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EASTER SUNDAY—THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

April 12, 2009

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—EASTER MONDAY

8:00 A.M. Christopher New
(Req. by Family)

TUESDAY—EASTER TUESDAY

8:00 A.M. James Kinley
(Req. by Tony Kovacic Family)

WEDNESDAY—EASTER WEDNESDAY

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—EASTER THURSDAY

8:00 A.M. Mary Jo Mayer
(Req. by Family)

FRIDAY—EASTER FRIDAY

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

SATURDAY—EASTER SATURDAY

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
Carrie Walko
(Req. by Verna Sax)
4:00 P.M. Mark Arnone
(Bernie & Cindy Leech)

SUNDAY—2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00 A.M. For Our Parish Family
10:30 A.M. 1st Holy Communion Class

SANCTUARY CANDLE: For the Unborn

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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SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:

Mon 4/13: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Matthew 28-15
Tue 4/14: Acts 2:36-41/John 20:11-18
Wed 4/15: Acts 3:1-10/Luke 24:13-35
Thurs 4/16: Acts 3:11-26/Luke 24:35-48
Fri 4/17: Acts 4:1-12/John 21:1-14
Sat 4/18: Acts 4:13-21/Mark 16:9-15
Sun 4/19: Acts 4:32-35/1 John 5:1-6/John 20:19-31

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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, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Kathy Daley, Catherine Dirsch, Rita Dunegan, Msgr. George Flinn, Pat Foster, Doug Golias, Mary Ann Holtz, Mary Kist, George Krueger, Leonard Kucera, Betty Kuras, Mary Catherine Launtz, Heather Majoris, Bob Mardis, Loretta Meyers, Anna Petro, Kim Petro, Helen Pohlit, Lorrie Polash, Jenny Poltrack, Eileen Rengh, Fr. William Rosenbaum, Marion Saia, Maria (Petro) Sanders, Stephen Sanders, Charlie Scaletta, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Rita Spence, Charlene Tarnowsky, Fr. Paul Turnbull, Dan Vavrek, Ed Waddell, Rose Wiczorek

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

WED 7:00 PM Choir Practice
THUR 4:30 PM Practice for 1st Holy Communion
 7:00 PM Finance/Parish Council Mtg.
FRI 4:30 PM Practice for 1st Holy Communion

SERVERS: April 18-19

SAT 4:00 PM Frank Scarsella & Cletus McConville

SUN 8:00 AM Katie Wilson & Mitchell Smith
 10:30 AM Noah, Mia & Phillippa Rastall

SAT 4:00 PM S. Valinsky
SUN 8:00 AM J. Catanese
 10:30 AM E. Vizzini

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE

EUCHARIST: April 18-19

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) J. Correll,
 N. Vavrek, Ja. Bulisok
 (Cup) B. Tran, P. Balagusz, R. Sigg

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) B. New,
 J. Kuswara, M. Majoris
 (Cup) T. Golias, M. Carney, K. Carney

10:30 AM (Plate) E. Vizzini,
 J. Kiser, T. LaMonaca

(Cup) H. Balagusz, C. Williams, W. Dolges

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GREETERS: April 18-19

SAT 8:30 PM (ST) B. Tran
 (VP) J. & Ja. Bulisok

SUN 8:00 AM (ST) K. Carney
 (VP) Golias Family

10:30 AM (ST) Johns Family
 (VP) W. Dolges & Family

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INCOME

MARCH 30-APRIL 5, 2009

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4342.35
Holy Thursday	120.00
Good Friday	122.00
Easter Offering	215.00
Energy/Fuel	75.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	31.00
Easter Flowers	681.00
Parking Lot Rent	245.00
Gym Rental	60.00
Total	\$5891.35

2009 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1852.70
Organ Fund Total: \$3611.40

LECTORS: April 18-19



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR

**PARISHIONERS WHO ARE
CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY**

THIS WEEK April 13-19: Lauren

Pappas, Brooke Schilling, Marlene Russo, Dennis Thomas, Ian Conway, Katelyne Golby, Barbara Casavant, Patrick Costlow, John Fallon, Elizabeth Mizak, Alicia Brant, Brody Nagle, Jon Stuer

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!

