

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun May 9 Sixth Sunday of Easter
8:15 AM Mass & May Crowning
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 May 11 6:10 PM Bingo

Thurs May 13 ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Fri May 14 6:10 PM Bingo

Sun May 16 9:15-10:15 AM Religious Ed. Gr. K-9
10:30-11:30 AM Religious Ed. Pre-K
10:30 AM Senior High Recognition Day & Reception
10:30 AM *Interpreted Mass for the Deaf*



Monday, May 10 Bl. Damien Joseph de Veuster
8:30 a.m. †Marie Mastalski Nichols (*Carolyn Sylvester*)

Tuesday, May 11
8:30 a.m. †Fred Hell (*Bob & Peggy Peterman*)

Wednesday, May 12 St. Nereus, St. Archilleus, St. Pancras
8:30 a.m. †Shirley Sharp (*Donor*)
5:30 p.m. †Anna Mary DeGol (*Larry DeGo*)

Thursday, May 13 Ascension of the Lord
7:00 a.m. Members of the Altar & Rosary Society
8:30 a.m. †Helen Mannino (*Altar & Rosary Society*)
7:00 p.m. †Sophie Malko (*Carolyn Sylvester*)

Friday, May 14 St. Matthias
8:30 a.m. †Peg Hoover (*Donor*)

Saturday, May 15 St. Isidore
8:30 a.m. **NO MASS**
5:30 p.m. †Mary Davis & Jean Miller (*Bernie Miller*)

Sunday, May 16 Seventh Sunday of Easter
7:00 a.m. †Mary Foreso (*Mary Gail Lacovitch*)
8:15 a.m. †Patricia O'Leary (*Mike & Deborah Dillon*)
10:30 a.m. †Diane Stasky (*Daughters*)
12 Noon Mass for the People

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING—MAY 1-2, 2010

Regular	\$9536.56	Christmas	\$ 110.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 87.00	Rose	\$ 199.69
Candles	\$ 30.00	Home Missions	\$ 10.00
Peru	\$ 10.00	Ascension	\$ 29.00
Catholic Commun.	\$ 184.00	Total	\$10196.25

MINISTRIES FOR THE WEEK

Servers for Vigil of Ascension Thursday, May 12, 2010
5:30 p.m. Heather Lee, Megan Shultz, Aaron Yasulitis

Servers for Ascension Thursday, May 13, 2010
7:00 a.m. Volunteers
8:30 a.m. St. Rose School Children
7:00 p.m. Sarah Fromknecht, Julia Paule, Rebecca Paule

Servers for May 15-16, 2010
5:30 p.m. Nate Sanders, Jessica Sanders, John Barnes
7:00 a.m. Jonah Noel
8:15 a.m. Maya Irwin Thomas Irwin III
10:30 a.m. Mikayla Mignogna, Sarah Fromkhecht, Alyssa Lower
12 Noon Vera Boyer, Brynn Danison, Aleah Berkheimer

Vigil of the Ascension Thursday, May 12, 2010
5:30 p.m. **Lectors:** Bernice Shoenfelt, Deborah Kawtoski
Eucharistic Ministers: J. Shultz, M. Tillard, J. Shoenfelt, B. Altiero, N. Altiero

Ascension Thursday, May 13, 2010
7:00 a.m. **Lector:** Frank Fochler
Eucharistic Ministers: R. M. Fochler, J. Wustrow
8:30 a.m. **Lectors:** St. Rose School Children
Eucharistic Ministers: L. Zakrzwski, R. Friedenberger, B. Stoltz, E. Stoltz, M. Engelman
7:00 p.m. **Lectors:** Patrick Labriola, James Klueg
Eucharistic Ministers: J. Fromknecht, P. Fromknecht, J. Frena

Eucharistic Ministers for May 15-16, 2010
5:30 p.m. K. McGraw, J. Scarfone, J.E. Brown, N. Solimando, D. Fraundorfer
7:00 a.m. R. Kline, D. Leahey, R. Fox
8:15 a.m. M. Dombrowski, T. Link, R. Novack, K. Woormer, J. Woormer
10:30 a.m. J. Fromknecht, P. Fromknecht, D. Kawtoski, C. Housum, D. Housum
12 Noon S. Baker, G. Baker, R. Fiore

Lectors for May 15-16, 2010
5:30 p.m. Elizabeth Tully, Nancy Little
7:00 a.m. Frank Fochler
8:15 a.m. Thomas A. Irwin, Randy Donnelly
10:30 a.m. Chris Rickens, Anthony Labriola
12 Noon Heather Macharola, Joseph Macharola

PASTOR'S CORNER

Please take note of the change in the time for the Vigil of the Ascension this Wednesday. Mass will be at 5:30 p.m. rather than the usual 7 p.m. This will make it easier for the school play at 7:00 that evening and if you wish you can then attend both.

