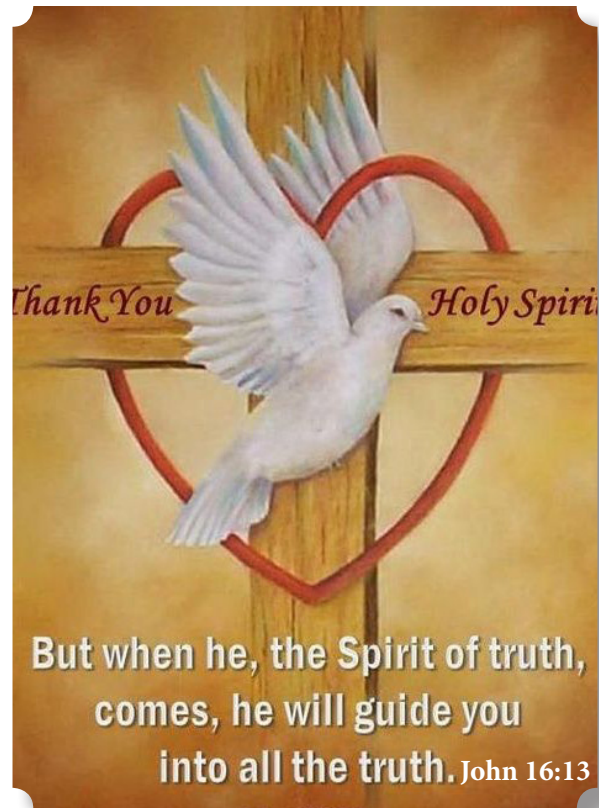


Dear Friends and Families of St.Mary's

"The Holy Spirit illuminates the minds of people, makes us yearn for God, and takes spiritual truth and makes it understandable to us."



In life we are often confronted with situations that seem confusing and contradictory, and we may wonder where we are going and what the outcome might be. We may feel quite helpless in these circumstances.

On the night before His death, Jesus was aware of the implications for his followers as a result of his forthcoming death and eventual return to his Father in Heaven. Jesus promised that he would not leave his disciples to make their own way in this world. And, He would send the Holy Spirit to guide them on their journey.

The Holy Spirit gives expression to the on-going presence of Jesus with his followers. This is what we are celebrating on the Feast of Pentecost. We all need the Holy Spirit to lead and guide us in the way of truth and holiness.

From May 22 to May 30th we are praying the Novena prayers and celebrating Masses for the coming of the Holy Spirit, on the Feast of Pentecost, to strengthen us as God's children.

**Please try to sign-up and come to the daily masses at 8 am.
Weekend masses as scheduled. Follow the sign up sheet.**

St. Mary's is open for Adoration.
Special Adoration on May 30th noon to 4.30pm.