

# Finances

<u>Last Sunday's Collection</u>	
Envelopes	5
Income	\$ 317.27

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## *Please Pray for:*

Chuck Campanella  
Hal Schneider  
Harry Coppernoll Sr.

Timothy McLin  
Dean Lind

## *What have we learned ?*

Our topic has been how the Gifts of the Holy Spirit influence the infused virtues. The infused virtues are the Theological Virtues and the Cardinal Virtues. These virtues and gifts are infused in our soul at baptism. The gifts are receptors that God places in us that we may better receive the impulses, movements and inspirations of the Holy Spirit in us. The gifts then motivate the virtues to action (good works).

The Theological Virtues have to do with our relationship with God, where the Cardinal Virtues have to do with our relationship with the world and with self.

With this we started out last week with the gift of Understanding which motivates the Theological Virtue of Faith. We said that our intellect is human, frail, flawed and incapable of comprehending the deep mysteries of God. Yet the Church proposes to us many things to believe that we find difficult. They are not like  $1+1=2$ . That is easy to see, understand and to know. But, incarnation, salvation, transubstantiation, the Passion and so many other things are difficult.

The problem is that we want to live by our Faith in God. If our faith is weak and uncertain, then our view of God will be also. How can we live out a faith that is vague at best to us. Who we are and what we are called to be will be but

shadows and illusions to us. The result will be that we will turn to the ways of the world that are clearer to us.

To aid us, God has given us the gift of Understanding that our faith may believe even though the mind does not fully understand. God raises up and supernaturalizes our faith so that we can believe even when the intellect is not capable of understanding. That is why we have our patented answer to so many questions about the faith. That answer is – “It is a mystery.” But with the gift of Understanding, even though reason is unclear, faith in the God that cannot be seen becomes reasonable, obtainable and livable.

This week we will talk about the gift of Knowledge that motivates the Theological Virtue of Hope.

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## June 3, 2018

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

### Mass Times:

Sunday:	10 am	Harry Hawkins
Monday:		
Tuesday:	6:30 pm	Harry Hawkins
Wednesday:	8 am	Elizabeth Masacek
Thursday:		
Friday:	6:30 pm	Sacred Heart
Saturday:		

Next Sunday: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
M&M Michael George and Family

### First Sunday of each month:

Social Hour after Mass. All are welcome and encouraged.

### Sacraments:

Confession –	Sunday	9-9:30 am
	Tuesday	6 pm

For marriage prep, and sacramental preparation for your child's baptism, first confession, first Holy Communion or confirmation, please call Fr. Robideau for further details.