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Calendar.

MAY.

1. 3RD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER. St. Philip and St. James, Apostles and Martyrs. Mor. Song—Num. 22 or Isaiah 61; St. John 1: 43. Evening—Num. 23 or 24, or Zech. 4; Col. 3: 1-18.
2. Monday.
3. Tuesday. Invention of the Cross.
4. Wednesday.
5. Thursday.
6. Friday. St. John Evangelist ante Port. Lat. F.
7. Saturday.
8. 4TH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER. Morning—Deut 4: 1-23; St. Luke 24: 13. Evening—Deut. 4: 23-41, or 5; 1 Thess. 5.
9. Monday.
10. Tuesday.
11. Wednesday.
12. Thursday.
13. Friday. F.
14. Saturday.
15. 5TH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER. Notice of Rogation Day and Ascension Day. Morning—Deut. 6; St. John. 4: 31. Evening—Deut. 9 or 10; 1 Tim. 4.
16. Monday. Rogation Day. F.
17. Tuesday. Rogation Day. F.
18. Wednesday. Vigil. F.
19. Thursday. ASCENSION DAY. Pr. Pss. M. S. 8, 15, 21. E. 24, 47, 108. Ath. Cr.; Prp. Prf. in Cn. Ser. until 25th (incl.). Dunstan, Abp. of Canter'y F.
20. Friday. F.
21. Saturday.
22. SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION DAY. Morning—Deut 30; St. John 7: 25. Evening—Deut. 34, or Joshua 1; Titus 1.
23. Monday.
24. Tuesday.
25. Wednesday.
26. Thursday. Augustine, 1st Archbishop of Canterbury.
27. Friday. Ven. Bede, P. F.
28. Saturday. Vigil. F.
29. WHITSUN-DAY. Pr. Pss., M. 48, 68; E. 104, 145. Ath. Cr.; Pr. Pref. in Com. Serv. till June 4 (incl.). Notice of Mon. and Tues. and Ember Days. Morning—Deut. 16: 1-18; Rom. 8: 1-18. Evening—Isaiah 11 or Ezekiel 36, 25; Gal. 5: 16 or Acts 18: 24 to 19: 21.
30. Monday in Whitsun week.
31. Tuesday in Whitsun week.

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The Ministry of Art.

An Address by The Very Rev. J. D. O'Meara, D.D.

It was with peculiar pleasure, that some months ago I accepted an invitation to address the Ladies Art Association. Apart from that genuine pleasure that ought to fill an Irishman's heart at being able to do anything in the world to oblige the ladies, there was a special reason why I was pleased to speak to this Association. I am not an artist of any kind. My musical accomplishments are about as limited as were those of the gentlemen who *thought* he knew two tunes. One was the Dead march in Saul and the other was'nt—he always sang the other. If I painted a horse, I'm afraid I'd have to do as the ambitious artist did who drew an elephant, but in a moment of sudden distrust as to its life likeness—so as to make identification dead sure. wrote at the bottom, "N.B.—This is an elephant."

But yet, though the *production* of Art work of any kind is not at all in my line; the study of Art, whether in its roots in human thought and feeling, or in its fruits in great

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