

St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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Mary Jane Jurofcik *High School Ministry*

Sunday Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. (Vigil)
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Holy Day Mass Schedule: Refer to bulletin

Weekday Mass Schedule: Monday - Saturday 8:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Daily: 9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism is celebrated any
Sunday at 12:15 p.m. Parents are required to
attend a Preparation Class prior to the Baptism.

Sick Calls: Notify the Rectory for hospital visits
or Communion to the sick or shut-ins.

Bulletin deadline: Monday at Noon

Child Abuse Line: 1-888-808-1235

A Family Perspective - The bridesmaids in today's gospel were considered 'foolish' because they let their lamps go out. Don't be foolish. Pay attention to the small acts necessary to keep the flame alive in all your relationships.

Turkey Bingo today at 1:00 p.m. in Finley Hall. Admission \$3.00 Door prizes, special games, and Thanksgiving Dinner raffle. This is NOT a paper bingo, bring your Bingo Chips. Come spend an afternoon with us and you might win a turkey for your big dinner.

Thanksgiving Food Drive closes today. Place your non-perishable gifts in Finley Hall kitchen room. If you're late and forget yours, Finley Hall will be open until 5:00 p.m. If later, bring it to the Parish House KITCHEN DOOR. Walk in, it will be open.

Christian Mothers & Ladies Guild meet this Thursday November 13th at 7:00 p.m. in Finley Hall. Program for the evening will be presented by Len Marraccini. He will tell us about the History of Finleyville. Service Project: Interfaith Children's Gift (unwrapped). Refreshment Committee: Chairperson - Joanna Morgan, Beverly Hamilton, Mary Morrow, Carol Schneider, Dorothy Schwerha.

Tickets for the Thanksgiving Lottery are available. Stop at the ticket table and get your tickets early. Only 1,000 tickets will be sold. Donation: \$10.00.

Can't win if you don't play!

\$500 Sunday, November 23, 2014 (1 & 7 p.m.)
 \$500 Monday, November 24, 2014 (1 & 7 p.m.)
 \$500 Tuesday, November 25, 2014 (1 & 7 p.m.)
 \$500 Wednesday, November 26, 2014 (1 & 7 p.m.)
 \$500 Thursday, November 27, 2014 (1 & 7 p.m.)
 \$500 Friday, November 28, 2014 (1 & 7 p.m.)
 Winning tickets based on the 1st Official Midday (1:00 p.m.) and Daily Number (7:00 p.m.) drawn on the above dates. No Bonus draws. Two chances to win per day. Benefit: St. Francis of Assisi Parish.

Thank you to everyone who donated their leftover Halloween candy for our college students. We shipped 24 boxes to the students with a note from our parish.

High School Ministry will meet next Sunday November 16 at 6 pm in Finley Hall. Dinner will be served. We will be preparing a meal for the families at Ronald McDonald House. Then on November 17 we will meet at 3:15 at Finley Hall to drive to Ronald McDonald House to reheat and serve the meal to the families. There is limited seating for Monday. Permission slips are needed to go. Call Mary Jane to reserve your seat. (724-344-2444)

Pictorial Album this year. We'd like to get everyone's picture in our book, it makes for a closer parish family. No cost to the Church, no sitting fee for your family. You will receive an 8"x10" color portrait and a copy of the photo album for your effort. You'll have an opportunity to buy additional copies, all in one trip to the church. Sign up today, November 8/9 and for two more weekends following. It won't be complete without your picture in it. Photographing dates are:

December 1 - 5, 2 pm - 9pm

December 6 & 7, 9 am - 4 pm

December 9 & 10, 2 pm - 9 pm

December 26, 2 pm - 9 pm

December 27 & 28, 9 am - 4 pm

December 29 & 30, 2 pm - 9 pm

***Volunteers are needed** to help sign families in for their portraits. If you have 2 hours to spare on December 1-7, December 9 & 10, December 26-30. There will be a need of 3 volunteers a day for each of these days! If you can help out please call Kathy Pitzer 724-348-5361 to schedule you in. Thank you so much for helping.

Bingo - Join us Tuesday for Bingo in Finley Hall. The Jack-pot will remain at \$1,175.00 in 55 numbers until it is won. The 1st Magic Number will be \$250.00 and the 2nd Magic Number will be \$77.00 plus this week's take. 'All Nighter' game will be \$274.00 plus this week's take. Early Birds begin at 7:15, regular games begin at 7:30 p.m.

Marriage Moments - What does your spouse do that makes you laugh? Often it's the silly idiosyncrasies or foibles that can be special precious moments between you.

Parenting Pointers - As the season changes, so do people. Children grow. People die. We drop old habits and learn new ones. Discuss in your family one bad habit each of you would like to get rid of.

