

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun Oct 21 Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:15-10:15 AM Religious Ed. Gr. K-9
 10:30 AM *Interpreted Mass for the Deaf*
 6:30-8:00 PM Religious Ed. Gr. 10-11

Tues Oct 23 6:10 PM Bingo

Wed Oct 24 5:45-6:30 PM Pro-Life Rosary
 6:30 PM 8:15 Choir Rehearsal
 7:30 PM 10:30 Choir Rehearsal

Thurs Oct 25 9:00-11:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration

Fri Oct 26 6:10 PM Bingo

Sat Oct 27 9:30-10:30 AM Children's Choir Rehearsal

Sun Oct 28 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:15-10:15 AM Religious Ed. Gr. K-9
 10:30 AM *Interpreted Mass for the Deaf*
 6:30-8:00 PM Religious Ed. Gr. 10-11



Monday, Oct. 22

8:30 a.m. †Gloria J. Hurliamn (*Frank Rabits*)

Tuesday, Oct. 23 St. John of Capistrano

8:30 a.m. †Mary E. Fiore (*Tony & Elina Petulla*)

Wednesday, Oct. 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret

8:30 a.m. †Patsy Labriola (*Henry, Mary & Susie Sinisi*)

Thursday, Oct. 25

8:30 a.m. †Geraldine Brown (*Joe, Karen, Brad & Derek Dinardo*)

Friday, Oct. 26

8:30 a.m. †Elizabeth Doyle (*M/M Charles DiMaria*)

Saturday, Oct. 27

8:30 a.m. †Virginia Meintel (*St. Rose Christian Mothers*)
 5:30 p.m. †Ronald A. Geis Jr. (*Family*)

Sunday, Oct. 28 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. †Lynn & Dorothy McConnell (*Stanley & Mary Ann Krish*)

8:15 a.m. †Anna M. Olszewski (*M/M Ron Slovikosky*)

10:30 a.m. †Pasquale & Frieda Gentile (*Barb & Gregg Gentile*)

12 Noon Mass for the People

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING—Oct. 13-14, 2007

Regular	\$6863.32	Christmas	\$ 50.50
Capital Campaign	\$ 77.00	Rose	\$ 180.38
Initial	\$ 80.00	Candles	\$ 15.00
Register	\$ 174.00	All Souls	\$ 8.00
Priests Medical	\$ 35.00		
Mission Sunday	\$ 42.00	Total	\$7525.20

MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK

Alter Servers for October 27-28, 2007

Saturday, October 27, 2007

5:30 p.m. Elizabeth Jacobs, Joshua Shultz, Justine Shultz, Megan Shultz

Sunday, October 28, 2007

7:00 a.m. Julie Fox

8:15 a.m. Chase McGeary, Jamie Novack

10:30 a.m. Kevin Condryn, Rebekah Hughes, Jillian Lemme, Alyssa Lower

12 Noon: Taylor Brumbaugh, Jamey Brumbaugh, Jarod Brumbaugh

Eucharistic Ministers for October 27-28, 2007

5:30 p.m. Mary E. Tillard, B. Shoenfelt, J. Shoenfelt, J. Brown, B. Bartley

7:00 a.m. E. Beard, W. Beard, C. Sharbaugh

8:15 a.m. R. Novack, P. Blanchard, D. Cree, R. Spinazzola, J. Trexler

10:30 a.m. M. Dombrowski, C. Housum, D. Housum, T.. Heiss, K. Irwin

12 Noon G. Beck J. Eberhardt, R. Fiore

Lectors for October 27-28, 2007

5:30 p.m. Frances Hesser, Joseph Maschue

7:00 a.m. Paul Cooney, Robert Fox

8:15 a.m. Randy Donnelly, Patrick Labriola

10:30 a.m. Patrick Condryn, James Klueg

12 Noon Robert Helbig, Jim Lane

FROM THE PASTOR

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

During November we will remember all your named deceased family and friends in our parish Book of Remembrance. Please use the All Souls envelope to list your beloved ones now "resting in the Lord."

