

Church of the Visitation

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Website: www.visitationchurch.net

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 29, 2012

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—ST. PETER CHRYSOLOGUS

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

TUESDAY—ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

WEDNESDAY—ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—ST. EUSEBIUS/ST. PETER JULIAN

8:00 A.M. Kim Petro

(Req. by Francis & Betty Petro)

FRIDAY—WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Dr. Frank T. Carney

(Req. by Jackie Kuswara)

SATURDAY—ST. JOHN VIANNEY

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR

Joseph Zinsky

(Req. by Dorothy Carisiero)

4:00 P.M. John Sigg

(Req. by Family)

SUNDAY—18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

10:30 A.M. Bill & Becky Figura

(Req. by Family)

SANCTUARY CANDLE: For the Sick & Homebound of Visitation Parish

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 7/30: Jeremiah 13:1-11/Matthew 13:31-35
Tue 7/31: Jeremiah 14:17-22/Matthew 13:36-43
Wed 8/1: Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21/Matthew 13:44-46
Thurs 8/2: Jeremiah 18:1-6/Matthew 13:47-53
Fri 8/3: Jeremiah 26:1-9/Matthew 13:54-58
Sat 8/4: Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24/Matthew 14:1-12
Sun 8/5: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15/Ephesians 4:17, 20-24/John 6:24-35
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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 Leman, Heather Majoris, Bob Mardis, David Marshall, James McCaffrey, Loretta Meyers, James Mical, Jimmy Molnar, Steve Molnar, Sam Panarella, Anna Petro, Steve Pohlit, Lorrie Polash, Stephanie Poltrack, Melissa Pribozie, Eileen Rengh, Vera Respect, Marion Saia, Sam Saia, Maria (Petro) Sanders, Stephen Sanders, Charlie Scaletta, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Ian Skovensky, Rita Spence, Deacon John Sroka, Sally Sroka, Brent Swaltek, John Sweeney, Joe Taresco, Christi Vavrek, Catherine Vizza, Ed Waddell, Rose Wieczorek

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SERVERS:

August 2-3: KayLee Haggerty

August 4-5:

SAT 4:00 PM Jacob Corona

SUN 8:00 AM Max Smith
 10:30 AM Olivia Friday & KayLee Haggerty

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LECTORS: August 4-5

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

SUN 8:00 AM D. Kozak
 10:30 AM E. Haggerty/P. Molchany

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: August 4-5

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) Ja. Bulisok, C. Fuska, P. Balagusz
 (Cup) C. Vavrek, R. Sigg, J. New

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) J. Kuswara, S. Mihelic, A. Reynolds
 (Cup) M. Majoris, G. Krumenacker, M. Clark

10:30 AM (Plate) A. Kozak, C. Barto, M. Cyburt
 (Cup) E. Vizzini, D. Tedjeske, G. Gallucci

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GREETERS: August 4-5

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

SUN 8:00 AM (VP) G. Krumenacker
 (ST) B. Rodgers

10:30 AM (ST) J. & L. Slifko
 (VP) M. Wissinger

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INCOME

JULY 16-22, 2012

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| Sunday Envelopes | \$2,724.00 |
| Loose | 363.71 |
| Catholic Education (Envelopes) | 5.00 |
| Parking Lot Rent | <u>35.00</u> |
| Total | \$3,127.71 |

2012 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1,761.00
Organ Fund Total: \$14,548.82

(7/19/12 – Donation in Memory of Helen Hostensky: \$40)

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 July 30-August 5:** Barry

Benford, Sharon Lovette, Deborah McCaffrey,
Margaret McGrath, Linda Orlosky, Christopher
Martella, Chelsie Jimerson, Samuel Panarella,
Brent Swaltek, Charles Gilbert, Sandy Marano,
Mitchell Scarsella, Angela Wachs, Jason Wachs

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

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Please consider making a pledge today if you haven't already done so!

