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Eve of Sunday - 4:00 PM  
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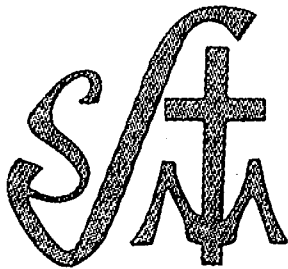
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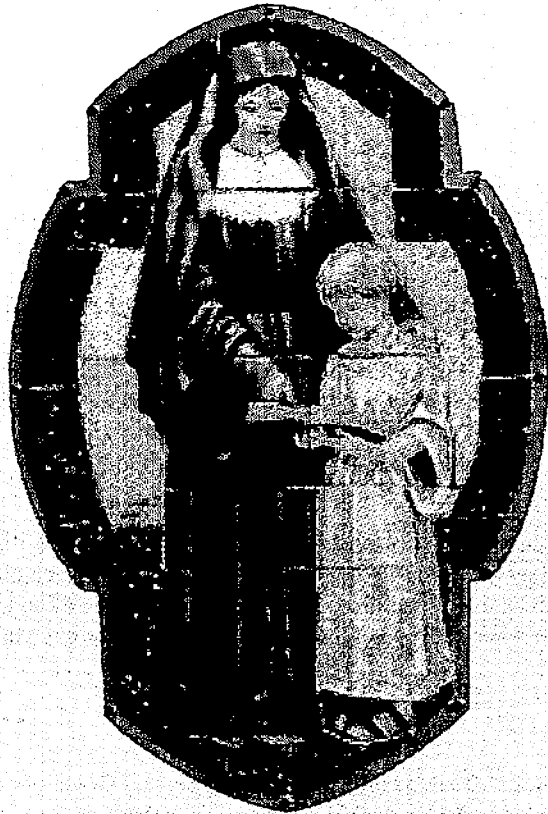
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Second Sunday of Easter*  
*April 3, 2005*



*St Angela Merici*

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"Do not be unbelieving, but believe." Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." -Jn 20:27b-29 NAB

#### Readings for the Week of April 3, 2005

Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/ 1 Pt 1:3-9/ Jn 20:19-31  
 Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/ Heb 10:4-10/ Lk 1:26-38  
 Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/ Jn 3:7b-15  
 Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/ Jn 3:16-21  
 Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/ Jn 3:31-36  
 Friday: Acts 5:34-42/ Jn 6:1-15  
 Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/ Jn 6:16-21  
 Next Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/ 1 Pt 1:17-21/ Lk 24:13-35

Dear Parishioners,

I want to thank all those who helped in any way to make Lent, Holy Week and Easter very special times in our parish this year. From those who attended daily Mass during Lent, uniting in the special prayer of the Mass, to those who worked at and participated in the Fish Fry evenings, from those who attended the Lenten Mission to those who served as liturgical ministers during Stations of the Cross all during Lent and who enacted the Living Stations and the liturgies of the Triduum, to those who supplied palms for Palm Sunday, from those who helped clean and decorate the church for Holy Week and Easter to those who sponsored the newly-initiated of our Church in the RCIA process, all of you helped us all to see the joyful new life of Christ filling our minds, our hearts and our spirits as we journeyed to Easter. And now, as we continue in the joy of the Easter season, let us all continue the good works we began and seek to continue to spread the reign of the living and Risen Christ in all that we do together in parish life and ministries in the days, weeks, months and years ahead!

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Please remember that next Saturday, April 9 is our next parish Pot Luck Dinner. We come together twice a year for these pot luck suppers and they afford us the opportunity to get to know each other better, to enjoy good fellowship and wonderful food. We begin at 5:00 p.m. with a table prayer and we're there for a couple of hours. Even if you cannot be with at 5:00 p.m. sharp, bring your covered dish and come when you can. Our Family Life Organization members always work hard to make the evening special, so please join us!

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On Sunday, April 10, the young people in the Second Grade of our school and our CCD program will celebrate their First Holy Communion at the 12:15 p.m. Mass. Please keep them in your prayers in a special way this week as they prepare for this very important day. How wonderful it is for us to see them grow in the love for the Lord and their participation in the sacramental life of the Church.

I'd ask you to remember them in prayer on Wednesday of this week, April 6, as they all come together for the First Communion Day of Preparation.

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Our series of Parish Information Gatherings are beginning, with the first one at Noon on Wednesday, April 6 and several more scheduled in the weeks ahead. I urge all parishioners to come to one of these sessions. Please telephone the rectory to register – and note that dates are listed in the weekly calendar of events in this bulletin.

*Fr. Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, April 2**

8:30a.m. Lloyd and Ada Aguillard

**Sunday, April 3**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Lawrence Federico Carolyn Scariano  
 Joseph Achary Harvey Lee Ducote  
 Jackie Miele Scuddy F. Fontenelle, Jr.  
 Charles V. Gambina Carolyn Slemmer  
 Felix Ragas Daniel and Katie Kane  
 Inez Hubbell Roy Billings  
 Edward Fenasci Gilda Dragon Giblin  
 Adele Gresse John R. Bevan  
 Mignon Rubio Graham Mac Doughall  
 Irene Kern Estelle Courtemanche  
 Lucille Monte Joseph and Lillie Sevin  
 8:00a.m. Harvey Lee Ducote  
 9:30a.m. Edwin F. Serpas, Jr.  
 11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List Edward J. Cook, Sr.  
 Edward Branley Poche, Oertel and Pillot Families  
 Bert Leveau Mary Lou and Frank Geraci  
 Merrick Delesdernier E. L. "Pete" Lucas  
 Al Daniel Charles V. Gambina  
 Elwood Gall Marilyn Picou  
 Lewis Morgan John Di Giovanni, Jr.  
 Mary Gilbert Special Intention  
 Paul F. and Lucille H. Boze

12:15p.m. For the Parish

5:30p.m. Johnnie Brien

**Monday, April 4**

6:15a.m. Russel and Angelina Talamo  
 8:30a.m. Luke Gross, Sr.

**Tuesday, April 5**

6:15a.m. Wayne Schmidt  
 8:30a.m. Johnnie Brien, Sr.

**Wednesday, April 6**

6:15a.m. Constantin and Lundgren Families  
 8:30a.m. Agnes H. Caruso

**Thursday, April 7**

6:15a.m. Elva Winters  
 8:30a.m. Leo Le Bourgeois  
 Ruth Le Bourgeois (\*)

**Friday, April 8**

6:15a.m. Robert Heap, Sr.  
 8:30a.m. Andrew N. Adoue

**Saturday, April 9**

8:30a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Welsch

(\*) denotes living

**Monday, April 4**

9:30 a.m., Familia Meeting, Board Room  
 6:00 p.m., CCD, School Classrooms  
 6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center  
 7:00 p.m., RCIA, Conference Room

**Tuesday, April 5**

9:15 a.m., Bible Study, Annex Board Room  
 7:00 p.m., SALA Meeting, Msgr. Kern Center  
 7:30 p.m., Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, April 6**

8:00 a.m., First Communion Day of Preparation,  
 Church, Msgr. Kern Center, Religious Ed. Library  
 9:30 a.m., Prayer Group, Mass, Church  
 12:00noon, Information Gathering, Rectory  
 3:15 p.m., Children's Choir Practice, Church  
 7:00 p.m., Boy Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room  
 1:00-6:00 p.m., Loan Signing, Conference Room  
 3:15, Cheerleading Practice, Msgr. Kern Center  
 4:30 p.m., Liturgy Meeting, Rectory

**Thursday, April 7**

8:30 a.m., Grades 5-8 attend Mass  
 12:00 p.m., Senior Citizens Meeting, Election,  
 Msgr. Kern Center  
 7:00 p.m., Girl Scout Leader Mtg., Conference Room  
 7:30 p.m., Cub Scout Parent Mtg., Annex Board Room  
 6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center

**Friday, April 8**

7:00 p.m., Bingo for SAM students, Msgr. Kern Center  
 3:15 p.m., Girl Scout Meeting, Rel. Ed. Library

**Saturday, April 9**

5:00 p.m., Family Life Pot-Luck Dinner for the  
 parish, Msgr. Kern Center



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Parish Family Pot Luck

Join us for parish fellowship, good food and great  
 fun on Saturday, April 9th at 5 pm.

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 (before 4 pm if attending 4 pm Mass). Sponsored by Saint Angela  
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 Elston (835-2179) or Greta Johnson (832-9258).

Hope to see you there!

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**Altar Ladies Team No. 5 will clean  
 the Church on Saturday, April 2.**

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The event will be held on Saturday, May 14 from 8PM – 12PM in the Msgr. Kern Parish Center. We will have a \$10,000 raffle, both silent and live auctions along with a DJ and dancing. Food and drink will be plentiful.

One ticket admits 2 people for the price of \$100.

You may use the form below to order your tickets.

***SAM's Spring Soiree '05***

Name on the Ticket Stub:

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***Contact Information***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Home Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

For more information call the school office at 835-8491

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Ticket will be mailed 1 week before the event or may be picked up at the rectory.



**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME**

Don't forget to advance your clocks an hour, daylight savings time begins on Sunday, April 3.

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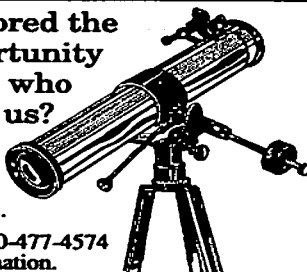
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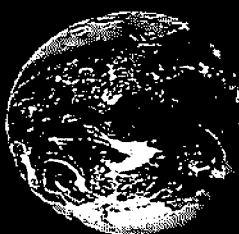
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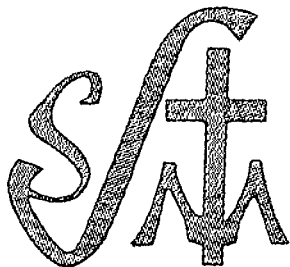
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*Third Sunday of Easter  
April 10, 2005*

O GOD,  
we ask you  
to look with  
mercy and love  
on your  
servant,  
John Paul II.  
Grant we  
beseech you,  
to grant him,  
who on earth  
was vicar of  
your beloved  
Son, everlasting  
life in your  
kingdom.  
Amen.



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Monday:	Acts 6:8-15/ Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday:	Acts 7:51-8:1a/ Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday:	Acts 8:1b-8/ Jn 6:35-40
Thursday:	Acts 8:26-40/ Jn 6:44-51
Friday:	Acts 9:1-20/ Jn 6:52-59
Saturday:	Acts 9:31-42/ Jn 6:60-69
Next Sunday:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41/ 1 Pt 2:20b-25/ Jn 10:1-10

And it happened that, while [Jesus] was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight. -Lk 24:30-31 NAB

Dear Parishioners,

Remember, this Saturday, April 9 is our Parish Pot Luck Dinner. This is a wonderful opportunity to come together in the joy of Easter and to celebrate our unity in the Risen Christ. Sharing good food and refreshing drink, the pot luck gives us the chance to deepen existing friendships, to meet parishioners we may not know by name and to form new friendships that will continue to bring us closer together in this "family of faith" that is the Church in this community. We begin at 5:00 p.m. and usually continue eating, drinking and visiting until about 7:00 or 7:30 p.m. So, come any time during those hours. Bring a dish to share and join us for a relaxed evening!

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We welcome and congratulate today those sharing in their First Holy Communion at the 12:15 p.m. Mass. These young people, in the second grade of our school and our CCD program, have been eagerly preparing for this very special day. Their families, most especially their parents and god-parents, have led and supported them and we have the joy of celebrating with them! May each of them cherish this day and, every day in the future, continue to grow in their appreciation of the Risen Christ present for us in the gift of the Eucharist.

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There are two Parish Information Gatherings this week – one on Monday night, April 11, at 7:00 p.m., the other on Saturday, April 16 at 9:30 a.m. – and one next week – on Tuesday, April 19 at 7:00 p.m. Please call the rectory to find out the locations and to register.

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We are joining with the other parishes of the East Jefferson Deanery to participate in an Archdiocesan program of vocation awareness, "Called by Name." Called by Name is an opportunity for us to pray for vocations, to recognize gifts and potential for leadership and service in members of our parish, and finally, to call forth and encourage these members to share their gifts in priesthood and religious life.

Fr. Luis and I will be speaking about this in our homilies next weekend (April 16-17). We hope that you will reflect carefully on what we share with you in our homilies. In the meantime, please begin to be attentive to our need for more vocations in our Church by offering special prayers for vocations this week.

