APRIL 28, 2024 - 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Good morning and welcome to this celebration of the Eucharist at Christ the Redeemer Parish in Manville.

The saint's memorial and feast days for this week are:

Monday – St. Catherine of Siena Tuesday – St. Pius V Wednesday – St. Joseph the Worker Thursday – St. Athanasius Friday- Our Lady Queen of Poland; Sts. Philip & James, Apostles

After Mass today, members of the children of the Parish and the Knights of Columbus will be distributing empty baby bottles to all those who want to financially help single mothers at the Center for Great Expectations. We have helped this center in past years, these mothers have chosen to have their babies rather than an abortion. Please take a bottle to help these mothers by placing your loose change into it. Bring the bottles back sometime between now and Mother's Day.

Next Saturday at 11am First Holy Communion will take place in the church for our children. All are invited to attend this joyous celebration. First Communicants are to be in the cry room by 10:15am.

Pierogi is available in the Parish Office and is priced at \$12 a dozen.

Vehicle blessing will take place after all masses this weekend.

Bishop Checchio has announced that Anthony Scarpantonio will be ordained a deacon on Friday, May 3, 2024 at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi in Metuchen. Please pray for Anthony as he starts this ministry.

Click onto the parish's webpage, Facebook page or YouTube channel, as <u>Carol Salegna</u> has an important message for you taken from the readings for this Sunday's Mass.

Thank you for your contributions last week or those you have either mailed in or donated through on-line giving. This week's Second collection after Holy Communion will be for <u>Catholic Relief Services</u> Please be generous.

Today is the 5th Sunday of Easter and the readings for today are <u>#911</u> in the Hymnal.

And now as we prepare ourselves to celebrate this Eucharist, let us pray for (<u>Name</u>) for whom this Mass is offered:

Sat 5:00 PM

Sun 9:00 AM +, For the People of the Parish