

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

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| Sun June 7 | The Most Holy Trinity | |
| | 10:30 AM | <i>Interpreted Mass for the Deaf</i> |
| | 12 Noon | Mass at Highland Park and Parish Picnic |
| Tues June 9 | 6:10 PM | Bingo |
| Wed June 10 | 5:45-6:30 PM | Pro-Life Rosary |
| Thurs June 11 | 9:00-11:00 AM | Eucharistic Adoration |
| Fri June 12 | 6:10 PM | Bingo |
| Sun June 14 | The Body and Blood of Christ | |
| | 10:30 AM | <i>Interpreted Mass for the Deaf</i> |



Monday, June 8

8:30 a.m. †Richard Sprouse (*Shirley Sprouse & Family*)

Tuesday, June 9 St. Ephrem

8:30 a.m. †Joan Bator (family)

Wednesday, June 10

8:30 a.m. †Joseph & Dorothy Bucarelli (*Bucarelli & Fromknecht Families*)

Thursday, June 11 St. Barnabas

8:30 a.m. †Marguerite Hricko (*Shirley Drzal*)

Friday, June 12

8:30 a.m. †Joseph B. Ventura (*Lawrence & Barbara Savino*)

Saturday, June 13 St. Anthony of Padua

8:30 a.m. †Leona Settlemeyer (*Tom Davis*)
5:30 p.m. †Charles Love (*Tomeo Family*)

Sunday, June 14 The Body and Blood of Christ

7:00 a.m. †Fritz & Mary Werkmeister (*Friends*)
8:15 a.m. †Marian Rankey (*M/M Robert Hicks*)
10:30 a.m. †Ann Wiley (*Ron & MariAnn Eberhart & Family*)
12 Noon Mass for the People

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING—MAY 30-31, 2009

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| Regular | \$6904.58 | Christmas | \$32.00 |
| Capital Campaign | \$140.00 | Rose | \$106.92 |
| Ascension | \$112..00 | Candles | \$20.00 |
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| | | Total | \$7315.50 |

MINISTRIES FOR THE WEEK

Servers for June 13-14, 2009
5:30 p.m. Brittany Boslet, Allison Boslet, Jessica Boslet, Loretta Bobetich
7:00 a.m. Ireland McCreery
8:15 a.m. Maya Irwin, Thomas Irwin III, Jimmy Novack
10:30a.m. Brian Goss, Sarah Goss, Nathan Murphy
Nathaniel Friedenberger
12Noon Luke Frederick, Megan Danison, Jamey Brumbaugh
Eucharistic Ministers for June 13-14, 2009
5:30 p.m. Cindy Boslet, Kevin Boslet, Justine Shultz, John Frena, Gene Bettwy
7:00 a.m. Debbie Leahey, Brenda Altiero, Dan Altiero
8:15 a.m. Devon Irwin, Ruth Novack, Ronald Skupien, Tim Link, Paul Engelman
10:30 a.m. Thomas Goss, Gina Goss, Regina Murphy, Karen Mrjenovich, Barbara Gentile
12 Noon Matthew Eberhart, Ronald Eberhart, Mari Ann Eberhart
Lectors for June 13-14, 2009
5:30 p.m. Viola Bettwy, Bernice Shoenfelt
7:00 a.m. Raymond Kline, John Kenny
8:15 a.m. Thomas A. Irwin, Randy Donnelly
10:30 a.m. Jean Chirdon, Joseph Breton
12 Noon Jim Lane, Chris Danison

FROM THE PASTOR

CATHOLIC APPEAL - A Significant Surge: One-hundred-ninety-one families have pledged a total of \$32,072 to the 2009 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 now. The participation of 23% of our households has put us at 64% of the diocesan goal of \$50,101.

Your ACA gift supports our parish and our diocesan ministries. Our parishioners benefit from these and other diocesan ministries: Camp Zacchaeus, Christian Initiation, Lay Ministry, Faith Formation, and Catholic Charities. This year our local project is our completely paying for the long-sought house and garage placed amid our Sixth Avenue parking lots. Father Spishak successfully conducted a phone campaign that generated 90% of this property that we have wanted to get for more than fifty years ago. Exceeding our assigned diocesan goal by \$6,000 will complete the full payment for the "house-in-our-parking-lot."

