



**Mass
Intentions
Of The Week**

- MONDAY, May 15**
12:00 noon Sam Cecil & Frankie Green
- TUESDAY, May 16**
8:00 a.m. at St. Luke
- THURSDAY, May 18**
8:00 a.m. Mary E. Barros
- FRIDAY, May 19**
8:00 a.m. at St. Luke
- SATURDAY, May 20**
5:00 p.m. Lillian Lamont
- SUNDAY, May 21**
9:00 a.m. Anita & Joseph Bryant (special intention)
11:00 a.m. Macy Jo Ganote
1:00 p.m. Spanish Mass
6:00 p.m. People of St. Rita, St. Luke and St. Athanasius Parishes

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

- I Acts of the Apostles 8:5-8, 14-17 (55A)
II 1 Peter 3:15-18
III John 14:15-21

Fifth Sunday of Easter (May 14, 2017)

“... Sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make a defense to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you.” 1 Peter 3:15

Actions speak louder than words. Let your Stewardship be your reply. Stewardship involves a change of heart, embodies not just in a single action, nor even a series of actions, but in a way of living.

Vocation View: Don't let your hearts be troubled.

The Lord shows the way, just ask him. (John 14:1-12.)

Anyone wishing to bring up the gifts during Mass can sign up on the form in the back of Church. Before each Mass, the usher will check the form before asking someone to bring up the gift.

For the week of: May 7, 2017

Needed weekly to meet our budget \$10,550.00
Actual amount received: 9,956.00

For the budget year – July 1, 2016 thru June 30, 2017

Needed to date for the budget 471,038.00
Actual amount received to date 461,082.00

Over/Under -3,712.00

Other gifts received:

Preventative Maintenance 85.00
St. Vincent DePaul..... 185.00
Children..... 35.50



This Week in our Parish

- SUNDAY** *HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!*
- MONDAY** Parish Council 6:30pm Casper Center
- TUESDAY** K of C / 7:00 p.m. (Trailer)
- THURSDAY** Quilting Circle 9 - ?
Eucharistic Adoration 8:45-11:45a.m.
Praise Prayer Group 7 p.m.
- FRIDAY** AA School Cafeteria/Alanon Casper Center/
8p.m.
- SATURDAY** Confessions 4-4:30 p.m.

The Parish Office is closed from 12:30 to 1:15 for lunch.

The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated July 16, 2017, at 4:00 p.m. There will be only one class, which will be on Wednesday, **July 12, 2017, in the Casper Center**, at 6:30 p.m. On the day of Baptism, Sunday, July 16, 2017 we ask that you arrive 15 minutes before Baptisms so Father or Deacon can go over the procedure with the families. For more information call the Parish Office, 969-4579, during regular business hours.

Please remember in your Prayers all who are sick, shut-ins, those in nursing homes, hospitalized, or recently discharged and recuperating: Joel Rivera, Paul Reichert, Sheila Clinard, Charlotte Vittitoe, Anita Bryant, Joseph Bryant, Wendell Sipes, Carol Poston, Tom Young, Ann Culler, Mary Ballard, Roberta Miller, Steven Pierce, Willie McCauley, Frank Maze, Charles Fowler, Bree Fowler, Joe Fleszar, Ron Cooper, Cathy Rolfes, Barbara D'Haene, Shirley & Phil Badgett, Phyllis Thomas, Barbara Devine, Tom Rausch, Richard Vessels, Carolyn Smith, John Smith, Wendell Sipes, Ruth Straub, Judy Higdon, Dorothy Dubick, Rita Hack-Curtsinger.

Answer to last week's question: (c) The Spouses, as ministers of Christ's grace, mutually confer upon each other the Sacrament of Matrimony by expressing their consent before the Church (see CCC, n.1623).

What is your Catholic IQ question of the week: The Eastern Orthodox Church celebrates Seven Sacraments. True or False

IN SYMPATHY

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Donna Costello** wife of Roger Costello and for **B.J. Thomas** brother in-law of Martha Thomas, The parishioners of St. Rita extend our Sympathy to their families and friends. May they rest in peace.

ST. RITA BOOSTERS: 1st Wednesday of every month
Booster meeting. 7:00p.m.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE ST. RITA EUCHARISTIC CHAPEL IS NOW OPEN. THE HOURS ARE MONDAY – FRIDAY, 9 A.M. TO 4 P.M. YOU ARE INVITED TO STOP IN TO PRAY OR HAVE SOME QUIET TIME. THE CHAPEL IS LOCATED IN THE BACK OF CHURCH IN THE “OLD SACRISTY.”

BOOSTER REUNION For all parents who have children, and the many volunteers who help run the athletic program please join us for a great time! May 13, 2017 at 6:30p.m.

BOOSTER BANQUET AWARD For 8TH Graders, Coaches, Parents, Children who play sports. May 19, 2017 at 6:00p.m.

