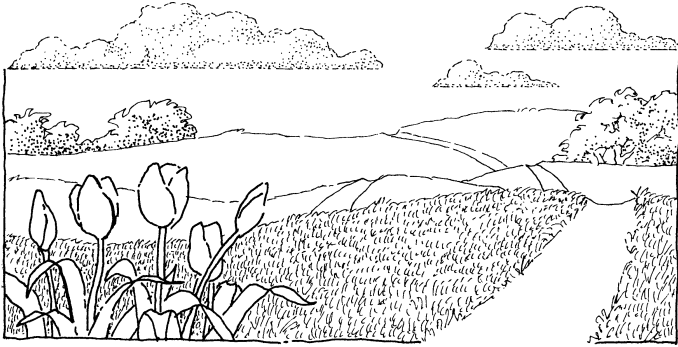


Third Sunday of Easter

May 8, 2011

*You have made known to me the paths of life;
you will fill me with joy in your
presence.*
— Acts 2:28



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GOD'S PLAN

Saint Peter speaks to us twice today. In the first reading, we hear an excerpt from his sermon on Pentecost; in the second, part of his first letter. Once a frightened, uneducated fisherman who often said just the wrong thing, now Peter is speaking what he knows to be true. Everything Jesus had said now makes sense. His death and rising were all part of God's plan, and our faith and hope can be centered on God.

Today's Gospel tells the story of Jesus' walk to Emmaus with two of the disciples. Frightened, sad, and confused, the two of them don't recognize Jesus, who tells them what we heard Peter say above: All this had to happen as part of God's plan. In the end, these disciples recognize Jesus as we are to recognize him—in the breaking of the bread.

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TODAY'S READING

First Reading — God has raised the crucified Jesus, who now pours forth the Holy Spirit upon us
(Acts 2:14, 22-33).

Psalm — Lord, you will show us the path of life
(Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Our faith and hope are in God who raised Jesus from the dead (1 Peter 1:17-21).

Gospel — Through his words and in the breaking of the bread, the risen Christ made himself known to two disciples on their way to Emmaus (Luke 24:13-35).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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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 1:15-17, 20-26; Jn 15:9-17 |
| Sunday: | Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 23; 1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10 |

MOTHERHOOD

All mothers are working mothers.
—Anonymous

**Rosary Dedication May: For our parents, living and deceased, in
thanksgiving for their gifts of life to us.**

This Week at Our Lady of Sorrows

Sunday, May 8th

Rosary, 7:35 am
 Mass - 8 am
 K of C Mother's Day Breakfast
 Mass - 10:30 am
 K of C Mother's Day reception after
 10:30 Mass, cafeteria
 Spanish Mass- 5 pm,

Mon, May 9th

Communion service - 8:00 am

Tuesday, May 10th

Mass- 8:00 am
 Zumba Classes 6 – 7 pm class over GYM
 School Board Meeting 7 pm Teachers
 Lounge
 K of C Meeting 7pm KH

Wed. May 11th Rectory Closed

Legion of Mary, 4:30 pm LH
 Mass- 6:30 pm
 RCIA 7 pm KH

Thurs. May 12th

Mass - 8 :00 am
 Bible Study Class 9:30 – 11:30
 Baptism Class 7:30 pm KH

Friday, May 13th

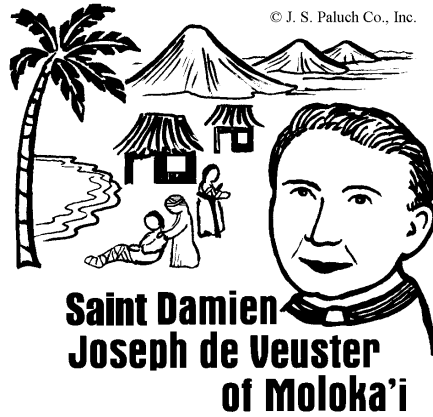
Communion Service - 8:00 am
 School Field Day

Saturday, May 14th

Confessions, 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm
 Mass 4:00 pm
 Car Wash grades 5-8

Sunday, May 15th

K of C Rosary, 7:35 am
 Mass - 8 am
 Mass - 10:30 am
 Legion of Mary Dinner 12-6pm, cafeteria
 Spanish Mass- 5 pm,
 Bible Study Class, 6:30 - 8:30 pm



