

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun June 25	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Tues June 27	6:10 PM	Bingo
	7:00 PM	Legion of Mary
Wed June 28	5:00-6:00 PM	Pro-Life Rosary
Thurs June 29	9:00-11:00 AM	Eucharistic Adoration
Fri June 30	6:10 PM	Bingo
Sun July 2	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	



### Monday, June 26

8:30 a.m.

†Donna Daley (*Altar & Rosary Society*)

### Tuesday, June 27 St. Cyril of Alexandria

8:30 a.m.

Members of the Altar & Rosary Society

### Wednesday, June 28 St. Irenaeus

8:30 a.m.

†Deceased of Golden & Halicky Families (*Family*)

### Thursday, June 29 Sts. Peter and Paul

8:30 a.m.

†Mike McGraw (*Pat & John Brown*)

### Friday, June 30 First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

8:30 a.m. (Con-celebrated)

†Kim Biser (*Linda Baird*)

†Mary Servella (*Don*)

### Saturday, July 1 St. Junipero Serra

4:00p.m.

†Thomas Riley (*Family*)

### Sunday, July 2 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. †Paul Engelman (*Mickie & Jim Lamont*)

10:30 a.m. †Joseph Dullinger (*Mark & Joanne Delozier & Family*)

12 Noon Mass For the People

## MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK

### Saturday, July 1, 2017

4:00 p.m.

**Altar Servers:** Madeline Kling, Elizabeth Yahner, Ellen Yahner

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Mary Masic, Karen McGraw, Ellen Rahm, Nikki Solimando, Matthew Yahner

**Readers:** Nancy Little, Joseph Maschue

### Sunday, July 2, 2017

8:00 a.m.

**Servers:** Marin Cooney, Madison Hooper, Marisa Hooper

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Rose Marie Fochler, Diane Gormley, Martin Kooman, Barbara Kooman, James Trexler

**Readers:** Paul Cooney, Helen Rhodes

10:30 a.m.

**Servers:** Nathan Murphy, Andrew Zupon, Volunteer

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomer, Andrew Irwin, Regina Murphy, Matthew Zupon, Volunteer

**Readers:** Michael Nazaruk, Volunteer

12:00 Noon

**Servers:** Kierra Miller, Caleb Trexler, Noah Trexler

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomer, Philip Bracken, Johnine Mueller

**Readers:** Patrick Condryn, Volunteer

## PASTOR'S CORNER

### 2017 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE

**GOAL: \$42,763**

Catholics throughout our Diocesan Household are participating in the Catholic Ministries Drive. Our goal is \$42,763 a 5% decrease from last year. We have received \$26,062 towards our goal. Thank you to all who have participated in the Catholic Ministries Drive. Your sacrificial gift brings the hope of Jesus Christ to all who rely on Catholic Charities, Vocations, Youth Ministry and other ministries and services.

All contributions— no matter the amount—are important in carrying out the Church's evangelizing mission. Please return your Catholic Ministries Drive pledge card as soon as possible. Please consider this need in your prayerful reflection on your gift. Thank you for your generous support.

**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING-JUNE 17-18, 2017**

Regular	\$6256.22	Christmas	\$ 63.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 31.00	Candles	\$ 10.00
Ascension	\$ 10.00	Peter's Pence	\$ 20.00
Tuition Assist.	\$ 236.78	Mission Co-Op	\$ 100.00
		Total	\$6727.00

**Deacon Jim's "A Moment with Our Lady"**

According to the French Mariologist Father René Laurentin, "apparitions remind us of both the transcendence and the familiarity of God." In this sense, it is good to have in mind the significant increase in apparitions recorded in the 20th century, especially in recent decades. Questioned on this issue in 1984 by the Italian journalist Vittorio Messori, Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger (later Pope Benedict XVI) replied: "One of the signs of our times is that the allegation of 'Marian apparitions' are multiplying all over the world." (The Ratzinger Report: An Exclusive Interview on the State of the Church, by Cardinal Ratzinger and Vittorio Messori, 1985.)

