

Church of the Visitation

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THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 22, 2012

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Christopher New

(Req. by Parents)

TUESDAY—ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

8:00 A.M. Dynon & Oswald Families

(Req. by Theresa & Jane Pfaller)

WEDNESDAY—CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—SS. TIMOTHY & TITUS

8:00 A.M. Susan Petrusic

(Req. by Carol Loushe)

FRIDAY—ST. ANGELA MERICI

8:00 A.M. Patsy Berardi

(Req. by a Friend)

SATURDAY—ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

11:00 A.M. Valley Pike Manor

Rita Clark

(James Orr)

4:00 P.M. Ralph Chiodo

(Req. by Margie Zolnosky)

SUNDAY—4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. Intentions of Our Parish Family

10:30 A.M. Helen Pohlit

(Req. by Margaret Lison)

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Gratitude of Aunts, Anna Marie & Toots, req. by Niece, Barbara Vedock

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 1/23: 2 Samuel 5:1-7, 10/Mark 3:22-30

Tue 1/24: 2 Samuel 6:12b-15, 17-19/Mark 3:31-35

Wed 1/25: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Mark 16:15-18

Thurs 1/26: 2 Timothy 1:1-8 or Titus 1:1-5/Mark 4:21-25

Fri 1/27: 2 Samuel 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Mark 4:26-34

Sat 1/28: 2 Samuel 12:1-7a, 10-17/Mark 4:35-41

Sun 1/29: Deuteronomy 18:15-20/1 Corinthians 7:32-35/Mark 1:21-28

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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: Kim Bailey, Shirley Barbato, Leo Bimle, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Anna Marie Burnheimer, Flo Cabo, Kathie Daley, Frank Daly, Gloria Fenik, Josephine Gallo, Doug Golias, Herbert Hess, Mary Ann Holtz, Anne Kucera, Leonard Kucera, Stu Leman, Heather Majoris, Bob Mardis, David Marshall, James McCaffrey, Loretta Meyers, James Mical, Steve Molnar, Sam Panarella, Anna Petro, Lorrie Polash, Stephanie Poltrack, Melissa Pribozie, Eileen Rengh, Marion Saia, Sam Saia, Maria (Petro) Sanders, Stephen Sanders, Charlie Scaletta, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Ian Skovensky, Rita Spence, Brent Swaltek, John Sweeney, Joe Taresco, Christi Vavrek, Ed Waddell, Rose Wieczorek

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

WED 7:00 PM Choir

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SERVERS: January 28-29

SAT 4:00 PM Brad Rastall & Nick Gjurich

SUN 8:00 AM Max Smith
10:30 AM Matthew Johns & George Cyburt

LECTORS: January 28-29

SAT 4:00 PM C. Vavrek/J. Correll

SUN 8:00 AM M. Flynn
10:30 AM D. Boyle/E. Vizzini

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: January 28-29

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) J. Bulisok, C. Fuska, H. Balagusz
(Cup) C. Vavrek, B. Tran, R. Sigg

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) M. Clark, D. Kozak, K. Carney
(Cup) M. Majoris, M. Mihelic, D. Krumenacker

10:30 AM (Plate) E. Vizzini, P. Molchany, B. Williams
(Cup) A. Kozak, C. Williams, B. Nagle

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GREETERS: January 28-29

SAT 4:00 PM (VP) J. Spangler
(ST) J. & Ja. Bulisok

SUN 8:00 AM (VP) G. Krumenacker
(ST) R. & A. Albert

10:30 AM (ST) L. Malec
(VP) Johns Family

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INCOME

JANUARY 9-15, 2012

Sunday Envelopes	\$2,927.00
Loose	183.86
Solemnity of Mary	20.00
Energy/Fuel	17.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	28.00
Initial Offering	58.00
Donations (In Memory of Dr. Frank Carney)	120.00
Catholic Register	199.00
Donation	25.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>140.00</u>
Total	\$3,717.86

2012 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$193.00
Organ Fund Total: \$12,708.82

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 January 23-29:**

Shanna Murphy, Julie Nagle, Samantha Oswalt,
Joseph Czarnik, Joseph Carrier, Sue Karmanocky,
Gerry Smith, Patricia Scholly, Barbara Goljch,
Helen Buchan, Tyler Vizzini

CATHOLIC CHARITIES: The Catholic Charities office is located at 321 Main Street, Suite 5G in the Seifert Professional Building, 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.