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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| Sunday: | Third Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day |
| Tuesday: | St. Damien Joseph de Veuster of Moloka'i |
| Thursday: | Ss. Nereus and Achilleus; St. Pancras |
| Friday: | Our Lady of Fatima |
| Saturday: | St. Matthias; Armed Forces Day |

It's Our 2011 MAY Mania! – Come out Saturday, **May 21st** and spend time with us. You can enjoy a Bar-B-Q dinner or Spanish style Bar-B-Q taco beginning at 5:30, a live auction starting at 6:30, bid on silent auction items and maybe win a door prize. You may place an order for a Bar-B-Q butt and/or purchase your advance dinner tickets after mass. Please come out and support us, we need your help. Together we can make this year's May Mania a success.

Catholic Diocese of Memphis encourages all victims or parents of minors who are victims of sexual abuse by a priest, deacon or diocesan employee or agent to report such abuse by phoning any of the following numbers: Tennessee Child Abuse Hot Line at 1-877-237-0004, Shari Lee, Victim Assistance Coordinator for Diocese of Memphis, 652-4066 or Jim Latta, Office of Child and Youth Protection and Professional Responsibility, 359-2027.

***Ministers & Altar Server
Schedule for May 7 & 8***

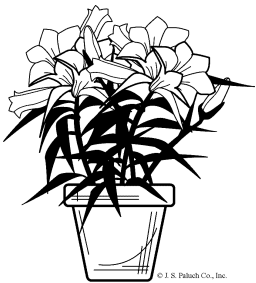
| | <u>4:00 PM</u> | <u>8:00 AM</u> | <u>10:30 AM</u> | <u>5:00 PM</u> |
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| Communion | Deacon Don G. Hooten | S. O'Brien B. Hall | Deacon Henry B. Bustos | E. Roque R. Roque |
| Reader: | E. Monroe | D. Gohman | B. Allard | J. Estrada/J. Benitez |
| Altar Servers: | L. Carter W. Durbin | K. Owen H. Williams | J. Sterling A. Lopez | J. Rivera B. Barrera |

***Ministers & Altar Server
Schedule for 14 & 15***

| | <u>4:00 PM</u> | <u>8:00 AM</u> | <u>10:30 AM</u> | <u>5:00 PM</u> |
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| Communion | Deacon Don G. Pannell | S. O'Brien M. Hensley | Deacon Henry J. DeStefano | E. Roque N. Vinturella |
| Reader: | R. Pannell | J. Hall | A. Humphrey | D. Marquez R. Roque |
| Altar Servers: | M. Najera A. Bower | C. Bailey D. Bailey | K. Hissong S. Gilbreath | S. Roque A. Roque |

Please remember the following people in your prayers: Therese Acklen, Fr. Jack Atkinson, Theresa Baker, Ann Balcom, June Bennis, Rebecca Bethune, Ed Bisner, Deanna Bolgeo, Rena Bolgeo, Johnny Boletta, Thomas Brown, Carole Brunner, Trudi Collier, Monsignor Bill Davis, Abraham Delgado, Danny Dunn, Elena Everroad, Rena Frazier, Theresa Greco, Eileen Haklitch, Shelby Henricks, Ruth Hill, Raymond Hosse, John & Lisa Hutchison, Mike & Donna Jackson, Margaret Jones, Brad Kitts, Butsy Lanigan, Fr. Joe Lattus, Angelo Lobianco, Ericka Lopez, Robert Lutts, Jerry Lynn, Sadie Claire Lynn, Louise Macdonald, Joseph Mangold, Jessica Mann, Ron Marshak, Alex Mosby, Bill Nutt, Jackie Perfetti, Waldyr Poilis, Nancy Pope, Dr. Cheryl Pearson, Bea Remmert, Mary Dorothy Scola, Mona Stringfellow, Fr. Bryan Timby, Mary Timby, Marie Torres, Vera Trudell, Henry VanNess, Maria Isabelle Vega, Victor Weirich, Helene Weiss, Lewis Wilkinson, Angie Wright .

Flowers on altar for All Mothers Living and Deceased by the Altar Guild



Stewardship of the Altar – Flowers can be put on the Altar in memory of a loved one; a deceased couple or the departed of an entire family or in honor of someone's special anniversary, birthdays or other happy occasions or just to honor someone you think is special. Please contact Frances Bursi at 357-5874 or 634-1168.