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Fr. Willie Meridier continues to face his serious illness with courage and perseverance. Last week, he moved from his residence at St. Rita Parish and is now living in the nursing unit of the Chateau de Notre Dame. Though he wanted to be with us for Holy Week, he did not feel up to it, and we certainly missed having him with us in prayer on those special days. I have spoken with him regularly and assured him that we are keeping him in our prayers. For this, he expresses deep gratitude to you all.

If you like, you might drop him a note at the Chateau, 2832 Burdette St., New Orleans, LA 70125-2596.

*Fr. Ken*

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**Sunday, April 10**

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 12:15p.m. Una Mae Alberts  
 5:30p.m. For the Parish

**Monday, April 11**

6:15a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ladner

8:30a.m. The La Pointe Family

**Tuesday, April 12**

6:15a.m. Vivian Lala

8:30a.m. Mary Lou Gennusa

**Wednesday, April 13**

6:15a.m. Patricia Simon

8:30a.m. Kelly Curry

**Thursday, April 14**

6:15a.m. William L. Schellhaas, Sr.

8:30a.m. Chauvin, Brunner and  
Abadie Families**Friday, April 15**

6:15a.m. Joan Baehr Weaver

8:30a.m. Bubby and Marcella Broussard

**Saturday, April 16**

8:30a.m. Joan Talamo

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**Saturday, April 9**

5:00pm, Family Life Pot Luck Dinner, Kern Center

**Sunday, April 10**

9:30am, Scout Mass

12:15pm, First Communion Mass followed by  
reception**Monday, April 11**

6:00pm, CCD, School Classrooms

7:00pm, RCIA, Conference Room

7:00pm, K. C. Officer Meeting, Board Room

7:30pm, Co-Op Meeting, Kern Center

**Tuesday, April 12**

9:15am, Bible Study, Annex Board Room

6:00pm, Men's Basketball, Kern Center

6:30pm, Cub Scouts, Rel. Ed. Library

7:00pm, Pastoral Council Meeting, Conference Room

7:30pm, Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, April 13**

9:30am, Prayer Group, Conference Room

3:15pm, Children's Choir Practice, Church

3:15pm, Girl Scout Meeting, Rel. Ed. Library

3:15pm, Cheerleading, Kern Center

4:30pm, Staff Meeting, Rectory

5:30pm, Webelos, Annex Board Room

7:00pm, Boy Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room

7:00pm, Adult Faith Formation, Religious Ed Library

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9:15am, Principal's Meeting, Conference Room

6:00pm, Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center

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6:00-10:00pm, Jr. Beta Dance, Msgr. Kern Center

**Saturday, April 16**

Party in the Park

**Sunday, April 17**

Baptisms for April following 12:15pm Mass.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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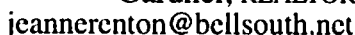
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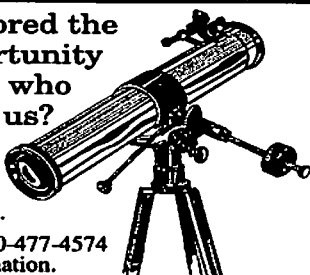
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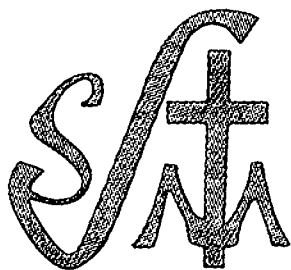
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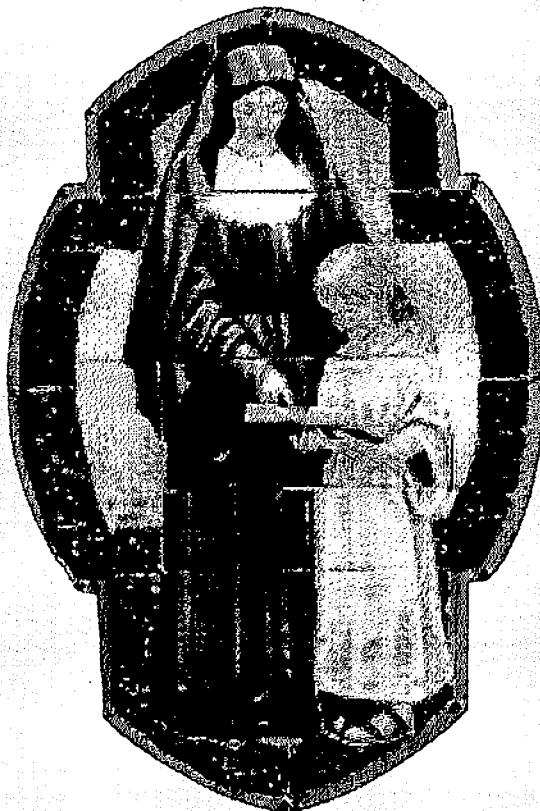
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**WEDDINGS:**  
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Fourth Sunday of Easter*  
*April 17, 2005*



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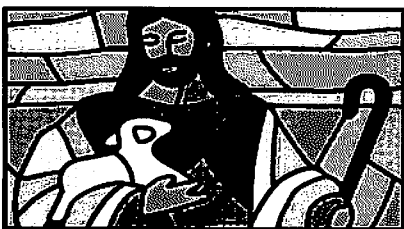
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### Readings for the Week of April 17, 2005

Sunday:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41/ 1 Pt 2:20b-25/ Jn 10:1-10
Monday:	Acts 11:1-18/ Jn 10:11-18
Tuesday:	Acts 11:19-26/ Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday:	Acts 12:24-13:5a/ Jn 12:44-50
Thursday:	Acts 13:13-25/ Jn 13:16-20
Friday:	Acts 13:26-33/ Jn 14:1-6
Saturday:	Acts 13:44-52/ Jn 14:7-14
Next Sunday:	Acts 6:1-7/ 1 Pt 2:4-9/ Jn 14:1-12

Dear Parishioners,

Memories of Pope John Paul II will linger in our hearts for many years to come. Reflections on his singular commitment to Christ and the Church will inspire us for the rest of our lives. The wisdom of his teachings will live on in our Church for a very long time. He has been an exemplary leader. He is truly a Doctor of the Church, for his authoritative, deep and challenging teaching. We continue at our Masses this weekend to pray to God in thanksgiving for all that Pope John Paul II has done for our Church and we pray "in joyful hope" that the gift of everlasting life with Christ and peace in the reign of heaven will now be his well-merited reward.

Our hopes and our prayers must now begin to turn to the selection of his successor, the next Pope who will lead our Church, serving as the very Vicar of Christ. What an awesome responsibility awaits this person! At all of our Masses this weekend, we will make available to you a special prayer for the Cardinal-Electors. On each prayer sheet, there will be the name of one Cardinal-elect for whom you will be able to pray in a special way – pray that he may truly be open to the guidance of the Holy Spirit as he deliberates with the other Cardinals and casts his votes in the conclave. You may want to take a prayer sheet as a family and pray together each day of the conclave. Or, each family member may take a prayer card and each pray for a different Cardinal-elect. I'll say a bit more about this at each Mass. Let us join together as a parish family in this special prayer and call down the power of the Holy Spirit upon those to select our next Pope, praying that, under his inspired leadership, all of us in the Church will respond with the Spirit's movement to continue to renew the face of the earth, filling it with the mind and heart of Christ himself.

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Our first several Parish Information Gatherings have been very well attended and very well received by those present. The purpose of these gatherings is for our Pastoral Council, Finance Council, School Board and me to be able to share with you information on the state of our parish and future goals and hopes. There is one session this week: Tuesday, April 19, beginning at 7:00 p.m. I will host a session next Sunday night (April 24) at the rectory, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Please telephone the rectory to register for one of these meetings.

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Tickets are now available for the Spring Soiree, Saturday, May 14. Proceeds from the Soiree will be used to install stage draperies in the Msgr. Kern Center and, if really successful, to improve the sound system in the Center as well. Last year's Soiree was great fun: don't miss out on this one! Telephone the rectory for ticket reservations.

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Have you noticed the beautifully-enhanced garden areas in the Meditation Garden and around the Center? Billy Robinson (member of the Pastoral Council, Liturgy Committee and Coordinator of Ushers) has attended to our Meditation Garden and he and his family have donated the cost of the new plants and other materials. Brownie Troop #72 members and their parents, under the leadership of Teresa Miller, have added new plantings to the side of the Msgr. Kern Center and have cleaned the garden area in front of the Center, even steam-cleaning the exterior and the sidewalk. Again, they donated time and materials. It really looks like Spring around our buildings! THANKS to these generous parishioners for their care and their generosity.

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The second issue of "Eucharist: Jesus With Us" is now available in church, on the tables with the hymnals. This series is being offered to you during this "Year of the Eucharist." Please pick up a copy as you leave church this weekend, if you missed them last weekend.

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This was unexpected: There are two compressors that cool the church and school and, six weeks ago, one of them broke. Very fortunately, it was still under the extended warranty that was purchased when the unit was installed just three years ago. Our Business Manager, Jackie Appleton met with representatives from the Archdiocesan Building Office, the contractor, the manufacturer of the unit, the mechanical engineer and Entergy to try to determine why the unit failed so soon. That meeting proved inconclusive. We are waiting for the new compressor to arrive, which should be within two weeks. While it was under warranty, we will still have to pay about \$6,000.00 for labor and some parts not included in the warranty coverage. Of course, this rather substantial expenditure was unexpected and shows again the need for all of our parishioners to be conscientious in your weekly financial support of your parish!

*Fr. Ken*

# **MASS INTENTIONS**

## **Saturday, April 16**

8:30a.m.

Joan Talamo

## **Sunday, April 17**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris  
Jackie Miele  
Ronald Richard  
Felix Ragas  
Charles Gambina  
John B. Cressend  
Edward Fenasci  
John R. Bevan  
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8:00a.m.

9:30a.m.

11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List  
Edward Branley  
Jackie Welsch  
Joseph Culotta  
Elwood Gall  
Joey Picou  
Marilyn Picou  
Special Intention  
Paul F. and Lucille H. Boze

Bert Leaveau  
Robert J. Heap, Sr.  
Frances and Rudolf Carevich  
Joseph Peter Crist  
Constantin and Lundgren Families  
Eula Landry Mathes  
Melvin John Brossette  
John A. Mancuso

12:15p.m.

5:30p.m.

Louis Bernard  
Anna Mae and Andrew Moore

## **Monday, April 18**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Majeau  
Julia K. Fahrman

## **Tuesday, April 19**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

Paul Rodriguez (\*)  
Esther Lonergan

## **Wednesday, April 20**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

Deacon Gilbert Schmidt (\*)  
Dr. Richard Vial

## **Thursday, April 21**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

Rev. Charles Benoit (\*)  
Dr. Philip Failla

## **Friday, April 22**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

Bishop Roger Morin (\*)  
Carmen Engel

## **Saturday, April 23**

8:30a.m.

Melvin J. Brossette

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## **Saturday, April 16**

St. Angela Merici Co-Op Club is sponsoring "Party in the Park", 7:00pm to 10:00pm., City Park, \$8.00 per person, ride all night.

## **Monday, April 18**

9:30-11:30am, Familia, Board Room  
6:00pm, CCD, school classrooms  
6:00pm, Men's Basketball, gym  
7:00pm, RCIA, Conference Room  
7:00pm, Finance Council Meeting, Rectory

## **Tuesday, April 19**

9:15-11:00am, Bible Study, Board Room  
3:15pm, Volleyball, gym  
7:30pm, SAMA, Kern Center  
7:30pm, Adult Choir Practice, Church

## **Wednesday, April 20**

9:30am, Prayer Group, Mass, Church  
3:15pm, Children's Choir Practice, Church  
3:15pm, Cheerleading, gym  
3:15pm, Girl Scouts, Rel. Ed. Library  
7:00pm, Boy Scouts, Board Room

## **Thursday, April 21**

3:15pm, Volleyball, gym  
4:30pm, Play Practice, gym  
7:00pm, Knights of Columbus, Msgr Kern Center



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The event will be held on Saturday, May 14 from 8PM – 12PM in the Msgr. Kern Parish Center. We will have a \$10,000 raffle, both silent and live auctions along with a DJ and dancing. Food and drink will be plentiful.

One ticket admits 2 people for the price of \$100.

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Saturday, April 16, 2005, the 6th Morning of Spirituality for Men will be held at St. Anthony of Padua Parish, 4640 Canal St., New Orleans, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Acknowledging the fact that we are celebrating the Year of the Eucharist proclaimed by the Holy Father, the morning's theme is "Men of the Eucharist". The schedule includes prayer, talks, reconciliation, Eucharist and a free lunch. Two excellent speakers will be featured, Peter Herbeck and Mike Hammer. Fr. Kyle Dave will be celebrant and homilist. Confessions will be heard in English, Spanish, and Vietnamese. The Morning will conclude with a free lunch in the Saint Anthony Cafeteria. All men age 17 and over are invited to attend. For further information, contact Danny Abramowicz @ (504) 584-5000.

