

Our Lady, Queen of Families Roman Catholic Parish

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FIFTH AND SIXTH SUNDAYS OF EASTER, MAY 3RD AND MAY 10TH, 2026

SACRAMENT PREPARATION PROGRAM OUR LADY, QUEEN OF FAMILIES

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Year One

- † Lilly Abbott
- † Luis Celis
- † Catherine Christopher
- † Lauren Frizzell
- † Sarah Furlong
- † Harriett Greene
- † Daniel Harty
- † Jasper Hudson
- † Kelsey Innes
- † Francis Joy
- † Aldon Kelly
- † Tsafack Nya Abigaile
- † Emma Molloy
- † Evelyn Moore
- † Jack Pendergast
- † Colby Reid
- † Addison Rice
- † Jane Rusted
- † Harrison Spinney

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

SACRAMENT OF FIRST EUCHARIST

Year Two

- † Andrew Alas-as
- † Emma Bullen
- † Jasper Byrne
- † William Byrne
- † Haylee Byrne
- † Luis Celis
- † Melissa Celis
- † Chloe Cooper
- † Isabella Currie
- † Peter Davis
- † Connor Dicks
- † Eleanor Gruber
- † Anastasia Hayter
- † Ellie Higgins
- † Aldon Kelly
- † Aiden Kielely
- † Lauren Kinsella
- † James Lee
- † Dominic Moore
- † Watson Morrissey
- † Kate Noseworthy
- † Andrea Obi
- † Kelvin Obi
- † Kharis Odetsi
- † Keril Odetsi
- † Conrad Sehn
- † Ireland Shea
- † Gracie Slaney
- † Maria Spurvey
- † Ryder Waddleton
- † Gabriel Walsh
- † Jarissa Weerasooriya
- † Charlotte Wheeler

Congratulations to all our children and their families who celebrate the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Eucharist.

May God bless you always!

We are excited to see you again at Mass!





Mass Schedule & Intentions May 5 – May 10



<u>Tuesday</u> May 5 @ 6:30 p.m.	<u>Wednesday</u> May 6 @ 9:30 a.m.	<u>Thursday</u> May 7 @ 6:30p.m.	<u>Friday</u> May 8 @ 9:30 a.m. <i>Holy Hour after Mass</i>
Francis P. O'Brien Delores Halleran Margaret Maloney Peter Jones Sharon Fennessey	Jim Rose Madeline Meaney Eugene Meaney James Brennan Sp. Int.	Wendy Andris Edward Meaney Dr. Bob Furlong Bruce Crummell	Susan Kelly Matthew White Mary & Ambrose Ryan Mons. Denis Walsh Maureen O'Keefe
<u>Saturday</u> May 9 @ 4:30 p.m.		<u>Sunday</u> May 10 @ 10:30 a.m.	
For All Mothers Living & Deceased		For All Mothers Living & Deceased	



Mass Schedule & Intentions May 12 – 17



<u>Tuesday</u> May 12 @ 6:30 p.m.	<u>Wednesday</u> May 13 @ 9:30 a.m.	<u>Thursday</u> May 14 @ 6:30 p.m.	<u>Friday</u> May 15 @ 9:30 a.m. <i>Holy Hour after Mass</i>
Josephine White Francis Foley Albert Smith Sp. Int. W.C. Sp. Int.	Michael Parnell Antonia Alfano June McConnell	John & Marion Hynes Sharyn Byrne Michael Wooderow Grace Lester	Holy Souls in Purgatory Patricia Louvelle Michelle Dillon Daniel Parrell Sp. Int. Sp. Int. John G. Murphy
<u>Saturday</u> May 16 @ 4:30 p.m.		<u>Sunday</u> May 17 @ 10:30 a.m.	
Gregory & Margaret Davis & Family John Murphy & Family, Leo Edwards, Robert Vey, Albert, Teresa, Ches & John Reynolds, The Turpin Family Michael Ryan, Alex White, Jerome White, Gladys Saunders, Stephen & Sean Mandeville		For All Parishioners Living & Deceased	



Collection

April 18 & 19

Sunday Offering \$5709.10

Youth Special Collection \$8130.45

April 24 & 25

Sunday Offering \$4291.00

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE WORKSHOP

On Sunday, May 3 at 2:00 p.m., at Our Lady, Queen of Families Parish, join the CWL for an informative workshop open to all women to explore ideas of membership, recruitment, and retention in the faith, social justice and service-based organization. Contact Maureen for more information (709-368-5272).

SOCKS FOR SHELTERS – PROVINCIAL CWL PROJECT

In conjunction with the NL Catholic Women's League Provincial Convention being hosted here in May 2026, we invite parishioners to donate much-needed new socks for local shelters. A basket for sock donations is available in the foyer. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

GROUNDS CLEAN-UP -- June 6 @ 10AM

Do you have some time to help us clean up the grounds around the church? We invite you to bring a rake, or a shovel, or a deckbroom and some gloves! We will have garbage bags, and we will provide tea, coffee, and treats!

BLESSING OF THE GRADUATES – JUNE 13

On Saturday, June 13 at 12:00 noon, high school students graduating this year, and their families, are invited to an ecumenical service to celebrate and honor this milestone. Following the blessing service, everyone is invited to the Kelly Centre for a BBQ, sponsored by our Knights of Columbus. Please contact the parish office if you wish to attend.

Save the Date!

Faithful Adventures of the Holy Heroes
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August 24-27, 2026

Registration
Opens
June 1st!

YOUTH NEWS

IMPORTANT DATES

YOUTH CHOIR: Sundays after Mass, 11:30-12:15
May 3

YOUTH MASS: Sunday, May 10 @ 10:30 a.m.
Youth Ministry & Youth Choir!

SACRAMENT PREP: **Next Sacrament Session**
Saturday, May 23 @ 3:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 24 @ 9:30 a.m.
Very important! Final session before celebrating the Sacrament of First Eucharist!

The Youth C.R.E.W (Gr. 7-12) May 23 & 24 -- Overnight **Camp McCarthy**
Youth in Grades 7-12 who are excited for an overnight adventure are invited to sign up to participate in the upcoming activity where we travel to Carbonear (Camp McCarthy) and meet youth from other parishes, have lots of fun, celebrate Mass together! Transportation to and from Carbonear will be arranged. Sign up with Heather, Youth Director!

B.L.E.S.T Kids & Families: **May 24 at 11:30 – 1:30 p.m. Pentecost Party!**
Everyone is invited to celebrate Pentecost Sunday with a birthday celebration in the Kelly Centre! Join us for treats & snacks, activities, and fun!

Important Dates!

- Knights of Columbus Dinner & Bingo
May 11 @ 7:00 p.m.
- Baptism Prep. Course (In-Person)
May 13 @ 7:00 p.m. – OLQF Parish



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