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Latin Masses & Devotions in June		Time	Celebrant
Saturday, 1 st June	Privileged Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary in Ascensontide, with a commem. of St. Angela Merici	10.30 a.m.	Fr. Domotor
Sunday, 2 nd June	Sunday after the Ascension of our Lord	Noon	
Wednesday, 5 th June	Feast of St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr, Apostle to the Germans. Celebrant: Fr. R. J. Oballo, F.S.S.P. (see p.2)	5.45 p.m.	
Friday, 7 th June	Privileged Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in Ascensontide (no commemorations)	9.00 a.m.	
Sunday, 9 th June	Solemn Feast of Pentecost	Noon	
Friday, 14 June	Ember Whit Friday (To be confirmed)	9.00 a.m.	
Sunday, 16 th June	Solemn Feast of the Most Blessed Trinity	Noon	
Thursday, 20 th June	Solemn Feast of Corpus Christi	10.30 a.m.	
Friday, 21 st June	Feast of St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Patron of Youth.	9.00 a.m.	
Sunday, 23 rd June	Second Sunday after Pentecost	Noon	
Friday, 28 th June	Solemn Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.	9.00 a.m.	
Saturday, 29 th June	Solemn Feast of SS. Peter and Paul	10.30 a.m.	
Sunday, 30 th June	Third Sunday after Pentecost + Comm. Peter S. 2 ⁶ +2 ⁴ +2 ³	9.00 a.m.	

PRAYER INTENTIONS:

For the sick and suffering (see also Parish Bulletin):		Miscellaneous Intentions:
Mr. Frank Domotor	Mrs. Agnes Berard	For our Priest, Bishop and the Holy Father. For vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life. For persecuted Christians in the world
Mrs. Christine Stornebrink	Miss Lorna Cue	
Mrs. Doreen Kitchen		

NEWS

1. Special Prayer Request

Please pray for Miss Lorna Cue, who will need to undergo a very serious operation in the coming weeks.

2. Mary Lawson R.I.P.

On May 30th, Ascension day, we received the sad news about Mary Lawson that she had died early that morning after 4 a.m. Mary was born on 3rd November, 1919.

She had been regularly attending the Traditional Latin Masses for approximately eight years, until in December last year she was hospitalised. She was liked and respected by all who knew her. Her body will be flown to Ontario where the Funeral and Burial services will be held in the Ukraine Byzantine Catholic St. Elias church in Brampton. Her remains will be buried there in the grave with her pre-deceased husband.

We are hoping for Requiem Masses for Mary as soon as Fr. Domotor can be reached.

Please pray for the soul of Mary. Requiescat in pace; Rest in peace.

3. Newly ordained F.S.S.P. priest celebrating a first Mass at O.L.Q.O.P.

We congratulate Fr. Ralph J. Oballo, FSSP, on his ordination to the sacred priesthood on Friday, May 24 and we welcome him in our Parish where he will celebrate a first High Mass on 5th June at 5.45 p.m. The names of the Deacon and Sub-deacon are as yet unknown. The timing of the Mass was probably chosen to allow as many of our parishioners to attend this Mass.

It is commonly thought that a newly ordained priest can, during his first year as a priest, give a special blessing to the faithful. We have been informed that Fr. Oballo intends to offer such first blessing. For more on such blessings see page 4.



4. News from Abbé Julian Malinowski

We received news from our seminarian Abbé Julian Malinowski. Copies of his letter were placed on the table in the back of the Church last Sunday and some more will be available on 2nd June. His letter contains some interesting information about his personal experiences and how seminarians spend their lives, including how the Institute harvests grapes and olives from its property and produces wine and olive oil as a source of revenue.

Abbé Julian Malinowski studies in Italy at the **Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest (I.C.R. S.P.)**. Their studies are entirely in the French language since the Institute had its origin in France.

5. A warm welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Jan and Sarah Bitara

We are very pleased to know that this couple will be visiting Victoria in June and will be joining our choir. You may recall how they were singing the Cantor roles while still studying at the University of Victoria.

