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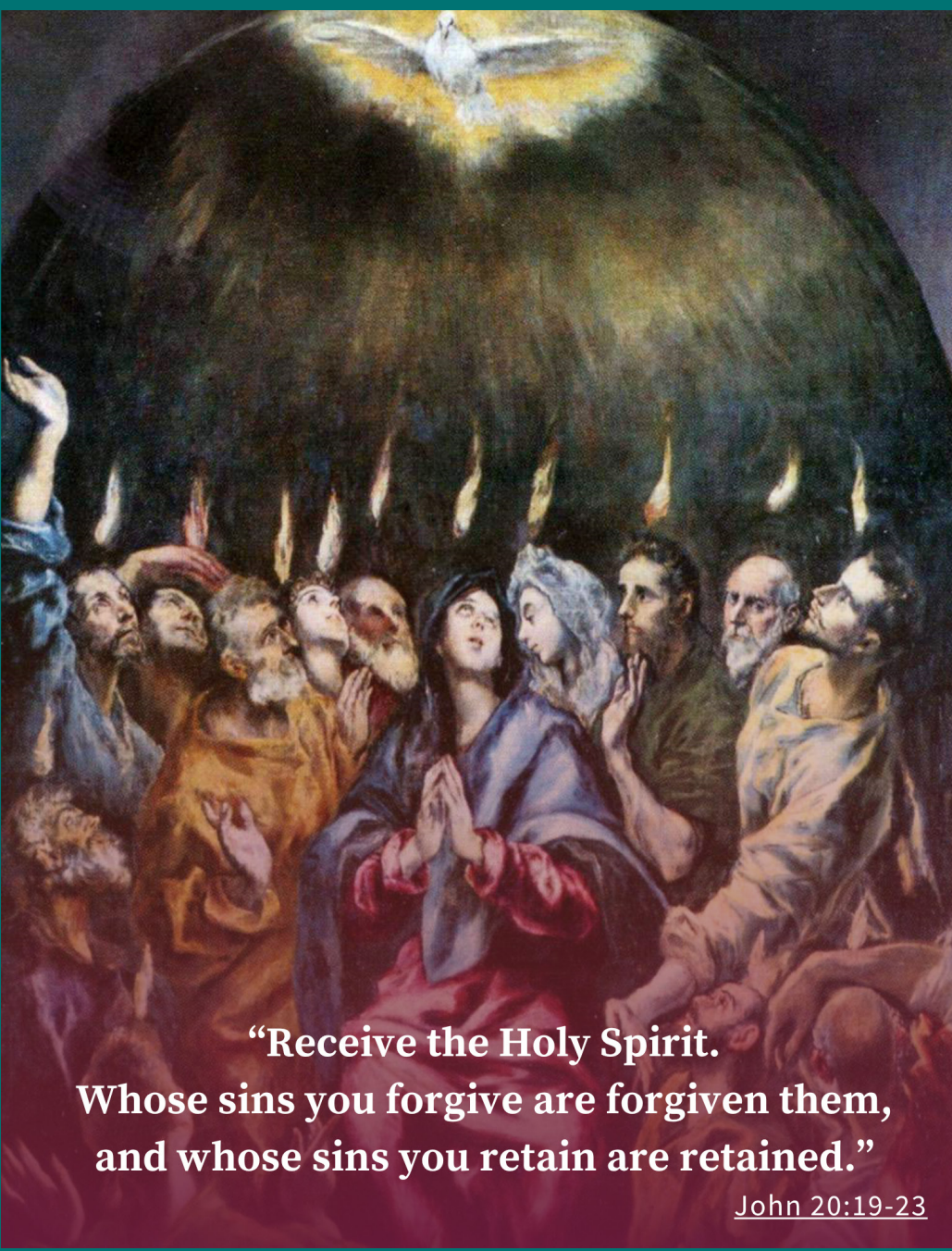
Catholic Church

May 24, 2026
Pentecost Sunday




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"Receive the Holy Spirit.
Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them,
and whose sins you retain are retained."
John 20:19-23



