



# Church of the Holy Cross

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*Holy Cross is a diverse community, welcoming and accepting, united in Catholic faith, and committed to forming people in the image of Christ to better serve the Lord and our neighbor.*

El Boletín *Encuentro* en español se encuentra en la páginas 5 & 6.

### Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm,  
7:00 pm (Spanish)  
Sunday: 8:30 am, 11:00 am and  
1:00 pm (Spanish)

### Weekday Masses

M, W, F 9:00 am  
W 7:00 pm (Spanish)  
T, Th 6:30 am  
Sat. 7:30 am

### Reconciliation

Sat. 3:30 - 4:30 pm, and  
Wed. 6:00 - 7:00 pm

### Anointing of the Sick

Individually by appointment,  
scheduled during Mass in the  
Fall and Spring

### Baptisms

Usually once a month during the  
5:00 pm and 11:00 am Masses.  
Parent classes are every other  
month.

### Matrimony

Six months notice required. Cou-  
ples should contact the Parish  
office for more information.

### Parish Office hours

Mon - Fri 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

### Holy Cross Catholic School

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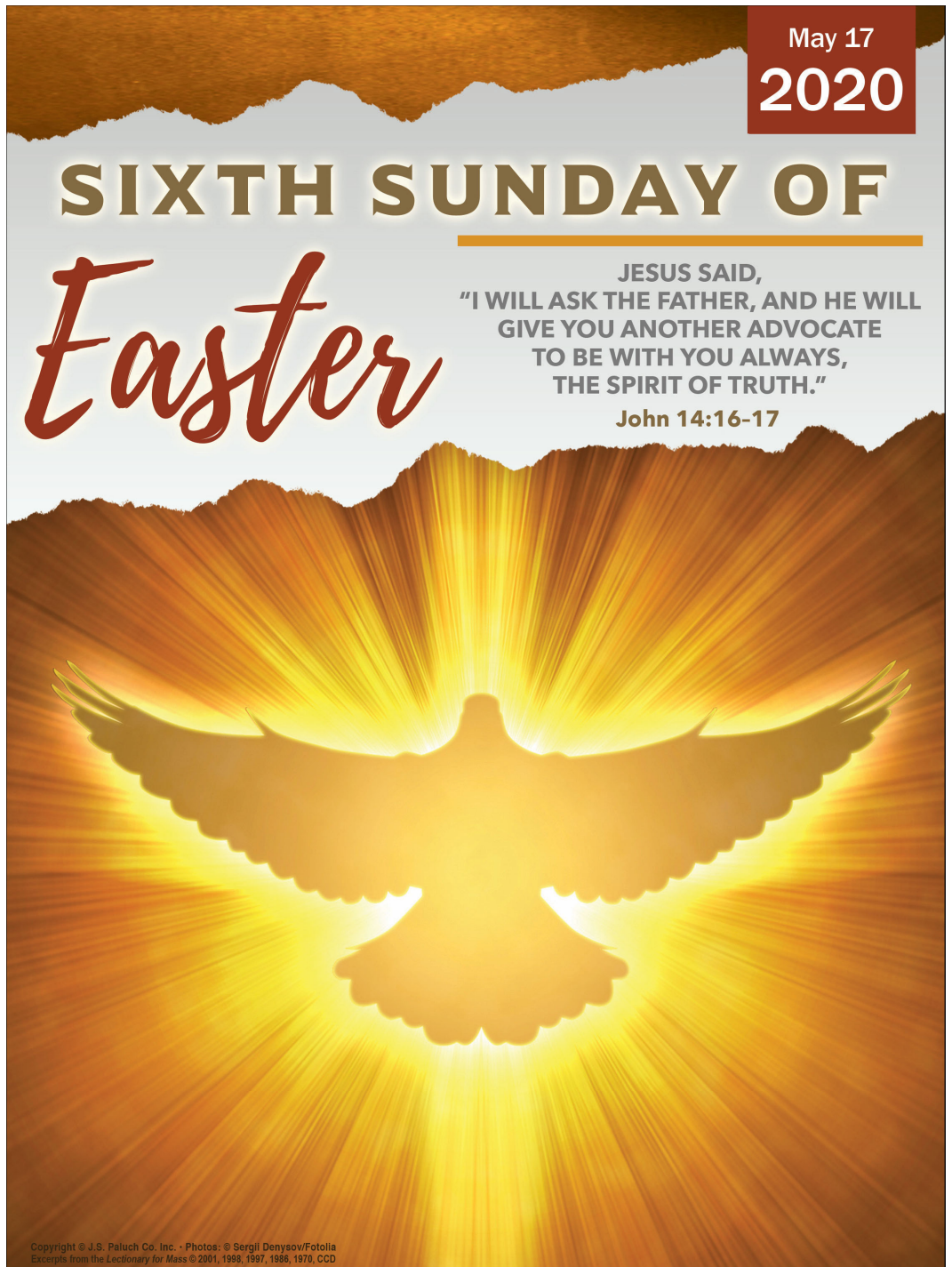
2020

