaar committee and Father Joy, after much consideration decided to cancel the 2021 bazaar due to Covid. In place of the time, effort, and material items that you would have donated for the bazaar activities, we are asking that you consider a cash donation to the bazaar fund. Cash donations should be made payable to St. Joseph Catholic Church. On the memo line of your check please notate "Bazaar". Every amount is beneficial in sustaining the parish funds. We would like to thank those who have already donated, it is very much appreciated. **In 2019, our profit was \$32,000.00, our goal for 2021 is \$15,000.00. At this time, we have collected \$3400.00** Thanking you in advance. God Bless.

**Year of the Domestic Church:** Prayer: O God, creator of all, you ordered the earth to bring forth life and crowned its goodness by creating the human family. In history's moment when all was ready, you sent your Son to dwell in time, "practicing the virtues of family life and in the bonds of charity." Teach us the sanctity of human love; show us the value of the Domestic Church; and help us to live in peace with all people, that we may share in your life forever. With the intercession of St. Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church, we ask this through Christ the Lord. Amen.

**Month of May is CELEBRATING PARENT**

## **Calendar of Events**

### **Holy Family – Lexington**

**Special Prayers for the Sick:** For the sick members of the Holy Family Community: Caleb Schmidt Karla Blaine Paul Goocher Phillip Sims Brian Koehler Keith Sims Eleanor Gonzales Laura Casco Ollie Brice Tommy Adams Sean Sullivan Linda Goocher Santos Gonzales KC Hudson Harper Pittman Eric Anthony Martinez Mary Best Juanita Greene Donna Brewer Virginia Schmidt Blake Gibson Avery Wright Mary Truex Barbara Sanders Fr. Joy Adimakkeel

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**CCD Calendar:** Please mark your calendars for the following dates of CCD classes. We are excited to get back to a normal schedule. Classes start from 9:00am-10:00am. Please arrive 5 minutes early so we can begin on time. Classes will remain in the same location (PAC & Parish hall) to be able to maintain a safe social distance.  
Date: May 16 (last day)

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**Inviting All Men:** Holy Family Catholic Men's Fellowship is launching a new program called **THE SEARCH** starting **6:30pm Wednesday June 2, 2021** in the Holy Family Parish Hall. This is a 7 week video series on Wednesday evenings that explores the deepest questions of the human heart....Why am I here? What's life all about? What happens when we die? and guides you through the great big story of everything, as astrophysicists, psychologists, neuroscientists, artists, chemists and professors point to one big (surprising) conclusion: Jesus Christ, and the Catholic Church. What do you seek?

### **2021 Church Cleaning Schedule:**

Connally – Sundays – May 16, 23, 30 & June 6

**Pastoral Care:** Please call for any sacraments needed such as Anointing of the sick, Baptism or Penance. **979-884-3100.**

**Website:** I would like to remind everyone to please check out our website [www.holyfamilylex.org](http://www.holyfamilylex.org) for the latest parish updates and bulletins. If you have any important updates that need to be posted on our website please contact Ace Blankenburg at [aceblankenburg@gmail.com](mailto:aceblankenburg@gmail.com)

