

Activities This Week

Finals Fun Fun: Monday-Thursday

Newman Club Lunch: Wednesday 11:00am-1:00pm

Breakfast Club (Prayer and Breakfast): Thursday 7:15am

Adoration: Thursday 10am-12pm

Commencement: May 11th and 12th

Lord's Diner Service Night: May 18th

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Adoration



Thursdays Adoration will be shortened due to Finals Week. If you would like to sign up for a time, please do so on the sign in sheet on the front table just outside the Chapel doors. Spending quiet time in prayer is a great way to finish out the school year!

FINALS FUN FUN

<p style="text-align: center;">Sunday After Mass</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Newman Club Meeting</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Monday After 9pm Mass</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">DODGEBALL</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday After 9pm Mass</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">GAME NIGHT</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SAND VOLLEYBALL and SPIKE BALL</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7pm</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday After Mass</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MOVIE & PIZZA "The Greatest Showman"</p> 
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ACTIVITIES

Mass Times

Sunday 6:00 pm



Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

9:00pm

Confessions 30 Minutes before all Masses

May 6, 2018

Sixth Sunday of Easter Sunday

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Message from Fr. David

As well as being finals week and the end of school, this week is also beginning of the Pentecost Novena to the Holy Spirit. A novena is 9 consecutive days of prayer for a specific intention. The novena has a long tradition in our Church – “long” meaning 2,000 years. The first novena was this one! The apostles went to the upper room in Jerusalem and prayed 9 days for the Holy Spirit to come upon them to give them courage to spread the Gospel. As an added bonus, they got to speak in other languages as well. Pretty cool. Here are the basic prayers for the Novena. Look up Pentecost Novena online and they have specific prayers for each day.

Holy Spirit set our hearts on fire with your love!

Novena to the Holy Spirit for the Seven Gifts

ACT OF CONSECRATION TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

On my knees before the great multitude of heavenly witnesses, I offer myself, soul and body to You, Eternal Spirit of God. I adore the brightness of Your purity, the unerring keenness of Your justice, and the might of Your love. You are the Strength and Light of my soul. In You I live and move and am. I desire never to grieve You by unfaithfulness to grace and I pray with all my heart to be kept from the smallest sin against You. Mercifully guard my every thought and grant that I may always watch for Your light, and listen to Your voice, and follow Your gracious inspirations. I cling to You and give myself to You and ask You, by Your compassion to watch over me in my weakness. Holding the pierced Feet of Jesus and looking at His Five Wounds, and trusting in His Precious Blood and adoring His opened Side and stricken Heart, I implore You, Adorable Spirit, Helper of my infirmity, to keep me in Your grace that I may never sin against You. Give me grace, O Holy Spirit, Spirit of the Father and the Son to say to You always and everywhere, "Speak Lord for Your servant heareth." Amen.

To be recited daily during the Novena

PRAYER FOR THE SEVEN GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

O Lord Jesus Christ, Who, before ascending into heaven, did promise to send the Holy Spirit to finish Your work in the souls of Your Apostles and Disciples, deign to grant the same Holy Spirit to me that He may perfect in my soul, the work of Your grace and Your love. Grant me the Spirit of Wisdom that I may despise the perishable things of this world and aspire only after the things that are eternal, the Spirit of Understanding to enlighten my mind with the light of Your divine truth, the Spirit of Counsel that I may ever choose the surest way of pleasing God and gaining heaven, the Spirit of Fortitude that I may bear my cross with You and that I may overcome with courage all the obstacles that oppose my salvation, the Spirit of Knowledge that I may know God and know myself and grow perfect in the science of the Saints, the Spirit of Piety that I may find the service of God sweet and amiable, and the Spirit of Fear that I may be filled with a loving reverence towards God and may dread in any way to displease Him. Mark me, dear Lord, with the sign of Your true disciples and animate me in all things with Your Spirit. Amen.

Liturgical Ministers

Mon 5/7	9:00 PM	Wed. 5/9	9:00 PM
Intention	Jodi Stuhsatz	Intention	Carolyn Buche
Servers:	Ryan Asauskas	Server:	Ethan Stallbaumer
Reader:	Robbie Grabendike	Reader:	Amy Suenram
Sacristan:	Noelle Dooley	Sacristan:	Abbi Morgan
Tues. 5/8	9:00 PM	Thurs. 5/10	9:00 PM
Intention	Hannah Pintar	Intention	Rece Dawson
Servers:	Noah Smith	Server:	Gerard Eck
Reader:	Abby Normand	Reader:	Riley Zerr
Sacristan:	Alexei Patterson	Sacristan:	Rachel Vowell

Will you be around this Summer?

We are compiling a list of students who will be around this summer. So, if you will be around and want to know about the activities going on around SPX, please stop by the office and let Amy know.

May and December 2018 Graduates

If you are graduating in 2018, either May or December, please stop by the office as Father David has a gift for you.

Congratulations Graduates

Father David, the staff and the students at SPX would like to congratulate all PSU graduating Seniors. Be assured of our prayers as you begin the next chapter in your faith journey. Be sure to send us your contact information so you can be on the Newsletter list!

May God continue to bless you all!

Mass Schedule

There will be a 9pm Mass weeknights this week, Monday-Thursday. During the Summer months there will be Mass on Sundays at 6pm every week. The weekday Masses will not be on the same schedule. Father David will say Mass here from time to time. Check Facebook times and dates.