Mass Intentions 2011: we still have openings for mass intentions; please call the office if you need a mass intention.

EFFECTS

The effect of our sharing in the body and blood of Christ is to change us into what we receive.

—Pope Saint Leo the Great

Car Wash: OLS students are offering a car wash on Saturday, May 14. Watch the bulletin in coming weeks about some interesting news about this car wash.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. May 7th 4:00 pm

People of Parish

Sunday, May 8th 8:00 am

All Mothers Living & Deceased

Sunday, May 8th 10:30 am

All Mothers Living & Deceased

Sunday, May 8th 5:00 pm

All Mothers Living & Deceased

Monday May 9th 8:00 am

Alice Fricks+

Tuesday, May 10th 8:00 am

Mary Duncan+

Wednesday, May 11th 6:30 pm

Rose Sterenchek+

Thurs. May 12th 8:00 am

Peter Cianciola+

Friday May 13th 8:00 am

Communion Service

Sat. May 14th 4:00 pm

People of Parish

Sunday, May 15th 8:00 am

Deceased Members of STVDP

Sunday, May 15th 10:30 am

Alice Fricks+

Sunday, May 15th 5:00 pm

Int. of Gustavo Ruiz

PARISHONERS IN NURSING HOME:

Jackie Perfetti

**St. Francis Nursing Home
5959 Park Ave, room 328
Memphis, TN 38119**

Helene Weiss

**St. Francis Nursing Home
5959 Park Ave, room 328
Memphis, TN 38119**

Ginger Shemwell

**King's Daughters & Sons
3568 Appling Rd, room 144
Bartlett, TN 38133**

Dolores Bair

**Ava Maria Home
St. Lukes
2805 Charles Bryan Road, 38134**

Henry Van Ness

**Spring Gate Healthcare
3909 Covington Pike #302
Bartlett, TN 38135**

Vera Trudell

**Grace Healthcare
Room 306 A
955 N. Germantown Pkwy
Cordova, TN 38018**

Parish Deaths: The Lord has called two members of our extended family home to eternal life. Mrs. Jerri Blakley husband Don and daughter Vicki Grannan, she was a long-time member of OLS Her funeral was last Friday. Also, Mrs. Amanda Hollis a long-time member of OLS and the mother of Bill Hall. Her funeral was last week. Please pray for them than and their families. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon the, May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Death: Salvadore Ortiz, father of Maria Najera passed away. Maria is a member of OLS. His funeral was Wednesday. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon the, May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Financial Report
Weekend of 05/01/2011

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| Envelopes | \$3,169.00 |
| Loose Checks & cash | 344.90 |
| Easter | 24.00 |
| Improvements | 1,322.00 |
| Cath Home Missions | 135.00 |
| Total Collection | 4,994.90 |
| Church Budget for the week | <u>- 4,458.38</u> |
| Collection Diff for the week | \$ 536.52 |
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| Collections Revenues Y-T-D | \$ 181,327.53 |
| Church Budget Y-T-D | <u>196,168.31</u> |
| Collections Deficit Y-T-D | \$ (14,840.78) |



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FEAST OF FAITH

The Creed

Following the readings and the homily, we stand together and say or sing the Creed, our profession of faith. The Creed is a solemn statement of belief, a “rule of faith” (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, 67). It states the core of what we believe about God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. The language of the Creed is knotty and difficult at times, precisely because its purpose is to express with precision what we believe about God. The Creed that we pray most often, the Nicene Creed, came out of the earliest ecumenical councils: Nicea in 325 and Constantinople in 381. It originated in a time of great controversy about the divinity of Christ, and thus the longest section of the Creed relates to Christ, truly human and truly God.

The Creed is both communal and personal: it is “we,” but it is also “I.” In the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, it is only after listening to the teaching of the Church and professing faith in the Holy Trinity that the candidate is admitted to the sacraments. So it is every Sunday. We listen to the word, we profess our faith, and then we come to the altar.

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Pilgrimage to Italy: Fr. Bryan Timby invites you to join him on his vacation this year as he makes a pilgrimage to some of the Eucharistic shrines in Italy. Visit Venice, Padua, Florence, Pisa, Ovieto, Assisi, Cascia and Rome, November 4-15. Cost: \$4,028 (cash discount price of \$3,799) plus airport taxes, fuel surcharges and gratuities. Includes: round-trip airfare from Memphis, first class lodging and all meals except lunches. Call (901) 353-1530 for a brochure. Space is limited to 35 people.