KUDOS FOR NEW MINISTRY SOFTWARE

Many years of scheduling missteps evaporated with the launching of software that reliably does what a scheduler ought to do: keep families together and balance the opportunities to serve at the altar. Eucharistic Ministers, your concern about rotation of sacristan duty is now in place with the un-alphabetizing of ministers names. See the schedule shown in today's bulletin Leona thanks you for that many positive comments about the better, balanced results and individual schedules generated for e-mail distribution. If you have email and still are receiving the schedule by stamped mail, print clearly your email address and place it your offertory envelopes.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OFFERTORY PRESENTERS

Oct. 27	5:30 p.m.	Jeff & Mary Shultz
Oct. 28	7:00 a.m.	Jim & Linda Trexler
	8:15 a.m.	Gene & Barbara Stoltz
	10:30 a.m.	Joe & Patti Fromknecht & Family
	12 Noon	Steve & Pam Brumbaugh

ST. ROSE OF LIMA SCHOOL NEWS

October is the month of the rosary. On Oct. 12th 19th and 25th the school students will gather in the church at 12:45 to pray the rosary as a beautiful devotion to our Blessed Mother. All are welcome to join us.

The Athletic Assoc. will meet on Monday, Oct. 22nd at 7:00 p.m. in the library.

*The MARTIN'S A+ SCHOOL REWARDS program helps the school at NO COST to you. Sign up for the program and every time you shop at Martin's and use your Bonus Card from Oct. 7th through March 15th they will donate money to the school. If you need a form to enroll in the A+ School Rewards program just ask at a Martin's store, or you can register online at MartinsAplus.com. It's easy. Get your family members and neighbors to enroll too. **Our school ID code is 00184.** There is another St. Rose School registered so please be sure to use the correct school code. Even if you registered last year, you must register again.*

St. Rose School also participates in Target's "Take Charge of Education" program. If you have a Target REDcard or Target Visa, Target sends us a percentage of your purchases at no cost to you! If you wish to apply or register your existing card go to www.redcard.target.com and click on "Take Charge of Education".

Thank you so much to all of our parishioners who generously contribute to the second collection on the third weekend Masses. Thank you, also, to those who support our Scrip Program. This money has been a significant help to our school as we work to rebuild our reserve account and balance our budget. The children include our benefactors in their prayers each morning as they begin their day.

CANDLES—For the Men & Women in the Military who are serving our Country by the Christian Mothers, Fritz & Mary Werkmeister by Toby & Joyce Kjarsgaard.Thanksgiving & Special Intentions

Scrip Gift Card Volunteer Schedule

October 27-28, 2007

5:30 p.m. Vi Bettwy, Gene Bettwy

7:00 a.m. Brenda Altiero, Dan Altiero

8:15 a.m. Cindy Wise, Judy Wood

10:30 a.m. Mary Wiley, Sherry Price

Noon Bonnie Bartley, Chris Bracken

"IN DEFENSE OF LIFE"

Audrey Santo lived for 20 years "in a coma-like state, unable to move or speak." Even in this powerless condition, her life touched many. Speaking at her funeral, Father Emmanuel McCarthy said, "Audrey in flesh and blood presents the world with an inescapable either/or choice—either every person is loved by God and possesses intrinsic value or all are of no account. As humanity decides the value of the least, it decides its own temporal and eternal future." The Southern Cross, 4/26/07)

ADULT FAITH ENRICHMENT CLASSES

This year St. Rose will offer Adult Enrichment Classes on the following Monday evenings from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the Computer Room. We will be discussing the Old Testament. No prior knowledge or experience is necessary. Just bring a bible if you have one and come when you are able. All are welcome. If you have any questions, call Ann Mingyar 946-5383.

October 22
November 5 and 19
December 3 and 17
January 14 and 28, 2008

February 11 and 25
March 10 and 31
April 14 and 28
May 5 and 19

The Bishop Guilfoyle Ice Hockey Program is hosting its annual Meet the Marauders Night at Galactic Ice on Monday, November 5th from 7-9 p.m. There will be a brief introduction of the teams followed by a skate for all in attendance. Students, friends and fans are all welcome to attend. A cost of \$2.00 per person include skate rental.

If you are interested in following the gospel mandate, "Visit the imprisoned," please consider joining the Pennsylvania Prison Society. The Blair County Chapter would welcome you. For more information, call Tom or Lenora Irwin at 942-0528.

