

# Church of the Visitation

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## EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 5, 2007

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

### ***MASS SCHEDULE***

#### **MONDAY--TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD**

8:00 A.M. Jack Gdanitz  
(Req. by Dan Hummel Family)

#### **TUESDAY--SS. SIXTUS & CAJETAN**

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

#### **WEDNESDAY--ST. DOMINIC**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY--ST. TERESA BENEDICTA**

##### **OF THE CROSS**

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

#### **FRIDAY--ST. LAWRENCE**

8:00 A.M. Special Intention

#### **SATURDAY--ST. CLARE**

12:00 P.M. Valley Pike Manor  
Dolores Martin  
(Req. by Wincer Family)

4:00 P.M. For My Parents  
(Req. by Pat)

#### **SUNDAY--19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 A.M. Victoria Giannone  
(Req. by Cookie & Mick Davis)  
10:30 A.M. For Our Parish Family

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** Special Intention

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

**SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:**

**Mon 8/6:** Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Peter 1:16-19/Luke 9:28b-36  
**Tue 8/7:** Numbers 12:1-13/Matthew 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14  
**Wed 8/8:** Numbers 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26a-29a, 34-35/Matthew 15:21-28  
**Thurs 8/9:** Numbers 20:1-13/Matthew 16:13-23  
**Fri 8/10:** 2 Corinthians 9:6-10/John 12:24-26  
**Sat 8/11:** Deuteronomy 6:4-13/Matthew 17:14-20

**Sun 8/12:** Wisdom 18:6-9/Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Luke 12:32-48 or 12:35-40  
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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, Larry Grimm, Amy Henry, Bonnie Himmer, Mary Ann Holtz, James Kinley, Mary Kist, George Krueger, Leonard Kucera, Betty Kuras, Charlie Lang, Mary Catherine Lantz, Heather Majoris, Rose Marchese, Clara McKenzie, Ed McKenzie, Christopher New, Andrea Nosko, Ann Petro, Kim Petro, Lorrie Polash, Jenny Poltrack, Eileen Rengh, Marion Saia, Stephen Sanders, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Rita Spence, Betty Spinos, Claire Staib, Charlene Tarnowsky, Dan Vavrek, Ed Waddell, Sandor Yugas  
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**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

THUR 3:00-9:30 PM Olan Mills  
FRI 3:00-9:30 PM Olan Mills  
SAT 10:00 AM-5:00 PM Olan Mills  
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**SERVERS:**

**WEEK OF August 6-10:**

Mitchell Smith

**August 11-12**

SAT 4:00 PM Mitchell & Gerry Smith  
SUN 8:00 AM Ian & Aaron Skovensky  
10:30 AM Collin Layton & R.J. Slifko

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE**

**EUCHARIST: August 11-12**

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

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) B. New,  
M. Clark, K. Carney  
(Cup) A. Reynolds, M. Majoris, T. Golias

10:30 AM (Plate) K. Seigh,  
P. Molchany, L. Luna,  
(Cup) M. Luna, J. Kiser, D. Tedjeske

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**LECTORS: August 11-12**

SAT 4:00 PM J. New  
SUN 8:00 AM M. Flynn  
10:30 AM D. Boyle

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**GREETERS: August 11-12**

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) Balagusz  
(VP) Ja. Bulisok  
SUN 8:00 AM (ST) B. Rodgers  
(VP) K. Carney  
10:30 AM (ST) M. Wissinger  
(VP) P. Molchany

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**INCOME**

**JULY 23-29, 2007**

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 2905.00
Assumption	2.00
Energy/Fuel	46.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	24.00
Gym Rental	40.00
Parking Rent	70.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3087.00</b>

**Christmas Club YTD Total \$3299.85**

**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 6-12:** Eric

Johncola, Angela Thompson, Michael Butler, Torrian Raco, Thomas Staib, Helen Balagusz, Rev. Barry Baroni, Kriste Boyle, Deborah Ed, Betty Kuras, Dennis King, Elizabeth Kozak, Tammy Meyers, Patrick Cascino, Gloria Fenik, Patricia Hyland, Nicole Loebrich, Erin Schiffhauer, Janice Dudash, Rose King

**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!



Happy Anniversary!