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Regular Mass Times for


Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am
Tuesday	9:00 am
Wednesday	6:00 pm
Thursday	9:00 am
First Fridays	6:00 pm
Holy Days	See Bulletin

Regular Confession Times


Tuesday	8:25-8:50 am
Wednesday	5:25-5:50 pm
Thursday	8:25-8:50 am
	6:15-6:45 pm
First Friday	5:25-5:50 pm
Sunday	7:20-7:50 am
2nd Saturday	After Mass

Office Hours


Monday-Thursday	9:00-4:00 pm
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SATURDAY MAY 30	Emmett T Bodon R	Don Ring	Laura Long	Tim Long	N/A	Kaitlin Long / Corbin Trimble		Donna's Team May 29		Tim Long / DJ Breitbach May 29
SUNDAY MAY 31	Richard B	Mark Bock	Scott Bennett	Cathy Vogel	Kathy Meyer	David Orson / Judy Wolf	Don Ring		Rita's Team June 1	

JUNE'S CALENDAR WILL BE INSERTED NEXT WEEKEND!



Mass Intentions † Indicates deceased person

Tuesday, May 26	9:00 a.m.	NO MASS
Wednesday, May 27	6:00 p.m.	NO MASS
Thursday, May 28	9:00 a.m.	NO MASS
Saturday, May 30	5:00 p.m.	Parishioners of St. Brigid & St. Patrick Parishes
Sunday, May 31	8:00 a.m.	† Patricia Wagner by Anne Rasco & Family † Dr. Curt M. Vogel by Dr. Bill & Haydeé Vogel

Special Collections

2026	
May 24	Peter's Pence
June 7	Tomorrow's Priest Dream Fund Youth Group
June 21	Catholic Communications

Charity Opportunity

Do you desire to help our Lord Jesus Christ by seeing Him in the poor and needy in our area? Consider donating towards **The Pleasant Hill Lay Clergy Council**, our local food pantry and charity organization. This is a 501C3 organization, thus your donation is tax deductible. There is no electronic giving yet, but **you can write checks to "Pleasant Hill Lay Clergy,"** mail your donation to **100 Veterans Parkway, Pleasant Hill, MO 64080**. If you desire to assist (i.e. Meals on Wheels - making and delivering low cost meals, then call 816-987-3952, working at the food pantry, working at the thrift store, etc.) OR have other questions, please contact the Pleasant Hill Lay Clergy at: **(816) 987-3600**.

GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

OFFER RIGHT SACRIFICES & PUT YOUR TRUST IN THE LORD. PS 4:1

Week ending 05/24/2026	Collection	EFT	Total
St. Brigid Parish	\$1550.36	\$1122.89	\$2673.25
Dream Fund	\$35.00	\$0.00	\$35.00
Dream Fund MTD	\$848.00	\$0.00	\$848.00
Youth Group	\$35.00	\$0.00	\$35.00
Votive Candle	\$101.00	\$0.00	\$101.00
SC - Ascension	\$95.00	\$0.00	\$95.00
SC - Peter's Pence	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
SC - Tomorrow's Priest	\$475.00	\$0.00	\$475.00

Please remember the Dream Fund. **Month to date: \$848.00**

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Henry Saubers, Parish Custodian

Parish Leadership

ST. BRIDGET FINANCE & PARISH COUNCIL

- Mark Bock
- Michelle Carrasco
- Gary Crabtree
- Bob Dostal
- Rick Kitchell
- Robert Radmacher

Office of Child & Youth Protection

Victim Assistance Coordinator:
Phone: 816-714-2357
Email: victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org

Independent Ombudsman:
Phone: 816-213-6024
Email: ombudsman@ombudsmankcsj.org

Bulletin Announcements

Bulletin announcements must be emailed one week prior to the weekend of distribution to secretary@stbridgetph.org.

Sacraments

Baptism Parent preparation session is required. Please contact the Administrative Assistant at Admin@stbridgetph.org or call the parish office prior to the birth.