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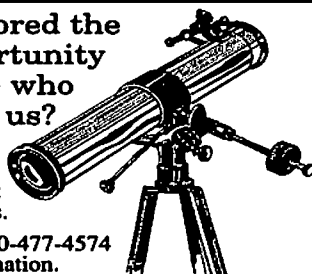
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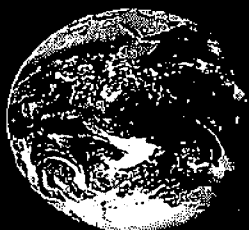
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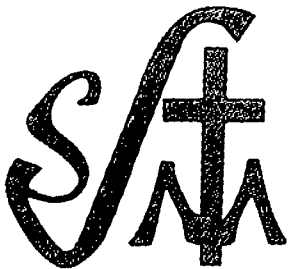
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Fifth Sunday of Easter  
April 24, 2005*



*St Angela Merici*

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Jesus said to him, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, then you will also know my Father. From now on you do know him and have seen him." -Jn 14:6-7 NAB

### Readings for the Week of April 24, 2005

Sunday: Acts 6:1-7/ 1 Pt 2:4-9/ Jn 14:1-12  
 Monday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/ Mk 16:15-20  
 Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/ Jn 14:27-31a  
 Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/ Jn 15:1-8  
 Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/ Jn 15:9-11  
 Friday: Acts 15:22-31/ Jn 15:12-17  
 Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/ Jn 15:18-21  
 Next Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/ 1 Pt 3:15-18/ Jn 14:15-21

Dear Parishioners,

Each year, we are given the special opportunity to nominate to the Archbishop names of candidates to receive the Medallion of the Order of St. Louis, which is a recognition given by the Archbishop to those who have contributed outstanding service to their parishes. Next Sunday, May 1, Archbishop Alfred Hughes will bestow the Medallion of the Order of St. Louis on people from parishes of the Archdiocese. I am happy to share with you that, this year, we have selected Lola Lee Sinnott and Larry McNamara to receive the medallion from the Archbishop for outstanding service to our parish.

Lola is a charter member of St. Angela Merici, having lived in our area since 1962. Her husband was a member of the Knights of Columbus and she was active in the KC's activities with him, even continuing that affiliation after his death five years ago. She has been on a church cleaning team, helping to prepare our church for weekend liturgies, for twenty years. She has served as Cake Booth Chairperson for the parish fair for the past nine years (and, I might mention, recruits bakers, brings them the materials they need and almost never leaves that booth for both days and nights of the fair!). She has been among those who lead the Rosary before Mass, offering her service for this ministry of prayer for ten years. On Monday mornings, she helps collect food from the bins in church and assists in sorting your food donations for distribution to the needy through our St. Vincent de Paul Society. As a member of SALA, Lola has served on the Hospitality and Ways and Means Committees and has been secretary twice.

Larry, with his wife Donna and their family, have been parishioners since 1967. Larry served on the Parish Council and was President of that group, and then returned later to serve on its new incarnation as the Pastoral Council, serving for three years and serving as Chairperson of that group. On the Pastoral Council, Larry gave strong leadership to the formation of the pastoral planning process called "Catholic Life 2003." The evaluation of parish pastoral life and the goals for parish life and ministry developed in that process are now giving direction to the activities of our parish ministries and organizations and the service of our parish pastoral team today. While Archbishop John Favalora was pastor of our parish, Larry served as President of the School Board. He was a member of our Vocations Committee and also served as Chairperson of the committee for a while, leaving that group only to become a charter member of our Adult Faith Formation Committee. He has been a Reader at Mass for the past five years. Larry is now on the theology faculty at Holy Cross College.

What exemplary lives of service Lola and Larry share with us! What leadership they give as they respond so fully and generously to the Lord's call to service in our parish! We are blessed to have them with us, continuing not only to serve us but to inspire us and to challenge all of us to similar lives of joyful service in the name of the Lord Jesus, following the promptings of the Holy Spirit.

On your behalf, I thank and congratulate both of them – and say unabashedly that we look forward to their continuing leadership and service in our parish!

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Spring Soiree tickets will be on sale after all Masses NEXT weekend, April 30-May 1. The Soiree will be on Saturday, May 14. I encourage you to consider supporting this event and to help us, by its proceeds, to continue to improve the Msgr. Kern Center as we add draperies to the stage. The Soiree is shaping up to be a most enjoyable evening. Be there!

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We welcome the Knights of Columbus to our 4:00 p.m. Mass today, as they gather in prayer at their Quarterly Mass. We thank the Knights for their commitment to the faith and their generous service to our Church.

*Fr. Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, April 23**

8:30a.m. Melvin J. Brossette

**Sunday, April 24**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris Carolyn Scariano  
 Ann Pelican Rita and Sam Rizzuto  
 Alice Bouvier Scuddy F. Fontenelle, Jr.  
 Felix Ragas Lillie and Joseph Sevin  
 Jackie Welsch Jacob and Gerald Marchese  
 John Flynn, Jr. Merlin W. Gresse, Sr.  
 Edward Fenasci Michael Patterson  
 Joseph Culotta Joseph Peter Crist  
 Larry La Hoste Simon Lemoine  
 Lena Cavallino Alice Zahn Foucha  
 Charles Gambina Frances L. Reinhardt  
 Lucille Monte Bouvier and Talamo Families  
 Rev. Wilfred Meridier (\*)

8:00a.m. Zito, Cavalier and Vitrano Families

9:30a.m. For the Parish

11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List Edwin F. Serpas, Jr.  
 Edward Branley Merrick Delesdernier  
 Donald Codifer David L. Laurent, Sr.  
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 John A. Mancuso Montalbano and Brandt Families  
 Sister Gail Gallagher, O. Carm. (\*)

12:15p.m. Joseph Achary

5:30p.m. Johnnie Brien

**Monday, April 25**

6:15a.m. Ray Heap, Jr.

8:30a.m. Special Intention

**Tuesday, April 26**

6:15a.m. Dan Kirschenheuter

8:30a.m. Garner Knoepfler

**Wednesday, April 27**

6:15a.m. Charles H. Brown

8:30a.m. Esther Lonergan

**Thursday, April 28**

6:15a.m. Robert Heap, Sr.

8:30a.m. Edwin F. Serpas, Jr.

**Friday, April 29**

6:15a.m. Inez Falgout

8:30a.m. Felix Ciolino

**Saturday, April 30**

8:30a.m. Joanna Renchan

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**Saturday, April 23**

4:00 Vigil Mass, Knights of Columbus Quarterly Mass

**Sunday, April 24**

7:00 p.m., Information Gathering Meeting, Rectory

**Monday, April 25**

4:30-5:30 p.m., Play Practice, Kern Center

6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, Kern Center

6:00 p.m., CCD classes, school classrooms

7:00 p.m., SALA Board Meeting, Rel. Ed. Library

7:00 p.m., RCIA, Conference Room

**Tuesday, April 26**

9:15-11:00 a.m., Bible Study, Annex Board Room

6:30 p.m., Cub Scouts, Rel. Ed Library

7:00-8:00 p.m., Play Practice, Kern Center

7:30 p.m., School Board Meeting, Conference Room

7:30-9:00 p.m., Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, April 27**

9:30 a.m., School Mass, Church

9:30-11:30 a.m., Prayer Group, Conference Room

3:00 p.m., Play Practice, Kern Center

3:15-4:30 p.m., Children's Choir Practice, Church

7:00-8:00 p.m., Boy Scouts, Annex Board Room

**Thursday, April 28****PAPER DRIVE**

3:30 p.m., Play Practice, Kern Center

**Friday, April 29**

3:30 p.m., Play Practice, Kern Center

**Saturday, April 30**

4:00 Vigil Mass, May Crowning

Soiree tickets will be sold after all Masses this weekend.



**The Sanctuary Candle This Week**  
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In your charity please pray for the soul of

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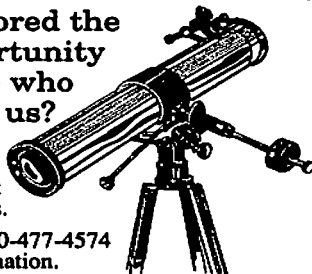
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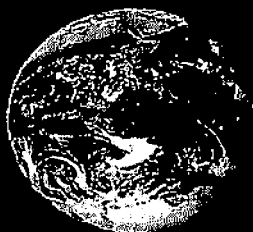
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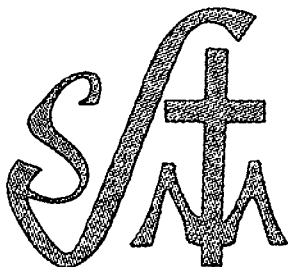
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*Sixth Sunday of Easter*  
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### Readings for the Week of May 1, 2005

Sunday:	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/ 1 Pt 3:15-18/ Jn 14:15-21
Monday:	Acts 16:11-15/ Jn 15:26-16:4a
Tuesday:	1 Cor 15:1-8/ Jn 14:6-14
Wednesday:	Acts 17:15, 22-18:1/ Jn 16:12-15
Thursday:	Acts 18:1-8/ Jn 16:16-20
Friday:	Acts 18:9-18/ Jn 16:20-23
Saturday:	Acts 18:23-28/ Jn 16:23b-28
Next Sunday:	Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/ Eph 1:17-23/ Mt 28:16-20

Dear Parishioners,

I ask you to continue to keep Fr. Willie Meridier in your prayers as he continues to face with courage his illness. Father and I had been talking about the possibility of having some sort of appreciation gathering for him, but he feels that his condition prohibits this. So, I hope that you will take just a few moments to send him a greeting by mail and to let him know how much he means to us here at St. Angela for his many years of priestly ministry to our parish. He has told me that he takes the time to read each note he receives and that your words of support and assurance of prayers means a great deal to him at this time on his journey of life and faith. Send him a card or a letter:

Fr. Willie Meridier  
Chateau de Notre Dame Nursing Home  
2832 Burdette St.  
New Orleans, LA 70125-2596

Because Father Meridier will no longer be able to assist us with weekend Masses and the Sacrament of Penance, I asked the Pastoral Council to determine a procedure to review and assess our weekend Mass schedule and to offer me a proposal about what direction we should take at this time. At their meeting earlier this month, the Pastoral Council spent the substantial part of their meeting in a lively, careful and thoughtful discussion about our current staffing, our parish needs, the quality of each Sunday liturgy and our financial resources. By the end of the meeting, the Council offered a proposal which I have accepted.

We will not seek to find another priest to take Fr. Meridier's place. Thus, respecting the number of priests we now have, we will initiate a new Mass schedule on the first weekend of June, June 4-5. This will be our new weekend schedule: Saturday: Sacrament of Penance, 3:00-3:45 p.m.; anticipated Mass of Sunday at 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: Masses at 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

Please note TWO changes: Beginning in June, we will no longer offer the Mass on Sunday evening and, beginning that same weekend, the final morning Mass will begin at 12:30 p.m. The reason for dropping one Mass is simple: we now have one less priest assisting with weekend liturgies. The reasons this particular Mass was selected for change: it has the least consistent regular attendance; it is very difficult to get Readers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Altar Servers for this Mass; there are not sufficient regular Ushers who serve at this Mass; we will save some money by dropping one Mass, since our cantors and organists are salaried ministers; we will economize by not having to restart the heating/AC system in the afternoon for that one Mass. The reasons for changing the starting time of the last morning Mass from 12:15 to 12:30: it is Archdiocesan policy that Masses be scheduled not less than ninety minutes apart in starting times; because any extra ritual, longer homily or even longer readings at the 11:00 a.m. creates great problems in the parking lot and with the flow of traffic (and has often caused that Mass to begin later than 12:15 p.m. anyway), this slightly later starting time is preferable.

At this time, we will NOT make any adjustments to the weekday morning Mass schedule, or the Saturday morning Mass.

Following another lengthy discussion at our April Staff Meeting, we have also decided to make an adjustment with our Holy Day schedule. We had added the 6:00 p.m. Mass on holy days on an experimental basis: we will make that change permanent. We will, however, discontinue the 12 Noon Mass on holy days, since the attendance was not very high. We will, instead, have a Mass on holy days that fall on school days at 10:00 a.m. and bring all of the school children to this Mass.

