

The month of May is the "month which the piety of the faithful has especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady," and it is the occasion for a "moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world [pay] to the Queen of Heaven. During this month Christians, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance" (Paul VI: Encyclical on the Month of May, no. 1).

## The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of May 2024

For the Formation of Religious and Seminarians: We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

MONTH of MAY 2024						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Feast of St Athanasius	3 Feast of St Philip and St James FIRST FRIDAY Healing Mass 7pm	4 SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon
5 Children's Liturgy 10:15am First Communion - Mary Phelan School 12noon St Joseph School 2:30pm	6 Feast of St Francois de Laval	7 CWL Mtg 7pm	8 Adoration 8:30am to 11am Knights of Columbus Mtg 7pm	9 Pilgrimage Meeting – "Foot Steps of St Paul" info night 7pm	10	11 SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon
12 Ascension of the Lord Children's Liturgy 10:15am Baptism at 1:30pm	13 CLOSED	14 Feast of St Matthias	15 Adoration 8:30am to 11am	16	17	18 SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon
19 PENTECOST SUNDAY Children's Liturgy 10:15am	20 Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary 9:00am Mass	21	22 Adoration 8:30am to 11am	23	24	25 SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon
26 Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity Children's Liturgy 10:15am Eritrean Mass 4pm	27 Office CLOSED	28	29 Adoration 8:30am to 11am	30 Corpus Christi Procession from the Basilica of Our Lady to Sacred Heart Church at 6pm	31 Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	