

May 12, 2019 Fourth Sunday of Easter (C) Acts 13:14, 43–52 Rev 7:9, 14b–17 Jn 10:27–30

The Dangers of Jealousy

Paul and Barnabas were preaching to the Jewish people in synagogues, but today's reading reveals why they changed audiences and began preaching to the Gentiles. After initial interest was shown by the Jews, the leaders became jealous and stirred up a persecution against the apostles.

Jealousy is a powerful thing. It deafens us from perceiving the good things God wants to give us through others and turns our neighbor into an enemy. It makes us critical, unsatisfied, bitter, and discouraged. Rather than find support in our brother or sister, we lose that gift and alienate ourselves. God and peace are never found in jealousy.

God sent Paul and Barnabas to preach to the Gentiles and to bring his good news to souls who were open to hearing his voice. Humility is the virtue that helps us see the good of others and appreciate it as if it were our own.

The Good Shepherd was speaking to his flock and wanted to lead them to greener pastures, but only the humble were able to hear him and be led to those springs of life-giving water.

Beware of the dangers of jealousy and pride that make us rebellious sheep who are unable to be led and taught by those who love us most. We think we know better than God, his word, and his Church, separating from the flock and the shepherd. May God grant us a listening and humble heart, open to discovering his truth through the Good Shepherd who constantly wants to speak it to us.

-Fr. Mark Haydu, LC



For Reflection Would my friends and family generally describe me as a humble person? Is there a way I can become more humble in my relationship with God and the Church?

[Jesus said,] "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish." John 10:27—28



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Sunday Offerings

General Fund	\$5,918.00	Tuition	\$624.00
General Child	\$2.67	Lunch Money	\$735.00
Loose	\$87.00	Votive Stand	\$25.00
Landscaping	\$5,350.00	Tuition Assit.	\$400.00
Main. & Repair	\$25.00	CHTF	\$4,500.00
Past Due Asses.	\$10.00	Lunch Program	n \$500.00
Box Tops	\$133.70		

Total Received

78 general offering envelopes collected, including children. Rice Bowls......\$9.89

The ProLife Ministry has a small gift for all mothers (Godmothers/spiritual mothers too) in a decorated basket in the back of church for you. The paper flowers made by students and presented by our Blessed Mother are a reminder of the Santity of Human Life and in particular all the vulnerable: unborn, elderly, sick...



<u>\$18,176.67</u>

Parish Services

Weekend Masses Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Sunday, 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. Weekday Masses 8:00 a.m. Monday, Wednesday & Friday Tuesday 7:30 p.m. and PH Devotions Thursday 6:00 a.m. Confessions Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. or by appointment Adoration Tuesday 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. & 5:30-9:30 p.m. Wednesday 7:00-9:00 p.m. Thursday 5:00 -7:00 a.m. 4:00-8:00 p.m. First Friday-8:45am-12pm **Baptisms and Marriages**

By arrangement with Fr. Steve Robeson

HUGE THANK YOU TO ALL THAT HELPED WITH THE CLEANING OF THE BUTLER BUILIDNG!

SSM Health Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital is the only free-standing Catholic pediatric hospital in the country. When SSM Health Cardinal Glennon opened its doors in 1956, a promise was made to the community that any child in need of care would be welcomed, whether their parents could afford to pay for care or not. That promise still holds true today. Many of you will remember the story of John Smith, a young man who fell through the ice of a frozen lake and was without a pulse for nearly an hour. His odds-defying recovery is the subject of the new movie, Breakthrough. St. Ignatius Parish please join us in helping make miracles like John's possible by making a donation at Mass during Glennon Sunday weekend, June 1-2 or online at glennon.org. On behalf of our patients and families, may God bless you for providing hope, healing, faith and compassion to every child who walks through the doors at SSM Health Cardinal Glennon.

