

Readings for May 19

Love... one another. (John 13:34)

That seems pretty easy, doesn't it? Be nice, take care of the people you're close to, maybe give some money to the poor. But is this all that Jesus means? Or does he have a different idea? Let's look at the context of this command to get some idea.

Jesus has just washed his disciples' feet, and Judas has left on his mission to betray him. Jesus knows he will not be with his friends much longer as the cross begins to loom large in his mind. So when he tells his disciples to love one another as he loved them, he is calling them to a love that mirrors his own love—a love that is selfless and sacrificial, a love that flows from God's unconditional love for each person on earth.

This way of loving would set apart Jesus' followers because it is so different from the way most people think of love. Jesus' love washed the feet of his betrayer. It forgave those who nailed him to the cross. It reached across cultural lines to embrace Samaritans and Gentiles. It extended healing to the marginalized and political rivals.

It's this kind of love that won people over in the first century: they saw believers caring for outcasts like widows and orphans and holding their possessions in common. But it has also won people over throughout history: people saw Christians nursing plague victims in the Middle Ages, believers risking their safety to hide Jews during World War II, and more recently, Pope St. John Paul II forgiving the man who shot him.

Awe for the saints who loved like this might make you think it's impossible for you, but this call to love isn't just for the saints. Jesus has touched your life, and he lives in you, just as he did the saints. How did they do it? They experienced Jesus' love firsthand, and it changed the way they loved the people around them. That very same thing can happen to you.

"Today, Jesus, teach me to love as you love."

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This Week's Readings

Sunday 19 Acts 14:21-27 / Rev 21:1-5a / Jn 13:31-33a,34-35

Monday 20 Acts 14:5-18 / Jn 14:21-26

St. Bernardine of Siena

Tuesday 21 Acts 14:19-28 / Jn 14:27-31a

St. Christopher Magallanes

Wednesday 22 Acts 15:1-6 / Jn 15:1-8

St. Rita of Cascia

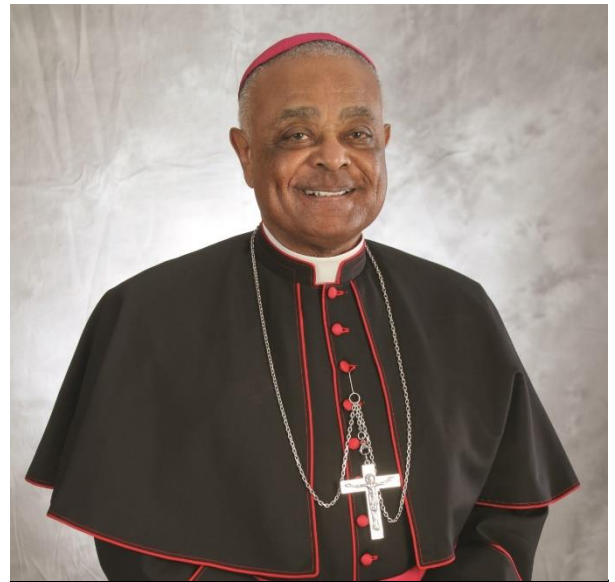
Thursday 23 Acts 15:7-21 / Jn 15:9-11

Friday 24 Acts 15:22-31 / Jn 15:12-17

Saturday 25 Acts 16:1-10 / Jn 15:18-21

St. Bede the Venerable, St. Gregory VII & St. Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi

Sunday 26 Acts 15:1-2,22-29 / Rev 21:10-14,22-23 / Jn 14:23-29



ARCHBISHOP WILTON D. GREGORY

WE RESOLVE WITH YOU "TO KNOW
CHRIST BETTER. TO LOVE CHRIST
BETTER. TO SERVE CHRIST BETTER."

Installation of Archbishop Gregory at the Basilica – The Mass of Installation for **Archbishop Wilton D. Gregory** as Archbishop of Washington will be offered at 2pm on Tuesday, **May 21** at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. The liturgical procession will begin at 1:30pm. Sections of the Basilica will be open to the public, but are expected to fill up quickly. Pope Francis named Archbishop Gregory as seventh Archbishop of Washington on April 4, 2019.

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Schedule Changes on Day of Installation – Please note these schedule changes for Tuesday, **May 21**: the rectory office will close at Noon and will not reopen that day; the Cathedral will close at 1pm and reopen at 5pm, before its regular closing time of 6:30pm.

