

# *Church of the Visitation*

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## **THE EXALTATION OF THE CROSS**

**September 14, 2014**

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

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **MONDAY—OUR LADY OF SORROWS**

8:00 A.M. Addie Dugan  
(Req. by Betty & John Dugan)

#### **TUESDAY—SS. CORNELIUS & CYPRIAN**

8:00 A.M. John Lynch  
(Req. by Bill & Leeann Eckel)

#### **WEDNESDAY—ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE**

8:00 A.M. Prayer/Communion Service

#### **THURSDAY— WEEKDAY**

8:00 A.M. Ron Hobbs  
(Req. by Darlene Adams)

11:00 A.M. Funeral Mass for Charles Moonly

#### **FRIDAY— ST. JANUARIUS**

8:00 A.M. Josephine Ziemba  
(Req. by Steve & Lucille Terebus)

#### **SATURDAY—SS. ANDREW KIM TAE-GON & PAUL CHONG HA-SANG**

11:00 A.M. Valley Pike Manor  
Kathy Slezak  
(Req. by M/M Robert Walkowsky)

4:00 P.M. Intentions of Parish Family

#### **SUNDAY—25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 A.M. Vera O'Donnell  
(Req. by Dick & Janet Grady)  
10:30 A.M. Charles Barbato  
(Req. by Sam Barbato Family)

**SANCTUARY CANDLE:** In Memory of the Victims of the 9/11 Attacks on our Country

**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 9/15:** 1 Corinthians 11:17-33/John 19:25-27 or Luke 2:33-35

**Tue 9/16:** 1 Corinthians 12:12-14, 27-31a/Luke 7:11-17

**Wed 9/17:** 1 Corinthians 12:31—3:13/Luke 7:31-35

**Thurs 9/18:** 1 Corinthians 15:1-11/Luke 7:36-50

**Fri 9/19:** 1 Corinthians 15:12-20/Luke 8:1-3

**Sat 9/20:** 1 Corinthians 15:35-37, 42-49/Luke 8:4-15

**Sun 9/21:** Isaiah 55:6-9/Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a/Matthew 20:1-16a

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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, Sharon Birch, Phyllis Brady, Breanna, Jack Bulisok, Anna Marie Burnheimer, Flo Cabo, Louise Connelly, John Correll, Kevin Cyburt, 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, Ron Mihalacki, Loretta Meyers, Sam Panarella, Ethel Pavlik, Josh Pavlosky, Anna Petro, Stephanie Poltrack, Atlas Rea, Eileen Rengh, Charlotte Rollins, Mildred Romano, James Rován, 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**

**WED** 7:00 PM Choir Practice

**THUR** 7:00 PM Parish/Finance Council Mtg.

**SERVERS: September 20-21**

**SAT** 4:00 PM Noah Rastall & Jacob Corona

**SUN** 8:00 AM Max Smith  
10:30 AM Jacob & Mackenzie Kozak

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**LECTORS: September 20-21**

**SAT** 4:00 PM F. Pozun

**SUN** 8:00 AM D. Krumenacker  
10:30 AM P. Molchany

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**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: September 20-21**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (Plate) C. Fuska, J. Bulisok, B. New  
(Cup) H. Balagusz, F. Pozun, B. Tran

**SUN** 8:00 AM (Plate) D. Kozak, K. Carney, A. Reynolds  
(Cup) M. Mihelic, E. Hobbs, J. Kuswara

10:30 AM (Plate) B. Williams, P. Molchany, C. Pribozie  
(Cup) B. Nagle, C. Williams, D. Boyle

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**GREETERS: September 20-21**

**SAT** 4:00 PM (ST) S. Birch  
(VP) Corona Family

**SUN** 8:00 AM (ST) R. & A. Albert  
(VP) G. Krumenacker

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

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**INCOME**

**SEPTEMBER 1-7, 2014**

Sunday Envelopes	\$4,305.00
Loose	721.06
Energy/Fuel	433.00
Catholic Education	36.00
Diocesan Retired Priests Medical	51.00
SVDP – Visitation Conference	63.00
Parking Lot Rent	<u>205.00</u>
	\$5,814.06

