

# THIS WEEK AT THE MADELEINE

Furthering the Reign of God, Where All Are Welcome • May 23–24, 2025



## Congratulations to Our 2026 Confirmandi

Thursday evening, 27 youth from The Madeleine received the Sacrament of Confirmation at All Saints from Bishop Smith, including those in Seventh and Eighth Grade who became eligible this year, and high school youth as well. Please pray for and congratulate these young Catholics as they embody the spirit of our future church.

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|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Rex Bailey        | Ari Fitzgerald    | Sigrid Lowney     | Lucia St. John       |
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| Fletcher Brigham  | Riley Hubbs       | Vincent Miller    | Lillian Vanevenhoven |
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| Ronin Coughlin    | Mason Kempner     | Jack Olsen        | Francis Wilson       |
| Leo Dalton        | Eli Krebs         | Nathan Reavis     | Magdalena Wilson     |
| Harper DuVal      | Eliana Lacey      | Gabriel Samuelson |                      |

## Send Us Your Class of 2026 High School Grads

[www.themadeleine.edu/graduates](http://www.themadeleine.edu/graduates) • Due June 3

We want to recognize all Class of 2026 high school graduates from The Madeleine in our bulletin this June. Whether she or he went to our parish school or not...we want to recognize each and every one! Simply visit



[www.themadeleine.edu/graduates](http://www.themadeleine.edu/graduates) and enter your students' info.

**We need to receive the name of your Graduate(s) name by June 3** so we can publish in our June 7 bulletin. Thank you!

## Pentecost

ON THIS FEAST OF PENTECOST, our readings reveal the power of the Holy Spirit in our lives. The Holy Spirit drives out our fear, giving us courage to go out into the world. The Spirit inspires us to make connections with others. He empowers us to do the work God is calling us to do. May we open our hearts to the fullness of the Holy Spirit.

### Pray For Our Faithful Departed

- ▶ Deborah (Hulscher) Kneeland
- ▶ John Seeronen

### Prayer Requests

For those who are ill or in need of our prayers

- ▶ Frank Galluzzo
- ▶ Carol McMenamin
- ▶ Ruthie Wieber
- ▶ Julie Masson
- ▶ Bill Stevenson
- ▶ Kevin McMenamin
- ▶ Chris Mealy
- ▶ David Hendrickson
- ▶ Griff Marshall
- ▶ Kait Skyler
- ▶ Trish Grantham
- ▶ Kitt & Corinne Jordan
- ▶ Ann Czuba
- ▶ Jean Mitchell
- ▶ Charli Phipps

### Mass Intentions


- 05/23, Sat . . . . . Alan Morrill †
- 05/24, Sun 8:00 am . . . Madeleine Community
- 10:00 am . . . . . Cathy Marie Dietrich †
- 05/26, Tues . . . . . John Nguyen †
- 05/27, Weds . . . . . No Mass Today
- 05/28, Thurs . . . . . Sixth Grade
- 05/29, Fri . . . . . Katie Kuckenberg †
- 05/30, Sat . . . . . Johnny West †
- 05/31, Sun 8:00 am . . . Madeleine Community
- 10:00 am . . . . . 2026 Confirmandi

**MEMORIAL DAY**  
**HONOR & REMEMBER FAITHFUL SACRIFICE**

**Pentecost Vespers**  
**Sunday, 5:00 pm • Details page 5**

## Calendar This Week

### 24 May • Sunday

- ▶ Coffee & Donuts—Hosted by Knights of Columbus—Fireside Rm
- 8 am: Mass—Church
- 10:00 am: Mass—Church  **ALSO LIVESTREAMS**
- 5 pm: Pentecost Vespers—Old Church, Courtyard

### 25 May • Monday

- ▶ Memorial Day—No School
- Parish Office Closed
- 6:30 pm: FA Meeting—Fireside Rm

### 26 May • Tuesday

- 8:30 am: Mass—Church
- 9 am: Adoration—Church
- 6:15 pm: Finance Council Meeting—Fireside Rm

### 27 May • Wednesday

- ▶ No Mass Today
- 5:30 pm: New Parent Social—Courtyard
- 7 pm: Madeleine Choir Rehearsal—Church

### 28 May • Thursday

- 2 pm: Mass—Church
- 7 pm: School Musical, Annie Jr!—Parish Hall

### 29 May • Friday

- 8:30 am: Mass—Church
- 3:30 pm: Foundations of Faith—Church

### 30 May • Saturday

- 2 pm: School Musical, Annie Jr!—Parish Hall
- 4 pm: Confession—Church
- 5 pm: Mass—Church