Catholic Plays will be held at St. Paul Seminary Crafton "To Heaven Through the Window," story of St. Gerard Magella followed by "A Light Unto the World," a story of St. Clare of Assisi. Performances will be held in O'Connor Hall at the Seminary, 2900 Noblestown Rd, Pittsburgh 15205 on Friday, November 21st at 7 p.m. and on Saturday November 22nd at 2:00 p.m. Admission \$5, and \$2 for Seniors. SGR Theatre Group are the performers.

Madonna Catholic Region School has a fundraiser. A 2015 lottery calendar ticket with a 3 digit number from PA Lottery 7:00 p.m. Drawing. \$25 a ticket. Call 724-258-3199, they'll send you a ticket with a return slip to send back with your \$25.00. 365 chances to win.

Ministry Schedule – November 15/16

6:00 p.m. Saturday

Ministers: Thropp, Checque, Hoover, Stanchak,
Kovscek, Brucker, Foster
Lector: K. Jasko
Servers: E. MacKenzie, T. & T. Smida

8:00 a.m. Sunday

Ministers: Dishong, J. Funtal, Barner, Parish,
Durost, Schirra, Jurofcik
Lector: E. Garry
Servers: R. Funtal, E. & C. Rega

11:00 a.m. Sunday

Ministers: Trovato, C. Wardle, Mansmann,
Bublak, Broglie, A. & S. Parker
Lector: V. Lombardi
Servers: Z. Bublak, A. Parker, V. Lombardi

An Epic Film on the life of St. Augustine at Mon Valley YMCA on Wednesday, November 12th at noon (approximately 2 3/4 hours, no cost, popcorn and drinks. Must reserve a seat, call 724-483-8077.

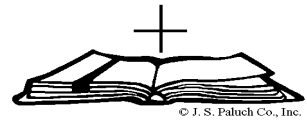
Faustina: Messenger of Divine Mercy, the moving, live production performed by actress Maria Vargo and directed by Leonardo Defilippis of St. Luke Productions, will be presented at Serra Catholic High School Gymnasium in McKeesport on Monday, November 24 at 7:00 p.m. Experience firsthand the life and message of Saint Faustina whose personal encounters with Jesus have inspired a world-wide devotion to Christ’s Divine Mercy. This drama also brings audiences a riveting modern story that make Divine Mercy remarkably relevant and urgent for our world today. The program is filled with all the elements of professional theater, runs 90 minutes, and is suitable for ages 13 and up. Admission is a suggested \$8.00. For information call 412-751-2020.

Healing Mass Fraternity of Priests on Wednesday November 12th, 7:00 p.m. at Holy Family Church in Latrobe, PA, 1200 Ligonier St., 15650 - 724-539-9751.

Christmas Seals will be distributed after all Masses next weekend November 15/16 by the Knights of Columbus. They benefit the McGuire Home and St. Anthony Home for Exceptional Children. Please use the postage paid envelope in the seals to send in your donation. Please be generous. Thank you.

Financial Overview	
Needed/week.....	\$9,355.71
Last week.....	\$10,609.82
Deficit/Surplus.....	\$1,254.11

Mass Intentions



Today, November 9, The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica *Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22*

6:00 p.m. (Sat.) Ray Spencer - Son, Raymond Spencer
8:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish
11:00 a.m. Eileen & Linda Beardmore - Mom, Keith & Family

Monday, November 10, St. Leo the Great

Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6
8:30 a.m. Beatrice Donovan - Darlene Fetchko

Tuesday, November 11, St. Martin of Tours

Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29; Lk 17:7-10
8:30 a.m. Carl Funtal - Funtal Family

Wednesday, November 12, St. Josaphat

Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23:1b-6; Lk 17:11-19
8:30 a.m. Loretta Killeen - George Armes

Thursday, November 13, St. Frances Xavier

Phlm 7-20; Ps 146:7-10; Lk 17:20-25
8:30 a.m. Wedding Anniversary of Carol & Jack Schneider - Marilyn Kansler

Friday, November 14, Weekday Mass

2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18; Lk 17:26-37
8:30 a.m. Neil Amann - The Henry Family

Saturday, November 15, Weekday Mass

3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-6; Lk 18:1-8
8:30 a.m. Ruth Rehonic - Rosemary Rehonic Trump & Family

Confessions after 8:30 a.m. Mass daily

Sunday, November 16, Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time *Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; Ps 128:1-5; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 [14-15, 19-21]*

6:00 p.m. (Sat.) Edward Poisel - Wife, Kathy & Family
8:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish
11:00 a.m. Ethel Huckestein - Lori & Kevin Kenavey

Home With Christ - Please pray for the soul of *Mary Costello* of our Parish. *May she rest in peace.*

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week *“In Memory of James W. Donovan”* requested by Daughter, Janet Donovan.

TO THE GLORY OF GOD

The Flowers on our Altar today are presented



“In Loving Memory of Frank & Helen Ennis”

requested by Daughter, Pattie Ennis.



“In Memory of James & Beatrice Donovan” requested by Daughter, Janet Donovan.