First Communion A sacramental preparation program is required through SOR or an approved other curriculum.

Confirmation Program for high school students, according to Diocesan guidelines.

Marriage Please call the parish office when engaged. A nine month preparation period is required (diocesan policy). One party should be a registered, attending parishioner.

Anointing of the Sick As requested after Mass and by appointment.

Devotions and Info

New Parishioners

Welcome! Please register by downloading a registration form from our web site, stbridgetph.weconnect.com or contact the parish office. We are glad you are here and look forward to meeting you! ***

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Thursday After Mass —7:00 p.m.
Fifth Fridays 24 hrs. 5:00pm — Sat. 4:45pm

First Friday Mass and Devotions

6:00 p.m.; devotions, adoration, and benediction follow

Rosary

Before Mass Tuesday, Saturday, Sunday; Second Thursday at 6:30pm w/ Altar & Rosary Society, and Knights of Columbus

Prayer Chain Requests If you wish to be added to the prayer chain, please contact Roberta Klein at (816) 5405980.

Blessing Have you experienced a miscarriage?

Contact Father Vogel or Deacon Morgan to receive a blessing.

Reporting Abuse



The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church.

- If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:
1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18).
 2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911.
 3. If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee, or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, report the suspected abuse to the **Diocesan Ombudsman**, at **ombudsman@ombudsmankcsj.org** or **816-213-6024**

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the **Victim Advocate**, at **816-714-2357** or **victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org** for more information.

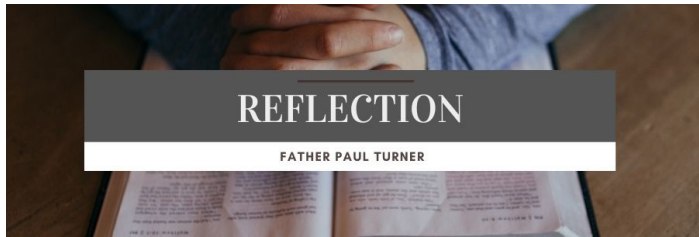


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REFLECTION

FATHER PAUL TURNER

Pentecost

1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

The Reason for Gifts

Look around your church and you will see many gifts. You will see those who sing and those who read, those who preach and those who greet. You will see some who feed the hungry and others who serve on committees. You will see some who decorate and others who converse. Some have a gift for leading prayer, for parenting children, or for making people feel at home. Everybody has some gift.

Still, not all gifts are equal. Some people excel at their gifts. Others exercise them less capably. The quality of the gift is not that important. It is important to exercise the gift, whatever its extent may be. The use of our gifts releases the power of the Spirit.

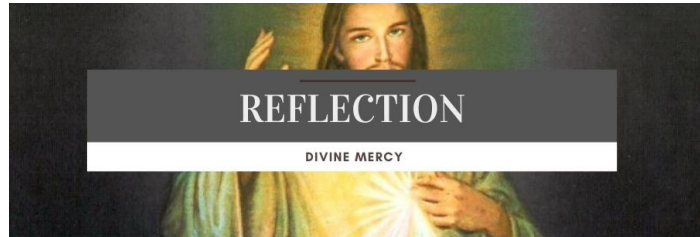
St. Paul wrote to the Corinthians, "To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit."

God gives gifts for a reason. They are meant to be nurtured and used. The gifts manifest the Spirit. When used properly, they draw attention to God who gives, not to the person who has received.

The manifold gifts within one community show the marvels of the Holy Spirit. When people share their gifts, they create a spirit of selflessness and inspire others to service. They help everyone appreciate the goodness of God, who gives even before we ask.

When people look at you, they also see gifts. For which gifts are you most grateful? How do you share them?