*Visitation Parish would like to extend congratulations to Sam & Marion Sala on the occasion of their 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary! May God Bless them with many more years of happiness! Congratulations!*



**38<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY DAY CELEBRATION:** Bishop Joseph and the Family Life Office cordially invite all couples celebrating their **1<sup>st</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 55<sup>th</sup>, and 60+** Wedding Anniversary in **2007** to attend the **38<sup>th</sup> Annual Anniversary Day Liturgy**. You may attend either **Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup>** at the Cathedral in **Altoona** or **Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup>** at St. John Gualbert Cathedral in **Johnstown**. Both liturgies begin at 2:00 PM. Bishop Joseph will be the celebrant and homilist at each celebration. Punch and cookies will be available after the mass for anniversary couples and their families. Reservations must be made through the Rectory Office (536-6110, Ext. 0) by **Wednesday, August 29<sup>th</sup>**.



**REMINDER!!!!**  
**PICTORIAL DIRECTORY**  
**PHOTO SESSIONS RESUME**  
**THIS WEEK! SMILE! ☺**

*If you would like to sign up or make a change to your church directory photo appointment, you can call 1-800-866-2263. Our Church Reference number is 22140.*

Each family/household that comes for photography and portrait viewing at the Church will receive a complimentary directory and an 8 x 10 Custom Color Portrait.



**POSITION AVAILABLE:** West End Catholic School is looking to fill a part-time Computer Technologist position for the 2007-2008 school year. If interested, please contact the school office @ 536-4722 for additional information.

**LONGWOOD GARDENS TRIP:** Msgr. Michael Becker of St. Benedict Parish invites parishioners of Visitation Parish to join him on a trip to Longwood Gardens, located southwest of Philadelphia. These are some of the most beautiful gardens in the world! The one-day excursion is next **Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**. The cost is \$55.00 and includes transportation, tip to the driver, and entrance to the Gardens. For more info or reservations, please call Mercedes Smith @ 266-4482.



**AREA PARISH EVENTS**

**August 11-12: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Windber**

Live Polka Bands both days; ethnic foods, bingo, games, and theme baskets! Family-style Swiss Steak & Golabki Dinner on Sunday from Noon-2:30 PM.

**August 12: St. Patrick School, Moxham**

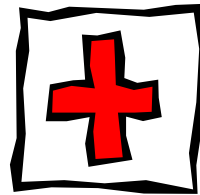
Chicken BBQ Dinner, 11:00 AM-? Dinner includes ½ Chicken, Coleslaw, Baked Beans, Roll & butter, Beverage, and Dessert. Adults/\$7.00; Children/\$4.00. Take-outs available.

**August 19: St. Mary Antiochian Orthodox Church,**

**Alberta Avenue,**

**Johnstown**

Feast Day Celebration from 12:00 Noon-5:00 PM. Shish-Kabob Dinner. Ala-Carte Middle Eastern Food Sale that includes: Lebanese Bread, Hoummus, Grape Leaves. Baked Kibbee, Spinach Pies, Meat Pies, Hot Mixed Olives, Syrian Rice, Syrian Green Beans, Baklawa, and Assorted Middle Eastern Desserts. Take-outs are available by calling 255-2148.



**AMERICAN RED CROSS  
 BLOOD DRIVES**

Tuesday, August 7: Upper Yoder Volunteer Fire Dept., 320 Warren Street, 1:00-7:00 PM

Tuesday, August 14: Allegheny Lutheran Home,  
807 Goucher Street, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Tuesday, August 21: Saint Andrew Church,  
1621 Ferndale Avenue, 1:00-6:30 PM

*GIVE BLOOD.  
SOMEONE'S WAITING.....*