6. Monthly Book Sale for Seminarians

On the first Sunday of June (2nd) we will have our Monthly book sale. Here you can buy books, rosaries and other devotional articles at a fraction of the price of their original cost. New books sell at their regular cost or for slightly less. All the money received from this booksale are used to support the cost of training our seminarians.

Please note that anyone can donate books for this sale. Ask Mr. or Mr. McCabe about the kind of books that we can accept. You may tell them what you think your donated books are worth. Copies of the *Catholic Family News* can be picked up for free if dated more than 1 year ago.

LITURGY

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The feast of the Sacred Heart is on Friday, 28th June. Other feast days in June are Pentecost Sunday (9th June), Trinity Sunday (16th June), Corpus Christi (20th June) and the feast of St. Peter and Paul (29th June).

SACRED HEART DEVOTIONS

There are a number of devotions that are recommended for this month for which we have created special booklets. Those can be downloaded from our website. They include a Litany of the Sacred Heart, a Chaplet, a Psalter (which is in our Sacred Heart booklet), an Act of Consecration, and Invocations (a Litany).

We recommend praying one or both of the following prayers during the month of June..

TRADITIONAL ACT OF REPARATION

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on me.

O God, forgive me for all the sins of my life;

The sins of my youth and the sins of my age,

The sins of my body and the sins of my soul,

The sins I have confessed and the sins I have forgotten,

The sins against others in thought, word, and deed.

My sins of omission.

O, my God, I am sorry for all my sins, because Thou art so good;

And I will not sin again with the help of God.

God be merciful to me, a sinner.

Divine Heart of Jesus, convert sinners, save the dying,

Deliver the holy souls in purgatory.

Prayer before an Image or Picture of the Sacred Heart

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, pour out Thy benedictions upon the Holy Church, upon its priests, and upon all its children. Sustain the just, convert the sinners, assist the dying, deliver the souls in purgatory, and extend over all hearts the sweet empire of Thy love. Amen.

FIRST BLESSINGS BY A NEW PRIEST

A newly ordained priest can give First Blessings during the first year after his Ordination; No particular form of words is prescribed. But the following is by widespread custom often used.

Per impositionem manuum mearum sacerdotalium et per intercessionem beatae Mariae semper Virginis, Sancti N et omnium Sanctorum, omni benedictione caelesti atque terrestri benedicat te Omnipotens Deus, Pater, et Filius, et Spiritus Sanctus. Amen.

[By the imposition of my priestly hands and by the intercession of Blessed Mary ever Virgin, S N and all the Saints, may God Almighty bless you with every blessing both heavenly and earthly, the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost. Amen.]

Science, Scientism, and Spirituality

6 May 2019 by Wolfgang Smith

In a recent article Dr. Wolfgang Smith wrote the following:

“What distinguishes science from scientism, in my terminology, is the fact that scientific tenets are based upon empirical evidence — and are moreover *falsifiable* — whereas the claims of scientism, while pretending to be scientific, are actually founded upon ideological grounds. A textbook example would be **the Darwinist claim**, which proves to be both uncorroborated and unfalsifiable empirically. Yet there hardly exists a so-called “natural science” these days which is not *de facto* permeated with scientistic tenets of various kinds. And as regards the prevailing worldview — our supposedly “scientific” *Weltanschauung* [world-view], touted to rest on the so-called “hard facts of science” — a modest inquiry suffices to disclose that it is actually scientistic to the core.”

In this one paragraph he shows why Darwin’s so-called Theory of Evolution is unscientific. Yet it is well-known that many, if not most, of the Catholic clergy believe it to be a true science. He goes on to show that beliefs in false scientistic ideas adversely affect one’s Catholic faith.

In his latest book, titled *Physics & Vertical Causation*, Dr. Smith has proven that much of today’s science is driven by an atheistic ideology and thus has failed in being able to explain scientific findings in various areas. His book and a soon to be released documentary movie are destined to cause a major change in future scientific education, theory and experiments. It will also have a profound influence on religious thinking, especially Thomistic philosophy and metaphysics. Modern Scientific thinking which has been bogged down by false premises will be able to make progress again into a true understanding of God’s created world.