

Church of the Visitation

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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 20, 2007

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY--EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Kenneth Fresch
(Req. by Wife, Theresa)

TUESDAY--ST. RITA OF CASCIA

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

WEDNESDAY--EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY--EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. John McGrath
(Req. by Wife Margaret &
Son, John)

FRIDAY--SS. BEDE, GREGORY VII, & MARY MAGDALENE DEI PAZZI

8:00 A.M. Anthony & Mary Krueger
(Req. by Krueger Family)

SATURDAY--ST. PHILIP NERI

12:00 P.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
Kathryn Battaglia
(Req. by Battaglia Family)

4:00 P.M. For Our Parish Family

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00 A.M. Eugene Baroni
(Req. by Son, Barry)

10:30 A.M. Rose, Richard, Sr., &
Richard, Jr. Luden
(Req. by Rita, Tom, Jennifer,
Kellie, & Brent Casker)

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

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Memory of Luella Hirschberger, req. by Gloria & Jane Hirschberger

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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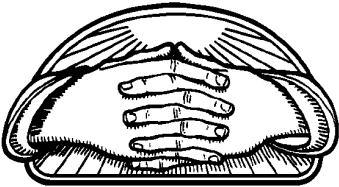
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Birthday Remembrance of John Lison,
requested by Wife, Marge, Children &
Grandchildren

SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:

Mon 5/21: Acts 19:1-8/John 16:29-33
Tue 5/22: Acts 20:17-27/John 17:1-11a
Wed 5/23: Acts 20:28-38/John 17:11b-19
Thurs 5/24: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/John 17:20-26
Fri 5/25: Acts 25:13b-21/John 21:15-19
Sat 5/26: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/John 21:20-25
Sun 5/27: Acts 2:1-11/1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Romans 8:8-17/John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16, 23b-26

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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: Sam Barbato, Shirley Barbato, Mary Agnes Benford, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Rita Clark, Kathy Daley, Catherine Dirsch, Eileen Dynice, Msgr. George Flinn, Doug Golias, Amy Henry, Bonnie Himmer, Mary Ann Holtz, 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 Spinos, Claire Staib, Charlene Tarnowsky, Ed Waddell, Sandor Yuhas

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

WED 7:00 PM Choir
THUR 7:00 PM Confirmation at St. John's

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SERVERS: May 26-27

SAT 4:00 PM Todd & Bradley Rastall
SUN 8:00 AM Gerry Smith & Frank Scarsella
10:30 AM John & Shannon Valinsky

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: May 26-27

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) B. Kuras, J. Bulisok, H. Balagusz
(Cup) C. Fuska, J. New, G. Fenik

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) B. New, M. Clark, J. Kuswara
(Cup) K. Carney, M. Mihalacki, L. Meyers

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

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LECTORS: May 26-27

SAT 4:00 PM P. Balagusz
SUN 8:00 AM R. Krumenacker
10:30 AM D. Ceryak

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GREETERS: May 26-27

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) J. & Ja. Bulisok
(VP) R. Kniss
SUN 8:00 AM (ST) G. Krumenacker
(VP) K. Carney
10:30 AM (ST) K. Seigh
(VP) M. Wissinger

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INCOME

MAY 7-13, 2007

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 3782.00
Ascension	15.00
Energy/Fuel	133.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	10.00
Cafeteria Rental	40.00
Rosary Altar Society	<u>10.00</u>
Total	\$ 3990.00

Christmas Club YTD Total \$2317.77

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 May 21-27:

Catherine Hyland, Elizabeth Bimle, Mary Marsinko, Margie Hagerich, Emily Mihalacki, Charles Nagle, James Wachs, James Weaver, Wendy Dolges, Catherine Harbaugh, Ted Koontz, George Krueger, Stephen Pohlit, Emma Dietz, Miriam Flynn, Chris Lecci, Mary Torchia

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.



SILENT PRAYER GROUP: Our parish has a group of people who will earnestly pray for any needs you might have. This is a telephone prayer chain. If you have a special need about which you need prayer, call Pat @ 539-7928 or the Rectory Office @ 536-6110. State first name of person in need and the intention or need. We will gladly pray for them. **If you would like to join this special ministry, please call the Rectory Office.** Thank you!