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Mass of Thanksgiving Next Sunday at the Cathedral – All are welcome next Sunday, **May 26** when **Archbishop Gregory** offers a Mass of Thanksgiving at the Cathedral at 10am, with readings and intercessions in English and Spanish. Come out and greet the seventh Archbishop of Washington!

Parish Calendar

May 19 – 26

Sunday 19—A Respect Life

Ministry Drive in support of the Northwest Center is held after all Masses.

Las clases de Catequesis, Catecumenado y Catequesis Familiar continúan a las 11:00 de la mañana.

Always God's Children meets at 3:30pm in the West Conference Room.

Monday 20—A Eucharistic Holy

Hour with confessions is held in the Cathedral from 6 to 7pm.

The Social Justice Committee meets at 6:45pm in the East Conference Room.

Catechesis for Couples, Singles and Young Adults meets at 7:30pm in the North Conference Room.

Tuesday 21—The Cathedral closes at 1pm and reopens at 5pm. The rectory office closes at Noon.

El grupo de Oración se reúne a las 7 de la tarde en el salón de conferencias del Oeste.

Wednesday 22—RCIA Inquiry

meets at 7pm in the North Conference Room.

Thursday 23—Adult Confirmation

class meets at 7pm in the North Conference Room.

Catechesis for Couples, Singles and Young Adults meets at 7:30pm in the East Conference Room.

Sunday 26—Archbishop Gregory celebrates a Mass of Thanksgiving at 10am.

Fr. Antoninus Samy, O.P. celebrates his First Mass of Thanksgiving at 11:30am.

for experienced choral singers. Prospective singers must have significant adult choral experience, good sight-reading skills, and a pleasant, agile voice. The commitment of time and energy is significant. Rehearsals are Wednesday evenings, 7 - 9pm, in weeks when the choir is singing. Contact Tom Stehle at tstehle@stmatthewscathedral.org or 202-587-5141.



Liturgy Committee

Report – The Liturgy Committee of the Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) has been reformed and is now composed of

Jonathan Smith (Chair), Kerry Early (PPC Representative), Betty Sullivan, Ngoc Le, Linden Fry and Fatima Aybar, with Deacon Bart Merella as Staff Liaison. The committee is concerned with the overall worship life of the parish, including the liturgies of the Church (i.e., the Eucharist and the Hours) and other public and private forms of devotion (e.g., Stations of the Cross). The committee meets 6 times per year. On May 4 discussion centered on: 1) obtaining 2 or 3 additional members; 2) finalizing plans for the special remembrance gift at Mothers' Day (May 12) and Fathers' Day (June 16) Masses; 3) reviewing the Cathedral website, especially the "Worship" section; 4) planning for a follow-on review of the recommendations implemented per the recent comprehensive evaluation of our weekend Masses; 5) discussing possible 3-year committee goals; 6) and supporting the new Archbishop's Mass at the Cathedral on May 26. The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, **August 3**. To participate, contact either Deacon Merella at bmerella@verzion.net or Jonathon Smith at smithjon@msn.com.

News and Notes

Eucharistic Holy Hour and

Confessions – All are invited to our monthly Eucharistic Holy Hour on Monday, **May 20**, 6 - 7pm. Fr. López will preside and Fr. Hurley will hear Confessions during the hour.

Memorial Day – Monday, May 27 is

Memorial Day, a Federal holiday. Masses will be celebrated at 8am and 12:10pm only, and the Cathedral will close at 1pm. The rectory offices will be closed. There will be no Confessions.

Catholic Business Network

Breakfast – Join the Catholic Business Network of Washington D.C. for a [networking breakfast](#) on Thursday, **May 30**, 8 - 9:30am in the Great Hall, with guest speaker Nathan Scott, CEO of Queen Consulting and Technologies. To register, visit www.cbndc.org or contact Justin Silvers at 202-957-5188 or jsilvers@cbndc.org.

Prayers and Best Wishes on

Ordination Anniversaries – During this ordination season, let us remember in prayer our rectory priests as they look forward to celebrating their [anniversaries of ordination to the priesthood](#).

