Church of the Visitation

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NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

June 1, 2008

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY— ST. MARCELLINUS/ST. PETER
8:00 A.M. The Unborn
(Req. by Pro-Life Group)

TUESDAY— ST. CHARLES LWANGO
8:00 A.M. Agnes Correll
(Req. by John Correll)

WEDNESDAY— WEEKDAY
8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—ST. BONIFACE
8:00 A.M. Edgar Reynolds
(Req. by Family)

FRIDAY—ST. NORBERT
8:00 A.M. Florence Widmann
(Req. by Krueger Family)

SATURDAY— WEEKDAY
11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
Albert Sabo
(Req. by Anna Mae Johns)
4:00 P.M. Margaret Skufca
(Req. by Daughter, Debbie Walter)

SUNDAY—10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:00 A.M. Eugene Baroni
(Req. by Son, Barry)
10:30 A.M. For Our Parish Family

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Memory of Deceased Members of Visitation Parish

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 6/2: 2 Peter 1:2-7Mark 12:1-12
Tue 6/3: 2 Peter 3:12-15a, 17-18/Mark 12:13-17
Wed 6/4: 2 Timothy 1:1-3, 6-12/Mark 12:18-27
Thurs 6/5: 2 Timothy 2:8-15/Mark 12:28-34
Fri 6/6: 2 Timothy 3:10-17/Mark 12:35-37
Sat 6/7: 2 Timothy 4:1-8/Mark 12:38-44
Sun 6/8: Hosea 6:3-6/Romans 4:18-25/Matthew 9:9-13
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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, Kathy Daley, Catherine Dirsch, Eileen Dynice, Debbie Ed, Msgr. George Flinn, Mary Ellen Friant, Doug Golias, Larry Grimm, Mary Ann Holtz, Mary Kist, George Krueger, Leonard Kucera, Betty Kuras, Mary Catherine Launtz, Steve Luther, Heather Majoris, Rose Marchese, Loretta Meyers, Anna Petro, Kim Petro, Stephanie Petrusic, Helen Pohlit, Lorrie Polash, Jenny Poltrack, Eileen Rengh, Marion Saia, Stephen Sanders, Charlie Scaletta, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Rita Spence, Claire Staib, Charlene Tarnowsky, Mary Torchia, Dan Vavrek, Ed Waddell
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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUN 11:30 AM H.O.P.E. Group Meeting
WED 7:00 PM Choir Practice
FRI 8:00 AM Mass for First Friday
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SERVERS: June 7-8
SAT 4:00 PM Bradley & Noah Rastall

SUN 8:00 AM Mitchell Smith & Cletus McConville
10:30 AM Pauline Johncola & R. J. Slifko

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: June 7-8
SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) Ja. Bulisok, J. Correll, P. Balagusz
(Cup) N. Vavrek, D. Fallon, C. Fuska

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

10:30 AM (Plate) C. Barto, D. Tedjeske
(Cup) J. Meszaros, P. Molchany, D. Boyle
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LECTORS: June 7-8
SAT 4:00 PM P. Balagusz
SUN 8:00 AM R. Krumenacker
10:30 AM J. Luberto
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GREETERS: June 7-8
SAT 4:00 PM (ST) N. Vavrek
(VP) C. Fuska
SUN 8:00 AM (ST) Golias Family
(VP) K. Carney
10:30 AM (ST) Johncola Family
(VP) E. & C. Barto
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INCOME
MAY 19-25, 2008

Sunday Envelopes	$ 3821.64
Ascension	5.00
Energy/Fuel	31.00
Catholic Education (envelopes)	34.00
Organ Fund (In Memory of Chris New)	250.00
Parking Lot Rent	120.00
Total	$ 4261.64

2008 Christmas Club YTD Total: $3002.00
Organ Fund Total: $2270.00

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 June 2-8:

Nancy Koontz, Marjorie Krueger, John Slovikovski, Joseph Milazzo, Rebecca Schiffhauer, Eric Gulbranson, Amy Schmidt, Vincent O'Donnell, Dolores Tyburski, Edward Barto, James Werner, James Rayha

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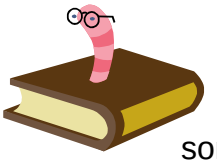
CATHOLIC CHARITIES: The Catholic Charities office is located at St. Joseph Church on Railroad Street, Johnstown. The staff is trained to assist individuals and families with a variety of problems, challenges and decisions, and some temporal needs in a confidential manner. Call 535-6538 for an appointment.

