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## **SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER—C**

**May 25, 2025**

*Let all the people praise you, O God; let all praise you.*

The peace that Jesus proclaims is achieved by victory over sin due to the power of God, and Christ could speak of it the night before he died. To obtain it means shutting out of our lives all that is selfish and greedy, all hatred and bitterness, and putting in their place forgiveness and the desire to help others and share the good things of life with them. The basis of peace is God. The secret of peace is trust, but the soul of peace is love that comes from God's love and expresses itself in our love for people. The peace Jesus offers flows into our lives when we open our hearts and allow God's healing presence to work within us.



## **VI DOMENICA DI PASQUA**

Gesù dice ai suoi discepoli "Vi lascio la pace" - "Vi do la mia pace": probabilmente l'hanno capita solo in seguito, alla luce di quanto è accaduto subito dopo. Quelle parole fanno parte del discorso che Gesù ha rivolto loro durante l'ultima cena, appena prima di affrontare la sua passione redentrice. La pace vera è quella che egli ci ha guadagnato con il proprio sacrificio, unica via che crea unione tra Dio e l'uomo. Soltanto nel rapporto con Dio l'uomo trova la pace. E la trova perché Dio gliela dona. La pace è un dono. Dio non impone i suoi doni: li offre. Dipende da noi la libertà di accoglierli.

Parish Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am-12 noon 1:00pm- 4:30pm
For Daily & Weekend Mass Intentions see inside
SATURDAY: 5:00 PM (English) SUNDAY: 9:00 AM (Italian - English) & 11:00 AM (English)

### **Registration:**

Parish Census Forms at Church entrance or call the Office.

### **Baptism:**

Parish Membership & Baptism class required. Please contact the Office.

### **Marriage:**

Parish Membership & Preparation required. Call Office 6 months in advance.

### **Reconciliation - Confession:**

Only Saturday 4:15pm & 30 min. before each Mass during the week or on request

### **Anointing of the sick:**

Every First Friday of the Month during the Mass & on request.

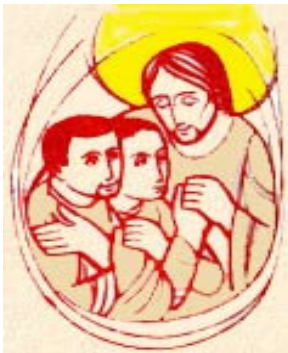
### **Church & Hall at one level:**

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### He helps us!

An ancient legend has it that St. John the Evangelist, old and now on his deathbed, kept murmuring, "My children, love one another, love one another..." It is never so necessary to speak of love as where there is none. It is the same thing with peace: there has never been so much talk about peace as there is today, and meanwhile there is still war going on in so many places. But on this very point, John's Gospel makes an important distinction: there is a peace of Jesus and another peace, given by the world. God sent us the Holy Spirit to teach us his will. His Spirit also teaches us to penetrate the meaning of words. We can then turn to him when we are disoriented, when we feel weak, when we no longer know what to do. He helps us!



### LADIES OF ITALIAN SOCIETY OF P.A.:

**ROUND UP MEETING:** Monday, June 9 at 6:30pm. Dinner tickets available from Executive Price: \$35. for members, \$50 for non members.

**LADIES OF ITALIAN SOC. OF P.A.:** are putting together an Italian Cook Book and they need your help. Do you have a favourite Italian recipe or two or even more that you would like to share. Drop off your recipe in the red basket in the lobby of our church or email recipe to [joannwitluk@hotmail.com](mailto:joannwitluk@hotmail.com) in either Italian or English and be part of this delicious project. Deadline for recipes is May 31, 2025.