**2014 Christmas Club YTD Total: \$1,733**



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO  
OUR PARISHIONERS  
WHO ARE CELEBRATING  
A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK September  
15-21:**

Joseph Guydo, David Kozak,  
Alyshia Meyers, Elizabeth Dudash, Joanne  
Luberto, Anthony Marano, Betty Worthington,  
Susan Pappas, Theresa Rován, Patricia Ann  
Czyrnik, Kira Ocheltree, Paul Schmidt,  
Connie Schultz, Gianna McCombie,  
John Deter

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**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.

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**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!




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**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: **22,666.00**  
Amount Still Needed: \$5,399.00

Households: 421 Pledges: **159**

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**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.




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**PARISH  
RELIGIOUS  
EDUCATION—SEPTEMBER  
SCHEDULE:**

**September 14** – Class

**September 21** – Class

**September 28** – No Class/Home  
Study

**IN SYMPATHY:** Visitation Parish extends deepest sympathy to the family of Charles Moonly whose funeral will be celebrated this Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace in heaven with the angels and saints.

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**LITTLE CAESARS® PIZZA KIT**

**FUNDRAISER:** Order forms were in last week's bulletin for the Little Caesars® Pizza Kit Fundraiser for Visitation Parish. **Our sales period will be from September 6<sup>th</sup> to September 28<sup>th</sup>.** Please return order forms and payment by Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup> through the collection basket or to the Rectory Office. Checks should be made payable to Visitation Parish. The pick-up time will be the weekend of October 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> after each Mass. If you have any questions, please call Cynde Smith @ 535-4287 or the Rectory Office @ 536-6110, Ext. 0. Extra booklets are in the vestibule of the Church.

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**VISITATION CHOIR—FIRST PRACTICE—NEW MEMBERS**



**WELCOME:** Practice for the Visitation Choir will begin **THIS Wednesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM.**

New members are *always* welcome in the Visitation Choir! Please consider joining us in the Choir Rehearsal Room **Wednesday evenings** from 7:00-8:00 PM. We warm up Sunday mornings at 10:00 AM in the Choir Room. God bless you in your consideration.

**THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

We would like to thank all of you for your support of the Visitation Margarita booth at this year's Ethnic Fest. Your generous donations to the second collection taken the first weekend in August helped reduce our total expenses by nearly one third. Your response to our pleas for supplies and the raw materials to make our Jello® shots was overwhelming. Those of you who were able to turn out nine days before the Ethnic Fest to help make over 2,400 Jello® shots showed real dedication to that task.

A sincere thank you to Alan and Marcus for setting up and tearing down our booth and for giving up your weekend and keeping us supplied with fresh ice every morning.

To everyone who came out during the three days of the Ethnic Fest and supported our booth by purchasing the various items we offered for sale, a heartfelt thank you for that support. To the more than two dozen parishioners who volunteered to help during the various shifts Ethnic Fest weekend, the work you all did was amazing and your efforts were greatly appreciated. We also want to thank our special bartenders, Darren and Nick, for all their efforts in keeping the sales moving.

Finally, a special thanks to Dave Kozak for supplying the refrigeration unit to display the twenty different varieties of Jello® shots we sold at the Ethnic Fest.

