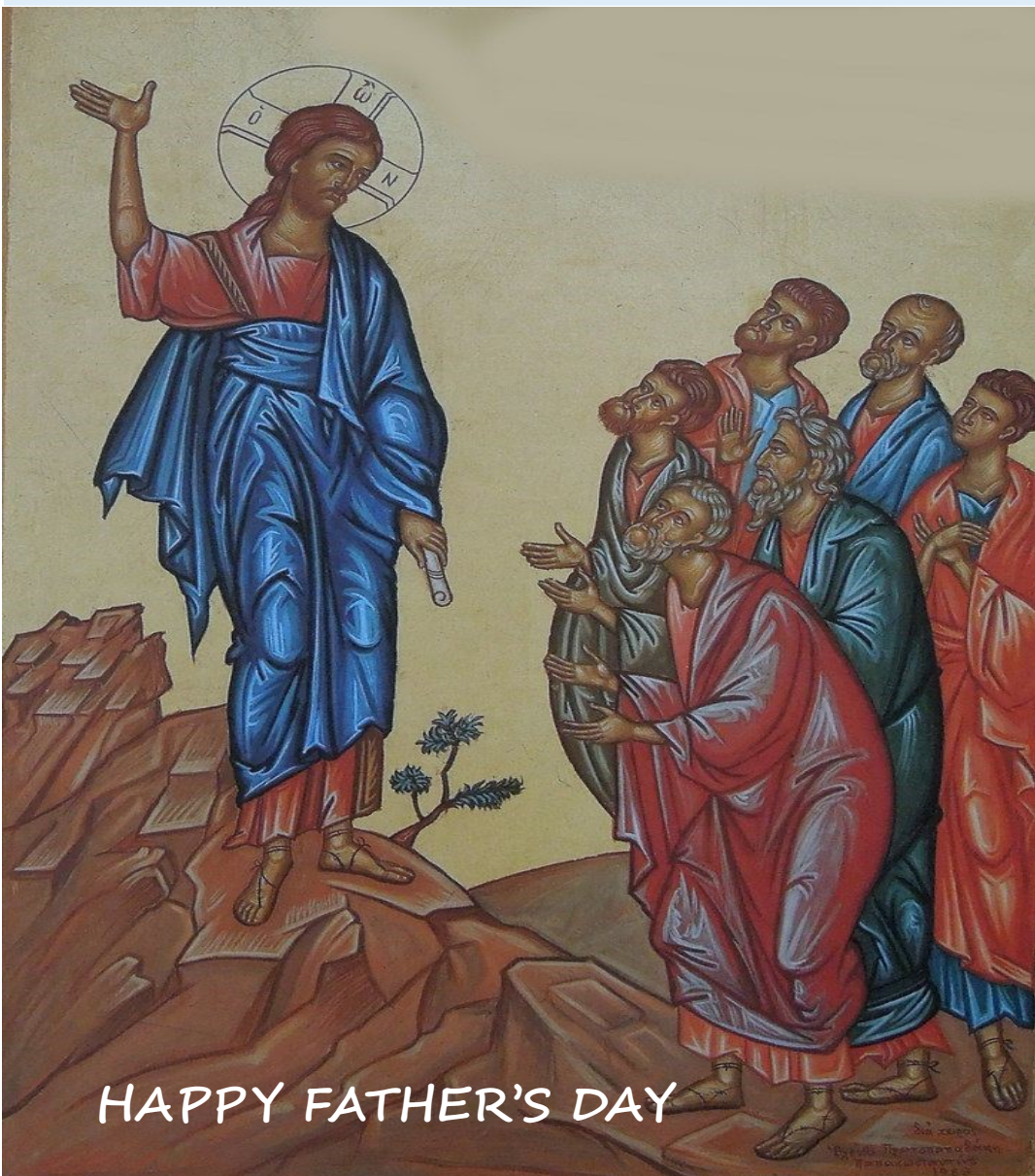




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*June 21, 2026*

*Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



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Saturday - 8:00 AM

**Saturday Vigil Masses**

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We read today's Gospel in the context of last week's Gospel in which Jesus sent the twelve disciples to proclaim the kingdom of heaven. In between last week's reading and today's reading, Jesus has predicted that the disciples will face difficulties in their mission. Many people will not receive them well, even within the land of Israel. Even family members will turn away from the disciples because of the disciples' commitment to Jesus and the kingdom. Today's Gospel offers the disciples consolation against this difficult truth.