On this Mother's Day we pray for all our Mother's. May God continue to fill your life with many blessings.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ASCENSION THURSDAY-HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

This Thursday, May 13, is the Ascension of the Lord and a holy day of obligation in the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown. Forty days have passed since the glorious resurrection of Christ on Easter Sunday. The Risen One has returned to the kingdom and sits at the right hand of the Father. The fifty days of Easter continue until Pentecost Sunday. Masses will be on Wednesday, May 12 at 5:30 p.m. and on Thursday at 7:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA SCHOOL NEWS

The school students will attend the 8:30 Mass on Ascension Thursday, May 13th. They will not attend Mass on Friday, May 14th.

Under the direction of our music teacher, Mrs. Christina Black, our seventh and eighth grade classes will present the musical "Beauty and the Beast" on Wednesday, May 12th at 7:00 in the parish center. All are welcome to come to this wonderful production. There is no admission charge.

Kentucky has had its "Run for the Roses" Derby each May for 135 years. But our first annual "**Run for the Rose**" **5K Run/Walk** is Saturday, May 15th. It looks as though it's going to be a lot of fun for individuals and families. There are many activities on tap, so plan to run or walk. Put on your running shoes or put the kids in the stroller and walk along. Either way you're going to have fun. Don't forget to register. Call the school office (942-7835) or visit our website www.runforrose.com.

Our annual sports awards Mass and ceremony is May 16th. The noon Mass on May 16th also will be our last weekend school Mass.

Congratulations to our Reading Competition Team for taking second place in the recent 60 school competition sponsored by the Appalachia IU 08. Our team members were Aleah Berkheimer, Shanna Guttuso, Elizabeth Kowalski, Teresa Solimando, Lauren Betar, Scott Meintel, Olivia Ronan, Maddie Baker, Jack Barnes, Max Benzel, Maryssa Brandt, Alex Gburek, Jordyn Grove, Mikayla Mignogna, and Ariana Mrdjenovich. We are very proud of the St. Rose *Bookcovers* for representing our school so well.

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.

Support St. Rose School with Business Tax Credits

Small and large businesses throughout PA are competing to earn substantial tax credits that can provide tuition relief for students enrolled in St. Rose School. Earn up to \$.90 on the dollar through the PA Educational Improvement Tax Credit Program or a dollar for dollar match through the Pre K segment. Please share this information with your employer or accountant so they are prepared to earn credits beginning July 1st. EITC program details can be found at www.secondcenturyfund.org.

OFFERTORY PRESENTERS

May 15	5:30 p.m.	Bernard Miller & Volunteer
May 16	7:00 a.m.	Greg & Ruth Miller
	8:15 a.m.	Frank & Mary Wiley
	10:30 a.m.	Olive Savino & Jamie Stasky
	12 Noon	St. Rose School Children

CANDLES: Kay Patton by John Patton, Fritz & Mary Werkmeister by Toby & Joyce Kjarsgaard, Bob Turcovski by Joan & Linda Turcovski, Sophia Sukala by Theresa M. Sukala, Catherine Abretski by Theresa M. Sukala, Teresa Sukala by Theresa M. Sukala.

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.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA CHAPTER OF ST. VINCENT DEPAUL will have their meeting on Wednesday, May 12 at 7:00 p.m. in the School Library. We welcome new members along with our regular members.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

Court Prince Gallitzin 2625 will meet on Monday, May 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the Social Hall of St. Rose of Lima Parish at 5514 Roselawn Ave. New members are welcome!

