

MAY 17, 2026

# Saint Joseph Catholic Parish & School

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*Welcome*

**SAINT JOSEPH**  
CATHOLIC PARISH & SCHOOL

**Pastor: Fr. Simon Kalonga**  
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## Saint Joseph Catholic School

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## Mass Times:

Daily Mass: 7:00am  
and 12:10pm

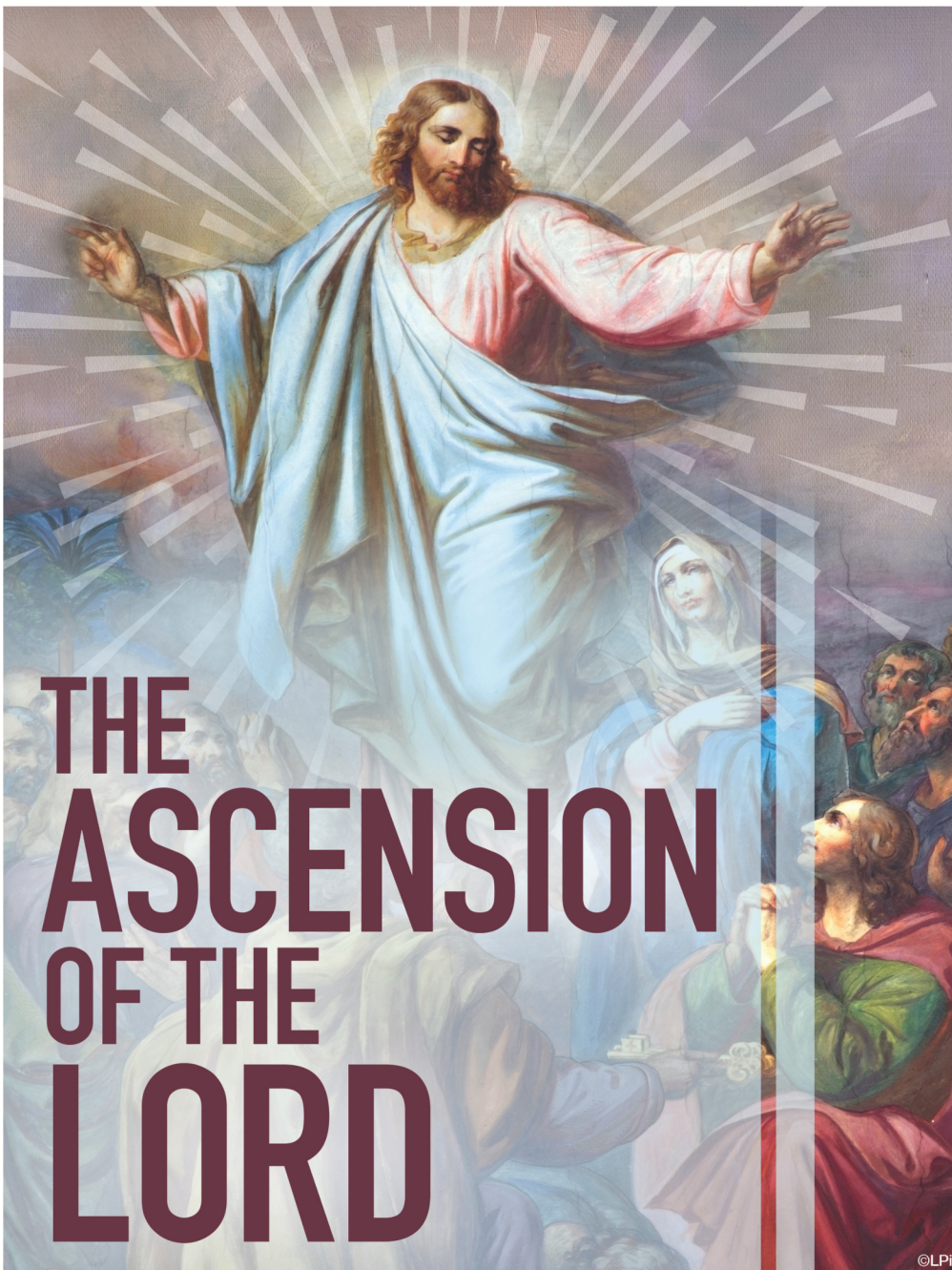
Weekend Mass:  
Sat. 4:00pm Vigil  
Sunday 7:30, 9:30,  
11:30am & 5:00pm

