

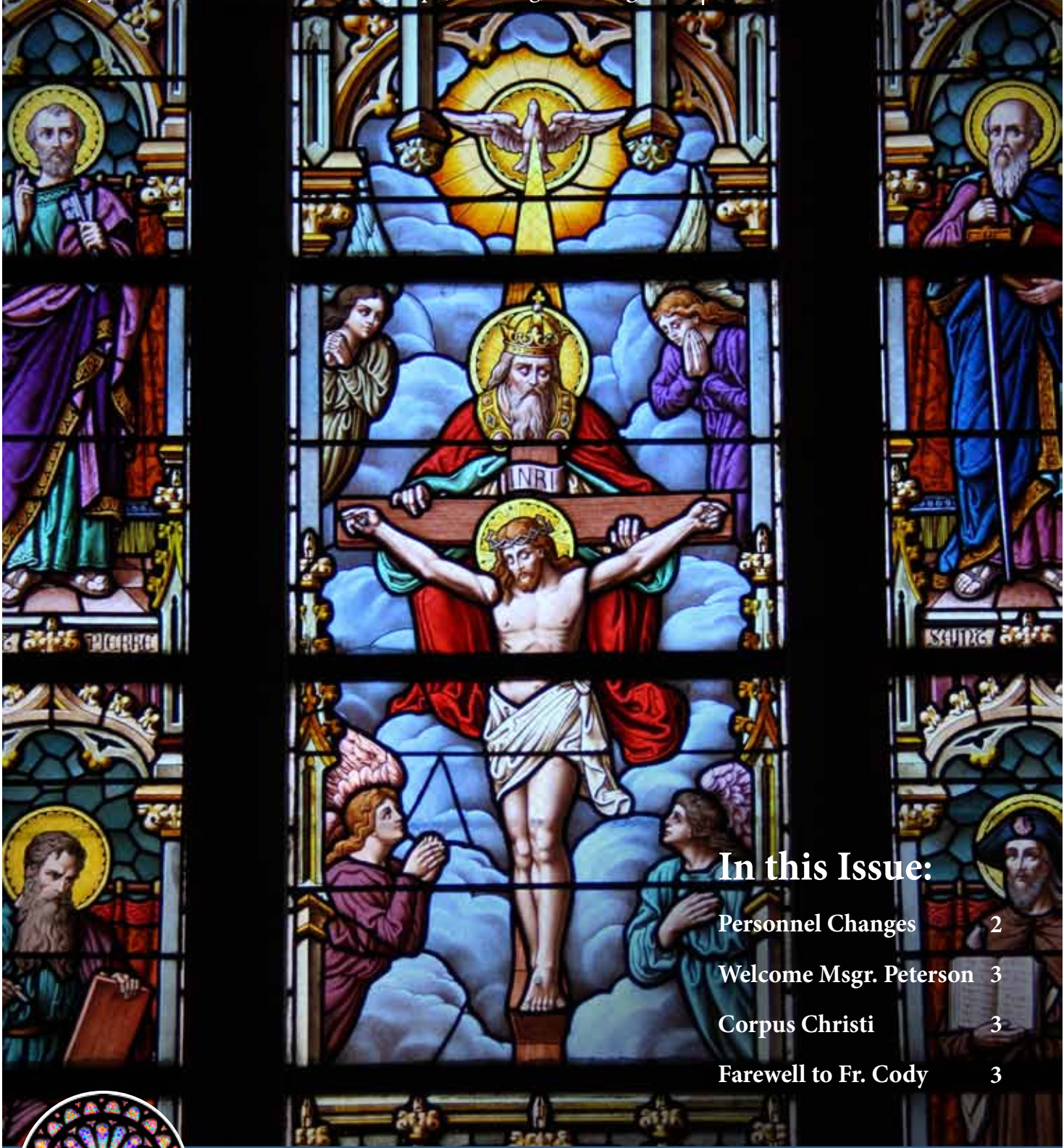
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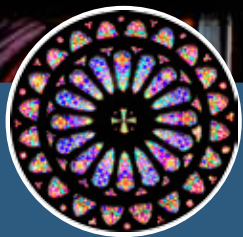
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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Saint Joseph Cathedral Parish is called to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ as a community. We are committed: to our urban neighborhoods, to being the Cathedral of the Diocese, and to fellowship, formation, sacrament, and prayer.

