

Church of the Visitation

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NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 13, 2006

Rectory Office Hours: 8 AM - 4 PM Monday-Thursday

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY--ST. MAXIMILIAN MARY KOLBE

8:00 A.M. Anna Barron
(Req. by Pete & Delores Barron)

6:00 P.M. Kathy Pohlit-Flaherty
(Req. by Parents)

TUESDAY--ASSUMPTION OF THE B.V.M.

8:00 A.M. Clara A. Kenny
(Req. by Daughter, Mary Claire)

12:05 P.M. Joseph & Frances Prohaska
(Req. by Daughters)

WEDNESDAY--ST. STEPHEN OF HUNGARY

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY--WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Agnes Correll
(Req. by John Correll)

FRIDAY--ST. JANE DE CHANTAL

8:00 A.M. Paul Torchia
(Req. by Mary Torchia)

SATURDAY--ST. JOHN EUDES

12:00 P.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
David Madigan
(Req. by Bob Crookston)
4:00 P.M. William Benford
(Req. by Wife, Mary Agnes Benford)

SUNDAY--20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. Our Parish Family
10:30 A.M. William Stasko
(Req. by Family)

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Memory of Frank Marra, requested by sisters, Rose & Ellie and Families

MASSES FOR SUNDAY: Saturday 4:00 P.M.
Sunday 8:00 A.M. and 10:30 A.M.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: Sat. 3:30 P.M.
Sunday 7:30 A.M. and Sunday 10:00 A.M.

INFANT BAPTISM: Arrange in advance for pre-baptismal instructions.

COMMON POLICY FOR BAPTISM: The parents must attend an instruction/preparation class on the Sacrament of Baptism. Arrangements are made through the Parish Office. Catholic Sponsors need a letter from their Pastor stating they are in full communion with the Catholic Church.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: By appointment with the Pastor at least nine months prior to the date of marriage.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Done after any Sunday Mass when requested.

MEMBERSHIP: Please contact the Rectory Office to register as a member.

SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:

Mon 8/14: Ezekiel 1:2-5, 24-28c/Matthew 17:22-27
Tue 8/15: Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/1 Corinthians 15:20-27/Luke 1:39-56
Wed 8/16: Ezekiel 9:1-7; 10:18-22/Matthew 18:15-20
Thurs 8/17: Ezekiel 12:1-12/Matthew 18:21—19:1
Fri 8/18: Ezekiel 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63/Matthew 19:3-12
Sat 8/19: Ezekiel 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32/Matthew 19:13-15
Sun 8/20: Proverbs 9:1-6/Ephesians 5:15-20/John 6:51-58

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We are praying for... All the men and women fighting for our country in the military services, all the elderly, homebound, sick and hospitalized members of our parish, especially the following: Cha Cha Bair, Sam Barbato, Mary Agnes Benford, Jack Bulisok, Sara Burgo, Fr. Richard Clark, Rita Clark, Catherine Dirsch, Eileen Dynice, Ezra Ed, Doug Golias, Bonnie Himmer, Mary Ann Holtz, Nina Kane, James Kinley, Mary Kist, George Krueger, Leonard Kucera, Betty Kuras, Charlie Lang, Mary Catherine Launtz, Heather Majoris, Clara McKenzie, Ed McKenzie, Christopher New, Andrea Nosko, Ann Petro, Kim Petro, Steve Petrusic, Lorrie Polash, Jenny Poltrack, Eileen Rengh, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Rita Spence, Betty Spinos, Claire Staib, Charlene Tarnowsky, Ed Waddell, Sandor Yuhas

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SAT 5:15 PM Bingo Doors Open
 6:30 PM Bingo Begins

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SERVERS:

Week of August 14-18

8:00 AM Frank Scarsella

AUGUST 19-20

SAT 4:00 PM Shawn O'Donnell & Frank Scarsella

SUN 8:00 AM Mitchell & Gerry Smith
 10:30 AM Alex & Jimmy Haggerty

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE

EUCCHARIST: August 19-20

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) D. Fallon, J. Bulisok, H. Balagusz
 (Cup) G. Fenik, C. Fuska, R. Kniss

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) B. New, J. Kuswara, M. Carney
 (Cup) A. Reynolds, M. Majoris, L. Meyers

10:30 AM (Plate) R. Wieczorek, M. Torchia, D. Boyle
 (Cup) Polly Molchany, J. Kiser, Paul Molchany

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LECTORS: August 19-20

SAT 4:00 PM P. Balagusz

SUN 8:00 AM R. Krumenacker
 10:30 AM E. Cascino

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GREETERS: August 19-20

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) C. Fuska
 (VP) J. Bulisok

SUN 8:00 AM (ST) M. Carney
 (VP) G. Krumenacker

10:30 AM (ST) Johncola Family
 (VP) Polly Molchany

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INCOME

JULY 31-AUGUST 6, 2006

Sunday Envelopes	\$3274.75
Second Collection	145.61
Assumption	10.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	31.00
Energy/Fuel	176.00
Debt Reduction	13.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>595.00</u>
Total	\$4245.36