Meat Ravioli – The Altar Guild has meat ravioli for sale if interested, please call Patty Bridges at 353-0316 or 283-2500.

Knights of Columbus will host a Mother’s day reception after 10:30 Mass in cafeteria on Sunday, May 8th. All Mothers eat free.



OLS Centennial Cookbook: 2012 will soon be here and we will begin our year-long celebration of the 100th anniversary of Catholic ministry in the Frayser community. One of projects for our centennial year is to publish a commemorative cookbook with the favorite recipes of OLS parishioners, present and past. We will include a new section that will highlight recipes from our Latino members. Our goal is to have the cookbook with at least 500 recipes published for the opening of school in 2012. This will allow us plenty of time to reach out to former parishioners through the West Tennessee Catholic and to gather interesting information about the history of Catholicism between the Wolf and Loosahatchie rivers, including photos of the parish life at OLS. All recipes should be typed or hand-printed clearly on 8½X11 white paper. PLEASE be sure to include all the ingredients and step-by-step instructions for each recipe submitted. Recipes can be placed in the Sunday collection basket or mailed to: OLS Cookbook, 3700 Thomas Street, Memphis, TN 38127.

EYES WIDE OPEN

Only Saint Luke tells the story of two disciples walking to Emmaus, and it is full of puzzling gaps. While all the other disciples and Jesus' mother were in Jerusalem trying to understand the amazing fact of the Resurrection, why were these two hurrying out of town? Only one is named—Cleopas. Who was the other? A friend, a brother, a cousin or, perhaps, Cleopas' wife? The two were going over the terrible events

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in Jerusalem during the previous days when they were joined by a stranger who asked what they were talking about. He listened intently to their story, and then explained what had happened to Jesus in the larger context of the Jewish scriptures. But these two were too blinded by grief to realize who the stranger was. When they reached the village it was late, so they persuaded him to come into the house, which we may guess was either this couple's home or a relative's. The culmination of the story occurs when they sit down for a meal and Jesus breaks bread and gives thanks, at which moment "their eyes were opened" and they knew their guest was the Lord (Luke 24:31). It was not just that they opened their eyes, but they were awakened to a whole new reality. Perhaps that is just the point. God's grace falls on us in the midst of dinner or as we hurry down the road, trying to get

away. God's grace falls on us smack dab in the everyday, ordinary moments, in the plain and simple struggles to understand, through conversations in the checkout line, at the bedside of a sick relative, during phone calls and driving the car to pick up or deposit the kids. The Emmaus story says that God is alive, right now, in every moment. Wake up and see!

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Parish D.R.E. Needed: After many years of stellar service as the OLS Director of Religious Education, Brenda Plessinger is giving up that position so she can concentrate on being a grandmother. Please pray that a loving, kind and responsible person will surface to take over that role beginning next year. Perhaps God is calling you to take a leadership position in our parish. Listen. God talks to us in our hearts. Please see Fr. Timby personally.

P.R.E. Teachers Needed: Do you love your faith? Do you like to share your faith? Do you enjoy seeing children's faces light up when they learn about how God loves them and the many ways He shows that love to us? Please consider being a teacher in our Parish Religious Education program next year. It is a 1-hour commitment for 30 Sunday mornings and there is some adult education and training involved. Please call the parish office or see Fr. Timby personally.

School Registration: Registration for the 2011-2012 school year at OLS. All tuition and fee payments must be current in order to register. Please make certain your records are current. All Catholic students will have to provide a letter from their pastors confirming their membership and active participation. New students will need: 1) a copy of their baptismal record; 2) a copy of their birth certificate; 3) an up-to-date immunization record. Priority will be given to siblings of currently enrolled students and children of parents who are actively involved as members of OLS Parish when accepting new students for enrollment



Bishop's Annual Appeal – Our Lady of Sorrows has a goal of **\$26,000** for this year's Bishop's Annual Appeal. Our parish receives many benefits from this annual fund drive, e.g., the Tribunal, liturgic, all training seminars, youth gatherings, days of reflection, catechist certification, retreats and continuing education opportunities for our priests and deacons, and much support from the Catholic Schools Office. When you receive Bishop's Steib's letter asking for your help, please respond generously in thanksgiving for what we have received.