This Week

At The Cathedral

June 16 - 23, 2019



SUN 16 **THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**
 (Sat) 6:00 PM Mass for Leonard Romanek
 8:00 AM Mass for Paul & Kathy Boron
on the occasion of their 50th anniversary
 10:30 AM Mass for the Parishioners

MON 17 **Weekday in Ordinary Time (Week 11)**
 12:05 PM Mass for Margaret Bosold

TUE 18 **Weekday in Ordinary Time**
 12:05 PM Mass for Dale Shutler

WED 19 **Saint Romuald, abbot**
 12:05 PM Mass for Dr. Adiel Anghie

THU 20 **Weekday in Ordinary Time**
 12:05 PM Mass for Rosario Pirraglia

FRI 21 **Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, religious**
 11:15 AM Confessions
 12:05 PM Mass for Keith Sorge

SAT 22 **Saint Paulinus of Nola, bishop;
 Saints John Fisher, bishop, and Thomas More,
 martyrs**
 9:00 AM Mass for Earl Stephen Godfrey
 9:30 AM Rosary
 5:00 PM Confessions
 6:00 PM Mass for Esther Smoulder

SUN 23 **THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST
 (CORPUS CHRISTI)**
 8:00 AM Mass for the Parishioners
 10:30 AM Mass for Nicholas & Nimnoom Ghaphery
 6:00 PM Solemn Vespers with Benediction



Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Proverbs 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. What we are commemorating is a central reality of our Christian faith, that God is Trinitarian in nature — three distinct persons in one God.

The Church calls this truth a mystery, as indeed it is. Some have said that “mystery” in this context is “not a wall to run up against but an ocean in which to swim.” Contemplating the “ocean depths” of this mystery can make us humans feel so small, and almighty God so far from us. Yet nothing could be further from the truth as today’s readings demonstrate.

In the second reading, St. Paul reminds us that God is intimately connected to us. “The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.” God wants to live in the very depths of our being and in all the intimate details of our lives if we will let Him.

And in the Gospel from St. John, we learn that God holds back nothing of Himself from us. Jesus tells His disciples (this includes us!) that the Holy Spirit “will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything the Father has is mine.” Thus we find ourselves drawn right into the midst of this Trinitarian love. In fact, if the mystery of Holy Trinity is an ocean which to swim, the “water” that makes up that ocean is love.

What, then, should be our response to this sublime mystery? All we can do is worship and offer our lives back to God in total gratitude for calling us to live in the richness of such unfathomable love. 🙏

Diocesan Personnel Changes

Archbishop William E. Lori, Acting in his capacity as Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, announced on Monday, June 10, 2019 the following personnel changes involving officials of the Chancery.

Monsignor Frederick Annie resigned as Vicar General of the Diocese in September and has been assigned as Assistant Priest in Residence at St. Mary, Star City Parish in Morgantown.

Monsignor Anthony Cincinnati resigned today as Vicar for Clergy and will continue serving as Pastor of St. Francis De Sales Parish in Morgantown.

Monsignor Kevin Quirk resigned today as Judicial Vicar and Rector of the Cathedral of St. Joseph and further announced his decision to step down from his position on the Board of Directors at Wheeling Jesuit University and Wheeling Hospital. Monsignor Quirk will serve as a Priest in Residence at Mater Dolorosa (Paden City) and St. Vincent De Paul (New Martinsville) Parishes and Holy Rosary (Sistersville) and St. Joseph (Proctor) Missions, where he will assist Administrator Rev. Brian J. Crenwelge in his pastoral duties. Father Crenwelge will also serve as Interim Director of Vocations for the Diocese.

Monsignor Joseph Peterson, currently Pastor of St. Michael Parish in Wheeling, will serve as Interim Rector of St. Joseph Cathedral and Reverend Carlos Melocoton Jr. will serve as Pastor of St. Michael.

To read the complete announcement, visit www.dwc.org

Welcome Msgr. Peterson

Archbishop William E. Lori, Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, has appointed Rev. Msgr. Joseph L. Peterson to serve as the Interim Rector of the Cathedral of Saint Joseph. Monsignor Peterson will begin his term at the Cathedral by celebrating the weekend Masses on June 15/16. Msgr. Peterson will greet parishioners following the Masses that weekend.

Farewell to Father Cody

Archbishop William Lori has appointed Father Cody Ford as associate pastor of St. Patrick Parish in Weston, St. Boniface Parish in Camden, and Good Shepherd Mission in Glenville with residence at the rectory in Glenville, effective June 19, 2019. We are truly grateful for Father Cody's presence and ministry among us at the Cathedral over the past several months. May the Lord God continue to bless and guide him in his priestly ministry.

