

Fifth Sunday of Easter: May 18, 2025

Masses for the Week

Sunday, May 18, 9:00 AM

+ Elizabeth Bohner

Tuesday, May 20, 8:00 AM

+ Karen Ross Glackin

Thursday, May 22, 8:00 AM

+ Patricia Schwalm

Sunday, May 25, 9:00 AM

Holy Father

+ Pope Francis



The Parish Office is open
Monday – Thursday from 10 AM to 5 PM.

Ministry Schedule

Sunday, May 25, 9:00 AM

Lector: Joe Savidge

Extraordinary Ministers: Deacon Bob,
Ray Bednar, Bert Lagerman

Altar Servers: Jaden, Landen & Cullen
Myers, Bill Long

TITHING REPORT

Collection: 5/11/2025: \$1729.00

Maintenance Fund, \$140.00

Easter Offering, \$10.00

Ash Wednesday, \$5.00

*\$1923.00 is needed each week in our
regular Sunday Offering to meet our budget
for the year. Our collection was \$194.00
under budget this week.*

The 2 Blessed Mother Candles burn in
loving memory of Karen Ross Glackin
from Diane Ross.

A St. Joseph Candle burns in loving
memory of Owen Lagerman (Birthday
Memorial) from Anita & Family.

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9:00 AM Liturgy

Hospitality Sunday

Please join us in the rectory after the 9 AM
Liturgy for coffee and snacks.

Olive Wood Carvings

Today a group from the Holy Land will be at
St. Patrick to sell their handmade olive wood
carvings. Please stop by their table to view and
purchase a nice gift to help support these
families.

Diocesan Annual Campaign

WE MADE OUR GOAL!!

Thank you to all who donated to the
2025 DAC.

We made our goal in record time!

It is not too late to donate if you have not
already done so. Everything over our goal
comes back to us.

Please continue to use the DAC envelopes
in our packet. These donations will be used
for cemetery upkeep.

Announcements

Sunday, May 18

4:00 PM Solemn Vespers at St. Patrick Cathedral to honor the priests from the diocese (Rev. Frank Karwacki, former pastor at our church) who have been named Chaplains to His Holiness with the title of Monsignor.

Monday, May 19

Pierogies will be made today in the parish hall.
All help will be appreciated.

Monday, May 26

9:00 AM Mass will be celebrated at the cemetery in observance of Memorial Day (weather permitting).

Spring Food and Bake Sale

Saturday, May 31 11 AM – 3 PM

Soup, Haluski

& delicious baked goods

Please call the parish office to let us know what you will be making.

There is a sign up sheet in the vestibule for baked goods.



The combined Religious Education program of Our Lady of Hope, Mother Cabrini and St. Patrick are now accepting registrations for the 2025/2026 school year. Please call or visit Our Lady of Hope office 570-648-4432 for a form to register your child. Students must be registered by July 1, 2025 for next year's program. Registrations will not be accepted after this date.

Bingo Update

Cash Bingo was a great success!!!

Thanks to Mike and Deb for coordinating and all who helped in the kitchen, on the floor and those who donated food and prizes.
After expenses we realized a profit of
\$4,153.19!!!

Deacon's Corner

In this fifth week of Easter, in Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells His Apostles in His farewell address, "My children, I will be with you only a little while longer. I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." (John 13:31-33a, 34-35)

In His earthly ministry, Jesus gives us an example of God's love in this world. We are to continue His example of love with one another. Our Lord is calling us to act. Love is reaching out and caring for the good or well-being of another person – our sisters and brothers. Practical ways that we are able to love one another are to pray for others and their needs; volunteer in parish ministries or charity services; offer help in small ways – a meal, a task, a thoughtful message; forgive others; and invite others to church. The daily opportunities that the Lord provides us to act in love are many and varied.

In Jesus' name, may we pray, Loving god, we thank you for your boundless love. Jesus, Our Savior, calls us to love one another as He loves us. We ask for the grace to cultivate within us a love that is generous, compassionate and unwavering. May our hearts be filled with your love, so that it may overflow into our relationships and actions with all we meet in our lives."

The family of one of our long-time parishioners who lives in Trevorton has asked if there would be anyone willing to help with personal home care (breakfast, lunch and bedtime). If you are interested, please contact the parish office for more details.

Congratulations to all our school children as they complete another year in their educational journey. Special congratulations to our high school graduates: Andrew Zelnick, Quintin Schaffner and Gabriella Bednar.

