

# *Church of the Visitation*

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## **SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER—DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

**April 19, 2009**

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

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **MONDAY— EASTER WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Anna Bezek  
(Req. by Jane Plummer & Family)

#### **TUESDAY— ST. ANSELM**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **WEDNESDAY—EASTER WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY—ST. GEORGE/ST. ADALBERT**

8:00 A.M. Deborah Ed  
(Req. by Leah McCullough)

#### **FRIDAY— ST. FIDELIS OF SIGMARINGEN**

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

#### **SATURDAY— ST. MARK**

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR  
Elizabeth Yeager  
(Req. by Daughter)  
4:00 P.M. Clare Correll  
(John Correll)

#### **SUNDAY—3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER**

8:00 A.M. Henry R. Murillo  
(Req. by Margie Giannone)  
10:30 A.M. For Our Parish Family

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** For Our First Holy Communion Class

**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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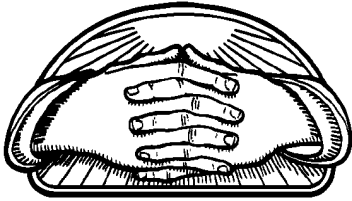
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**SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:**

**Mon 4/20:** Acts 4:23-31/John 3:1-8  
**Tue 4/21:** Acts 4:32-37/John 3:7b-15  
**Wed 4/22:** Acts 5:17-26/John 3:16-21  
**Thurs 4/23:** Acts 5:27-33/John 3:31-36  
**Fri 4/24:** Acts 5:34-42/John 6:1-15  
**Sat 4/25:** 1 Peter 5:5b-14/Mark 16:15-20  
**Sun 4/26:** Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 John 2:1-5a/Luke 24:35-48



***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, 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

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**WED** 7:00 PM Choir Practice  
**SERVERS: April 25-26**  
**SAT** 4:00 PM John & Shannon Valinsky  
**SUN** 8:00 AM Clara Wilson & Gerry Smith  
 10:30 AM Collin Layton & Autumn McClain

**LECTORS: April 25-26**

**SAT** 4:00 PM J. Correll  
**SUN** 8:00 AM R. Krumenacker  
 10:30 AM J. Luberto

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: April 25-26**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (Plate) J. Bulisok, D. Vavrek, H. Balagusz  
 (Cup) G. Fenik, J. New, C. Fuska  
**SUN** 8:00 AM (Plate) M. Clark, K. Carney, B. New  
 (Cup) J. Kuswara, T. Golias, A. Reynolds  
 10:30 AM (Plate) B. Williams, D. Tedjeske, J. Kiser  
 (Cup) J. Meszaros, C. Barto, D. Boyle

**GREETERS: April 25-26**

**SAT** 8:30 PM (ST) N. Vavrek (VP) Balagusz  
**SUN** 8:00 AM (ST) B. Rodgers (VP) K. Carney  
 10:30 AM (ST) Johncola Family (VP) J. Meszaros



**INCOME APRIL 6-12, 2009**

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 1519.70
Holy Thursday	494.00
Good Friday	357.00
Easter Offering	6695.85
Energy/Fuel	134.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	11.00
Catholic Education (Pancake Breakfast)	625.00
Easter Flowers	80.00
Parking Lot Rent	160.00
Gym Rental	40.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,116.55</b>

**2009 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1967.70**  
**Organ Fund Total: \$3611.40**



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR

**PARISHIONERS WHO ARE  
CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY**

**THIS WEEK April 20-26:** Christine

Catalfamo, Alicia Formica, Catherine Legg,  
Ernestine Schmidt, Catherine Zinsky, Mark Ed,  
Joseph Frick, Ann Krcha, Lauren Schiffhauer,  
Anne Zolnosky, Bertha Leap, John Meyers, Susan  
Calaba-Jenkins, Kevin Michaels, Sharon Nagle,  
Joseph Ragno, III

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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.

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**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.

**If you like to join this special ministry, please call the Rectory Office.** Thank you!



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## 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 **THIS Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup>** 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 24<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00 PM and on **Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>** at Noon.

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### PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will be celebrated **this Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>**, at the 10:30 Liturgy. Congratulations to our First Holy Communicants: Andrew Homyak, Christopher Homyak, Amanda Martella, Sarah McConville, Sydney Podrebarac, Jessica Stuer, Brent Swaltek & Noah Z Iburu. God be with you and may He keep you in His loving care. A special "Thank You" to our teachers, Pat and Helene Balagusz for all the beautiful and extra things they do!

The final class for the school year will be **April 26<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you to our teachers for their dedication and hard work. Our students have shown a near perfect attendance and have completed their programs. My gratitude also goes to the parents for their support and always helping with a smile.

We wish everyone a happy and safe summer. The new school year will begin on **Sunday, September 13, 2009.**

Maureen Clark, DRE



**THANK YOU!** Thank you to everyone who volunteered last Saturday morning to decorate the Church for Easter. Your help is greatly appreciated! The Church looks beautiful! God Bless you!

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**EASTER BOOKLETS:** Meditation booklets for the 50 days of Easter are available in the vestibule and at the side exits of the Church.

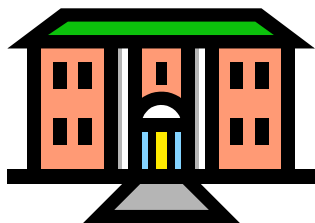
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**VISITATION CALENDAR PARTY:**

Tickets are still available for Visitation's Calendar Party on **Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>**. If interested, please call Melissa @ 255-1300.

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**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.



**HUGE GARAGE SALE:** Cathedral Catholic Academy will be holding a Huge Garage Sale at St. Clement Church, 110 Lindberg Avenue, next **Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>** from 8:00 AM until 3:00 PM. Household items, books, clothing, knick knacks, toys and more! Many gently used items—something for everyone! A Bake Sale will also be held. Proceeds benefit the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Class Trip. **No early sales!**

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**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 25<sup>th</sup> from 5-7 PM and on Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup> 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.