### 31 May • Sunday

- ▶ Coffee and Donuts, hosted by St. Vincent dePaul—Fireside Rm
- 8 am: Mass—Church
- 10 am: Mass—Church
- 11 am: Confirmation Class End of Year Celebration—Old Madeleine Church

## Upcoming Events

- ▶ **Coffee & Donuts:**
  - ▶ May 24—hosted by Knights of Columbus
  - ▶ May 31—hosted by St. Vincent de Paul
  - ▶ June 7—hosted by the Glavan family
- ▶ **Middle School Musical—Annie, Jr.** Parish Hall, Free
  - ▶ May 28, 7 pm
  - ▶ May 30, 2 pm
- ▶ **Feast of St. Mary Magdalene/Parish Picnic:** July 18
- ▶ **Advent Begins:** November 29
- ▶ **Madeleine Marketplace:** December 11

## PARISH LIFE

### Father & Child Photos for Father's Day Weekend

Upload to [www.themadeleine.edu/fathers](http://www.themadeleine.edu/fathers) • Due June 17

We are gathering photos for our annual Father & Child video to run at Masses on Father's Day weekend, June 20–21.

**We are starting over—all new photos!**

This year, we're making a fresh start. So even if you've sent us a photo before, please send a new one this year. Upload your best father and child(ren) photos to



[www.themadeleine.edu/fathers](http://www.themadeleine.edu/fathers)

Please, only one photo of a specific father/child grouping, and please upload only your own photos, not those of friends and classmates.

We need your photos no later than Wednesday, June 17.

Help us honor all the fathers in our community!

### Madeleine Book Club!

Do you love to read? Would you enjoy opportunities to meet with other parishioners and friends to share in genial discussion/debate over the contents of some very excellent books? If so, you are most cordially invited to join our group. For further information or to be added to our email list, please contact our MBC ministry coordinator: Gretchen Stevenson, [gypsyfrau47@yahoo.com](mailto:gypsyfrau47@yahoo.com) or 503-312-6834



### Infant Baptisms and OCIC

Parents seeking baptism for their infant or young child should submit our registration form and sign up for one of our upcoming classes. Registration forms and instructions are available at [www.themadeleine.edu/sacraments](http://www.themadeleine.edu/sacraments). Children older than 7 years and beyond 2nd grade must go through OCIA for children (OCIC). please reach out to Lauren Craig at [lcraig@themadeleine.edu](mailto:lcraig@themadeleine.edu) for more information.

THE MADELEINE SCHOOL PRESENTS...



Two shows for the public:

Thursday May 28, 7pm

Saturday May 30, 2pm

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Madeleine Parish Hall

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**Today as we celebrate Pentecost, Jesus says to his disciples:** "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." In the month of April, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul brought the love and care of Jesus to the poor by assisting 17 families: providing 597 lbs. in food from the pantry plus 17 food cards, \$200 for rent bills and 14 vouchers for assistance from the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store. Thank you..

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# Care *for our* Common Home • *Laudato Si*

**Pope Francis' Encyclical Laudato Si' was issued May 24, 2015**

We can celebrate this anniversary by praying this prayer from Laudato Si:

*Father, we praise you with all your creatures. They came forth from your all-powerful hand; they are yours, filled with your presence and your tender love. Praise be to you!*

*Son of God, Jesus, through you all things were made. You were formed in the womb of Mary our Mother, you became part of this earth, and you gazed upon this world with human eyes. Today you are alive in every creature in your risen glory. Praise be to you!*

*Holy Spirit, by your light you guide this world towards the Father's love and accompany creation as it groans in travail. You also dwell in our hearts and you inspire us to do what is good. Praise be to you!*

*Triune Lord, wondrous community of infinite love, teach us to contemplate you in the*

*beauty of the universe, for all things speak of you. Awaken our praise and thankfulness for every being that you have made. Give us the grace to feel profoundly joined to everything that is. God of love, show us our place in this world as channels of your love for all the creatures of this earth, for not one of them is forgotten in your sight. Enlighten those who possess power and money that they may avoid the sin of indifference, that they may love the common good, advance the weak, and care for this world in which we live. The poor and the earth are crying out.*

*O Lord, seize us with your power and light, help us to protect all life, to prepare for a better future, for the coming of your Kingdom of justice, peace, love and beauty. Praise be to you!*

*Amen.*

**Please consider joining** one or more of our monthly Laudato Si Gatherings by Zoom for prayer, fellowship, to share good news and practical action plans. We plan to meet this year after Sunday 10am Mass at 11:45 pacific on: 5/24, 6/28, 7/26, 8/30, 9/27, 10/25, 11/29.

