Although our church continued closure, WE THANK everyone who shared a portion of their blessings to God through your church.

May 2 & 3. 2020: Regular Collection: $3,450.00; Building Fund: $25.00; CCD: $20.00; Cemetery Fund: $20.00; Seminary Collection: $65.00; Easter: $15.00; Catholic Relief: $5.00.

Thank you all so much.

Let us pray for our sick, our cherished elderly & their families, namely:

Willie Lewandowski, Brenda Malinowski, Johnny Kopycinski, Carolyn Kopycinski, Jimmy Hines, Sylvia Hines, Fr. Jim Robertson, Henry Derkowski, Jr., Kathy Kitowski, David Stegent, Patricia Jozwiak, Christine Kuciemba

May Little Therese of the Child Jesus be your example of faith and confidence that God's loving touch will heal you and give you new life.

MONEY COUNTERS (Note your day):

Tuesday, May 12: Clara Jozwiak, Peggy Husky, Gene Malinowski, Judy Willitzer.

Tuesday, May 19: Dorothy Bielski, JoAnn Horton, Mark Jozwiak, Alvin Malinowski.

NOTE: At this time, Chappell Hill Bank continues closure on Saturdays and Mondays until end of May.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Best Wishes and Congratulations to:

Elizabeth/Larry Gurka, May 4—46th
Janie/Albin Mikolajchak, May 6—48th
Janice/Marty Kubeczka, May 18—35th
Diane/Brennan Peterson, May 18—35th
Virginia/Alvin Malinowski, May 21—54th
Janis/Edward Kmiec, May 23—39th
Patricia/Gerald Novak, May 24—51st
Bebe/Joe Gurka, May 26—58th
Susan/Joe Gutkowski, May 31—34th

WELCOME BACK!!

Safely reopening our church for regular Masses is quite complex and requires the cooperation of everyone involved: clergy, staff, and all the great people who make up our parish. In this "new" normal, everyone is asked to follow protocols that are consistent with the governor's and attorney general's recommendations as outlined in last week's insert from the Bishop. Please understand that all decisions are made with the best information and inspiration at the time. This is a novel virus and we will continue to be responsive to new information that could alter the current plan. This pandemic has caused significant hardship to our diocese, nation, and world. Many are still struggling financially and burdened with the reality of isolation, fear and loss of their jobs. So, thank you for your cooperation, understanding, adaptability and patience.

THOUGHTS ON MOTHER'S DAY

Mother's Day can bring a mix of emotions for many women. There are those anticipating the birth of their first child, step-moms wondering what their place is, those who have lost their mother and are faced with grieving on Mother's Day, there are moms who encounter feelings of hurt because their children have turned from God, and those overwhelmed with pain from the loss of a child or loved one. No matter what you face this Mother's Day, you can turn to God and experience peace and healing through prayer.

A Mother's Day Prayer

Dear God, we approach your throne on behalf of the mothers whom you have entrusted with the care of your most precious little ones. We thank you for creating each mom with a unique combination of gifts and talents. We thank you for the sacrifice of self each mom gives for her children. For the late nights spent rocking a sick infant. For the hands calloused from washing, wiping, scrubbing, mixing, stirring, hugging, patting, disciplining, holding, writing, erasing, painting and pouring. We thank you for the gift of time moms give for their kids, for the flexibility of moms, for their tirelessness, their perseverance, and their devotion. We pray you give each mom strength. Help her to see in every mundane task the eternal, cosmic significance that you place on motherhood. Help her to understand that the most radical, world-changing events may be happening anonymously in her home. Help her to forgive those who undermine her significance.