Due to the restructuring of the Scrip Program, this weekend May 8th and 9th will be the last week-end to purchase direct sales of scrip after Mass. We will be offering direct sales on a limited basis throughout the summer months. The dates for direct sales after Mass, will be the weekends of June 26-27, July 17-18, and August 28-29. We thank-you all for your continued support and patience as we re-organize this great program.

SCHOOL RESERVE ACCOUNT

Thank you for your most generous response to the third weekend of the month second collection. In April, we received \$386.67 and forwarded it to the school. We appreciate your strong support. Next weekend May 15/16 is our next second collection dedicated to the restoration of funds to our school reserve fund.

SENIOR HIGH RECOGNITION DAY will be held on May 16 at the 10:30 a.m. Mass, reception following. We would like to have your Senior Picture 5x7 in frame to display as soon as possible. Please bring your picture to the Rectory or you may drop it off in the vesting room after weekend Masses,

MR. JAMES WOOMER'S ORDINATION

We are very pleased to announce that Mr. James Woomer will be ordained a Deacon by Bishop Adamec at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona, Saturday, May 22, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. We have been privileged to have been a part of Jim's vocation journey and Jim would like to invite all who are able to join him as he celebrates his ordination. You are also invited to join Jim as he celebrates his Mass of Thanksgiving as a Deacon that Sunday, May 23 at the 10:30 a.m. Mass here at St. Rose of Lima. The Mass will be followed by a light reception downstairs in the hall.

WHAT HAVE YOU DONE FOR YOUR MARRIAGE TODAY?

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

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 much more!

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

Brought to you by CFM

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 (9th-12th 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.arfcu.org You may contact ARC at 814-946-0857 for more information.

Applications must be returned to ARC by May 14th, 2010 to be considered.

**DIocese OF ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN
CATHOLIC COMMITTEE ON SCOUTING**

2010 SCOUT RETREAT- "YEAR OF THE PRIEST"

All registered Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts in grades 5-12, scout leaders and chaperones are invited for a weekend of spiritual reflection, activities, Eucharistic devotion, entertainment and fun. A nice opportunity to meet scouts from other areas of the diocese. Friday, May 14 to Sunday, May 16— St. Francis University, Loretto. Cost including meals, lodging, program materials and a 2010 "Year of the Priest" patch- \$35.00 per scout/\$30.00 per adult. For more information, contact Denise Kreckel, Chair, (814) 684-2898 or email pharmcanoe@aol.com

LITURGICAL REFLECTION...

In 1992 the Church in the United States published the Collection of Masses of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This collection contains fifty Masses with corresponding prefaces in honor of the Mother of God. This Mother's Day we honor all mothers, living and dead, who model the love and holiness of the Blessed Mother. Mary, Mother of God, is the supreme model for all Christians. Her yes to God's will has shown Christians of all ages the appropriate response to follow Christ in our lives.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FUNDRAISER

Our Hoagies are bigger and better

12" Hoagie with 2 slices each of Baked Ham, Bologna, Salami, American Cheese, 1 slice of Provolone Cheese.

Wednesday, May 12 \$6.00 per Hoagie

Please order by 12 noon on Monday, May 10

Pickup at the Rectory, May 12 between 11 a.m.-1 p.m. or 4 p.m. -6 p.m. 942-0371

Don't miss the first pitch! Get your tickets NOW to attend

**FAITH DAY at the Altoona Curve!!
Saturday, June 26, 2010**

Come and join Catholics from across the diocese to celebrate our faith and enjoy a day at the ballpark! Highlights of the day include—Liturgy at 4:30 p.m. with Bishop Joseph; lively music; games and fun activities for kids; Parade of Parishes to celebrate our parish communities; Yummy CURVE food; and at 7:00 p.m. the Altoona Curve vs. Bowie Baysox game. A nonperishable food item or free-will offering for Catholic Charities will be collected. To order group or individual tickets, contact the Altoona Curve at 1-877-99-CURVE or online at www.altoonacurve.com.

The Jr. Girl Scout Troop 40531 and the Student Body of St. Rose School have teamed up to sponsor an **Items Needed Drive for the Central Pa. Humane Society**. The Drive started May 1st and will continue until May 16th. Donated items may be dropped off at the Red Dog House Donation Box in the Church foyer. The Jr. Girl Scouts will earn their Bronze Star Award Pin for this Community Service Project. Each school grade designed posters, the top 3 will be awarded a Beta Fish and their Teacher's will receive a gift card from Staples. The Posters will be on display at K-Mart, Martin's Food (1000 Logan Blvd.) and Thompson Pharmacy (Juniata).