Sunday Morning Book Club

Everyone is welcome to join our parish book club. Our first selection is "A Thousand Splendid Suns" by Khaled Hosseini.

We meet from 9:15 till 10:15 a.m. in the computer room on the following dates:

October 21, November 4 & 18, December 2 & 16.

If you have any questions or need babysitting please call Janette 946-4342.

Supper Club will meet on

November 4—5:00 p.m. at the Olive Garden



October 21, 2007

PRAYER CORNER

A Prayer to Our Mother of Divine Providence

O Mary, Mother of Divine Providence, you sit as Queen at the right hand of your Son. You aid the Church in her needs and, with maternal care, provide for the personal needs of us, her children, who were entrusted to you at the foot of the Cross by Jesus, Our Lord. I implore you to remove from us whatever is harmful, evil or destructive, and bestow on us only that which is helpful, holy and loving. I ask you this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Drive-by Soup Sale—Homemade chicken noodle Thursday, October 25, between 12:00-2:00 p.m. and 4:00-6:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Fatima Parish, 2010 12th Ave. Altoona, Pa. Soup will be sold in quart containers at \$5.00 each.

FALL/WINTER CLOTHING SALE

St. Patrick Parish, Newry, November 3 from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. in the St. Patrick School Gymnasium. For more information, please call 695-3413. Donations are currently being accepted at St. Patrick School gymnasium entrance, Mondays and Fridays, 9 a.m. -12 noon

BG Classes Reunion

The ULTIMATE "FAMILY" REUNION: a first-time event uniting alumni of Altoona Catholic and Bishop Guilfoyle High Schools. All supporters of Catholic education, whether or not you are a graduate of ACHS or BG, are invited to attend the event on Saturday, November 24, 2007. Activities include: Mass at BG (4:00 p.m.); School Tours (5:00 p.m.); and Buffet Dinner and Dancing, Casino at Lakemont Park (6:00-11:00 p.m.); Mass and school tours are free. Dinner is \$45.00 per person. Cash bar. Reservation form is posted at www.bishopguilfoyle.com (under Alumni section).

Join us for The 37th Annual Mount Aloysius College Madrigal Christmas Feaste

Friday, Nov. 30, 2007 at 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 1, 2007 at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 2, 2007 at 4:30 p.m.

For more information, please call 886-6319

[Www.mtaloy.edu/alumni](http://www.mtaloy.edu/alumni)

The Carmelite Community of the Word will sponsor a **Pre-Christmas Fair and Spaghetti Dinner** on Sunday, November 11, 2007 from 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. At Bishop Guilfoyle High School. Games, prize booths, & children's activities will be offered along with Haiti merchandise and other family fun. Donation of prizes or Volunteer Help is welcomed. Please contact any CCW Sister for more information or call Sr. Jane at 886-4098.

Saint Benedict Church in Carrolltown will host a tour of Ireland beginning June 20 thru July 2, 2008. Visit the Cliffs of Moher, beautiful Galway, Kilkenny Castle, Waterford Crystal Factory, Dingle Peninsula, Cobb Heritage Center and much More. Price of \$3346/person for double occupancy includes roundtrip bus, air, first class hotels, and most meals. Call for details 344-8706.

Liturgical Reflection...In celebrating the annual cycle of Christ's mysteries, the Church honors with special love Mary, the Mother of God, who is joined by an inseparable bond to the saving work of her Son. In the Blessed Virgin Mary the Church holds up and admires the most excellent effect of the redemption and joyfully contemplates, as in a flawless image, that which the Church itself desires and hopes wholly to be. Three of the six holy days of obligation in the United States are in honor of Mary: December 8th—the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception; January 1st—the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God; and August 15th—the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Families and Addictions

Wednesdays, November 7 & 14, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

St. Anthony of Padua, 2201 Graham Ave., Windber
Is a family member's use of alcohol or other drugs affecting your family life? Want to discover the light at the end of the tunnel? Come and experience two evenings with Sr. Fran Stein R.S.M., who has extensive experience helping people recover spiritually, emotionally, mentally and physically. The cost is \$10.00 a session; \$20.00 for the series. Make your Check payable to the "Family Life Office", 5379 Portage St. Lilly, Pa. 15938- 886-5551. Registration deadline is one week before the first session.

