



## St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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**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** - Children learn by watching us. Do they see you helping others like the Good Samaritan, or do they see you avoiding others like the Levite in today's gospel. Worry more about what your children see in YOUR LIFE than what they see on TV.

**Land of Peace** - Today, a representative will have items made in the Holy Land to benefit building a Charitable Hospital in Bethlehem, and help needy families in the Holy Land. Crucifixes, rosaries, religious art works, all made of olive wood native to Israel and Bethlehem.

**St. Francis Parish** planning night on Monday, July 25th at 6:30 p.m. in Finley Hall. All organizations must meet prior to the meeting to schedule your dates for the coming year. All will be recorded in the Parish Planning Book in order to assure your date.

**Bingo** - Congratulations to the winner of the "All Nighter" game. Join us Tuesday for Bingo in Finley Hall. The Jack-pot will be \$750.00 in 55 numbers. The 1st Magic Number will be \$250.00, and the 2nd Magic Number will be \$66.00 plus this week's take. A new 'All Nighter' game will be started. Early Bird Games begin at 7:15 p.m. Regular Games at 7:30.

**Help needed** at Tuesday Night Bingo. We need workers. Your time and talent given to your parish. Just show up and tell them you are here to help. Pick your time, doesn't have to be every week. We'll show you what to do. Please come.

**Marriage Moments** - "Be your partner's cheerleader, not his/her teacher, supervisor or critic. This creates a partnership rather than a hierarchy."

**Parenting Pointers** - "...love your neighbor as yourself" (Luke 10:27). It's a familiar verse; perhaps so familiar we take it for granted. How do I love myself? (Do I take care of my health, my mind?...) Help your children identify their strengths today. Not just general strengths. Be specific. Later you can go on to apply this to your neighbors.

**PARISH PICNIC**  
**SUNDAY, AUGUST 21st**  
**Fun for all! Bring the whole family!**

### **PARISH PICNIC**

**Sunday, August 21st - 1:00 - Dark**

The Sign - up posters to volunteer to work for the Parish Picnic will be available before and after masses beginning next weekend July 16/17. There are many game stands, (some new and some old favorites) refreshment stands and many time slots to be filled. Please think about the time you will be available to help and make sure you get the time slot you want. **We need you!**

**Tickets for the \$6,000 In Prizes** are available before and after all masses. Stop at the Ticket Table to get yours. Only 1,000 tickets will be sold. Be sure to get your tickets early.

Donation: \$10.00.

\$500 Sunday, August 21, 2016 (Midday & 7 p.m.)

\$500 Monday, August 22, 2016 (Midday & 7 p.m.)

\$500 Tuesday, August 23, 2016 (Midday & 7 p.m.)

\$500 Wednesday, August 24, 2016 (Midday & 7 p.m.)

\$500 Thursday, August 25, 2016 (Midday & 7 p.m.)

\$500 Friday, August 26, 2016 (Midday & 7 p.m.)

Winning tickets based on the 1st official Midday and 7 p.m. PA Lottery Pick 3 number drawn on the above dates. Two chances to win each day. No bonus draw.

**Country Store** – Featured items at the Country Store will be new or nearly new items, small handmade items, plants, produce, books, parcel post packages (marked "man", "woman", "child"). Start saving your items now and bring them to Finley Hall beginning August 15th, 6:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**Basket of Cheer** – We are in the process of putting together a **Basket of Cheer** for a raffle at the Picnic. If you have anything you would like to donate, Cheer, Snacks, Bar items, etc., it would be greatly appreciated. Please bring the items to the Parish Office.

**Theme Baskets** will be made up for the picnic to raffle. Please drop off items that can be used to fill the baskets by August 7th so that the baskets can be put together. If you would like to put together a complete basket and put a theme name on it, that would be great. Bring complete baskets by August 14th to the room next to the kitchen. Use your imagination! Please be sure to have the craft items to the Parish Office by August 14th.

**Booth Sponsors for the Parish Picnic** – Each year businesses in the local area donate \$25.00 to sponsor a booth at the Picnic. The name of the Company is clearly posted in one of the booths during the Picnic. To sponsor a booth this year call 724-348-7145.