Changing Mass schedules is about my least favorite thing to do, since it is impossible to come up with a plan that will satisfy all. So, I ask your understanding of this carefully thought out proposal from our Pastoral Council and your support of what needed to be done in modifying the schedule. I thank the Council members for their conscientious work on this and am grateful to them for this and all the great consultative insight they share with me and our Pastoral Team in serving you.

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Our parish May Crowning is this weekend, Saturday, April 30. We invite you to bring a small bouquet of flowers and join in the procession to Mary's shrine following the homily at this Mass.

*Fr. Ken*

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Saturday, April 30

8:30a.m. Joanna Renehan

## Sunday, May 1

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris	Suddy F. Fontenelle, Jr.
Carolyn Scariano	Frances L. Reinhardt
Jackie Miele	John H. Leckert, Sr.
Felix Ragas	June V. Dailey
Charles Gambina	Melvin John Brossette
Carolyn Slemmer	Merlin W. Gresse, Sr.
Lucille Monte	Michael Patterson
Edward Fenasci	Joseph Culotta
John A. Mancuso	David and Albert de Ben
Joseph Peter Crist	John R. Bevan
Ralph J. Le Boeuf, Sr.	Joe Schwab (*)
Rev. Wilfred Meridier (*)	

8:00a.m. Harvey Lee Ducote  
9:30a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Feltmann

11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List	Edward Branley
Bert Leaveau	The Gennusa Family
Jackie Welsch	E. L. "Pete" Lucas
Marilyn Picou	Leo R. Mathes, Sr.
Lester Boudreaux	Mae and David L. Laurent, Sr.
John A. Mancuso	Harry J. Waldo, Jr.
Lourdes Martinez	Robert and Linda Armbruster (*)
Rev. Wildred Meridier (*)	

12:15p.m. For the Parish  
5:30p.m. Felix Ragas

## Monday, May 2

6:15a.m. Patricia Simon  
8:30a.m. Lawrence Chigoy

## Tuesday, May 3

6:15a.m. Robert Heap, Sr.  
8:30a.m. Andrew Mire

## Wednesday, May 4

6:15a.m. John M. Di Giovanni, Jr.  
8:30a.m. Edward Maloney=

## Thursday, May 5

6:15a.m. Wayne Schmidt  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ladner  
Elwood M. Gall

## Friday, May 6

6:15a.m. Fructuoso Rodriguez  
8:30a.m. Villere and Wattigny Families

## Saturday, May 7

8:30a.m. Warren M. Eberle

(\*) denotes living



## Saturday, April 30

Soiree Tickets will be sold after all Masses this weekend.

4:00 Vigil, May Crowning

## Sunday, May 1

2:00pm, School Play, Dear Edwina Junior, Msgr. Kern Center

## Monday, May 2

3:15pm, Volleyball, Msgr. Kern Center  
6:00pm, Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center

## Tuesday, May 3

8:30am, Mass for Grades 1-4  
8:30am, Family Life Board Meeting, Off Campus  
3:15pm, Volleyball, Msgr. Kern Center  
7:00pm, SALA, Crawfish Boil, Msgr. Kern Center  
7:30pm, Adult Choir Practice, Church

## Wednesday, May 4

8:30am, Mass for Grades 5-8  
9:30am, Prayer Group, Conference Room  
3:15pm, Children's Choir Practice, Church  
3:15pm, Girl Scout Mtg., Rel. Ed. Library  
7:00pm, Boy Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room

## Thursday, May 5

12 Noon, Senior Citizens May Crowning/Meeting, Msgr. Kern Center  
3:15pm, Volleyball, Msgr. Kern Center  
6:00pm, Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center  
7:30pm, Cub Scout Parent's Mtg., Annex Board Rm

## Friday, May 6

3:15pm, Volleyball, Msgr. Kern Center  
3:15pm, Girl Scout Mtg., Rel. Ed Library  
7:00pm, New Parishioner Welcome Reception, Rectorry

## Saturday, May 7

Girl Scout Mother/Daughter Tea, Msgr. Kern Center



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In your charity please pray for the soul of

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who died recently, and for those who mourn her.

*-May all of our beloved dead rest in peace-*

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***Adult Faith Formation***

Mark your calendars and reserve the evenings of June 13, 27 and July 11 as we continue our celebration of the Year of the Eucharist with Father Ken as he explores Encycliclas on the Eucharist. Stay tuned for more details.

***St. Angela Ladies Auxiliary***

All the members of SALA are invited to our annual crawfish party on Tuesday, May 3 at 7:00pm in the Msgr. Kern Center. Other refreshments will be served for your enjoyment.

Deadline for reservations for the May 10 Luncheon is May 3.

***Magnificat***

Magnificat, a Ministry to Catholic Women, invites you to a breakfast. Linda Kelly is a convert who previously was involved with the pursuit of New Age ideas. Wednesday, May 4, 2005, 9:00-Noon, Jefferson –Orleans South, 2536 Edenborn, Metairie. Reservations must be made by April 29th. Tickets are \$12 at Breath of Life 909 Aris Avenue or Mulé's, 2627 David Drive.

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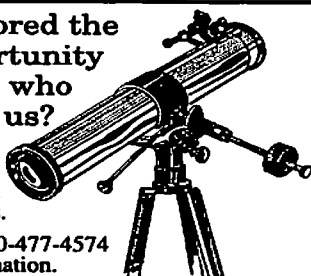
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See bulletin for Holy Day schedule.

**CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday 3:00 PM - 3:45 PM

**BAPTISMS:**

Baptisms are performed on the 2nd Sunday of the month. Parents must complete required preparation prior to baptism and they should call the rectory well in advance of the anticipated delivery date.

**WEDDINGS:**

Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to wedding. Contact rectory for arrangements.



# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Ascension of the Lord  
May 8, 2005*



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"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." -Mt 28:19-20 NAB

### Readings for the Week of May 8, 2005

Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/ Eph 1:17-23/ Mt 28:16-20  
 Monday: Acts 19:1-8/ Jn 16:29-33  
 Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/ Jn 17:1-11a  
 Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/ Jn 17:11b-19  
 Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/ Jn 17:20-26  
 Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/ Jn 21:15-19  
 Saturday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/ Jn 15:9-17  
 Next Sunday: Vigil: Ez 37:1-14/ Rom 8:22-27/ Jn 7:37-39;  
 Day: Acts 2:1-11/ 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/ Jn 20:19-23

Dear Parishioners,

Beginning shortly after he had been diagnosed with ALS, he and I had been talking about the possibility of having some sort of parish appreciation gathering for him. Because his illness is progressing even more quickly than we had anticipated, he has had to decline this offer. I received the following note from him earlier this week that he asked that I share with all of you:

Dear Parishioners and Staff of St. Angela Merici Parish,

I regret that I am unable to accept the invitation for a celebration of my years at St. Angela. My illness has progressed rapidly in the last few weeks so that speech is difficult and my energy level very low. Thank you for all you have done to be a support to me in these past years. Your thoughtful notes and cards have lifted by spirits and given me courage. I have enjoyed my years of ministry among you. Your strong faith and generosity to others have spoken to me of the love of God made visible. Please continue to pray for me as I do for you.

May our loving God bless you and your families.

Joined in God's love,  
*Fr. Wilfred Meridier*  
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Just a reminder that you can send him a note at:

Fr. Wilfred Meridier  
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The Spring Soiree will be next Saturday, May 14. Tickets are still available at the rectory during our regular business hours. The Soiree is a wonderful party, with a nice buffet dinner and open bar. Many auction items will be available all during the night, many of them one-of-a-kind items prepared by our school children. Of course, your ticket enters you into the \$10,000.00 drawing! Add to that good and festive fellowship and it makes for a wonderful evening for adults of our parish.

The goal of the Soiree is to raise funds for stage curtains for the Center and, if all goes very well, to upgrade the sound system as well. Both of these are do-able if YOU participate. So, please make plans to join us Saturday night!

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We continue our Parish Information Gatherings. There will be one this week, Monday, May 9 at 7:00 p.m. and one next week, Wednesday, May 18 at 7:00 p.m. Please telephone the rectory to register for one of these sessions and learn about the status of our parish and our hopes for the coming months.

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The newest installment of the newsletter, "Eucharist: Jesus with Us" has arrived and copies are available on the tables in church where you pick up your hymnals as you enter for Mass. This special series is provided for you during this "Year of the Eucharist."

Also available this weekend are prayer cards with a special prayer for Pope Benedict XVI. Please take one of those as you come to Mass this weekend and offer this special prayer for our new Pope as he begins his ministry to us as leader of our Church.

The white and gold bunting, celebrating the election and installation of Pope Benedict, will remain up in church throughout the first thirty days of his papacy.

*Fr. Ken*

# MASS INTENTIONS



## Saturday, May 7

8:30a.m.

Warren M. Eberle

## Sunday, May 8

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris  
Joan Talamo  
Lucille Songy  
Jackie Welsch  
Felix Ragas  
Charles Gambina  
Roy Billings  
Edward Fenasci  
Larry La Hoste  
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8:00a.m.

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9:30a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Perrone, Sr.

11:00a.m.

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Sister Gail Gallagher, O. Carm. (\*)

Mary Lou Gennusa

12:15p.m.

Rita Hamilton

5:30p.m.

For the Parish

## Monday, May 9

6:15a.m.

Ted Faulkner

8:30a.m.

Gerard Maxwell

## Tuesday, May 10

6:15a.m.

Alice Mallory

8:30a.m.

Hazel Grefer

## Wednesday, May 11

6:15a.m.

John M. Di Giovanni, Jr.

8:30a.m.

The La Pointe Family

## Thursday, May 12

6:15a.m.

Al Daniel

8:30a.m.

Esther Lonergan

## Friday, May 13

6:15a.m.

Elva Winters

8:30a.m.

Mike J. Ricca

## Saturday,

8:30a.m.

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## Saturday, May 7

Girl Scout Mother Daughter Tea, Msgr. Kern Centr

## Sunday, May 8 Mother's Day

9:30 a.m., Scout Mass, followed by donuts in the  
Msgr. Kern Center

## Monday, May 9

9:30 a.m., Familia, Annex Board Room

7:30 p.m., Co-Op Meeting, Msgr. Kern Center

7:00 p.m., K. C. Officer Meeting, Annex Board Room

## Tuesday, May 10

11:00 a.m., SALA Installation Luncheon, Off Campus

6:30 p.m., Cub Scouts, Annex Board Room

7:00 p.m., Pastoral Council Mtg, Conference Room

## Wednesday, May 11

9:30 a.m., Prayer Group, Conference Room

3:15 p.m., Children's Choir Practice, Church

4:30 p.m., Staff Meeting, Rectory

7:00 p.m., Boy Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room

7:00 p.m., Adult Faith Formation Mtg., Rel. Ed. Room

## Thursday, May 12

6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center

## Saturday, May 14

8:00-Midnight, Spring Soirée, Msgr. Kern Center



**The Sanctuary Candle This Week**  
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## May 1

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### **Mother's Day Rosary Crusade for LIFE**

The Archdiocesan Sidewalk Counseling and Prayer Ministry, praying for an end to abortion, would like to invite you to pray the 20 decades of the rosary with priests, deacons, and parishioners from this Archdiocese. Saturday, May 7th, 2005, 8:00 to 9:00 a.m., Causeway Medical Clinic, 3044 Ridgelake Dr, Metairie, Louisiana. For more information, call 455-3260.

### **St. Angela Merici Summer Cabbage Ball Fun League Boys & Girls 5-12**

Registration forms may be picked up from the school office. Camp runs from July 5th through July 27th. There is a \$15 Registration fee which includes a T-shirt and trophy, and a Pizza Party on Wednesday, July 27th. For more information, please call Greg Corrente at 838-0016.

**Sponsors are needed** to offset the other costs of the league, such as equipment and shirts. If your company is able to sponsor a team, please fill out the information below and a person will contact you. *The cost of sponsorship is \$100.* Your company name will be on every shirt. Thank you for your support!

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### **Summer Safari**

Registration forms for Summer Safari were given to St. Angela Merici School students this past week. If you did not get one, please pick one up at the rectory, in the school office or in Sister Paula's office. Safari will run from June 6-17 for ages 3 through 6th grade.



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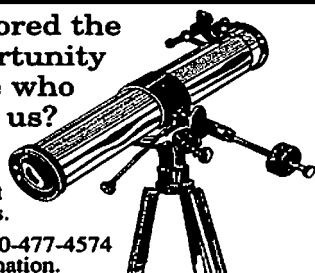
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Eve of Sunday - 4:00 PM  
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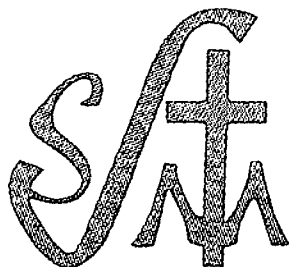
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**HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION:**  
See bulletin for Holy Day schedule.