Weight Watchers is coming to OLS! This is a 12 week course to be held here at OLS. The cost is \$120 and must be paid at the first meeting. Classes will be on Thursdays at 5:30 pm starting May 12. We must have at least 18 registered for Weight Watchers to offer the classes. Registration forms will be in the vestibule of the church and can be returned in an envelope to the church or to Mona Hector. For any questions call Mona @ 358-2667. Come and bring a buddy. Now is the time to fulfill that resolution in a familiar place!

Home-schooling Conference: The St. Benedict Home-school Group is coordinating its 2nd Annual Kentucky Catholic Home-schooling Conference, June 3-4, at St. Christopher Catholic Church, Radcliff, Kentucky. The theme is *Building the Domestic Church*. Anyone may attend: veteran or new Catholic home-schooling parents, those discerning home-schooling, supporters of Catholic home education, and even Catholic parents hoping to supplement their children's faith education received in traditional schools. In addition to speakers encouraging Catholic homeschooling parents, a teens' program will be offered with presentations on modesty, chivalry, and purity, as well as a College and Vocations Social Hour with college and religious order and vocation representatives. For conference ticket information and a registration form, visit www.kycatholichomeschooling.org or call SBHA at 270-307-6777 or 270-307-6326.

OLS School is challenging the church to a coin race for one for books. Drop your change in the container marked one for books. Who can raise more money? The school or the church? This is a great way to help Our Lady of Sorrows School to get new books and Scholastic matches the monetary donations Our Lady of Sorrows School generates, with a donation of up to one million books to three national non-profit organizations dedicated to helping kids and families in need: [Kids in Distressed Situations, Inc.](#), the [Kids In Need Foundation](#), and the [Marine Toys for Tots Foundation](#). This challenge will run from April 29^h until May 9.

A Parishioner Honored: Ms. Gerry Taulman was unanimously chosen by the Student Government Association of Christian Brothers High School as the outstanding teacher for her dedication to assisting the students at CBHS in their extracurricular activities. Congratulations, Ms. Taulman!



Baptisms: Congratulations to Juan Diego Gallaban, who was baptized at OLS last Sunday. Juan Diego is the son of Saturino Gobellan and Maria Delao.

Nuptials Exchanged: Congratulations to Ruben Torres and María Lopez, who were married last Saturday at Our Lady Of Sorrows. Both Ruben and Maria have been members of OLS for some time and will remain in the area as they raise their son and future children.



2011CBHS Summer Basketball Camp: Now is the time to enroll your son or daughter in one or multiple CBHS Basketball Camp sessions for summer 2011. Applications are currently being accepted. All camp sessions are held in our fully air-conditioned gyms on the campus on Christian Brothers High School and are ably staffed by qualified coaches and athletes. For all other information or if you have any questions, please contact Head basketball coach, Bubba Luckett at (901) 756 – 1122 or basketball operations coordinator Tony Maranise at (901) 634 – 4280. To download and print your application, please visit: www.cbhs.org/Home/Athletics/SummerCamps.aspx

2011 CBHS Summer Soccer Camp: Summer Soccer Camp for boys and girls for all skill levels at Christian Brothers High School. Ages 5-17. Camp dates: May 30 - June 3, June 6 – 10, June 13 – 17, June 20 - 24, June 27 - July 1, July 4 – 8 ; from 9 am – 12 noon each week. For more information call: Rogerio Lima (901) 261-4966 Email: rlima@cbhs.org or visit <http://www.cbhs.org/rlima>

2011 CBHS Summer Camps: Christian Brothers High School is now accepting registration for its 2011 Summer Camps. This year's camps, which begin May 30 and run throughout the summer, include the following: All-Sports, Band, Baseball, Football, Lacrosse, Speed and Strength (boys and girls), Fitness (boys and girls) and Wrestling. Registration forms may be downloaded from the CBHS website, www.cbhs.org, (Click on Athletics) or available on campus, 5900 Walnut Grove Road in Memphis. For more information, call 261-4900.

BBHS: Bishop Byrne Middle and High School, 1475 E. Shelby Drive, Memphis, TN is accepting applications for the 2011-2012 academic year for grades 7 - 12. Please contact the Admissions Office at 346-3060 for more information.