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REFLECTION

DIVINE MERCY

Being Misunderstood

In your relations with others, do you sometimes feel misunderstood? It could be by a close family member, a friend, a coworker, etc. The problem is that the content of your mind, heart, will, intention, and all of your past experiences are what go into directing your actions. And no one understands all of this except God. We do not even fully understand what we do and why we do it most of the time. As a result, it is easy for others to fail to understand us and what takes place within us. It can also be easy for others to misunderstand us and even judge us. This can be hard to take but we must not let it bother us. Instead, we must direct our concern only to that which our Lord thinks. His Mind and His judgment are all that matters. And the misunderstanding we may experience at times from others must be seen as an act of the permissive Will of our Lord, primarily to test and strengthen our Mercy for others (See Diary #700).

Can you think of a time in which you recently experienced the misunderstanding of another? If so, rather than letting yourself become angry or hurt over this, allow it to test the depths of your own merciful heart. Accept this humiliation with grace and give thanks to God that He has permitted you to share in the same act of misunderstanding and judgment that He took upon Himself. In this, you are blessed to be invited to share in the distribution of His Divine Mercy.

Lord, give me a merciful heart. When I am misunderstood, help me to accept this as an opportunity for grace, forgiveness and Mercy. Thank You for loving me enough to allow me to endure such a test. I give myself to You, dear Lord, so that You can work in and through me to be a witness of all that You endured. Jesus, I trust in You.

(This free reflection can be found at: <https://divinemercury.life/2026/05/19/reflection-140-being-misunderstood-2/>)



11TH ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY OF FR. VOGEL MAY 23, 2026



Happy Anniversary, Father Vogel!



You have anointed the sick. You have absolved the repentant. You have guided the lost. You have done it all with the heart of Christ.

~ With love, from your flocks at St. Brigid & St. Patrick.



CALENDAR

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, May 25 - Memorial Day

Office Closed

Tuesday, May 26

NO CONFESSIONS / MASS

Wednesday, May 27

NO CONFESSIONS / MASS

6:30 p.m. Women's Group

6:40 p.m. Men's Group

6:40 p.m. OCIA - Resumes

Thursday, May 28

9:45 a.m. Word / Communion Service

10:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration Begins

6:50 p.m. Benediction

Friday, May 29

9:00 a.m. Bible Study

5:00 p.m. 24 Hr. Adoration Begins

Saturday, May 30

4:45 p.m. Benediction / End of Adoration

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, May 31

7:30 a.m. Rosary

7:30 a.m. Confessions

8:00 a.m. Mass



Signal

Stay up to date with St. Brigid Parish! Download the Signal App and scan the QR code to join the "St. Brigid Parish Group".





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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SONS OF MERCY COUNCIL 13113

The Knights of Columbus are proud to serve our parish through faith, charity, and brotherhood. Whether supporting our food pantry, assisting at parish events, or strengthening families through our ministries, we are committed to being visible, active Catholic men. If you are a practicing Catholic man interested in growing in faith while serving your parish and community, we invite you to learn more. The world needs strong Catholic men now more than ever.

Contact us after Mass by visiting stbridgetknights.org or speak with any Knight wearing a name badge. We'd love to visit with you!

Catechism of the Catholic Church

“ 686 The Holy Spirit is at work with the Father and the Son from the beginning to the completion of the plan for our salvation. But in these “end times,” ushered in by the Son's redeeming Incarnation, the Spirit is revealed and given, recognized and welcomed as a person. Now can this divine plan, accomplished in Christ, the firstborn and head of the new creation, be embodied in mankind by the outpouring of the Spirit: as the Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. ”

COMMANDMENT OF THE MONTH
FOR MAY 2026

If U Love Me

If you love me, you will keep my commandments.
John 14:15

WEEK 4

The 9th & 10th Commandment
**“You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.
You shall not covet your neighbor's goods.”**

Comparing our spouse, our children, our house, our talents, etc., to what others have often leads to negative feelings, thoughts, and actions, which are symptoms of coveting. There will always be others with seemingly more, tempting us to be discontented and discount the many tangible and intangible blessings God has showered upon each of us.

But God offers us a better option, a better path, a better outcome. This better option can be remembered as the Two-Gs. Gratitude and Generosity.

