

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK**

**Sun April 25 Fourth Sunday of Easter**  
 9:15-10:15 AM Religious Ed. Gr. K-9  
 10:30-11:30 AM Religious Ed. Pre-K  
 10:30 AM *Interpreted Mass for the Deaf*  
**Tues April 27 6:10 PM Bingo**  
**Wed April 28 5:45-6:30 PM Pro-Life Rosary**  
**Thurs April 29 9:00-11:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration**  
**Fri April 30 6:10 PM Bingo**  
**Sun May 2 Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
 9:15-10:15 AM Religious Ed. Gr. K-9  
 10:30-11:30 AM Religious Ed. Pre-K  
 10:30 AM *Interpreted Mass for the Deaf*  
 12:00 Noon First Holy Communion



**Monday, April 26**

8:30 a.m. †Tony Biller (*Donor*)

**Tuesday, April 27**

8:30 a.m. †Genevieve Grimes (*Carolyn Sylvester*)

**Wednesday, April 28 St. Peter Chanel. St. Louis Mary de Montfort**

8:30 a.m. †David Shellenberger (*Therese Frischkorn*)

**Thursday, April 29 St. Catherine of Siena**

8:30 a.m. †Mary Ann & Julie Klock (*Family*)

**Friday, April 30 St. Pius V**

8:30 a.m. †Glenn Benigni (*Michael Dillon Family*)

**Saturday, May 1 St. Joseph the Worker**

8:30 a.m. †Anna Mary DeGol (*Paul & Mary Engelman*)

5:30 p.m. †Kristen Stormer (*Paul & Mary Engelman*)

**Sunday, May 2 Fifth Sunday of Easter**

7:00 a.m. †M. Louise Buck (*Geraldine Buck*)

8:15 a.m. †Michael Savino (*Wife & Family*)

10:30 a.m. †Sondra Frederick (*Mark & Bonnie & Family*)

12 Noon Mass For the People

**MINISTRIES FOR THE WEEK**

**Servers** for May 1-2, 2010

5:30 p.m. Allison Boslet, Jessica Boslet, Megan McCall

7:00 a.m. Volunteer

8:15 a.m. Maya Irwin Thomas Irwin III

10:30 a.m. Matthew Zupon, Rebecca Paule

12 Noon Brynn Danison, Jonah Noel, Teresa Solimando, Michala Cooney, Matthew Eiman

**Eucharistic Ministers** for May 1-2, 2010

5:30 p.m. C. Boslet, K. Boslet, M. Tillard, S. Askey, J. Shultz

7:00 a.m. C. Sharbaugh, D. Leahey, J. Wustrow

8:15 a.m. R. Novack, M. Engelman, K. Gburek, M. Dombrowski, P. Engelman

10:30 a.m. M. Kooman, B. Kooman, K. Zelnosky, T. Goss, G. Goss

12 Noon E. Stoltz, B. Stoltz

**Lectors** for May 1-2, 2010

5:30 p.m. Joseph Maschue

7:00 a.m. Paul Cooney, Raymond Kline

8:15 a.m. Ken Haney, James Novack

10:30 a.m. Joseph Breton, James Klueg

12 Noon Nancy H. Little

**PASTOR'S CORNER**

**ONE FAITH, ONE HOUSEHOLD  
2010 Annual Catholic Appeal**

The 2010 Annual Catholic Appeal begins in all parishes within our Diocese this weekend. Please take some time to review today's bulletin flyer and the information you will receive this week. A gift that reflects your gratitude for the many blessings that God has entrusted to you is a blessing for our parish and the 32 Diocesan ministries the ACA supports. Our goal for the Appeal has been set at \$50,398.00. If you are unable to make a financial gift, please return your pledge card indicating such; we will see that you do not receive a second request. All contributions over our parish goal will be used to help replace the boiler for the church and school. Thank you!

**NEW LITURGICAL MINISTERS NEEDED**

Have you thought about perhaps using your gifts and talents as a Reader or Eucharistic Minister here at St. Rose. Now could be the time to volunteer. Fr. Brian will hold a training session for readers, Saturday May 8<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. and for Eucharistic Ministers at 2:00 p.m. If you are interested please call the parish office.

**PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING—APRIL 17-18, 2010**

Regular	\$7568.83	Christmas	\$ 50.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 127.00	Ash Wednesday	\$ 10.00
School Reserve	\$ 386.67	Candles	\$ 20.00
Easter Flower	\$ 10.00	Good Friday	\$ 15.00
Bishops' Relief	\$ 10.00	Holy Thursday	\$ 15.00
Easter	\$ 60.00	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8272.50</b>

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

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**ST. ROSE OF LIMA SCHOOL NEWS**

**\* REGISTRATION for ALL GRADES (including Pre K 3 and Pre K 4) for 2010-2011 is OPEN.**

Pre K 3 is a half day program. Pre K 4 and kindergarten are optional full or half day programs. Please call the school office for more information (942-7835).