## SIXTH SUNDAY OF

# Easter

JESUS SAID,  
"I WILL ASK THE FATHER, AND HE WILL  
GIVE YOU ANOTHER ADVOCATE  
TO BE WITH YOU ALWAYS,  
THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH."

John 14:16-17

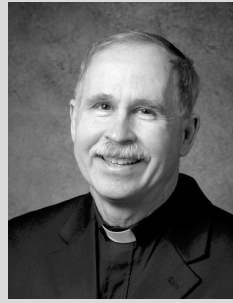


## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



Dear Parishioners,

As we shift into a new phase of life, something that resembles to a certain degree what we experienced before, we ask your patience. How we participate in the Eucharist and the other sacraments will be new for all of us. It will involve some trial and error. We may have to tweak it along the way. But with God's help, we will make it.



Fr. Mike

### Monday

8:00 am Joe Hernandez

### Tuesday

8:00 am Bette Rackauskas

### Wednesday

8:00 am Nancy Humes

7:00 pm Marciano Ruiz Huerta (Spanish)

### Thursday

8:00 am Staff and Students at Holy Cross School

### Friday

8:00 am Evelyn M Rothenberger

### Saturday

8:00 am End to Abortion

5:00 pm Sean Wilde

### Sunday

8:30 am People of the Parish

11:00 am Nadine Swanson

1:00 pm Martina Bustos (Spanish)

## Readings for Next Sunday:

*The Ascension of the Lord*

ACTS 1:1-11 EPH 1:17-23 MT 28:16-20

## Please Pray for Those Asking for Prayers:

Mary Ann Gabel, John Manning, Lyette Schuchardt, Joan Swanson, John Schartz, and Layne Mays & Family

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## Stewardship Reflection May 17, 2020

*"For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God's will, than for doing evil." (1 Peter 3:17)*

The old line says "if you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans." Many of us are diligent in our planning and making sure things are progressing smoothly. Then disaster strikes, we don't get the result that was intended or an unforeseen problem arises. Many times we may respond negatively and ask, "Why me? I did everything right!" Here's the thing – adversity humbles us and reminds us of our dependence on God and not on our own self-reliance. Rest assured, God has a better plan in store for you.

### Upcoming bulletin deadlines:

Bulletin deadlines are Tuesdays at Noon, a minimum of two weeks in advance of your requested publication date. Please send all requests to churchoffice@holycrossopks.org

**Welcome to Church of the Holy Cross!** We invite you to join the parish! Fill out the form below and we will send a registration packet to you or go to [www.holycrossopks.org](http://www.holycrossopks.org) to register online.

