

# *Church of the Visitation*

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## ***FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME***

***January 31, 2010***

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

### ***MASS SCHEDULE***

#### **MONDAY— WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Theola Wellen

(Req. by Frank & Kathy Carney)

#### **TUESDAY— THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD**

8:00 A.M. Nina Kane

(Req. by M/M Leone Petak)

#### **WEDNESDAY—SS. BLAISE & ANSGAR**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY—WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Paulette Torchia-Miller

(Req. by Family)

#### **FRIDAY—ST. AGATHA**

8:00 A.M. Genevieve Galish

(Req. by Gloria)

#### **SATURDAY—ST. PAUL MIKI**

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR

Mary Cibrin

(Req. by Sister Georgina)

4:00 P.M. Mary Kay Katzenstein

(Req. by Pat Barnhart)

#### **SUNDAY—5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 A.M. George Krueger

(Req. by Shirley Machowski)

10:30 A.M. Our Parish Family

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** For the Health of Marty Fenik, requested by Gloria

**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 2/1:** 2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Mark 5:1-20  
**Tue 2/2:** Malachi 3:1-4/Hebrews 2:14-18/Luke 2:22-40 or 2:22-32  
**Wed 2/3:** 2 Samuel 24:2, 9-17/Mark 6:1-6  
**Thurs 2/4:** 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12/Mark 6:7-13  
**Fri 2/5:** Sirach 47:2-11/Mark 6:14-29  
**Sat 2/6:** 1 Kings 3:4-13/Mark 6:30-34  
**Sun 2/7:** Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Corinthians 1:1-11 or 1:3-8/Luke 5:1-11  
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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, Lori Beyer, Patty Blough, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Lori Byer, Flo Cabo, Kathy Daley, Frank Daly, Catherine Dirsch, Rita Dunegan, Doug Golias, Marie Havel, Mary Ann Holtz, Bertha Hughes, Mary Kist, Elizabeth Kozak, Anne Kucera, Leonard Kucera, Betty Kuras, John Kurtz, Mary Catherine Launtz, Heather Majoris, Bob Mardis, James McCaffrey, Elizabeth Mekis, Loretta Meyers, Anna Petro, Kim Petro, Helen Pohlit, Lorrie Polash, Eileen Rengh, Fr. William Rosenbaum, Marion Saia, Maria (Petro) Sanders, Stephen Sanders, Charlie Scaletta, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Rita Spence, Brent Swaltek, Charlene Tarnowsky, Fr. Paul Turnbull, Ed Waddell, Rose Wiczorek  
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**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK—CELEBRATE!**

**WED** 7:00 PM Choir  
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**SERVERS: February 6-7**

**SAT** 4:00 PM Phillipa & Mia Rastall  
**SUN** 8:00 AM Gerry Smith  
 10:30 AM Autumn McClain & KayLee Haggerty

**LECTORS: February 6-7**

**SAT** 4:00 PM S. Valinsky  
**SUN** 8:00 AM R. Krumenacker  
 10:30 AM D. Boyle  
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**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: February 6-7**

**SAT** 4:00 PM J. Bulisok, H. Balagusz, C. Fuska

**SUN** 8:00 AM M. Clark, M. Majoris, J. Kuswara

10:30 AM D. Tedjeske, W. Dolges  
 J. Kiser  
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**GREETERS: February 6-7**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (ST) J. Bulisok  
 (VP) Ja. Bulisok  
**SUN** 8:00 AM (ST) Golias Family  
 (VP) G. Krumenacker  
 10:30 AM (ST) M. Wissinger  
 (VP) Johns Family  
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**INCOME**

**JANUARY 18-24, 2010**

Sunday Envelopes	\$3709.75
Loose	231.56
Solemnity of Mary	11.00
Energy/Fuel	41.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	51.05
Catholic Education (RADA Knife)	23.50
Initial Offering	16.00
Parking Lot Rent	350.00
Gym Rental	<u>80.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4513.86</b>

<b>2010 Christmas Club YTD Total:</b>	<b>\$322.00</b>
<b>Organ Fund Total:</b>	<b>\$3751.69</b>
<b>Haiti Collection:</b>	<b>\$1704.56</b>

**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 February 1-7:** Melissa

LaMonaca, William Stanko, Bobby Kniss, Jeremy Koontz, Phyllis Stasko, Michael Jimerson, Dorothy Dillon, Bill Lansberry, William Baumer, Amy Reynolds, John Teeter

**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 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!

## PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—2010 CONFIRMATION:



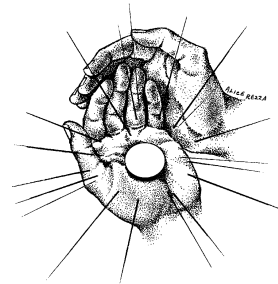
Our 11<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Confirmation Class—

*Mason del Rosario, John Meyers, Bob Pickerill, Todd Rastall, and Ashley Tedjeske*—are to attend classes on Sunday mornings from 9:00-10:00 AM. Their Retreat will be on **Saturday, February 27<sup>th</sup>** from 4:00-9:00 PM at St. Andrew Church. Practice for Confirmation is on May 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. Confirmation will be celebrated on May 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM.

