

SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:

Mon 3/12: 2 Kings 5:1-15b/Luke 4:24-30
Tue 3/13: Daniel 3:25, 34-43/Matthew 18:21-35
Wed 3/14: Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9/Matthew 5:17-19
Thurs 3/15: Jeremiah 7:23-28/Luke 11:14-23
Fri 3/16: Hosea 14:2-10/Mark 12:28-34
Sat 3/17: Hosea 6:1-6/Luke 18:9-14
Sun 3/18: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23/Ephesians 2:4-10/John 3:14-21

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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: Kim Bailey, Shirley Barbato, Leo Bimle, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Anna Marie Burnheimer, Flo Cabo, John Correll, Kathie Daley, Frank Daly, Gloria Fenik, Josephine Gallo, Doug Golias, Herbert Hess, Mary Ann Holtz, Anne Kucera, Stu Lemans, 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 Wiczorek

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUN 11:30 AM HOPE Group Meeting
WED 7:00 PM Choir
THUR 7:00 PM Finance/Parish Council Mtg.
FRI 11 AM-7 PM Fish Fry/Pizza Sale
 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross

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SERVERS: March 16/17-18

FRI 7:00 PM Brent Swaltek & Tyler Vizzini
SAT 4:00 PM Brent Swaltek & Noah Rastall
SUN 8:00 AM Tyler Vizzini
 10:30 AM Autumn McClain & Angeline Pribozie

LECTORS: March 17-18

SAT 4:00 PM J. New/P. Balagusz
SUN 8:00 AM D. Kozak
 10:30 AM P. Molchany/T. LaMonaca

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: March 17-18

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

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

10:30 AM (Plate) P. Molchany,
 G. Gallucci, T. LaMonaca
 (Cup) J. Kiser, D. Tedjeske, L. Malec

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GREETERS: March 17-18

SAT 4:00 PM (VP) Balagusz
 (ST) Bell Family
SUN 8:00 AM (VP) G. Krumenacker
 (ST) R. & A. Albert
 10:30 AM (ST) Johns Family
 (VP) J. & L. Slifko

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INCOME

FEBRUARY 27-MARCH 4, 2012

Sunday Envelopes	\$4,179.00
Loose	204.82
Ash Wednesday	53.00
Energy/Fuel	282.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	49.00
Perquisite (Hartnett Funeral)	125.00
Catholic Register	20.00
Donation	25.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>70.00</u>
Total	\$5,007.82

2012 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$595.00
Organ Fund Total: \$13,908.82

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 March 12-18: Catherine

Stephens, Zoe Nagle, Ava Zucco, Karen Conrad, Ann Koval, Angelina Pribozie, Jeff Smith, Patricia Arnone, Sharen Bukowski, David Kozak, Thomas Trigona, Margaret Blough, Melissa Carlson, Marlene Gahagan, Linda Garanich, Rose Perry, Gary Bell, Dolores Curcio, Lauren Crum, Katie Fetzko, Carol Houghton, Victor Kleinosky, James Muir

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.

UPCOMING H.O.P.E. GROUP EVENTS

PANCAKE

BREAKFAST: April 22nd



2012 JUNE BASKET RAFFLE: WE ARE

ALMOST THERE! 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.

*Tickets for these baskets will go on sale soon!
Please look for them in the vestibule of the
Church in the very near future.*

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".

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—



MARCH SCHEDULE:

March 11—Class

**March 18—Class; 9th & 10th Grade
Confirmation Mass at the 8 AM Liturgy**

March 25—No Class; Home Study

****Note: Sunday, April 22nd—11th Grade
Confirmation "Mass of Sending" at the
10:30 AM Liturgy**



SPAGHETTI DINNER & BASKET

RAFFLE: Cathedral Catholic Academy Drama Club will be holding its Annual Spaghetti Dinner & filled Basket Raffle **THIS Sunday, March 11th** from 11:30 AM-3:00 PM at St. Clement Church Social Hall on Lindberg Avenue. Adults: \$6.00; Children (ages 5-10): \$4; Children under 5: free. Proceeds benefit the Spring Musical Production of Alice in Wonderland, Jr.

CASH GIVE-AWAY: St. Francis/St. Michael Education Support Group will hold a Cash Give-away on **Saturday, March 17th** from 7:00-9:00 PM at the St. Francis Activity Center, Barron Avenue. Donation of \$10 includes 9 chances to win \$150-\$200. Food and beverage included. Tickets sold at the door or church office.

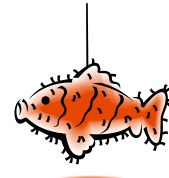
NUT & POPPYSEED ROLLS: St. Clare of Assisi Parish (Woodvale) will be taking orders for Nut & Poppyseed Rolls **now thru March 18th**. Cost is \$10 each. You may call 535-1133 to order. Orders may be picked up beginning Wednesday, March 28th from 1:00-6:00 PM thru Sunday, April 1st after the 9:00 AM Mass in the school hall. Don't forget Easter Bread for \$5.00 with pick-up Saturday, March 31st and Sunday,



April 1st only.

SACRED MUSIC CONCERT: The Music Ministry of Our Mother Of Sorrows Parish will present a Concert of Sacred Music on Palm Sunday, April 1, at 3:00 PM in the church. Music will be performed by the choir, hand bells, and vocal and instrumental soloists. A \$5.00 donation is suggested. A light reception will follow.

FISH FRY



VISITATION CHURCH CAFETERIA FRIDAYS DURING LENT

11:00 AM-7:00 PM

Hand-Breaded Haddock:	\$9.00
Baked Haddock:	\$9.00
5 Fantail Shrimp:	\$9.00
2 Crab Cakes:	\$9.00
2 Salmon Cakes:	\$8.00
Haddock Sandwich & Coleslaw:	\$7.00

Children under 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ price for $\frac{1}{2}$ portions

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL:
\$1.00 OFF MEALS ONLY
11:00 AM-4:00 PM.

TAKE-OUTS: 536-7003



PIZZA SALE!!

**VISITATION CHURCH
CAFETERIA**

**FRIDAYS DURING LENT
11:00 AM-7:00 PM**

16" LARGE PIZZA:	\$9.00
Each topping:	\$1.00 each
Pieroghi Pizza:	\$10.00
White Pizza:	\$10.00

TAKE-OUTS: 536-7003



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.**

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Mr. Dick Krumenacker, Finance Council President

Mr. Eric Vizzini, Parish Council President

Website: www.visitationchurch.net

Catholic Charities: 535-6538

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

March 11, 2012

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—LENTEN WEEKDAY

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

TUESDAY—LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Nathan & Marguerite Falk
(Req. by Bob & Jean New)

WEDNESDAY—LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Carole Tresselt
(Req. by Sister, Lucille Terebus)

FRIDAY—LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Bertha Hughes
(Req. by Daughters, Jackie & Debbie)

SATURDAY—ST. PATRICK

11:00 A.M. Valley Pike Manor
Richard Akers
(Req. by Ken & Georgeann Weinzierl)

4:00 P.M. Dr. Frank T. Carney
(Req. by M/M Ross DiBuono)

SUNDAY—FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

8:00 A.M. Forest Barnhart, Jr.
(Req. by Barnhart Family)
10:30 A.M. Intentions of Our Parish Family

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Memory of Parents,
Frank & Elizabeth Mateljan, req. by Daughter,
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.