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*In communion with family and church, Holy Cross Catholic School will provide our students with a high quality education and a Christ centered approach to the world community.*

### ***Growing in Truth, Beauty and Goodness***



Our Holy Cross staff has been working hard to plan a graduation for our 8th graders. We will be rolling out the red carpet in the school's front lawn and graduating our students individually. If you are driving down 95th Street Monday, May 18th, please give them a honk to help recognize all of their hard work and achievements. We had our first Virtual All School Faith Family meeting via Google Meet. We prayed a decade of the rosary together in honor of the Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima on Wednesday, May 13th. We also sang "Lord I Lift Your Name on High" with actions and as a whole school community. It was a great way to come together and honor our 8th grade Faith Family leadership one last time. We are so proud of our 8th Grade graduates and wish we could give them the graduation and celebrations they deserve. We wish you all the best in High School and hope you come back to tell us all about your new adventures.

*Blessings, Mrs. Wagner*

### ***5th Grade News***

Although we have not physically been in school for weeks, we are continuously learning, and meeting daily with our class through technology. We see the 5th graders online every morning with Ms. Anderson and each afternoon with Mrs. Kroge. This week, the students have enjoyed reading *The Island of the Blue Dolphins* and reflecting on the beautiful story. In Math, 5th graders have been learning about volume and the coordinate plane. Also, the 5th graders can now pray the rosary with more meaning because they have been learning about each of the Mysteries of the Rosary. They have been participating in slideshows about each of the mysteries and reflecting on them while creating their own slide. We dearly miss seeing them, but we are so proud of all their growth this year!

### **School Enrollment**

Enrollment is still in motion for the 2020-2021 school year. We would love the opportunity to discuss with you our Kindergarten program. If anyone is interested in receiving a virtual tour, please email Mrs. Lemmon at [alemmon@holycrosscatholicsschool.com](mailto:alemmon@holycrosscatholicsschool.com) or Mrs. Wagner at [mwagner@holycrosscatholicsschool.com](mailto:mwagner@holycrosscatholicsschool.com).

### **Why be a Catechist?**

*Jesus sent us to "go and teach all nations".*

We are looking for more catechists who are willing to share their faith with our children and youth. Our Religious Program is planning a training for new and former catechists, I invite you to give us a call to see if being a catechist is right for you. Our children need you! Contact the Religious Education Office to find out more information at 913-428-3117.

### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

We are working on reschedule the sacrament of First Communion. We have to follow some guidelines that will be posted in our website and facebook.

We will communicate the date soon!

Questions contact: [pargueta@holycrossopks.org](mailto:pargueta@holycrossopks.org)

### **CONFIRMATION**

**Pretty soon we will have more information to share with you.** Honor Virgin Mary during the month of May, praying the Rosary.

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### **Catechism Corner**

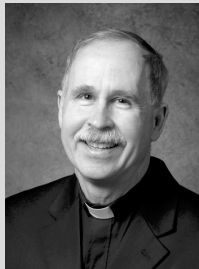
*What is the meaning of the term "body" (or "flesh") and what importance does it have?*

The resurrection of the flesh is the literal formulation in the Apostles Creed for the resurrection of the body. The term "flesh" refers to humanity in its state of weakness and mortality. "The flesh is the hinge of salvation" (Tertullian). We believe in God the Creator of the flesh; we believe in the Word made flesh in order to redeem flesh; and we believe in the resurrection of flesh which is the fulfillment of both the creation and the redeem flesh; and we believe in the resurrection of flesh which is the fulfillment of both the creation and the redemption of the flesh.

Further reading: CCC 990-1015

Estimados feligreses,

A medida que avanzamos hacia una nueva fase de la vida, algo que se asemeja en cierto grado a lo que experimentamos antes, le pedimos paciencia. La forma en que participemos en la Eucaristía y en los otros sacramentos será nueva para todos nosotros. Implicará algunas instancias de prueba y error. Es posible que tengamos que modificar los procedimientos en el camino. Pero con la ayuda de Dios, lo lograremos.



