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May 23, 2021
 Pentecost Sunday
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Office hours: M, T, TH 9-11am; Wed 9-5pm; Fri 9-1pm (subject to change)

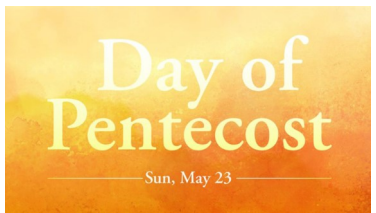
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ST TERESA PARISH WELCOMES NEW FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS MOVING INTO THE AREA. Please register by calling the rectory office. Any parishioners who are leaving the area or changing an address or phone number should notify the office.

BAPTISMS: Baptism will be held on the 1st Sunday of the month after Sunday morning mass. Call the office in advance to schedule. Parents are obligated to attend preparation sessions before a child's baptism if they have not attended one in the past five years. This can be done before the birth of the child. Call the office to register for class.

COUNSELING SERVICES: 1-937-299-9005 Offered by Bob Skipper at Spiritual Center of Maria Stein

BULLETIN ARTICLES: due in writing by 5:00pm on Tuesday. You may email article to: stteresachurch@bright.net.

Mass Intentions
 Wednesday, May 26th
 6:30pm Reconciliation
 7:00pm Mass-All Souls
Saturday evening mass during coronavirus restrictions only
 Saturday, May 29th
 4:30pm Mass-Diana Arendt
 Sunday, May 30th
 10:00am Mass-Ruth Gruss



CELINA CLUSTER MASSES
 Saturday **4:30pm ST** 5pm IC, 7pm OLG
 Sunday 8am IC, 9am OLG, **10am ST**, 11am IC
 Monday 7:30am IC, 8am OLG Comm Service
 Tuesday 7:30am IC, 8am OLG
 Wednesday 7:30am IC Comm Service
 7pm OLG, **7pm ST**
 Thursday 7:30am IC
 Friday 8am OLG, 9am IC school mass
 Reconciliation Saturday 11am IC,
 6:15-6:45pm OLG
Wednesday 6:30pm ST

Vocation Cross
 5/23-29 Shane Barna Family
 5/30-6/5 Bruce Berry Family

Remember St Teresa in your Will!

Eucharistic Ministers
 5/29 4:30pm Greg Puthoff
 5/30 10:00am Maggie Roehm

No Eucharistic Ministers for wine until further notice

Mass Servers
 5/26 7:00pm Gary Fullenkamp
 5/29 4:30pm Jaymin Peel
 5/30 10:00am Elayna Moeller

Lectors
 5/29 4:30pm Jenifer Puthoff
 5/30 10:00am Trisha Berry

Ushers
No offertory procession until further notice
 5/29 4:30pm Greg Puthoff
 5/30 10:00am Kameron Roehm

Church Cleaning
 5/23-29 Bob Eichler Family
 5/30-6/5 Kristi Schaefer Family

Sacristans
 5/26 7:00pm Diane Fullenkamp
 5/29 4:30pm Diane Huber
 5/30 10:00am Marilyn Gruss

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

Congratulations to our High School Seniors celebrating with us this weekend. May they listen in hope and love to the Lord's voice and always remain close to him. As they go forth to explore new opportunities in life, may they always know that they are welcome in our community of faith.

Fr. Ken & Fr. Tim

Pentecost Sunday— Happy Birthday to the Church! Today we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit. Acts 2 describes the Holy Spirit arriving as a 'strong driving wind' and 'tongues of fire' which descend upon each of the Apostles. The chapter ends by describing the communal life of the early Christians. 'Every day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the temple area and to breaking bread in their homes.' This shows an incredible focus on the importance of family life. Let us rediscover the deeply sanctifying nature of the life in our homes.

Rockford Vacation Bible School (VBS) Registration "Rocky Railway" event will be held June 7-11 from 9am to noon (lunch to follow) for kids age 3-5th grade. Registration forms available in the lobby or online at <https://www.nhccrockford.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/452695>. This is open to anyone, even if you have no church affiliation. Volunteers are needed—sign up sheet is in the lobby.

St Teresa Monthly Money Madness 2020-21 is still happening! There are a few Raffle tickets still available. This is a raffle that takes place from March—Feb. Each month for a year, you have a chance to win up to \$200. Each ticket cost \$50. Contact Ray/Lynn Moeller at 419-586-7312 or rgmoeller86@gmail.com.

Winners for May are: Ray & Lynn Moeller, \$100; Ron & Marilyn Gruss, \$50; Jack Provci \$25; Kyle Roth \$25. Congratulations to all.

Women's Group **Spring Flower Fundraiser** event is being held. If you haven't received a coupon, extras are available in the lobby for hanging basket, a flat of flowers or vegetables from A & A Greenhouse, Rockford. Redeemable by May 31, 2021.

Rockford Community Days will be held June 17-19 at Shane's Park. St Teresa will be holding a hamburger stand as in the past. Volunteers and donations are needed, see future bulletins for details.

Lay Pastoral Ministry Program (LPMP) classes will be held at St Marys Deanery Center this fall. Prayerfully think about attending. Watch the bulletin for more details.

Maria Stein Shrine events: Inventory Reduction Sale starting Monday June 7-27, 2021, the Pilgrim Gift Shop will hold an inventory reduction sale featuring select merchandise up to 70% off! Discount only applies to select items and cannot be combined with any other promotions. All sales are final. 2291 St. Johns Road, Maria Stein OH 45860.

MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK:

Vocation View: Peter and the Apostles preach with a power and conviction that can only be attributed to the Spirit dwelling among them. Is God calling you to speak for Him in our day and age? (Acts 2:1-11)

SUNDAY COLLECTION	5-16-2021			
Envelopes/online (22)	\$ 946.00	Weekly Offering	\$ 1295.00	YTD total Collection \$ 53,242.07
Loose envelopes	\$ 349.00	Week Budgeted	\$ 1300.00	YTD total Budgeted \$ 59,800.00
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$ 1295.00	Over/Short	\$ -5.00	Over/Short to date \$ -6557.93