

*I will praise your  
name for ever, my king  
and my God*

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**Holy Mass Schedule**

**Sunday Mass:**

Sunday: 11:00 am

**Weekday Mass:**

Tuesday: Noon

Thursday: Noon

**Reconciliation:**

At all Masses.

Also by an Appointment.

**11 Hour Adoration:**

First Friday of every month

7 am to 6pm

**Daily Adoration/ Rosary**

Mon –Sat 11:00 am to noon

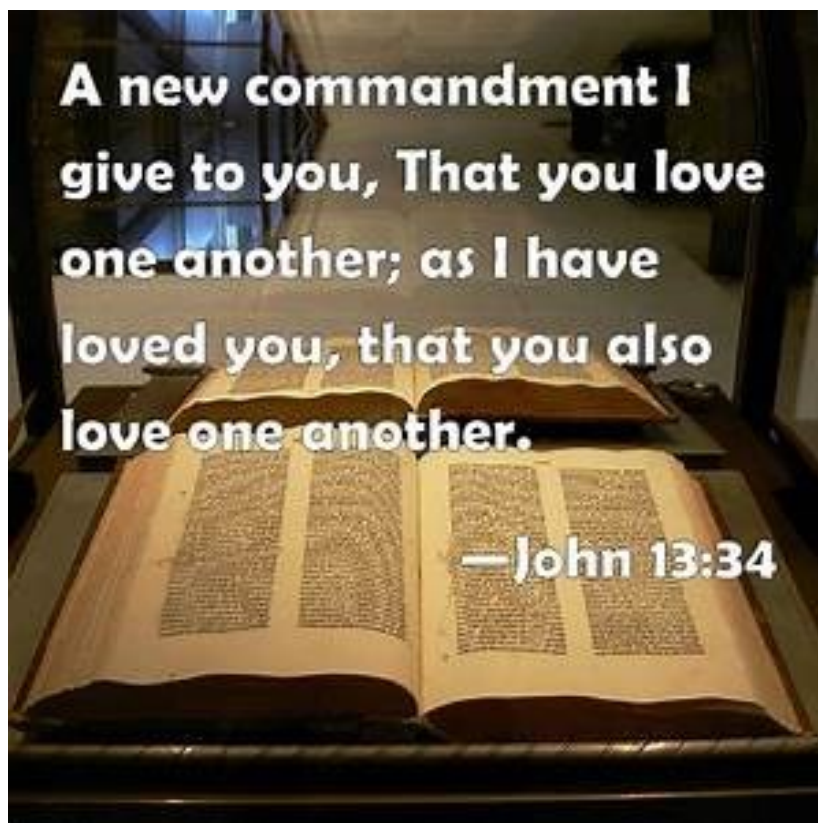
Sunday 10:30 [Rosary only]

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**SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2019  
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



SVdP Youth News

The SVdP will be meeting Monday, May 20 at 5:00pm. Pizza will be on the menu

The SVDP Youth Group will be collecting fans for the less fortunate. During the hot and humid months, several people do without air conditioning. This can be deadly to the sick and elderly. Please consider purchasing a fan or donating money to help the youth group with this ministry.



The SVdP Youth Group will be hosting a bake sale next Sunday, May 26. The proceeds will go toward purchasing fans. Please help out by donating money or baked items. Thank you in advance!

**Congratulations to the following graduate:**

Clayton Thomas Walker, Son of Larry and Jan walker, grandson of Hugh And Dorothy Pezzi, graduating form University of Tennessee in Knoxville with a degree of Bachelor of Science Business Administration in Supply Chain management.



*Flowers for Mary*

Everyone is invited to bring flowers to be placed with Mary during the month of May. As with most mothers, hand picked flowers are an honor to receive

The Flowers in front of Mary outside is in memory of Carmen Berumen Luna



Please sign up to sit with our Lord for an hour June 7. The sign up sheet is on the bulletin board in the hallway.

**Sacrament of Sick**

If you would like to receive the sacrament for the sick please plan to stay after Mass Sunday, May 26. This sacrament can be received more than once.



There is no better time than now for our faithful Catholics of Middle Tennessee to support the great works of our Diocese of Nashville. Be a part of our mission and outreach with a gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal for Ministries in support of seminarian education, catholic schools, faith formation, youth ministry and more. Envelopes can be found in the church or visit [www.dioceseofnashville.com](http://www.dioceseofnashville.com).

Our 2019 goal 3498.00    Total raised 2025.00    % to goal 58%

On behalf of the parishioners of St Elizabeth Ann Seton, we would like to thank the Perez family for all that they do. Henry and their sons work very hard to keep our grounds looking trimmed and neat. Haydee has a gift for decorating our altar for special celebrations. May God bless this family.

There will be no Mass on Tuesday, May 21. Father will be gone to a Priest Assembly.

**Attention Ladies!**

We have been Blessed! The Blessed She Shine Retreat is being held in Nashville this year!

This is a wonderful opportunity for the women in the diocese to learn about God's great light and how we shine solely because of His goodness.

