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LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER--for Vocations to the Priesthood and the Military Chaplaincy; for our deployed troops and their families; for our parishioners who are ill; and for our deceased:
Deployed: FC2 Joseph Reed, USN; Carol Yannarella, USAF; Ginny Ortiz, Peace Corps; Kevin Voelker, USA
Deceased: Jimmy Daknis (brother of Bill Daknis), Angel Bracetty (uncle of Ham Ortiz), Sue Higgins
Healing: Buddy Craven, Bob Daknis, Joseph Toth, Jeanmarie Jonston, Jim Campbell, Betsy Hendrix, Alfred Prados, Jim Egan, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Kevin Tighe, Bob Schaaf, Alexis Coffey, Frank Bernardo, Bonnie Benne, Richard Wicks, Richard Brysacz (father of Margaret Asten), Morris McGregor, John Bikus, Suzie Kumashiro, Bill Hubbard, Hamlin Ortiz (father of Ham Ortiz), Randy Krug
~ Please contact Pam to remove names from the Deployed and Healing prayer lists. ~

Dear Catholic Community:
Today we celebrate the Solemnity of Pentecost and the end of the Easter Season. Jesus is faithful to His promises. He said "I will be with you always until the end of time." In the power of the Spirit we believe and celebrate that Jesus is truly with us. It is in the power of the Spirit that we are Church and do what the Lord commanded us to do. The Spirit is the fuel that motivates, guides, empowers and sends us forth. As we pray together today, may we continue to call upon the gifts of the Spirit in our lives. Always remembering that it is not magic, every day we must cooperate with the grace of God in using our free will to say "YES". "Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful and kindle in us the fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit and we shall be recreated and You will renew the face of the earth."
On this special weekend, let us also remember those who have given their lives in service to our country. The spirit of their sacrifices continue to make our freedom possible. A safe and blessed Memorial Day to each of you.
Blessings in Christ,
Fr. Fred

Introduction to Today's Readings

First Reading: Acts 2: 1-11
Pentecost was a Jewish feast that celebrated the beginning of the harvest. It took place 50 days after the feast of Passover. Jewish pilgrims came to Jerusalem from all over the ancient world for the celebration. Today we hear how Pentecost became a Christian Feast.

Second Reading: Galatians 5: 1-25
In concluding his letters, St. Paul always had a section instructing his converts about the correct way to live as Christians. Today's passage comes near the end of his letter to the Galatians who lived in what is today central Turkey. Paul offers a sharp contrast between life in the flesh (meaning: life prone to sin) and life in the Spirit.

May 25 – June 5

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	25 Memorial Day Chapel Closed No Noon Mass	26 NO BIBLE STUDY	27	28	29	30
31 Fr. Fred's Adult Ed class 1030	1	2 Bible Study 1100	3	4	5	6 <i>DO</i>
7 Name Tag Sunday Reception <i>DO</i>	8	9 Bible Study 1100	10	11	12	

Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth. Psalm 104

Announcements

Congratulations to Fr. Paul K. Hurley on his promotion to Major General (MG) and appointment as the 24th US Army Chief of Chaplains. Father (MG) Hurley has been seen often at the 0900 Mass as a concelebrant since his arrival to the Washington DC area.
Next Designated Offering (DO): 6 -7 June Wounded Warrior Transition Units
June Pastoral Council Meeting - Guest Speaker and Brunch: We are pleased to announce that on Sunday, **14 June**, Mr. Jose Amaya, AMS Director of Faith Formation, will be speaking about the AMS Family Faith Assessment application – an online, interactive learning tool suitable for all age groups. After the presentation, attendees are invited to join us for brunch. We invite all parents, grandparents or adult family members to join the CRE teachers and the Pastoral Council for this great learning opportunity. Please RSVP by 7 June to Pam at info@jbmhhcatholicparish.com. More information about the AMS Family Faith Assessment application can be found at on the AMS website, www.milarch.org, click on the Office of Faith Formation link found under the "Offices" menu tab.

AMS has an app available designed for Catholics serving in the military. It's called **AMS USA** and is available as a free download via either the Apple App store, Google Play, or Windows Phone.

Welcome Deacon Joe! Rev. Mr. Joe Pak is JBM-HH Catholic Community's new deacon, joining our community on 1 May. Deacon Joe, a self-described "baby deacon," will assist Fr. Fred in serving our community. Please join us after the 0900 Mass on **7 June** for a welcome reception in Fellowship Hall. We look forward to learning more about Deacon Joe and his ministry to us in the months ahead.



Offertory for 16-17 May 2015 Please make checks payable to C.T.O.F.

1700 Vigil: \$934.00 0900 Mass: \$2,461.00 **TOTAL: \$3,395.00** Attendance: 384

JBM-HH Catholic Community – Memorial Chapel

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Mass: 5PM Saturday Vigil, 9AM Sunday, Noon M-F. **Daily Mass:** Noon in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel
Reconciliation: 11:30-11:45AM Tuesday-Friday in Room 112
Catholic Coordinator: Pam Ortiz info@jbmhhcatholicparish.com
Parish Registration: Forms may be obtained from an usher or printed from the website. Notify Pam of changes or if moving from the area.
Sacraments and Sponsor Letters: Requires registration. Fr. Fred has pastoral jurisdiction only for active duty military and their family members
Bulletins: Available on website; advance copy e-mailed each Thursday
Archdiocese for the Military Services: www.milarch.org