Padre Mike

## Lecturas para el Próximo Domingo:

*La Ascensión del Señor*

HCH 1:1-11 EF 1:17-23 MT 28:16-20

## Próximamente:

Estén atentos para las actualizaciones de nuestros próximos eventos. Las actualizaciones se publicarán en nuestro sitio web [www.holycrossopks.org](http://www.holycrossopks.org), en nuestra página de Facebook **Holy Cross - Overland Park, KS** y a través de Flocknote. Suscríbete a nuestras actualizaciones de Flocknote enviando un mensaje de texto con “**hcop**” al número **84576**. Nuestra oficina está trabajando un horario reducido. Puedes comunicarte con nosotros por correo electrónico a [churchoffice@holycrossopks.org](mailto:churchoffice@holycrossopks.org). También puedes acceder los videos de las Misas transmitidas en Español en nuestro sitio web.

### Misas en Español

Las Misas en Español en Holy Cross se están transmitiendo en vivo a través de nuestra página de Facebook “Holy Cross – Overland Park, KS” y están disponibles en nuestro sitio web [www.holycrossopks.org](http://www.holycrossopks.org). Las Misas se están celebrando en privado los miércoles a las 7 pm y los domingos a la 1 pm. Conéctate y celebra la Misa con nosotros o encuentra la transmisión cuando te sea posible.

# Encuentro

*La Iglesia Holy Cross es una comunidad diversa y acogedora, unida en la fe Católica y comprometida en formar a la gente en la imagen de Cristo, para servir mejor al Señor y al prójimo.*

### MISAS EN ESPAÑOL:

sábados 7 pm; domingos 1 pm, miércoles 7 pm

### MISAS EN INGLÉS:

sábados 5:00 pm y domingos 8:30 am, 11 am

### RECONCILIACIÓN (BILINGÜE):

miércoles 6:00—7:00 pm, sábados 3:30—4:30 pm y domingos: 12:15 pm—12:45 pm

### MATRIMONIOS:

Llaman a la parroquia 6 meses antes de la fecha en que desean casarse para programar la primera entrevista con el sacerdote.

### BAUTISMOS:

Usualmente el 4º domingo del mes, después de la misa de la 1:00 pm. Comuníquese con la oficina para confirmar fechas y para registrarse.

### PLÁTICA PRE-BAUTISMAL:

Padres y padrinos tomarán una clase de preparación, el 1º sábado del mes, **9:30 am**. Favor de **NO** traer niños. **Deben anotarse con anticipación para plática y bautizo**, llamando a la oficina de la iglesia.

### SERVICIOS EN ESPAÑOL:

Nuestra recepcionista habla español. Llaman directo a la oficina de la iglesia, **381-2755**, lunes—jueves, 9am—3pm, viernes 9am—12:00 pm.

## ¿Por qué ser Catequista?

**Jesús nos envió a “ir y enseñar a todas las naciones.”**

Estamos buscando más catequistas que estén dispuestos a compartir su fe con nuestros niños y jóvenes. Nuestro Programa de Educación Religiosa esta planeando una capacitación para nuevos y antiguos catequistas, te invito a que nos llames para ver si ser un catequista es un llamado para ti. ¡Nuestros niños y jóvenes te necesitan!

Comunícate directamente con la Oficina de Educación Religiosa para más información al 913-428-3117 o [pargueta@holycrossopks.org](mailto:pargueta@holycrossopks.org).

## EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Estamos trabajando para reprogramar el sacramento de la Primera Comunión. Tenemos que seguir algunas pautas o recomendaciones que se publicarán en nuestro sitio web y en Facebook.

¡Pronto comunicaremos la fecha!

Para preguntas, contacte a [pargueta@holycrossopks.org](mailto:pargueta@holycrossopks.org)

## CONFIRMACIÓN

Muy pronto tendremos más información para compartir con ustedes. Honra a la Virgen María durante el mes de mayo, rezando el Rosario. Síguenos en nuestro sitio web: [holycrossopks.org](http://holycrossopks.org) o <https://www.facebook.com/Holy-Cross-Overland-Park-KS-1694955497388310/>.

