

Church of the Visitation

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 3, 2013

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Genevieve Galish
(Req. by Gloria Fenik)

TUESDAY—ST. AGATHA

8:00 A.M. Helen Hostensky
(Req. by M/M Francis Daly)

WEDNESDAY— ST. PAUL MIKI

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Diane Bulvin
(Req. by Carol Bulvin)

FRIDAY—SS. JEROME & JOSEPHINE

8:00 A.M. Margie Stofko
(Req. by Francis & Betty Petro)

SATURDAY—WEEKDAY

11:00 A.M. VALLEY PIKE MANOR
Special Intention
(Req. by Joe Pachella)

4:00 P.M. Joseph Curcio
(Req. by Georgetta LaBuda)

SUNDAY—5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. Intentions of Parish Family
10:30 A.M. Vera Respet
(Req. by Mike & Allegra Slick)

SANCTUARY CANDLE: All Deceased
Parishioners of Visitation Church

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 2/4: Hebrews 11:32-40/Mark 5:1-20
Tue 2/5: Hebrews 12:1-4/Mark 5:21-43
Wed 2/6: Hebrews 12:4-7, 11-15/Mark 6:1-6
Thurs 2/7: Hebrews 12:18-19, 21-24/Mark 6:7-13
Fri 2/8: Hebrews 13:1-8/Mark 6:14-29
Sat 2/9: Hebrews 13:15-17, 20-21/Mark 6:30-34
Sun 2/10: Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Corinthians 15:1-11/Luke 5:1-11
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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, Janet Bishop, Phyllis Brady, Jack Bulisok, Anna Marie Burnheimer, Flo Cabo, 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, James McCaffrey, Loretta Meyers, James Mical, Jimmy Molnar, Steve Molnar, Sam Panarella, Kristen Panek, 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 Wiczorek
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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

WED 7:00 PM Choir
SAT **GOB SALE** after Mass
SUN **GOB SALE** after Mass
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SERVERS:

February 9-10
SAT 4:00 PM Jacob Corona & Nick Gjurich
SUN 8:00 AM Tyler Vizzini
 10:30 AM Brent Swaltek & R.J. Slifko

LECTORS: February 9-10

SAT 4:00 PM J. Correll
SUN 8:00 AM E. Vizzini
 10:30 AM P. Molchany

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: February 9-10

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) J. Bulisok, C. Fuska, H. Balagusz

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) K. Carney, M. Clark, D. Kozak

10:30 AM (Plate) B. Williams, C. Williams, A. Kozak

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GREETERS: February 9-10

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

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

10:30 AM (ST) M. Wissinger (VP) Bell Family

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INCOME JANUARY 21-28, 2013

Sunday Envelopes	\$2,788.50
Loose	225.04
Energy/Fuel	10.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	17.00
Catholic Register	111.00
Donation	25.00
Initial Offering	5.00
Parking Lot Rent	140.00
Total	\$3,321.54

2013 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$262.00

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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

February 4-10: Michael Jimerson, Robert Price, Jr., Lexi Wachs, Dorothy Dillon, John Fusko, Bill Lansberry, William Baumer, Amy Reynolds, John Teeter, Jillian Cutlip, Rita Hackett, Tobey Pham, Shannon Stephens, Elizabeth Cramer, Ronette Mucker, Tammy Horner

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—

FEBRUARY SCHEDULE:



- February 3—Class
- February 10—Class
- February 17—Class
- February 24—Home Study, 10th Grade Retreat

Retreat begins with the 10:30 AM Mass and will conclude at 1:30 PM. Both Bishop McCort & Parish Religious Education students are to attend.

REFLECTION—MARRIAGE BUILDING

INITIATIVE: There are things that husbands and wives don't want to hear from one another- "Honey, we need to talk about this." Or "We're having problems." Often one spouse is the "barometer" in a marriage—the first one to sense that something is wrong and needs attention. Discuss who this barometer is in your marriage. If you're having problems that are too big to handle or even face, check out "Marriage Care" in the Marriage section of the diocesan website: dioceseaj.org.



TRAVEL TO IRELAND & SCOTLAND WITH FATHER BARRY BARONI

July 20-August 1, 2013

Our Lady of Knock, Dublin, Killarney, Kerry, Dingle Peninsula, Cliffs of Moher, St. Andrews Cathedral, Galway, Edinburgh Castle, Ring of Kerry, Kinsale, Shannon & Glasgow

Cost: \$4,499 Airfare & All-Included

For more info, contact Proximo Travel @ (855) 842-8001 or e-mail Anthony@Proximotravel.com

GOB SALE

NEXT WEEKEND!