Upcoming Events at St. Ignatius

05/12 Mother's Day Breakfast 8-11am 05/14 8AM MASS 05/14 ***NO 7:30PM MASS*** 05/15 Rosary & Litany after Mass 05/15 8th Grade Graduation 05/16 Home Economics 8am-3pm in **Community Center** 05/17 Last Day of School 05/18 Private Event in Cafeteria 05/19 Baptism after 10am Mass 05/20 Church Cleaning this week for Team 7 (Leader – Diane Lierman) 05/22 Rosary & Litany after Mass 05/22 Finance Council Meeting 7pm 05/29 Rosary & Litany after Mass 05/30 Home Economics 8am-3pm in **Community Center** Visit our website for more upcoming events! www.saintig.com

Employment Opportunities

Part Time Teacher

St. Ignatius School is looking for a dynamic, caring part-time teacher. The position requires teaching 5/6 Language Arts, Reading, Geography and Religion for half-days. The ideal candidate is a practicing Catholic and holds a teaching certificate. This is a great opportunity for a semi-retired teacher or graduate student. Please send resume, with cover letter, to Arlesa Leopold, 19129 Mill Road, Marthasville, MO 63357

Part Time Cook

St. Ignatius School is looking for a part time cook. Hours: 8am-1pm 3-5 days a week. The position is assisting the head cook with preparing & serving food, daily clean up of kitchen & cafeteria. Applicants must complete the Safe Environment Program offered through the Archdiocese.

Parish Office Manager

St. Ignatius Parish is looking for a part time Parish Office Manager. We are looking for someone that is able to multi-task, have excellent organization skills and knowledge of QuickBooks and Excel. The office manager duties and responsibilities would be answering calls, emails, filing, preparing weekly parish bulletins, schedule events, order supplies, record sacraments at the parish, prepare contracts for faculty, send out tuition statements, update website, Facebook posts, and maintain confidentiality in all matters . The office manager will be working with an accountant with budget and accounts receivable and account payable. Applicants must complete the Safe Environment Program offered through the Archdiocese. Please send resume to Fr. Steve Robeson at 19127 Mill Rd., Marthasville, MO 63357

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 11 5:00 p.m. † Merlin Kopmann Eucharistic Ministers: Paul Hecktor Jackie Heggemann | Diane Lierman Patty Mebruer | Lori Huenefeld Lector: Stacy Kloeppel Ushers: Patti Mebruer & Maurice Glosemeyer Servers: Ryan & Luke Kloeppel Sunday, May 12 8:00 a.m. + Francis Liermann Eucharistic Ministers: Debbie & Rick Hawkins Norbert & Joan Engemann | Elaine Glosemeyer Lector: Norbert Engemann Ushers: Hubie & Alice Kluesner Servers: Shelby Briner & Wyatt Meyer 10:00 a.m. + St. Ignatius Faculty & Students Eucharistic Ministers: Angie Carr Becky Schoppenhorst | Katie Engemann Neal Kluba | Audrey Hellebusch Lector: Allison Hoglan Ushers: Shawn Polston & Rodney Marguart Servers: Sam & Jenna Chambers Monday, May 13 8:00 a.m. † Hebert Heggemann Tuesday, May 14 8:00 a.m. + Special Intentions Wednesday, May 15 8:00 a.m. + Jolene Molitor Thursday, May 16 6:00 a.m. + Lawrence & Amella Glosemeyer Friday, May 17 8:00 a.m. + St. Ignatius Faculty & Students Saturday, May 18 5:00 p.m. † Theodore & Rosaly Meyer Eucharistic Ministers: Francis Hellebusch Betty & Rich Bruckerhoff | Geralyn Smith | Patty Mebruer Lector: Geralyn Smith Ushers: Betty & Rich Bruckerhoff Servers: Macey & Estiven Levin Sunday, May 19 8:00 a.m. + Ardell Ruether Eucharistic Ministers: Paul Hecktor Larry Sander | Elaine Glosemeyer | Sue Hecktor | **Bill Schuler** Lector: Larry Sander Ushers: Danny Mayer & Volunteer Servers: Ryan Kloeppel & Annalese Mayer 10:00 a.m. + For the People of St. Ignatius Parish Eucharistic Ministers: Debbie Brewe Syd & Ellen Fees | Carl Brewe | Neal Kluba Lector: Ellen Fees Ushers: Kelly & Roger Liermann Servers: Shane Liermann & Jacob Gildehaus

Pastor's letter to the People of St. Ignatius

Many of you have expressed sadness to me that we are saying goodbye to our office manager, Anne Lober by the end of this month. You may stop by anytime Monday through Thursday before her usual departure time of 2:30 p.m., and give her your good wishes. I am happy to report that it looks like we will not be left without an office manager after her last day. Based on the resumes and applications that are already coming in, it looks like we will have several good applicants for the position, and hopefully have a new office manager in place the Monday after Anne's last day, or June 4th. Our generous Anne has offered to reach out to the new manager to help him or her get sufficiently up to speed with the new job, even as Anne is starting her new work at Saint Francis Borgia High School. She will also be a big help in the screening of the applicants, as she is the most familiar with the requirements of the job. Be sure you thank her for that. I am certain that the Holy Spirit sent her to us at a time that the parish needed her two years ago, and so I'm equally certain that the Spirit wanted her to move to an even more challenging job at the high school, and bows how much they need her over there. Trust that the same Holy Spirit has the right person lined up for Saint Ignatius to succeed Anne, even before I do the first interviews. Remember to pray for her as she moves on, and for the new manager that is soon to be here. While you're extending congratulations and prayers, please offer them as well to our wonderful First Communicants! The Spirit is moving them on as well to a deeper appreciation of the Lord's Body and Blood. Blessings,

