

# *Church of the Visitation*

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## **FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**December 23, 2012**

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

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **MONDAY—VIGIL OF CHRISTMAS**

4:00 P.M. Dr. Frank T. Carney  
(Req. by Kathy Carney)

8:00 P.M. Intentions of Parish Family

#### **TUESDAY—NATIVITY OF THE LORD**

10:30 A.M. Frank & Elizabeth Mateljan  
(Req. by Daughter, Barbara Vedock)

#### **WEDNESDAY—ST. STEPHEN, FIRST MARTYR**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY—ST. JOHN, APOSTLE**

8:00 A.M. Donald Dillon  
(Req. by Wife, Dorothy)

#### **FRIDAY—THE HOLY INNOCENTS**

8:00 A.M. Deceased Members of Ruby,  
Fleming, Dorian & Sakmar Families  
(Req. by Theresa Armstrong)

#### **SATURDAY—ST. THOMAS BECKET**

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR  
Oswalt & Dynon Families  
(Req. by Theresa & Jane Pfaller)

4:00 P.M. Anthony Pollino

(Req. by Jacqueline Spory)

#### **SUNDAY—HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH**

8:00 A.M. Edgar Reynolds  
(Req. by Family)

10:30 A.M. Intentions of Parish Family

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** In Memory of Leonard Voytek, Req. by John Mizak

**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 12/24:** 2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a  
16/Luke 1:67-79  
**Tue 12/25:** Isaiah 52:7-10/Hebrews 1:1-6/John 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14  
**Wed 12/26:** Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Matthew 10:17-22  
**Thurs 12/27:** 1 John 1:1-4/John 20:1a, 2-8  
**Fri 12/28:** 1 John 1:5—2:2/Matthew 2:13-18  
**Sat 12/29:** 1 John 2:3-11/Luke 2:22-35  
**Sun 12/30:** Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28/ Colossians 3:12-21 or 1 John 3:1-2, 21-24/Luke 2:41-52  
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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, Father Baroni, Leo Bimle, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Anna Marie Burnheimer, Flo Cabo, Molly Carney, Phil Catanese, John Correll, Kathie Daley, Frank Daly, Bill Dill, Todd Euen, Gloria Fenik, Josephine Gallo, Doug Golias, Herbert Hess, Mary Ann Holtz, Dorothy Kleinosky, Anne Kucera, Heather Majoris, Bob Mardis, David Marshall, Joe Martella, James McCaffrey, Loretta Meyers, James Mical, Jimmy Molnar, Steve Molnar, Sam Panarella, Josh Pavlosky, 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, Deacon John Sroka, Sally Sroka, Brent Swaltek, John Sweeney, Joe Taresco, Christi Vavrek, Ed Waddell, Rose Wiczorek  
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**SERVERS:**

**December 24-25/29-30**  
**MON** 4:00 PM Nick Gjurich & George Cyburt  
8:00 PM Jacob Corona  
**TUE** 10:30 AM RJ Slifko & KayLee Haggerty  
**SAT** 4:00 PM Phillippa & Mia Rastall  
**SUN** 8:00 AM Max Smith  
10:30 AM Autumn McClain & Angelina Pribozie

**LECTORS: December 24-25/29-30**

**MON** 4:00 PM Students  
8:00 PM D. Kozak/C. Vavrek  
**TUE** 10:30 AM J. Luberto/E. Haggerty  
**SAT** 4:00 PM R. Maser  
**SUN** 8:00 AM M. Flynn  
10:30 AM W. Dolges

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**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: December 24-25/29-30**

**MON** 4:00 PM (Plate) M. Clark,  
E. Vizzini, P. Balagusz  
(Cup) C. Vavrek, C. Pribozie, B. Tran  
8:00 PM (Plate) P. Molchany,  
N. Vavrek, D. Kozak  
(Cup) A. Kozak, H. Balagusz, W. Dolges  
**TUE** 10:30 AM (Plate) L. Malec,  
C. Williams, C. Barto  
(Cup) B. Williams, D. Tedjeske, B. Nagle  
**SAT** 4:00 PM (Plate) J. Bulisok,  
C. Fuska, R. Maser  
(Cup) F. Pozun, H. Balagusz, B. Tran  
**SUN** 8:00 AM (Plate) G. Krumenacker,  
J. Kuswara, A. Reynolds  
(Cup) B. New, K. Carney, M. Clark  
10:30 AM (Plate) P. Molchany,  
W. Dolges, L. Malec  
(Cup) D. Tedjeske, A. Kozak, C. Pribozie  
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**Greeter Schedule listed elsewhere in bulletin.**

**INCOME**

**DECEMBER 10-16, 2012**

Sunday Envelopes	\$4,859.50
Loose	185.06
Immaculate Conception	28.00
Christmas Offering	145.00
Energy/Fuel	22.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	20.00
Christmas Flowers	536.00
ACA Over-goal (Nov.)	125.00
Bequest (In Memory of Catherine Vizza)	25.00
Extraordinary Donation	5000.00
Parking Lot Rent	30.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,975.56</b>



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE

## CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK

**December 24-30:** Robert Oaks, Phillippa Rastall, Patricia Bernardo, Mary Byrne, Rose Marie Martella, Noah Rastall, William Kantner, Joseph Ragno, Jr., Rosemary Kiser, Joanne Ostrich, Gloria Rager, Richard dams, Alyvia Miller, Lois Slivinsky, Steven Smitley, Andrew Hauman, Christopher Kiser, James Mical, Thomas Pavelko, Christian Vega, Reese Williams

**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!



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## PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—

### DECEMBER SCHEDULE:

**December 23**—Christmas Vacation

**December 30**—Christmas Vacation

*May you have a Blessed Christmas!*

## **GREETERS: December 24-25/29-30**

<b>MON</b>	4:00 PM	(VP)	Students
		(ST)	Students
	8:00 PM	(VP)	L. & J. Corona
		(ST)	Balagusz
<b>TUE</b>	10:30 AM	(ST)	G. Malec
		(VP)	L. Malec
<b>SAT</b>	4:00 PM	(VP)	J. & S. Bell
		(ST)	V. Stephenson
<b>SUN</b>	8:00 AM	(VP)	R. & A. Albert
		(ST)	B. Rodgers
	10:30 AM	(ST)	J. Slifko
		(VP)	L. Slifko

## **REFLECTION—MARRIAGE BUILDING INITIATIVE:**

“Male-female complementarity is intrinsic to marriage. It is naturally ordered toward authentic union and the generation of new life. Children are meant to be the gift of the permanent and exclusive union of a husband and a wife. A child is meant to have a mother and a father.” **Love and Life In The Divine Plan** (U.S. Bishops) To read the document go to <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.

## **AREA PENANCE SERVICES**

- **Sunday, December 23<sup>rd</sup>** – 6:30 PM  
– St. Patrick Parish

## **PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY:**

Bishop Mark L. Bartchak will lead a pilgrimage to Italy **July 8-16, 2013**. Cost is \$3,499 per person from Newark. Highlights include Round-trip Airfare, Fuel Surcharges & Airport Taxes, 7 Nights at First Class Hotel, Breakfast & Dinner daily, Audience with the Holy Father, Tour Escort & Local Guides, Air-Conditioned Motor Coach, Sightseeing & Admission Fees, Daily Mass, Luggage Handling & Flight Bag. Informational brochures can be found in the vestibule of the Church.