FEBRUARY 9TH & 10TH

AFTER ALL MASSES



VISITATION HOLIDAY SWEEPSTAKES

**BEGINS: MONDAY,
MARCH 4TH**

**COST: \$40 OR \$1.00 PER
WEEK FOR 40
WEEKS**

***WIN: \$50 MONDAY-SATURDAY FOR 38
WEEKS**

**\$200 MARCH 17TH, MAY 27TH,
JULY 4TH, SEPTEMBER 2ND,
OCTOBER 7TH**

\$1,000 NOVEMBER 28TH

**\$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.**

WORLD WIDE MARRIEAGE ENCOUNTER:

Don't ask, just go! Worldwide Marriage Encounter makes good marriages GREAT! Weekends are scheduled throughout the year, call 412-635-7775 or visit YourMarriagelsWorthIt.org.



DONATIONS NEEDED—GOB SALE:

Please help the HOPE Group with their next fundraiser. We will be holding a large Gob Sale made by the HOPE Group. We are asking for donations to save us the expense of the filling. We need **CRISCO, BUTTER, POWDERED SUGAR, VANILLA AND WHOLE MILK**. Please consider donating a few of these items to help keep our costs down. Donations can be dropped off in the vestibule of the church or brought to the Rectory Office Monday-Thursday during business hours. **The actual Gob Sale will be held after all weekend masses next weekend, February 9th & 10th**, just in time for Valentine's Day!!! Thank you for all your help.
~The HOPE Group

NOTRE DAME CLUB OF CENTRAL PA TO SPONSOR FREE HESBURGH LECTURE AT UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH AT JOHNSTOWN:

The Notre Dame Club of Central PA is sponsoring The University of Notre Dame's Hesburgh Lecture Series in conjunction with the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown's Engineering Department. The Free Lecture is open to the Public and will be held on the UPJ Campus in the Saylor Auditorium in the Engineering & Science Building on **Wednesday, February 20th**, at 3:00 PM. Dr. Ed Maginn, visiting professor from the University of Notre Dame, is the Guest Lecturer. Dr. Maginn is a professor of chemical and biomolecular engineering and the associate dean for Academic Programs in the Graduate School at Notre Dame. His Lecture: **Powering the Planet in a Carbon Constrained World**, addresses how we use energy and what technologies are being developed at Notre Dame and elsewhere to do so in a responsible manner. All are welcome.



**SAINT FRANCIS
UNIVERSITY TO HOST
SIGN DAY:**

The American Sign Language (ASL) Club at Saint Francis University will host its second annual Sign Day on **Sunday, March 3rd**, from 10 AM until 2 PM in the John F. Kennedy Student Center.

The event is open to students in grades one through twelve. Participants will learn the alphabet, numbers, National Anthem, and will also jam in ASL to "One Day" by Matisyahu. In addition, Boy and Girl Scouts will have the opportunity to learn the Scout Pledge or Scout Law in ASL, and will be on their way to earning a badge. Participants should bring a labeled bagged lunch.

Registration for the event is due no later than February 5th. The cost is \$10 per child. Cost includes a t-shirt. For more information or to register, please call 814-472-3051 or email lakline@francis.edu.



BULLETIN HELPERS NEEDED: Bulletins are folded **every Thursday morning** after the 8:00 AM Mass. We are in need of more helpers! If you can help, please come to the Rectory Assembly Room after Mass. Thank you!

CHICKEN 'N BISCUIT DINNER: Holy Trinity Byzantine Catholic Church, 217 Fourth Street, Conemaugh, cordially invites you to our Chicken 'n Biscuit Dinner **next Sunday, February 10th** from 11:00 AM-2:00 PM. Dinner includes: Chicken with gravy over biscuit, mashed potatoes, vegetable, salad, dessert, and beverage. Cost is \$7.00 for Adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. For more information, call Georgia Lehman at 535-5636 or Wanda Yackulich at 539-3174.



**RIGATONI
DINNER:** A Rigatoni Dinner will be held on **Sunday, February 10th**, from 11:00 AM -

2:00 PM at St. Anthony of Padua Church in Windber. Adults are \$7, and children are \$3.50. Take-outs are available.

PYSANKY EGG DECORATING: Holy Trinity Byzantine Catholic Church, 217 Fourth Street, Conemaugh, is holding



Pysanky Easter Egg Decorating Classes for beginners, intermediate & advanced, Fridays during Lent starting

February 15 through March 22 at 7 PM in the church hall. Cost \$8.00 includes all materials and instructions. For more information call Paul at 539-3174 or Ron 479-5150.

CALENDAR PARTY: St. Benedict Church, Geistown, is sponsoring a Calendar Party on **Sunday, February 17th** at 1:00 PM in the school gym. Admission is \$15 and includes a light lunch, door prizes, 25 free raffle tickets and entertainment. Seating is limited! For ticket information, please contact Terri @ 341-7311.



LIFE IN THE SPIRIT

SEMINAR: There will be a Life in the Spirit Seminar on **Saturday, February 23rd** at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, Altoona. The retreat, which focuses on the power and presence of the Holy Spirit, will include dynamic spiritual teachings and testimonies by local priests and laypersons, celebration of Mass, praise & worship, and small group faith sharing. Lunch and dinner is provided. Cost for adults is \$25. Students are free of charge. Pre-registration is requested by calling 941-3832 or e-mail tonycond@aol.com.