Msgr. Ron Jameson –

May 18, 1968 (51st)

Fr. Jack Hurley – May 29, 1982 (37th)

Fr. Agustín López – June 18, 2011 (8th)

Eucharistic Holy Hour for

Vocations – Unite with parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Washington as we anticipate the ordination of our priests on June 15! Plan to join us on Monday, **June 10**, 6 - 7pm, for a Eucharistic Holy Hour for the Intentions of our Ordinandi and an Increase in Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life. Fr. López will preside and confessions will be available.

Liturgy & Music

Schola Openings – There are a limited number of openings in the Schola Cantorum in all voice parts

Faith Formation

Faith Formation Brochure – Our 2019-2020 [Faith Formation Brochure](#) lists ways to deepen your faith. Pick up copies at Cathedral entrances or the rectory office, or find it at www.stmatthewscathedral.org/ffbrouchure.

Are You Thinking of Returning? Do You Think of Yourself as an Inactive Catholic? Welcome! – If you are a Catholic who has been away, or “used to be Catholic,” we invite you to be an active part of us again. Landings offers “a safe place to land,” a place for listening and being heard, and for asking questions and reconnecting with your faith. Contact Theresa Prymuszewski at 202-347-3215.

Social Justice

Volunteers ESL Teachers, Tutors & Persons of Hospitality – We need volunteers to serve one night per week, Tuesday or Wednesday, in the Summer Semester of the ESL Program, which runs from **June 11 to July 31.** While volunteers are not required to have formal training in teaching English, we expect their native language to be English and that they have at least one university degree. If you are not comfortable teaching a class, we can pair you with a more experienced teacher. To volunteer, send an email to stmattsesl@gmail.com.

Creation Care Team – Join the Team! – Join the Creation Care Team on Monday, **May 20** at 6:45pm in the East Conference Room to discuss plans and activities for the year. Contact Phil Downey at phildowney.jr@gmail.com.

Pope Francis’ Prayer Intention – In May 2019 we pray that the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for the continent.

New Parishioner Registration ~ *Welcome!*

If you attend Mass at the Cathedral, we invite you to register as a parishioner so we can welcome you properly, learn about any special needs and interests, and keep you informed of our worship opportunities and activities. We invite you to consider becoming involved in our various organizations, committees and other aspects of parish life. Register by clicking [here](#) or visiting the parish website (www.stmatthewscathedral.org) and clicking the *Join Us* tab (choose *Register as a Parishioner*). You also may register at the rectory office.

Celebrating the Sacraments

For our Mass and Confessions schedule, see the bulletin front cover or click [here](#).

Baptism

Parents who wish to have their child baptized at the Cathedral should contact the Baptismal Coordinator at baptism@stmatthewscathedral.org. Parents should contact us at least six (6) months in advance of a desired baptismal date, and may ask for the priest or deacon of their choice to perform the Baptism. Early contact allows parents to be scheduled for the necessary sacramental formation session and godparents to obtain letters from their pastor. For more information, click [here](#) or go to the *Sacraments* tab on the parish website front page (choose *Baptism*).

If you are a registered parishioner at St. Matthew’s and need a letter of good standing in order to be a godparent for a baptism to be celebrated at another parish, please call the rectory office at 202-347-3215 to ask about obtaining a letter.

Marriage

Couples who are interested in celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage at the Cathedral are encouraged to click [here](#) or go to the *Sacraments* tab on the parish website front page (choose *Marriage*, then choose *Weddings*) to review our guidelines for weddings. The next step is to call the rectory office at 202-347-3215 and ask for the priest of your choice or the priest on duty, who can speak to you about marriage preparation and the possibility of scheduling your wedding at the Cathedral. Couples are expected to contact us at least nine (9) months in advance of the date on which they hope to celebrate their wedding.

First Reconciliation and First Eucharist

Sunday Children’s Faith Formation classes include preparation for the reception of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. For more information on classes, click [here](#) or go to the *Faith Formation* tab on the parish website front page (choose *Children’s Sacramental Preparation/Religious Education*). Registration packets for classes beginning in the fall of 2019 will be available shortly online and at the rectory office.

Confirmation

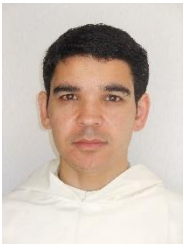
Each spring during the Easter season, St. Matthew’s offers adult Confirmation preparation for active, baptized Catholics who already have received their First Eucharist. For more information, click [here](#) or go to the *Sacraments* tab on the parish website front page (choose *Confirmation*). Registration forms for our 2020 Confirmation group will be available shortly online and at the rectory office.

