



ST. JOSEPH PARISH
7 Locust Street, Carteret, NJ 07008

2 May, 2021

Dear Parish Family,

Greetings in the Lord!

We welcome the month of May and the joyful season of First Communions and blessings of mothers together with graduations and planning for the summer.

Please support our school families and staff who are staffing the table in the Church foyer during Masses and promoting the sale of Shop Rite 'Scrip' coupons. These are used to purchase all your regular food items while helping to raise funds for our School.

Our first of four special weekly Masses is this Wednesday with a 7p.m Mass dedicated to mother/ daughter blessing and asking happiness upon these special relationships. There will be pictures after Mass and some items to be shared as momentous.

Just a reminder of the change of day, for this year only, of the Feast of the Ascension from Thursday, May 13 to Sunday, May 16. It was a decision by our bishops and a pastoral judgement during this time of continued restrictions.

Thank you to all who have submitted their Mother's Day envelopes with names of mothers, grandmothers, and mother figures in their lives. These names are placed in the sanctuary and will be remembered at every Mass during the month.

In God's peace and with Mary's help,

Msgr. John