

Church of the Visitation

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TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Respect Life Sunday

October 6, 2013

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

8:00 A.M. Howard K. Blair

(Req. by Angie Gazica)

TUESDAY—WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Rita Spence

(Req. by JCHS Class of 1948)

WEDNESDAY—SS. DENIS & JOHN LEONARDI

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY—WEEKDAY

8:00 A.M. Marguerite & Nathan Falk

(Req. by Bob New)

FRIDAY—ST. JOHN XXIII, POPE

8:00 A.M. Charlie Scaletta

(Req. by Helene & Pat Balagusz)

SATURDAY—WEEKDAY

11:00 A.M. Valley Pike Manor

Robert Mayer

(Req. by Friends & Family)

4:00 P.M. Evan Quinn Conway

(Req. by Parents & Siblings)

SUNDAY—28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. Intentions of Parish Family

10:30 A.M. Louis & Helen Guzzi

(Req. by Children)

SANCTUARY CANDLE: For the Unborn

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.

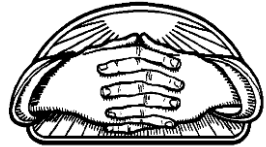
ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Done after any Sunday Mass when requested.

MEMBERSHIP: Please contact the Rectory Office to register as a member.

SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:

Mon 10/7: Jonah 1:1—2:2, 11/Luke 10:25-37
Tue 10/8: Jonah 3:1-10 /Luke 10:38-42
Wed 10/9: Jonah 4:1-11/Luke 11:1-4
Thurs 10/10: Malachi 3:13-20b/Luke 11:5-13
Fri 10/11: Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Luke 11:15-26
Sat 10/12: Joel 4:12-21/Luke 11:27-28
Sun 10/13: 2 Kings 5:14-17/2 Timothy 2:8-13/Luke 17:11-19

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We are praying for...

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, Frank Daly, Tony DeMarco, Ida Fallon, Jack Fallon, Gloria Fenik, Matthew Gaborek, Josephine Gallo, Margie Giannone, Herbert Hess, Anna Hipp, Mary Ann Holtz, Jim Kirwan, Dorothy Kleinosky, Anne Kucera, Heather Majoris, Bob Mardis, James McCaffrey, Loretta Meyers, Sam Panarella, Kristen Panek, Josh Pavlosky, Anna Petro, Stephanie Poltrack, Melissa Pribozie, Eileen Rengh, Mildred Romano, Marion Saia, Sam Saia, Maria (Petro) Sanders, Helene Seth, John Slovikovski, John Sweeney, Joe Taresco, Ed Waddell

If any of the above has sufficiently recovered and can be removed from the list, please contact the Parish Office. Thank you.

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUN 12:30 PM Blessing of Pets
 6:00 PM Confirmation Class
WED 7:00 PM Choir Practice

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SERVERS:

October 12-13

SAT 4:00 PM Noah Rastall & Jacob Corona
SUN 8:00 AM Carson Boyle
 10:30 AM Autumn McClain & Angelina Pribozie

LECTORS: October 12-13

SAT 4:00 PM F. Pozun
SUN 8:00 AM D. Kozak
 10:30 AM D. Boyle

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: October 12-13

SAT 4:00 PM (Plate) J. Correll,
 Ja. Bulisok, P. Balagusz
 (Cup) B. New, B. Tran, F. Pozun
SUN 8:00 AM (Plate) K. Carney,
 D. Krumenacker, M. Mihelic
 (Cup) A. Reynolds, M. Clark, M. Majoris

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

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

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GREETERS: October 12-13

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) Corona Family
 (VP) J. Spangler
SUN 8:00 AM (ST) G. Krumenacker
 (VP) K. Carney
 10:30 AM (ST) M. Wissinger
 (VP) Johns Family

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INCOME

SEPTEMBER 23-29, 2013

Sunday Envelopes	\$3,913.00
Loose	176.94
Energy/Fuel	19.00
Catholic Education (Envelopes)	18.00
Diocesan Priests Medical	136.00
Triduum	10.00
Donation	50.00
Bequest (In Memory of Elizabeth Klodosky)	1,000.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>30.00</u>
Total	\$5,352.94

2013 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$2,263

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

October 7-13: Joseph Barber, Vanessa Hummel, Shirley Machowski, Mary Stephens, Michael Flynn, Kellie Martone, Aidan Conway, Richard Dunkle, Kylee Arms, Samuel Johncola, Shirley Slovikovski, Nemo Trexler, Michael Kohan, Katheleen Mikesic, Kenneth Loeblich, Merikay Moore

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.

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—



OCTOBER SCHEDULE:

- October 6 – Class
- October 13 – Class
- October 20 – Class
- October 27 – Home Study

11th Grade Confirmation Class is held on Sunday evenings at 6:00.

FALL GOB SALE: Donations of margarine/butter, powdered sugar, Crisco, gallon-size freezer bags and wax paper are needed for our Gob Sale. Donations can be dropped off in the vestibule of the Church or at the Rectory Office. Thank you!



H.O.P.E. GROUP MEETING:

The H.O.P.E. (Help Our Parish Educate) Group will begin their monthly meetings **NEXT Sunday, October 13th** after the 10:30 AM Mass in the Ministry Room at the school. **ALL** parents of school-aged children, public & Catholic schools, are asked to attend.



