

Belleville Diocese has NEW BISHOP: 5-1-2026
GOD bless Most Rev. Godfrey Mullen, the New Bishop of Belleville Diocese. We thank God for Episcopal Ordination of Godfrey Mullen as the 10th Bishop of Belleville Diocese

Pray for the increase in Priestly Vocations in our Diocese
JESUS said: The harvest is rich but the workers are very few. So ask GOD the FATHER, ask the LORD OF THE HARVEST to send out many workers into his harvest. **Matthew 9:37-38**

GOD Bless, Anoint, Protect and Strengthen Pope Leo XIV
GOD said to Joshua. Be strong and be courageous. No one will be able to stand against you as long as you live. As I was with Moses, I will be with you: I will not leave you or forsake you ~ **Joshua 1:5-6**

Pope Leo's Prayer Intentions for May - That all might have food
Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food. - *JESUS help us to feed the hungry - Mt 25:35*

Pray for Priests in stressful situations - says Pope Leo XIV
Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need, and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

PRAY FOR FAMILIES IN STRESSFUL SITUATIONS.
GOD says - For I am the LORD your GOD who takes hold of your right hand and says to you; Do not fear, I will help you ~ **Isaiah 41:13**

LORD SEND YOUR SPIRIT + CREATE US ANEW: Psalm 104:30
Come Holy Spirit and anoint our Church gathered here. Holy Spirit invite others to come and join our Church, or come back to Church.

GOD HAS BEST PLAN FOR BELLEVILLE DIOCESE
God says - I know the best plans I have for you. Plans for peace, and not evil, to give you Hope and a Future - **Jeremiah 29:11**

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH FAMILY
Thank you very much for the prayers and all support you have given to our Parish Family. Thank you for your constant attendance at Mass.

PARISH TRUSTEES, PARISH COUNCIL, PARISHIONERS, VISITORS.
I thank God through Jesus Christ for you all and for your faith. ~**Romans 1:8-9**
The friends here greet you. Greet friends there each by name ~ **3 John v15**

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CHRIST LOVES YOU

~ John 15:9

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 6:1-7 *** Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 *** 1 Pt 2:4-9 *** Jn 14:1-12

For Mass Readings: <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings>

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MASS TIMES

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Weekday Mass Sunday @Cairo
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Tues-Fri: 8:00 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m.

Come & Pray with Us

May Birthdays

**Socorro Windhorst-May 1; James Travis Martin-May 3; Dolly Ptak-May 4;
Rick Grace-May 9; Barbara Worthen-May 12; Marife Scott-May 26;
Jenna Golnik-May 27; Richard Hannan-May 31**

May Anniversaries

**David & Monica Sanders-May 5; Ryan & Kim Fairchild-May 27;
Roger & Lisa Miller-May 29**

**St. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH & ST. PATRICK PARISH.
Psalm 80:19 says**

O LORD, restore us: Let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

Matthew 5:6 says

LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE BEFORE OTHERS

so that seeing your good works they may give glory to God the Father

GOD BLESS ABUNDANTLY THE DIOCESE OF BELLEVILLE.

The LORD bless you and keep you! The LORD let his face shine on you and be gracious to you! The LORD look upon you kindly and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26

Bishop Godfrey Mullen: Jesus says: Feed my sheep ~Jn 21:15-19

Jesus asked Simon Peter three time: Simon son of John, Do you love me more than these? Peter said Lord you know everything: you know that I do love you. Jesus said to him: Feed my lambs. Tend my sheep. Feed my sheep. Follow me.

Pope Leo: Jesus says to you. I have prayed for you ~Lk 22:32.

Jesus told Simon: I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail. And when you get new strength, you must strengthen your brethren.

April 18th & April 19th, 2026

Parishioners Envelopes	\$795.00	Building & Maintenance	522.00
Candles	\$21.00	Easter Offering	\$30.00
Outreach	\$260.00	TOTAL	\$1628.00

April 25th & April 26th, 2026

Parishioners Envelopes	\$720.00	Building&Maintenance	\$1302.00
Candles	\$20.00	CatholicHomeMissions	\$375.00
Outreach	\$100.00	St. Rose T-shirt	\$15.00
		TOTAL	\$2532.00

GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS.

~LORD GOOD loves a cheerful giver! ~Corinthians 9:7

~I MYSELF will bless you abundantly. ~Hebrews 6:14

WEEKLY MASS INTENTION

Mary Jo Elliot-May 3; Elisa Vivarelli-May 9; Hanns Bell-May 10;
Travis Stamme-May-12; LaFont & Jackson families-May 16;
Glen & Deloris Spruell-May 17; Thomas Flock-May 23;
Hanns Bell-May 24

Masses are available for weekdays, Saturday, and Sunday

PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER so you too may be healed—James 5:16

*We pray for the sick of our families, our parish and in the whole world.

*We pray for our brothers, sister who died, and are gone to the FATHER.