With everyone's help we will surpass our assigned diocesan goal and achieve the full funding of the house and garage. Consider adding \$20 or \$25 to the amount that you gave last year to the ACA .

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Please be thoughtful about a gift that reflects your gratitude for the many blessings that God has entrusted to you. If you cannot make a financial gift, please return your pledge card showing that. We will see that you do not receive a second request.

During this week, we will start our friendly reminder phoning. Your timely response will greatly help our friendly phone captains.

Parish Team for Parish Renewal Retreat Preparations begin this Thursday, June 11, at 6:30-8:30 for the November 1-4 Parish Renewal Retreat. Sister Jean Fitzpatrick, SSC and Father Steve Vasek, OMI will share with the invited team members the retreat ministries surrounding the November spiritual experience. This meeting will be Social Hall.

Participating actively in the retreat process, members of our local parish team will work on one of eight local committees: prayer, publicity, transportation, hospitality, liturgy, family-child-care, outreach and follow-up. Local team members will also prepare and participate in Parish Holy Hour of Prayer (September 28); encourage prayer for the success of the retreat; invite people to come to the retreat, especially the alienated and the unchurched; and attend the Saturday Retreat Day for Parish Team (October 31).

Parish Team members will spiritually serve as helpers as our parish inspires and shapes people by the power of the Gospel. As a channel of God's power and love to their fellow parishioners, parish team members will experience personal spiritual growth. These responsibilities will consume time and energy, but the tasks will be completed in a relatively short time. This permits the team members to be about other things in the name of Christ. Jesus tells his disciples, "the harvest is good, but the laborers are scarce. Beg the harvest master to send out laborers to gather his harvest." Through persevering prayer the Church asks for people willing to work for the Gospel. Parish Team members are answers to that prayer. Should this notice speak to you, join us this Thursday.

FATHER SPISHAK'S ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
of last Sunday was a beautiful, prayerful, memorable tribute. He wishes to thank all who participated, especially our exceptional choir, those who decorated, those who planned and helped with the Liturgy, the dinner and the programs. He is grateful, too, for all the gifts and cards.

May God Bless all of you.

Fr. Carl A. Spishak

OFFERTORY PRESENTERS

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| June 13 | 5:30 p.m. | Carmel Maniglia & Rose Nasralla |
| June 14 | 7:00 a.m. | Mary ann & Robert Fox |
| | 8:15 a.m. | Judy Wood & Chase McGeary |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Francis and Mary Wiley |
| | 12 Noon | Volunteer |

CANDLES: Kay Patton by John Patton, Fritz & Mary Werkmeister by Toby & Joyce Kjarsgaard, For the Well Being of SFC Michael Chirdon and the Pa. National Guard Stryker Brigade by His Family, for the recovery of Mike Ciavarella by M/M Joe Bruno, Special Intention and Thanksgiving.

CCD EARLY REGISTRATION

Reminder of early registration for CCD. \$10.00 per child or \$20.00 for family. Registrations forms may be picked up in the foyer of the Church or the rectory. You may put them in the collection basket, mail or drop off at the Rectory.

DOUGHNUT SALE

St. Vincent DePaul Soup Kitchen Doughnut Sale will be held next weekend June 13-14. They will be selling Doughnuts after all the Masses. Price of Doughnuts \$3.00 dozen or 2 for \$5.00. Please help those less fortunate. Thank you for all the support in the past.

AMERICAN RED CROSS

There will be a Blood Drive at St. Therese of the Child Jesus, 15th Street and 25th Ave. Father Kelly Hall on Thursday, June 18, 2009 from 12:00-6:00 p.m.

PLEASE COME OUT AND DONATE!!!

PARISH DEBT REDUCTION

Next weekend June 13/14, the Second Collection will be for the Parish Debt Reduction. For May we received \$241.52. We welcome your generosity.

PARISH PICNIC

Today, June 7 we will be at Highland Park for the St. Rose of Lima Parish Picnic. We will begin the festivities with an outdoor celebration of the noon Mass at the park. Great food, fellowship and fun for the kids will follow Mass.

The Parish will provide Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, buns and condiments, beverages and paper plates and utensils. Please bring a covered dish to share. You may want to bring lawn chairs for Mass. We hope to see you there!