2012 Parish Goal: \$27,421
Year-to-Date Donations: 25,405
Amount still needed: \$ 2,016

Households: 418 Pledges: 168

TRAVEL TO ITALY WITH FATHER BARONI

DATE: October 13-21, 2012



WHERE: Italy
Regular—Rome,
Tuscany, Florence,
Assisi, Venice

COST: \$3,599 Airfare and ALL-included

QUESTIONS, CONTACT:

Proximo Travel, LLC
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Website: www.proximotravel.com

ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

LITURGY: Bishop Mark Bartchak and the Family Life Office cordially invite all couples (and their families) celebrating their 1st, 25th, 40th, 50th, 55th and 60+ Wedding Anniversary in 2012 to attend the Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy. Couples may attend **Sunday, September 9th in Altoona at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament or Sunday, September 16th in Johnstown at the St. John Gualbert Cathedral.** Both locations are handicap accessible. Liturgies at each location begin at 2:00 PM. Bishop Mark will be the celebrant and homilist at each celebration. Punch and cookies will be available after the Mass for anniversary couples and their families. **Reservations must be made through your parish by Monday, August 20th.**

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: You change the oil in your car while it is still running smoothly. Attend a World Wide Marriage Encounter Weekend while your marriage is still running smoothly. WWME makes good marriages great. Our next weekend is **September 21-23, 2012** at The Four Points Sheraton Pittsburgh Airport. Call 412-635-7775 for more info or visit our new website www.YourMarriageIsWorthIt.org.



ANNIVERSARY WISHES: Happy Anniversary to Samuel & Marion Saia who are celebrating their **65th** Anniversary on August 2nd! God Bless both of you!

BISHOP TO CELEBRATE MASS FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS:

Bishop Mark L. Bartchak will celebrate a Mass for students entering or returning to college on **Sunday, August 5th** at 7:00 PM at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. The Bishop will also offer a special blessing to the students. In the event of rain, the Mass will be celebrated inside the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel. Parents and relatives of the students are invited.



LARGE BOOK SALE: Our Mother of Sorrows Church will sponsor a Book Sale on **Friday, August 10th** from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM and **Saturday, August 11th** from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM in the school hall, 430 Tioga St., Westmont section of Johnstown. A large variety of fiction, non-fiction and children’s books will be available. Stock up on some great books! Please call 535-7646, ext.3, for more information.

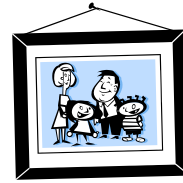


**NEED GRASS CUT
OR**

HEDGES TRIMMED?

CALL BOB @ 539-0546

Please leave a message if no answer.



PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY:

Thank you to all of the volunteers who donated their time to help with the sign-ups at Mass and the greeting of our parishioners during photography. Those parishioners who were unable to attend the photography sessions may submit a photo for a charge of \$10. We are now in the process of setting up a time for group photographs of our different ministries at the Church. Please watch the bulletin for dates & times if you are in any of the following groups: **Altar Servers, Bell Choir, Bulletin Folders, Catering/Fish Fry Dinners, Church/Rectory Cleaners, Choir, Eucharistic Ministers, Gardening, Greeters, HOPE Group, Lectors, Little Angel Learning Center, Liturgical Arts, Money Counters, Religious Education Staff, Ushers.** Please let us know if we have forgotten anyone. Thank you!!

INTERESTED IN BEING A HOST FAMILY?

Bishop McCort Catholic High School is currently looking for families who are interested in being a Host Family for International Students. Students are arriving from China on August 20th for the Fall term. BMHS is providing a comprehensive program for these students and we are currently looking for additional Host Families. If you would be interested in participating and discussing the details and stipend provided, please contact Maria Sanders at (814)-248-3869 or via e-mail at msanders@mccort.org.

REFLECTION—MARRIAGE

BUILDING INITIATIVE: The Grace of the Sacrament of Marriage: Though there were only five loaves and two fish to feed a crowd, with Jesus present it became enough for all. With Jesus present in a marriage, the little the couple has to offer is added to what Jesus has, and it becomes more than enough! This is the grace of the Sacrament.