The virtues of Gratitude and Generosity begins with us frequently and earnestly telling God “Thank You” for the abundant blessings of each day. Thanking Him when we get up, for watching over us during the night, for the opportunities of the new day, and for the food He provides us throughout the day. As we become increasingly aware of the countless blessings from God in each moment of each day, it should then become increasingly easy to be Grateful to God and Generous with others.

Embracing an attitude of Gratitude and practicing Generosity breaks down the resentment and jealousy of covetousness and replace these negative emotions with rich soil that produces abundant happiness and authentic friendship.

To learn more about how to overcome these emotion, go to <https://ifuloveme.org/register> or scan the code. Registration is free for all St. Bridget/St. Patrick Parish members.

Prayer Intention for May

Dear Jesus, help us to be mindful of your Commandments to not covet by replacing jealousy and envy with gratitude and generosity.



ST. BRIDGET Catholic Church

24 HOUR ADORATION
MAY 29TH -30TH

SCAN THE QR CODE TO SIGN UP ONLINE WITH SIGN UP GENIUS OR LOOK FOR THE SIGN UP BOARDS IN THE VESTIBULE.

St. Bridget Safety Committee News

TORNADO DRILL

Weekend of May 23rd and 24th after the St. Michael's prayer



SAVE THE DATE!

Altar Rosary SOCIETY

is hosting a

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST!

June 21, 2026

After 8 a.m. Mass
downstairs in the Parish Hall.



GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY IN 2026

1976 The Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will be held on Sunday, September 13 for couples whose 50th Wedding Anniversary falls between January 1, 2026 and December 31, 2026.

The celebration will begin with Mass at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Kansas City at 11:00 AM followed by a reception in the new event space – Donnelly Hall.

Please contact the parish office by August 21st so that we can send your names to the Bishop's office.

The event is for couples and their immediate family. Kindly inform us whether you would like to attend the Mass and celebration and how many will be in your party.

If you are unable to attend the Mass, the Bishop would like to acknowledge you through the mail. Parishes are requested to send names, addresses, and wedding date to the Bishop's office.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

SAVE THE DATE

SIGHT & SOUND THEATRE
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St. Bridget's is planning a one-day pilgrimage to Branson on Saturday, September 12 to see 'David' at Sight & Sound Theatre. We'll travel together by bus, and the day will conclude with Mass upon our return, fulfilling your Sunday obligation. Seating on the bus will be limited, so more details and sign-up information will be coming soon — be sure to watch for that in the bulletin and parish communications.



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

OF KANSAS CITY – ST. JOSEPH

2026 MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND

Memorial Day Mass, May 25th at 10am at all Cemeteries

Memorial Day Mass and Cemetery Preparation

Memorial Day Mass, May 25 at 10 a.m. at Mt. Olivet, Resurrection, Mount St. Mary's cemeteries in Kansas City and Mt. Olivet cemetery in St. Joseph.

Find out more about the Legion of Mary!

The Legion of Mary will conduct a meeting at St. Bridget on Tuesday, June 9th at 6:30 P.M. in the adult education room in SOR building. Please plan to attend to receive the news on how to belong to the Legion of Mary at St. Bridget Catholic Church. This may change your life to become closer to Jesus because the Blessed Virgin Mary brings you closer to her Son.

Heaven may be waiting for you!

Yes, one of the benefits of joining the Legion of Mary ensures its members of this future blessing.



See you on June 9th at 6:30 P.M. If you cannot make the June 9th meeting and you would like an update, please call or text 816-805-3649 for more information and to learn about the benefits of belonging to a group with Mary as your guide.

Foster Care Month Awareness Event



Saturday, May 30th, 6:00 p.m.
The Catholic Center, Kansas City, MO

Register: www.lifeandjusticekcsj.org/foster-care-event



Learn how to support foster families in our churches.

Discover community resources for foster families.

Opening prayer and words from Bishop James V. Johnston