This section of Matthew's Gospel should be read in the context of Matthew's intended audience, a Jewish-Christian community. The Gospel alludes to the dangers and persecutions that this community has most likely already faced and will continue to face. To reassure this community, Matthew recalls for them the encouraging words of Jesus that we read today.

In this Gospel passage, Jesus might be understood as putting suffering in perspective. The disciples of Jesus are called upon to keep their focus on God. Those who can harm the body do not have ultimate power; God does. Still persecution and suffering can not be avoided or prevented. But Jesus reassures his disciples that God knows and cares about what happens to his children.

We might not face the same type of persecution, but we do experience difficulties as we endeavor to live a Christian life. Sometimes we let the opinions of others prevent us from doing what we know to be right. We need the reminder that what God thinks about us is more important. We are reassured by the promise that God cares for us and protects us.

**Weekday READINGS**

- Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-18/Ps 60:3-13/Mt 7:1-5
- Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-21,31-36/ Ps 48:2-11/Mt 7:6,12-14
- Wednesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80
- Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17/ Ps 79:1b-9/Mt 7:21-29
- Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12/ Ps 137:1-6/Mt 8:1-4
- Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-19/ Ps 74:1b-7, 20-21/Mt 8:5-17
- Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-16a/Ps 89:2-3,16-19/Rom 6:3-11/Mt 10:37-42

*It is not only individuals who need reassurance about God's love and protection. Communities need this reassurance as well, including the community of the family. Children rely on the confidence of their parents for this assurance. Parents can help the entire family's growth in trust and confidence in God by witnessing ways in which daily family needs are entrusted to God's care.*

*As the family gathers, distribute pieces of paper to each person. Tell them to write or draw ways in which they believe that God's help is needed for each person and for the family as a whole. Each slip of paper can then be collected in a basket.*

*Recall together how well God knows your family and thank God for this wonderful grace. Conclude by praying together for each of the needs identified. After each need is read, pray together, "God, we trust you because you know us so well." Conclude by praying the Glory Be to the Father.*

*This practice might become a regular part of your family's prayer.*

**QUESTIONS & CATHOLIC ANSWERS**

**Wedding anniversary and Renewal of Wedding Vows**  
By Father Edward McNamara, LC

The ritual for the Celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage (1991), includes in Appendix III the Rite of blessing the spouses during Mass on occasion of the anniversary of marriage. This appendix allows for a special remembrance of marriage to be held on the principal anniversaries of the celebration such as the 25th, 50th or 60th.

In this ritual the universal Church has proposed a renewal of commitment to married life, though the terms "renewal of vows" is avoided. There is a significant distinction between the original vows and the renewal of the ongoing marriage commitment.

The exchange of vows is seen as the sacramental form and is thus essentially unique for the same couple. Through (see CIC 1057.2 and CCC No. 1638). It is precisely the strength of the indissoluble bond created by the celebration of marriage that makes the Church somewhat hesitant to permit a simple renewal of the marriage vows. One cannot renew a valid marriage in the sense of restart or resume. However, the ongoing commitment of marriage may be celebrated, blessed and renewed in the sense of revitalized or reinvigorated.

It is true that Catholics annually renew their baptismal promises but these promises, unlike the marriage vows, are complementary to the sacrament and do not constitute the sacramental form itself.

This is the reason for a Marriage blessing on the Wedding anniversary and not renewal of Vows.