Fr Steve

Please Pray for the Sick Ailing Recovering

Betty Hellebusch

Evelyn Tucker

Shelbee Mauldin

Jim Grafrath

Andrew Hellebusch

Carol Jacquin

Brad Segar

Ralph Glosemeyer

Fred Borges

Richard Preiss

Pete Reitz

Frank Dowling

Doug Grafrath Irene Buenemann Duck Brinker Karen Brinkmann Pillman Family Kim Smith Tabitha Kersey Judy Brouk Mary Ann Heggeman Tom Meyer Cindy Faust Kenneth Engemann Carl Jacquin

5/1/75 Father Bruckerhoff 5/1/01 Terry Glosemeyer 5/1/07 Eleanor Kersten 5/11/77 John Liermann 5/13/13 Herbert Heggemann 5/15/84 Raymond Hellebusch 5/17/95 Leo Westhoff 5/18/91 Adelaide Hogard 5/19/76 Frank Liermann Judi Liermann Ethel Thomas Fr. Finbarr Dowling Dawn Borgmann Natalie Ulett Audrey Wagener Kay Wagner

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Anniversaries of Our Dearly Departed

5/19/90 Andrew Hellebusch 5/20/02 Anna Kopmann 5/23/83 Joesph Lefarth 5/23/05 Philip Weber 5/25/08 Molly Schuler 5/27/83 Ben Groteweil 5/27/06 William Engemann 5/30/98 Michael Glosemeyer

Calendar Monday **MAY 13** Easter Weekday Acts 11:1-18 Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday **MAY 14** St. Matthias, Apostle Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 Jn 15:9-17

Wednesday **MAY 15** Easter Weekday Acts 12:24-13:5a Jn 12:44-50

Thursday **MAY 16** Easter Weekday Acts 13:13-25 Jn 13:16-20

Friday **MAY 17** Easter Weekday Acts 13:26-33 Jn 14:1-6

Saturday **MAY 18** Easter Weekday Acts 13:44-52 Jn 14:7-14

Sunday **MAY 19** Fifth Sunday of Easter Acts 14:21-27 Rev 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Dear Padre,

My young son asks, "If Jesus was Jewish, then why are we called Catholics?"

esus was a first-century Jew, as were his first disciples. They continued their Jewish practices after Jesus' resurrection, but they believed and proclaimed that he was the long-awaited Messiah, the fulfillment of Judaism. Such claims inevitably led to clashes with Jewish authorities, as when Stephen, the first martyr, was charged with blasphemy and stoned to death in Jerusalem in AD 36 (Acts 6-7). Nevertheless, Jesus' followers initially saw themselves as

reformers of Judaismnot founders of a new religion.

The Acts of the Apostles traces the first thirty years of this community of believers, from Jesus' ascension in Jerusalem to Paul's imprisonment in Rome.



It details the beginnings of their separation from Judaism, as when the Jewish disciples wanted to impose certain practices of Mosaic Law on the Gentile disciples-circumcision, for example (Acts 15:11). Acts and the epistles also chronicle their expansion outside of Jerusalem to the Mediterranean regionwhere, for example, in Antioch, the disciples of Jesus were called Christians for the first time (Acts 11:26). The first written reference to "Catholic Church" is from St. Ignatius of Antioch around the year 107. Catholic means universal.

"The Church is catholic: she proclaims the fullness of the faith. She bears in herself and administers the totality of the means of salvation. She is sent out to all peoples. She speaks to all men. She encompasses all times. She is missionary of her very nature" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 868).

> Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

A Word from Pope Francis



The Gentiles, observing the early Christians, said: How they love each other, how they wish one another well! They do not hate, they do not speak against one another. This is the charity, the love of God, that the Holy Spirit puts in our hearts....

Our smallest gesture of love benefits everyone!

-General audience, November 6, 2013



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