For Zoom links, questions, comments or info contact Bill Hunter, [wiliamjhunterjr@gmail.com](mailto:wiliamjhunterjr@gmail.com) or text to (502) 419-5705.

## FOUNDATIONS of FAITH

*A Journey Through the Catechism  
of the Catholic Church*

The Madeleine Parish invites you to join us for a new faith formation series from Ascension Press, offered on Fridays in Ordinary Time.

Meet in the Main Church for prayer and move to the Fireside Room for a potluck supper, fellowship, and faith formation.

**Series begins Friday, May 29, at 3:30 pm in the Main Church**

Email [lcraig@themadeleine.edu](mailto:lcraig@themadeleine.edu) with questions or if you'd like to know what food/drink to bring!

Go to [ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com) for more information on the series and to order materials for following along (optional but recommended).

## Weekly Mass Times

### Regular Mass Times:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday . . . . . 8:30 am  
Thursday . . . . . School not in session: 8:30 am  
School Thursdays: 2:00 pm  
Saturday Vigil . . . . . 5:00 pm  
Sunday . . . . . 8:00 am, 10:00 am

**Penance** . . . . . Saturday, 4:00–4:40 pm

**Adoration** . . . . . Tuesdays, 9:00 am–2:00 pm

## Parish Office

**Hours** . . . . . Tuesday–Friday, 9:00 am–3:00 pm

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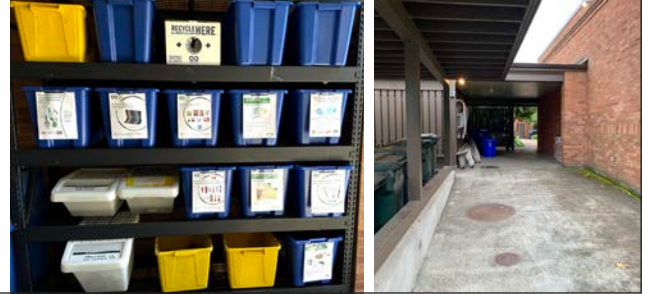
**Bulletin submissions due 5:00 pm Tuesday**  
Email to [bulletin@themadeleine.edu](mailto:bulletin@themadeleine.edu)

## RECYCLING PROGRAMS AT THE MADELEINE

Marked collection bins in the breezeway facing 23rd Ave.

The Madeleine's Laudato Si' Circle and Care for Creation Ministry have joined with U. S. based recycler, Terracycle, to offer our parish, school, and community opportunities to responsibly recycle specific items (primarily plastics) not generally handled at curbside. Terracycle has added more manufacturers to its program, and in turn, we have expanded our recycling offerings. Here is a current listing of what we are collecting. Please keep this in mind:

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- ▶ Empty containers of contents. No need to wash first; ensure packaging is dry.



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Join Oregon Retrouvaille as we host a working weekend for couples struggling in their marriages by couples who have been there in the struggle. Come August 21-23 in Canby, Oregon.

For confidential information or to register for the program call 1-800-470-2230, or 1-503-225-9191 or email: Oregon@helpourmarriage.org or visit www.helpourmarriage.org.

“ In these days leading up to the Solemnity of Pentecost, as we prepare to relive the mystery the miracle of the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the nascent Church, let us #PrayTogether to the Holy Spirit, Lord and Giver of life. May He grant us the gift of #ChristianUnity, bestow upon us enduring peace, and renew the face of the earth. ”

—Pope Leo XIV  
via X @pontifex

**OCIA Candidates and Catechumens—  
What’s the difference?**

While you might hear the two terms used interchangeably at times, there is a difference!

Catechumens are those who are not baptized and seeking to become Catholic. They begin their preparation- known as the Pre-Catechumenate- no less than one year before they enter the Catechumenate. They then undergo formation and a series of rites with the parish community before receiving the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil Mass. If you are not baptized and want to know more, reach out to our OCIA team now!

Candidates are those who were baptized Christian but not Catholic and are seeking to

come into Full Communion with the Catholic Church. They participate in formation to discern and learn more of the specific teachings of the Catholic faith while also participating in the life of the parish. Candidates can come into the Church as soon as they are ready, during any season. If you’re baptized and believe you need to wait until next Easter to come into the Church, you may be mistaken! Reach out to our team to learn more.

Unbaptized? Baptized and want to become Catholic? Baptized Catholic and missing sacraments? Contact Lauren Craig at lcraig@themadeleine.edu for more information.

