



Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I was glad when I heard them say, "Let us go to God's house!" (Psalm 122).

This past Sunday we returned to the public celebration of the Lord's supper. We are still in the yellow phase of reopening so there are restrictions, which you can find on our website, Facebook page and previous bulletins. It was exciting for all of us to see once again the mystery of salvation celebrated, and opened, for all of us!

We began again daily masses in the lower church, not the chapel. Some of the celebrations that we had to cancel in April and May will be celebrated in September and October, so please watch for more announcements.

While the parish was harmed by almost 3 months without Sunday collections, I was most appreciative of the collection from this last Sunday, which was more than \$6,000! Do not fear. Although we may have to make adjustments, with God we will survive and thrive.

Finally, with great joy Pope Francis has appointed Rev. Bruce Lewandowski, C.Ss.R., auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore. You may know that when a man becomes bishop he is ordained to that office, just as a deacon or priest is ordained. It would be great to have delegation from the parish here attend the ordination of Bishop Lewandowski, if possible.

May God continue to guide and bless us!

In Christ the Most Holy Redeemer,

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