

THE 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 17, 2005

The Readings for the 5th Sunday of Easter are:

Acts 6: 14, 1-7

1Pt. 2: 4-9

Jn. 14: 1-12

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Sunday, April 17, 2005

8:00 Verne Maurice
10:00 Kathryn M. & John P.
Sweny
Noon Philip P. Stuart
5:30 Caroline Ward

Monday, April 18, 2005

5:30 Nene Montoya

Tuesday, April 19, 2005

12:15 Paul R. Dean
5:30 Dr. Terry McGovern
(Living)

Wednesday, April 20, 2005

12:15 Cecilia M. Stuart
5:30 Kathleen & Hannah
Quirke

Thursday, April 21, 2005

12:15 Julius Bajek
5:30 John D. Cuddy

Friday, April 22, 2005

12:15 Abtissan Azar
5:30 Mary Landrigan

Saturday, April 23, 2005

9:00 Special Intention
4:00 Maria Cecconi

REMINDER

THIS MONDAY, APRIL 18TH, MARATHON/PATRIOT'S DAY.

THERE WILL BE NO 12:15 PM MASS

5:30 Mass will take place as usual.



Evening Prayer on the Eve of the Conclave – We invite you to join us as the parish will unite its prayers with those throughout the world on the Eve of the conclave with the celebration of TAIZE Prayer this Sunday evening, April 17th, at 7:15 pm in the Upper Church.



Fr. Eric Knapp, S.J., who will be with us this weekend and will preside at the 10:00 AM and 5:30 PM Liturgies.

An At-Home Directed Retreat for 3, 4, or 7 Days – Have you been considering this opportunity to deepen your relationship with God? Limited room is available. Between May 4-8th, competent retreat directors will be available to meet with you for a 3, 4 or 5 day retreat right here at St. Ignatius Parish! For more information, call Joan McCarthy, CSJ at 617-825-3137.



Adult Confirmation Meetings – If you have been baptized and have received First Communion, but have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, meetings for you will be held on Monday, April 18th and April 25th in the Friary Room at 7:15 pm. Confirmation will take place on Saturday, April 30th, at the 4:00 PM Liturgy.

UPCOMING EVENTS



Easter Dances – Saltate et Jubilate (SJ Dance) is offered by members of the BLDE on Sundays in the Easter Season through May 15th from 3:00 – 4:30 pm. Why not enter into the experience of movement prayer as it reflects the dynamics of the liturgical seasons? Cost \$10 per class – Sundays 3:00 – 4:30 pm – Brookline Academy of Dance. Please call Jamie Huggins at 617-552-6130 for more details. **Class will continue this Sunday, April 17th, at 3:00 – 4:30 pm**

“Living Between Easter and Pentecost as a Gay Catholic”

Gays and Lesbians, Families and Friends - Share the Gifts We All Are

The program presenter is James B. Nickoloff, College of the Holy Cross, and is sponsored by St. Anthony Shrine, the Paulist Center and the Jesuit Urban Center, and will be held at the Jesuit Urban Center, 775 Harrison Avenue, Boston on Sunday, April 17th, from Noon to 2:30 pm. (A simple lunch will be served). The cost is \$17 and pre-registration is required by Wednesday, April 13th (students \$10). Contact Dr. Jackie Stewart at 617-542-6440, Extension 143.



Gifts and Graces: A Morning of Reflection and Prayer for Godparents –
April 23rd – 10:00 – 1:30 pm – Rectory Chapel – Presenter Patricia Fazzone - In this Easter season, when we proclaim “Christ is Risen, He is risen indeed”, it is fitting for Godparents to come, to affirm, and to reaffirm their commitment to give their godchildren spiritual nurture and loving presence.. Share this first-time Easter offering for godparents with a friend. If you are a godparent of young, growing, and/or grown children, or preparing to become a godparent, or a sponsor of an adult who is a new member of our church family, you are most welcome. Please register by calling the rectory at 617-552-6102.



BOOK DISCUSSIONS –This Sunday, April 17th at 11:15 am, there will be a discussion of The Dance of the Dissident Daughter by Sue Monk Kidd in the rectory sunroom on the second floor. **The May meeting of the book group will be held on May 29th** at the same time and location. The book for discussion on that will be Mary Gordon’s new book, Pearl. All are welcome!



FOR YOUNG ADULTS – Come to SEE! Scripture Explored and Experienced - A DISCUSSION GROUP FOR ALL SINGLE AND MARRIED YOUNG ADULTS. We meet every Wednesday at 7:30pm in the rectory. New participants are always welcome! If you'd like more information, contact Leslie Gray at graylm@comcast.net

4th Tuesday Shattuck Shelter Dinner and Dessert – Please contact Jim

Carroll (617-327-4519) if you would like to help serve dinner at the Shattuck Shelter this month (or any future 4th Tuesday of the month). Parishioners meet at the rectory at 4:45

pm and return by 6:30 pm. Donations of desserts are always welcome and may be dropped off at the rectory by 4:00 pm on Tuesday. **The 4th Tuesday Dinner and Dessert this month will be held on Tuesday, April 26th.** There is always a need for additional desserts. We really appreciate your help.



THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, April 17 th	Easter Faith Sharing Group – Rectory 2 nd Floor	11:15 am
" " "	Book Discussion Group – Rectory 2 nd Floor	11:15 am
" " "	Baptismal Preparation – Rectory Chapel	1:45 pm
" " "	Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	4:30 pm
" " "	Evening Prayer on the Eve of the Conclave	7:15 pm
Monday, " 18 th	RCIA and Confirmation Meeting – Friary Room	7:15 pm
Tuesday, " 19 th	Spiritual Development Meeting – Rectory	7:15 pm
Wed., " 20 th	Children's Carol Choir – Choir Room	4:30 pm
" " "	Parish Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room	7:15 pm
" " "	Little Rock Bible Group – Lannon Chapel	7:15 pm
Friday, " 22 nd	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Lannon Chapel	12:45 pm
Saturday, " 23 rd	Program for Godparents – Rectory Chapel	10:00 am

SOCIAL MINISTRIES



Minus 14 Days and Counting! The WALK FOR HUNGER is Sunday, May 1st. Information is on the table in the upstairs gathering space. Let's have a huge TEAM IGNATIUS this year – a team of Walkers, Sponsors, Volunteers and Medical Volunteers! TEAM IGNATIUS has a webpage on the

Project Bread website. You can register to walk and/or to make a pledge online – www.projectbread.org. The TEAM IGNATIUS sign-up sheet is on the table in the gathering space (you must personally register with Project Bread; the sign-up sheet is for us to make plans as a group). Any questions? Call Sr. Diane – 617-552-6107 or email her at vallerio@bc.edu. **SPECIAL NOTE:** Project Bread really needs MDs, RNs and EMTs to staff medical tents and rest stops. Contact Project Bread if you'd like to help – call Karen at 617-239-2522 – and pass the word on to your co-workers, please; 40,000+ hearts and pairs of feet will need lots of TLC.

OPERATION RICE BOWL You are asked to make returns by April 24th. Returns may be deposited in the special collection box by the table in the gathering space or in the basket outside the Friary Room. Thanks!



THANKS AGAIN to all who participated in the Shattuck Springtime Meal which was a huge success! Extra special thanks to Nancy Robb, Kathy Mitchell, the terrific kitchen and serving crews and our transport-ers!



Request from Friends of the Shattuck Shelter – The coffee cupboard at Shattuck is just about empty. Could you help provide a few cans this month? Just leave your donation in the wicker hamper at the church entrance. Thanks! And don't forget the on-going needs of the FAMILY VAN, especially ready-made formula and larger sized diapers.

ST. IGNATIUS MUSIC MINISTRY

Mark Your Calendars! The Seraphim Singers return for another evening of beautiful choral music on Saturday, May 14th, at 8:00 pm. The program features Music set to Christian Poetry.

Violin Concert – One of our parish musicians, violinist, Matthew Liebendorfer, will hold a recital at 8:00 pm on Thursday, May 5th in the Upper Church. Matthew and pianist, Jim Chubet, will play music by Mozart, Copland and Saint-Saens. All are welcome to attend.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education Office -- 617-552-6105

E-mail – blichade@bc.edu



REMINDER – There will be NO Religious Education Classes today, April 17th – Classes will resume next Sunday, April 24th. The Family Mass will be celebrated as usual.



Grade 11 – Confirmation - Confirmation Rehearsal and Pot Luck – April 28th, 5 – 8 pm – Candidates, Sponsors or parent proxies must be at the rehearsal. Dinner for candidates, parents, siblings and sponsors immediately following the rehearsal (about 6:30 pm). **Please bring a hot dish to feed 6-8 people.** We will provide salad, drinks and dessert. **Please RSVP – giving name and number to the RE Office by April 22nd.** Parent helpers are most welcome. Please call or email the RE office.

First Eucharist – We will be in touch with families whose child missed the retreat regarding make up work/projects. If you have not yet filled out a name card, please send that information – first, middle and last name – to the RE Office so we can prepare a certificate.



Rehearsal Added – Sunday, May 1st - As our class is very large, we have decided to have an extra rehearsal. All First Eucharist Candidates, including Catholic School students, should gather in the Lannon Chapel at 9:00 am to begin practicing for the celebration on May 7th.

Rehearsal and Pot Luck - May 5th – 5:00 – 8:00 pm – Please bring a hot dish – enough to feed 6-8 people. We will provide salad, drinks and dessert. So that we can plan, please RSVP, giving your name and number attending to the RE Office by April 29th. Siblings are welcome. If you can help with the Pot Luck, please call or email the RE Office. Thank you!

First Eucharist Celebration – May 7th – 10:00 AM – Candidates should be in the Lannon Chapel at 9:30 am.



Special Note – As this is a sacred celebration, picture taking is not allowed during the liturgy. Parents and family members may take pictures before and after the celebration. We have arranged for a professional film maker to film the liturgy and make DVD's or videotapes. Order forms were sent home at the retreat. Please call the RE Office if you did not receive one.

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The Sacraments

Eucharist

Sunday Upper Church: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 5:30 PM
 Lower Church: (September – June) 10:00 AM, Family Liturgy

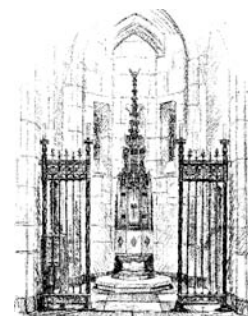
Weekday 12:15 PM, 5:30 PM
 Saturday 9:00 AM, 4:00 PM (Vigil)

Baptism

Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil as part of the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults. Infant and child baptisms are by arrangement.

Confirmation

Our confirmation program begins in the 10th grade. Students are confirmed in the spring of the 11th grade. Young adults who have been catechized but are not yet confirmed should contact the rectory for an alternative program.



Matrimony

Must be registered as a parishioner six months prior to beginning Marriage arrangements.

Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:15 - 3:45 PM Upper Church or by arrangement.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 Fridays 12:45 - 5:00 p.m.
 Lannon Chapel

Anointing of the Sick

By arrangement.

Community Care - If you know of a family or individual in our parish struggling with a death, illness or other difficulty, contact: Ginny Carroll 617-327-4519, Maureen Eldredge 617-469-0496, Mary Riordan 617-787-8926

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