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## Catecismo

*¿Cuál es el significado del termino "cuerpo" (o "carne") y qué importancia tiene?*

La resurrección de la carne es la formulación literal en el Credo de los Apóstoles para la resurrección del cuerpo. El término "carne" se refiere a la humanidad en su estado de debilidad y mortalidad. "La carne es la bisagra de la salvación" (Tertuliano). Creemos en Dios el Creador de la carne; creemos en la Palabra hecha carne para redimir la carne; y creemos en la resurrección de la carne, que es el cumplimiento tanto de la creación como de la carne.

Lectura Adicional: CCC 990-1015

## Reflexión de la Semana

*"Porque es mejor sufrir por hacer el bien, si es la voluntad de Dios, que por hacer el mal". (1 PEDRO 3:17)*

Un viejo dicho dice así: "si quieres hacer reír a Dios, cuéntale tus planes". Muchos de nosotros somos diligentes en nuestra planificación y nos aseguramos de que las cosas progresen sin problemas. Luego ocurre un desastre, no obtenemos el resultado previsto o surge un problema imprevisto. Muchas veces podemos responder negativamente y preguntar: "¿Por qué a mí? ¡Hice todo bien! Aquí está la razón: la adversidad nos humilla y nos recuerda nuestra dependencia de Dios y no en nuestra autosuficiencia. Ten la seguridad de que Dios tiene un plan mejor para tí.

## Escuela Católica Holy Cross



Nuestro personal de Holy Cross ha estado trabajando duro para planificar una graduación para nuestros alumnos de 8° grado. Vamos a extender la alfombra roja en el jardín delantero de la escuela y graduar a nuestros estudiantes individualmente. Si estas conduciendo por la calle 95 el lunes, 18 de mayo, toca el claxon para ayudar a reconocerles todo su arduo trabajo y logros. Tuvimos nuestra primera reunión virtual de la Familia de Fe de toda la escuela a través de Google Meet. Rezamos juntos una decada del Rosario en honor a la Aparición de Nuestra Señora de Fatima el miércoles, 13 de mayo. También cantamos "Lord I Lift Your Name on High" con acciones y como comunidad escolar. Fue una gran manera de unirnos y honrar a nuestro liderazgo de Faith Family de octavo grado por última vez. Estamos muy orgullosos de nuestros graduados de 8° Grado y deseamos poder darles la graduación y celebraciones que se merecen. Les deseamos lo mejor en la escuela secundaria y esperamos que regresen para contarnos sobre sus nuevas aventuras.

*Bendiciones, Sra. Wagner*

### Noticias del 5° Grado

Aunque no hemos estado físicamente en la escuela durante varias semanas, estamos continuamente aprendiendo y reuniendonos diariamente con nuestra clase a través de la tecnología. Vemos a los alumnos de quinto grado en línea todas las mañanas con la Sra. Anderson y cada tarde con la Sra. Kroge. Esta semana, los estudiantes han disfrutado mucho leyendo La Isla de los Delfines Azules y reflexionando sobre la hermosa historia. En matemáticas, los estudiantes del 5° grado han estado aprendiendo sobre el volumen y el plano de coordenadas. Además, los alumnos del 5° grado ahora pueden rezar el Rosario con más significado porque han estado aprendiendo sobre cada uno de los Misterios del Rosario. Han estado participando en presentaciones de diapositivas sobre cada uno de los misterios y reflexionando sobre ellos mientras crean su propia diapositiva. Echamos muchísimo de menos verlos, ¡pero estamos muy orgullosos de todo su crecimiento este año!

### Inscripción Escolar

Las inscripciones todavía se están llevando a cabo para el año escolar 2020-2021. Nos encantaría tener la oportunidad de conversar con usted sobre nuestro programa de Kindergarten. Si alguien está interesado en recibir un recorrido virtual, envíe un correo electrónico a la Sra. Lemmon al [alemmon@holycrosscatholicsschool.com](mailto:alemmon@holycrosscatholicsschool.com) o a la Sra. Wagner al [mwagner@holycrosscatholicsschool.com](mailto:mwagner@holycrosscatholicsschool.com).

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