## Confession:

Mon-Fri 7:30 &  
11:00am  
Saturday 8:30am

## Adoration:

Thur 1:00pm-7:00pm



# THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD



*Discover the Difference*  
ENROLLING PRESCHOOL - 8TH GRADE



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# PARISH

## CELEBRATING OUR HEART & SOUL: VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

Every year, we take a night to pause, gather, and say a massive "Thank You" to the incredible people who make everything we do possible. Our annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner is one of our favorite traditions—a time for good food, great company, and celebrating the hard work and heart our volunteers pour into this community.

Whether you've been serving for decades or just started last month, this night is for you! We know you don't do it for the recognition, but we love having the chance to spoil you just a little bit.

Want a seat at the table next year?

There's always room for one more! If you've been looking for a way to get involved, meet new friends, and make a difference, we'd love to have you volunteer for one of our many church ministries. Not only will you be helping our mission grow, but you'll also get an invite to next year's big celebration.

Want to see where you fit? Check out [stjosephfc.org/community](http://stjosephfc.org/community)



# NOTEWORTHY

## INCENSE MASS

May 23<sup>rd</sup> 4:00pm (Pentecost Vigil)

**May 24<sup>th</sup> Pentecost Sunday:** 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am (none 5:00pm)

**May 31<sup>st</sup> Trinity Sunday:** 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 5:00pm, (none 4:00pm Vigil)

## TOTUS TUUS

Please join us for another great year of Totus Tuus! This fun and energetic summer program helps children and youth grow in their faith through engaging lessons, activities, and witness.

Elementary Program (Rising Grades 1–6):  
Monday, July 6 – Friday, July 10  
9:00 AM – 2:30 PM

Youth Program (Rising 7th–12th Grade):  
Sunday, July 5 – Thursday, July 9  
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Cost: \$50 per child

[REGISTER HERE >](#)



If you have any questions or concerns, please email Destinie Sullivan at [dsullivan@stjoesphfc.org](mailto:dsullivan@stjoesphfc.org)



## Honoring Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila's

### 50 Years of Priesthood

Friday, June 5, 2026 | 4 PM | John Paul II Center  
1300 South Steele Street, Denver

Archbishop Aquila will celebrate a special outdoor Mass in thanksgiving for this milestone anniversary. The liturgy will be followed by fellowship, food, and refreshments as we gather in gratitude and celebration.

**All are welcome to join this joyful occasion.**

- Admission is free
- Limited parking available; carpooling or rideshare services are strongly encouraged
- Guests are to bring their own chairs and umbrellas for comfort
- Gifts are not expected; greeting cards are welcome

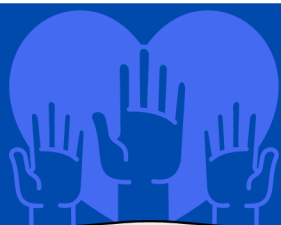


For questions or more information: **303-715-3129**

## Sack Lunch Ministry Volunteers Needed

Every 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month you are invited to help pack PBJ sack lunches for the homeless.

Donations Needed:  
bottled water, Jelly,  
brown paper sack lunch bags, gloves-non latex



**JOIN US**

**SATURDAY,  
MAY 8 & 22  
9:00AM IN  
MEREDITH  
HALL**

# SUMMER OF SERVICE

● AN OPPORTUNITY FOR 5TH-9TH GRADE STUDENTS ●

COMMUNITY BUILDING +  
COMMUNITY SERVICE + YOU!

