

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun July 2	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
	10:30 AM <i>Interpreted Mass for the Deaf</i>
Tues July 4	9:00 AM Independence Day Mass
Wed July 5	5:45-6:30 PM Pro-Life Rosary
Thurs July 6	9:00-11:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration
Fri July 7	6:10 PM Bingo
Sun July 8	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
	10:30 AM <i>Interpreted Mass for the Deaf</i>



Mass Intentions

Monday, July 3 St. Thomas

8:30 a.m. †Leo Thompson (*Michael Cichetta Family*)

Tuesday, July 4 St. Elizabeth of Portugal

9:00 a.m. †Sondra M. Frederick (*Vicki & Joseph Ruggiero & Family*)

Wednesday, July 5 St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria

8:30 a.m. †Terry Longstreth (*Joyce Longstreth*)

Thursday, July 6 St. Maria Goretti

8:30 a.m. †John & Marie Trexler (*Joseph & Heather Macharola*)

Friday, July 7

8:30 a.m. †James McKeon (*Family*)

Saturday, July 8

8:30 a.m. †James Webb (*Helen Webb*)

5:30 p.m. †John Klisiewicz (*Wife & Family*)

Sunday, July 9 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. †John L. Glunt (*Guy & Mary Fiore*)

8:15 a.m. †Jane C. Nagle (*Milliron Family*)

10:30 a.m. †Guiseppi & Maria Mangano (*Barb & Gregg Gentile*)

12 NOON Mass For The People

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING –June 24-25, 2006

Regular	\$7,142.45	Christmas	\$ 51.50
Capital Campaign	\$ 79.00	Rose	\$ 218.05
Candles	\$ 20.00	Peter's Pence	\$ 379.00
Peru	\$ 20.00		
Perquisites	\$ 125.00	Total	\$8,035.00

OFFERTORY PRESENTERS

July 8	5:30 p.m.	Tab & Julia Scarfone
July 9	7:00 a.m.	Connie Gunt & Family
	8:15 a.m.	Pat & Linda Nagle & Family
	10:30 a.m.	Roger & Mary Poske
	12 Noon	Bob & Karen Fiore

MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK

Altar Servers for Independence Day, July 4, 2006

9:00 a.m. Connor Campbell, Kathryn Nazaruk

Altar Servers for July 8-9, 2006

Saturday, July 8, 2006

5:30 p.m. Matthew Eiman, Nate Sanders, Jessica Sanders

Sunday, July 9, 2006

7:00 a.m. Julie Fox

8:15 a.m. Loretta Bobetich, Jamie Novack, Joshua Kelley

10:30 a.m. Patrick Irwin, Megan Shultz, Andy Pagliara

12 Noon John M. Berger, Brendan Trybus, Nicole Bagley

Independence Day, July 4, 2006

Tuesday, 9:00 a.m.

Lectors: Michael Nazaruk, Vi Bettwy

Eucharistic Ministers: J. Woomer, M. Engelman, P. Engelman, K. Woomer

Eucharistic Ministers for July 8-9, 2006

5:30 p.m. J. Shoenfelt, J. Brown, B. Shoenfelt, M. Kooman, B. Kooman

7:00 a.m. B. Altiero, J. Wustrow, D. Leahey

8:15 a.m. D. Smith, M. Engelman, R. Skupien, P. Engelman, R. Novack

10:30 a.m. K. Irwin, E. Salvi, C. Rickens, T. Goss, M. Salvi

12 Noon J. Eberhardt, C. Anslinger, D. Shrift

Lectors for July 8-9, 2006

5:30 p.m. Joe Maschue, Maria Spayd

7:00 a.m. John Kenny, Robert Fox

8:15 a.m. Tony Labriola, Chuck Wolf

10:30 a.m. Patrick Labriola, Randy Donnelly

12 Noon Bob Helbig

FROM THE PASTOR

CATHOLIC APPEAL-Friendly Reminders Produce

Strong Commitment: 259 families have pledged a

total of \$44,902 to the 2006 Annual Catholic Appeal.

Your generosity is a splendid outpouring! Thank you to

everyone who has so generously responded. All who

have yet to pledge your support, please do so within

the next three weeks. The participation of 29% of our

households has put us at 87% of the diocesan goal of

\$51,521. Fr. Spishak and I hope that every parishioner

supports this year's appeal. With everyone pulling

together we can both meet our assigned goal and

gather sufficient funds to replace a fifteen-year-old air

condenser in our social hall. The replacement unit is

cooling those who help our school and parish by

coming to bingo.