**Pentecost Vespers**  
**Sunday, May 24, 5:00 pm**  
**Old Madeleine Church**

Join with the combined choirs of  
**The Madeleine and Our Lady of the Lake**  
as we celebrate in prayer and song  
the work of the Holy Spirit  
through music.



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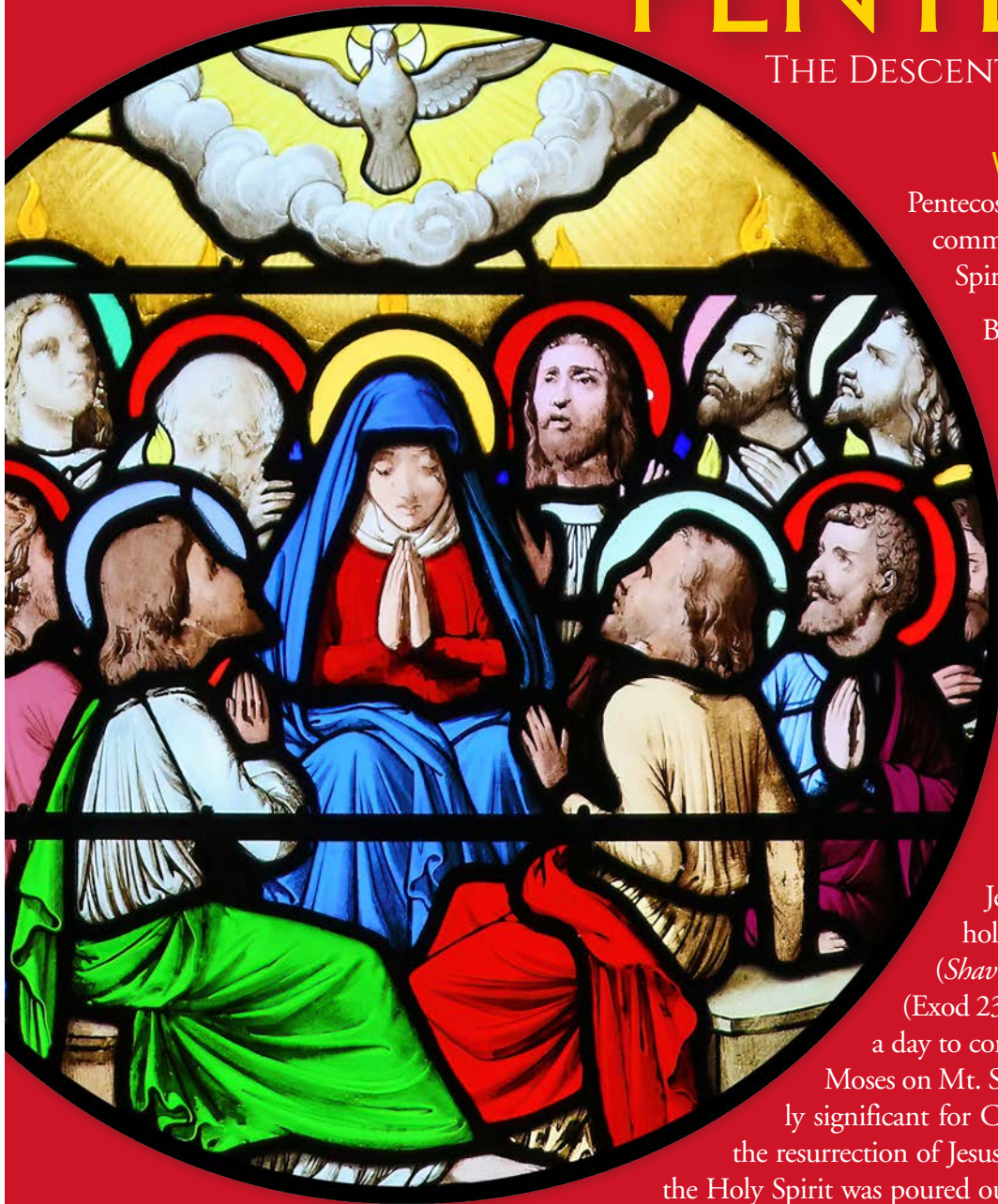
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# PENTECOST

THE DESCENT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT



## WHAT IS PENTECOST?

Pentecost is the Solemnity on which we commemorate the coming of the Holy Spirit on the early followers of Jesus.

Before the events of the first Pentecost, which came fifty days after Jesus' death and resurrection, there were followers of Jesus, but no formal movement that could be meaningfully called "the church." Thus, from an historical point of view, Pentecost can be viewed as the day on which the church began.