**CONFESSIONS:**  
Saturday 3:00 PM - 3:45 PM

**BAPTISMS:**  
Baptisms are performed on the 2nd Sunday  
of the month. Parents must complete required  
preparation prior to baptism and they should call  
the rectory well in advance of the anticipated  
delivery date.

**WEDDINGS:**  
Arrangements must be made at least six months  
prior to wedding. Contact rectory for  
arrangements.



# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Pentecost  
May 15, 2005*



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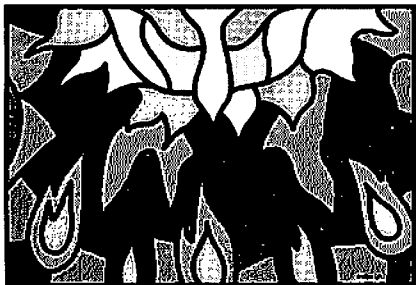
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#### Readings for the Week of May 15, 2005

Sunday: Vigil: Ez 37:1-14/ Rom 8:22-27/ Jn 7:37-39;  
 Day: Acts 2:1-11/ 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/ Jn 20:19-23  
 Monday: Sir 1:1-10/ Mk 9:14-29  
 Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11/ Mk 9:30-37  
 Wednesday: Sir 4:11-19/ Mk 9:38-40  
 Thursday: Sir 5:1-8/ Mk 9:41-50  
 Friday: Sir 6:5-17/ Mk 10:1-12  
 Saturday: Sir 17:1-15/ Mk 10:13-16 (346)  
 Next Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/ 2 Cor 13:11-13/ Jn 3:16-18

Dear Parishioners,

The Spring Soiree is this Saturday night, May 14. One ticket admits two and are still available at the rectory during our regular business hours. The Soiree is a wonderful party, with a nice buffet dinner and open bar. Many auction items will be available all during the night, many of them one-of-a-kind items prepared by our school children. Of course, your ticket enters you into the \$10,000.00 drawing! Add to that good and festive fellowship and it makes for a wonderful evening for adults of our parish.

The goal of the Soiree is to raise funds for stage curtains for the Center and, if all goes very well, to upgrade the sound system as well. Both of these are do-able if YOU participate. So, please make plans to join us Saturday night!

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We continue our Parish Information Gatherings. There will be one this week, Wednesday, May 18 at 7:00 p.m. and two next week, Sunday, May 22 at 4:00 p.m. and another on Saturday, May 28 at 9:30 a.m. The one on Sunday, May 22 will be in the Center, so we can take a large group for this one. Please telephone the rectory to register for one of these sessions and learn about the status of our parish and our hopes for the coming months.

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On Saturday, May 21 we celebrate the Promotion Ceremony of our Eighth Grade Class. We congratulate these young people of our parish on the completion of their elementary level education and assure them of our continued prayerful support of them as they leave St. Angela for the Summer and then to begin their new years in high school.

It's hard to believe that this school year is already nearing completion! Next week, May 23-27 is a whirlwind of school activities: Kindergarten Promotion, final school Mass, Awards Ceremony, the final day of school, faculty appreciation lunch and even one final School Board meeting. It has been a good year for our school, with our committed and gifted faculty making progress on full accreditation with the Southern Association, a very successful first year for our Pre-K 3 program, lots of successful extra-curricular activities. Hopes are high for next year as we anticipate an even higher over-all enrollment in the school.

THANKS and CONGRATULATIONS to our outstanding school administration, faculty and staff members for the excellent work in our parish's ministry of Catholic education!

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CCD classes ended two weeks ago, and I also want to acknowledge and thank those who served as faculty and staff of that important program of religious education for youth of our parish who do not attend our school. I am grateful to all those who served in this ministry, and I want especially to mention Claudette Craven, our now-retired DRE who got the year under way and Sr. Paula Marie, who came on board as DRE in November, jumped in with both feet and led us well through the remainder of the year. Now on to the Summer and Scripture Safari!

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Congratulations to our new SALA officers, installed at the luncheon this week: Phyllis Giroir (President), Ola Becnel (Vice-President), Mary Ann Kincaid (Secretary), and Georgie Hebert (Treasurer).

*Fr. Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, May 14**

8:30a.m. Sunseri and Sullivan Families

**Sunday, May 15**

4:00p.m. Vigil

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 Jackie Miele Scuddy F. Fontenelle, Jr.  
 Ronald Richard Lillie and Joseph Sevin  
 Felix Ragas John B. Cressend  
 Charles Gambina Albert and David de Ben  
 Evelyn Hanlon Mary Cressend Macgregor  
 Edward Fenasci Ciolino and Fontana Families  
 Lorraine Abadie Marie Laurent Lasseigne  
 Valsin Buttone Michael Drury (\*)  
 Lena Cavallino Rev. Wilfred Meridier (\*)  
 Jerry Gardner, Jr. Jack G. Bonner  
 Carolyn Slemmer Victor Ormsby  
 8:00a.m. For the Parish  
 9:30a.m. Lloyd and Ada Aguiard  
 11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List Vincent and Elaine Harris  
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 Al Daniel John A. Mancuso  
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 Marilyn Picou Rev. Wilfred Meridier (\*)  
 12:15p.m. Msgr. Ken Hedrick (\*)  
 5:30p.m. Norman G. Hedrick, III

**Monday, May 16**

6:15a.m. Helen C. Frederick  
 8:30a.m. Duke Blount

**Tuesday, May 17**

6:15a.m. Lucille Monte  
 8:30a.m. Otis L. Mazoué

**Wednesday, May 18**

6:15a.m. Leo R. Mathes, Sr.  
 8:30a.m. Constantin and Lundgren Families

**Thursday, May 19**

6:15a.m. Warren Nunez  
 8:30a.m. Alice Bouvier and Ann Pelican

**Friday, May 20**

6:15a.m. Patrick J. Taillon  
 8:30a.m. Dr. Richard Vial

**Saturday, May 21**

8:30a.m. Elliott and Elizabeth Fassenber

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**May 8**

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**Saturday, May 14**

8:00pm-Midnight, "Spring Soirée", Msgr. Kern Center

**Monday, May 16**

6:00pm, Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Centr  
 6:30pm, Safari Meeting, Conference Room  
 7:00pm, Finance Meeting, Rectory

**Tuesday, May 17**

7:00pm, SAMA Crawfish Boil, Jim Henderson guest  
 speaker, Msgr. Kern Center.  
 7:30pm, Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, May 18**

9:30am, Prayer Group, Conference Room  
 3:15pm, Girls Scout Meeting, Rel Ed Library  
 7:00pm, Boy Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room  
 7:00pm, Information Gathering Meeting, off campus  
 (Please call the rectory for more information)

**Thursday, May 19****PAPER DRIVE**

7:00pm, Knights of Columbus Mtg., Msgr. Kern Center

**Friday, May 20**

3:15pm, Girl Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room  
 3:15pm, Girl Scout Meeting, Rel. Ed. Library

**Saturday, May 21**

10:00am, 8th Grade Graduation, Church

**Sunday, May 22**

4:00pm, Information Gathering Meeting, Msgr. Kern Center (Please call the rectory to register)



**The Sanctuary Candle This Week**  
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## † Rest in Peace

In your charity please pray for the souls of

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Mark your calendars and reserve the evenings of June 13, 27  
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Sincerely in the Lord,

*Alfred C. Hughes*

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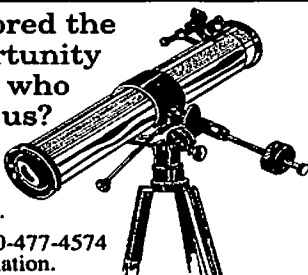
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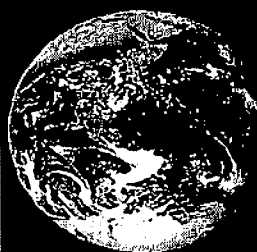
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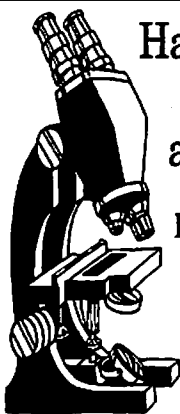
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### Readings for the Week of May 22, 2005

Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/ 2 Cor 13:11-13/ Jn 3:16-18  
 Monday: Sir 17:20-24/ Mk 10:17-27  
 Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12/ Mk 10:28-31  
 Wednesday: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/ Mk 10:32-45  
 Thursday: Sir 42:15-25/ Mk 10:46-52  
 Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13/ Mk 11:11-26  
 Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20/ Mk 11:27-33  
 Next Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/ 1 Cor 10:16-17/ Jn 6:51-58

Dear Parishioners,

This is important, so please note and, if you can, even share the word with others: When there is a death in your family, Fr. Luis and I ask that you call us at the rectory as quickly as possible. It is important to us to minister to your family at such a critical time. To face death with courage takes faith and faith is expressed and nourished by prayer. At the time of death, Fr. Luis and I want to be present to you and to pray with you for your deceased loved one. We know that the prayer of faith will assist you and carry you through such a difficult moment.

It is also very important that families contact us before contacting a funeral home to begin to make arrangements there for the visitation and funeral liturgy. As you know, Fr. Luis is also the Director of Vocations for the Archdiocese. He does go to that office every day to fulfill his responsibilities there and often must set appointments and meetings well in advance. Of course, he and I both have commitments here in the parish as well: appointments and meetings that sometimes cannot be readily rescheduled. You need to know when we might be available for the funeral services before you begin to discuss this with the funeral director. Sometimes, quite honestly, we may need to work together to find the time that is best for the funeral for the family's convenience and our availability. Nonetheless, as your parish priests, we want to be with you in prayer at such an important time. Too many funeral homes currently try to foist a time on a family that fits the funeral home's schedule and is not sensitive to the schedule of your parish priest

It is also important for you to contact us because we do want to spend some time with you preparing the funeral liturgy. If you remember, last year I mailed to each parish household a copy of the funeral liturgy planning guide that we use here in our parish, and we want to set up a time to meet with the family to discuss the many options of the funeral liturgy. The rituals of the Vigil Service (if there is to be a night-time visitation) and the prayers of the Funeral Liturgy (either with Mass or outside of Mass) provide many options for ministers, Scripture readings and prayers and, again, we want to take the time to speak with you and prepare the liturgy well. The well-prepared Funeral Liturgy can be a lovely tribute to the deceased loved one and a great consolation and source of hope to those who grieve.

I know that, especially in the early evenings and on weekends, we are busy about other activities and we have the taped message on the parish telephone line. Please do not hesitate, though, to leave us a message. Fr. Luis and I make every effort to check the tape as quickly and as often as we can, and we will return calls as expediently as possible. I appreciate your cooperation with us as Fr. Luis, our deacons and I seek to serve you well through our ordained ministry.

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The Spring Soiree was a success. I will have a more complete financial report to share with you in the next bulletin, but it looks like we did make enough profit to install the stage draperies and also to do at least some of the work in upgrading the sound system.

I thank all of those who pulled together in this effort: the members of the Soiree Planning Committee, who spent many hours in careful and thorough preparations, all those who came Friday and Saturday to help decorate (it was wonderful seeing SALA, SAMA and Co-Op members all working together!), those who staffed the raffle and auction tables, and all of you who purchased tickets and participated in the party. I really get a thrill out of seeing a parish come together in this way, for it reflects the unity of our faith, our joy in service and our care for one another, this time all with a party to boot!

The Soiree Committee wants to make certain that we improve the event every year, so if you feel you have a comment to share that might help us to evaluate the preparations and the evening, please share those thoughts with any member of our parish staff SOON so that we can bring that to the evaluation meeting. I will let you know when we will begin this new work in the Center.

*Fr. Ken*

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Saturday, May 21

8:30a.m.

Elliott and Elizabeth Fassener

## Sunday, May 22

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris  
Jackie Welsch  
Felix Ragas  
Edward Fenasci  
Larry La Hoste  
Rita Williams  
Angelina Campo  
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Anna Langlois (\*)  
Michele Hazard (\*)  
Stanley Cookmeyer  
Gerard di Benedetto  
Fr. Phillip Landry (\*)  
Mrs. Corrine Foret

8:00a.m.

Carmen Engel

9:30a.m.