This week, appeal helpers will be completing their

friendly reminders to parishioners who have yet to

make a gift decision. We appreciate every parishioner's

gift. Please give freely and generously as your means

permit. First time participants to the Appeal may

choose a gift of \$100 or you may want to match last

year's average Saint Rose gift of \$184. Thank you for

your prayers and your generous support for the Annual

Catholic Appeal and the replacement of the air

condenser.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOMINATION PROCESS BEGINS We are now gathering nominees' names for the selection pool for our premier leadership group, the Parish Council. The members of the St. Rose Parish Council request your assistance in a matter vital to the welfare of your parish. During this summer, we need to fill four Council positions with qualified parish members. These parishioners should be people of wisdom and imagination, and be cooperative, forward-thinking, and open-minded.

Our parish council investigates how better to carry out our parish vision. The members reflect on the presented information and the shared wisdom of the council. The council proposes to the pastors their consensus decision. With the pastor, the council communicates the parish vision and affirmatively received decisions.

Please take time to consider whether you could be a candidate that would be willing to collaborate with others in helping our parish become an authentic sign of the reign of God. You may nominate fellow parishioners. The nomination box will soon be in the church foyer. Named nominees will receive invitation to an orientation session before their names go into a selection pool.

You may contact any of the following Council members if you are interested in learning more about your Parish Council: Fr. Crookston, Fr. Spishak, Pat Ronan, Vi Bettwy, Sue Cossitor, Pat Irwin, Joe Eberhardt, Frank Fochler, Judy Rossi, Cindy Boslet, Todd Cammarata, Tom Goss, Jim Woomeer, John Brown, Paul Engelman, Mike Fox, or Dave Kibblehouse.

JULY FOURTH MASS Begin your Independence Day celebrations with Mass at 9:00 A.M. Give thanks for our freedom and resolve to preserve and extend our respect for life, liberty, and the pursuit of human rights and the common good of God's family.

St. Rose of Lima Scrip Gift Cards Weekly Summary Your Regular Household Shopping Dollars Earned Our Parish:

For the week of June 24-25, 2006

Total Number of Order Form Orders:	26
Total Number of Direct Sales:	13
Total Amount of Gross Sales	\$ 5,819.00
Amount of the Average Sale:	\$ 149.21
Average Percent of Dollars Spent to Profit Earned:	4.94%
This Week's Total Net Profit	\$ 287.66
Last Week's Profit	\$ 456.37
Total Net Profit to Date	\$ 744.03

St. Rose of Lima Scrip Gift Card Team Schedule July 8, 2006

5:30 p.m. Jim Shoenfelt, Jen Myrick, Cindy Boslet, Bernice Shoenfelt

July 9, 2006

7:00 a.m. Dan & Brenda Altiero

8:15 a.m. Jim Woomeer, Kathy Woomeer, Mary Reffner

10:30 a.m. Deb Fraundorfer, Tom Goss, Diane Gormley, Yvonne Gibson

12:00 Noon John Frena, Marcella Salvi

CANDLES – For the Men & Women in the Military who are serving our Country by the Christian Mothers, Fritz & Mary Werkmeister by Toby & Joyce Kjarsgaard, 1st Lt. Anthony Wertz, Grandson, who is serving in Iraq by M/M John Carnevale

BAPTISM

Congratulations to Madelyn Karris Riley, daughter of M/M Jason L. Riley, who received the light of Christ in the sacrament of Baptism last weekend.

SCHOLARSHIP BLOOD DRIVE

A Red Cross Blood Drive will be held on Saturday, July 8, for Nicholas Iachini, a student at Bishop Guilfoyle. It will be held at the **Maria Parish Center** from 9:00 to 2:00 p.m. Sponsored by Bishop Guilfoyle.

SUPPER CLUB

August 6, 2006 TGI Friday's Restaurant at 5:00 p.m. Mark your calendars and call Janette 946-4342 to make a reservation or for more information. Both of these restaurants participate in our parish script program so purchase your script soon.

BISHOP GUILFOYLE HIGH SCHOOL

Any girl, attending a feeder school and entering seventh or eighth grade this fall, interested in playing Jr. High Basketball for Bishop Guilfoyle High School should contact Coach Pat Nagle at 696-1475 or 946-9248.

