

Mothers Day: Next Sunday, May 13th is Mother's Day.

Have you planned on what you will do to show your



mother how thankful you are to have her? Did you get a Spiritual Bouquet card for her? Some great ideas are: have the children make cards for her, get her flowers, take her out to dinner or better yet, make dinner for her. If she is

deceased, have you put flowers on her grave lately? Have you prayed for your mother? Have you had a Mass said for your mother? Have you told your mother how much she means to you. What do you want to do to express to your mother your thankfulness and gratitude.

Mother's Day Pancake

Breakfast: Our Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, May 13th immediately after the 8:00 a.m. Mass in the gym. Moms come and let the Knights serve you delicious pancakes, sausage and all the fixins as we give honor to you and all you do.



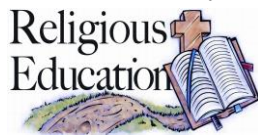
May Crowning: We will celebrate during the month of May, the crowning of our Blessed Virgin Mary's statue. So join us THIS Sunday, May 6th at the conclusion of the 10:30 a.m. Mass as we process to Mary's statue outside and crown her. You are invited to bring flowers from your garden to offer to Mary as well.

RCIA: RCIA continues this Thursday, May 10th at 7:00 p.m. and will be held in Meredith Hall. This is a time for deepening the Christian experience, especially in appreciation for the sacramental life, for spiritual growth, and for entering more fully into the life and unity of the Catholic community.

With Easter Joy we are continuing our Weekly Food Donations to the Aaron McNeil Center. Again, this week's food item is **Canned green peas**. All items can be placed in the barrel in the coat closet near the restrooms. Thank you so much for your generosity.



PSR (Parish School of Religion) - Pre-School thru 5th Grade Religious Education Classes are in session Sunday, May 6th. This is the final class session for the year. Classes will resume in September. Enjoy your summer break. We give thanks to their teachers and aides who include: Rossella Cincotti, Bette Covington, Emma Sunderhaus, Vicky and Tim Barnes, Morgan Murray and Laura Sunderhaus.



Youth Ministry

Our Middle School and High School Youth: Our classes continue **this Wednesday, May 9th** beginning with Mass at 5:30 p.m.

May Schedule – Wednesdays 5:30 p.m.

May 9 – Class

May 16 – Trivia Night

Confirmation Practice: Confirmation practice will be held in the Church immediately after the 5:30 p.m. Mass on Wednesday, May 9th. All

Confirmation students need to be present. Sponsors are encouraged to attend if possible. If the sponsor lives out of town, it might be important for a parent to attend in their place. Information about photography, etc. will be discussed.



Important Dates

Confirmation Rehearsal:

Wednesday, May 9th at 6:30 p.m.

Confirmation Celebration:

Sunday, May 13th at 4:00 p.m.

Appreciation Dinner: If you have served Saints Peter and Paul Parish as a teacher, aide, kitchen helper or volunteer for our PSR Program, Middle School Program, our High School Program or RCIA Team, you are invited to an appreciation dinner on **Wednesday, May 23rd**. We will begin with Mass at 5:30 p.m. and continue in the gym. We thank you for your dedication and commitment to sharing your Catholic faith with our children, youth and adults.

Gasper River Catholic Retreat Summer Camps: A combination of Catholic faith, adventures and friends leads to a deeper understanding of our life-long relationship with God. Learn more; register online:



gasperriverretreatcenter.org. or call (270) 781-2466.

Christian Leadership Institute (CLI) - June 10-15: For Youth who want to learn skills in leadership, decision - making, communication, and organization to be a better leader in school, church, home, and life. (Grades 10th-12th). For registration information contact Libby. Registration deadline is **May 14th**.

Thanks for your collaboration with the dance last Saturday: The

Guadalupe Committee wants to say thanks for your presence at the dance last Saturday. We also appreciate your donations and collaborations. We raised \$1,447.13 through this event, and the best thing is that we had a good time!



**SPP Assistance Fund Report
January 1 – March 31, 2018**

Beginning Balance – Jan. 1, 2018 **\$ 23.96**

Income:

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| 5 th Sunday envelopes | \$ 888.00 | |
| SPP Thrift Store | 2,908.17 | |
| Souper Bowl | 78.28 | |
| Bake Sale | 1,243.00 | |
| Individual Donations | 70.00 | |
| Refund- Oak Grove Utilities | <u>75.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 5,262.45 |
| Total Income: | | \$ 5,286.41 |

Outgoing:

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| Rent- | \$ 853.76 | |
| Utilities- | 3,601.06 | |
| Transportation- | <u>395.50</u> | |
| Total Outgoing: | | \$(4,850.32) |

Ending Balance - March 31, 2018 **\$ 436.09**

Families Assisted: 61
Individuals Assisted: 140

Devotional Candles: Reminder: When lighting a devotional candle (red, blue or white), please discard your match in the tray beside the stand. When you place the match in the candle, it burns the side of the plastic container and can become a fire hazard. We also remind you that according to the Fire Marshall we are not allowed to burn the “decorative glass candles” purchased from Wal-Mart or other retail stores because they are not fire retardant. Thank you.



Bible Quiz for All Ages

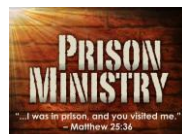
1. One slave made ten more pounds from his one pound. What did the master do for him? (Luke 19:16, 17)
2. What animal did the Holy Spirit appear to be when He came down on Jesus after Jesus’ baptism? (Matthew 3:16)
3. Ruth looked for this when she worked in a field after returning with Naomi to Bethlehem. (Ruth 2:1-3)
4. The Old Testament has two books named after women. Which books are they?

Baptism: We welcome through the waters of Baptism Victor Anthony Hatcher, son of Idalia Luna who was Baptized on Saturday, April 28th during the 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass by Fr. Richard. Victor is a student in our 3rd grade here at Saints Peter and Paul. (Picture of is family and his godfather, Fr. Basilio.)



Diocesan News

Evangelization: Prison Ministry: The Diocesan Prison Ministry Committee will host a workshop for those who already work with the Jail Ministry in your area and for those who wish to. This workshop takes place on Saturday, May 26th, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at the McRaith Catholic Center in Owensboro.



For more information contact Richard Murphy at: Richard.murphy@pastoral.org or 270-683-1545.

Outstanding Teacher of the Year: Nominate your favorite Catholic School Teacher to receive the “Outstanding Teacher of the Year” Award through the Catholic Schools Office and Principals Association. Visit owensborodiocese.org/educator-award for an online nomination form and complete details. Deadline to submit a nomination is **July 1, 2018**.



2018 Corpus Christi Procession: A Corpus Christi procession through the streets of Owensboro will be led by Bishop William F. Medley on Saturday, June 2nd, starting from Brescia University at 10:00 am and ending at St. Stephen Cathedral around 12:00 pm. This is in honor of the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, also known as Corpus Christi. Every parish from across the Diocese of Owensboro is invited to participate.

Bible Quiz Answers (see left column for questions)

- 1) Put him in charge of ten cities; 2. A dove; 3. Leftover grain; 4. Ruth and Esther.

Mother – Daughter time at the Banner Making Station during First Communion Prayer Day.