### ITALIAN SOCIETY OF P.A.: SPAGHETTI

**TAKE OUTS:** May 25 & June 8, 12 to 5pm

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY CORPUS

**CHRISTI PARISH** Occasional Office Assistant. Potentially 15-30 hrs per week, as needed. Full details & applications available online at Parish Website <http://corpuschristitbay.ca> or may be picked up by visiting the parish Office Tuesday-Friday, 9:00am—4:00pm. Deadline for application is June 6, 2025

### COLUMBUS CENTRE SPAGHETTI TAKE

**OUT:** May 29, June 5 & 19

Take-Out pick up from 2:00-5:30pm For more info call 807-623-3252

### FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION CLAS-

**SES:** Preparation for the *Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ* with last preparation class during the 11:00am Mass will be Sun., June 1.

**HOLY NAME SOCIETY:** Meeting, Sunday, May 25th following the 9:00am Mass.

**CONFIRMATION:** Confession & Rehearsal on Sunday, May 25 at 2:00pm

**CONFIRMATION DAY:** Sat., May 31 at 2:00pm with Bishop Alan Campeau.

**PRIESTS RETREAT:** From June 2nd to 5th, Fr. Luigi will be away on a Priests Retreat. **Masses from Monday June 2nd to Thursday, June 5th will all be at 8:00am**

**FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY:** Sunday, June 8th with Mass at 11:00am and Procession to follow in the church parking lot. There will be a special performance by Le Stelle alpine Dancers. All Societies & groups are reminded to bring their banners and wear their regional costumes. We invite our gracious volunteers to make bread for distribution. Everyone is invited to participate in the Annual Feast Day.

**C.W.L. NEWS:** Wed., June 4th at 6:00pm **Awards & Pinning** evening with Beef on a Bun. Cost \$5.00 each. Tickets available from executive members and after masses. Donations of toiletries (toilet paper, paper towels, toothpaste and brushes, shampoos, soaps etc.) are being collected at this meeting for the Current River Food Bank which is in great need of these items. Thank you.

**THANK YOU** to the Knights of Columbus as they raised \$275.45 from donations of lapel roses & prayer cards.

**FATIMA FEAST:** \$1,865.00  
Thank you to our Portuguese Community & all who participated with Our Lady of Fatima Feast and made it a very special celebration.

**SUNDAY COLLECTION:** \$ 3,495.00  
Thank you Parishioners & visiting friends for your continued generosity & support. Donations can also be made online. One-time or automatic monthly donations by credit card: [www.stanthonysparish.ca](http://www.stanthonysparish.ca)







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## MASS INTENTIONS May 26—June 1, 2025

### Monday, May 26

All Parishioners

9:00am

Pastor

### Tuesday, May 27

Bruno Larizza  
Lisetta Nucci  
Costantino & Giovanna Costanzo

7:00pm

Family  
Nucci Family  
Mary & Family

### Wednesday, May 28

All Souls

7:00pm

Parishioner

### Thursday, May 29

Nicole Wegner  
Lisetta Nucci

7:00pm

Rocky & Glenna  
Sandy & Family

### Friday, May 30

In honour of St. Dymphna  
Anna Menegon

7:00pm

Tony  
Family

### Saturday, May 31

5:00pm

Angelo & Livia Nardari & Kerry Murphy Family

### Sunday, June 1 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

9:00am

Stefano Frattaroli  
Frank Daniele  
Giuseppe Arella  
Carmine & Antonietta DeGrazia  
Lisetta Nucci  
Francesco Mollame

G. Carobelli  
Family  
Maria  
P & F Bloskie & M. DeGrazia  
P. & J. Coccimiglio  
Leondina, Connie & Family

### 11:00am

Egidia Tesolin  
Benjamin & Americo Miranda  
Deceased of LaSelva & Macri Families  
Deceased of Pasqualino Family  
Giulio Scocchia

Youth Group  
Family  
N. & B. LaSelva  
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M. Frattaroli

† Let us pray for the repose of the soul of **Settimio Biscardi, Laura Iachetta DiSimone and Silvio & Enrico Borino** who have recently passed away.

Our 11:00 am Mass can be viewed by live stream  
With the link being found on the church website:

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