

Church of the Visitation

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TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 24, 2014

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

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY—SS. LOUIS & JOSEPH CALASANZ

8:00 A.M. Elizabeth Klodosky
(Req. by Michael Orletsky)

TUESDAY—WEEKDAY

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

WEDNESDAY—ST. MONICA

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

THURSDAY— ST. AUGUSTINE

8:00 A.M. Darren Dudash
(Req. by Andrew Ohala)

FRIDAY— PASSION OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST

8:00 A.M. Joseph Giannone
(Req. by Margaret Grasso)

SATURDAY—WEEKDAY

11:00 A.M. Valley Pike Manor
Joseph Curcio
(Req. by Catherine Farkas)

4:00 P.M. Joseph Giannone
(Req. by Helen Ramach & Family)

SUNDAY—22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. Intentions of Parish Family
10:30 A.M. Paul Torchia
(Req. by Daughter, Theresa Tama)

SANCTUARY CANDLE: In Memory of Paul Torchia, Req. by Daughter, Theresa Tama

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 8/25: 2 Thessalonians 1:1-5, 11-12/Matthew 23:13-22
Tue 8/26: 2 Thessalonians 2:1-3a, 14-17/Matthew 23:23-26
Wed 8/27: 2 Thessalonians 3:6-10, 16-18/Matthew 23:27-32
Thurs 8/28: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9/Matthew 24:42-51
Fri 8/29: 1 Corinthians 1:17-25/Mark 6:17-29
Sat 8/30: 1 Corinthians 1:26-31/Matthew 25:14-30
Sun 8/31: Jeremiah 20:7-9/Romans 12:1-2/Matthew 16:21-27

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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, Phyllis Brady, Breanna, Jack Bulisok, Anna Marie Burnheimer, Flo Cabo, Louise Connelly, John Correll, Frank Daly, Ida Fallon, Gloria Fenik, Matthew Gaborek, Josephine Gallo, Joseph Guydo, Herbert Hess, Anna Hipp, Mary Ann Holtz, Carol Houghton, Jim Kirwan, Rosemary Kiser, Dorothy Kleinosky, Anne Kucera, Ronald Luden, Heather Majoris, Martha Majoris, Bob Mardis, James McCabe, James McCaffrey, Loretta Meyers, Sam Panarella, Ethel Pavlik, Josh Pavlosky, Anna Petro, Stephanie Poltrack, Atlas Rea, Eileen Rengh, Charlotte Rollins, Mildred Romano, James Rovon, Marion Saia, Maria (Petro) Sanders, Helene Seth, Owen Sheridan, 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

FRI 4:00 PM-11:00 PM Ethnic Fest Booth
SAT 12 Noon-11:00 PM Ethnic Fest Booth
SUN 12 Noon-6:00 PM Ethnic Fest Booth

SERVERS:

August 30-31

SAT 4:00 PM Noah Rastall & Jacob Corona
SUN 8:00 AM Savannah & Tony Marano
10:30 AM Angelina Pribozie & Olivia Friday

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LECTORS: August 30-31

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

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: August 30-31

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

10:30 AM (Plate) J. Aspey, P. Ambrosini, D. Decker

(Cup) A. Kozak, C. Barto, D. Tedjeske

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GREETERS: August 30-31

SAT 4:00 PM (ST) Corona Family
 (VP) S. Birch
SUN 8:00 AM (ST) M. Carney
 (VP) R. & A. Albert
10:30 AM (ST) Bell Family
 (VP) E. & C. Barto

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INCOME

AUGUST 11-17, 2014

Sunday Envelopes	\$3,177.00
Loose	677.36
Assumption	1,225.00
Assumption Loose	381.00
Energy/Fuel	21.00
Catholic Education	22.00
Bequest (In Memory of Charles Moonly)	30.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>100.00</u>
	\$5,633.36

2014 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1,555



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO
OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE
CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THIS**

WEEK August 25-31: Lisa Kozak, Lauren Bell, Angalena Hargreaves, Madison Podrebarac, Mayce Kordell, Autumn McClain, Donald Scholly, Todd Freidhoff, Julian Ocheltree, Cynde Smith, Stephen Frieko, Jeno Lecci

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

2014 Parish Goal: \$ 28,065.00
Year-to-Date Donations: **22,496.00**
Amount Still Needed: \$5,569.00

Households: 421 Pledges: **155**

LITTLE ANGEL LEARNING

CENTER: The Little Angel Learning Center at Visitation Church has openings for children ages 6 weeks to school age. Large individual classrooms for each



age level; full-size gymnasium for large motor skill activities; hot meals and snack included in daily fee; CCIS accepted; school-age summer program; loving, caring and qualified teachers and staff; hours 6:00 AM-6:00 PM. For more information and to schedule a tour, please call Barbara @ 535-2341.