Traveling this Summer?

Take an hour, even on vacation, to attend Mass where you can remember to thank God for your blessings and to seek his divine protection for you and your family. There is a great website, www.masstimes.org, that can help you to locate the nearest Catholic Church and the times for Mass while traveling.

Catholic Sharing Appeal

The 2019 Catholic Sharing Appeal (CSA) theme, Sowing Seeds of HOPE, provides a sense of purpose and direction for our diocese as we meet the challenges of today and work toward the future to make our Church ever more vibrant and relevant. The CSA is an essential way to reach beyond ourselves and our parish and give HOPE to others through ministries, programs and services which enrich a Christ-centered way of life.

All gifts to the CSA help fund ministries and programs that benefit parishes, missions, schools, CCWVa and other Diocesan programs.

Pledges and one-time donations can be sent to:

Catholic Sharing Appeal
P.O. Box 230
Wheeling, WV 26003

Donations can also be made online at: dwc.org/csa

Corpus Christi

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 23

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ is also known as the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, which translates from Latin to "Body of Christ." This feast originated in France in the mid-thirteenth century and was extended to the whole Church by Pope Urban IV in 1264. It is, moreover, the Church's official act of homage and gratitude to Christ, who by instituting the Holy Eucharist gave to the Church her greatest treasure.

The Eucharistic Procession following the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Corpus Christi Sunday, June 23 has been cancelled for this year. However, the celebration of Solemn Vespers will still be held at 6:00 p.m. During the celebration of Vespers, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed and Benediction will be celebrated.

Please join us for this special celebration in honor of Our Eucharistic Lord and King.

A Prayer for Father's Day

God our Father,
you govern and protect your people
and shepherd them with a father's love.
You place a father in a family as a sign
of your love, care,
and constant protection.

May fathers everywhere be faithful to
the example shown in the Scriptures:
steadfast in love,
forgiving transgressions,
sustaining the family,
caring for those in need.

Give your wisdom to fathers that they
may encourage and guide
their children.
Keep them healthy
so they may support a family.

Guide every father with the Spirit of
your love that they may grow
in holiness and draw their family
ever closer to you.
Amen.

*May Saint Joseph,
head of the Holy Family,
bless, protect, and
intercede for all fathers.*

MASS TIMES & INFO

SUN	6:00 pm (SAT) 8:00 am 10:30 am
MON-FRI SAT	12:05 pm 9:00 am



CONFESSIONS

FRI 11:15-11:45 am

SAT 5:00-5:45 pm

or by appointment

BAPTISMS / INITIATION

Both Baptism and the Rite of Initiation for Adults can be arranged by contacting the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Engaged couples who are members of the Cathedral parish should contact the parish office.

CONFESSIONS / COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Please call the parish office to arrange for a visit.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Registration forms can be obtained through the parish office. Please notify the parish office of address changes through the parish office or by visiting the website.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Announcements for the Cathedral Courier must be submitted to Debbie Fahey by email to dfahey@dwc.org by noon on Monday (5 days prior to publication).

Weekly Collection

June 9, 2019

Envelopes: \$2926

Loose: \$985

Online: \$360

*Thank you for your
generosity and support.*



In your charity, please keep in your prayers:

Andrew Helfer, Archer Hatch, Arthur Danehart, Austin Cook, Barb Mazzocca, Bertha Wurtzbacher, Betty Lou Galloway, Betty Teater, Bill Wilson, Bob Armstrong, Bob Jones, Brogan Gallentine, Caleb Hlebiczk, Charles Heizer, Children of the Youth Services System, Christina Helfer, Chuck Fair, David A. Kress, Jr., Dustin Ronevich, Father Edwin Keel, S.M., Eva Wood, Father Joseph Wilhelm, Frank Davis, Fred Herink, Frederick C. Schweizer, Gail Koch, George Kirchner, Geri Adams Nagy, Helen Chiazza, Hines Rotriga, James Benner, Jane Rudari, Marlene Martin, Janet Cupp, Janie, Jean and Chuck Schultz, Jim Antill, Jim and Dee, Jimmy Hocking, John Petrella, Jon-Michael Lasher, Judy Pack, Julia Sheets, Kathy Cooley, Kaitlyn Hanasky, Kenneth Shores, Kermit Klosterman, Liam Manning, Lukie Brown, Margaret Stocke, Mark Davis, Martha Yocum, Mary Ann Fowler, Mary K. Schlosser, Mary Walicki, Michael DeBlasis, Milissa Rose, Milly Burke, Mona Wurtzbacher, Nadine Greenwood, Norma Bosold, Patricia Kalisz, Pete Mack, Philippa Shores, R. J. Stocke, Richard Simon, Rick Burgy, Ron Hickman, Rosalie Davis, Rose Otey, Sarah Hanasky, Sarah Sargent, Shirley DeCaria, Sr. Mary Florence Burke, Stanley Kyr, Stephanie Bugaj, Susan Graff, Susan Mize, Susan Schulte, Tammy, Thelma Pearson, Trystan Timmons, Victoria Jeskey