For the Parish

11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List  
The Dunphy Family  
Edward Branley  
Esther Will  
Al Daniel  
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Robert Wood  
Ken Rhineberger

Vincent and Elaine Harris  
Merlin W. Gresse, Sr.  
Mrs. Margaret Harrell Oubre  
Dorothy T. Guma  
Anthony C. D'Antonio  
John A. Mancuso  
Marilyn Picou

12:15p.m.

Ana Mae Alberts

5:30p.m.

Wilfred E. Youngblood

## Monday, May 23

6:15a.m.

Matthew Hedrick, Sr.

8:30a.m.

Sister Caritas Archer, S.C.C.

## Tuesday, May 24

6:15a.m.

Hazel Lyon Baehr

8:30a.m.

Kirby Baudin, Sr.

## Wednesday, May 25

6:15a.m.

Lucille Monte

8:30a.m.

Alice Bouvier and Ann Pelican

## Thursday, May 26

6:15a.m.

Edward J. Corcoran

8:30a.m.

Joseph Achary

## Friday, May 27

6:15a.m.

Edwin Heap.

8:30a.m.

Edwin F. Serpas, Jr.

## Saturday, May 28

8:30a.m.

James Blount

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## Saturday, May 21

Eighth Grade Promotion

## Sunday, May 22

4:00 p.m., Information Gathering Meeting, Msgr.  
Kern Center

## Monday, May 23

9:30 a.m., Kindergarten Promotion, Msgr. Kern Center

9:30 a.m., Familia, Annex Board Room

6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center

## Tuesday, May 24

6:30 p.m., Cub Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room

7:00 p.m., Whitney-Cecile Home Owners Assoc.

Meeting, Msgr. Kern Center

7:30 p.m. School Board Meeting, Conference Room

7:30 p.m., Adult Choir Practice, Church

## Wednesday, May 25

9:30 a.m. School Mass, Church

9:30 a.m., Prayer Group, Conference Room

7:00 p.m., Boy Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room

7:00 p.m., Adult Faith Formation Meeting, Rel. Ed Lib

## Thursday, May 26

11:30 a.m. School Dismissal, Records Day

6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center

## Friday, May 27

10:30 a.m. School Dismissal, last day of school.



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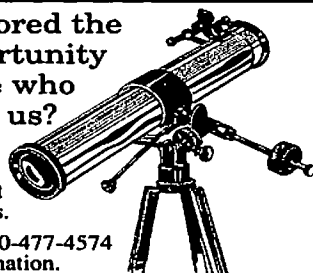
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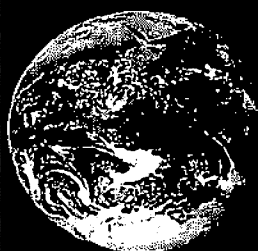
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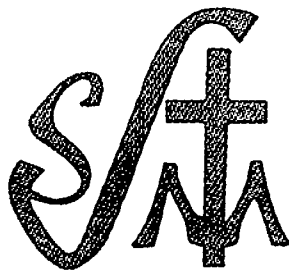
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### Readings for the Week of May 29, 2005

Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/ 1 Cor 10:16-17/ Jn 6:51-58  
 Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8/ Mk 12:1-12  
 Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/ Lk 1:39-56  
 Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/ Mk 12:18-27  
 Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/ Mk 12:28-34  
 Friday: Dt 7:6-11/ 1 Jn 4:7-16/ Mt 11:25-30  
 Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/ Lk 2:41-51  
 Next Sunday: Hos 6:3-6/ Rom 4:18-25/ Mt 9:9-13

Dear Parishioners,

The Spring Soiree was a wonderfully enjoyable evening and all in attendance had positive comments to share. I hope you have heard these words and, if you were not part of this year's Soiree, will consider joining us next year when Soiree time rolls around again.

There were a total of 237 tickets sold, most in advance, some at the door and a number were purchased by groups for an extra chance or two at the big raffle. Live and Silent Auction items sales totaled \$15,972.00 and the 50/50 raffle netted \$555.00. Taking out expenses (primarily food and beverage costs and the DJ), our profit this year was \$20,245.00. We will be able now to install draperies on the stage. There will be black drapes hung along the rear wall and the two sides of the stage and blue drapes (matching the ones on the windows) along the front. During the Summer, our Building and Grounds Committee will refinish the entire stage, including the doors on the front of the stage where we have some below-stage storage areas. We anticipate that this work will be completed by the end of July, all in time for our next school year and the start-up of all our Fall parish meetings and activities.

We are still reviewing bids for the sound system to determine what part of that project we might be able to undertake at this time. We may have to do this up-grade either in stages or perhaps even wait until after the next Soiree. I will, of course, let you know what we are able to do with remaining Soiree Funds.

I would like, on your behalf, to offer a special word of thanks and congratulations to the Soiree Planning Committee for their generous sharing of time and talents and the success of the evening. Committee member are : Robert Brown, Muriel Carriere, Colette Cisco, Kay Hymel, and Mary "Tee" Toups, all under the able leadership of our school Principal, Colleen Remont. Decorations for the evening were coordinated by Mac and Kathy Cantrell.

Again, thanks to all those who helped in any way and those who participated in the evening. A number of parishioners, because of other commitments, were not able to be at the Soiree but purchased tickets and were still part of the \$10,000 drawing; others made a donation and gave the parish their tickets, allowing us to pass them on to parishioners who otherwise would not have been financially able to come to the Soiree. I think these are very fine examples of supporting this parish activity, and I thank these folks for their generosity in support and in sharing. Add to this the energy of the Co-Op, SALA and SAMA members who came and helped set up and decorate and this really was a total parish effort. Thanks to all!

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*Fr. Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, May 28**

8:30a.m.

James Blount

**Sunday, May 29**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris

Suddy F. Fontenelle, Jr.

Jackie Miele

Peter Giordano

Felix Ragas

Daniel and Katherine Kane

Thomas A. Kane

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Evelyn Hanlon

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Gerard di Benedetto

Special Intention

David and Albert de Ben

Robert Wood

Anna Mae May

Jerry Gardner

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Keith Daughdrill

Katherine C. Lore

Lou Trager (\*)

Lou Trager, Jr. (\*)

John B. Howe

Rev. Wilfred Meridier (\*)

8:00a.m.

Wayne Schmidt

9:30a.m.

Nathalie Dunphy

11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List

Vincent and Elaine Harris

Edward Branley

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Bert Leaveau

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Jackie Welsch

Mae and David L. Laurent, Sr.

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Mrs. Margaret Harrell Oubre

Marilyn Picou

Dorothy T. Guma

Frances Dees

Constantin and Lundgren Families

Robert Wood

Fr. John Arnone (\*)

Lou Trager (\*)

Lou Trager, Jr. (\*)

12:15p.m.

For the Parish

5:30p.m.

Montalbano and Brandt Families

**Monday, May 30**

6:15a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas B. Chetta

8:30a.m.

Elwood M. Gall

**Tuesday, May 31**

6:15a.m.

Russel and Angelina Talamo

8:30a.m.

Muriel Moreau

**Wednesday, June 1**

6:15a.m.

Doris Doran Prestenback

8:30a.m.

Chauvin, Brunner and

Abadie Families

**Thursday, June 2**

6:15a.m.

Fr. Luis Rodriguez (\*)

8:30a.m.

Dot D'Gerolamo

**Friday, June 3**

6:15a.m.

Loretta Maurice (\*)

8:30a.m.

Villere and Wattigny Families

**Saturday, June 4**

8:30a.m.

Natalie Kerlin

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**Monday, May 30**

6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, Msgr. Kern Center

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11:00 a.m., SALA Board Meeting, Off Campus

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**Friday, June 3**

12 Noon, Information Gathering Meeting, Whitney Place



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**Discernment Weekend Retreat**

A Discernment Weekend Retreat will be offered by the Sisters of Mount Carmel at their Spirituality Center in Lacombe, LA for young women on Friday, June 3—Sunday, June 5. For more information call Sr. Angele Sadlier, O. Carm. at 455-3107 Or carmelitevoc@earthlink.net

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It is always a great joy to be able to celebrate the generous service of those who, for years, have been dedicated in their service to our parish community. Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of New Orleans makes a special effort every year to recognize senior members of each parish for their outstanding service. Three of our parishioners are being honored this year.

This past Sunday, May 22, Marena Jacob was honored at the Annual Senior Citizens Mass. Why has she received such an honor? For the past 36 years Marena has been the cross guard for our school children and their parents. She is that sweet and friendly lady that every school morning stands at the intersection of Beverly Garden and Pomona and greets everyone with a big smile. If you are not around here during early morning school traffic, you may recognize her as one of the friendly greeters at the Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass. She has a way about her that always makes our early Sunday worshippers feel welcomed. Marena is also a long-time member of the St. Angela Senior Citizens Association where her cheerfulness spreads like wildfire.

On Thursday, June 23, Joyce and Bill Williams will be honored at the Annual Catholic Charities Award Luncheon. For many years this lovely couple has been responsible for delighting our church with beautiful flower arrangements. Joyce has been known as the "Flower Lady." They have helped with cleaning and decorating the church. Bill opens the church for us many mornings, and I mean, early mornings (before 6:15 a.m. Mass). They help the priests and deacons prepare for weekday Mass and regularly participate as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. They are very dependable and are always willing to loan a helping hand. They exemplify what it is to serve this community with joy and enthusiasm.

Fr. Ken and I offer to Marena, Joyce and Bill our heartfelt congratulations and gratitude. May the Lord continue to bless them for all the good they do!

*Fr. Luis*

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### **Adult Faith Formation**

Mark your calendars and reserve the evenings of June 13, 27 and July 11 as we continue our celebration of the Year of the Eucharist with Father Ken as he explores Encycliclas on the Eucharist. Stay tuned for more details.

### **Story Hour for Kids**

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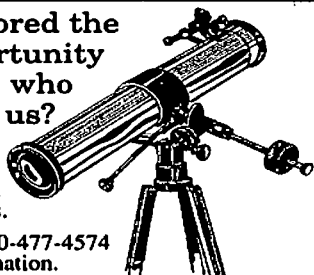
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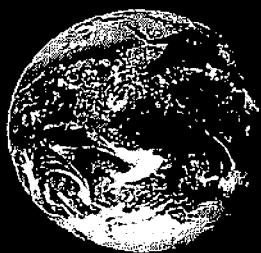
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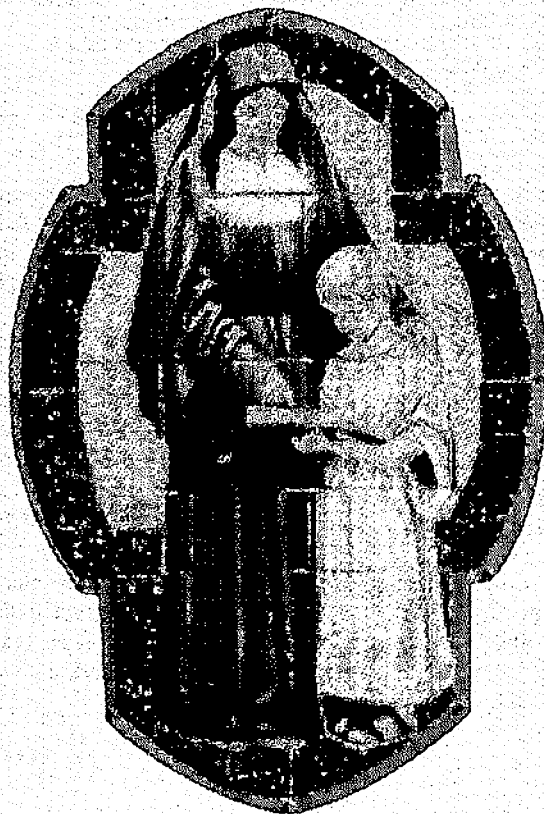
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*June 5, 2005*



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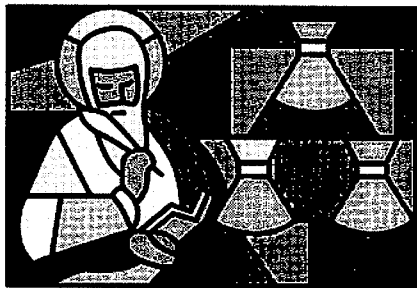
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#### Readings for the Week of June 5, 2005

Sunday: Hos 6:3-6/ Rom 4:18-25/ Mt 9:9-13  
 Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-7/ Mt 5:1-12  
 Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22/ Mt 5:13-16  
 Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11/ Mt 5:17-19  
 Thursday: 2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6/ Mt 5:20-26  
 Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/ Mt 5:27-32  
 Saturday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/ Mt 5:33-37  
 Next Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a/ Rom 5:6-11/ Mt 9:36-10:8

Dear Parishioners,

Wow! In last week's bulletin, I told you that, while we did make enough profit from the Soiree to install the stage drapes in the Center, we did not make enough to do all of the sound system work, and that we would look into doing it in phases. Well, a very generous parishioner, who prefers to remain anonymous, came forward and made a donation that will allow us to do all of the sound system work at one time. Heard about being "blown away"? I was! I thank this parishioner for this great gift to all of us!

