

There appeared to them tongues as of fire



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June 9, 2019 • Pentecost Sunday

The mystery of the Trinity refers to one God in three persons. We frequently acknowledge Jesus as “the second person of the Trinity,” but referring also to the Spirit as a “person” comes less naturally. In religious art, the Holy Spirit often appears as a dove or, as in today’s reading from the Acts of the Apostles, tongues of fire. Much rarer are images of the Spirit as a “person” in recognizable human form. Today’s readings do not settle the issue of how to picture the

Spirit, but they certainly give shape to the Spirit’s active power in the world and in each human heart. In Acts, the Spirit enables people to speak and understand a variety of languages. Paul’s letter to the Corinthians praises the Spirit for all kinds of spiritual gifts, services, and “workings.” Finally, in John’s Gospel, Jesus calls the Spirit our Advocate and our divine teacher.

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PENTECOST
SUNDAY
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Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 8, 2019
5:45 pm †Betty Johnson req. by Craig & Marilyn Cieply

Sunday, June 9, 2019
9:00 am †Dr. Raymond L. Annis req. by Timothy & Michelle Annis / Parish Family of St. Patrick

Monday, June 10, 2019
9:00 am †Stella Ulman req. by Linda Cakora

Tuesday, June 11, 2019—NO MASS

Wednesday, June 12, 2019—NO MASS

Thursday, June 13, 2019
9:00 am Intention of the Celebrant

Friday, June 14, 2019
9:00 am Adoration until 11 am

Saturday, June 15, 2019
5:45 pm †John & Ann Shields

Sunday, June 16, 2019
9:00 am †Fathers' of St. Patrick

Altar Servers:

Saturday, June 15 - 5:45 pm
Brent Bieschke
Sunday, June 16 - 9:00 am
Jimmy & Nikki Quigley

Cantor / Lector (Reader) :

Saturday, June 15 - 5:45 pm
Sue Nugent / Jim Kreske
Sunday, June 16 - 9:00 am
Sarah Hoehn / Steve Hoehn

Extraordinary Minister:

Saturday, June 15 - 5:45 pm
Sunday, June 16 - 9:00 am
Tracy Quigley

Usher:

Saturday, June 15 - 5:45 pm
Bill Phelan, Howard Bieschke
Sunday, June 16 - 9:00 am
Bruce Boyle, volunteer

Music: Cathy Engler

Collection Counters : Hoehn & Nugent

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

For the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, the weekly Sunday collection goal is \$2,584.62

Sunday, June 2\$2,185.50

Thank you for your support of our Parish

Please Participate! Your Gift Makes a Difference!

Parish Goal:	\$ 10,400.00
Amount Pledged:	\$ 11,225.00
Amount Paid:	\$ 8,075.00
2019 Rebate	\$ 0

Thank you for your generous response.

CALLING ALL SENIORS 60 +

Need help getting Nutritious Food ?

Interested in learning about services available to seniors in your community?

If yes, please call or text Ann at Northern Illinois Food Bank

(630)398-6839 or email

senior@northernilfoodbank.org

If you are unable to come to church because of illness, rehab, or living at a health care center please let the office know. A priest or home bound minister can come to your home. If there is an emergency and you need a priest, Fr. Sebastian can be reached at :

1(815) 478-3440 ex. 102.

Our parish offers Online Giving, a web-based electronic contribution application. We are providing this service so that you have the option to manage your contributions online or with your offering envelopes. This service is safe and secure. And it is convenient for you and for our parish staff. Sign up for Online Giving by visiting our parish website at www.stpatrickwiltoncenter.org and selecting the Online Giving link. It's easy and it's convenient!

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• Going on vacation? Please use Online Giving to catch-up on offering. Go to www.stpatrickwiltoncenter.org and click on the Online Giving link, it's quick and easy. Your support during summer months helps sustain our parish.

Widowed and feeling stuck ? Come and find ways to move toward inner peace and new hope in life. Joyful Again ! Widowed Ministry presents a Retreat/Workshop for widowed men & women. All are welcome.

June 22 & 23 – St. Julie’s—Tinley Park
July 20 & 21—Holy Family—Inverness
August 10 & 11—Mary Queen of Heaven Parish

For further information, call : 708-354-7211

Email us at joyfulagain7211@gmail.com

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GOING ON VACATION?

iTunes has a free app that makes going to Mass easy. Just download Catholic Mass Times Church Directory on your smartphone; use your current location and you can find churches, daily readings; saints; and more. You can also go to masstimes.org to find a church in your vacation area. Have a safe summer.

Religious Freedom Week 2019: Strength in Hope

Religious Freedom Week takes place from June 22 to 29. The Week begins with the Feast of Sts. John Fisher and Thomas More, ends with the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul, and includes the Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist.

During Religious Freedom Week, Catholics are encouraged to pray and act each day for religious freedom. [The Pray-Reflect-Act series](#) aims to help Catholics build solidarity with people of faith who are persecuted abroad and find strength to carry out the mission of the Church here in the United States.

Father's Day Special Collection for Diocesan Priests' Care & Support

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On Father's Day June 15-16, 2019, there will be a special collection to care for our infirm and retired priests. The **Fund for Diocesan Infirm and Elderly Priests** is a special way for the people of the Diocese of Joliet to express their concern for the welfare of those who have dedicated their lives in service to our pastoral care.

