

**May 15, 2016**

**Pentecost Sunday**



**Mass Schedule:**

Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
and 5 p.m.

**At Masses today  
we remember:**

**10 am:**

**Maria Bellanca**

**5 pm:**

**Maria Bellanca**

May 8th collection:

\$283.75

Thank you for  
your support.

**Center for Religious Life  
Newman Catholic Community**

585-475-5172

40 Lomb Memorial Dr.  
Rochester, NY 14623

**Alice Miller Nation**

Associate Director  
amncpm@rit.edu  
c: 585-350-8434

**Deacon Phil Yawman**

Campus Minister  
phyawman@frontiernet.net

**Deacon David Hudzinski**

Campus Minister  
dhudzinski@rochester.rr.com

**Maureen Beattie**

Business Manager  
mbeattie@dor.org

- ***Tonight is Study Break and Food Party in the Skalny Room from 8—9 pm. Come and have something to eat, hang out, play a game and then get back to what you need to do to be successful during finals week! All are welcome!***
- ***Graduates—Thursday, May 19 at 7 pm in the Allen Chapel—Baccalaureate Mass for graduates and families. Graduates wear cap and gown. All are welcome. Sign up on the clipboard by the brick wall or contact amncpm@rit.edu***

## **RIT Nation**

Many of you are down to your last few classes, finishing up projects and finals and then packing up for the summer. Hang in there. I know these days can be filled with stressful moments. Give yourself and others the benefit of the doubt when things get hard. Know that we are here for you and Newman is staying strong through graduation and summer! Here is how we are here to support you during finals week:

**Blessing of the Brains—Friday, May 13th at 9:30 pm in the Allen Chapel**  
**Mass—Sunday, May 15th—10 am and 5 pm**

**End of the Year Picnic—Sunday, May 15th at 11 am in the Skalny Room and outside on the patio**

**Study Break with Food—Sunday, May 15th at 8 pm in the Skalny Room**

**Baccalaureate Mass—Thursday, May 19th at 7 pm in the Allen Chapel—family and friends are welcome. Graduates wear cap and gown**

And, as always, you can stop in the office for a lollipop or a visit or bit of encouragement during these long days!

This weekend the Church celebrates Pentecost...also known as the birthday of the Church. Many times, people wear red on this feast to symbolize the coming of the Holy Spirit on the early Christian community. The Spirit of God continues to be with us, each and everyday. Take a moment to simply breathe and listen to all the ways God might be inviting you to “wake up” and take notice of the newness all around us! It is easy to do the same thing over and over and over, and forget that all of creation is recreating everyday, including us! As you walk around campus, take a moment to consider the ways God might be inviting you to celebrate something new in your life...a new friendship, a new attitude or way of thinking, a new start...the possibilities are endless. As we celebrate the birthday of the Church, celebrate the beginning of summer—the possibilities that are before each of us.

Are you going to be in Rochester this summer? Newman is still here and we have one Mass in the Allen Chapel each Sunday at 10 am. The community continues to have monthly coffee hours and we very well might plan some fun outings for those interested.

Peace and good as you finish the semester. Alice MN