ALTAR SERVER: May 21/9a.m. Leo Niemann, Roxanne Oyler, Gene Niemann. May 21/11a.m. Tyler Hobbs, Cameron Barbour, Connor Reverman,. May 21/6p.m. Rebecca Steele, Mary P’oryem, Nathan Mackin.

LECTORS: May 20 /5p.m. Martha Thomas, May 21/9 a.m. Charlotte Ford, May 21/11a.m. Louis & Linda Smith.

The Spirituality Library is focusing on topics each month May will focus on Mary. You may check out any book(s) in the library, come early for Mass, browse the book shelves and see the variety of good reference books that the library has available.

The Wilderness Trail Players Present CINDERELLA

Saturday May 13, Sunday May 14, at St. Luke 4211 Jim Hawkins Drive, ticket information: wildernesstrailplayers@gmail.com or 502-957-9797.

Little Way Mother’s Day Rose Sale and Baby Bottle Boomerang Resource center invites you to participate in helping save lives of unborn babies in our community. Our non-profit organization, which serves over 2200 clients in 2016, offers free pregnancy test, Ultrasounds, education and loving care to those facing unplanned pregnancies. At each Mass on Mother’s day Sunday May 14, Church members will be offered beautiful long -stem roses for a donation of \$2.00 each or \$20 per dozen. In addition, you will be invited to take home a baby bottle, fill it with checks, currency, and/or silver coins, and return the filled bottle to church on Father’s Day. With your kind partnership, we will continue to offer truth, guidance, help and HOPE to those who need it most.

St. Athanasius Picnic June 9th and 10th Ride night June 8th. \$10,000 Raffle, Casino Tent, Cake, Plant, Fruit and Children’s booths, Saturday 5-8pm featuring St. Ignatius Eagles Famous Chicken Dinner and much more! License#000275.

Sponsor of the Week – This bulletin is furnished to the Parish without charge. The advertisements that appear completely defray all publishing costs. Please patronize these sponsors as a thank you for their kind generosity. This week’s Sponsor is:

**“BUCA DI BEPPO”
Italian Restaurant
502-493-2426**

Our Parish Picnic this year is the weekend of July

21/22. Plan your vacations and trips around that week.

“NINEVEH 90 CHALLENGE”. We will be having a prayer group on Thursday nights at 7:30 p.m. It will begin with the “Nineveh 90 Challenge”. **All are welcome** it will be in the St. Rita Chapel. Thursday, for more information call Linda Smith (502) 619-0786.

New Support Group: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Survivors of suicide group every fourth Thursday of the month in the Church quiet room 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. 508 Breckenridge Lane, contact Gage Donohue (812) 283-1111

Assumption High School Summer Camps 2017 camps starts on June 5th, and spots are quickly filling up! AHS is offering a variety enrichment and athletic summer camps for children in grades K-12 that are taught by our award-winning faculty and top-ranked coaches. We hope that you will be able to take advantage of some of these opportunities. Space is limited, so visit www.ahsrocket.org to register today! Or Contact lauren.lega@ahsrockets.org for Questions.

Sitio Clothing Ministry Fund-Raiser an outreach of Saint John Vianney Church, is pro-life, volunteer organization that helps the less fortunate with clothing, shoes coats and other practical necessities Sitio invites Catholic parishioners to join them with a parish bulletin in hand on Sunday, May 21 or Sunday June 25 from 11:00a.m. to 4:00p.m. at Texas Roadhouse on Old Outer Loop. On these days, Texas Roadhouse will donate 15% of parishioner’s meal. Any Questions, please free to contact Linda Gottbrath 502-969-0018.

Archdiocesan Celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the appearance of Our Lady of Fatima, The Archdiocesan Marian committee, in collaboration with the Worship Office of Multicultural Ministry, invites you to join Archbishop Kurtz and the priests and Deacons of the Archdiocese of Louisville for a celebration of the first appearance of Our Lady of Fatima in Portugal in 1917. The Celebration will be held at the Cathedral of the Assumption on Saturday May 13, 2017 the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, beginning at 10:30a.m. It will feature a multicultural Rosary and a Mass with the rarely-seen “Order for the crowning of an image of the Blessed Virgin Mary,” which makes a special plenary indulgence. Please join our archdiocesan celebration!

Life in the Spirit Seminar Sponsor by the Archdiocese of Louisville office of Faith Formation

Thursday evenings from 7:00p.m.-9:00p.m. (six week series) May 18, 25 and June 1, 8, 15, 2017 St. John Paul II Annex 3042 Hikes Lane, Louisville, Ky
Registration \$15 per person, to register contact Lynn McDaniel at 502-636-0296 ext. 1267

Your Attention Please If you have a graduate you would like to see recognized in the bulletin for scholarship or other achievements, please submit name, school and award receiving in writing, to the Parish Office, or fax to 502-969-3679 or e-mail to wpuga@saintrita.net Please be sure subject line reads scholarship due by 12 noon Monday’s.

