

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

CATHOLIC PARISH

SUNDAY,
APRIL 26, 2026
4TH SUNDAY OF
EASTER

WEEKENDS: SATURDAY VIGIL: 5 PM | SUNDAY: 8 AM & 10:30 AM | CONFESSION: SATURDAY AT 4:15 PM

WEEKDAYS: 9 AM MASS (T-F) | 8:30 AM CONFESSION (TUES/THURS) | ROSARY BEFORE EACH MASS



MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, APR 27
NO MASS

TUESDAY, APR 28
(8:30 Confession)
9am, Fr. Vincent

WEDNESDAY, APR 29
9am, Fr. Hartin

THURSDAY, APR 30
(8:30 am Confession)
8:50am, Fr. Tomson

FRIDAY, MAY 1
3pm Funeral Mass for Diane Tomini
7pm Worship and Charismatic Mass

SATURDAY, MAY 2
(4:15 Confession)
5pm, Fr. Hartin

SUNDAY, MAY 3
8 am, Mnsr. Mee
10:30 am, Fr. Hartin (Incense)

This fourth Sunday of the Easter season is sometimes called Good Shepherd Sunday because in each of the three lectionary cycles, the Gospel reading invites us to reflect on Jesus as the Good Shepherd. In each cycle the reading is from the tenth chapter of John's Gospel. This chapter sets the framework for Jesus' teaching about himself as the Good Shepherd.

Today's reading falls between the stories of Jesus' healing of the man born blind and the raising of Lazarus. Both of these stories were proclaimed in the Gospels found in this year's season of Lent. Following the controversy that ensued when Jesus healed the man born blind, Jesus directs his allegory about the sheep and the shepherd toward the Jewish religious leaders of his time, the Pharisees.

Throughout John's Gospel the Pharisees fail to accept Jesus' ministry and teaching. They show themselves to be "robbers and thieves" because they try to lead the sheep without entering through the gate, Jesus. Through these metaphors, Jesus is telling his listeners that those who follow him and his way will find abundant life. He identifies himself both as the shepherd and the gate. The shepherds who are faithful to him are the ones whom the sheep (Jesus' disciples) should follow.

The relationship between the sheep and their shepherd is based on familiarity. Sheep recognize their shepherd and will not follow a stranger. At the end of the day, shepherds lead their sheep from pastures to a common gated area called a sheepfold. There, one shepherd protects all of the sheep until the next day when each shepherd returns to lead his own sheep to pasture. As shepherds move among the sheep, the sheep follow only their shepherd.

Today's Gospel also gives us the opportunity to reflect on Christian leadership. Jesus' words suggest to us that those who will lead the Christian community will be known by their faithfulness to Jesus. The leaders will recognize that Jesus is the gate for all of the sheep and that having a good relationship with Jesus is the primary characteristic of a Christian leader. Jesus' allegory also suggests that faithful Christian leadership requires a good relationship with the community: the shepherd knows his sheep, and they know him. Christian leaders follow the example of Jesus, the Good Shepherd, by being faithful to him and by being a good shepherd. *(Source: Loyola Press)*

Responsorial Psalm

Cantor, then All



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MUSIC CORNER

A central expression of this vision is the privileged place given to Gregorian chant. Sacrosanctum Concilium teaches that chant is “specially suited to the Roman liturgy” and should be given “pride of place.” This is not merely a matter of aesthetics, but of theology: chant grows organically from the Latin liturgical texts and serves them with clarity and reverence. The Council does not exclude other musical styles, but it establishes chant as the standard by which other forms of sacred music are measured.

**You are invited to a
Ladies Tea
May 9th 11am-2pm
at St. Francis of Assisi 4414 N Jefferson**

Brunch type menu with silent auction and onsite mini raffle. Wear your fancy hats or make one! Vintage is best! Gloves too if you have them! Prizes for the fanciest hat and most unique hat!

**\$10 per person, Groups with more than 4 may purchase tickets at discounted \$5.
Children 5 and under free!**

We look forward to seeing you in all your “finery”!



First Friday Charismatic Mass

May 1st

Worship at 7pm

Mass at 7:30pm

Thank you Fr. Pautler for offering our Mass!