Rite of Christian Initiation

Are you an unbaptized adult who would like to become Catholic, an adult baptized in another Christian denomination who wishes to profess your faith as a Catholic Christian, or a baptized adult Catholic who would like to complete your initiation in the Catholic Church? We invite you to inquire about the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. RCIA is an ongoing process of conversion and faith formation for adults who would like to explore our Catholic faith and prepare for the celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. For more information, click [here](#) or go to the *Faith Formation* tab on the parish website front page (choose *Adult Initiation Process (RCIA)*).

Contact Theresa Prymuszewski, Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation, at 202-587-5139 or tprymuszewski@stmatthewscathedral.org for more information.

Ordination to the Priesthood

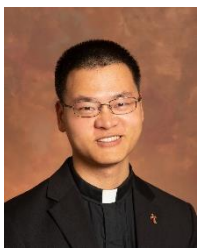


Brother Antoninus Maria Samy, O.P., a Dominican friar currently assigned to St. Matthew's who will be ordained to the priesthood on **May 25**.

Br. Antoninus was born and raised in Melbourne, Australia, and came to the United States to join the Dominican Order. Prior to entering religious life, Br. Antoninus worked as an economist for the Australian Government, and as an economic history researcher and lecturer at the University of Oxford (UK).

Br. Antoninus has assisted in a number of ministries over the past two years at the Cathedral, including RCIA, parents' group, the Sacred Page Bible study, as well teaching baptism preparation classes and preparing couples for marriage.

Br. Antoninus will be ordained a priest on Saturday, **May 25** at 9:30am in the Upper Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception by Most Rev. Robert Barron, Auxiliary Bishop of Los Angeles. He will celebrate his First Mass of Thanksgiving after ordination here at the Cathedral, at 11:30am on Sunday, **May 26**. All are most welcome to attend the ordination and the First Mass.



Mingwei Li, a seminarian for the Diocese of Pittsburgh, will be ordained to the Priesthood on Saturday, **June 29** at St. Paul Cathedral in Pittsburgh, by the Most Reverend David Zubik, Bishop of Pittsburgh. He will celebrate his First Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, **June 30** at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish in Pittsburgh, PA.

Mingwei was born in southeastern China, the oldest of three children. He and his family immigrated to the United States 20 years ago and settled in Pittsburgh, PA. After obtaining a Bachelor of Science in dental hygiene at the University of Pittsburgh, Mingwei discerned with the Diocese of Pittsburgh and became a seminarian there. He studied two years of philosophy while living at St. Paul Seminary in Pittsburgh.

Mingwei is finishing his studies at the Catholic University in the joint degrees of the Bachelor of Sacred Theology (S.T.B) and Master of Divinity. At St. Matthew's, he has been involved in the Sacred Page Bible Study, baptism preparation, baptisms, marriage preparation and served as a deacon at various liturgies. He is very grateful for the two years here at St. Matthew's. He is grateful to Msgr. Jameson for his supervision, to the resident priests for their inputs, to the staff for their assistance, and to the faith community of St. Matthew's for their welcome. He hopes to return and to celebrate a Mass at St. Matthew's Cathedral.

Ordination to the Diaconate



Since September 2018, four seminarians from Theological College have studied at the Catholic University of America and also served here at St. Matthew's. Their ministries have included the Cathedral Young Adults, Always God's Children, Sacred Page Bible study, and marriage preparation, as well as serving at

Cathedral liturgies. From left to right pictured above, they are: **Garrett Bockman**; **Mark Garrett**; **Elmer Herrera-Guzman**; and **Ryan Hiaeshutter**. All were ordained to the diaconate for the Diocese of Dallas on Saturday, **April 27** by Bishop Edward J. Burns, St. Jude Catholic Church. We hope to see them back next year!



Earlier this year, on **March 16**, our Dominican seminarian, **Br. Hyacinth Grubb, O.P.**, was ordained to the diaconate at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. He served at St. Matthew's for the first time as a deacon and preached at the 11:30am Mass the next day, **March 17**. While studying for the priesthood at the Dominican House of Studies during the past academic year, Br. Hyacinth assisted with St. Matthew's RCIA, Young Adults and Sacred Page groups, and worked with parents of our Religious Education students and engaged couples. Next year he will serve at a hospital chaplaincy in New York.

