



The Patience of Mary

The image of Mary—surrounded by the apostles in the upper room, awaiting the Holy Spirit—has a name: *Regina Apostolorum*, Queen of the Apostles. She is enthroned as Queen Mother because, when her Son the King was enthroned and lifted up, he told her, “Behold your son.” With those words he entrusted Mary to the care of John, the apostles, and the whole Church. As any good queen and mother, she defends her own.

She is also called the Spouse of the Spirit, because it was in union with the Spirit that she engendered the Son. She also engenders him in the apostles and in our souls through her powerful intercession and waiting on the Spirit.

One of Mary’s best qualities is waiting patiently until God’s power arrives. After the annunciation she waited nine months with Jesus in her womb. Then she waited some thirty years while Jesus grew and prepared for his mission. She waited during his public life and watched as his fame spread, but also as his enemies plotted. She waited at the foot of the cross and endured that unending Holy Saturday until the resurrection. And she waited patiently on the first Pentecost Sunday for the coming of the gift of the Holy Spirit promised by her Son. She knew he would come through, as he always did.

We get impatient with God and want him to respond on our timetables according to our expectations. He waits to give us a chance to adapt our hearts to his plan and timing. He waits until the time is just right.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

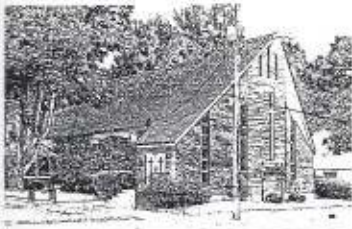


Piece: *The Descent of the Holy Spirit*, 1608-1609
Artist: Guido Reni
Location: Vatican Museums

For Reflection

How often do I seek Mary’s intercession or help?
Patience is a fruit of the Spirit. How can you practice more patience this week?

But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth.
John 16:13



Holy Trinity - Cherry

St. Patrick - Arlington

St. Thomas More - Dalzell

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Mass & Confession Schedule

Holy Trinity Catholic Parish

Weekend Masses

Sunday Vigil (Saturday) - 4:00 PM
Sunday Mass - 8:30 AM

Daily Mass (Weekdays) & Holy Days

Tuesday - 12:15 PM & Thursday - 9:00 AM

Confessions

Saturday - 3:15 - 3:45PM or By Appointment

Mass Schedule

St. Patrick Catholic Parish

106 Church St.

Arlington, IL

Sunday Mass - 10:30 AM

Holy Days of Obligation Refer To Schedule

Mass Schedule

St. Thomas More Church - Dalzell, IL

Vigil Mass (Saturday) 5:30 PM

Weekday Mass (Wednesday & Friday) - 8:00 AM

Sunday Last Chance Mass 5:30 PM

Confessions Every 2nd & 4th Sunday - 4:45-5:15pm

Holy Day of Obligation Refer To Schedule

Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel - Open 8am - 8pm (M-Sat)

Sunday - Open 8am until conclusion 5:30pm Mass

****Divine Mercy Chaplet - Every Friday at 3 PM**

Daily Mass Intentions for

Masses the Week of May 21, 2018

Offered For

<u>Monday</u>	Holy Trinity, Cherry - 5:30	† Marvin & Bernice Schneider
<u>Tuesday</u>	Holy Trinity, Cherry - 12:15pm	† No Mass
<u>Wednesday</u>	St. Thomas More, Dalzell - 8:00am	† No Mass
<u>Thursday</u>	Holy Trinity, Cherry - 9:00am	† No Mass
<u>Friday</u>	St. Thomas More, Dalzell - 8:00am	† No Mass

**** Divine Mercy - Every Friday at 3PM (St. Thomas More Adoration Chapel)**

Next Weekend's Mass Intentions

Weekend of May 26-27, 2018

<u>Saturday Vigil:</u>	Holy Trinity, Cherry - 4:00 PM	† Bill Pozzi, Sr.
	St. Thomas More, Dalzell - 5:30 PM	† Dennis & Lori Domkuski
<u>Sunday:</u>	Holy Trinity, Cherry - 8:30 AM	† Wayne Jaraczewski
	St. Patrick, Arlington - 10:30 AM	† Dec Memb Ferrier Smith Family
	St. Thomas More, Dalzell - 5:30 PM	† For The Parishioners

Ministry Schedule
For Next Weekend

Holy Trinity

LECTOR

Saturday - 4:00PM - Kathy Pullam
Sunday - 8:30AM - Gerald Schlenz

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday - 4:00PM - Tina Dominy
Sunday - 8:30AM - Jeff Pinter

SERVERS

Saturday - 4:00PM -
Katelyn Pullam & Emily Robbins
Sunday - 8:30AM -
?

St. Patrick

LECTOR

Sunday - 10:30AM - Ernie Bartoli

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER

Sunday - 10:30AM - ?

SERVERS

Sunday - 10:30AM -
Dylan Hunter & Thomas Schroeder

St. Thomas More

ROSARY

Sat 5:30PM - Mary Ann Schoening

LECTOR

Sat 5:30PM - Mary Ann Schoening

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER

Sat 5:30PM - Judy Szymowicz

SERVERS

Sat 5:30PM - ?

