

# Church of the Visitation

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## TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 20, 2006

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

### ***MASS SCHEDULE***

#### **MONDAY--ST. PIUS X, POPE**

8:00 A.M. Mary Barbato  
(Req. by Sam Barbato Family)

#### **TUESDAY--QUEENSHIP OF THE B.V.M.**

8:00 A.M. Marguerite Falk  
(Req. by Jean & Bob New)

#### **WEDNESDAY--ST. ROSE OF LIMA**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY--ST. BARTHOLOMEW**

8:00 A.M. The Unborn  
(Req. by Pro-Life Group)

#### **FRIDAY--SS. LOUIS OF FRANCIS & JOSEPH CALASANZ**

8:00 A.M. Edgar Barnhart  
(Req. by Barnhart Family)

#### **SATURDAY--IN HONOR OF THE B.V.M.**

1:30 P.M. Wedding of Jeremy Koontz  
& Gabrielle Sigworth  
4:00 P.M. Dominick Perry  
(Req. by Wife & Children)

#### **SUNDAY--21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 A.M. Victoria Giannone  
(Req. by Rose Marie & David Rubbo)  
10:30 A.M. Our Parish Family

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** In Memory of Michael  
& Ethel Fuska, requested by Daughter, Cathy

**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.

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**SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:**

**Mon 8/21:** Ezekiel 24:15-23/Matthew 19:16-22  
**Tue 8/22:** Ezekiel 28:1-10/Matthew 19:23-30  
**Wed 8/23:** Ezekiel 34:1-11/Matthew 20:1-16  
**Thurs 8/24:** Revelation 21:9b-14/John 1:45-51  
**Fri 8/25:** Ezekiel 37:1-14/Matthew 22:34-40  
**Sat 8/26:** Ezekiel 43:1-7ab/Matthew 23:1-12  
**Sun 8/27:** Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17,  
 18b/Ephesians 5:21-32 or 6:2a, 25-32/John  
 6:60-69

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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 21-25**

8:00 AM Frank Scarsella

**AUGUST 26-27**

**SAT** 4:00 PM John Meyers & Noah Rastall  
**SUN** 8:00 AM Ian & Aaron Skovensky  
 10:30 AM John Valinsky & Luke Corona

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE**

**EUCCHARIST: August 26-27**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (Plate) M. Blough,  
 J. Correll, P. Balagusz  
 (Cup) J. New, Ja. Bulisok, L. Meyers

**SUN** 8:00 AM (Plate) M. Mihalacki,  
 M. Clark, B. New  
 (Cup) J. Kuswara, M. Carney, A. Reynolds

10:30 AM (Plate) S. Catanese,  
 K. Seigh, D. Tedjeske  
 (Cup) B. Benford, R. Wiczorek, M. Torchia

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**LECTORS: August 26-27**

**SAT** 4:00 PM J. New  
**SUN** 8:00 AM P. Barnhart  
 10:30 AM E. Cascino

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**GREETERS: August 26-27**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (ST) Ja. Bulisok  
 (VP) Balagusz  
**SUN** 8:00 AM (ST) J. Kuswara  
 (VP) M. Carney  
 10:30 AM (ST) D. McCabe  
 (VP) K. Seigh

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**INCOME**

**AUGUST 7-13, 2006**

Sunday Envelopes	\$2547.35
Second Collection	128.56
Assumption	97.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	20.00
Energy/Fuel	54.00
Perquisites	225.00
Cafeteria Rental	40.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>215.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3326.91</b>

**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 21-27:**

Joseph Bernunzio, Francis Karmanocky, Sr., Salvatore Leone, Barbara Harshberger, Maria Muir, Ann Sakmar, Dawn Soto, Joseph Zinsky, Mia Rastall, Brent Schellhammer, Charles Bishop, Lisa Kozak, James Hyland, Madison Podrebarac, Elijah Ed, Ed Kane

**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 #14:**

Anonymous  
M/M James Stephens

Thank you to those who have contributed to the 2006 ACA. We are in need of **\$4,620** to reach our goal. A total of **187** families have contributed so far. If the remaining **248** families would contribute the **\$60** assessed by the diocese for each family, we would surpass our goal by **\$10,260!!!!** 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.



**PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** We are coming onto the beginning of our new school year and several dates need to be noted:

**OUR FIRST TEACHER'S MEETING:** Our first meeting will be held in the Ministry Room on **Monday, August 28, 2006**, at 7:00 P.M. Please attend.

**THE FIRST DAY OF CLASS FOR THE 2006-2007 SCHOOL YEAR:** Our school year will begin on **September 17, 2006** at the 8:00 Mass. Teachers, parents, and students are requested to be present. We will celebrate the liturgy together in order to ask for God's blessings on our endeavors for the coming year.

**FIRST COMMUNION: April 29, 2007**

**CONFIRMATION:**

**May 20, 2007** - Rite of Sending at the 10:30 Mass

**May 23, 2007** - Confirmation Practice 6:30 at

Saint John Gualbert

Cathedral

**May 24, 2007** - Confirmation - 6:30 at Saint John Gualbert Cathedral

Thank You and God bless,

Maureen Clark, DRE

**USED BOOKS WANTED:** The Friends of the Cambria County Library are sponsoring a book sale. A large pink box has been placed in the back of the Church for donations of gently used books. Please, no textbooks. Thank you for any books you can donate.



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

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**ANNUAL ART AUCTION:** St. John Gualbert Cathedral cordially invites you to the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Auction "A Showcase of Spectacular Art," scheduled this **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!

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**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**

# Basket Bingo

**BASKET BINGO featuring Longaberger Baskets:** Thank you to all who have contributed so far to our First Annual Basket Bingo being held **Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>**. We will be contacting those who have volunteered to help in any way very soon. We are still in need of monetary donations or donations of new items to fill the baskets. Please call the Rectory Office during office hours for more information if you would like to make a donation. We also welcome high school students who need service hours to come help with the bingo. Again, please call the Rectory.

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**PARISH DAY OF CONSECRATION TO THE HOLY EUCHARIST:** Ss. Casimir & Emerich Church, Power Street, will conduct a Parish Day of Consecration to the Holy Eucharist through the Intercession of Our Lady of Czestochowa **next Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup>**. The day will open with the 8:45 AM Mass. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place during the day with the Closing Ceremonies beginning at 3:00 PM.

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**ST. JOHN GUALBERT ALL SCHOOL REUNION:** The St. John's Grade School All School Reunion will be held **Tuesday, September 5, 2006** at the Boulevard Grill on Southmont Boulevard. Anyone who attended St. John's Grade School as well as spouses and friends are invited to attend. Dinner will be at 6:30 PM. The cost is \$15. The deadline for reservations is this Monday, August 21. Please call Ray Fisher @ 262-0894.