In addition to the work in the Center (installing the new stage drapes and sound system and refinishing the stage), our Building and Grounds Committee has also set a schedule to paint several classrooms this Summer and also finish painting the hallway in the school. Along with that, our custodians, Mike Volpe and Alberto Corrales, will also strip and wax all the floors in the school and in the Center as well. All of this is scheduled around Scripture Safari and our several sports Camps. So, as you can see, Summer is not at all a quiet time around our parish campus!

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We extend to Fr. Luis a belated "Happy Anniversary." Father celebrated the fourth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood this past Thursday, June 2. We pray that he will continue to rejoice in the gift of his priesthood, continue to closer to the Lord Jesus in his ministry and, through that ministry, continue to lead those he serves more deeply into the mind and heart of Christ. We also join in thanking him for his faithful ministry to us here at St. Angela and we pray him many more happy years as a priest and many more happy years here among our parish family!

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Summer Scripture Safari, our annual Summer vacation Bible school, begins tomorrow. Always a very popular program with our families, it is also a wonderful gathering of children in the programs and teens and adults who work together in leadership roles, all united in celebrating, deepening and sharing our faith in an enjoyable setting. Please pray for the success of this Summer program. Thanks to all who helped to plan Safari and are working to get it off to a good start.

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4:00p.m. Vigil

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**Monday, June 6**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Tuesday, June 7**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Wednesday, June 8**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Thursday, June 9**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Friday, June 10**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Saturday, June 11**

8:30a.m.

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**Monday, June 6**

9:00am-12:30p.m., Scripture Safari, Msgr. Kern Center

7:00pm, Knights of Columbus Board Meeting, Annex

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9:00am-12:30p.m., Scripture Safari, Msgr. Kern Center

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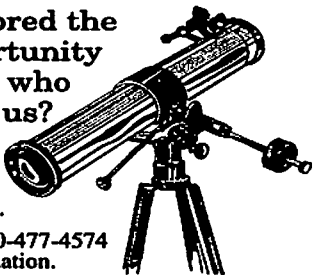
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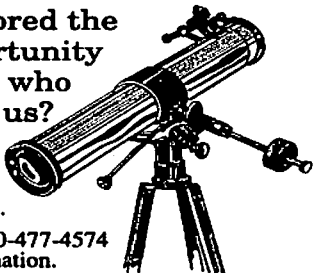
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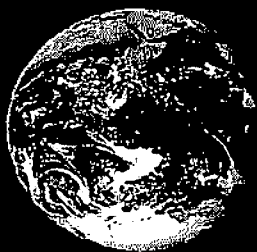
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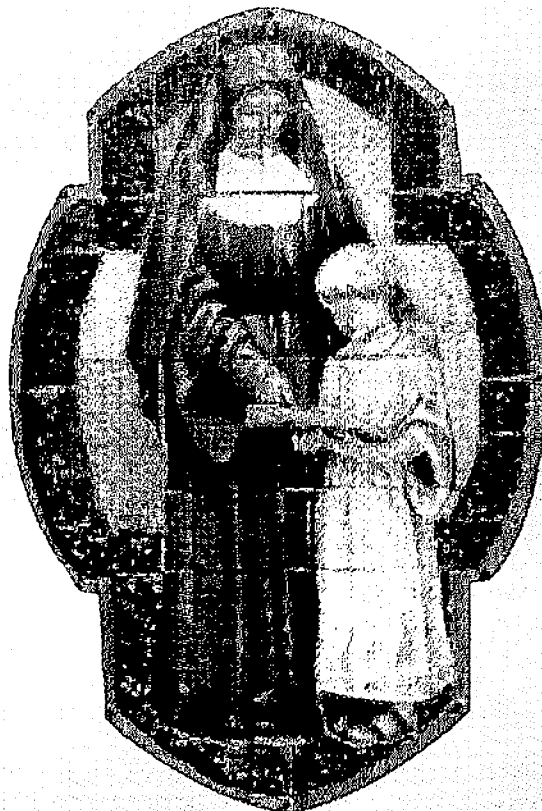
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time  
June 12, 2005*



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#### Readings for the Week of June 12, 2005

Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a/ Rom 5:6-11/ Mt 9:36-10:8  
Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/ Mt 5:38-42  
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/ Mt 5:43-48  
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/ Mt 6:1-6, 16-18  
Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/ Mt 6:7-15  
Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/ Mt 6:19-23  
Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10/ Mt 6:24-34  
Next Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/ Rom 5:12-15/ Mt 10:26-33

Dear Parishioners,

As we continue in this "Year of the Eucharist," there are two new offerings that I would like to tell you about that I believe will enhance your understanding and appreciation of this Sacrament of Christ's living presence among us.

The first is this: the newest installment of the monthly newsletter, "Eucharist: Jesus with Us," is now available in church. Please pick up a copy as you leave church this weekend and take it home with you to read. This is the fourth in the series that we will continue to provide for you for the remainder of this "Year of the Eucharist." This is very easy and quick reading; it takes only about ten minutes to read the entire issue, but provides much rich food for thought and continuing reflection. I have been saving all of them in one folder and went back this week to read the first four together. I have found that the author, Fr. Thomas Richstatter, is moving us ever more deeply into the mystery of the Eucharist and into a fuller understanding of the Mass in this well-written series.

The second offering: we begin in our parish this week a special three-part series that will focus on the encyclical of Pope John Paul II on the Eucharist, *Eucharistia de Ecclesia*, or On the Eucharist and Its Relationship to the Church, written by Pope John Paul II in April, 2003. We will hold these study sessions in the parish Conference Room on three Monday evenings: June 13, June 27 and July 11, each night from 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Originally, I had offered to lead these sessions, but that has changed just a bit. I will conduct the first session and, in that one, I will share with you an overview of the nature and purpose of an encyclical and also discuss with you some other encyclicals and documents that helped shape John Paul's thoughts and teachings in this letter. I will also point out some strong themes in the encyclical for you to be aware of as you begin to read and study it more deeply. Then, Deacon Ron Guidry, Director of the Office of Worship of the Archdiocese, will take over for the next two sessions and lead you through a study and discussion of this letter in even more depth.

If you would like to participate in this series, please go to the internet (or have your grandchild show you how to!); go to the site "papalencyclicals.net" and you can print out the entire encyclical. Now, let me be honest, this is not the easiest reading you'll ever come across, so we will also make available to those participating a translation in a simplified version from a national publishing company.

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There will be one Parish Information Gathering this week: on Tuesday, June 14 at 7:00 p.m. The purpose of these gatherings is to share with you information about the life of our parish, especially our current Mission Statement and goals and some financial information as well. We have been receiving very positive feedback from those who have already participated in these sessions, so I urge all of you to make the time in your schedule to join us for one of them. Please telephone the rectory to register for an up-coming session.

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My gosh you really do notice when we're not around, don't you? Someone asked me how I enjoyed my vacation last weekend: well, I wasn't on vacation! I am a member (as is Fr. Luis) of the Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem, which is an organization that raises money for the Christians and for the shrines in the Holy Land. I currently serve as Ecclesiastical Master of Ceremonies for the organization and I was at the annual meeting last weekend, coordinating and serving as mc at the liturgies. Next weekend (June 18-19) I will be away again, going to Wilmette, IL for the 50th Anniversary of Profession celebration of a Sister I worked with while I was pastor of St. Francis of Assisi Church. I will be away from June 16-20, stopping to visit with a classmate in Crawfordsville, IN on the way. I'll let you know about our real vacations in next week's bulletin!

*Fr. Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, June 11**

8:30a.m. Matthew Hedrick, Sr.

**Sunday, June 12**

4:00p.m. Vigil

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Joseph Achary  
Katherine C. Lore  
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Special Intention  
Benjamin Dugas  
Rosemary Hendricks  
James Newsham  
Dwight Mc Namara  
Suzanne Saldaña  
Beth Kliebert (\*)

8:00a.m.

9:30a.m.

11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List  
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12:15p.m.

**Monday, June 13**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Tuesday, June 14**

6:15a.m.

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**Wednesday, June 15**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Thursday, June 16**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Friday, June 17**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Saturday, June 18**

8:30a.m.

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**Sunday, June 12**

Parish Baptisms following 12:30 Mass

**Monday, June 13**

9:00 am-12:30pm, Scripture Safari, Msgr. Kern Center

7:00 pm, Encyclical on the Eucharist, Conference Rm

**Tuesday, June 14**

9:00 am-12:30pm, Scripture Safari, Msgr. Kern Center

7:00 pm, Information Gathering Meeting, Off Campus

7:30 pm, Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, June 15**

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9:30 am, Prayer Group, Conference Room

**Thursday, June 16**

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7:00 pm, Knights of Columbus Meeting, Kern Center

**Friday, June 17**

9:00am-12:30pm, Scripture Safari, Msgr. Kern Center



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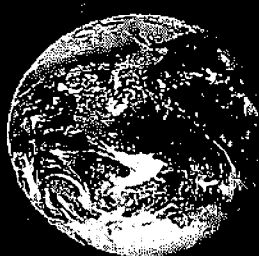
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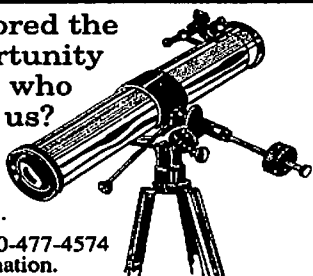


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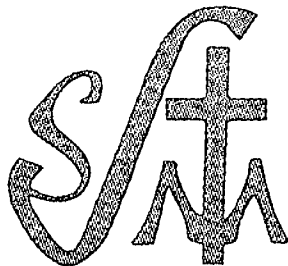
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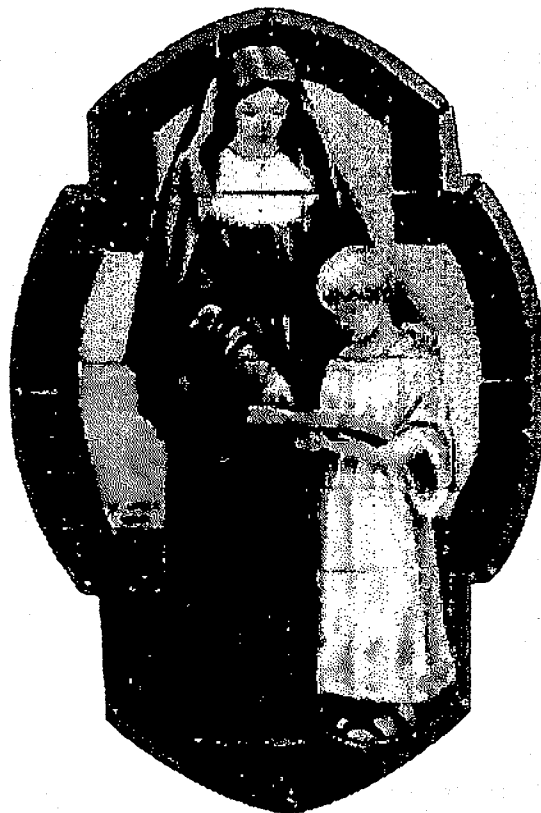
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*Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*June 19, 2005*



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### Readings for the Week of June 19, 2005

Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/ Rom 5:12-15/ Mt 10:26-33  
 Monday: Gn 12:1-9/ Mt 7:1-5  
 Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18/ Mt 7:6, 12-14  
 Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/ Mt 7:15-20  
 Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16/ Mt 7:21-29  
 Friday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/ 1 Pt 1:8-12/ Lk 1:5-17;  
 Day: Is 49:1-6/ Acts 13:22-26/ Lk 1:57-66, 80  
 Saturday: Gn 18:1-15/ Mt 8:5-17  
 Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/ Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/ Mt 10:37-42

Dear Parishioners,

Another successful Scripture Safari has come to its conclusion, and I want to thank all of those who participated in it. Special thanks to Claudette Craven, who came out of retirement to help plan, coordinate and conduct Safari and to Sr. Paula who threw herself into her first Safari as our DRE. Thanks to all the adults and teens who took leadership roles. And, of course, thanks to all the young people who participated in this Scripture adventure and to their parents who supported them in this Summer fun/learning opportunity!