UPCOMING
CHURCH EVENTS

May 21 - Rosary/Mass for Reparation
Sins - Holy Trinity - 5:30pm (No Wed
Rosary)

May 30 - Rosary Against Evil - Holy
Trinity (Cherry) - 6pm (Time Change)

June 6 - Rosary Against Evil - St.
Patrick (Arlington) - 6pm

July 1 - St. Thomas More Chicken
Dinner - Hall

Last Sunday's Offering

Holy Trinity - \$1415.00
Needed Weekly - \$1700 (-\$5278.00)
St. Patrick - \$589.00
Needed Weekly - \$700 (-\$1421.00)
St. Thomas More - \$1105.00
Needed Weekly - \$900 (\$3234.00)

** (Parentheses) = Overage/Deficit of
Collection

Mass For Reparation
Every Third Monday

On Monday, May 21st at
5:30PM at Holy Trinity at Cherry,
there will be the celebration of Holy
Mass followed by the recitation of
the Creed and praying of the Holy
Rosary. This month we remember
Mary, Mother of the Church. It will
repeat every third Monday at
whatever church we are praying the
rosary for that month. Our Blessed
Mother wants this from us so people
9 months out of the year can receive
the following gifts; we will receive
peace, consolation from pain,
stopping of hiding sins, not being
arrogant, more humility, and the
blessing of our homes. Please come!

Holy Trinity & St. Patrick
Cemetery News

Now that Spring is showing
signs of coming! It is time to think
about checking our family graves in
Arlington and Cherry to see if grave
decorations are weathered and need
to be replaced, that the weather didn't
shift them off the graves, and that
they are in a position to not interfere
with grass cutting when it begins.
Thanks for checking the graves out so
we can keep our cemeteries beautiful!

The Rosary Against Evil

The rosary that we continue
to pray on Wednesday nights at
6PM will be prayed at Holy Trinity
Church during the month of May in
Cherry. The weeks where Mass and
Rosary is celebrated together there
is no Wednesday rosary. It is our
time to show God, Jesus, Mary how
much we need them to fight the evil
around us. As we pray through Our
Lady of Fatima, the rosary is and
always has been our greatest weapon
against evil! So please come and join
us!

Upcoming Area Events

None At This Time

For The Week

At Pentecost, for those who
have been confirmed, we get to
re-live and celebrate when we
received the gift of the Holy Spirit.
Just like the Apostles in the room
who received the Holy Spirit, as
they had, we gain the guidance of
the Holy Spirit if we live holy lives.
Today, we need that guidance more
than ever with the increasing level
of evil in the world.

As the Apostles went out
with a clearer mission and the Holy
Spirit guiding them, they were able
to bring Christ to many people.
Today, as much as we need to bring
Christ to many people, Jesus asks us
to bring those fallen away back to
Church, faithfully living the
Commandments and the teachings
of the Church. We even have the
removal of many sins on our soul
when we do bring people back!
Please have a great week!

ADA Goals 2018-19

Holy Trinity - \$16,421.00
Pledges To Date \$2535 (15%)
St. Patrick - \$11,340.00
Pledges To Date \$2050 (18%)
St. Thomas More - \$10,917.00
Pledges To Date \$3785 (35%)

Sacramental Preparation

Baptisms: Preparation is required
for the first child in the family.
Baptisms are scheduled on
Sundays at noon or by special
arrangement. Please contact
Father to setup an appointment.

Marriages: Preparations need to
be started one year before the
Wedding date. Please contact
Father for more information.

Rite of Christian Initiation: Per
Canon Law of the Catholic
Church, anyone over the age of
seven years old is to observe the
requirements of the RCIA, unless
there is a danger of death. If
anyone has not received all of the
sacraments; baptism, First
Communion or Confirmation,
please talk to Father.

Calendar

Monday

May 21

Weekday

Jas 3:13-18

Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday

May 22

Weekday

Jas 4:1-10

Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday

May 23

Weekday

Jas 4:13-17

Mk 9:38-40

Thursday

May 24

Weekday

Jas 5:1-6

Mk 9:41-50

Friday

May 25

Weekday

Jas 5:9-12

Mk 10:1-12

Saturday

May 26

St. Philip Neri,

Priest

Jas 5:13-20

Mk 10:13-16

Sunday

May 27

Most Holy Trinity

Dt 4:32-34, 39-40

Rom 8:14-17

Mt 28:16-20

Dear Padre,

There are many gifts given by the Spirit, but I don't understand "speaking in tongues." What is the significance of this gift?

You are probably speaking from the experience of a "charismatic" prayer service, in which an individual suddenly enters into an ecstatic state and begins speaking what sounds to others like gibberish.

Sacred Scriptures offer us some examples of this phenomenon. On the day of Pentecost, for example, the apostles were overtaken by the Holy Spirit and were understood by people of many nations, each in his or her own tongue (Acts 2:3-4, 6). The phenomenon occurred again when the first Gentiles were converted to the faith: Peter heard them "speaking in tongues and extolling God" (Acts 10:46). Paul, too, saw the ecstatic condition of the people he confirmed (Acts 19:6).

Saint Paul reminds us that speaking in tongues is one of many gifts the Spirit may bestow upon a person (1 Corinthians 12:10, 28, 30), but that, above all of them, there is love (1 Corinthians 13:8). He tells us that, like the gifts of prophecy and knowledge, so also will the gift of speaking in tongues come to an end. Love will prevail.

We must remember Paul's words as we contemplate all the gifts of the Spirit: "So, my friends, be eager to prophesy, and do not forbid speaking in tongues; but all things should be done decently and in order" (1 Corinthians 14:39-40).



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A Word From Pope Francis

As he did on Pentecost, the Lord wants to work one of the greatest miracles we can experience; he wants to turn your hands, my hands, our hands, into signs of reconciliation, of communion, of creation. He wants your hands to continue building the world of today.

—World Youth Day prayer vigil, July 30, 2016