UPCOMING VISITATION

PARISH EVENTS:

- **Saturday, September 13th**—Multi-Phasic Blood Screen
- **September (Pick-up October 11-12)**—Little Caesars Pizza Kit Fundraiser
- **October-November**—RADA Knife Sale
- **Friday, November 21st**—Turkey Raffle

More details in future bulletins!



PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Dates—The school year will begin on **Sunday, September 7th** at the **8:00 AM** Liturgy with classes following Mass. The Parent Meeting for **9th, 10th & 11th** Grade students will be held at **9:00 AM**.

First Holy Communion—**Sunday, April 19th**

Confirmation—**Tuesday, May 5th**
(Practice—Monday, May 4th)

10th & 11th Grade Confirmation Retreat:
The Retreat will be held on **Saturday, September 13th** from 7:00 AM-5:00 PM at Mount Aloysius College. This is a **mandatory** Retreat for Confirmation. We will be traveling by bus; lunch will be provided; and we will be attending Mass. Information will be given at the parent meeting. This Retreat is for all **10th & 11th** Grade students, both PRE & Bishop McCort.

Sacraments—First Holy Communion—
Our Second Grade Parochial School children who will be receiving the sacraments of First Penance and First Eucharist at Visitation this year, need to call Maureen Clark @ 255-4531 to register.



NEEDED—NEW OR GENTLY USED SOCKS, UNDERWEAR AND PJ'S—ALL SIZES, TODDLER TO TEEN: The Visitation Conference of SVDP and Visitation Parish has offered to assist the Carmelite Community of the Word in collecting donations for their Sea Container Shipment to Haiti in October. These much needed donations of new or gently used socks, underwear and pj's for children, sizes toddler to teen are to be given to the over 300 Haitian orphans that the Little Sisters of the Incarnation care for. Your gifts to them are the only garments they receive during the year and are greatly appreciated. There will be a box in the vestibule between August 9th and 23rd for your donations. The Poor Box can be used for monetary donations. If you have any questions, please call Barbara @ 288-4467. Thank you!

**COMMUNITY BLOOD SCREENING
VISITATION CHURCH
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH
CALL 535-4287 TO REGISTER**

Donations of baked goods, muffins, etc. and orange juice are needed for the Blood Screening. Please sign up in the back of the church if you are able to donate. Thank you!

RCIA

Rite of
Christian
Initiation
for Adults



Interested in becoming Catholic?

Call the Rectory Office @ 536-6110 if someone in your family is interested in becoming Catholic.



ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

LITURGY: Bishop Mark Bartchak and the

Family Life Office cordially invite all couples (and their families) celebrating their 1st, 25th, 40th, 50th, 55th and 60+ Wedding Anniversary in **2014** to attend the Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy. Couples may attend **Sunday, September 14th in Altoona at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament** or **Sunday, September 21st in Johnstown at the St. John Gualbert Cathedral**. Both locations are handicap accessible. Liturgies at 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 Tuesday, August 26th.**



SPAGHETTI DINNER

Sponsored by the Roxbury Civic Group

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23RD

4:00-7:00 PM

St. Paul's United Methodist Church
Derby Street, Roxbury

\$6.00 in Advance

\$7.00 at Door

\$4.00 for Children

Proceeds benefit obtaining security cameras for the Roxbury playground.



The Church of the Transfiguration
201 Third St, Conemaugh

SPAGHETTI DRIVE-BY

Sunday, August 24th

10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Cost: \$7.00/person

ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC CHURCH,
SUMMERHILL

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24TH

CHICKEN & HAM DINNER WITH
HOME-MADE NOODLE SOUP

SERVED BUFFET STYLE

11:30 AM-3:30 PM

ENTERTAINMENT:

12:00-3:00 PM – Johnstown Button Box

3:00-4:00 PM – Le Dance Academie

4:00-7:00 PM – Cruzin' (50's & 60's music)

Games, Theme Baskets, Bingo, Food, Music & Dancing! All are welcome!