

**Fourth Sunday of Easter**  
April 30, 2023

**Gospel Reading**  
John 10.1-10  
Jesus is the gate for his sheep.

**Monday, May 1**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Spec. int. of David Green  
(req. by Green family)  
Special Intention  
(req. by Margherita Zucco)

**Tuesday, May 2**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Josefa Jovellanos  
(req. by Edna O'Rourke)  
Spec. int. of Franco  
(req. by Edna O'Rourke)

**Wednesday, May 3**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Michelle Andrus  
(req. by Sue Pellerin)

**Thursday, May 4**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Pam Poulin  
(req. by Poulin family)

**Friday, May 5**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Michelle Andrus  
(req. by Irma Ruitter)  
Devon Armstrong  
(req. by Michelle)

**Saturday, May 6**  
(Fifth Sunday of Easter)  
5:00 p.m. Mass - Terry MacDonald  
(req. by Timothy & Barbara Tatzel)  
John Scott  
(req. by MaryBeth & Chris Andrews)

**Sunday, May 7**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Manda Markovich  
(req. by Markovich family)  
Mary Ann Blakely  
(req. by Kathy Watson)  
11:00 a.m. Mass - People of the Parish

**PARISH ADORATION & BENECTION**  
First Friday of the month after 9:00am Mass to 10:30am.

Communion for people who are ill or home bound is available please call the parish office for information.

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, May 22nd for Victoria Day.

**Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
May 7, 2023

**Gospel Reading** John 14:1-12  
Jesus tells his disciples. "I am the way and the truth and the life."

**Monday, May 8**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Denny & Ignacy Skala  
(req. by Teresa Skala)

**Tuesday, May 9**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Michelle Andrus  
(req. by Cathy Sutton)

**Wednesday, May 10**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Spec. int. of Fr. Jacek Kryn  
(req. by Teresa Walters)

**Thursday, May 11**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Donna Seniuk  
(req. by Seniuk family)

**Friday, May 12**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Pauline & Anthony Bering  
(req. by Teresa Skala)

**Saturday, May 13**  
(Sixth Sunday of Easter)  
5:00 p.m. Mass - Helen Condon  
(req. by Timothy & Barbara Tatzel)  
Ruth Tatzel  
(req. by req. by Timothy & Barbara Tatzel)

**Sunday, May 14**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Spec. int. of Tina Clancy  
& Deedee Alexandre  
(req. by Deedee Alexandre)  
Anna Bachetti  
(req. by Maria & Roland DiEgidio)  
11:00 a.m. Mass - People of the Parish

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL STEWARDSHIP!**

April 9, 2023		April 16, 2023	
Easter Sunday	\$9,242.00	Sunday Collection	\$3,180.00
Diocesan Good Friday	\$1,525.00	Easter	\$285.00
Share Lent	\$395.00	Share Lent	\$260.00
Initial Offering	\$520.00		

April 23, 2023	
Sunday Collection	\$3,618.00
Easter	\$20.00
Share Lent(School)	\$179.25

The weekend of May 21st there is a special collection for the Pope's Pastoral Work. Envelopes will be available at the back of the church.

**Sixth Sunday of Easter**  
May 14, 2023

**Gospel Reading** John 14.15-21  
Jesus promises his disciples that he will send them another advocate, the Spirit of truth.

**Monday, May 15**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Josefa Jovellanos  
(req. by Barb Jaskulski)

**Tuesday, May 16**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Dennis Amell  
(req. by St. Alexander CWL)

**Wednesday, May 17**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Spec. int. of Dwayne Andrus  
(req. by Edna O'Rourke & Jeanie Stoyka)

**Thursday, May 18**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Spec. int. of Sharon Forgeron  
(req. by Irma Ruitter)

**Friday, May 19**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Spec. int. of Helen Valiquette  
(req. by Edna O'Rourke)

**Saturday, May 20**  
(The Ascension of the Lord)  
5:00 p.m. Mass - Anna Bachetti  
(req. by Joseph Speranzini & Irene Payk)  
Peter D. Buis  
(req. by Irma Ruitter)

**Sunday, May 21**  
9:00 a.m. Mass - Ruth Tatzel  
(req. by Timothy & Barbara Tatzel)  
MaryAnn Blakely  
(req. by Kathy Watson)  
11:00 a.m. Mass - People of the Parish

**Holy Hour to Pray for Vocations**  
Sunday, April 30, 3:00pm - 4:00pm Holy Hour to Pray for Vocations, Cathedral of St. Catherine of Alexandria.

Sunday, April 30 is Good Shepherd Sunday. It is also World Day of Prayer for Vocations. We will gather, under the leadership of Bishop Bergie, from all over the diocese, to pray for vocations to the priesthood, especially from and for our diocese and for vocations to the diaconate. And we shall intercede for vocations to the religious life.

**St. Therese of Lisieux**  
On April 29th we mark the 100th anniversary of the canonization of St. Therese of the Little Flower. Therese discovered the "Little Way" to become a saint:  
"To do small things with great love."



**First Holy Communion & Confirmation**  
Please pray for our students receiving their sacraments this April & May! The Grade 2 students will be celebrating the Sacrament of First Holy Communion on Sunday, April 30, 2023 at 2:00pm. The Grade 8 students will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, May 11, 2023 at 7:00pm.

**St. Alexander's Weekly Update**  
If you would like regular updates sent to your email inbox every week on Saturday, please visit [SaintAlexander.flocknote.com](http://SaintAlexander.flocknote.com) to sign up.

**CWL Events**  
The next CWL General Meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 3rd at 7 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

The St. Alexander Catholic Women's League are so very happy to announce the return of our annual June dinner. It will be held on Thursday, June 22nd at the Peninsula Lakes Golf Club. Please visit our welcome table in the foyer for further details and to sign up. The registration deadline is Sunday, June 11, 2023. All CWL members and non-members are invited.

**Catholic Education Week April 30th to May 5th**  
This year's Catholic Education Week theme is "We Are Many, We Are One." The publicly funded Catholic education system we enjoy in Ontario today is the result of the hard work and commitment of many clergy, religious and lay-people who came before us, all of whom believed that Catholic students should receive a Catholic education. This week we continue to celebrate a school system, which celebrates and defines itself on faith and mercy and embraces the message of salvation for all peoples preached by Jesus. Thank you for your continued support of Catholic education.

**Hope Centre Lunch**  
Our St. Vincent De Paul Society will be hosting lunch at the Hope Centre on Wednesday, May 17th. If you can help provide chili and buns, please sign up at the bulletin board. Thank you for your support.

**E-transfers Available**  
E-transfers to St. Alexander Parish are now possible using the email address: [donatestalexander@bellnet.ca](mailto:donatestalexander@bellnet.ca) Please make sure to put what your transfer is for in the message section i.e.: Offertory, Building Fund, etc.