

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun Sept 2	Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon Sept 3	9:00 AM Labor Day Mass
Tues Sept 4	6:10 PM Bingo
	7:00 PM Legion of Mary
Wed Sept 5	5:00-6:00 PM Pro-Life Rosary
Thurs Sept 6	9:00-11:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration
Fri Sept 7	6:10 PM Bingo
Sun Sept 9	Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
	9:15-10:15 Religious Ed. Gr. K-9
	11:00 AM MASS AT HIGHLAND PARK & PARISH PICNIC
	6:30-8:00 PM Religious Ed. Gr. 10 & 11



### Monday, Sept 3 St. Gregory the Great

9:00 a.m.

†Victoria Lego (*Mary Lego*)

### Tuesday, Sept. 4

8:30 a.m.

†Catherine Hardin (*Connie Montler*)

### Wednesday, Sept. 5

8:30 a.m.

†Madelyn Garlena (*M/M Nick Rodriguez*)

### Thursday, Sept. 6

8:30 a.m.

†Randy DeGol (*Family*)

### Friday, Sept. 7

8:30 a.m.

†Deborah Dillon (*Ray & Sue Askey*)

### Saturday, Sept. 8 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

4:00p.m.

†David & Patricia Shellenberger (*Family*)

### Sunday, Sept. 9 Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. †Paul Engelman (*Fromknecht Family*)

11:00 a.m. †Lou Bettwy (*Wife & Family*)

**MASS AT HIGHLAND PARK AND  
PARISH PICNIC**

## MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK

**Monday, September 3, 2018 Labor Day Mass**

9:00 a.m.

**Servers:** Volunteers

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomer, James Shoenfelt

**Readers:** Volunteers

**Saturday, September 8, 2018**

4:00 p.m.

**Altar Servers:** Damon Misiura, Braden Reilly, Patrick Reilly

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomer, Allison Boslet,

Volunteers

**Readers:** Joseph Maschue, Elizabeth Tully

**Sunday, September 9, 2018**

8:00 a.m.

**Servers:** Madeline Kling, Aleksandra Knott, Delilah Noel

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomer, Kathleen Gburek,

Mary Lou Horton, Cindy Sharbaugh, Linda Zakrzwski

**Readers:** Linda Wolf, Charles Wolf

**11:00 a.m. MASS AT HIGHLAND PARK**

**Servers:** Volunteers

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Volunteers

**Readers:** Volunteers

## PASTOR'S CORNER

As we celebrate Labor Day this Monday, maybe we should ask ourselves how we see our work.

At times it can certainly seem a bit burdensome, maybe a bit too demanding, and maybe even a little tedious. For many, it is at the top of the list of things to complain about. We might complain about the hours, our co-workers, our boss, our pay or our benefits. But this week, perhaps we should recall that work is truly a blessing. Just ask the many people today struggling to find work; the disabled, the unemployed, the recently graduated. Is it that way for us? Work offers us an opportunity to put our God-given talents to good use, to provide for one's self and one's family, to contribute to the betterment of society, and participation in God's ongoing work of creation.

This Monday let us take a minute to thank God for the work we have and offer a prayer for those still searching.

## PARISH PICNIC MASS SCHEDULE

September 9<sup>th</sup> as part of the Parish Picnic, Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. at Highland Park.

The 10:30 a.m. and Noon Masses will not be celebrated that day. The 4:00 p.m. Saturday and 8:00 a.m. Sunday will be celebrated as usual.

**TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING-AUG. 25-26, 2018

Regular	\$6359.00	Christmas	\$ 17.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 5.00	Candles	\$ 20.00
Assumption	\$ 14.00	Rose	\$ 300.00
Candles	\$ 20.00	CCD	\$ 7.00
		Total	\$6722.00

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

One day I happened upon a very intriguing Rosary among some of the collectors' websites. It was tough. It was strong. It had a kind of gravitas to it. This was truly a man's Rosary. As I read the description it turned out I was looking at an original World War I military Rosary. It was commissioned and procured by, believe it or not, the U.S. government and issued by the military, upon request, to soldiers serving in World War I. Some of these Rosaries were also seen in WWII. All these Rosaries were made around 1916.

Of course, the powerful Miraculous Medal was a must for the center medal, but I couldn't forget about the very powerful "devil-chasing" Saint Benedict Medal. One of my favorite features of this powerful medal against evil is the inscription on the back "Vade retro satana" ("Step back, Satan"). So I decided these Rosaries would have a Saint Benedict Medal dangling from the center medal. Also, I decided to offer add-on medals for every branch of the military for soldiers and vets (police and fire medals are offered too).

