

# *Church of the Visitation*

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## ***EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME***

***August 5, 2012***

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

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **MONDAY—TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD**

8:00 A.M. Joseph Bernunzio  
(Req. by Martha Blankenhorn)

#### **TUESDAY—ST. SIXTUS, II/ST. CAJETAN**

8:00 A.M. Richard Flynn  
(Req. by Bob & Jean New)

#### **WEDNESDAY—ST. DOMINIC**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY—ST. TERESA BENEDICTA**

8:00 A.M. Eugene & Margie Baroni  
(Req. by Son, Barry)

#### **FRIDAY—ST. LAWRENCE**

8:00 A.M. Ann McCabe  
(Req. by Parents)

#### **SATURDAY—ST. CLARE**

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR  
Eugene Baroni  
(Req. by Pat & Helene)

4:00 P.M. Birthday Remembrance  
(Req. by Pat)

#### **SUNDAY—19<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 A.M. Intentions of Our Parish Family  
10:30 A.M. Richard Flynn  
(Req. by Wife, Miriam & Children)

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** In Memory of Johnny & Joseph Bortoli, Req. by Parents

**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 8/6:** Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Peter 1:16-19/Mark 9:2-10  
**Tue 8/7:** Jeremiah 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22/Matthew 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14  
**Wed 8/8:** Jeremiah 31:1-7/Matthew 15:21-28  
**Thurs 8/9:** Jeremiah 31:31-34/Matthew 16:13-23  
**Fri 8/10:** 2 Corinthians 9:6-10/John 12:24-26  
**Sat 8/11:** Habakkuk 1:12—2:4/Matthew 17:14-20  
**Sun 8/12:** 1 Kings 19:4-8/Ephesians 4:30—5:2/John 6:41-51

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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 Respet, 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 Wiczorek

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**SERVERS:**

**August 6/10:** KayLee Haggerty/Jacob Corona

**August 11-12:**

**SAT** 4:00 PM Nick Gjurich  
**SUN** 8:00 AM Tyler Vizzini  
 10:30 AM Brent Swaltek & George Cyburt

**LECTORS: August 11-12**

**SAT** 4:00 PM J. Correll/P. Balagusz  
**SUN** 8:00 AM P. Barnhart  
 10:30 AM J. Luberto/E. Vizzini

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**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE**

**EUCCHARIST: August 11-12**

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

**SUN** 8:00 AM (Plate) B. New,  
 M. Majoris, D. Krumenacker  
 (Cup) D. Kozak, M. Carney, M. Mihelic

10:30 AM (Plate) P. Molchany,  
 T. LaMonaca, L. Malec  
 (Cup) B. Nagle, B. Williams, C. Williams

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**GREETERS: August 11-12**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (VP) D. & V. Hummel  
 (ST) J. Spangler

**SUN** 8:00 AM (VP) G. Krumenacker  
 (ST) M. Carney

10:30 AM (ST) L. Malec  
 (VP) G. Malec

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**INCOME**

**JULY 23-29, 2012**

Sunday Envelopes	\$3,539.76
Loose	370.80
Assumption	2.00
Energy/Fuel	19.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	20.00
Perquisite (Soto-Thompson Wedding)	50.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>220.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,221.56</b>

**2012 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1,847.00**

**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 August 6-12:** Eric

Johncola, Angela Thompson, Michael Butler, Mary  
Maestra, Helene Balagusz, Rev. Barry Baroni,  
Kriste Boyle, Dennis King, Elizabeth Kozak,  
Tammy Meyers, Gloria Fenik, Bart Zibura, Patricia  
Hyland, Erin Schiffhauer, Janice Dudash, Rose  
King

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**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.

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**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!

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## 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: 25,505  
Amount still needed: \$ 1,916

Households: 418 Pledges: 169

## 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:**

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**ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY  
LITURGY:** Bishop Mark Bartchak and the Family Life Office cordially invite all couples (and their families) celebrating their 1<sup>st</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 55<sup>th</sup> and 60+ Wedding Anniversary in 2012 to attend the Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy. Couples may attend **Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> in Altoona at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament or Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup> 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 20<sup>th</sup>.**



**NEED GRASS CUT  
OR**

**HEDGES TRIMMED?**

**CALL BOB @ 539-0546**

**Please leave a message if no answer.**

**BISHOP TO CELEBRATE MASS FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Bishop Mark L. Bartchak will celebrate a Mass for students entering or returning to college **THIS Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup>** 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.

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**LARGE BOOK SALE:** Our Mother of Sorrows Church will sponsor a Book Sale on **Friday, August 10<sup>th</sup>** from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM and **Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup>** 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.

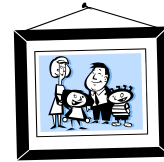
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**ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL:** St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church in Windber will hold its Annual Parish Festival on **Saturday & Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>** on the parish grounds. Live Polka Bands for your dancing and listening pleasure will be the feature attraction both days; ethnic foods, bingo, games and theme baskets will be available. Everyone is invited!

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**ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL:** St. Andrew Church, Benscreek, will hold its Annual Parish Festival on **Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup> from 4:00-9:00 PM & Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup> from 11:30 AM-6:00 PM.** There will be Live entertainment each day and a Car Show on Sunday, weather permitting. Food Booths, Homemade Gobs, Horse & Buggy Rides, Basket Raffle, Games and MORE! All are welcome!

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**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!!

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**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 20<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:msanders@mccort.org).

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**REFLECTION—MARRIAGE**

**BUILDING INITIATIVE:** No Marriage is an Island—Marriage is a personal relationship with public significance. Marriage is the foundation of the family, which is the basic unit of church and society. Whether spouses keep their promise to “love and honor” one another in good times and in bad, matters to the larger community.