\* Please plan to attend/support our **“Run for the Rose” 5K Run/Walk on May 15<sup>th</sup>**. For additional information please see the bulletin, call the school office (942-7835), or visit our website [www.runforstrose.com](http://www.runforstrose.com).

\* Thank you to all who contribute to the second collection on the third weekend Masses. This money is a significant help to the school as we work to rebuild our reserve account. The children always remember you in our morning prayers.

**5TH ANNUAL ST. ROSA PALOOZA**

Please join us for the 5th Annual St. Rosa Palooza. Come and enjoy a fun evening including an expanded dinner buffet, live music by the Matt Wagner band, dancing and **CASH PRIZES TOTALING OVER \$3000.00.**

**WHEN:** Saturday, April 24, 2010 from 6:30-11:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** St. Rose of Lima Maria Parish Center

**HOW:** Donation of \$85.00 (admits 2 adults over 21 year of age)

**WHY:** Benefits St. Rose of Lima School Athletic Programs

For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact Cindy Boslet (942-7637) or the school office (942-7835). Limited number of tickets available

**OFFERTORY PRESENTERS**

May 1	5:30 p.m.	Joseph & Regina Friedenberger
May 2	7:00 a.m.	John & Shirley Donoughe
	8:15 a.m.	Olive Savino & Jamie Stasky
	10:30 a.m.	Volunteer
	12 Noon	First Holy Communion Class

**CANDLES:** Kay Patton by John Patton, Fritz & Mary Werkmeister by Toby & Joyce Kjarsgaard, Edna Sciarillo-Illness by M/M Glenn Trout, Bob Turcovski by Joan & Linda Turcovski.

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

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION REHEARSAL** will be held on April 30, from 4:15-5:30 p.m. All second graders and at least one parent need to attend rehearsal.

**CCD EARLY REGISTRATION**

Reminder of early registration for CCD grades K-11 \$10.00 per child or \$20.00 for family. Registration 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.

**SUPPER CLUB**

Come and dine with the Supper Club on May 2 at Jethro's at 5:00 p.m. For reservations or information, please call Mary at 946-3449.

**SCRIP CARD VOLUNTEERS, MAY 1-2, 2010**

5:30 p.m. Bev Elder, Dan Altiero, Brenda Altiero

7:00 a.m. Ken Lenze, Sherry Price

8:15 a.m. Marty Dombrowski, Kathy Woomer, Tanya Neumeyer

10:30 a.m. Pat Condrin, Becky Bimle, Mark Zelnosky

12 Noon **No Sales-First Holy Communion**

**RUN FOR THE ROSE**

St. Rose of Lima School is having a 5k Run and Walk called **Run for the Rose** on May 15, 2010, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

Registration forms can be picked up in the back of the Church or you can register online at [runforstrose.com](http://runforstrose.com). If you have any questions, please contact Megan Reilly 949-4047 or Leigh Wesner 941-7043.

**“IN DEFENSE OF LIFE”**

“Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching its people to love, but (rather) to use any violence to get what they want. That is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion.”  
Mother Teresa of Calcutta

**Bishop Guilfoyle Scholarships Available**

Altoona Roman Catholic (ARC) Federal Credit Union is currently offering 2 \$500.00 scholarships for students attending Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School during the 2010-11 academic year.

Any student (9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade) attending Bishop Guilfoyle is eligible. The scholarships will be awarded based on academics, financial need, essay questions, and community activities.

Scholarship applications are available in both ARC lobbies, at 1919 7th Ave., and 419 N. 7th St. or online at [www.arcfcu.org](http://www.arcfcu.org). You may contact ARC at 814-946-0857 for more information.

Applications must be returned to ARC by May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2010 to be considered.

**WHAT HAVE YOU DONE FOR YOUR MARRIAGE TODAY?**

The National Pastoral Initiative for Marriage is worth looking into...

[www.foryourmarriage.org](http://www.foryourmarriage.org)

Get some ideas about what to do when your marriage hits the boredom rut, why married parents are important for children, how to heal a marriage when there has been infidelity, and much more!

Do yourself and your marriage a favor today and check out this website!