Powerful worship and talks, Vigil Mass and Eucharistic adoration, delicious food, Blessed is She swag, and sweet sisterhood. What could be better?!

This retreat is for any and all women 18 and older who are: - searching for community - looking to rekindle your faith - in need of peaceful prayer time - yearning for a deeper relationship with the Lord

Dates: September 6-7, 2019 Cathedral of the Incarnation Nashville, TN

Friday 6pm - 9pm

Saturday 8am - 9pm

Purchase your ticket for \$135 (early bird price) at [blessedisshenet/retreat](http://blessedisshenet/retreat)





## From the Pastor's Desk

Father Zack Kirangu  
Parish Administrator

### Where do I fail?

I might reflect today on the ways I personally fail to be a loving, caring, compassionate and understanding person. Who are the people I really love and care for? Who are the people I cannot bring myself to love and care for – and why? Who are the people I never even think of loving and caring for – and why? Do I only love the people of my own race, my own class, my own religion?

Do I care for anybody outside the circle of my family and immediate friends? Do I love and care for my family members? Whom do I regard as my friends and why? Do I love and care in any tangible way for people who need my care – however indirectly – even though I do not know them and they can give me nothing in return e.g. the poor, the addicted, the exploited and marginalized in my own and other societies?

Finally, do I really love myself? A great deal of our difficulty in extending love and especially forgiveness to others is our own insecurity, the fragility of our egos, which can be so easily hurt. Only those persons who are fully convinced that they are themselves lovable can reach out comfortably and unconditionally to love those who themselves cannot love but can only hurt and hate and destroy.

It is through this constant love-centered interaction among each other that the “new earth, the new heaven and the new Jerusalem” can begin to come into existence. It is in our hands. And we have a perfect example in Jesus our Lord.

As disciples of Jesus, imbued with his message of agape, loving in the way that he loved us, we are called to do the same – to give support to our fellow disciples and to share our faith and our love with as many people as possible. The words of the Second Reading from Revelation apply very suitable here:

*See, the home of God is among mortals.  
He will dwell with them as their God;  
they will be his people,  
and God himself will be with them;  
he will wipe every tear from their eyes.*

It is precisely by our being an agape-filled people that God will come into people’s lives in this way. It is through this constant love-centered interaction among each other that the “new earth, the new heaven and the new Jerusalem” can begin to come into existence – not at some unknown future time and in some other place but here and now. Today. It is in our hands. All we have to do is follow the lead of the Jesus the Lord.

Gift Bearers and Vocation Cup: Joan Kupiec & Resler Family



### Prayer intentions

Sandra Stephenson, Rosalie Boyd, Mary Roods, Pat & Bob Mallory, Kevin Reid, and Bob Eberle

### The Celebration of the Eucharist

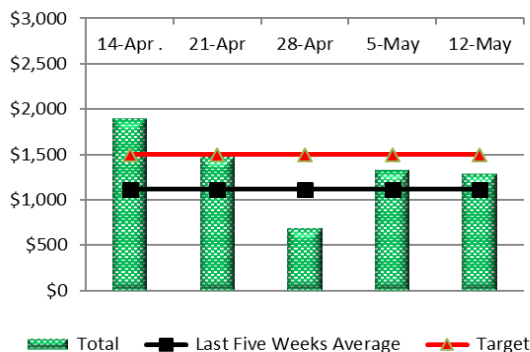
	May 19	May 26
Minister	Bill Resler	Diane Lill
Lector I	Sue Resler	Haydee Perez
Lector II	Glenn Hake	Joan Kupiec
E.M.H.C	Haydee Perez	Glenn Hake
E.M.H.C	Janet Hake	Sue Resler
Gift Bearer	Joan Kupiec	Bonnie Lill

### Our Gifts to the Lord

Last Weeks Collection: 1293.00

Attendance: 71

Under weekly goal: 207.00



May is Dedicated to Mary

<p><b>READINGS FOR THE WEEK</b>  <b>May 19 thru May 26</b>  <b>Sunday:</b> Acts 14:21-27 Rv 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35  <b>Monday:</b> Acts 14:5-18 Jn 14:21-26  <b>Tuesday:</b> Acts 14:19-28 Jn 14:27-31a  <b>Wednesday:</b> Acts 15:1-6 Jn 15:1-8  <b>Thursday:</b> Acts 15:7-21 Jn 15:9-11  <b>Friday:</b> Acts 15:12-17 Jn 15:12-17  <b>Saturday:</b> Acts 16:1-10 Jn 15:18-21  <b>Sunday:</b> Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 Rv 21:10-14, 22-23 Jn 14:23-29</p>	<p><b>Mass Intentions</b>  <b>Sunday, May 19</b>  <b>Mass 11:00am</b>          +Norma Jean Fowler          By Joan</p> <p><b>Thursday, May 23</b>  <b>Mass Noon.</b>          Bob Eberle</p> <p><b>Tuesday, May 21</b>  <b>No mass</b></p> <p><b>Sunday, May 26</b>  <b>Mass 11:00am</b>          +Tracie &amp; Stacie Long          Sandy Long</p>
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