The money in this fund goes toward priests who need help with extraordinary medical expenses or suffer a catastrophic illness. It also provides for the care of the St. John Vianney Villa, home to several retired priests in the Diocese of Joliet.

Prayerfully consider making a donation to help our aged and sick priests as an expression of appreciation for all they have done in exemplifying Christ's mercy, through their spiritual guidance and celebration of the sacraments. On behalf of all the active and retired priests of the diocese, I am grateful for your prayers and for your generous support of the Father's Day Collection for our aged and infirm diocesan priests. Please be assured of my prayers for you.



Most Reverend R. Daniel Conlon
Bishop of Joliet

Mass intentions can be requested through the office, or dropped in any weekend collection, please mark in a separate envelope. Think about having a Mass for a loved one. Weekday and weekend Masses are available. We are also accepting requests for our 2-week Sacred Heart Candle.

St Patrick's Church is again putting together a group to volunteer at the Northern IL Food Bank's South Suburban Center to sort and pack food on Jun 29, 2019 from 9:00am to 11:30am. This food will be distributed to local area food banks. The South Suburban Center is located at 171 S Larkin in Joliet IL. A signup sheet is in the vestibule. All volunteers must be 8 years or older. Any questions please contact Mark Tillotson (815) 476-6387.

The Diocese of Joliet is seeking to hire a Catholic Education Foundation Executive Officer. The Executive Officer of the Catholic Education Foundation will develop and pursue ideas, contacts and strategies to raise funds from individuals, corporations and foundations in the seven counties that make up the Diocese of Joliet and elsewhere across the region. The Executive Officer will separately and in tandem with the Superintendent of Schools and other key Diocesan staff and volunteer leadership identify, cultivate and solicit major donors for scholarship, operating, capital and special school or religious education projects for the Catholic Education Foundation.

The successful candidate will be a practicing Catholic and will possess: Bachelor's degree; Master's degree preferred; CFRE and/or CAP certification a plus, Bilingual speaking a plus; minimum of 5 years direct fundraising experience with proven track record and success in major gift, annual fund, foundation and event fundraising work; familiarity and appreciation of Catholic education; experience working with the poor and economically disadvantaged; excellent communications skills; successful experience in supervision of personnel; proven ability to collaborate with people of diverse cultures within a complex organization; strong organizational skills; experience with budgeting, financial management and reporting; responsible with confidential material.

This is a full-time position with benefits. Requires flexibility of schedule, evening and weekend work as needed. To view a full job description, visit: <http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr/listjobs.php>

Applicants meeting the necessary qualifications please submit a cover letter, resume and salary requirement to: humanresources@dioceseofjoliet.org.



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Marge Flint; Nancee Long,
Shay Phelan, Jeanne
Kuzmicz, ; Joyce Heffern, Lisa Bernhard,
Judith Wright; Cecelia Mundt; Lorenzo
Rossi; Holly Flint-Jones; Cathy Engler;
Brett Burkhalter; Norma Boyle; Michelle
Schneider; Lou Crabtree; Ron Englert;
Father Rodger Kutzner; Marilyn Cieply

**Anyone wishing to be on the prayer list,
should contact the office.**

Intention of the Holy Father MONTH OF JUNE

- That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK JUNE 9, 2019



Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34
Tuesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 119:129-133, 135; Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5-9; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: 2 Cor 3:15 -- 4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 5:20-26
Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 116:10-11, 15-18; Mt 5:27-32
Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Mt 5:33-37
Sunday: Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-9; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday
Monday: Tenth Week in Ordinary Time;
Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
Tuesday: St. Barnabas
Thursday: St. Anthony of Padua
Friday: Flag Day
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



COME, HOLY SPIRIT

As the Gospel of John depicts the Last Supper, Jesus leaves the disciples with these words before they rise from the table: “The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you” (John 14:26). Jesus knows that he will be arrested that very night. He knows the kind of death he will suffer the next day, Good Friday. We might think Jesus tells his disciples to watch for the coming of the Holy Spirit because he simply runs out of time to leave them complete instructions about how to build the church. Rather, Jesus tells his disciples to look forward to the Spirit because the ongoing work of teaching and guiding is what the Spirit does best. The Advocate is not a hand-me-down replacement for the risen Jesus; the Holy Spirit is fully God, with mysterious power to help us grow in holiness.

COME TOGETHER

Jesus speaks grandly of the Holy Spirit, the third person of the Trinity. He promises that the Spirit will teach “everything.” Everything! Jesus’ words reveal the completeness of God’s plan. God, who could have chosen any method in the world to offer salvation to humanity, insists on acting as a unity of three persons in perfect complementarity. This is a profound and delightful mystery. We praise the one, undivided God, whose very existence is a communion. Contemplating God, we feel the awesome power of community. God prefers existing in relationship, and so must we. We recognize the sacred call to interdependence. This glorious feast of Pentecost invites us to consider all the people we know—and maybe especially the ones we tend to fear, reject, ignore, or dread—and ask the Spirit to teach us how to form better relationships with them. Even if we have tried before and failed, we boldly ask again. As Jesus says, the Spirit teaches *everything*.

Today’s Readings: Acts 2:1–11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29–30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b–7, 12–13 or Rom 8:8–17; Jn 20:19–23 or Jn 14:15–16, 23b–26

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