

Church of the Visitation

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THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 12, 2006

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY--ST. FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI

8:00 A.M. Maxine & Tony Belskey
(Req. by Family)

TUESDAY--WEEKDAY

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

WEDNESDAY--ST. ALBERT THE GREAT

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY--ST. MARGARET/ST. GERTRUDE

8:00 A.M. Francis V. Chuba
(Req. by Wife, Marilyn)

FRIDAY--ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

8:00 A.M. Ed Molchany
(Req. by Helene & Pat Balagusz)

SATURDAY--DEDICATION OF BASILICAS OF SS.

PETER & PAUL/ST. ROSE PHILIPPINE DUCHESNE
12:00 P.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
Mildred McHugh
(Req. by Doris Jean Kantner)

4:00 P.M. Robert Davidson
(Req. by Wife, Romaine)

SUNDAY--33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. Our Parish Family
10:30 A.M. Eugene T. Baroni
(Req. by Son, Barry)

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 11/13: Titus 1:1-9/Luke 17:1-6
Tue 11/14: Titus 2:1-8, 11-14/Luke 17:7-10
Wed 11/15: Titus 3:1-7/Luke 17:11-19
Thurs 11/16: Philemon 7-20/Luke 17:20-25
Fri 11/17: 2 John 4-9/Luke 17:26-37
Sat 11/18: 3 John 5-8/Luke 18:1-8
Sun 11/19: Daniel 12:1-3/ Hebrews 10:11-14, 18/Mark 13:24-32

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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 family, especially the following: Cha Cha Bair, Sam Barbato, Mary Agnes Benford, Jack Bulisok, Sara Burgo, Fr. Richard Clark, Rita Clark, Kathy Daley, 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, Rose Marchese, Clara McKenzie, Ed McKenzie, Christopher New, Andrea Nosko, Ann Petro, Kim Petro, Steve Petrusic, Lorrie Polash, Jenny Poltrack, Eileen Rengh, Marion Saia, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Rita Spence, Betty Spinosa, Claire Staib, Charlene Tarnowsky, Ed Waddell, Sandor Yuhas

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

WED 7:00 PM Choir
THUR 7:00 PM Parish/Finance Council Mtg.
FRI 7:00 PM Annual Turkey Raffle

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SERVERS: November 18-19

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

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: November 18-19

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) M. Blough, J. Correll, P. Balagusz
 (Cup) Ja. Bulisok, J. New, L. Meyers
SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) K. Carney, M. Mihalacki, M. Clark
 (Cup) B. New, M. Carney, J.Kuswara

10:30 AM (Plate) J. Kiser, D. Tedjeske, D. Boyle
 (Cup) B. Benford, K. Seigh, R. DeMarco

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LECTORS: November 18-19

SAT 4:00 PM P. Balagusz
SUN 8:00 AM P. Barnhart
 10:30 AM B. Benford

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GREETERS: November 11-12

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) Ja. Bulisok
 (VP) J. Bulisok
SUN 8:00 AM (ST) K. Carney
 (VP) G. Krumenacker
 10:30 AM (ST) Johncola Family
 (VP) J. Benford

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INCOME

OCTOBER 30-NOVEMBER 5, 2006

Sunday Envelopes	\$4476.00
All Saints	755.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	32.00
Energy/Fuel	158.00
Bequests	200.00
Debt Reduction	5.00
Gym Rental	204.00
Parking Lot Rent	240.00
Bulletin Advertising	300.00
Assumption	5.00
Thanksgiving	23.00
Triduum	<u>10.00</u>
Total	\$ 6408.00

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 November 13-19:

Tina Golias, Collin Layton, Russell Grunza, Joseph Klucker, Dale Fike, Jr., Anthony LaMonaca, Patrick Brady, Lara Holdsworth, Kaitlan O'Donnell, Mary Deter, Mickie Mills, Vickie Schmidt, Rose Wiczorek, Romaine Davidson, Elizabeth Mekis



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.