BLESSING OF PETS: Our Blessing of Pets will be held **THIS Sunday, October 6th** at 12:30 PM in the parking lot behind the Rectory.

THANK YOU: I would like to thank all of those who lit a candle and/or said prayers for me while I was in the hospital for my shoulder surgery. I greatly appreciate it. Thanks, again!
~Tony DeMarco



PARISH/FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING: The next Parish & Finance Council meeting will be held on **Thursday, October 24th** at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Assembly Room.

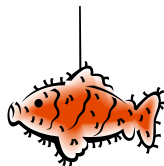


PARISH DIRECTORY: Our Parish Directories are here!!!! (I know, it's about time!) If you had your photo taken or submitted a photo for the Directory, you may pick up your Directory in the vestibule of the Church. A label with your name is on the Directory and they are in alphabetical order. If you did not have your picture taken, but would like to purchase a directory for \$5.00, please send a check made payable to Visitation Church to my attention and I will have your directory available in the vestibule. ~Suzie

VALLEY PIKE MANOR FUNDRAISER
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10TH

11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Silent Auction
Chances on Prizes
50/50
Gobs
Bake Sale
Homemade Candy
Sloppy Joes
ALL ARE WELCOME!



FISH FRY

The Church of the Transfiguration
201 Third St, Conemaugh

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11TH

3:30pm - 6:30pm
Cost: \$9.50/meal

Take-Outs Available
(814)535-2698

CCD students will be having a Bake Sale during the Fish Fry to help purchase Christmas gifts for our Shut-Ins and Nursing Home Parishioners.



NOTRE DAME CLUB OF CENTRAL PA TO SPONSOR FREE HESBURGH LECTURE:

The Notre Dame Club of Central PA is sponsoring The University of Notre Dame's Hesburgh Lecture Series in conjunction with St. Francis University. The Free Lecture is open to the Public and will be held **Tuesday, October 22nd** at 7:00 PM. The event will take place in the DiSepio Institute for Rural Health & Wellness at St. Francis University. Dr. Mayland Chang, visiting professor from the University of Notre Dame, is the Guest Lecturer. Dr. Chang is a Research Professor in the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry and Director of the Notre Dame Project Development Team. Her Lecture: "Win Just One for the Gipper: Advances Toward Treatment of Traumatic Brain Injury" will highlight newly emerging research and technology related to this topic. No registration is required and the event is free and open to the Public.

EARLY BIRD BASKET BASH



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Saint Clement Church, Goucher Street, will be hosting their Early Bird Basket Bash III on **Saturday, October 26th** from 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon. Doors open at 9:00 AM. Donation of \$10 includes our continental breakfast, door prizes and 25 chances. Over 80 baskets with a value of at least \$60! Our larger baskets are worth \$200+. Some of our larger baskets are Coach Purses, \$200 Money Tree, Basket of Cheer, Saige American Girl Doll plus \$100 American Girl Gift Certificate, Shop Till You Drop, Restaurant Gift Basket, and a Steelers Basket with Steelers Tickets, an Autographed Football, a Steelers Jacket and Black and Gold Afghan. Please mail a check for the amount of tickets you wish to purchase to Saint Clement Church, 114 Lindberg Avenue, Johnstown, PA 15905 and we will mail the tickets to you. We hope to see your there!



SUPER BOWL/SUPER CASH TICKET

Win a Super Bowl Package to New York

OR

\$10,000 CASH

Winning # determined by the
First Big Four Drawing at 7:00 PM

Sunday, November 24th

2 #'s on Each Ticket

\$10/ticket

Proceeds benefit

ST. CLEMENT PAVILION FUND

For more info or to purchase a ticket, please call
255-4422 or send a check made payable to

St. Clement Church

114 Lindberg Avenue, Johnstown, PA 15905



HOME NURSING AGENCY OFFERS HOSPICE VOLUNTEER TRAINING:

Are you ready to open your heart to people in your community who are facing a life-limiting illness or grieving the loss of a loved one?

Apply to become a Home Nursing Agency Hospice volunteer! Home Nursing Agency is offering volunteer training at The Healing Patch, 118 Ebony Road, Ebensburg, beginning on **November 14, 2013**. Opportunities for Hospice volunteers include visits with patients, office work and bereavement support for families. Please contact Melody Ray, Hospice Volunteer Coordinator, at 1-800-445-6262, ext. 2656 or mray@homenursingagency.com for more information. The volunteer application is available online at www.homenursingagency.com.

CANONIZATION OF BLESSEDS JOHN PAUL II AND JOHN XXIII:

The Catholic Tour LLC is a 33-year old Catholic Travel Apostolate and has been able to secure 99 air seats and hotel rooms for the Canonization of Blesseds John Paul II and John XXIII and a pilgrimage is set for **April 21-28, 2014** departing five different airports across the United States. The pilgrimage pricing will start at approximately \$3,300 which includes your transatlantic airfare, hotel, most meals, tour escort, deluxe motor coach and all airline fees and taxes. Come and see our new Holy Father Pope Francis on this historic event in Rome, Italy. Please call The Catholic Tour toll free at 1-877-627-4268 or e-mail Martha Crowley @ mcrowley@thecatholic tour.com for more information.