## Swiss Steak Dinner

The Church of the Transfiguration  
201 Third Street, Conemaugh  
**Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup>**  
4:00 PM - 7:30 PM  
Take-Outs Available  
(814)535-2698

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**ST. CLEMENT SUPER TICKET:** St. Clement Church is selling chances on a trip to the Super Bowl in Phoenix, Arizona **OR** \$10,000 CASH. Grand prize package includes 2 Super Bowl Tickets, Hotel Accommodations from January 30<sup>th</sup> through February 2<sup>nd</sup>, Breakfast Pre-game Party Extravaganza, Tickets to NFL Experience, Super Bowl XLVII Souvenirs PLUS \$2,500 in travel expenses **OR** \$10,000 CASH! (Choice must be made by November 5<sup>th</sup>.) **Cost of the ticket is \$10.00 each with the winning number determined by the first BIG Four 7:00 PM drawing on Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>.** Two numbers are on each ticket. The closest numbers above and below win \$1,000 each. Seller of Grand Prize winning ticket receives \$500. If interested in purchasing a ticket(s), please call Sue or Nancy @ 255-4422 or Suzie @ 659-8399.

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### PARISH/FINANCE COUNCIL

**MEETING:** The Parish & Finance Council meeting will be held **THIS Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Assembly Room.

**ANNUAL BASKET PARTY:** The Bishop McCort Cheerleaders will be holding their Annual Basket Party on **Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>** in the St. Andrew School Cafeteria. Doors will open at 1:00 PM with prize drawings beginning at 2:00 PM. Tickets are \$10/person and a light lunch is included. You can purchase tickets from any BMHS cheerleader or by calling Dr. John Walker @ 243-9184. Tickets will also be available at the door.

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**ANNUAL NOVENA:** St. Therese Church will hold their Annual Novena in honor of St. Therese of the Little Flower of Jesus **starting Tuesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> and will continue for nine (9) days.** Masses will be held at 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM except on Saturday & Sunday, which will be Saturday at 9:00 AM, 4:00 PM & 7:00 PM and Sunday at 7:30 AM, 10:30 AM & 7:00 PM. **The closing of the Novena will be Wednesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>** with refreshments served after the 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM Mass in the church hall. Fr. Jack Connor, the assistant Rector at St. Ann's Monastery in Scranton, PA will conduct the Novena.



**HESBURGH LECTURE SERIES:** The Notre Dame Club of Central PA, in conjunction with Bottleworks of Johnstown, will present the Hesburgh Lecture Series event: "The Lost Art of Dress" on **Thursday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**. Linda Przbyszewski, visiting professor from the University of Notre Dame, is the Guest Lecturer. Linda is an Associate Professor of History; Concurrent Professor, Law at the University of Notre Dame. She joined the History Department in 2005. She studies and teaches the history of American law and culture. Her work in law has led to invitations to lecture at the U.S. Supreme Court and the Ohio Supreme Court. An accomplished dressmaker, Przybyszewski has recently turned to writing the history of how Americans learned and forgot how to dress. The author or editor of two previous books, as well as a prize-winning dressmaker, she lives in South Bend, Indiana. The lecture will be **FREE** and open to the general public and will be held at the Bottleworks in Johnstown beginning at 6:00 PM. No registration is required.



### **ROCKY GAP CASINO BUS**

**TRIP:** Ss. Gregory & Barnabas Parish will host a bus trip to Rocky Gap Casino on **Monday, October 13<sup>th</sup>**. Two Lodestar buses will be leaving Daisytown church parking lot at 10:00 AM. We will depart the casino at 5:00 PM. Cost is \$15.50/per person. You will receive \$30 free slot play. Call the Parish Office at 814-536-6818 to reserve your seat or if you have questions. Only 33 seats left.

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### **BIRTHRIGHT FUNDRAISER:**

Support the choice for Life at our Spaghetti Dinner/Basket Party on **Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup>** from 11:00 AM- 2:00 PM at The Johnstown Senior Center on Main Street, Downtown Johnstown. Deliciously prepared spaghetti, meatballs, salad, garlic bread, dessert and beverage. Entertainment by: The Serenaders! Donation: \$7.00 for Adults and \$3.50 for Children under 12. There will also be lots of great baskets to win. Tickets are available at the door or by calling Mary Kay @ 535-8231. Thank You!!