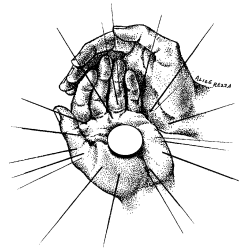
SILENT PRAYER GROUP: Our parish has a group of people who will earnestly pray for any needs you might have. This is a telephone prayer chain. If you have a special need about which you need prayer, call Pat @ 539-7928 or the Rectory Office @ 536-6110. State first name of person in need and the intention or need. We will gladly pray for **you would like to join this special ministry, please call the Rectory Office.** Thank you!



VISITATION CHOIR—NEW MEMBERS

WELCOME: New members are *always* welcome in the Visitation Choir! Please consider joining us in the Choir Rehearsal Room **Wednesday evenings** from 7:00-8:00 PM. We warm up Sunday mornings at 10:00 AM in the Choir Room. God bless you in your consideration.

CELEBRATING CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK—



**JANUARY 29-
FEBRUARY 4, 2012:**
THIS IS ONE WAY YOUR
CHILD RECEIVES
CHRIST. ANOTHER
WAY IS THROUGH A
CATHOLIC
EDUCATION.

Catholic School students (Grade Schools & Bishop McCort) and their families are still needed to participate in all the Masses next weekend, **January 28-29**, to celebrate the beginning of Catholic Schools Week. Sign-up sheets are available in the vestibule for Gift Bearers, Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters and Readers (check the Missalette for the readings) for the 4:00 PM Saturday and 8:00 & 10:30 AM Sunday Masses. Please consider participating at the Mass you attend and wear clothing that identifies your school. Sign-up sheets are in the back of the Church.

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION— JANUARY SCHEDULE:



January 22 – Class

January 28 – *MANDATORY RETREAT for ALL 11th Grade Students getting CONFIRMED in May—4:00-9:00 PM starting with the 4:00 Liturgy. This includes all CCD & Bishop McCort Students. **Students MUST have their Confirmation name at this time. *Retreat will be held at Visitation.**

January 29 – Home Study—No Class

The winter weather is here! Please put safety first on inclement Sunday mornings.

UPCOMING H.O.P.E. GROUP EVENTS



PANCAKE BREAKFAST:
April 22nd



2012 JUNE BASKET RAFFLE:

In order for our basket raffle ticket to be a success, we are in need of 30 donated baskets, one for each day of June. Minimum value should be \$25.00. Take advantage of holiday clearance items from now to June. Please consider putting a basket together. A sign-up sheet is in the back of the Church. Cash donations are also welcome. Please drop off any baskets at the Rectory Office. Thank you for your support.

MULTIPHASIC BLOOD SCREENING:

September 2012

2012 TURKEY RAFFLE DOOR PRIZES: We anticipate the need for donations of items to be used as door prizes for the Turkey Raffle. Door prize items may be dropped off at the Rectory or placed in the back of the Church marked "Turkey Raffle".



BREAKFAST
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL
229 Main Street
SUNDAY, JANUARY 29TH
8:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Donation of \$6.00 includes scrambled eggs, bacon or sausage, home fries, toast, orange juice, coffee, tea or milk.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

PRE-SCHOOLER PLAY DAY: St. Benedict School is inviting all pre-school children ages 3, 4 & 5 to participate in our first Pre-Schooler Play Day on **Thursday, February 2nd** between 10:00 AM-12:00 Noon in the school gym. There will be a reading corner, activities and games for the children to play. This event is sponsored by the 8th Grade Students (under the direction of their teachers) of St. Benedict School and is free of charge. Please come and join in the fun!



VISITATION HOLIDAY SWEEPSTAKES

**BEGINS: MONDAY,
MARCH 5TH**

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

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

**\$200 MARCH 17TH, MAY 28TH,
JULY 4th, SEPTEMBER
3RD,
OCTOBER 8th**

\$1,000 NOVEMBER 22ND

**\$100 MONDAY THROUGH
SATURDAY THE 39TH WEEK**

**\$1,000 MONDAY THROUGH
SATURDAY THE 40TH
WEEK**

TICKETS ARE 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.

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