“ANSWER THE CALL”

Catholic Men's Fellowship Conference-
“Sharing Our Lives in Fellowship” will be held on Saturday, June 13th at St. Francis University in Loretto, Pa. Join us along with hundreds of God seeking men from across Central Pennsylvania for this great event. The day has become a pillar of reflection for men who are re-capturing or seeking to enrich their personal spirituality. Guest Speakers will be **Mark Houck, Bill Polacek, Tom McConnell** and **Fr. Aron Maghsoudi** will each offer talks of personal testimony to their failures, successes, and richness of their journeys through life-sometimes in harmony with God, other times in desperate search of God's presence. The day concludes with the Celebration of Mass by Bishop Joseph V. Adamec.

“IN DEFENSE OF LIFE”

“Stem cell research opens new prospects for regenerative medicine and is morally permissible when it uses stem cells taken from adult organisms, but not when it takes cells from human embryos because that invariably causes their death.” (*The Dignity of a Person*, Congregation of the Doctrine of the Faith, 12-08)

GREAT NEWS-The Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA) will be holding its **1st Organizational Meeting** for a **new Court** in the Altoona area on **June 13, at St. Rose of Lima Church** (park in the front lot) at **2:00 p.m.** We hope to see all ladies who are interested in becoming a member of this fine organization at this meeting. If interested, but not able to attend, please call 814-735-3386 for more information. We thank you and your pastor for your support in this endeavor.

“IMPERIAL CITIES” TRIP

Saint Benedict Church, Carrolltown is sponsoring the “Imperial Cities” trip June 24-July 3, 2010 to Budapest, Vienna, Prague and the Passion Play in Germany. A slide show presentation will be held at the Church Hall, Sunday, June 14, at 2:00 PM. There is a \$200 early booking discount until June 15, 2009. Contact Nancy Vargo !@ 344-8706 for full itinerary or more information.

SUPPER CLUB

The Supper Club will meet on Sunday, June 7 at 5:00 p.m. at the Dream Restaurant in Hollidaysburg. Come and enjoy dining with your fellow parishioners. For reservations or information, please call Mary at 946-3449.

BG MARAUDER FAMILY

Get your tickets for the Third Annual Marauder Family Festival to be held Saturday, August 8, at Tom Irwin Field behind BG. The day will feature the infamous Cow Patty Bingo, dinner, live entertainment, and games for all ages. Cost is \$25.00 per adult. Children 17 and under are admitted free with paying adult. Tickets are now available by contacting any BG student athlete.

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA, DUNCANVILLE

Evening Rosary to the Blessed Virgin Mary held every Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m. at the Shrine of our Lady of Fatima on the grounds of St. Catherine of Siena Church, Duncansville. All are welcome to attend to Pray For Peace, Justice & Conversions; and personal intentions. Sponsored by the Birth of Mary Committee for the Celebration of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Sept. 8)

Italian Heritage Society Plans Saint Anthony Celebration

The Italian Heritage Society will have an Italian Mass on Sunday, June 14, 2009 at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church at 3:00 p.m. The banquet will follow at the Calvin House. It will begin with hors d'oeuvres beginning at 5:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 5:30 p.m. A dance will be held following the banquet from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. with music provided by Mario Crocetti Orchestrina Italiana. Price \$32.00 per person. The Mass and the banquet are open to the public. Call Eileen Fabbri 886-5791 or Steve Trovato (695-5730) by June 9th for tickets.

SCRIP CARD VOLUNTEER June 13-14, 2009

5:30 p.m. Bea Shoefeld, Jim Shoefeld, Jen Myrick
7:00 a.m. Brenda Altiero, Dan Altiero, Ken Lenze
8:15 a.m. Judy Wood, Kelly Charlesworth, Sherry Price
10:30 a.m. Tom Goss, Diane Gormley, Mark Zelnosky
12 Noon Karen Watt, Chris Bracken, P.J. Bracken

CALLER FOR BINGO

Late callers needed for bingo on Tuesdays and Fridays (8:00 till 10:30 p.m.) We will train you to call and use the equipment. If interested call 943-3874.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION CLASSES 2009

TOPIC: THE NEW TESTAMENT
Monday evenings 7:00-8:00 p.m.
St. Rose of Lima School Computer Room
Facilitated by Ann Mingyar
Paul's Letters-Date: June 15

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

SAINT FRANCIS WOMEN'S BASKETBALL CAMP

The Saint Francis Women's Basketball Program will have an individual camp June 14-17 in Loretto, Pa. The camp is for girls entering 3rd grade or higher in September 2009. There is an overnight or commuter option. If interested, please contact Joe Haigh at jhaigh@francis.edu or 814-472-3901.