Wedding Planning Workshop for Couples

Monday, November 12, 7-8:30 p.m.

St. Clement, 114 Lindberg Ave., Johnstown

Are you looking for ways to make your wedding unique, meaningful, and yet affordable? This free, informal workshop for couples will offer tips for a less stressed wedding which can be planned with calm and confidence and which will speak to the depth of the commitment you are making. Included will be ideas for bridal showers, dress, invitations, rehearsal dinner, ceremony, reception, etc. Interfaith couples welcome. Co-sponsored by the Family Life and Liturgy Offices of the Altoona-Johnstown Diocese. Reservations necessary by calling the Family Life Office at 886-5551 on week before scheduled program.

An afternoon program titled “**Would You Like to Meet Abraham and Moses?**” will be offered on Sunday, October 27, 2007 from 2-5 p.m. at the CCW Incarnation Center. An opportunity to learn more about these men whom God chose to be models for our spiritual journey. They are perfect examples of God’s action in imperfect humanity. Spend time with input, prayer and conversation during this afternoon program. A donation of \$20.00 is requested. For registration information contact 886-4098. Pre-registration is required.

BASKET BINGO

ST. LEONARD’S HOME, a personal care facility in Hollidaysburg sponsored by the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth, is holding a theme Basket Bingo to benefit its charity care fund. The event will be held on Saturday, November 10 at St. Catherine’s Church Hall in Duncansville from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Doors open at noon for optional lunch. Tickets are available for \$20.00 by calling 695-9581 or at the door for \$30.00. Silent auction and pull tabs also will be featured.

The **26th Annual Harvest Craft Fair**, sponsored by the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company Auxiliary, will be held Saturday, October 27th & Sunday October 28th, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Cresson Fire Hall on Ashcroft Ave. 82 tables full of handcrafted items for sale. Come Inside and Browse. Proceeds benefit the Cresson Fire Company.

St. Rose of Lima Bingo is in need of brown paper grocery bags. Please deposit them in the bin located in the foyer of the church.

SHARE WITH ME THE GRACE

Come, Holy Spirit,
share with me the grace
of an alert mind and a steadfast will in prayer;
share with me the grace
of the awareness of your presence when
I feel alone in prayer;
share with me the grace
of perseverance in prayer when the issues
that fill my life turn me away from you.
Come, Holy Spirit, increase my faith. Amen.

RELIGIOUS TOUR TO SHRINES OF FRANCE:

Msgr. Edward McCullough, Director of Pilgrimages for the Diocese of Greensburg, will be spiritual leader for a tour to Lourdes, France in celebration of the 150th anniversary of the appearance of Our Lady to St. Bernadette. This tour will take place April 13-24, 2008. The trip will include Avignon, Ars, Paray-le-monial, Nevers, Lisieux, Normandy Beach and Paris. For a packet of details information, call 800-242-1728 or email: padre15201@yahoo.com. Other upcoming tours are: Nov. 6-17, 2007-Holy Land, Footsteps of Jesus with Fr. Rick Kosisko; Jan. 2-10, 2008-Italy (Vatican, Rome, Assisi); Feb. 28-March 9, 2008—Holy Land (Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Cana). For more info on any tour call the above number or email. Space is very limited on all tours.

BASKET BINGO, OCTOBER 29

Enjoy an evening of Basket Bingo, sponsored by Hollidaysburg Catholic Schools (HCS) Home School Association. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 29 at St. Rose of Lima Social Hall. Basket Bingo begins at 6 p.m. A donation of \$20.00 includes 15 games of Basket Bingo, an Oktoberfest-style buffet dinner, snacks and desserts. Tickets are limited. Call Barb Fiore at 695-9427 or Jeanette Keefer at 695-4784. Or contact any HCS student for tickets

All members of the Diocesan Family are asked to gather in prayer for a Holy Hour. The hour of prayer will be Sunday, November 4, from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. here at St. Rose of Lima. The Altoona-Johnstown Diocese will gather in prayer on the same day and at the same hour to ask God’s blessings and strengthening grace. The intention of this Holy Hour is *RECONCILIATION*. We pray for a healing of any alienation among our deacons, priests, and bishop, and for those that have been hurt and alienated from the Church. Plan to gather in your parish before the Blessed Sacrament in exposition for this special hour of prayer