Let us keep all of these young men in our prayers as they pursue their callings to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ. Let us also offer a special prayer of thanksgiving for their presence and ministries here at the Cathedral parish.

SENT FORTH BY THE SPIRIT PENTECOST RETREAT



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Join our Catholic adults preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation as together we take some time to pray the Novena to the Holy Spirit to prepare for the feast of Pentecost. We will explore devotion to the Holy Spirit through Scripture reflection, Church teachings, personal and communal prayer.

Time: 10:00 am to 3:00 pm
(Coffeecake in the morning, 12:10pm Mass, Lunch Provided)

Saturday, June 1, 2019
Place – The Great Hall

Retreat Leader
Theresa Prymuszewski
Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation

Please RSVP by Tuesday, May 28, 2019
By Phone: 202.587.5139 direct line or
Email: tprymuszewski@stmatthewscathedral.org



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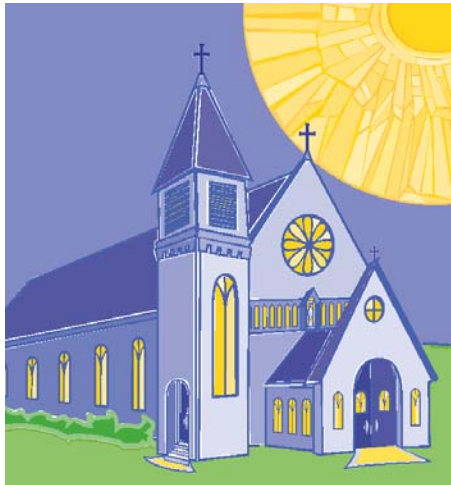
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perwin@stmatthewscathedral.org.

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Weekly Offertory Gift: \$ _____

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<input type="checkbox"/> Music Ministry	\$ _____	Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Catholic Communications & Human Development	\$ _____	August
<input type="checkbox"/> Poor Box/Outreach	\$ _____	Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Assumption	\$ _____	August
<input type="checkbox"/> Solemnity of Mary	\$ _____	January	<input type="checkbox"/> Catholic University	\$ _____	September
<input type="checkbox"/> Church Missions within the US	\$ _____	January	<input type="checkbox"/> Propagation of the Faith/ World Missions	\$ _____	October
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<input type="checkbox"/> Holy Thursday	\$ _____	March/April	<input type="checkbox"/> Archdiocesan Priests' Retirement	\$ _____	November
<input type="checkbox"/> Holy Land	\$ _____	March/April	<input type="checkbox"/> Retirement Fund for Religious	\$ _____	December
<input type="checkbox"/> Easter Flowers	\$ _____	March/April	<input type="checkbox"/> Immaculate Conception	\$ _____	December
<input type="checkbox"/> Easter Sunday	\$ _____	March/April	<input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Flowers	\$ _____	December
(In addition to regular Sunday gift)	\$ _____	May	<input type="checkbox"/> Christmas	\$ _____	December
<input type="checkbox"/> Catholic Relief Services	\$ _____				

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Credit/Debit Card #: _____ Expiration Date: _____

If you have any questions about the Faith Direct program, please contact us at 1-866-507-8757 {toll free} or info@faithdirect.net.

Lecturas del 19 de Mayo

Les doy un mandamiento nuevo: que se amen los unos a los otros como yo los he amado. (Juan 13, 35)

En la Nueva Jerusalén (Apocalipsis 21, 1-5), la Ciudad Santa, hay verdadera unidad y hermandad; nadie sufre abandono ni soledad; no hay barreras raciales, culturales ni nacionales que dividan a los redimidos de Dios.

El libro del Apocalipsis presenta una visión de lo que será esa vida plena, y aunque tal plenitud no será posible sino hasta la Segunda Venida del Señor, tenemos la esperanza de que en Cristo podemos experimentarla desde ahora. Jesús está en medio de nosotros y en nuestro ser mediante el Espíritu Santo. Con su presencia, podemos empezar a vislumbrar, si bien apenas, un “cielo nuevo y una tierra nueva” (Apocalipsis 21, 1) donde el amor es perfecto, y sabemos que, si nos esforzamos, podemos lograr, con la ayuda del Señor, que este tipo de amor comience a crecer ahora mismo.