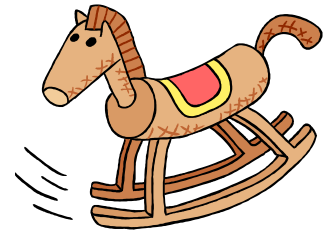
CHRISTMAS COOKIE ORDERS:

Extra order forms for the H.O.P.E. Group Christmas Cookie Sale are available in the vestibule. You are welcome to sell to your friends and neighbors. All orders should be returned by **Monday, November 20th**.

HELP NEEDED! The Family Kitchen is looking for volunteers one day a week for four hours a day. Please call Deacon John if interested.



DONATIONS WANTED: Donations to fill our "Basket of Cheer" for the Turkey Raffle are still being accepted. Donations may be dropped off at the Rectory Office. Thank you!



ROCKING HORSE RAFFLE: In the vestibule of the Church you will find a beautiful Rocking Horse, handmade and donated by a Visitation parishioner. If you would like to take a chance on winning this Rocking Horse, you may do so by filling out the chances found in the vestibule and placing them in the collection basket. Chances are \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00 or 15 for \$10. Winner will be drawn **on Friday, December 15th, 2006**. What a beautiful Christmas present this would make for someone special! **All proceeds benefit Visitation Parish.**

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

November 19th is the 10th Grade Confirmation Retreat. We will meet at St. Andrew's School, in the Conference Room, from 6:00 to 7:30pm. Our second retreat will be on **February 25th**. All students, including Bishop McCort students, are to attend.

November 26th - HAPPY THANKSGIVING! WE WILL NOT HAVE CLASS!

To our 9th Grade Confirmation Class: Congratulations on your attendance at the Rite of Blessing Liturgy and at your retreat. Please continue to attend class on Sunday mornings and submit your service hours at the end of the year. Service hours can be helping your family, grandparents, and neighbors. Parents may sign for service hours. The Bishop McCort students have completed all the requirements for the 9th Grade year. We will accept the service hours fulfilled for Bishop McCort. God bless and keep all of you in his care.

~Maureen Clark, DRE



TURKEY RAFFLE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

Sign up sheets for volunteers (both kitchen help & other areas) are in the vestibule of the Church. Please sign up if you would like to help in any way. Extra help is needed in the kitchen area. Thank you!



NOTICE TO 8TH WARD HOME

OWNERS: Take full advantage of the Conemaugh Hospital Grant by calling Loebrich Contracting, Inc. They are offering an additional 15% discount on installed doors and windows. Call 539-6236 to schedule an estimate.

PENNY CAKE SOCIAL: Assumption Church, Second Street, Conemaugh, is sponsoring a Penny Cake Social **this Sunday, November 12th**. Doors open at 2:00 PM; drawings start at 3:00 PM. Donation of \$1.00 includes coffee, piece of cake, and 10 chances. Refreshments will be sold. Everyone is welcome!

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT: In our country, 37 million Americans struggle in poverty, many despite working full-time. Within our community of believers we *do* make a difference when we support the work of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. CCHD is committed to helping people create permanent solutions to the problem of poverty in their community. You can help break the cycle of poverty. Please give generously to the CCHD appeal. **An offering envelope is found in your box of envelopes.**



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT:

A sign up sheet for the **Children's Christmas Pageant** can be found in the vestibule of the Church. Please sign your child up if he or she would like to participate in the pageant. We would like to get an idea of how many children are interested in participating in this year's pageant. Thank you!



POINSETTIA SALE: West End Catholic School will be selling Poinsettias and Home Interior Candles for the Christmas Season. Flowers and candles are available in a multitude of colors. To place an order, please call the school office @ 536-4722.



THANKS FOR LIFE GALA: Mom's House is hosting a Thanks for Life Gala on **Saturday, November 25th** at the Frank J. Pasquerilla Conference Center as they present the first-ever "Thanks for Life" Award to Debra Iachini-Lux of Laurel Highlands Medical Consultants, Inc. A delicious Buffet Dinner will be followed by the Award Presentation and dancing to *Jazz In Your Face*. The cost is \$75 per person. For tickets call 536-4813.