Come and Follow Me As Fishers of Men

June 20 through 22, 2019

St. John Paul II College Seminary, Washington, D.C.

Learn what it means to be a priest and his role of saving souls. For High School Men June 20-22, Washington, D.C., St. John Paul II College Seminary. Come visit the nation's capital and have a blast visiting famous Catholic sites and learn more about the Catholic priesthood and what its like to be in seminary. For more information or to RSVP contact Rick Teachout in the diocesan Vocations Office at (304) 233-0880, ext. 442 or rteachout@dwc.org.

Infant of Prague Novena

July 1 through August 27, 2019; Nine Mondays at 7:00 p.m.

Saint Mary's Church, 20 N Fourth Street, Martins Ferry, OH

The Infant of Prague Society invites you to attend the 27th Annual Novena to the Infant Jesus of Prague with Benediction.

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The Last Word Spoken

BY ALEXJ. NAGEM

I like being in the Cathedral early in the morning before I head over to the Chancery to begin my day behind a desk and in front of a computer screen, waiting for the telephone to ring so I can work on another problem of the day. This time alone with our Triune God allows for a conversation that only He can hear. This conversation is one of emotion, fear, happiness, relief, a cry for help, forgiveness, and asking for the strength to carry on for one more day. The focus of the conversation is always on Jesus Christ. The last words spoken as I walk out the heavy wooden doors may change from day to day. Some days I ask, "Be with me, Lord." Other days I may say, "I love you, Jesus." And yet other days I may just say, "Thank you, Lord." Some days I may leave in silence. The silence allows for all the words spoken by God to sink in. The last words spoke by God, may be those that give me a feeling of calm, that all will be okay.

Each Sunday, well most Sundays, I sit in front of Frank at 8am Mass. After Mass, I turn to shake Frank's hand before I leave. Frank, always with a smile, says, "Have a good week, Alex." As I walk up the street to my car, I can still hear his voice of those last words spoken. I whisper to myself, "God, I hope so." There are days through the week when I am walking to the Chancery, I remember Frank's last words to me, "Have a good week." Again, I say, "God, I hope so." What other ways can one have a good week, but to follow the teachings of Jesus Christ, to have Him be your focus each day, and every minute of the day?

What are the last words you would want God to hear from you? Would they be words of love, wisdom, truth, spiritual, affection, or a wish for a good

week? If all we do is to give honor to God, what would you say? Would you tell someone to stay focused on Jesus? Would you ask for God to bless someone? If not, why? Are you shy or embarrassed to have your last words to someone, "God bless you?" If our focus is to be on God the Father, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, saying, "God bless you, God be with you" should come easy, right? When did we lose the interest in asking God to bless or be with someone? If you told someone unexpectedly, "God bless you," would you think those few words would stay with them in the same manner as Frank's words to me? To have a good week, I know I must stay focused on Jesus. I know I must have the Holy Spirit as a guide through all things, which is a comfort to me. This is what I think about with the words, "Have a good week." I imagine Frank never thought his words would have this much meaning to me.

If I were to leave you with final words that allow for thought, I would use a quote of St. Vincent de Paul, "Our business is to attain Heaven, and everything else is a sheer waste of time." Think about the meaning of attaining Heaven. Think of the beauty and experiences that await us. What do you picture Heaven to be? If you haven't an idea of what to expect, then you haven't given Heaven much thought, am I correct? Think about the time you have wasted on needless things. Think about the arguments you had with someone you love. You don't want the last words spoken to be of hate or belittlement, do you? If these are your last words spoken, what do you think the first words spoken will be to you on judgment day? Oh, you must believe in a judgment day for this thought to

place a knot in your stomach. Do you want to take the chance that there is not a judgment day? Besides, should your last words spoken to someone provide hurt or shame? If so, you have lost focus on what should be most meaningful in our lives.

