



5th Sunday of Easter



May 10, 2020

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Happy Mother's Day! Observing Mother's Day this year may be a special challenge. It may not be as convenient to travel or to take your mother to a brunch or dinner, and we will not be able to offer the blessing of mothers in person as usual. However, we pray for all mothers and expectant mothers, and wish your mothers every blessing.

We have received good news that things appear on the way to returning to normal. I hope that we can announce soon our return to the regular celebration of Mass. For now, we have some doors of the church open during the day and we encourage people to come in to pray. Masses continue to be broadcast on YouTube. A link is available on the parish webpage.

In the meantime, we have begun the installation of the new flooring in the sanctuary and the moving of the doorways from the back wall of the sanctuary to the side walls. We'll post more information as we continue, especially in the coming months as additional mosaics and artwork are brought in as part of our sanctuary project.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed last fall toward the renewal of our sanctuary. I am also grateful to all of you for your ongoing contributions during this period of shutdown. We continue to pray for you and ask for your prayers for us.

-Msgr. Gray



Our Sympathy

Richard A. Kube
father of Dr. Richard Kube,
and grandfather of Clare,
Katie and Richard Kube



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1. **Join Msgr. Gray for Mass each day.** Link can be found on the parish website, stthomaspeoria.org or the Parish App
2. **Bookmark the Parish Blog** which will feature regular updates (jgray.org/st_thomas).
3. **Download My Parish App** to receive push notifications (Visit myparishapp.com/download).
4. **Receive the Bulletin** and announcements in weekly emails from the parish. (Email parishoffice@stthomas-church.net to sign up).
5. **Bookmark the parish webpage** (stthomaspeoria.org).

Mass Intentions

Monday, May 11, 2020

7:00 a.m. Bob Nelson/The Nelson Family
8:00 a.m. Vincent Corrales/Felix Corrales

Tuesday, May 12, 2020

7:00 a.m. Sr. Bernadette Kouri, FSJB
8:00 a.m. Sandy Rapp/D'Arcy Haeusser

Wednesday, May 13, 2020

7:00 a.m. Dr. James N. Kenny, Sr./Family
8:00 a.m. Tom Frank/Bob and Susie Begner

Thursday, May 14, 2020

7:00 a.m. Mike Gray/Joe and Sandy Whalen
8:00 a.m. Bob Berg/Family

Friday, May 15, 2020

7:00 a.m. Joe and Ric Olson/Cathy Krueger
8:00 a.m. David Lynch/Greg and Margo

Saturday, May 16, 2020

8:00 a.m. Edie Thompson 3rd Anniv/Kitty Bieneman
5:00 p.m. Florence and Jim Ryan/Family

Sunday, May 17, 2020

7:00 a.m. Tom and Dorothy Lavin/Rich and Colleen Lavin
9:00 a.m. Benefactors of Franciscan Sisters of St. John the Baptist
11:00 a.m. For the People
5:00 p.m. Frank Eaton/Ed and Cathy Mallow

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