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday - June 20, 2026

8:00 am **Betty Pellito** Fr. Padit  
By Carmela Pellito  
4:00 pm **Parishioners of OLOL** Fr. Briese  
By Parish Clergy  
6:00 pm **Angel Mosquera** Fr. Eddie  
By Adriana Alba

### Sunday - June 21, 2026

8:00 am **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Padit  
9:30 am **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Padit  
11:15 am **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Briese

### Monday - June 22, 2026

8:00 am **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Eddie  
5:30 pm **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Padit

### Tuesday - June 23, 2026

8:00 am **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Padit  
5:30 pm **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Padit

### Wednesday - June 24, 2026

8:00 am **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Padit  
5:30 pm **Father's Day Novena** Fr. Padit

### Thursday - June 25, 2026

8:00 am **Paulette Montes** Fr. Eddie  
By Guy & Jeanine Montes  
5:30 pm **Hector Anibal Ramirez** Fr. Eddie  
By Jonathan David Luel

### Friday - June 26, 2026

8:00 am **Augustine Nguyen** Fr. Eddie  
By Christina Nguyen  
5:30 pm **Rosa Fernandez** Fr. Eddie  
By Elena Banos

### Saturday - June 27, 2026

8:00 am **Living & Deceased Members** Fr. Eddie  
**Of The Nguyen Family**  
By Christina Nguyen  
4:00 pm **Matthew J. Caccioppo** Fr. Eddie  
By Phyllis Caccioppo & Family  
6:00 pm **Aldo Pacheco** Fr. Eddie  
By Adriana Alba

### Sunday - June 28, 2026

8:00 am **Andrzej Rychtarczyk** Fr. Eddie  
By Lynn Andrus  
9:30 am **Adeline Gaudio** Fr. Eddie  
By Loving Family  
11:15 am **Parishioners of OLOL** Fr. Eddie  
By Parish Clergy

Altar Bread Offered  
In Memory of  
**Joseph Petrullo**  
Requested by  
**The Petrullo Family**



Sanctuary Lamp Offered  
For Forever Loved  
**Rose & Dominick DeGregorio**  
Requested by  
**Their Children**



*We, though many, are one body,  
for we all partake of the one loaf.*

*1 Corinthians 10:17*

*Thank you to all of you who have supported the DSA in the past, and have helped our Parish to meet its goal. The funds collected helped our Diocese of Palm Beach in assisting those in need the most, and provided funding for the various programs throughout the Diocese, from Catholic Charities to Seminarians formation. Please, consider participating in such a charitable endeavor as an expression of personal gratitude for the Lord's countless blessings.*

### **PARISH GOAL**

**\$215,000**

### **Payments & Pledges**

**\$150, 588.51**

### **Needed**

**\$64,411.49**



### **Collections of May 24th** **Pentecost Sunday**

**First Collection: \$12,388.25**

**Online Giving: \$3,073.00**

**Outreach for the Poor & Hungry: \$3,902.16**

**Thank You!**

# PRAYER *time*



7:30 am and 5:00 pm

## Prayer of the Rosary before Mass

**Monday through Saturday**

**On Saturdays after Morning Mass, we invite you to join either of our two Prayer groups that gather in the Church and Chapel.**

## Pray for our Sick and Homebound



**Keep us informed about your need for prayer**

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## VOCATIONS CHALICE PROGRAM



Contact the Parish Office, the Knights of Columbus, or Mr. Jack Viadero, to receive the Vocations Chalice to pray throughout the week for vocations.



**FRIDAY 4:00pm - 5:00pm**

**SATURDAY 11:00am - 12 Noon**

The Church is open for prayer throughout the day, from 6 am to 6 pm. After hours, the Grotto of Lourdes and Prayer Garden continue being available to the faithful for prayer and meditation.