LITURGICAL REFLECTION...

The Creed, prayed every Sunday and on Solemnities, professes our faith in the Triune God— God who is Father, the maker of heaven and earth; God who is Jesus Christ, the only Son of God; and God who is Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life. The Creed is sung or said by the entire assembly. Because it is an expression of faith by the whole gathered people, the participation of all present should be carefully safeguarded, whether it is recited or sung. This ancient prayer gives witness to our faith in a Trinity of Persons, one eternal God.

5TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Carmelite Community of the Word is sponsoring its 5th annual golf tournament on June 15th at Scotch Valley Country Club. The day will include golf, lunch, dinner, and prizes so plan on coming and having a great day with your friends. The cost is \$150.00 per golfer, individuals are welcome. If you do not golf you may still join us for dinner at 5:00. The cost of the dinner is \$35.00. For more information or to register call Sr. Jane Miller at 886-4098.

SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL MUSIC BENEFIT CONCERT

St. Patrick's School in Newry is hosting a "Support Our School (SOS)" Music Benefit Concert to be held on August 16, 2009 on the school grounds. They are looking for bands who would like to showcase their talents and receive exposure at this concert. Interested individuals/bands should send a demo CD to the address below and include your contact information:

Also needed are vendors and sponsors interested individuals and businesses to sponsor our Music Concert. Proceeds from this event will go directly to the school to enhance the learning experiences of the students. Vendors will receive free advertising! **Support Our School Music Benefit, P.O. Box 400, Newry, Pa. 16665**
Attn: Dawn McDannell Or call 814-239-2861.

VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The St. Rose of Lima Chapter of the St. Vincent DePaul Society will meet June 10, 2009 at 7:00PM in the school library. Members of the society are very grateful for the support of St. Rose of Lima.

All Parishioners are welcome to attend this meeting.

PRAYER CHAIN-If you would like our Prayer Chain to pray for your intentions, please call Bernice Shoenfelt at 942-5659.

FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL

June 7

Mt 28:16-20

In today's gospel Jesus told his disciples "I have much more to tell you, but you cannot hear it now." Jesus has the same problem with us as we do with our children. Our advice is not always welcome. Timing was a challenge for Jesus as it is for us as parents.

FREE CONCERT

The Lyon Family Chamber Ensemble of State College will present a free concert at Trinity Lutheran Church, 408 North Sixth Ave., Altoona on Sunday, June 14, at 3:00 p.m. The ensemble is led by violinist James Lyon, Professor of Music at the Pennsylvania State University, and his wife Carol, principal cellist of the Pennsylvania Centre Chamber Orchestra. They are joined by their three children, Clara, Elizabeth and Nicholas. The Lyon family has performed throughout the United States and in Australia, including performances at St. Patrick's Cathedral in both New York City and in Melbourne, Australia. Funding for the concert is being provided by the Dr. William Sunderman Endowment, so there is no charge for admission. Light refreshments will be served.

PRAYER CORNER

A PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH FOR EMPLOYMENT



Dear St. Joseph, I am out of work and I want to earn a living and support my family.

Dear patron of workers and of families, I ask you to intercede for me, that I may find the strength and ability to earn a just salary. May I have the joy of using my skills to provide an honorable livelihood for myself and my family. Amen.

CENTRAL PA RODEO

Sponsored by St. Matthew School, 1105 Cameron Ave. Tyrone, Pa. One of the highest prize money professional rodeos in the country!

Friday & Saturday 7:30 PM, Sunday 2:00 PM— June 19-21. Check it out at CentralPaRodeo.com

Early sales tickets available at most ACE Hardwares and Reliance Banks in the Blair & Huntingdon County area. Bring a copy of your bulletin and get \$2.00 off each ticket you buy at the gate. Gate opens 3 hours before the events begin.

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