In this sense, on February 18, 1959, in a radio program broadcast from Lourdes, Pope and future saint John XXIII said: "We urge you to listen with sincerity of heart and honesty of mind to the salutary warnings of the Mother of God... The Roman pontiffs also made a point—when after mature examination they think it fit for the common good—to bring to the attention of the faithful these supernatural lights that God wills to dispense freely to certain privileged souls, so as not to propose new doctrines, but to guide our conduct."

**Stewardship Reflections  
12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

How does the Lord rescue the lives of the poor today? Through your abundant sharing of gifts He has placed in your care.

**OFFERTORY PRESENTERS**

July 1	4:00 p.m.	
July 2	8:00 a.m.	
	10:30 a.m.	
	Noon	Volunteers

**CANDLES:** Fritz & Mary Werkmeister & Toby & Joyce Kjarsgaard, Loving Birthday Remembrance -Philomena R. Jones by Janet & Ron Brown.

**MAY HE REST IN PEACE**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Harry McConnell who we honored with Christian Burial during the past week. May God give comfort to his family.

**St. Rose of Lima VBS—Hero Central  
August 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>; 9:00 AM—12:30 PM in the  
Maria Parish Center**

To register please use our website: <http://cokesburyvbs.com/AltoonaStRoseVBS2017> or see our Facebook page for updates and to register: <https://www.facebook.com/STROSEVBS2017>

**"WALK OF FAITH"**

You may still purchase a personalized brick to put into the "Walk of Faith." Bricks are \$50.00. Order forms are in the gathering area of the church. Take a look at the walkways and see hundreds of names and add yours to the walkway.

**CENSUS FORMS**

There are families who have not returned their census form, we ask you to do it as soon as possible.

**ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIAL**

If you would like to have flowers put on the altar for the weekend offered in memory or in honor of someone, please call the Rectory 944-8509.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS  
FAITH DAY 2017 AT DELGROSSO  
AMUSEMENT PARK  
SUNDAY, JULY 2, 2017**

Featuring Liturgy with Bishop Mark Bartchak, games, rides, expansive pool and waterpark, and of course, delicious DelGrosso's food.

**OURDOOR MASSES**

Father John D. Byrnes, Rector, and the Parish Family of St. Michael the Archangel Basilica, Loretto, invite the faithful to join us each Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. for the outdoor Sunday Mass at the beautiful Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. Mass will be held every Sunday evening from now until Labor Day Weekend, September 3, 2017. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be held in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

**FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL**

**June 25**

**Mt. 10:26-33**

Jesus says, "Do not be afraid" three times in today's gospel and reminds us "all concealed secrets will be revealed." Do not be afraid to acknowledge problems in your family. If they remain "hidden in darkness" they will destroy the body and soul." Healing, understanding and hope are found only "in the light" openness. "Do not be afraid."

**NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING**

*Does your method of family planning...strengthen your emotional intimacy with your spouse?...work with (not against) the gift of your fertility?...nurture a loving relationship with God and the Church?... Increase your self-respect and growth as a person/couple? If you haven't checked out NFP, you haven't made an informed choice. Certified diocesan instructors are located throughout our diocese. Introductory presentations to groups also available. Contact our diocesan Family Life Office, 814-886-5551; familylife@dioceseaj.org.*

**LITURGICAL REFLECTION...**

When celebrating Matrimony within Mass or without Mass, the Introductory Rites direct that the priest or deacon informally address both the bride and groom, warmly greeting them and telling them that the Church shares their joy on their wedding day. This greeting is informal, personal, and welcoming. Microphones are not on for this ritual act. The bride and groom are acknowledged and affirmed by the Church. They are about to celebrate a great sacrament. Jesus Christ is the bridegroom, as this man assumes to be the groom to his bride; and the Church is the bride, as this woman assumes the role of bride to her husband

**BASKETBALL CAMP**

St. Francis University is offering the Red Flash Basketball Camp from June 26-30 for boys' ages 5-17. Red Flash Basketball Camp creates an environment that is competitive, challenging and fun to help develop the skills of each player. Campers will be grouped according to age and ability, so whether you are a beginner or an experienced varsity player, the Red Flash Basketball Camp has a place for you! For more information contact Luke McConnell by emailing lukemcconnell@francis.edu or calling 814-471-1114.