PRAYER CORNER

A PRAYER FOR THE 4TH OF JULY

We lift up our hearts, O God, on this day of celebration in gratitude for the gift of being Americans.

We rejoice with all those who share in the great dream of freedom and dignity for all.

With flags and feasting, with family and friends, we salute those who have sacrificed that we might have the opportunity to bring to fulfillment our many God given gifts.

As we deny all prejudice a place in our hearts, may we also clearly declare our intention to work for the time when all people, regardless of race, religion or sex, will

be granted equal dignity and worth.

Come, O gracious God, who led your children Israel from slavery, keep us free from all that might hold us in bondage,

Bless our country and join our simple celebration that we may praise you, our Source of freedom, the One in whom we place our trust. Amen

SAINT OF THE MONTH FOR JULY, 2006

ST. MARY MAGDALENE "The Penitent"

Feast Day – July 22

Patronage – converts-pharmacists-hairstylists-penitent sinners-people ridiculed for their piety-women.

Profile – Mary Magdalene was a friend and follower of Jesus. She was filled with sorrow for her past sins, so when she met Jesus, she anointed Him and washed his feet with her hair. Jesus forgave her sins. The familiar unflattering portrait of Mary Magdalene is not accurate because it has been taken from several scripture texts that do not mention her specifically, and some information is totally fiction. When we read the gospels carefully and use the information where she is specifically named, we get a different picture of her.

With some other women, Mary traveled with Jesus and the apostles during his ministry. Her great love for Jesus was expressed when she faithfully stood near the cross after the other disciples fled. Because of her love, she brought spices to anoint Jesus' body on Easter morning. Instead, she became the first witness to the resurrection. She became the "apostle to the apostles" when she announced this mystery to them. The disciples came to the tomb and seeing that Mary had reported the truth, they went back home. Mary, true and devoted, stayed weeping outside the empty tomb. As she wept for the loss of her savior, she heard a voice call to her "Mary!" It was Christ Jesus, risen from the dead! He had chosen to show Himself first to Mary Magdalene, the repentant sinner.

PRAYER TO MARY MAGDALENE

Dear Mary Magdalene, you showed your love and devotion to Jesus, even when others retreated in fear. I ask you to help me, a sinner, grow in strength of faith and love for Jesus Christ, and to be as eager to witness as you were. Amen

PILGRIMAGE TO THE BASILICA OF THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, WASHINGTON, D.C.

The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown is sponsoring a Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. on October 7, 2006.

Arrival at the National Shrine between 11:00 a.m. and 12 Noon.

Noonday Prayer and welcome by Shrine personnel at

12 Noon.

Free time for prayer, touring, reconciliation, lunch, shopping until 2:30 p.m.

2:30 until 3:00 Gathering in the main body of the church for the pontifical liturgy.

PONTIFICAL PILGRIMAGE LITURGY begins at 3:00.

The Liturgy will last about 90 minutes.

Departure from the Shrine by 5:00 p.m. Usually, a stop for dinner is planned during the return trip

The time and place of departure will be announced in the coming weeks.

If you are interested in going on this Pilgrimage, please call the rectory as soon as possible.

Rev. Paul Turnbull, is the Diocesan Pilgrimage Director

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

Host families are needed for students from South Korea and other countries who are interested in attending Bishop Guilfoyle High School. This is an opportunity to offer hospitality and to introduce your family to another culture. If you are interested or would like more information, please call the school at 944-4014.

"IN DEFENSE OF LIFE"

Each Fourth of July celebration of our nation's Declaration of Independence invites us to remember its words: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness." Let us remind others that unborn human beings are equally endowed with these rights by their Creator.

DIocese OF ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

Called to the Priesthood? Come and See!

July 26-28, 2006

St. John the Baptist Retreat Center
New Baltimore, Pa.

Open to single men, age 15-55, interested in serving Jesus Christ and His People, the Church

Retreat will include:

Spiritual Conferences with Fr. Brian Saylor and Father Alan Thomas
Eucharist and Liturgy of the Hours with Diocesan seminarians
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Time for personal prayer
Picnic and free time at Shawnee Lake
Vocation Mass, conversation and lunch with Bishop Joseph Adamec

For reservations, contact Very Reverend John D. Byrnes JCL, Director of Vocations, Prince Gallitzin Chapel House, PO Box 99, Loretto, Pa 15940. Phone: 814-472-5441 Email: jbyrnes@dioceseaj.org

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The St. Therese Conference of St. Vincent DePaul will hold a 'Yard Sale' on Friday and Saturday, August 4 & 5, 2006 at Fr. Kelly Hall. Anyone interested in renting tables can call 944-5892. The rental fee is \$10.00 per table for one day or \$15.00 per table for both days.

