

Church of the Visitation

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NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 11, 2013

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTEL

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

TUESDAY—SS. PONTIAN & HIPPOLYTUS

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

WEDNESDAY—ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

8:00 A.M. Regis Varmecky
(Req. by Frank & Joann Daly)

6:00 P.M. Johnny & Joseph Bortoli
(Req. by Mom & Dad)

THURSDAY—ASSUMPTION OF THE B.V.M.

8:00 A.M. Clara A. Kenny
(Req. by Daughter, Mary Claire)

12:05 P.M. Deacon John Sroka
(Req. by Jim Stofko)

FRIDAY—ST. STEPHEN OF HUNGARY

8:00 A.M. Mary Barbato
(Req. by Sam Barbato Family)

SATURDAY—WEEKDAY

11:00 A.M. Valley Pike Manor
Marie Havel
(Req. by Gail Lager)

4:00 P.M. John Sigg
(Req. by Family)

SUNDAY—20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. Intentions of Parish Family

10:30 A.M. Howard & Catherine Blair
(Req. by John & Pat Lushko)

SANCTUARY CANDLE: For the Health of Uncle Ray & Aunt Maureen, Req. by Niece, Barbara Vedock

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 8/12: Deuteronomy 10:12-22/Matthew 17:22-27

Tue 8/13: Deuteronomy 31:1-8/Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wed 8/14: Deuteronomy 34:1-12/Matthew 18:15-20

Thurs 8/15: Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/1 Corinthians 15:20-27/Luke 1:39-56

Fri 8/16: Joshua 24:1-13/Matthew 19:3-12

Sat 8/17: Joshua 24:14-29/Matthew 19:13-15

Sun 8/18: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10/Hebrews 12:1-4/Luke 12:49-53

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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, Ida Fallon, Gloria Fenik, Matthew Gaborek, Josephine Gallo, Doug Golias, Herbert Hess, Anna Hipp, Mary Ann Holtz, Jim Kirwan, Dorothy Kleinosky, Anne Kucera, Heather Majoris, Bob Mardis, David Marshall, James McCaffrey, Loretta Meyers, James Mical, Sam Panarella, Kristen Panek, 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, John Slovikovski, Sally Sroka, Brent Swaltek, John Sweeney, Joe Taresco, Christi Vavrek, Ed Waddell, Rose Wiczorek

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SERVERS:

Week of August 12-16: KayLee Haggerty
August 14-15/17-18

WED 6:00 PM Brent Swaltek

THUR 8:00 AM KayLee Haggerty
12:05 PM Max Smith

SAT 4:00 PM Nick Gjurich & Noah Rastall

SUN 8:00 AM Carson Boyle
10:30 AM Lauren & Mackenzie Kozak

LECTORS: August 14-15/17-18

WED 6:00 PM D. Krumenacker

THUR 12:05 PM P. Barnhart

SAT 4:00 PM F. Pozun

SUN 8:00 AM D. Kozak
10:30 AM J. Luberto

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: August 14-15/17-18

WED 6:00 PM (Plate) B. New,
C. Fuska, P. Balagusz

(Cup) B. Tran, R. Sigg, L. Meyers

THUR 8:00 AM (Plate) D. Kozak
(Cup) D. Tedjeske, M. Majoris

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

(Cup) B. New, R. Sigg, B. Tran

SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) A. Reynolds,
D. Krumenacker, M. Clark

(Cup) K. Carney, S. Mihelic, T. Golias

10:30 AM (Plate) W. Dolges,
D. Boyle, M. Cyburt

(Cup) C. Barto, D. Tedjeske, P. Molchany

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GREETERS: August 17-18

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) D. & V. Hummel
(VP) F. Petro

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

10:30 AM (ST) E. & C. Barto
(VP) Johncola Family

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

THUR 7:00 PM Parish/Finance Council Mtg.

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INCOME

JULY 30-AUGUST 4, 2013

Sunday Envelopes	\$3,497.00
Loose	311.31
Assumption	41.00
Energy/Fuel	151.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	22.00
Donation	50.00
Parking Lot Rent	65.00
Total	\$4,137.31

August Basket Ticket Deposit: \$1785
2013 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1,934

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE

CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK

August 12-18: Janice Dudash, Rosa Harper, Rose King, James Fetzko, Josephine Formica, Megan Billow, Savannah Marano, Mary Reynolds, Bradley Rastall, Sarah Sherry, Deborah Walter, Barbara Fox, Cathy Fuska, Marian Lech

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!



ALMSGIVING: Please continue to support the Poor Box located in the vestibule of the Church. Monies from the Poor Box go to helping needy families through the Visitation Conference of St. Vincent DePaul. *May the humility, simplicity and love of Pope Francis inspire us to share the Good News of Jesus Christ as a light for the poor and the marginalized.* All donations are greatly appreciated.



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL
Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown

2013 Parish Goal: \$27,289.00
Year-to-Date Donations: 25,398.50
Amount Still Needed: \$1,890.50

Households: 426 Pledges: 157
We are so close to making our goal!
Please make your pledge today if you haven't already done so. Thank you for your support!