**Daytime Class Offered**

Sacred Scripture Revisited and Synoptic Gospels is a theological examination of the biblical record of God's saving interaction with His people through His Word, Jesus. It is a general introduction to the Scriptures through an analysis of their forms and content. Deacon Michael Russo will be teaching this class at St. Patrick Catholic Church, 625 Park Ave. Johnstown from **9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. July 5, 6, 11, 13, 25 and 27.** The cost of this course is \$35 and can be taken for continuing education credit. For registration information please contact Marybeth at 814-361-2000 or email mheinze@dioceseaj.org. All are welcome

**St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Route 53, Frugality, Pa. (near Prince Gallitzin State Park and Glendale Lake)** will be holding their Festival, Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

We are featuring a Turkey and Noodle Dinner with all the trimmings. Dinner served Family Style from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Adults \$10.00, Children 5 to 12 \$5.00 under 5 free. Takeouts available. Music entertainment: D.J. Bob Taylor from 11:30 a.m. till? Basket Auction at 5:00 p.m. Games, Bingo, Bake Sale, Refreshments and lots more.

### **Outdoor Mass honoring Married Couples with Bishop Mark**

The Altoona-Johnstown Diocesan Family is invited to participate and to pray for those living the Sacrament of Marriage at an Outdoor Mass honoring Married Couples on Sunday evening July 23 at 7:00 p.m. at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. Bring a lawn chair. Indoors if rain. Bishop Mark is the celebrant and homilist. This is a wonderful way to celebrate, encourage and support married couples!

### **Office of Adult Enrichment**

Do you have a desire to serve the Church and its mission? A zeal to live a Christian life and the willingness to live and teach as the magisterium teaches? As lay men and women we respond to His call as Believer, as the Lay Faithful and through Lay Ecclesial Ministry. The Office of Adult Enrichment and Lay Ecclesial Ministry has announced classes for 2017-2018 which begin this fall. For call information and registrations forms please visit [www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry](http://www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry) or contact us directly at (814) 361-2000 or by email at [mheinze@dioceseaj.org](mailto:mheinze@dioceseaj.org). All are welcome

### **Help Find a Cure for Type 1 Diabetes**

**Come out to Texas Roadhouse on Thursday, June 29, 2017, from 3:00-10:00 p.m. and show this ad and Blair Type 1 Diabetes Foundation will receive 20% of your total food sales to donate to cure-based research for type 1 diabetes. We will also be selling baked goods, awareness bracelets and T-shirts. Questions? Call or text Susan Pohl (814) 935-7169. Thank you for helping us #TAKE1DOWN!!**

### **HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL NEWS**

**Holy Trinity Catholic Golf Tournament** is scheduled for Saturday, August 12 at King Valley Golf Course. If you are interested in putting a 4 member team in or would like to be a hole sponsor please call the school office for more information (814-942-7835). Or visit the school website for golf outing forms.  
[www.holytrinitycatholic.school](http://www.holytrinitycatholic.school)

**The Football Extravaganza** is under way! Ticket orders are being accepted at the Holy Trinity Catholic Middle School office. Orders placed throughout the week can be picked up the following week. Tickets are \$20.00.

The fundraiser is based on the NFL regular season games. Each ticket will receive 17 unique combinations of three NFL teams for each week of the regular season. Each NFL week begins on Thursday and ends on Monday. Every week you will add up the final score of the team in your combination for that week. The tickets with the highest total score wins the grand prize for the week. Four positions will be paid each week. Winners will be notified weekly. Stop by the Holy Trinity Catholic Middle School for tickets today.

### **Pre-K-3 and 4 REGISTRATION FOR 2017-2018 It all starts here in the Early Childhood! The Stronger the Start. The Better the Finish.**

Our **Pre-K** program is designed to meet the developmental needs of the whole child, promoting spiritual, emotional, social, physical and emotional growth. With a hands on approach to learning, the child learns how to learn. Teamwork and accepting others is nurtured through cooperative activities. Children learn to respect themselves and one another. Pre-K 3 and 4 is a full day five days a week program. Please call the Holy Trinity Catholic Elementary Campus school offices for more information. Altoona-814-381-7011 or Hollidaysburg-814-695-6112.