Light refreshments in Parish Hall following

Please keep the family of Janet Rowles and the repose of her soul in your prayers following her funeral on Friday, April 24th. May our Lord Jesus Christ, through the loving intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, bring them comfort, peace, and strength during this time of loss.

*The Funeral Mass for
Diane Tomini will be
Friday May 1st at 3pm*



Fatima Shepherds' Table Night

Join us Wednesday evening for our last Fatima Shepherds' Table Night until Fall! Dinner will be served at 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Please pray for our First Communicants and Confirmandi as they prepare to receive their Sacraments on May 13th!

Food Theme: Favorite dish & Wine

JOIN US FOR COFFEE,
DONUTS, AND
CONVERSATION
DOWNSTAIRS IN THE
PARISH HALL AFTER
MASS



Have you met the infamous Scott SorAn? (aka “John”- not really, that is just the name Mindy always wants to call him.)

He is one of our Knights of Columbus and serves on our Pastoral Council. A wonderful man that truly works to be the hands and feet of Christ.

THANK YOU for all that do for our parish family! Your quiet service is an example for us all.



Attention Ministry Leaders!

We are beginning to develop the event calendar for the upcoming year.

Please contact Rachael in the Parish office to get your events added.

PARISH STAFF

Priest Administrator: Fr. Vincent Gilmore; **Senior Priest:** Fr. Patrick Hartin;
Parochial Vicar/Director of Faith Formation: Fr. John Kibombo; **Deacon:** Patrick Cheung;
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WEEKLY DONATIONS

April 13- April 19:


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Welcome to our newest parishioners Don and Bonnie Rice
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Students from Chesterton Academy of
Notre Dame will be here after Sunday
Mass selling raffle tickets for their
Spring fundraiser

April 26th and May 3rd.

(Three of their students lend their
voices to our choir here at Fatima!!)

Thank you for your support!

*Bring flowers of the fairest, bring flowers
of the rarest...
Queen of the Angels, Queen of the May!*

Everyone is invited to bring flowers to Our
Lady throughout the month of May!
Please make sure your name is on your vase
or pot if you would like it returned. This is a
beautiful way to celebrate the month of Mary
and to beautify the sanctuary for Our Lord in
the Blessed Sacrament.

MAY 1ST - ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER

Good Saint Joseph, ever watchful guardian of the Holy Family, protect the
chosen people of Jesus Christ, keep us free from the blight of error and
corruption, and be our ally in the conflict with the powers of darkness. As of
old you rescued the child Jesus from the plots of Herod, so now defend the
universal Church from all harm. Keep us one and all under your continual
protection, so that by your help and example, we may lead a holy life, die a
happy death, and come to possess eternal life in heaven. Amen.

*Come and adore!
Adoration every Thursday after the 9:00am Mass-
7pm
To sign up for a fixed hour, or to offer yourself as a
substitute adorer, please call
509-701-9687*

**MASS
INTENTIONS**

Tuesday, Apr 28

Mike Eaton +
Req. by Kathy

Wednesday, Apr 29

Connie Wouhob
Req. by Kika Finch

Thursday, Apr 30

Ralph Jones
Req. by Yvonne Weiler

DAILY READINGS

2026 APRIL 27 MONDAY

Reading 1, Acts 11:1-18
Psalms 42:2-3; 43:3, 4
Gospel, John 10:11-18

2026 APRIL 28 TUESDAY

Reading 1, Acts 11:19-26
Psalms 87:1-3, 4-5, 6-7
Gospel, John 10:22-30

2026 APRIL 29 WEDNESDAY

Reading 1, Acts 12:24-13:5
Psalms 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8
Gospel, John 12:44-50

2026 APRIL 30 THURSDAY

Reading 1, Acts 13:13-25
Psalms 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27
Gospel, John 13:16-20

2026 MAY 1 FRIDAY

Reading 1, Acts 13:26-33
Psalms 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11
Gospel, John 14:1-6

2026 MAY 2 SATURDAY

Reading 1, Acts 13:44-52
Psalms 98:1, 2-3, 3-4
Gospel, John 14:7-14

2026 MAY 3 SUNDAY

Reading 1, Acts 6:1-7
Psalms 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19
Gospel, John 14:1-12
Reading 2, Peter 2:4-9

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