

# Church of the Visitation

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## NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 12, 2007

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

### ***MASS SCHEDULE***

#### **MONDAY--SS. PONTIAN & HIPPOLYTUS**

8:00 A.M. Paul Hackett  
(Req. by Wife, Rita & Family)

#### **TUESDAY--ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE**

8:00 A.M. Anna Barron  
(Req. by Pete & Delores Barron)  
6:00 P.M. John Sigg  
(Req. by Family)

#### **WEDNESDAY--ASSUMPTION OF THE B.V.M.**

8:00 A.M. Clara Kenny  
(Daughter, Mary Claire)  
12:05 P.M. John Bukowski  
(Wife, Leona)

#### **THURSDAY--ST. STEPHEN OF HUNGARY**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **FRIDAY--WEEKDAY**

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

#### **SATURDAY--ST. JANE FRANCIS DE CHANTAL**

12:00 P.M. Valley Pike Manor  
Claire Preast  
(Req. by Dan & Jane Hesel)  
4:00 P.M. Paul Torchia  
(Req. by Family)

#### **SUNDAY--20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 A.M. For Our Parish Family  
10:30 A.M. LeRoy Pfeil  
(Req. by Family)

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** Visitation Parish 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.

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

**SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:**

**Mon 8/13:** Deuteronomy 10:12-22/Matthew 17:22-27  
**Tue 8/14:** Deuteronomy 31:1-8/Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14  
**Wed 8/15:** Revelation 11:10a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/1 Corinthians 15:20-27/Luke 1:39-56  
**Thurs 8/16:** Joshua 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Matthew 18:21—19:1  
**Fri 8/17:** Joshua 24:1-13/Mathew 19:3-12  
**Sat 8/18:** Joshua 24:14-29/Matthew 19:13-15  
**Sun 8/19:** Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10/Hebrews 12:1-4/Luke 12:49-53



*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 Launtz, 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 Yuhas

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**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**THUR** 7:00 PM Parish/Finance Council Mtg.  
**SAT** Parish Get-together after Mass  
**SUN** Parish Get-together after all Masses

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**SERVERS:**

**WEEK OF August 13-17:** Frank Scarsella  
**August 14**  
**TUE** 6:00 PM George Cyburt & Luke Corona  
**August 18-19**  
**SAT** 4:00 PM J. & S. Valinsky & Nick Gjurich  
**SUN** 8:00 AM Gerry Smith & Frank Scarsella  
 10:30 AM Luke Corona & Cletus McConville

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: August 14-15/18-19**

**TUE** 6:00 PM H. Balagusz, L. Meyers, R. Kniss  
**WED** 8:00 AM M. Majoris, J. New, D. Vavrek  
 12:05 PM J. Bulisok, S. Catanese, B. Kuras

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

**SUN** 8:00 AM (Plate) M. Majoris, B. New, M. Carney  
 (Cup) A. Reynolds, M. Clark, L. Meyers

10:30 AM (Plate) J. Kiser, D. Boyle, J. Meszaros  
 (Cup) D. Ceryak, R. Wieczorek, K. Seigh

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**LECTORS: August 14-15/18-19**

**TUE** 6:00 PM R. Krumenacker  
**WED** 8:00 AM Morning Reader  
 12:05 PM J. Correll

**SAT** 4:00 PM P. Balagusz  
**SUN** 8:00 AM R. Krumenacker  
 10:30 AM K. Seigh

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**GREETERS: August 18-19**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (ST) C. Fuska  
 (VP) N. Vavrek  
**SUN** 8:00 AM (ST) Golias Family  
 (VP) M. Carney  
 10:30 AM (ST) L. Bukowski  
 (VP) D. McCabe

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**INCOME**

**JULY 30-AUGUST 5, 2007**

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4152.75
Assumption	22.00
Energy/Fuel	141.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	36.00
Gym Rental	40.00
Apartment Rent	350.00
Parking Rent	<u>310.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5051.75</b>

Christmas Club YTD Total: \$3565.81



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK August 13-19:**

Josephine Formica, Tina Koval, Amanda Ragno, Matthew Meszaros, Mary Reynolds, Danielle Kinley, Bradley Rastall, Mark Arnone, Collin Crocco, Deborah Walter, Barbara Fox, Catherine Fuska, Marian Lech, Lynn Brant, Peggy Stahr

**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.

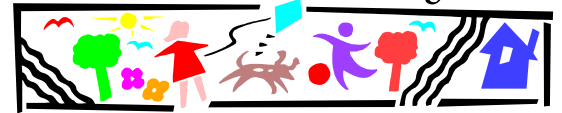


**SILENT PRAYER GROUP:** Our parish has a group of people who will earnestly pray for any needs you might have. This is a telephone prayer chain. If you have a special need about which you need prayer, call Pat @ 539-7928 or the Rectory Office @ 536-6110. State first name of person in need and the intention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

"See what love the Father has given us,



that we should be called children of God."

1 John 3:1

**PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:**

Our Parish School will begin on **Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>** with attendance at the 8:00 AM Mass. Classes will be in session from 9:00 to 10:00 AM. A **Teacher's Meeting** will be held **next Monday, August 20<sup>th</sup>**, at 7:00 PM in the school meeting room. All teachers please plan to attend. Thank you!

~Maureen Clark, DRE



**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>.**



**PORTRAITS:** Your Olan Mills portraits are 100% guaranteed. If you have any questions, comments, or concerns about your photographs or your order please call 1-800-596-3731.



## AREA PARISH EVENTS

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

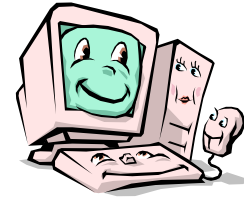
Live Polka Bands both days; ethnic foods, bingo, games, and theme baskets! Family-style Swiss Steak & Golabki Dinner on Sunday from Noon-2:30 PM.

**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**

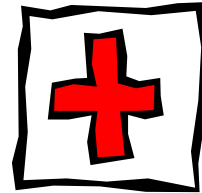
Feast Day Celebration from 12:00 Noon-5:00 PM. Shish-Kabob Dinner. Ala-Carte Middle Eastern Food Sale that includes: Lebanese Bread, Hoummus, Grape Leaves. Baked Kibbee, Spinach Pies, Meat Pies, Hot Mixed Olives, Syrian Rice, Syrian Green Beans, Baklava, and Assorted Middle Eastern Desserts. Take-outs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

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**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.

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## **AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVES**

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

Friday, August 24: St. Francis of Assisi Activity  
Center, Barron Avenue, 1:00-7:00 PM

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

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