

# 5th Sunday of Easter

May 7, 2023



## Jesus's Exaltation is ours in Christ

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Sunday Mass - 11:00 AM  
Weekday Mass - 9:00 AM on Tuesdays

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Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:45 PM  
Sunday Mass - 9:00 AM  
Weekday Mass - 9:00 AM on Wednesdays

# Liturgy Schedule

From All Sour Faces Saints., Deliver Me

## Saturday

May 6, 2023 - 4:00 PM

For Farmers and their Crops

## Sunday

May 7, 2023 - 11:00 AM

Peg Vogelsberg

By: Joan Williams

Lori Thorington

By: Don Uvegas

## Tuesday

May 9, 2023 - 9:00 AM

Giuseppe Sgueglia

By: Kris Zedaker

## Saturday

May 13, 2023 - 4:00 PM

For All Mothers

## Sunday

May 14, 2023 - 11:00 AM

For All Mothers

## Tuesday

May 16, 2023 - 9:00 AM

Larry Magiera

By: O L F Parishoners

## Thursday

May 18, 2023 - 6:00 PM

Lasall Park in Schoharie

“From all sour faced saints, deliver me O Lord.

I don't want to be with

A grouch, a crab, or ca crocodile in a moat. The grumps are a small Minority. But they're vocal. Yes, the grumps are vocal. They have unresolved things, maybe from their childhood. They're not disconnected from God. But they're wrestling with him. Not a bad thing, But I want to hang out with the people who enjoy life. At home I have a sunshine file; it's just a plastic box. Inside are all the letters people have written me over the years: teenagers in the youth group, windows who lost their husbands. People who I was able to make a difference in their life. For two years I was chaplain on the children's ward of the cancer hospital. What can you say? You can't explain why some things happen. Only that it's a mystery. And a mystery is reality, imbued with God's presence. One Christmastime there was a ten year old girl from Ireland, dying of leukemia. All this girl wanted was a Cabbage Patch Doll. Ugliest doll you've ever seen in your life, seventy-five dollars. Seventy five dollars! And sold out everywhere. The mother told me: 'I've looked in every store.' That same day a family from my parish asked what I want for wanted for Christmas. I say : one Cabbage Patch Doll, and two walkie-talkies. They said : Father are you sure?' I told them: 'Yes I'm sure. I was a kid once too!' The Cabbage Patch Doll went to the little girl. Then I gave one walkie-talkie to her, and one to her twin brother. So they could speak while she was in isolation. After she passed away the mother wrote me a letter. I keep it in my sunshine file. It said : 'Those walkie-talkies were the best medicine she ever had.'”

Fr. Bill Holt OP

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### **Spirituality of Aging**

Sister Chris will be here this Wednesday at 2:00 PM, discussing the Spirituality of Aging. They will be meeting in the center.

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The Easter Bunny, a young goat and the rest

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If you know of anyone in our parish or your family, that is in need of sunshine (Birthday, Get Well, Thinking of You) Contact Barb Willoughby at (518) 469-4073. She will get a card out to them.

### **Christian Beatitudes**

**“Peace is necessary. For justice, it is necessary. For hope, it is necessary, for our future.” ~ Harry Belafonte**

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. We must manifest a peaceful life and share peace and friendship with each other.



### **Please pray for our sick and home bound**

Stephanie Merenda, Michael Fisher, Ken Chrinian, Sue Hamilton, Robin Bunnell, John Miller, George Tallman, Paul Reveal, Ron Fagan, Jack Finn, Frank Alberti, Kathleen Valvo, Dennis Corbett, Bella Stuart, Charlotte Marks, Bea Crouse, Joan Williams, Lorraine Duffy, Carolyn Terrell, Mary Brewer, Stephen Kulesa, Diane McCulloch, Mary Ganlev, Jeff Stuto, Ronna DeLuke, Bill Tindale, Corrie Keller, Logan Keller, Rich Keller, Jean Frisbee and Steven Mormondo

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Prayer Ministry prays for anyone in need of prayer. You can request prayers or join in this ministry. Call James Keller at (518) 295-7970 or e-mail him at jamesakeller@msn.com. From our lips to God's ears. Give your concerns to God and join your parish family in faith and love.

**Upcoming Events**

**Bishop Scully Hall**

Bishop Scully Hall is being used by Duaneburg School for testing from 5/1 thru 5/11 . No one will be allowed to enter the building during this time . Check with the office if you need to enter the building.

**Evening of Entertainment**

Saturday, May 6, following the 4:00 PM Mass. The Knights of Columbus will host a music night of Famous Female Singers. The will also be serving an assortment of finger foods.

**Mass of the Ascension**

Thursday, May 18 6:00 PM at Lasell Park, Spring Street Schoharie (by the Court House). It will be followed by Spaghetti & Meatball picnic provided by the Knights of Columbus. Please bring a dessert to share. We will gather under the huge pavilion.

**Eucharistic Candidates**

Pray for our candidates as they begin their formation for joining us at the Table of the Lord in sharing the Eucharist.

**Silas Zusman  
Sebastian Dyer**

Loving God,  
Bless the candidates from our parish family who are preparing to celebrate the Sacrament of the Eucharist.  
Help them to live and grow in their faith as children of God.  
Bless their families as they continue to love, support and guide them.  
Help us as their parish family continue to mentor and support the initiates and their families. Amen.

**WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

<p><u>Saturday, May 6</u> <b>LECTOR</b> Paul Reveal</p> <p><b>EUCARISTIC MINISTERS</b> John Hochmuth Mary Ann Conway Ruth Kulesa</p> <p><u>Sunday, May 7</u> <b>LECTOR</b> Josephine Errichetto</p> <p><b>EUCARISTIC MINISTERS</b> Jose Flores Addie Breitenstein Janet Korwan</p> <p><b>COUNTERS</b> Josephine Errichetto Ronna DeLuke Janet Ingro</p>	<p><u>Saturday, May 13</u> <b>LECTOR</b> Lew DiFillipo</p> <p><b>EUCARISTIC MINISTERS</b> Jeannette Coppolo Paul Reveal Linda Snow</p> <p><u>Sunday, May 14</u> <b>LECTOR</b> Allen Thesier</p> <p><b>EUCARISTIC MINISTERS</b> Cathy Callahan Janet Korwan Ellen Snowdon</p> <p><b>COUNTERS</b> Fred Crisafulli Julie Ann Crisafulli</p>
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At Our Lady of Fatima, Delanson, we are God’s people sharing a responsibility to witness God’s unconditional love and to bring God’s healing presence to our world through our service tour community and beyond.

Weekly Donations

4/24/23 - 4/30/23

Actual \$ 4,216 - Budget \$ 3,517

**Thank you for your generous contributions**

**Works of Mercy and Food Pantry**

4/30 - 5/14 Toothbrushes and Toothpaste  
5/15 - 5/28 Deodorants (Men’s and Women’s)  
5/29 - 6/11 Body Wash and Hand Soap  
6/12 - 6/25 Feminine Hygiene Products  
6/26 - 7/9 Shampoo and Conditioner  
7/10 - 7/23 Razors and Shaving Cream

A box will be placed on the table in the back for these supplies  
Your participation is greatly appreciated

**This week at Our Lady of Fatima...**

Date	Event	Time	Place
5/8	Friendship Café	11:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Hall
5/9	Mass	9:00 AM	Church
5/10	Friendship Café	11:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Hall
5/10	Spirituality of Aging	2:00 PM	Center
5/12	Friendship Cafe	11:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Hall
5/13	Mass	4:00 PM	Church
5/14	Mass	11:00 AM	Church

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