MOUNT ALOYSIUS COLLEGE

SUMMER VISITATION DAY

Friday, July 14, 2006

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Health and Physical Fitness Center
7373 Admiral Peary Highway, Cresson, Pa. 16630
To RSVP or get information: Call toll free: 1-888-823-2220 or Online: www.mtaloy.edu Email: admissions@mtaloy.edu

Academic Information, Scholarship Information & Financial Aid, Tour of Campus, Facilities & Technology, Additional Information. Musical Entertainment during our complimentary picnic lunch.

Doesn't life take a toll on your marriage?

Take some time to enrich your relationship on the next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend**, at the new Saint Joseph mountain resort in Tyrone, September 22 to 24. Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones and focus on each other. For more information and to find out how to register, please call 1-800-882-5024.

LITURGICAL REFLECTION...

In the Eucharist, Jesus has instituted the Sacrament in which the very passion, death and resurrection he would undergo would be made present again in our lives in a way that enables us to share in the benefits of the cross. We speak of our dying to sin and rising to new life because we participate in the mystery of Jesus' death and resurrection. The term "holy sacrifice" of the Mass is exact because sacramentally the death and resurrection of Jesus is once again made present. The sacrifice of Christ and the sacrifice of the Eucharist are one single sacrifice.

The Eucharist, The Bishops of Pennsylvania, 2000, page 4.

COMPUTERS FOR SENIORS

Are you wondering what a mouse, the Internet, and Windows are? Would you like to learn how to use e-mail? Do you think your grandchildren are little computer nerds and wonder what it means when they say they're surfing the net? If you have asked these questions and have never touched or have limited experience with computers, this workshop is for you! Sign up today for Computers for Seniors as space is limited. The workshop is scheduled for July 25 from 9:30 a.m. to

3:00 p.m. in the Pasquerilla Library on Saint Francis University campus. Cost for the workshop is \$65.00 which includes lunch. To register contact the Saint Francis University Office of Continuing Education at 814-472-3012 or oce@francis.edu.

St. Rose of Lima Altar & Rosary Report 2005-2006

Balance on Hand, May 31, 2005	Checking	540.45
Balance on Hand, May 31, 2005	Savings	270.22

RECEIPTS:

Membership	545.00
Rosary Donations	15.00
Interest	.70
<i>Total Receipts</i>	560.70

EXPENDITURES

Masses	120.00	
Masses for deceased Members	60.00	
Flowers for Altar	140.42	
Materials for making Rosaries, including Rosaries for First Communion	104.05	
Cleaning Vestments	29.90	
<i>Total Expenditures</i>	454.37	
Balance on Hand, April 30, 2006	Checking	646.78
Balance on Hand, April 30, 2006	Savings	271.02

Anyone wishing to join may still become a Member by placing \$2.00 Individual Membership or \$5.00 Family Membership in an envelope & Mark-Altar Society 2006 Membership
Deceased Members – Mary Wagner, Betty Drabic, Don Basciani, John Glunt, Leo Thompson & Joe Mannino

The Altar Society wishes to thank the following Ladies for their work in keeping our church clean. Judy Wood, Betty Davis, Donna Daley, Shirley Cobler, Diana Macharola, Mary Engelman, Bernadette Sutusky and Barbara McCreery.

This is done the first Wednesday of each month and we are always in need of more help. If you can give a morning once a month, please call Leona at the rectory or Mary Engelman 943-3796.

The Ladies who launder the Purificators, Priests' Vestments, Altar Cloths & Altar Server Vestments are Jean Hughes, Betty Davis, Patty Nemarich, Judy Wood, Janette DiGiacobbe, Becky Bimle, Peach Maschue. Anyone wishing to help with any of these activities is greatly appreciated. Just let us know. Our special Thanks to our all-around the Church helper – John Frena- who straightens the books in the pews, takes care of the candles and does the repairs to the pews. Also to George Baker & sons for keeping the tabs on the pews. Without the help of dedicated volunteers, our church would not be the shining home for Our Lord and all you who come to pray.