For the crucifix, the Pardon Crucifix was a must. It is the only crucifix I know that gives indulgences for carrying it or kissing it. These indulgences were declared upon the Pardon Crucifix by Pope Saint Pius X in 1905 and were approved in the pardon of the living and the souls in Purgatory in 1907. These medals and crucifix make this Church Militant Combat Rosary a powerful spiritual assault weapon against evil forces attempting to separate us from the love of God and His will for our lives.

Father Richard Heilman  
Priest of the Diocese of Madison, Wisconsin

**OFFERTORY PRESENTERS**

Sept. 8	4:00 p.m.	Volunteers
Sept. 9	8:00 a.m.	Mary Engelman
	11:00 a.m.	Dennis, Carole & Devon Housum

**CANDLES:** Cheryl Sedon by Joan & Linda Turcovski, Special Intention by Jeanne Traficante, Special Intention for Donna Aurandt by Linda L. Zakrzwski.

**MAY SHE REST IN PEACE**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Louise Conrad whom we honored with Christian Burial during the past week. May God give comfort to her family

**CCD REGISTRATION**

**Next Sunday, September 9 CCD classes start for grades K-11.**

**For Grades K thru 9 9:15-10:15 a.m.**

**For Grades 10 & 11 6:30-8:00 .m.**

Registration forms may be picked up in the foyer of the Church or at the Rectory. \$10.00 per child or \$20.00 for family. **You must register your child every year.**

**SUPPER CLUB**

The Supper Club will meet at The Dream Restaurant on September 9 at **12:00 NOON.** Call Mary for reservations 946-3449.

**CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA**

Next weekend, September 8-9 we will take up the National Collection the Catholic University of America. The Catholic University of America is the national university of the Catholic Church in the United States, located in Washington, D.C. It provides an academically rigorous education guided by Catholic intellectual tradition to nearly 7,000 students every year. More than 4,000 students directly receive scholarships aid from this Collection, including many from our diocese. Please use the envelope that is in your pack of envelopes.

### LITURGICAL REFLECTION...

Monday, September 3, is a Day of Prayer in the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown. On Labor Day the Local Church will observe the intention for **Human Rights and Equality**. Please pray the following for all who seek just and rewarding work.

God of compassion and love,  
guardian of the oppressed and  
lover of the poor, watch over and  
protect our brothers and sisters who  
seek work that meets the needs of  
their families. Provide labor that offers  
just wages and dignity of life so that all  
may live comfortably and in peace.  
On this Labor Day we ask your  
blessings through Christ of Lord. Amen.

### ARISE Together in Christ

The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown has announced plans for pastoral and spiritual renewal through the program **ARISE Together in Christ** by RENEW International. The program will officially launch in fall 2018 with 'Sign-up Sundays' on September 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> here at Saint Rose of Lima. Saint Rose of Lima will have 4 parishioners along with Fr. Brian who will be leading this program. An \$11.00 fee covers the cost of the book.

### BENEFITS OF ARISE

- Enables parishioners to develop a closer relationship with Christ.
- Deepens faith through prayer and sharing in small communities.
- Encourages putting faith into action in daily life.
- Foster spiritual renewal and bonds of friendship in the parish.
- Offers specific approaches and resources for inviting parishioners.
- Emphasizes outreach to youth and young adults.

### The Friar's Nook Gift Shop IS OPEN

The Friar's Nook Gift Shop located at 793 Monastery Road, Hollidaysburg is not closing and we are getting all stocked up for Christmas! Please stop in to see our large selection of sacraments gifts, jewelry, home décor and much more! Our shop hours are Monday-Saturday: 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. and please feel free to call with any questions at 814-695-3802.

### ST. ROSE PARISH PICNIC NEEDS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY!!! SEPTEMBER 9, 2018 11:00 A.M. MASS HIGHLAND PARK—PAVILION #2

Our parish picnic will start with an 11:00 a.m. Mass next Sunday, September 9, at Highland Park. The picnic will follow. We will have fried chicken, hotdogs and beverages furnished by the parish as well as plates, napkins and plastic-ware. We are asking those attending to bring a covered dish to share with others. The sign-up sheet is located on the table in the foyer of the church. We will have a bounce house, snow-cone and popcorn machine for the kids to enjoy. We will also have a face painter for the kids. Good food and fellowship is promised to all who attend. If you can help set up or clean up your time is much appreciated. Hope to see you at our Parish Picnic.

