

Sixth Sunday of Easter - May 10, 2026



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Christ Child Society Diaper Drop

May 2-3 and May 9-10

It's the Annual Diaper Drop

**They need sizes 3 to 7 diapers and pullups
Please add to our box in the church's front
entrance.**

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE - May 16th & 17th

Lectors:

May, 16th - 4:00 a.m. John Barrett

May, 17th - 8:00 a.m. Mick Jasinski

10:00 a.m. Anna Mankowski

Servers:

4:00 p.m. None

8:00 a.m. Joe and Henry Sarver

10:00 a.m. Anthony Meyer, Elliott & Nolan

Jeffress, Nicholas Matthys

EMHC:

10:00 a.m. Gina DeMeyer

**Counters for May: Kathy Henderson
Margaret Pearl**

Please Pray For:



Leona Doms, Carolyn Tuszynski, Sharon Strieter, Edmund Kaplon, Ann Marie Osgood, Connie DeCocker, Dawn Reid, Linda Maxwell, Haley Huton, Gloria Ferick, Gene Smith, Mark Stone, Alexa Montenaro, Alan Tobolski, Mary Montenaro, Kathi Carpenter, John Hardman.

An offering has been made for the Sanctuary
Lamp
in memory of:

Leo & Sophie Dobrzykowski

05/10/2026



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Brothers and Sisters,

Today we celebrate Mother's Day. We do so in the Month of May, where we also honor Mary, who is the mother of the Church, and the Mother of God. This makes Mary the model for all mothers.

The defining moment of Mary's life was her "fiat" or "Yes" to God. This is not merely a "yes" to providing Jesus with earthly life (although that is certainly important). Mary's fiat is a "yes" to the mystery of God. It is an openness to God that brings about a fullness of life, which is to say life lived in a relationship with God. Mary is open to all that God gives. She is open to his love for humanity, a love that seeks the good for every human person.

Mary's fiat is a direct rebuke of the serpent in the Garden of Eden. The serpent tricked Eve into thinking that life could be attained apart from God ("You will not die!"), and that God was not an altruistic giver, but rather trying to prevent humanity from achieving its potential ("You will be like God"). Rather than falling for these lies, Mary opens herself to the full mystery of God. In doing so, she gives life to God in a human nature, so that humanity can participate in God's divine life.

Mothers have the role of providing their children with that same ability to participate in God's divine life. This is accomplished when they, as the first teachers of the faith, bring their children to the sacraments, especially Baptism and Eucharist. In doing so, their children enter the mystery of God's love, sharing in his life.

We have been blessed this past year to witness several mothers in our parish bring their children to the sacraments of Baptism, and Eucharist. And we are thankful for their witness. We should also be thankful for our own mothers, who, in many cases, were the ones who brought us to the sacraments. In doing so, they, like Mary, have responded "Yes" to God's will that their children should share in his divine life.

May God bless all mothers who have opened themselves to the mystery of God's love.

Peace,

Fr. Brian

Fr. Brian OUT OF OFFICE

Fr. Brian will be out of the office Tuesday, May 19th to Thursday, May 21, 2026.



Mass Schedule/Mass Intentions

- **Mon., May 11** - Mass 10:00 a.m. at Hamilton Grove
Intention: People of the Parish
- **Tues., May 12** - Rosary 7:30 a.m./Mass 8:00 a.m.
Intention: John Hardman+
- **Wed., May 13** - Mass 6:30 p.m./Holy Hour & Confession 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Intention: People of the Parish
- **Thurs., May 14** - Rosary 7:30 a.m./Mass 8:00 a.m.
Intention: People of the Parish
- **Fri., May 15** - **No Public Mass**
- **Sat., May 16** - Confession 3:00 p.m./Mass 4:00 p.m.
Intention: Bill Konter+
- **Sun., May 17** - Mass 8:00 a.m./Mass 10:00 a.m.
Intention: 8:00 a.m. Betty Konopka+
10:00 a.m. People of the Parish

Parish Office is open Monday - Thursday - hours will vary - please call (574-654-3781) to confirm someone is in the office.

We Need Volunteers

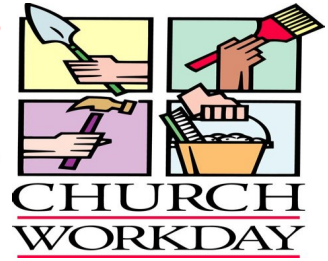
Bring Your Tools

St. Stanislaus Kostka Church

Saturday, May 30th

10 am to 1 pm

Signup sheets are available in the Church on the table by each entrance.



Garden Club

The Parish is forming a Garden Club. To get more information email Fr. Brian (bcarpenter@stanislauskostka.org) or use the sign up sheets at the entrances to the Church.

Social Meeting

Fr. Brian is looking for people to assist with establishing and maintaining Social Media accounts for the Parish on Tik Tok and Insta.

If you can assist with this, please contact him via email: bcarpenter@stanislauskostka.org

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Actual Month to Date.....	\$4,441.00
Month to Date Budget	\$3,500.00
Variance	\$941.00
YTD Actual	\$192,054.73
YTD Budget	\$154,000.00
Variance.....	\$38,054.73

Fiscal Year July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026

Remember to continue to tithe to the Church. Please remember St. Stanislaus Kostka in your will and estate planning. Thank you for your generosity.


Rummage Sale

St. Stanislaus Kostka Altar and Rosary Society rummage sale will be held Aug. 6, 7, 8 & 9. **Donations are being accepted at this time at the parish office during office hours. Call before you deliver (574) 654 - 3781.**

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