VOLUNTEERS ALWAYS WELCOME:



The Little Angel Learning Center is always in need of volunteers to rock our little babies. Please call Martha @ 535-2341 if you are interested or have any questions. Background checks and clearances are needed to volunteer.



AUGUST 2013

BASKET RAFFLE TICKET

Thank you to everyone who donated a basket, items and/or cash for the August Basket Raffle. **We have had 4 more baskets donated! The following will be given away in September:**

Sept. 1 - Garden Flag Basket

Sept. 2 - Movie Basket

Sept. 3 - WalMart Back-to-School

Sept. 4 - Candle Warmer Basket #2

Thank you to all who supported this fundraiser. A profit of \$1680 was made for Catholic Education at Visitation Parish!

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!! The Visitation Parish family extends best wishes to Charlie & Eva Scaletta as they celebrate their **68th** Wedding Anniversary! Happy Anniversary, Charlie & Eva!! God bless both of you!

FALL GOB SALE: We will continue to accept donations over the summer months of margarine/butter, powdered sugar, Crisco, gallon-size freezer bags and wax paper for our Gob Sale in the fall. Donations can be dropped off in the vestibule of the Church or at the Rectory Office.



PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

- The First Communion and Confirmation pictures are on the table in the back of the Church. Please take.
- The **2013-14** school year will begin on **Sunday, September 8th** at the 8:00 AM Mass with classes from 9:00-10:00 AM following. Students not already registered in the program (especially First & Second Graders) please call Maureen Clark @ 255-4531.
- There will be a mandatory meeting for **9th, 10th & 11th Grade students and parents** on **Sunday, September 8th** at 9:00 AM in the school cafeteria. The meeting is to introduce the new Confirmation process.

LITTLE ANGEL LEARNING CENTER—



TEACHER NEEDED: The Little Angel Learning Center at Visitation Parish is now accepting applications for an Infant Teacher. For more information, please contact Martha @ 535-2341.

IN SYMPATHY: Visitation Parish extends deepest sympathy to the family of Rose Marie Martella, a parishioner whose funeral was celebrated last Saturday. May her soul, and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace in heaven with the angels and Saints.

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION: This **Thursday, August 15th** is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a holy day of obligation. Masses will be celebrated on Wednesday evening at 6:00 and on Thursday at 8:00 AM and 12:05 PM.



PARISH/FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING:

The Parish & Finance Councils will meet this **Thursday, August 15th** at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Assembly Room.

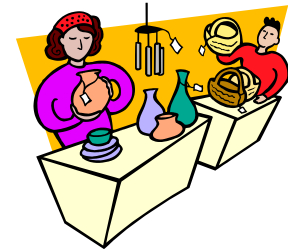


ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY LITURGY:

Bishop Mark Bartchak and the Family Life Office cordially invite all couples celebrating their **1st, 25th, 40th, 50th, 55th and 60+** Wedding Anniversary **in 2013** (and their families) to attend the annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy. Couples may attend **Sunday, September 8th in Altoona** at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament or **Sunday, September 15th in Johnstown** at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. Liturgies in 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 19th.**

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:

Worldwide Marriage Encounter makes good marriages GREAT! Weekends are scheduled throughout the year and the next one is in September. Get the info by calling 412-635-7775 or visit YourMarriagelsWorthIt.org.



PANCAKE BREAKFAST: The Church of the Transfiguration, Conemaugh, will be having a



Pancake Breakfast on **Sunday, August 18th** from 9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon. Menu includes scrambled eggs, sausage or bacon, All-You-Can-Eat Pancakes, orange juice, coffee, tea or milk. Cost is \$6.00 per adult; \$3.00 children 6 & under. All are welcome.



OMOS LADIES AUXILIARY BASKET

PARTY: The Ladies Auxiliary of Our Mother of Sorrows Parish will hold a Basket Party on **Sunday, August 18th** at Aces in Cambria City. Doors open at Noon, drawing will take place at 2:00 PM. Many baskets to win; door prizes, 50-50! Tickets are \$10, includes 25 tickets and a light lunch. Additional 25 tickets can be purchased for \$5. Tickets are available at the Parish Office, 415 Tioga Street, 814-535-7646.

ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW

St. John Vianney Church Hall
Mundy's Corner

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH

9:00 AM-7:00 PM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18TH

11:00 AM-6:00 PM

A variety of food will be available also.

ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL: St. John Catholic Church, Summerhill, will hold their Annual Parish Festival on **Sunday, August 25th** at New Germany Grove. A Chicken & Ham Dinner with homemade noodle soup served buffet style from 11:30 AM to 3:30 PM. Cost is \$9.00/Adult; \$4.50/Children 12 & under. Music by Johnstown Button Box from 12:00 Noon-3:00 PM; LeDance Academie Dancers from 3:00-4:00 PM; Cruzin (50's & 60's music) from 4:00-7:00 PM. Baskets Galore, Kids Games, Bingo, Baked Goods, Food & Refreshments. Everyone welcome!