YOUR OFFERTORY TRUST

"Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all you produce" (Prov 3:9).—This is a reminder that our giving is more than paying the expenses of the Church. It is a way of honoring our Lord. It is truly an act of worship.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK August 14-20:

Matthew Meszaros, Daniel J. Preast, Mary Reynolds, Danielle Kinley, Bradley Rastall, Mark Arnone, Collin Crocco, Danielle Lose, Deborah Walter, Barbara Fox, Catherine Fuska, Marian Lech, Lynn Brant, Peggy Stahr, Mark Ceryak, Kimberly George, Bernard Krcha

VISITATION BINGO: Bingo is held in our Activities Center every Saturday. Doors open at 5:15 PM with Bingo beginning at 6:30 PM. Please support YOUR Parish by attending this major fundraiser. Bring a friend! Everyone is welcome.



2006 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL – REPORT #13:

Anonymous
Maureen Clark, *In Memory of Michael McAneny*
M/M Ronald Mihalacki, *In Memory of Mihalacki/Vargo Families*
Deacon Sroka

Thank you to those who have contributed to the 2006 ACA. We are in need of **\$4,845** to reach our goal. A total of **185** families have contributed so far. If the remaining **250** families would contribute the **\$60** assessed by the diocese for each family, we would surpass our goal by **\$10,155!!!!** If you have not made a pledge so far, please prayerfully consider doing so this week. Thank you!



APARTMENT FOR RENT: The apartment located behind the Rectory is available for rent. If you are interested or know of anyone who may be interested in renting the apartment, please call the Rectory Office @ 536-6110.



VISITATION PARISH

PRAYER LINE: We have a need for more parishioners to join our Prayer Line. Please call the Rectory if you are interested in becoming a member. Thank you, in advance, for your consideration of this very important ministry. Many people are in need of your prayers...



GOT GAS TICKETS: Extra gas tickets are available at each entrance to the Church. There are two sets of tickets each a different color. The **two** winners will be determined on **Friday, August 25th** based on the 7:00 PM three-digit lottery number. **(There are only two weeks left to sell your tickets!)** Please return money and ticket stubs ASAP. Thank you for your support!

PARISH/FINANCE COUNCIL

MEETING: The Parish & Finance Councils will meet this **Thursday, August 17th**, at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Assembly Room.

THANK YOU

Food for the Poor wishes to thank the Visitation Parish family for the welcome you extended to Father McKeone on his recent visit. On behalf of our less fortunate brothers and sisters of Latin America and the Caribbean, we thank you for having shared in their lives. They, and you, are blessed by your generosity.

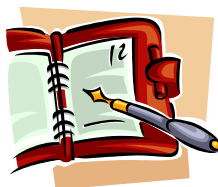


ATTENTION CATHEDRAL CATHOLIC ACADEMY ATHLETES: Physicals for all sports at Cathedral Catholic Academy will be held **next Wednesday, August 23rd** at 6:00 PM in the Clementian Room. **All athletes must have a physical before they can attend any practice.**

PRE-SCHOOL & PRE-KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION: Cathedral Catholic Academy, 110 Lindberg Avenue, is accepting registrations for the Pre-school (Age 3) and Pre-Kindergarten (Age 4) programs. CCA offers a full-day faith-based program or you may opt to participate in only a half-day session. Please call the school @ 255-1964 for additional information.



ANNUAL ART AUCTION: St. John Gualbert Cathedral cordially invites you to the 7th Annual Art Auction "A Showcase of Spectacular Art," scheduled for **Friday, August 25**. Preview 7:00 PM with Auction at 8:00 PM at the St. John Gualbert Activity Center. Free admission and refreshments. Make reservations by calling 536-9595. Plan to attend!

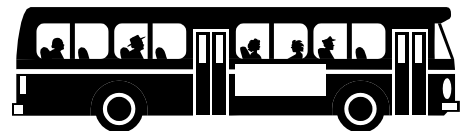


CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER?? Please notify the Rectory Office if you have moved or changed your address/phone number by completing the coupon on the back of the bulletin. It is **very important** that we have this information in order to keep our records up-to-date.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE: The Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington D.C. will occur on **Saturday, October 7, 2006**. Our Mother of Sorrows Parish has chartered a bus. We will leave from the OMOS parking area at 7:00 AM, returning between 9-10 PM. A stop will be made for dinner (at your own expense). The cost for transportation is \$25.00 and is payable with your reservation. Please make check payable to Our Mother of Sorrows and send to:

Our Mother of Sorrows
c/o Louise Fisher
415 Tioga Street,
Johnstown, PA 15905

RESERVATIONS ARE ON A FIRST RESERVE BASIS



BUS TRIP: A bus trip to Notre Dame is planned for **October 27-29, 2006**. If interested, please call Gary Beuke @ 255-1802 for more information.