

**FEAST OF PENTECOST
BIRTHDAY OF THE CHURCH**

Today we celebrate the Feast of Pentecost. The Holy Spirit, who came on Pentecost, gave voice to the apostles to proclaim the truth of the Gospel and continues to enable the church to speak. The Lord Jesus promised His disciples that He would send an Advocate, one who would remain with the disciples for all ages to come. As the fifty-days of Easter draws to a close today, let us pray that the Holy Spirit, implanted within each of us through the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation, will strengthen us in our efforts to live lives of service to God's people. **Today, after the last Mass, the Easter Candle is placed near the baptismal font.** In the **Baptismal Rite**, the candles of the newly baptized are lit from the Easter Candle. At **Funeral Masses**, the Easter Candle is placed before the casket. **The Candle reminds us that Christ is the light of the world and guide of our everyday lives, leading us all one day to our heavenly home.**



The Scalabrini Dukcevic Center, across the street from our Church, continues to offer **FREE COVID-19 RAPID TESTING every Monday & Tuesday afternoon from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm.** There is no cost and no insurance or appointment is necessary. Testing is open to all ages. Please wear a face-mask to be tested for the health and safety of everyone participating.

Appointments can also be scheduled at the Center on Mondays & Tuesdays from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm for the Moderna **COVID-19 vaccine.** The vaccine will be administered on Thursdays from 5:00 - 7:00 pm. There is no cost or insurance needed however **an appointment is required to receive the vaccine.****

**THE FEAST OF
BLESSED JOHN BAPTIST
SCALABRINI**

**Saturday Evening, May 29, 2021
at 5:00 pm
Bilingual Mass**

*****There will not be a 6:30 pm
Spanish Mass this evening*****

**FEAST OF BLESSED
JOHN BAPTIST SCALABRINI**

Each year the Missionaries of St. Charles (Scalabrinians), who founded our parish of St. Bartholomew in the year 1907, celebrate the day in which their beloved Founder, Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini, was called by God into eternity on June 1, 1905. The Scalabrinians of St. Bartholomew Parish join all of the priests, brothers, sisters, and men and women of the lay movement serving the migrants and refugees throughout the world in honoring their Founder. **Your sign of appreciation for the presence of the Scalabrinians in our parish can be shown in a tangible way in the Second Collection on May 29 & 30.** Prayers are needed for more vocations to the Scalabrinians. Today, the spiritual sons and daughters - Scalabrinian priests, sisters, brothers, and lay missionaries - carry on the legacy by offering spiritual assistance to the new migrants in our midst!



REMINDER - IT'S NOT TOO LATE to return your **Catholic Charity Appeal** envelope with your pledge or gift. If you have already made a gift or pledge this year, thank you for sharing all the gifts given to you.

**MASSES FOR
MAY 24 - 30, 2021**

*Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead.
However the following are specifically remembered this week.*

Monday, May 24

7:30 am - In Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of the Church

7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Tuesday, May 25

7:30 am - For A Special Intention

Wednesday, May 26

7:30 am - Marie & Michael Balsofiore by family

5:30 pm - Eucharistic Adoration - Spanish

7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Thursday, May 27

7:30 am - Intentions of Mother's Day Envelopes

Friday, May 28

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners

3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet

7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Saturday, May 29

8:00 am - In Thanksgiving for the 50th Anniversary
of Ordination of Father Joe

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday, May 29

5:00 pm

**Bilingual Mass In Honor Of
Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini**

No 6:30 pm Mass This Evening

**Sunday, May 30
The Most Holy Trinity**

8:00 am

Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters
Rose & Furrie Varone by Mariann & Anthony

9:30 am

Mass - Spanish

11:30 am

Gilda Menna
Antonia Piccirillo - 1st Year Remembrance - by family
Rose Totolo by family
Emmanuela Maria & Bambino Ventresca
by Peter & Lillian



**SANCTUARY CANDLE &
ALTAR BREAD & WINE:**

IN MEMORY OF

Intentions of Mother's Day Envelopes

+Died in Christ+

Teresa Parravano



Baptized in Christ

Elieser Morente Luis

SPONSORS FOR OUR BULLETIN

Because our weekly parish bulletin can no longer be paid by ads on the back page, we are hoping to help defray this expense by asking parishioners to come forward each week by sponsoring the bulletin with a donation of **\$40.00**. Please call the parish office if you wish to help.

This Week's Bulletin Is Sponsored

In Memory Of

Yolanda & Anthony Ruggieri
by children & family

WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT

What Our Lord Asks Is Not Equal Gifts - But Equal Sacrifice.
(Increased Giving Campaign)

Weekend of May 15 & 16, 2021

Church Collections & Mail-in Budgets

\$4,822.00