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!



BOOK DONATIONS: We would like to have some children's religious books for our "cry" room located in the usher's room. Please drop off any donations in the vestibule of the Church. Thank you!

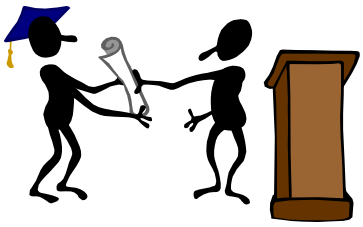
MOTHER'S DAY BASKET WINNER: Congratulations to Joann Daly, winner of the Mother's Day Longaberger® Basket! Thank you to all who supported this fundraiser for our Longaberger® Basket Bingo being held on **Sunday, October 5th**! Mark your calendars and tell your friends!!!

PLEASE PRAY: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Paul Mahan, Carl's brother, who passed away this past week. Thank you.

F.Y.I.: One of our parishioners, Mary Torchia, has been hospitalized for some time now and is on her way to recovering. If you would like to send her a greeting card, you may send it to the following: Mary Torchia, c/o Teresa Toma, 73 Frederic Drive, Monroe, NY 10950.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION:

You are invited to attend Brownstown Borough's Centennial Celebration on **Tuesday, June 10th** at 6:30 PM. Residents, former residents, friends and neighbors, bring your lawn chairs and celebrate with us outside the Municipal Building on Habicht Street. There will be a program which will include music by Hank Hirsch. All are welcome!



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATES!
Visitation Parish would like to congratulate the following of our Parish who are graduating from high school: **Alicia Formica, Phillip Kniss, Matthew Meszaros, Will Scholly, Ian Skovensky, and Eden Zibura**. Good luck with your future plans! God Bless all of you!

H.O.P.E. GROUP MEETING: The H.O.P.E. Group will meet this **Sunday, June 1st** after the 10:30 AM Mass. All parents of school-aged children are asked to attend to discuss summer activities.

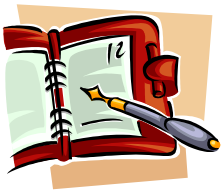
BLOOD DRIVE
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2008
NOON-6:00 PM
OUR MOTHER OF SORROWS
430 TIOGA STREET
Please give. Someone is waiting.....

ATTENTION PRAYERFUL SINGLE WOMEN!
The Sisters of St. Francis in Pittsburgh are having an exciting Live-in Experience Vocational Retreat **June 13th & 14th**. Pray and work with the sisters and hear the informative vocational talks. These retreats are very popular so make your reservations soon. There is no cost but space is limited. Please call 1-800-221-1807 for more dates and information.

APARTMENT FOR RENT: McKinley Avenue, 2nd Floor. Kitchen with appliances, porch, 3 rooms + bath. $400/month includes utilities. No Pets. No Smoking. Security deposit and references required. Call 539-7860.

BISHOP MCCORT HIGH SCHOOL
ANNUAL SUMMER YOUTH CAMPS

BOYS BASKETBALL—June 16-18
CHEERLEADING—June 20-21
GIRLS BASKETBALL—June 23-24
YOUTH FOOTBALL—June 23-24
JR. HIGH FOOTBALL—June 26-27

Register early to reserve a spot for your child. Call Rick DelSignore or Patrick Hollern @ 536-8991 for more information or visit the website @ www.mccort.org and click the athletics link.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER?? Please notify the Rectory Office if you have moved or changed your address/phone number by completing the coupon on the back of the bulletin or by calling the office during business hours @ 536-6110. It is **very important** that we have this information in order to keep our records up-to-date.