MAY: DEVOTED TO THE BLESSED MOTHER

We will pray the Rosary before the week-end Masses except before the 8:15, during the month of May. If anyone is interested in leading the Rosary, please call Mary Engelman 943-3796.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

“OUR HEARTS ARE BURNING”

A spiritual gathering for women of our diocese is planned for Saturday, May 15, 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

CLUB PLANS YARD SALE

The Unter Uns of Altoona is planning to hold a Yard Sale on Saturday, June 5, 2010, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The club is looking for patrons to rent tables, for \$10.00 per table, to sell their own items. The event will be held outside under the pavilion. There is plenty of parking. The kitchen will be open with coffee and donuts in the morning and hot dogs and sauerkraut in the afternoon. If you are interested in renting a table, please call the club 942-9439, after 4 p.m. or Dot at 944-0258, and you will be given more details. The club is located on Van Buren Avenue and 14th St.

NEW YORK CITY WEEKEND

The Mt. Carmel Parish Social & Administration Committee is sponsoring a three day trip to New York City with Fr. Frank on Oct. 8, 9, 10. The cost is: single \$945/person, double-\$655/person; triple-\$580/person; quad-\$540 person. Trip includes transportation, Skyline Hotel-Manhattan (2 nights); 2 Broadway plays (“West Side Story” & “Memphis”), Ellis Island & Statue of Liberty, Mass at St. Patrick’s Cathedral, Little Italy, & free time for touring and shopping. For reservations please call the Parish Office (942-8501), Mon-Fri. 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

6th Sunday of Easter

“When we accept our lives as sheer gifts, the Spirit can use us as apt instruments for spreading the Gospel.”

[*Stewardship: A Disciple’s Response-10th Anniv. Ed; USCCB 2002*]

SUSAN G. KOMEN 3 DAY WALK FOR THE CURE

Michael Jones, a member of our parish, is walking in the 60 mile, 3 day Walk for the Cure in October. He has formed a team of faculty, staff, and students at Mount Aloysius College. Each member of the team must raise \$2,300 in order to complete the walk. On this Mother’s Day weekend, why not donate to Michael’s fund in honor of the moms in your life? He is training and walking over fifteen miles a week now, walking further and longer every week. All he needs is your help in raising the necessary funds. Michael will be at the rear of the church with a donation jar, pledge sheets for donating by check or online, and a poster board with information about the walk. Any size donation will be greatly appreciated. Help our Mount Aloysius team walk for the cure!

BASKETBALL CAMP

Anyone interested in basketball camp for girls (rising 2nd graders and higher) at Saint 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 p.m.

FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL

May 9

Jn 14:23-29

In today’s gospel Jesus told his disciples “If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going...” When an adult child leaves home, we are happy for their maturity but there is an emptiness in a parent’s heart. Our loss is their gain.

Evening Rosary to the Blessed Virgin Mary starts on Thursday, May 6 and every Thursday until October at Our Lady of Fatima Shrine-St. Catherine of Siena Church in Duncansville, Pa. Beginning at 6:30 p.m. rain or shine. All are welcome to attend to pray for Peace, Justice, Conversion and your personal intentions. Sponsored by the Birth of Mary Committee in preparation for Sept. 8th annual celebration of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Consider giving a gift now that will enrich the life of a young camper in the Summer of 2010!

We are looking for people, groups, parishes or organizations to sponsor a child to attend Camp Zacchaeus 2010 through the Angel Fund. We will accept full or partial sponsorships of any amount to help cover the cost of camp. If you are interested in sponsoring a child, or for more information, please contact Francine Swope at the Diocesan Youth Ministry Office (814)693-1401, or mail your contribution directly to Camp Zacchaeus Angel Fund, 933 S. Logan Boulevard, Hollidaysburg, Pa. 16648. Become an Angel Fund sponsor and help send a needy child to camp to experience a wonderful week of Faith, Fun and Friendship in the great outdoors!

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