Brought to you by CFM

**EASTER FLOWER**

For all Loved Ones by Frank Basciani

**YOUTH GROUP CLEAN-UP DAY**

The youth group will be cleaning-up some of the trash and planting some flowers around the parish May 2 from 2 until 5 p.m. Afterwards we will pray the rosary and wind up the day with pizza and music. All youth ages 10-18 are welcome to lend a hand. If you have any questions, please contact Todd Sanders or David Stein (942-0445)

**LITURGICAL REFLECTION...**

The directions for Mass were issued in the third edition of the *Roman Missal*. These directives were implemented in the Diocese in 2003 when the General Instruction of the Roman Missal was promulgated in this country. What will be new in the *Roman Missal* is the translation. Greetings, acclamations and prayers will be newly translated to follow the Roman text more closely. The celebration of the Mass remains the same; the translation of the parts of the Mass will be new. For both priest and people there will be a time of adjustment to the new sounds of our worship.

**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS**

**4th Sunday of Easter**

May you be filled with joy for using your gifts as an “instrument of salvation” wherever you go. (cf. Acts 13:47)

**Sunday, May 2– All U Can Eat Breakfast–** The Boy Scouts of St. Mary’s Church are sponsoring an all-you-can-eat Breakfast which includes pancakes, eggs (made to order), sausage, bacon, home fries, toast, coffee, tea, & orange juice. \$5.00 adults \$3.00 for children ages 3-8. Under 3-free. Memorial Hall Cafeteria 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. 1420 4th Avenue, Altoona, Pa.

**BASKETBALL CAMP**

Anyone interested in basketball camp for girls (rising 2nd graders and higher ) at St. Francis University, please contact Joe Haigh at 472-3901. Overnight or Commuter camp is June 13-16 for 3rd grade and higher. Future Stars camp is June 14-16 for 2nd grade to 5th grade from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Parish members of The Star of the Sea Council of the Knights of Columbus will be greeting parishioners before and after all Masses next weekend to solicit donations for the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual “Measure-Up” Campaign. The money that is raised benefits The Arc of Blair County. The Arc of Blair County offers programs and services for individuals with intellectual disabilities in our community. Please support this worthwhile effort!

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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### SAVE THE DATES!

**Academy of Sacred Music's 10th Choral Institute  
July 19-22, 2010**

**Robert Long conducts Beethoven's Mass in C**

Plus a selection of contemporary hymns, with Guest Soloists, Chamber Orchestra and Nicholas Will on the Steinmeyer Organ.

Evening rehearsals at St. John's, Lakemont, Altoona.

July 22 Concert at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament.

Singers may pre-register or request a registration brochure by sending an e-mail to [academy@altoonanet.com](mailto:academy@altoonanet.com)

Find us on facebook! "Academy of Sacred Music"

### "OUR HEARTS ARE BURNING"

A spiritual gathering for women of our diocese is planned for Saturday, May 14, 2010. This day of reflection, praise and worship at Mount Aloysius College in Cresson will include local and national speakers with music by "Living Praise." The day will conclude with Eucharistic celebration at 3:00 p.m. The Most Reverend Bishop Joseph Adamec will be the principal celebrant. Come and experience a deeper renewal of your Catholic faith. Registration fee (includes lunch): \$25.00 per person. Registration forms are located on the table in the back of the church. For more information, please contact: Carol Galioto- (814) 946-3769.

### FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL

April 25

Jn 10:27-30

Inserting the word "children" for "sheep," the gospel reads:

"My children hear my voice, I know them and they follow me." Have TV, videos or internet taken your role as shepherd of your children? When they "hear your voice" what message are they hearing? If we don't act as we believe, we will believe as we act, so will our children.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH,** will be having the following fundraiser:

Imported Baked Ham & Swiss Cheese on a Kaiser Roll, with Mustard Packet

\$4.00 per Sandwich or 2 for \$6.00

Wednesday, April 28, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Pick up at the Rectory, 2010 12th Ave. Altoona

942-0371 All orders must be received Monday, April 26 by 12 Noon.

### TRUST

Even though I walk through the darkest valley,

I fear no evil, for you, my God are with me:

your rod and your staff will comfort me.

I trust that your love and your mercy

shall follow me all the days of my life,

and I shall dwell in your house my whole life long.

Amen.

(Adapted from Psalm 23)

### FOUNDATION NOTES...

The Independent Catholic Foundation for the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown is a nonprofit charitable organization established to provide a source of permanent funding for the parishes, schools and ministries of our Diocesan Church. It is a separate 501 (c)(3) organization independently managed by a Board of Trustees made up entirely of laity. There are currently 160 endowments managed by the Foundation and over \$456,000 was distributed last year. If you would like more information about the Foundation please call 814-201-2080, e-mail [Director @icfdaj.org](mailto:Director@icfdaj.org) or visit [www.icfdaj.org](http://www.icfdaj.org).