Aging is a wonderful part of life. One can think of all that has been done to help lead others toward Jesus Christ. One can think of all that has been done wrong at a young age filled with hormones and little common sense. One can think of the words said to bring comfort, joy, and maybe a little thought of Jesus Christ into their day. What will your last words be to someone today or tomorrow?

May God bless you with each step you take toward Him.

You are remembered in my prayers as I hope I am remembered in yours.

"Vocatus Atque Non Vocatus, Deus Aderit" 🍀



Quote from the Early Church Fathers

Prayer

by Origen (185-254 AD)

"May the Lord Jesus put his hands on our eyes also, for then we too shall begin to look not at what is seen but at what is not seen. May he open the eyes that are concerned not with the present but with what is yet to come, may he unseal the heart's vision, that we may gaze on God in the Spirit, through the same Lord, Jesus Christ, whose glory and power will endure throughout the unending succession of ages."

Scripture Readings

The readings are included each week so that those who are unable to join us for daily Mass will be able to consider and pray them in union with the whole Church.

Week of June 16

Monday

2 Corinthians 6:1-10
Ps 98:1, 2, 3, 3-4
Matthew 5:38-42

Tuesday

2 Corinthians 8:1-9
Ps 146:2, 5-6, 6-7, 8-9
Matthew 5:43-48

Wednesday

2 Corinthians 9:6-11
Ps 11:1-2, 3-4, 9
Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday

2 Corinthians 11:1-11
Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 7-8
Matthew 6:7-15

Friday

2 Corinthians 11:18, 21-30
Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
Matthew 6:19-23

Saturday

2 Corinthians 12:1-10
Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13
Matthew 6:24-32

Sunday

Genesis 14:18-20
Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4
1 Corinthians 11:23-26
Luke 9:11-17



This Week with the Saints

June 19 - Aristocratic-born **Saint Romuald** (951-1027) led a wild life as a young person in tenth-century Italy. This changed at age twenty when he saw his father murder another man. Filled with horror, Romuald fled to a Benedictine monastery to do penance for his father's actions. Even monks found him uncomfortably holy, so he left and wandered throughout Italy, establishing his own monasteries and hermitages along the way. He eventually formed the Order of Camaldoli, a religious group of men who combined the cenobitic tradition of communal living with the eremitical (hermit) life of the Eastern monks. He lived a long life, dying of natural causes in 1027.



June 21 - Raised in a wealthy aristocratic family in Italy, **Saint Aloysius Gonzaga** (1568-1591) became aware at the age of seven that treasures in this lifetime can't satisfy the longings of the heart. Much to the disappointment of his father, Aloysius renounced his inheritance to join the Society of Jesus. His short life as a Jesuit was marked by austere piety, theological study, and service to the sick in a Jesuit hospital, he contracted a plague which led to his death.



Patronage: Catholic youth; Teenagers; Jesuit students

June 22 - **Saint Paulinus of Nola** (c.354-431) was raised in a family of wealthy politicians in Bordeaux. His interests were varied: everything from practicing law to writing poetry, from traveling to governing. After the death of a newly born son, he and his wife, Therasia, gave away the family fortune to the poor and to the Church. Saint Paulinus and Therasia moved to Italy where they began to live, along with some other friends, a life of prayer and service. They lived in a two-story building in which the first floor provided a place of rest for the wayward and the lost, and the second floor was their place of residence based on the rhythms of monasticism. Gaining a reputation for holiness, Saint Paulinus was ordained a priest and was eventually made a bishop of Nola.



Also on June 22, **Saint John Fisher** (1469-1535) and **Saint Thomas More** (1478-1535) lived during a time of great upheaval and reformation. Both were friends and consultants of King Henry VIII, and both were executed because they would not declare the king's supremacy over the Church. Saint John Fisher, born in Yorkshire, was an astute scholar recognized for his profound insight into the complex questions of life. He held many positions of esteem, including tutor to the young Henry VIII, Chancellor of Cambridge University, and bishop of Rochester. Saint Thomas More, born in London, was a family man characterized by a deep affection for his wife and three daughters. He, too, held many powerful positions in the Church and in society, in particular, a Parliament lawyer, Speaker of the House of Commons, and Chancellor England. *Patronage:* Lawyers, Civil Servants, Politicians



*All holy men and women,
Saints of God,
pray for us!*



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