El nuevo mandamiento es que nos amemos los unos a los otros. Pero solo podemos obedecer este mandamiento cuando estamos convencidos de que Cristo nos ama como el Padre lo ama él y porque Jesús nos enseña cómo hemos de amar. Y podemos amar así porque hemos recibido la nueva vida que se nos ha dado gracias a la muerte y la resurrección del Señor. En el Bautismo es cuando recibimos la vida de Jesús y la capacidad de amar.

Quizá nos preguntamos cómo podemos vivir este mandamiento en la práctica cuando la gente es hostil o poco amable con nosotros; cuando nos agobian el resentimiento, la amargura, el egoísmo o el odio. En tales ocasiones, hemos de pedirle al Señor que nos ayude a amar a los demás como él nos ama, que nos dé el mismo amor por ellos que él tiene por nosotros. En momentos de prueba o agitación, tenemos que cerrar la mente a las pasiones que desean dominarnos y fijar la mirada en la verdad que encierra su mandato, esa verdad que caracterizó la vida de Jesús: “Así como yo los amo a ustedes, así deben amarse ustedes los unos a los otros” (Juan 13, 34).

“Señor mío Jesucristo, concédeme fuerzas para amar a mis hermanos como tú los amas.”

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Lecturas de la Semana

Domingo 19 He 14:21-27 / Apoc 21:1-5 / Jn 13:31-33a,34-35

Lunes 20 He 14:5-18 / Jn 14:21-26

San Bernardino de Siena

Martes 21 He 14:19-28 / Jn 14:27-31

Santos Cristóbal Magallanes y compañeros

Miércoles 22 He 15:1-6 / Jn 15:1-8

Santa Rita de Casia

Jueves 23 He 15:7-21 / Jn 15:9-11

Viernes 24 He 15:22-31 / Jn 15:12-17

Sábado 25 He 16:1-10 / Jn 15:18-21

San Bede el Venerable, San Gregorio VII y Santa María Magdalena de' Pazzi

Domingo 26 He 15:1-2,22-29 / Apoc 21:10-14,22-23 / Jn 14:23-29

Intenciones de Misas Mass Intentions May 19 - 26

Sunday, May 19

5:30pm Vigil (May 18) – Rachel R.

Savarino

8:30am – All Parishioners

10am – Irene Maria & Mark Pena

11:30am – James Reilly

1pm – Gabriela Sotelo

5:30pm – Andres Maciel

Monday, May 20

7am – All victims/survivors of clergy sexual abuse

8am – Fred Malek

12:10pm – Daniel Quigley Keegan

5:30pm – Julieta Gregorio Wisman

Tuesday, May 21

7am – Luis Seagalas

8am – Carlos Rodriguez (living)

12:10pm – Anna Stamatis

5:30pm – Jacqueline Garcia Lao

Wednesday, May 22

8am – Patrick Cox Kane (living)

12:10pm – Veronica Weaver

5:30pm – Ernest & Margarita Enriquez

Thursday, May 23

8am – Heidi Polikoff

12:10pm – For greater accountability & transparency in Church leaders

5:30pm – Robert Pear

Friday, May 24

12:10pm – René Menguy

Saturday, May 25

12:10pm – Marilyn A. Giancarlo (living)

5:30pm – Ms. Gladys Boluda

Sunday, May 26

8:30am – Margaret Mary Arness

10am – Mrs. Juanita Roldan

11:30am – Richard Seib

1pm – Dora Miza-Guerrero

5:30pm – All Parishioners

Intenciones de Oración del Papa Francisco para mayo 2019 – Por

favor únase en oración en todo el mundo por las intenciones del Papa Francisco este mes: para que, mediante el esfuerzo de sus propios miembros, la Iglesia en África sea fermento de unidad entre los pueblos, signo de esperanza para este continente.

Noticias de la Parroquia

Toma de Posesión del Arzobispo Gregory en la Basílica – La Misa de Toma de Posesión del **Arzobispo Wilton D. Gregory** como Arzobispo de Washington será el **martes, 21 de mayo** a las 2:00 de la tarde en la Basílica del Santuario Nacional de la Inmaculada Concepción. La procesión litúrgica comenzará a la 1:30 de la tarde. Secciones de la Basílica estarán abiertas al público; se espera que se llenarán rápidamente. El Papa Francisco nombró al Arzobispo Gregory como el séptimo Arzobispo de Washington el 4 de abril de 2019.