However, Pentecost, coming from the Greek word "fifty" or "fiftieth day," was not invented by the early Christians. Instead, they borrowed it from Greek-speaking Jews who used the phrase to refer to a holiday known as the Festival of Weeks (*Shavuot*). Originally a harvest festival (Exod 23:16), Pentecost, in time, turned into a day to commemorate the giving of the law to Moses on Mt. Sinai. This day later became especially significant for Christians because, seven weeks after the resurrection of Jesus, during the celebration of *Shavuot*, the Holy Spirit was poured out upon his first followers, thus empowering them for their mission and gathering them together as a church.

## THE FIRST PENTECOST

That first Pentecost occurred as a group of Christ's disciples had gathered in Jerusalem during the *Shavuot* recorded in Acts, Chapter 2:

*"When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim."*

The Spirit energized the disciples and empowered them to continue Jesus' mission to proclaim the good news of salvation and gather everyone into Jesus' kingdom community. They demonstrated this power by speaking in languages understood by the visitors to Jerusalem from across the ancient lands.



## Come Holy Spirit

*Veni Sancte Spiritus*, (“Come Holy Spirit”) sometimes called the “Golden Sequence,” is the sequence for the Mass for Pentecost. The hymn has been attributed to three different authors, King Robert II the Pious of France (970-1031), Pope Innocent III (1161-1216), and Stephen Langton (d 1228), Archbishop of Canterbury although it has been attributed to others as well. Originally composed in Latin, the following is the one typically heard at Mass.

Come, Holy Spirit, come!  
And from your celestial home  
Shed a ray of light divine!

Come, Father of the poor!  
Come, source of all our store!  
Come, within our bosoms shine.

You, of comforters the best;  
You, the soul’s most welcome guest;  
Sweet refreshment here below;

In our labor, rest most sweet;  
Grateful coolness in the heat;  
Solace in the midst of woe.

O most blessed Light divine,  
Shine within these hearts of yours,  
And our inmost being fill!

Where you are not, we have naught,  
Nothing good in deed or thought,  
Nothing free from taint of ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew;  
On our dryness pour your dew;  
Wash the stains of guilt away:

Bend the stubborn heart and will;  
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;  
Guide the steps that go astray.

On the faithful, who adore  
And confess you, evermore  
In your sevenfold gift descend;

Give them virtue’s sure reward;  
Give them your salvation, Lord;  
Give them joys that never end. Amen.  
Alleluia.

## GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

The Holy Spirit was poured out upon the Church on the first Pentecost just as it was for each of us in baptism. The Spirit continues to empower us not only to *believe*, but to *act* as disciples.



The Holy Spirit provides gifts. These gifts, according to the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, make us part of the Body of Christ and then enable us to strengthen that Body and the whole world by the way we live.

**Wisdom** is the gift of knowledge about divine matters, particularly about the will of God.

**Understanding** helps us to see beyond the surface to find meaning in the mystery of our human life. In particular, this gift helps us to see how our faith unites us to God and to one another.

**Counsel** directs our attention to God as the source of genuine values and helps us apply judgment to particular actions. Counsel also helps us assist others in finding which course to take.

**Courage** helps us to do what we know is right—even when we are afraid.

**Knowledge** is the insight into what we ought to believe and what is not worthy of belief.

**Reverence** leads us to respect and give honor to God and to others. Reverence helps us subject ourselves to God and ask for what we need.

**Fear of the Lord** gives us a healthy awe in the face of the mystery of Almighty God. Rather than making us afraid of God, fear of the Lord helps us to abandon ourselves to the Love that is God.

## SYMBOLS OF THE SEASON

**Baptism and confirmation** were once celebrated as a part of Pentecost Sunday for those who did not receive the sacraments on Easter. John the Baptist baptized with water in the River Jordan and spoke of a baptism with the Holy Spirit that Jesus would bring. When Jesus was baptized with water by John, the Spirit descended upon him like a dove (Luke 3:15-22).

**Tongues of fire** appeared to hover over the disciples on Pentecost—a sign of the Lord’s presence and power. In the Old Testament, fire was often a sign of God’s presence and holiness, which might purify or punish.

**Red**, the liturgical color for Pentecost Day, reminds us of the offering of life—lives of Christian martyrs gone before us and of our own lives poured out in the service of Christ.

**The Holy Spirit** is represented in Scripture in various ways—as a peaceful dove, as life-giving breath or invisible wind, or as visible fire that transforms what it touches. Throughout Scripture, the Spirit is the Lord’s gift to his people to give life, faith and understanding.



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