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*Amen*

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- Rafael Morganelli & Olivia Colby, TBA
- James Manganello & Milka De La Piedra, TBA
- Karlo E Gammarra & Maria Paula Sanchez, August 28, 2027
- Cesar Fernandez & Sarah Williamson, January 29th, 2027
- John & Irene Victor, TBA
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### Requirements for Registration

1. Families must live within Parish boundaries or be registered parishioners for 6 months
2. A copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate
3. 50% of Registration fee due upon registration

### Religious Education Fees

\$100.00 (1 child) \$200.00 (2 children)  
\$250.00 (3 or more)

### Sacramental and Office Fees

Holy Communion \$50.00  
Confirmation \$50.00

Here are the ways that you may register your child:

- Walk-in registrations in the Religious Education Office during the months of May and June, Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- Download a printable registration form from our Parish website: [www.lourdesboca.org](http://www.lourdesboca.org). This form can be hand delivered or mailed to the Parish Office.

**If you have any questions, please contact the Religious Ed Office at 561-483-2440 x 1429.**

ENCOUNTERING / ENCONTRANDO

The Diocese of Palm Beach has launched a new weekly video series featuring Bishop Manuel's reflections on the Sunday readings titled "Encountering Jesus with Bishop Manuel."

The videos will be available on the diocese's social media sites and website every Saturday afternoon so you can prepare your hearts for weekend Mass and prayerfully reflect on the Word of the Lord.

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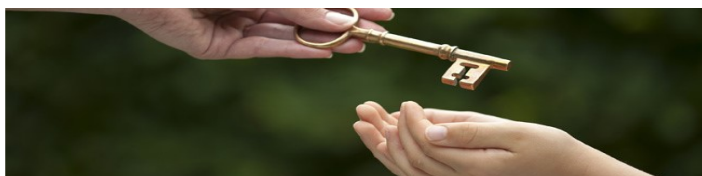
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Our Lady of Lourdes is a charitable, not-for-profit institution; therefore, all bequests are fully deductible for estate tax purposes.



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*Pavers*

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Reaching In & Reaching Out with God's Love

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<b>O.C.I.A.</b>	DeLisle Callender, M.A.
<b>Adult Formation</b>	Parish Clergy
<b>Women of Grace</b>	Cynthia Hitson
<b>Vocations</b>	Parish Clergy
<b>Vocational Chalice</b>	Jack Viadero

## Outreach Ministries

<b>Outreach Coordinator</b>	Deacon Frank Fau
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<b>H.O.P.E. Senior Outreach</b>	Mary Viadero
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<b>Bernadette's Place Food Pantry</b>	Sharon Benedict
<b>Ministerio de Padres/Familias</b>	Flavio Leon
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<b>Grandparents Ministry</b>	Karen Chin

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	Alphonse DeFrank (8:00 am Mass)
	Greg Fearon (9:30 am Mass)
	Jack Viadero (11:15am Mass)
	Frank Moore (4:00 pm Mass)
	Nancy Indyk (8:00 am Mass)
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	Ray Manno (11:15 am Mass)
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## WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE AN ACTIVE PARISHIONER?

A Parish is not simply a "branch office" of the Church, nor a periodic audience of people, nor an occasional public; but it is a formally organized social group. It is a portion of a Diocese under the authority of a priest legitimately appointed to secure in virtue of his office for the faithful dwelling therein, the helps of religion.

The faithful are called parishioners, and they become parishioners by acquiring a domicile or a quasi-domicile within the geographical boundaries or territory of the Parish.

Parishioners could be active parishioners or non active parishioners, and the question of parishioner status is important because parishioners look to their Parish for many services like *parishioner tuition rates in our Catholic schools; the use of our facilities for liturgical services such as baptisms, weddings and funerals; and certification as eligible sponsors at Sacramental celebrations.*

These rights and services within the church bring with them certain obligations, as in any form of community.

To be considered "active", parishioners must be registered in the parish; attend Mass faithfully; support the life of the parish by sharing time and talents in service, and sharing treasure (tithing) to build up the community. Active participation in Christian Stewardship makes you an ACTIVE parishioner.



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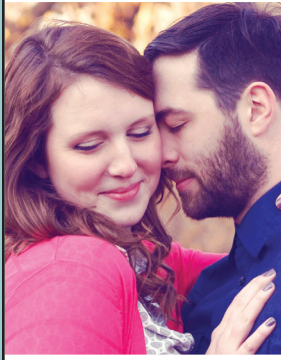
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