ATTENTION CALENDAR PARTY HOSTESSES! IMPORTANT

INFORMATION: We will meet **NEXT Monday, April 20th** in the Ministry Room of the school at 6:00 PM to gather and assemble gifts.

Set up for the Calendar Party will be on **Friday, April 24th** at 6:00 PM and on **Saturday, April 25th** at Noon.

HAM RAFFLE WINNERS:

Congratulations to the following Ham Raffle winners:

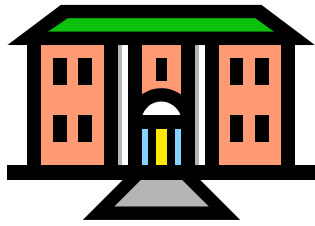
- Elizabeth Cramer
- Bob Costlow
- Marian Cyburt
- Dottie Dillon
- Richard Flynn (2)
- Emma Frieko
- Melissa Gore
- Mariann Jones
- Denny King
- Jackie Kuswara
- Lisa Malec (2)
- Debi McCaffrey
- Jim McCaffrey
- John McGrath
- Albert Reynolds
- Eva Scaletta
- Donald Scholly
- M. Zettle

PARISH/FINANCE COUNCIL

MEETING: The Parish & Finance Councils will meet this **Thursday, April 16th** at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Assembly Room.

BASKET PARTIES

- St. Andrew's 7th Annual Basket Party – **Sunday April 19th**. Doors open at 12:00 Noon. \$8.00 admission includes 25 chances on baskets, door prize ticket and boxed lunch. For tickets, call 288-2811.
- St. Stephen's Church—**Sunday, April 19th** at Ace's. Doors open at 12:00 Noon. \$5.00 admission includes 25 chances and lunch.



VALLEY PIKE MANOR: The Valley Pike Manor, 1029 Franklin Street, has apartments available for elderly and physically disabled persons. Rent adjusted to income. Please call 536-1710 for more information. Equal Housing Opportunity.



MASS OF THANKSGIVING:
Come join the Franciscan Family of the Greater Johnstown Area for a Mass of Thanksgiving at the Church of St. Francis of Assisi, Barron Avenue, Johnstown, this

Thursday, April 16th at 7:00 PM. Light refreshments will be served in the Social Hall following the Mass.



CONCERT AT O.M.O.S.: Concerts at OMOS presents Svetlana Strezeva, soprano, "The Russian Nightingale" in concert **NEXT Sunday, April 19th** at 3:00 PM at Our Mother of Sorrows Church, Tioga Street, Westmont. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Milana Strezeva, a graduate of the Julliard School. A suggested donation of \$5 per adult is asked at the door.



BISHOP'S NIGHT FOR VOCATIONS:
Thursday, April 23rd at the DeGol Center of St. Francis University, Loretta, PA. Mixer at 5:30 PM followed by dinner at 6:30 PM. The featured speaker will be Sister Mary Assumpta. Originally from Portage, PA, Sister has appeared on local TV, had a cameo in the movie, Major League, and served as a feature correspondent at the 1995 & 1997 World Series. Tickets can be purchased by calling the Vocations Office @ 814-472-5441.



SS. CASIMIR & EMERICH'S HALL OF MEMORY: All are welcome to attend Ss. Casimir & Emerich's Hall of Memory in the former St. Casimir School Building on **Saturday, April 25th from 5-7 PM and on Sunday, April 26th from 10 AM – Noon.** They have collected photos and memorabilia from over 100 years and have spent months putting together this display of items. Items range from the history of the Church to Sacramental photos, St. Casimir School, West End Catholic, and fundraisers. The display takes up FIVE classrooms! Admission is free!

