

Church of the Visitation

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 2, 2010

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—SS. PHILIP & JAMES, APOSTLES

8:00 A.M. Genevieve & Bill Galish
(Req. by Gloria)

TUESDAY—EASTER WEEKDAY

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

WEDNESDAY—EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. William Cartwright
(Req. by Barnhart Family)

FRIDAY—EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Ed McKenzie
(Req. by Clara Lasky)

SATURDAY—EASTER WEEKDAY

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
All Mothers & Grandmothers,
Living & Deceased
4:00 P.M. All Mothers & Grandmothers,
Living & Deceased

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER—MOTHER'S DAY

8:00 A.M. All Mothers & Grandmothers,
Living & Deceased
10:30 A.M. All Mothers & Grandmothers,
Living & Deceased

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Memory of
Genevieve & Bill Galish, req. 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.

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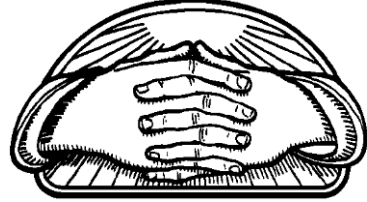
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SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:

Mon 5/3: 1 Corinthians 15:1-8/John 14:6-14
Tue 5/4: Acts 14:19-28/John 14:27-31a
Wed 5/5: Acts 15:1-6/John 15:1-8
Thurs 5/6: Acts 15:7-21/John 15:9-11
Fri 5/7: Acts 15:22-31 /John 15:12-17
Sat 5/8: Acts 16:1-10/John 15:18-21
Sun 5/9: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23/John 14:23-29

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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 Byer, Patty Blough, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Lori Byer, Flo Cabo, Kathy Daley, Frank Daly, Rita Dunegan, Doug Golias, 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, Fr. Paul Turnbull, Ed Waddell, Rose Wieczorek

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUN 8:00 AM-Noon Pancake Breakfast & Bake Sale
 10:30 AM May Crowning
WED 7:00 PM Choir

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SERVERS: May 8-9

SAT 4:00 PM Phillippa & Mia Rastall
SUN 8:00 AM Aaron Skovensky
 10:30 AM Clara Wilson & Jacob Corona

LECTORS: May 8-9

SAT 4:00 PM J. New
SUN 8:00 AM J. Catanese
 10:30 AM T. LaMonaca

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: May 8-9

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) J. Bulisok, H. Balagusz, D. Fallon
 (Cup) C. Fuska, J. New, R. Sigg

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) K. Carney, M. Majoris, J. Kuswara
 (Cup) M. Clark, A. Reynolds, B. New

10:30 AM (Plate) T. LaMonaca, B. Williams, L. Luna

(Cup) M. Luna, D. Boyle, P. Molchany

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GREETERS: May 8-9

SAT 8:30 PM (ST) C. Fuska
 (VP) J. Spangler

SUN 8:00 AM (ST) K. Carney
 (VP) B. Rodgers
 10:30 AM (ST) W. Dolges & Family
 (VP)

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INCOME

APRIL 19-25, 2010

Sunday Envelopes	\$3164.50
Loose	173.81
Easter Offering	50.25
Energy/Fuel	33.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	33.00
Perquisite (Dirsch Funeral)	75.00
Perquisite (Golias Funeral)	150.00
Gym Rent	<u>152.00</u>
Total	\$3831.56

2010 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1641.00
Organ Fund Total: \$3751.69

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 May 3-9: Karlie Jimerson,
Donna LaMonaca, Barry Mills, John Meyers,
Wade Meyer, Lucy Tran, Hueston Koontz, Samuel
Barbato

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!

JUNE BASKET LOTTERY: Tickets may be purchased after all weekend masses to win a filled theme basket every day during the month of June. Donation is \$5 per ticket.

BASKETS NEEDED!!! This project will need **30** filled baskets with a value of at least **\$25**. We are asking parishioners, CCD, parochial school and BMHS families to help by filling a basket around a theme of their choice and donating it to this project. **We are also accepting monetary donations!!!** Cash or checks made payable to Visitation Church should be placed in an envelope marked to the attention of "Suzie" and placed in the collection basket ASAP. **Filled baskets should be dropped off at the Rectory Office by May 16th.**



11TH GRADE CONFIRMATION CLASS: No class this Sunday, May 2nd however, we will have a **Confirmation Prep Class NEXT Sunday, May 9th** at the regular class time of 9:00 AM.



ONE FAITH, ONE HOUSEHOLD—2010 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: The 2010 Annual Catholic Appeal began this week in all parishes within our Diocese. This year, our parish goal is **\$27,383**. A gift that reflects your gratitude for the many blessings that God has entrusted to you is a blessing for our parish and the 32 Diocesan ministries the ACA supports. If you are unable to make a financial gift, please return your pledge card indicating such; we will see that you do not receive a second request. All contributions over our parish goal will be used for painting the ceiling of the Church.



ALTOONA CURVE BASEBALL GAME: The Greater Johnstown Retired Men's Club is sponsoring a bus trip to the Altoona Curve Baseball Game on **Saturday, May 8th** at 5:00 PM. Great seating, large buffet and smooth bus ride! Cost is \$33.00. If interested, please call Skip Wissinger @ 288-3233.



**NEED GRASS CUT
OR
HEDGES TRIMMED?**

CALL BOB @ 539-0546.

CONCERT SERIES: The Concerts at OMOS Series is proud to host the Johnstown Community Chorus as they present *Classic Choral Harmony* at 7:00 PM on **Saturday, May 8th**, at Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church. Tickets are \$8.00 and available at the door or from chorus members. All are welcome.

**VISITATION PARISH
SPAGHETTI DINNER**



**SATURDAY, MAY 15TH
4:30 PM - 6:00 PM**

**SUNDAY, MAY 16TH
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

**Menu includes: Spaghetti, Meatballs,
Sausage, Salad, Roll & Dessert**

ADULTS: \$6.00

CHILDREN (under 12): \$3.00



**CARNATIONS TO SUPPORT
LIFE THROUGH
BIRTHRIGHT OF**

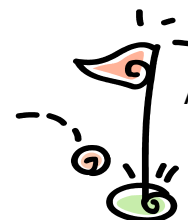
JOHNSTOWN: Mother's Day weekend, **May 8th & 9th**, volunteers will be accepting donations in exchange for beautiful carnations. The donations you make will be used to enable girls and women facing a crisis pregnancy to choose life for the children they are carrying. Since 1980, Birthright has helped *thousands* of pregnant women avoid abortion and give life to their unborn children. Thank you for your generous support of our Pro life efforts!

**HELP IS NEEDED! PLEASE
SIGN UP IN THE
VESTIBULE OF THE
CHURCH!**



CELEBRATE MOM!

PANCAKE BREAKFAST: The Service Group at St. John Gualbert Cathedral is sponsoring a Pancake Breakfast for Mother's Day, **next Sunday, May 9th** from 8:00 AM until 1:00 PM. All-You-Care-To-Eat Pancakes, plain, blueberry or strawberry topped, Sausage, Orange Juice & Coffee. Adults: \$5.00; Ages 5-10: \$3.00; Age 4 & under: free.



GOLF SCRAMBLE: St. Andrew's Annual Golf Scramble will be held on **Saturday, May 29th**. For more information, please call 288-2811. All are welcome!