We especially pray for single moms, who must rely solely on themselves for taking care of their children. We thank you that your big arms surround children who may never know their earthly father. We also pray for the mother who never had the honor of bearing children, but whose nurturing extends to the many poor and needy who cross the threshold of their lives. Lord, give each mother a worshipful reverence of you, the Creator and Sustainer of life. Help each mother to rest in the knowledge that they are but the stewards of your children and that only your Spirit can produce change into the hearts of each boy and girl. May each mother find rest in you. We ask you to be the daily bread and living water to tired mothers. We ask you to be their source of spiritual and physical strength. We pray that each mother rejects perfectionism and instead embraces the goodness that your grace and life brings.

Most of all, Lord, on this day in which we honor mothers, may we love and cherish the special women who have born us, who have nurtured us, and who have prayed for our well-being. May our hearts overflow with gratitude to you who formed and knitted each of us in a mother's womb. Amen.

—Daniel Darling

THIS WEEK'S MESSAGE

This Sunday we hear of the first deacons who were tasked with a ministry of service. With the restoration of the permanent diaconate we have examples of men in our midst who connect the ministry of Word and sacrament to the ministry of service. Deacons are in our midst to call all the baptized to our common vocation to ensure that the common good is recognized and accepted.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / A

Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous deeds; he has revealed to the nations his saving power, alleluia. ***Ps 97: 1-2***

Sat. May 9	6:00 PM	+RUTH GURKA by Joan Poerschke
Sun. May 10	9:00 AM	+LEONARD NOWAK by Gertrude Nowak and Family
Wed. May 13	6:00 PM	FOR PARISHIONERS
Thur. May 14	8:00 AM	WILLIE & LADISLAVA JOZWIAK by V.J. & Margie Jozwiak
Fri. May 15	8:00 AM	+ALFRED & FLORENCE KENJURA by Deborah Hargett

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / A

Speak out with a voice of joy; let it be heard to the ends of the earth: The Lord has set his people free, alleluia. ***Is 48: 20***

Sat. May 16	6:00 PM	+JAMES VITEK by Josie Bilski
Sun. May 17	9:00 AM	+JAMES VITEK by Family
Wed. May 20	6:00 PM	+RUTH GURKA by Joan Poerschke
Thur. May 21	8:00 AM	+VICKI KAMINSKI STOGDILL by John/Patricia Brewer
Fri. May 22	8:00 AM	+IN THANKSGIVING FOR 54 YEARS OF MARRIAGE By Alvin/Virginia Malinowski

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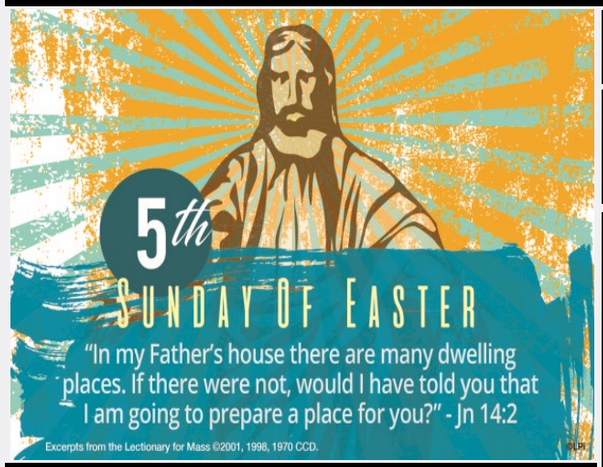

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Regular Mass Schedule:**

Saturday :	6:00 PM
Sunday:	9:00 AM
Wednesday:	6:00 PM
Thursday & Friday:	8:00 AM

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Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Sat. 5-5:45 PM/ Sun. 8– 8: 45 AM and 30 minutes before weekday Masses

Sacrament of Marriage: Call at least 6 months before the planned wedding.

Sacrament of Baptism: Contact Parish Office at least 2 weeks in advance.

Parish Boards and Councils / Chairpersons:

Parish Council: Mark Bilski
Financial Committee: Bill Anger
Cemetery Board: Kenneth Kettler
Building & Maintenance: Lloyd Stelter
Altar Society: Gertrude Nowak
Knights of Columbus: Darrell Loukanis
Hall Committee: Janie Mikolajchak