

GREETINGS FROM FR. SCOTT

“The spirit strengthens a person’s self-control, shows another how to help the poor, teaches another to fast and lead a life of asceticism, makes another oblivious to the needs of the body, trains another for martyrdom.”

The Action of the Spirit is different in each person, but the Spirit is always the same. Scripture says, “In each person the Spirit reveals his presence in a particular way for the common good.”

I have called on the Holy Spirit many times in my life. The time I call on the Spirit the most has to do with relationship issues. The Holy Spirit has helped me say the right thing to sick people, has giving me courage to confront individuals, and has helped me find the word to express my love for others.

Saint Cyril also says, “The Spirit comes gently and makes himself known by his fragrance. He is not felt as a burden, for he is light, very light. Rays of light and knowledge stream before him as he approaches.”

“The Spirit comes with the tenderness of a true friend and protector to save, to heal, to teach, to counsel, to strengthen, and to console.”

Saint Basil the Great said, “The Spirit is the source of holiness, a spiritual light, and it offers its own light to every mind to help it in its search for truth.” According to Saint Basil, “The Holy Spirit raises our hearts to heaven, guides the steps of the weak, and brings to perfection those who are making progress.

Pentecost is about enlivening the Holy Spirit living in our hearts. The Holy Spirit helps us in our daily lives right now. A simple prayer will help enliven the spirit, “Come Holy Spirit.”

The Holy Spirit also helps us in the future. Through the Spirit we become citizens of heaven, we are admitted to the company of the angels, we enter into eternal happiness, and abide in God.

This week, enliven the gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit within you.



STEWARDSHIP

May 19,2012	\$6,186.65
Last Year	\$7,659.46
Property Improvement	\$750.00

Daily Mass Readings

Monday May 28

1 Pt 1:3-9 Ps 111:1-2,5-6,9,10c Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday May 29

1 Pt 1:10-16 Ps 98:1-4 Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday May 30

1 Pt 1:18-25 Ps 147:12-15,19-20 Mk 10:32-45

Thursday May 31

Zep 3:14-18a Ps Is 12:2-3,4bcd,5-6 Lk 1:39-56

Friday June 1

1 Pt 4:7-13 Ps 96:10 -13 Mk 11:11-26

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	May 26
5:00pm	+ Joseph Michael DeKreon
Sunday	May 27
9:00am	For the People of the Parish
11:30am	+ Mark Mastej & +Karziersz Zwiechowski
Monday	May 28
9:00am	
Tuesday	May 29
9:00am	
Wednesday	May 30
9:00am	
Thursday	May 31
9:00am	
Friday	June 1
9:00am	



FAITH FORMATION

1st Eucharist photographs are available after the Masses.

YOUTH MINISTRY

ALASKA CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE

Youth gathering for students entering grades 9-12 at St. Elizabeth Seaton in Anchorage. To register, please contact

Doug Stewart 297-7432 or dstewart@caa-ak.org

TUESDAY, June 5th 7:30 pm

Jesse Manibusan will be in concert at the Wendy Williams Auditorium at UAA. Jesse is a gifted Catholic composer and performer. This family concert will be great fun for every age and a featured part of ACYC. You do not have to be registered at the Conference to attend this performance.

ONE BREAD ONE BODY

Your gift to the One Bread One Body Appeal helps make possible ministries that serve children and adults throughout Southcentral Alaska, providing lifelong faith formation opportunities, support rural & remote parishes and missions, help those in through Catholic Social Services and support Catholic schools.. Give securely online at www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/donate

VENTURING CREW

Venture crew - a coed group of teens and young adults looking for outdoor excitement - meets the first Monday of the month at 7 pm in the old church. Rock climbing and the atlatl throwing trips went great. Next adventure - kayaking or canoeing from Cottonwood to Wasilla Lake, but you folks decide. Call Ed at 357-7029 if you want more information or come to the meeting!

OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

OLV is now enrolling for the 2012-2013 school year in grades K-8. Please stop at the school Mon-Fri 8-4pm at 260 E. Nelson Ave in Wasilla or call 376-0883 for information. Registration packets are also available at parish offices.

May Students of the Month
Talia Huddleston Abby Hall
Makenna Rahm Luke Devine
Grace Halstead



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COMING EVENTS

May

- 27 Debra Lighthart Rosary Sale
Youth Bake Sale
- 31 Rosary 7pm

June

- 2/3 Ace's Mystical Rose Religious gifts
- 4 Contemplative Prayer 6:30pm
- 7 Rosary 7pm
- 10 Church picnic
- 17 Father's Day
- 24 Inquiry for those interested in the Church

Church Picnic June 10th

Please bring the following to share with your fellow parishioners: A-I Chips
J-R Salads
S-Z Desserts

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PARISH GARDEN BOXES

Garden boxes are available for planting vegetables to supply the Wasilla Food Pantry. This is a great summer project. Please contact the office or the sign-up sheet in the Social Hall.



FLAG RETIREMENT

Torn or faded flags are being collected in the Social Hall for formal retirement ceremony on June 14th Flag Day at St. Andrew's Parish. The 4th Degree Knights are assisting with this project.

GARDEN & PLANT SALE

Thank you for your generous support of our plant sale. We earned \$1331.75. We will be blessed with beautiful flower gardens for Sacred Heart.

FOOD PANTRY

Items needed at the pantry:
All kinds of pasta
Beans—canned (not green)
rice, flour, sugar,
grocery bags

357-3769

WELCOME CHILD OF GOD

Hailey Renee Jones
baptized on May 19, 2012

OFFICE HOURS

Starting Tuesday, May 29 the office hours will be Monday 11am—2pm
Tuesday—Friday 8:30 am—2:00pm