Carole Housum-picnic coordinator

### TRAVEL WITH FR. BRIAN SAYLOR

**WHERE:** Budapest, Prague, Wroclaw, Warsaw, Vienna, Czestochowa

**TRIP DATES:** June 01-14, 2019

**COST:** \$4,600.00 Airfare and ALL-Included.

To register, please contact (855) 842-8001 or (508) 340-9370. You can also register online at [www.proximotravel.com](http://www.proximotravel.com) (search "Brian").

### TRIP INCLUDES:

- Air Fare, taxes, security fees & fuel surcharges from USA to Rome.
- All gratuities, sightseeing & admission fees.
- Daily Mass available
- 4 or 5 star Hotels in Downtown Areas.
- All Breakfasts and all Dinners. Wine is also included at all dinners.

### TRIP DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Lunches
- Travel Insurance

For more information, you can visit [www.proximotravel.com](http://www.proximotravel.com)

### NOCTURNAL ADORATION

The monthly Vigil of Prayer scheduled by the Nocturnal Adoration Society for September 7, 2018 will be held at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, One Cathedral Square from, 8:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m.

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS NEWS**

**Catholic Daughters-Altoona Court– Retreat**

Date/Time: Saturday, October 6, 2018

8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Location: St. Bernadine's Monastery,  
788 Monastery Road, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

To register visit: [cdapa.com/2625/contact/](http://cdapa.com/2625/contact/) or  
contact the rectory office.

**Catholic Daughters-Boscov's Friends Helping Friends!**

We are selling Boscov's Friends Helping Friends shopping passes now until the day of the sale, October 16, 2018. They are \$5.00 each and our Court keeps 100% of the proceeds. To obtain a shopping pass visit: [cdapa.com/2625/contact/](http://cdapa.com/2625/contact/) or contact the rectory office.

**Catholic Daughters– Adult Coats for Catholic Charities!**

We are collection clean **adult** coats for Catholic Charities. We will replace lost/fix loose buttons, but not zippers.

To make arrangements for pick up/drop off visit:  
[cdapa.com/2625/contact/](http://cdapa.com/2625/contact/) or contact the rectory office.

*Celebration for the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Restoration of the Permanent Diaconate*

Bishop Mark Bartchak and Deacon Michael Russo, Director of the Permanent Diaconate, cordially invite all parishioners of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown to attend a special Liturgy celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Restoration of the Permanent Diaconate on Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 p.m. to be held at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona. All are welcome.

**MUSIC NOTES**

**THE ST ROSE OF LIMA ADULT CHOIRS** will begin rehearsals for the 2017-2018 liturgical season on Wednesday, September 5, 2018 in the choir loft.

The first rehearsal will be a combined choir rehearsal beginning at 7:30 p.m. We will be singing for the picnic Mass on September 9, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. at Highland Park. **NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.**

**Please contact Bryce or Sue Cossitor for more information.**

**“THE MASS”**

Bishop Robert Barron's new DVD Series on “THE MASS,” will be presented by Sr. Theresa Nelen, CCW, at Holy Rosary Church on September 11, 18, and 25 from 6:30-8:00 p.m. The Mass is the greatest encounter you can ever have with God. Please come and bring a friend.

**St. Rose of Lima's St. Vincent de Paul Conference Weekly Reflection for September 2-Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time:**

The gospel today hits home closer than we may think. What traditions do we blindly cling to? Perhaps it is enough for us to go to Mass on Sunday? Do we keep the letter of the law and miss entirely the spirit of the law. Interior righteousness means a heart turned to God. Purity of heart is expressed in righteous living: self-giving for the sake of others.

**As you give your gift to the poor through the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, in your heart you also will find the good news of God's love.**

**Special Request—our food pantry for the poor is in dire need of canned goods. Please contribute what you can in September. Thank you.**

**K of C COLUMBUS DAY CELEBRATION**

Once again, it is time to hold our special celebration for Columbus Day in conjunction with a time of prayer. It will be held at St. Michael the Archangel Basilica in Loretto, on October 7, 2018. Rosary at 1:45 p.m. and Bishop Bartchak will celebrate Mass at 2:00 p.m. Dinner following Mass in the Community Hall. Knights along with family members, friends and all parishioners are invited. Cost of dinner is \$15.00 for adults and \$7.50 for children 12 years and younger.

Reservations must be made in advance! No money transactions will be made at the door the evening of the banquet Submit your name along with a check to:

**William Stasko, CPA,**

**8 Entrance Dr. Johnstown, Pa. 15905.**

**In order to prepare name tags in advance, names should be submitted singly rather than as Mr. & Mrs.**

**Deadline for Reservations is September 29, 2018**