

# *Church of the Visitation*

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## **THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

**January 6, 2013**

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

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **MONDAY—ST. RAYMOND OF PENYAFORT**

8:00 A.M. Jean New

(Req. by Francis & Betty Petro)

#### **TUESDAY—CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Ernest Cascino

(Req. by Anthony & Carmella Perry)

#### **WEDNESDAY—CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY—CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Dynon & Oswalt Families

(Req. by Jane Pfaller)

#### **FRIDAY—CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Nellie DeRosa

(Req. by Marcia Guzzi & Family)

#### **SATURDAY—CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR

Robert Mayer

(Req. by Friends & Family)

4:00 P.M. Helen Cooney

(Req. by Ron Cooney)

#### **SUNDAY—BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

8:00 A.M. Intentions of Parish Family

10:30 A.M. Michael Serafin

(Req. by Family)

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** In Memory of  
Deceased Parishioners 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 1/7:** 1 John 3:22—4:6/Matthew 4:12-17, 23-25  
**Tue 1/8:** 1 John 4:7-10/Mark 6:34-44  
**Wed 1/9:** 1 John 4:11-18/Mark 6:45-52  
**Thurs 1/10:** 1 John 4:19—5:4/Luke 4:14-22a  
**Fri 1/11:** 1 John 5:5-13/Luke 5:12-16  
**Sat 1/12:** 1 John 5:14-21/John 3:22-30  
**Sun 1/13:** Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 or Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11/Acts 10:34-38 or Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Luke 3:15-16, 21-22  
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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, Janet Bishop, 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, Mildred Romano, Marion Saia, Sam Saia, Maria (Petro) Sanders, Stephen Sanders, Charlie Scaletta, Helene Seth, Rose Sigg, Ian Skovensky, Sally Sroka, Brent Swaltek, John Sweeney, Joe Taresco, Christi Vavrek, Ed Waddell, Rose Wieczorek  
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**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**WED** 7:00 PM Choir  
**SUN** 11:30 AM H.O.P.E. Group Meeting  
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**SERVERS:**

**January 12-13**  
**SAT** 4:00 PM Phillippa & Mia Rastall  
**SUN** 8:00 AM Max Smith  
 10:30 AM Brent Swaltek & RJ Slifko

**LECTORS: January 12-13**

**SAT** 4:00 PM P. Balagusz  
**SUN** 8:00 AM P. Barnhart  
 10:30 AM W. Dolges

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**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE**

**EUCCHARIST: January 12-13**

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

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

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

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**GREETERS: January 12-13**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (ST) V. Stephenson  
 (VP) J. & S. Bell

**SUN** 8:00 AM (ST) M. Carney  
 (VP) R. & A. Albert

10:30 AM (ST) L. & J. Slifko  
 (VP) Johns Family

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**INCOME**

**DECEMBER 17, 2012-JANUARY 1, 2013**

Sunday Envelopes	\$6,380.25
Loose	933.62
Immaculate Conception	25.00
Christmas Offering	7,478.00
Solemnity of Mary	1145.00
Energy/Fuel	22.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	44.00
Christmas Flowers	163.00
Catholic Register	20.00
Bulletin Ad (Dudek Insurance)	200.00
Donation	25.00
Initial Offering	221.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>135.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$16,791.87</b>

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**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 7-13:** Robert Barger, Sarah Bell, David Rodgers, John Sweeney, Nathan Homyak, David Conrad, Francis Daly, Eddie Corona, Matthew Johns, Cindy 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!



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## PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—

### JANUARY SCHEDULE:

January 6—Class



January 13—Class

January 20—Class

January 27—Home Study/9<sup>th</sup> Grade Retreat



**H.O.P.E. GROUP MEETING:** The H.O.P.E. (Help Our Parish Educate) Group will meet **NEXT Sunday, January 13<sup>th</sup>** after the 10:30 AM Mass in the Ministry Room at the school.

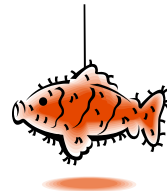
## REFLECTION—MARRIAGE BUILDING

**INITIATIVE:** In today's Gospel, the Magi found Jesus when "they entered a home." Jesus lives in our homes as well. "As the Church is a community of faith, hope, and love, so the Christian family, as the domestic church, is called to be a community of faith, hope, and love. Through this faith, hope, and love, Jesus, by the power of His Holy Spirit, abides within each Christian family, as He does within the whole Church, and pours out the love of His Father within it."

**IN SYMPATHY:** Visitation Parish extends deepest sympathy to Mrs. Sally Sroka and her family on the loss of her husband, Deacon John Sroka. May his soul, and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace in heaven with the angels and Saints.

## MASS FOR YOUNG ADULTS:

Bishop Mark Barchak will celebrate Mass on **Sunday, January 13, 2013**, at 5:00 PM at Saint Rose of Lima Parish in Altoona. The Mass is part of Bishop Mark's outreach to young adults (ages 18-39) during the Year of Faith. Men and women in that age group are especially encouraged to attend. Those outside of that age group are also welcome. A light reception will follow the Mass.



## FISH FRY

The Church of the Transfiguration  
201 Third St, Conemaugh  
**FRIDAY, JANUARY 11<sup>TH</sup>**

**3:30pm - 6:30pm**

Bake/Fried \$9.00

Children 12 & under \$5.00

Take-Outs available

535-2698