## CELEBRATING CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK—JANUARY 31-FEBRUARY 5,

**2010:**

**THIS IS ONE WAY  
YOUR CHILD  
RECEIVES CHRIST.  
ANOTHER WAY IS  
THROUGH A  
CATHOLIC  
EDUCATION. THE  
FOLLOWING**



**SCHOOLS ARE NOW REGISTERING  
FOR THE 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR:  
Bishop McCort High School, Cathedral  
Catholic Academy, Our Mother of  
Sorrows School, Saint Andrew School &  
Saint Benedict School.**

**ST. CLEMENT CRAFT FAIR:** Saint Clement Church is sponsoring a Craft Fair on **Saturday, March 13<sup>th</sup>** from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM and on **Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup>** from 11:30 AM to 4:00 PM. If you would like to purchase a table, the cost is \$25 for the 2 days and a 6 ft. table. If interested, please call 255-4422.



**SPAGHETTI DINNER & DESSERT AUCTION TO  
BENEFIT BRENT SWALTEK FAMILY**

**THIS SUNDAY, JANUARY 31<sup>ST</sup>  
FERNDALE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 701  
VICKROY AVENUE**

**DINNER 5:00 PM  
AUCTION 6:00 PM**

**COST: 2 DINNERS FOR \$6.00  
TAKE-OUTS 2 FOR \$8.00**



**BIRTHRIGHT OF  
JOHNSTOWN CELEBRATES 30  
YEARS!** Birthright of Johnstown,

Inc. has been providing crisis pregnancy support services to women throughout Cambria, Indiana, Blair, Westmoreland and Somerset counties since 1980! Our caring volunteers have been able to offer non-judgmental emotional support and material needs, as well as referrals for assistance with medical care, housing and nutrition to any girl or woman facing an unplanned pregnancy. Birthright has enabled the mothers of over 5,000 babies to carry their pregnancies to term and give life to their unborn children. To become involved or to volunteer, please call Mary Kay Clark, Executive Director @ 814-535-5821.



**SAVE OUR STEEPLES & THE  
BOTTLE WORKS PRESENTS  
"CELEBRATING CAMBRIA CITY" ON**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup> FROM 3:00-5:00 PM AT  
THE FORMER IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH,  
308 BROAD STREET. A RECEPTION WILL BE  
HELD IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE PERFORMANCE  
AT THE BOTTLE WORKS. TICKETS ARE \$12.00 PER  
PERSON OR \$20.00 FOR TWO AND ARE AVAILABLE  
AT THE BOTTLEWORKS OR CALL 535-2499 OR 539-  
0181 FOR INFORMATION.**



**VISITATION HOLIDAY  
SWEEPSTAKES**

**BEGINS: MONDAY, MARCH 8<sup>TH</sup>**

**COST: \$40 OR \$1.00 PER  
WEEK FOR 40  
WEEKS**

**\*WIN: \$50 MONDAY-SATURDAY  
FOR 38 WEEKS**

**\$200 MARCH 17<sup>TH</sup>, MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>,  
JULY 5<sup>TH</sup>, SEPTEMBER  
6<sup>TH</sup>, OCTOBER 11<sup>TH</sup>**

**\$1,000 NOVEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup>**

**\$100 MONDAY THROUGH  
SATURDAY THE 39<sup>TH</sup>  
WEEK**

**\$1,000 MONDAY THROUGH  
SATURDAY THE 40<sup>TH</sup>  
WEEK**

**\*WINNING NUMBER DETERMINED BY  
THE PENNSYLVANIA DAILY LOTTERY  
NUMBER DRAWN AT 7 PM MON-SAT.**

**TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE  
BEFORE & AFTER ALL WEEKEND  
MASSES OR AT THE RECTORY  
MONDAY-THURSDAY. BECOME A  
CAPTAIN (SELL 10 OR MORE  
TICKETS) AND RECEIVE 10% OF  
WINNING TICKET SOLD.**