REMINDER

EAT OUT & HELP SUPPORT OUR CHILDREN: When you eat at **Ponderosa Steakhouse**, tell them that you are with **VISITATION CHURCH**. They will keep your receipt. At the end of the month, Visitation Church will receive a check for **10% of the total sales**. Please pass the word to your family and friends and help to support the Catholic education of our Parish children. This is an ongoing fundraiser! Thank you!



RADA KNIFE ORDERS: RADA Knife Order Books are located in the vestibule and at all exits of the Church. Orders are due by **June 10th** since prices will change in July. Thank you for your support of this ongoing fundraiser!



CALENDAR PARTY: A Calendar Party is being planned for the Parish for the spring of 2008. The theme for the tables will be the months of the year. So far we have all but two months taken. If you would like to help by taking a table for the month of **January or June**, please call Melissa Raco @ 536-0561 or Evelyn Haggerty @ 536-4772.

PARISH REUNION FESTIVAL: We need your help!!! A Parish Reunion Festival is being planned for **Saturday, July 21st**. If you would like to be on the planning committee or help out in any way, please sign up in the vestibule of the Church.



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.



YARDWORK: Two neighborhood teenage boys are available to do yard work. If interested, please call 535-5485.

AND THE WINNER IS.....

Margie Giannone!

Congratulations to Margie for winning the "filled" Longaberger® Basket last Sunday! A profit of \$347.39 was made. Thank you to all who supported this fundraiser!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Catholic Charities, Johnstown, is starting a volunteer program. There are a variety of tasks and times you are needed. Please consider making a weekly or monthly commitment to support this ministry. Contact Sr. Sharon @ 535-6538.

MEMORIAL DAY HONORS: The A.O.H. AND THE L.A.O.H are celebrating Memorial Day on **Saturday, May 26th** by placing a wreath in the circle of Irish Priests honoring all the Priests who are buried in St. John's Cemetery. Everyone is invited to attend this ceremony at 10.00 A.M.

APARTMENT FOR RENT: Available June 1st. Upper Yoder. 2nd Floor; 5 rooms plus attic and bathroom. Includes water and sewage. Off-street parking. No pets. Call 255-2616.

RETREAT FOR PRO-LIFERS: June 29-July 1, 2007 at the Malvern Retreat Center in Malvern, PA (Directions on website @ www.malvernretreat.com or call (610) 644-0400. The retreat will focus on the power of our unity in Christ to accomplish his work in the world amidst a diversity of missions and ministries. It will be a time of healing and rejoicing, of challenge and of celebration. Cost is \$200 per person. To register, send a \$50 deposit to: Ray Mooney, Priests for Life, PO Box 141172, Staten Island, NY 10314. Make checks payable to: Priests for Life.

There is still time to reserve a seat on a one-day bus trip to New York this Saturday, May 26th. Sponsored by the St. John Gualbert Service Group. Call Janet @ 539-3897. Cost is \$60.

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WEBSITE!!!!**

www.visitationchurch.net

Schedules, photos, and more!

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ANNUAL DINNER: The Annual Dinner of the Cambria County Historical Society will be held on **Sunday, June 10th** beginning at 5:30 PM at the Kennedy Center, St. Francis University. Reservations are needed before June 6th by calling 472-6674. Featured will be an up-date on the Sainthood process for Rev. D.A. Gallitzin by Frank & Betty Seymour and a Dramatic Presentation by Chris Collins.



BISHOP MCCORT HIGH SCHOOL

YOUTH CAMPS: The BMHS Football & Basketball Coaching Staffs have announced they will be conducting a series of youth and junior high sports camps for students entering Grades 4 through 9. The camps are open to both public and parochial students.

Girls' Basketball Camp: June 11-13

Boys' Basketball Camp: June 18-20

Youth Football Camp: June 25-26

Jr. High Football Camp: June 28-29

Call 535-8991 for more information or visit the website @ www.mccort.org and click the athletics link to view the brochures.