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With Safari concluded, we will now begin some work in the school and the Center. Our Maintenance and Grounds Committee of the School Board will coordinate painting in the school this week. We hope to complete the work in the hallways that was begun during school breaks and to paint several classrooms as well. Next week, the crew will work in the Center, refinishing the stage and painting the entry foyer and rest rooms. We can always use some additional volunteers, so if you have a few hours to share, please let us know!

Also this week, we hope to begin work up-grading the sound system in the Center. After the sound system work and the refinishing of the stage are completed, we will begin to install the new stage drapes. This way, all will be ready for the start of the new school year and the return of parish meetings and activities.

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We're taking a little break in our series of Parish Information Gatherings. The next one is scheduled for Tuesday, July 12. The purpose of these gatherings is to share with you information about the life of our parish, especially our current Mission Statement and goals and some financial information as well. We have been receiving very positive feedback from those who have already participated in these sessions, so I urge all of you to make the time in your schedule to join us for one of them. Please telephone the rectory to register for an up-coming session.

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On Thursday of this week, the Archdiocese will host the annual Senior Citizens' Luncheon. Once again, we extend our congratulations to Joyce and Bill Williams, who will be the honorees from our parish and to congratulate again Ms. Marina Jacobs, who received a medallion last month at the Senior Citizens' Mass for her many years of faithful service to us, who will also be attending the luncheon.

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Fr. Luis will be on vacation from Tuesday, July 5 through Thursday, July 14. I will leave for vacation on Friday, July 15 and will return to the parish on Tuesday, August 2. May all who have the opportunity to get away from home this Summer find renewal and refreshment in our leisure time and let us pray for one another that we may all have safety in our travels.

*Fr. Ken*

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Saturday, June 18

8:30a.m. Julia K. Fahrman

## Sunday, June 19

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris	Kirby Baudin, Sr.
Joseph Esler	Ciolino and Fontana Families
Joan Talamo	Lena and Frederick Barocco
Ray Cureau, Sr.	Ray Cureau, Jr.
Jackie Miele	Suddy F. Fontenelle, Jr.
Jackie Welsch	John B. Cressend
Special Intention	Daniel and Katherine Kane
Lena Cavallino	Corinne Bouche' Foret
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Paul B. Bordelon	Mitchell L. Bordelon
Vincent A. Pizzo	Jacob and Gerald Marchese
Patrick J. Taillon	Justin D. Frederick
Ralph Taillon	John Dowling
Carolyn Slemmer	Rev. Wilfred Meridier (*)
Suzanne Saldaña	Jess Spiehler (*)
James Newsham	

Sister Gail Gallagher, O. Carm. (\*)

8:00a.m. Peter Giambalvo  
Michael Giambalvo  
For the Parish

9:30a.m.  
11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List	Elaine and Vincent Harris
Duval Wilkinson	Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Perrone, Sr.
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Joseph Achary	Lloyd and Ada Aguillard
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Ralph Bayard	Merrick Delesdernier
Patrick Bayard	Gerard Mialaret
Marilyn Picou	Jerry Gardner, Jr.
Robert Woods	Lloyd A. Lonergan, Sr.
Frank Hemstreet	Jule Mae and David L. Laurent, Sr.
Ed Branley	Eduardo Blanco
Ronald Richard	Dwight Mc Namara
12:30p.m.	Heriberto Rodriguez (*)

## Monday, June 20

6:15a.m. George Thedy  
8:30a.m. Dr. Richard Vial

## Tuesday, June 21

6:15a.m. Sister Andre Becker  
8:30a.m. Fr. Rafael Santiago

## Wednesday, June 22

6:15a.m. Robert H. Heap, Sr.  
8:30a.m. Carmen Engel

## Thursday, June 23

6:15a.m. Sr. Gail Gallagher, O. Carm. (\*)  
8:30a.m. Fr. Andy Rodriguez (\*)

## Friday, June 24

6:15a.m. Rose Johnson  
8:30a.m. Victor E. Pannell

## Saturday, June 25

8:30a.m. William R. Hare

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## Tuesday, June 21

7:00 p.m., SAMA Meeting, Msgr. Kern Center  
7:30 p.m., Adult Choir Practice, Church

## Wednesday, June 22

9:30 a.m., Prayer Group, Conference Room  
7:00 p.m., Boy Scout Meeting, Annex Board Room



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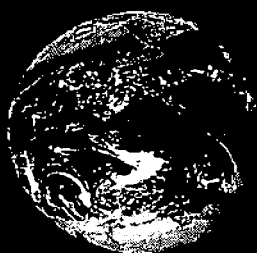
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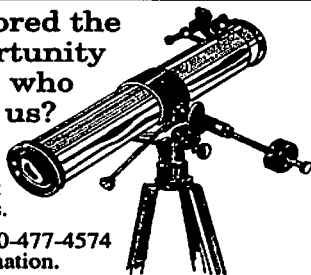


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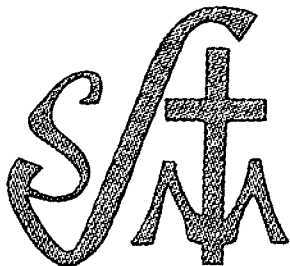
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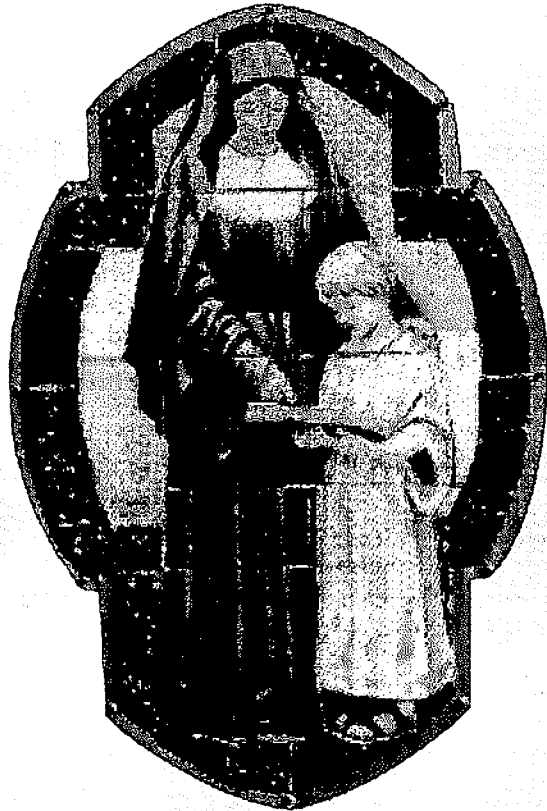
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*Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
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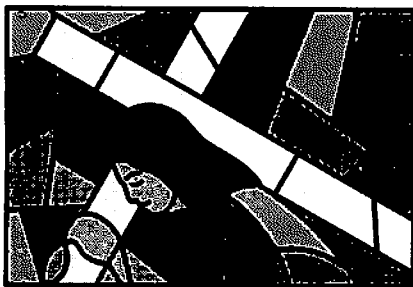
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### Readings for the Week of June 26, 2005

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/ Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/ Mt 10:37-42  
 Monday: Gn 18:16-33/ Mt 8:18-22  
 Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/ Mt 8:23-27  
 Wednesday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/ Gal 1:11-20/ Jn 21:15-19;  
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 Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19/ Mt 9:1-8  
 Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/ Mt 9:9-13  
 Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/ Mt 9:14-17  
 Next Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/ Rom 8:9, 11-13/ Mt 11:25-30

Dear Parishioners,

On Monday evening, beginning at 7:00 p.m., our parish Adult Faith Formation Committee will host the second in the three-part series on Pope John Paul II's encyclical letter, "The Eucharist and Its Relationship to the Church." for this, and again for the final session on July 11, we welcome to our parish Deacon Ron Guidry, Director of the Office of Worship of the Archdiocese. I have worked very closely with Deacon Guidry for a number of years now: he and I ministered together at St. Francis of Assisi Parish in New Orleans; he served as Associate Director of the Office of Worship while I was the Director; since I have been here with you at St. Angela, Deacon Ron and I have continued to work together for special Archdiocesan liturgies and on the Archdiocesan Liturgical Commission. Ron is a fine liturgist, extremely knowledgeable in this field and an excellent teacher. I know you will learn much from his presentation and so, on behalf of the Adult Faith Formation Committee, I invite and urge you to attend. The session will be in the Parish Conference Room.

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This past Easter we were privileged to have four adults become new members of our Catholic Church: one sharing in the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil and three being received into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church through the profession of faith and the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist on Easter Sunday.

We will begin again, at the end of the Summer, with our RCIA process – the process through which adults are prepared for these sacraments when they have either not been baptized before or seek to come into our Church from other Christian denominations.

If you are not Catholic but are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church, if you think your faith journey is leading you into our Church, now is the time for you to come forward so that we may speak individually with you and share with you more detail about the process before it begins in the Fall. Please contact the rectory for more information.

*Fr. Ken*

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Another Summer Scripture Safari has come to a close and was a wonderful experience for all those involved.

It wouldn't have been possible without all of the support and prayers of you the parishioners of St. Angela Merici. We are truly blessed by God to have such wonderful and supportive parishioners.

The parents who entrusted their children to us also helped to make this Safari a huge success. Your children were attentive and responsive. It was a joy to spend time with them and to get to know them a little better as we shared in God's Word, in song, art, and lessons.

We couldn't do this at all without our adult volunteers. It is your dedication to the children and this parish that makes the Scripture Safari such a blessing. Your cheerfulness, preparation and participation in all the events of each day helped the program to flow smoothly.

Our teens (Scouts) make this all come together. Their willingness to accomplish all that is asked of them and their cheerful dispositions have made them a special blessing to the adult volunteers and to the children with whom they have worked. We appreciate all they do to make our Scripture Safari a success year after year.

*Sister Paula*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, June 25**

8:30a.m.

William R. Hare

**Sunday, June 26**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Elaine Harris

Sidney and Alice Serio

Karl Scruntine

Scuddy F. Fontenelle, Jr.

Special Intention

Corinne Bouche' Foret

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John Brandt

William Trapp, Jr.

Roger Dallam

Gus Heintz, Jr.

Cecilia Bruno

John A. Mancuso

Theresa Timphony

Rev. Wilfred Meridier (\*)

James Newsham

8:00a.m.

Felix Ragas

9:30a.m.

The Decareaux Family

11:00a.m.

Purgatorial List

Elaine and Vincent Harris

Ed Branley

Mike J. Ricca

Bert Leaveau

Frances and Rudolf Carevich

Jackie Welsch

Dwight Mc Namara

Marilyn Picou

Constantin and Lundgren Families

Walter Deister

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Frances Dees

Corinne Bouche' Foret

Bill Trapp

Montalbano and Brandt Families

Robert and Linda Armbruster (\*)

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fucich (\*)

12:30p.m.

For the Parish

**Monday, June 27**

6:15a.m.

Gabriel Falgoust, Sr.

8:30a.m.

John Driscoll

**Tuesday, June 28**

6:15a.m.

Arnulfo Jimenez

8:30a.m.

Gabriel Falgoust, Sr.

**Wednesday, June 29**

6:15a.m.

Cecilia S. Bodet

8:30a.m.

James Blount, Jr.

**Thursday, June 30**

6:15a.m.

Joseph Esler

8:30a.m.

Allan and Miriam Johnston

**Friday, July 1**

6:15a.m.

Robert H. Heap, Sr.

8:30a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas d'Aquin

**Saturday, July 2**

8:30a.m.

Sunseri and Sullivan Families

(\*) denotes living

**Monday, June 27**

7:00 p.m., Encyclical on the Eucharist, Conference Rm

**Wednesday, June 29**

9:30 a.m., Prayer Group, Conference Room

7:00 p.m., Boy Scout Meeting, Annex

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**Richard Anthony Bode**

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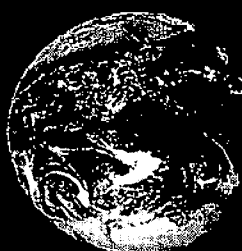
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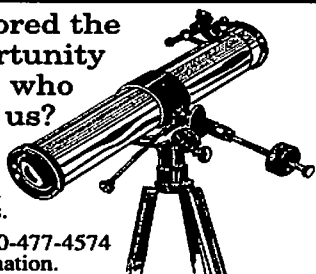


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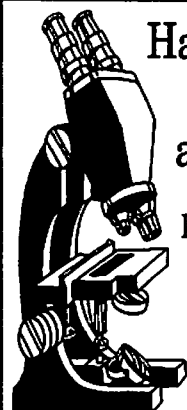
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