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Cambio de Horario el Día de Toma de Posesión – Tenga en cuenta los cambios de horario para el **martes, 21 de mayo**: la oficina de la rectoría se cerrará al mediodía y vuelve a abrir el día siguiente; la Catedral cerrará a 1:00 de la tarde, reabrirá a las 5:00 de la tarde y cerrará a su hora regular 6:30 de la tarde.

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Misa de Acción de Gracias el Próximo Domingo en la Catedral – El **Arzobispo Gregory** ofrecerá una Misa de acción de gracias en la Catedral el próximo domingo, **26 de mayo** a las 10:00 de la mañana, con lecturas y peticiones en inglés y español. Todos son bienvenidos.

Oraciones y Mejores Deseos en sus Aniversarios – Durante esta temporada de ordenación, recordemos en oración a nuestros sacerdotes de la rectoría que están por celebrar sus aniversarios de ordenación sacerdotal.

Monseñor Ron Jameson – 18 de mayo, 1968 (51 años)

Padre Jack Hurley – 29 de mayo, 1982 (37 años)

Padre Agustín López – 18 de junio, 2011 (8 años)

Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento – Les invitamos el **lunes 20 de mayo** a que se unan en adoración al Santísimo, de 6:00 a 7:00 de la tarde, habrá confesiones durante la hora.

Equipo del Cuidado de la Creación - ¡Únete al equipo! – Únase al Equipo de Cuidado de la Creación el **lunes 20 de mayo** a las 6:45 de la tarde, en el salón de conferencias del Este, mientras discutimos los planes y actividades de este año para nuestra parroquia. Para obtener más información escriba a Phil Downey phildowneyjr@gmail.com o llame a Norma Canedo a la rectoría.

Grupo de Oración – El grupo de oración se reúne los **martes** a la 7:00 de la tarde en el salón de conferencias

del Oeste. El objetivo es profundizar nuestra fe por medio de las Sagradas Escrituras. El grupo de Oración tendrá charlas programadas a través del año. Próxima charla será *“Bienaventurados los limpios de corazón porque verán a Dios”* el **martes 21 de mayo**. Para más información llame a Fátima al 202-347-3215 x541.

Próximamente – El **lunes 27 de mayo**, es el Día de la Conmemoración a los que fallecieron en diferentes guerras; es fiesta federal. La Catedral abrirá a las 7:30 de la mañana y cerrará a la 1:00 de la tarde. Las misas serán a las 8:00 de la mañana y 12:10 del mediodía. No habrá confesiones ese día. La rectoría estará cerrada.

Hora Santa por las Vocaciones – Guarde la fecha y únase a nosotros en oración ante el Santísimo Sacramento en una hora Santa por las intenciones de nuestros ordenandos y un aumento en las vocaciones al sacerdocio y vida consagrada el **lunes, 10 de junio** de 6:00 a 7:00 de la tarde.

Ministerios de Justicia Social & Servicio

Comunitario – ¡Póngase en contacto con Norma Canedo ncanedo@stmatthewscathedral.org o 202-347-3215 para conocer más sobre nuestros Ministerios de Servicio Comunitario y Justicia Social de la parroquia!

Se Buscan Voluntarios para Enseñar Español este Verano – Buscamos voluntarios para servir como maestros en los tres niveles de español una noche por la semana, **martes o miércoles**, durante el Semestre de Verano que se impartirá del **11 de junio al 31 de julio**. No es un requisito que los voluntarios tengan una capacitación formal para enseñar, pero se pide que su primer idioma sea el español. Además, se espera que los voluntarios tengan por mínimo un título universitario. Las clases son enseñadas en equipos de dos, cada noche. Para ayudar como voluntario, escriba a Carina Carrasco stmattsssl@gmail.com.

Se Busca Ayuda - Donen Comida para el Ministerio de Desayuno los Lunes – Nuestra parroquia tiene un ministerio de desayuno semanal los **lunes** por la mañana, donde recibimos a 60-80 hombres y mujeres sin hogar o de bajos recursos. Buscamos voluntarios que puedan donar platos caseros, fruta, jugo, leche, huevos duros, yogur y otros artículos para el desayuno. Regístrese para donar incluso si no puede venir el **lunes** por la mañana. Para obtener más información, escriba a Bob Farrell bobfarrelldc@gmail.com o llame a Norma Canedo a la rectoría.