MAY 24 - SATURDAY

Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:28-21 Vigil Readings: See Sunday

4:00 PM – English - Fr. Jim – Intention of

Fr. Thomas Nolker

5:00 – 5:45 PM: Confessions 6:00 PM – *Spanish* - Fr. Rudy

MAY 25 - SUNDAY

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29

9:00 AM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

11:00 AM - English - Fr. Samuel - Fr. Joe Robinson

12:30 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

MAY 26 – MONDAY

Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26 - 16:4a

MAY 27 - TUESDAY

Acts 16:22-34; Jn 1 6:5-11

MAY 28 - WEDNESDAY

Acts 17:15, 22 – 18:1; Jn 16:12-15

MAY 29 – THURSDAY

Acts 18:1-8; Jn 16:16-20

MAY 30 - FRIDAY

Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23

MAY 31 - SATURDAY

Zep 3:14-18a; Lk 1:39-56

4:00 PM - English - Fr. Jim - Pamela Hildebrand

5:00 – 5:45 PM: Confessions 6:00 PM – *Spanish* - Fr. Rudy

JUNE 1 - ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23; Lk 24:46-53

Sunday Readings:

9:00 AM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

11:00 AM - English - Fr. Samuel - Norman Shope

12:30 PM – *Spanish* – Fr. Rudy

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English Mass Ministry Schedule: May 31-June 1

Lectors: 4:00 PM – R. Ogden

11:00 AM – R. Schinaman

Eucharistic Ministers:

4:00 PM – T. LeSaint/H. Wesseler **11:00 AM** – J. Ruter/S. Terschak

Servers: 4:00 PM - S. Heidemann/M. Sonenschein

11:00 AM – H. Loyd

Offertory Family: 4:00 PM: Fox

11:00 AM: N/A

FROM THE FINANCE COMMISSION

Last Week's Collection: \$5,210
Offerings received to-date: \$378,834
Amount needed to catch up: \$21,166
Our Weekly Goal is \$8,000

Thank you for your generosity.

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CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Rose Wolterman (24), Reba Hennessey (24), Joseph Ruter (24), Tony Chesher (26), Jacob Staubach (26), Janice Mulvaney (27), Carolina Munoz-Padilla (27), Ralph Dickman (28), Diana Hahn (28), Carolina Molales -Munoz (28), Steve Anello (29), Ian Dunham (29), Cathy Farley (30), Zach Nintrup (30).

FOUR GRAND CLUB: Congratulations to our week 39 winners: Joe and Regina Trent, Don & Shirley Kathmann, and Danna Gorman Strasel. Each won \$25.

FR. RUDY'S REFLECTION:

"Father, I am seeking; I am hesitant and uncertain, but will you, O God, watch over each step of mine and guide me." – Saint Augustine

In John 14, Jesus speaks of his disciples who are afraid and confused as He prepares them for His departure. Sensing their distress, He speaks words of comfort: "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me." He assures them that He will not leave them orphaned. The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—all three persons of the Holy Trinity—will dwell within those who love Him. They are not alone. We are not alone.

This in-dwelling of the Trinity is more than a theological concept; it is the light within us, the divine presence that guides, consoles, and strengthens. Jesus does not merely command us to keep His word—He shows us how to do it, by living in us and through us. His love, a love that is self-giving and sacrificial—agape—is both our model and our motivation.

Through the Scriptures, we hear His voice. Through the Holy Spirit, we are inspired to live as He lived—anchored in mercy, moved by compassion, and upheld by truth. It is not a path without challenges, but it is a path filled with purpose, and more importantly, with peace.

The world promises peace through possessions, power, and pleasure. But these things fade, and they never satisfy the deepest hunger of the human heart. Jesus offers a different peace—"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you." His peace is not the absence of trouble but the presence of God. It is the steady hand on our shoulder when storms rage. It is the calm that comes from knowing we are deeply loved and never abandoned.

Jesus' departure was not the end. It was a beginning. In going to the Father, He made way for the Spirit, who continues His work in us. His promise remains true: we are not left to face this life alone.

As Thomas Merton once prayed: "I will not fear, for you are ever with me, and you will never leave me to face my perils alone." May that truth settle deep into

our hearts this Easter season. Let not your heart be troubled—He is with you."

DAILY MASS AND CONFESSIONS: Just a reminder of some upcoming changes:

- 1. This coming week, May 26 30, all daily Masses have been cancelled at St. Boniface so our priests can take a much-needed retreat.
- 2. Beginning June 1, we will no longer have a Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. evening Mass nor a Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. morning Mass.
- 3. Confessions will now be offered every Saturday between the evening Masses from 5:00 to 5:45 p.m.
- 4. Fr. Rudy's office hours are on Friday mornings: 10:30 a.m. noon and afternoons: 3:00 5:00 p.m.
- 5. Fr. Samuel's office hours are on Wednesdays from 3:00 5:00 p.m.

Other parishes in Our Lady of Guadalupe Family are also having daily Masses and confessions at other times and we are welcome to go to one of them.

