

Church of the Visitation

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CHRIST THE KING

November 26, 2006

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY--WEEKDAY

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

TUESDAY--WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Gertrude Reynolds
(Req. by Family)

WEDNESDAY--WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY--ST. ANDREW, THE APOSTLE

8:00 A.M. Winifred Spence
(Req. by Rita Spence)

FRIDAY--WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Bill & Becky Figura
(Req. by Family)

SATURDAY--IN HONOR OF B.V.M.

12:00 P.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
Kathryn Bradley
(Req. by Henry & Rosemary Dill)
4:00 P.M. William Benford
(Req. by Mary A. Benford & Family)

SUNDAY--FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00 A.M. Ida Machowski
(Req. by Shirley Machowski)
10:30 A.M. Our Parish Family

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Memory of Basil Balagusz, requested by Family.

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 11/27: Revelation 14:1-3, 4b-5/Luke 21:1-4
Tue 11/28: Revelation 14:14-19/Luke 21:5-11
Wed 11/29: Revelation 15:1-4/Luke 21:12-19
Thurs 11/30: Romans 10:9-18/Matthew 4:18-22
Fri 12/1: Revelation 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Luke 21:29-33
Sat 12/2: Revelation 22:1-7/Luke 21:34-36
Sun 12/3: Jeremiah 33:14-16/1 Thessalonians 3:12—4:2/Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

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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, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Sara Burgo, 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

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SERVERS: December 2-3

SAT 4:00 PM Phillip Kniss & Frank Scarsella
SUN 8:00 AM Ian & Aaron Skovensky
 10:30 AM Pauline Johncola & Matthew Johns

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: December 2-3

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

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

10:30 AM (Plate) J. Kiser, D. Tedjeske, B. Benford
 (Cup) M. Luna, S. Catanese, K. Seigh

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LECTORS: December 2-3

SAT 4:00 PM J. New
SUN 8:00 AM R. Krumenacker
 10:30 AM D. Ceryak

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GREETERS: December 2-3

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) R. Kniss
 (VP) J. Bulisok
SUN 8:00 AM (ST) J. Kuswara
 (VP) M. Carney
 10:30 AM (ST) M. Wissinger
 (VP) Johns Family

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INCOME

NOVEMBER 13-19, 2006

Sunday Envelopes	\$3034.70
Thanksgiving	75.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	32.00
Energy/Fuel	33.00
Perquisite	125.00
Cafeteria Rental	40.00
Gym Rental	220.00
Parking Lot Rent	140.00
Bequests	230.00
Bulletin Advertising	<u>680.00</u>
Total	\$ 4609.70

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 27-

December 3: Nicolett Stofko, Irene Nosko, Susan Maestra, Anne Kucera, Jean Skovensky, Luke Wenderoth, Germaine Zemba, Carmela Cascino, Francis Keifline, Thomas Gahagan

CATHOLIC CHARITIES: The Catholic Charities office is located at St. Joseph Church on Railroad Street, Johnstown. The staff is trained to assist individuals and families with a variety of problems, challenges and decisions, and some temporal needs in a confidential manner. Call 535-6538 for an appointment.



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.



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!

SPANISH MASS: Bishop McCort High School announces that the Annual Spanish Mass in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated **next Sunday, December 3rd** at 2:00 PM at St. Columba Church, Cambria City. The Mass is open to the public and will fulfill the obligation for the First Sunday of Advent.



"WE LOVE EZ" SPAGHETTI DINNER

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26TH

11:30 AM - 3:00 PM

VISITATION CHURCH

DONATIONS BENEFIT THE CANCER TREATMENT OF EZRA ED

CHECKS ACCEPTED! PLEASE MAKE PAYABLE TO: "The Ezra Ed Cancer Treatment Fund".

"I ♥ EZ" T-shirts will be on sale at the dinner. \$5.00 each.

COME, NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP...AND HAVE FUN!

This is the theme for an evening planned for the youth of our area to be held at St. Clement Church on **Saturday, December 2**. We will begin with weekly Mass at 4:00 p.m. After Mass there will be pizza for dinner. At approximately 7:00 p.m. we will return to the church for a praise and worship service at which popular Christian songs will be sung and a prayer service is planned. After the service, youth are welcome to stay and socialize. Any high school student interested in participating in this spiritually enriching evening should contact Karen at the St. Clement rectory, 255-4422.