Six Wednesdays

1:00-5:00pm

Grades 5th-9th

\$75 per teen

T-shirt included



**Registration is due by May 31st**

**[bit.ly/SOSReg2026](https://bit.ly/SOSReg2026)**

*St. Joseph Parish*  
**YOUTH MINISTRY**





At first glance, the Ascension can feel like a moment of loss. However, Jesus Himself explains this shift at the Last Supper: “It is better for you that I go, because if I do not go, the Advocate will not come to you” (John 16:7). Christ Ascends so that the Holy Spirit may descend, empowering the Church to continue His mission to the ends of the Earth.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 17**

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-7/Jn 16:29-33  
 Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-21/Jn 17:1-11a  
 Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/ Ps 68:29-36/Jn 17:11b-19  
 Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-11/Jn 17:20-26  
 Friday: Acts 25:13-21/Ps 103:1-20/Jn 21:15-19  
 Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4-7/Jn 21:20-25  
 Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8, 16-20 or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-30/Rom 8:22-27/ Jn 7:37-39 Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-20/Ez 37:1-14/ Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39  
 Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1-34/1Cor 12:3-13/Jn 20:19-23

**PRAYER INTENTIONS**

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

- Dennis Sayotovich
- Baby Catalina
- Anne Lucke
- Adriana Alvarez
- Bob Greenwood

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

- James O’Neil
- Sharon Zappe
- Jimmie Smith
- Cora Mae Reynolds
- Dennis Doherty

**Our Lady of the Lakes**  
 JOIN US FOR MASS SATURDAY EVENINGS AT 5:00 P.M.  
**OUR LADY OF THE LAKES CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 MAY 23 – SEPTEMBER 5



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SATURDAY, MAY 16**

8:00PM~ Marge Robledo  
 4:00PM ~ † Chester & † Verna Colyer

**SUNDAY, MAY 17, ASCENSION THE LORD**

7:30AM ~ † Michael & † Beverly Halbach  
 9:30AM ~ † Nicholas Greenwood  
 11:30AM ~ † James Austin Zimmerman  
 5:00PM ~ Parishioners of Saint Joseph

**MONDAY, MAY 18**

7:00AM ~ † Daniel Market  
 12:10PM~ Caroline Dutton

**TUESDAY, MAY 19**

7:00AM ~ Gina & Jeff Brandt  
 12:10PM~ Pdraig Aidan Gallagher

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 20**

7:00AM ~ CELEBRANT’S INTENTIONS  
 12:10PM~ CELEBRANT’S INTENTIONS

**THURSDAY, MAY 21**

7:00AM ~ David Brandt  
 12:10PM~ † Patricia Kley

**FRIDAY, MAY 22**

7:00AM ~ Safe Delivery & Healing Baby Brandt  
 12:10PM~ † The Deceased Members of Walker & Baretta Families

**SATURDAY, MAY 23**

8:00PM~ † María Clara Peña  
 4:00PM ~ Parishioners of Saint Joseph  
 5:00PM (OLL) ~ † James O’Neil

**SUNDAY, MAY 24, PENTECOST**

7:30AM ~ Debra Gillan  
 9:30AM ~ † Eileen Larson  
 11:30AM ~ †Richard, †Patricia & †John Dellenbach  
 5:00PM ~ Michael and Carmella Leumas

**ADORATION INTENTION**

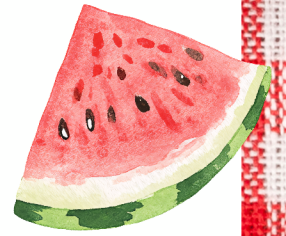
**ADORATION THURSDAY, MAY 21**



Today we pray for our eighth grade graduates. Father in heaven, as our students transition into high school and encounter many new challenges, please be with them, watch over them, and strengthen them in their faith.

# PARISH PICNIC VOLUNTEERS

We need you!



**FOODS - GAMES - FUN**

This special day wouldn't be possible without our amazing volunteers. Jump in and sign up using the QR code!

Tentative Date

**SUNDAY**  
**23**  
**AUGUST**

**SIGN UP HERE**