**Ministry Schedule – July 16/17**

**6:00 p.m. Saturday**

Ministers: Bruker, Hoover, Thropp, Checque,  
Kovscek, Weisdack, Defuliis  
Lector: S. McCormick  
Servers: E. MacKenzie, K. Brant

**8:00 a.m. Sunday**

Ministers: Gallo, Barner, Parish, Fox, Combes,  
Schirra, Jaki  
Lector: L. Obringer  
Servers: J. & I. Gallo, A. Kolano

**11:00 a.m. Sunday**

Ministers: Folz, Hamilton, Pitzer, S. & A. Parker,  
Bublak, Greco  
Lector: J. Valecko  
Servers: K. & K. Gindele, A. Parker

**Go and Do Likewise**

Miss Collins, the dean of students at Olympic High School, was past the point of scolding Matt, though she liked him very much. “Four detentions in two weeks are too many.”

Still Matt wouldn’t tell. It was only after Miss Collins went on a morning neighborhood patrol that she found out the real reason for Matt’s tardiness. Thump, thump, thump, came the wheelchair down the stairs. It was Matt, steadying Shawnetta as he helped lower her down the stairs and then push her to the corner bus stop.

“She’s a girl in my parish youth group,” Matt explained to Miss Collins.

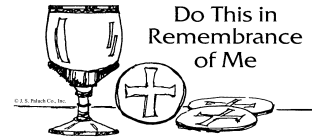
There are many ways to describe Matt’s actions—a random act of kindness, making a difference one person at a time. Jesus would understand. When the lawyer correctly identified the good Samaritan as the one who had treated the injured man with compassion, Jesus said simply, “Go and do likewise” (Luke 10:37).

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**Annual Summerfest at St. Damien Parish** in Monongahela Friday to Sunday, July 15-17th. Friday, July 15th, 5 - 11 p.m. Saturday 16th, 5-11 p.m.; Sunday 17th, 12 noon - 6 p.m. Kitchen each day, 5 - 10:30 (Sunday noon - 5:30) Bingo, Bake Sale, Chinese Auction, small games of chance, cash raffle. Location is 1st & Main St., across from Sheetz behind Dierkens Pharmacy. Free parking. Live entertainment. All are welcome.

**Financial Overview**

Needed/week.....	\$8,266.74
Last week.....	\$6,753.55
Deficit/Surplus.....	(\$1,513,19)



**Today, July 10, Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37; or Ps 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37*

6:00 p.m. (Sat.) For the People of the Parish  
8:00 a.m. Ruth Carpeta - Mary C. Parish  
11:00 a.m. 80th Birthday of Peter Mansmann - Family

**Monday, July 11, St. Benedict**

*Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 10:34 — 11:1*

8:30 a.m. Sean Lehane - Kate Amann

**Tuesday, July 12, Weekday Mass**

*Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24*

8:30 a.m. Joseph Balzer - M/M Allen Braithwaith

**Wednesday, July 13, Weekday Mass**

*Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27*

8:30 a.m. Mary Ann Satter - Irene Holmes

**Thursday, July 14, St. Kateri Tekakwitha**

*Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab, 15-21; Mt 11:28-30*

8:30 a.m. Josephine Towers - Frank & Bernice Ali

**Friday, July 15, St. Bonaventure**

*Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10-12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8*

8:30 a.m. Ruth Brennfleck - Mary Stein

**Saturday, July 16, Weekday Mass**

*Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21*

8:30 a.m. Lauren Krofcheck - Vic Satter

**Confessions after 8:30 a.m. Mass daily**

**Sunday, July 17, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Gen 18:1-10a; Ps 15:2-5; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42*

6:00 p.m. (Sat.) For the People of the Parish

8:00 a.m. Ed Banahasky - Wife, Anna

11:00 a.m. Kenny Laughlin - Family

**Home With Christ** - Please pray for the souls of *Mary C. Parish, and for Willa Mae (Widgie) Zukauckas*, both of our Parish. *May they rest in peace.*

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week **“In Memory of Martin, Mary, Thomas & Sr. Peggy Flaherty”** requested by Dorothy Flaherty Weldon.

**“TO THE GLORY OF GOD”**

*The Flowers on our Altar today are presented*

*“In Memory of our parents,  
Walter & Agnes Obringer and  
William & Cecilia Woistman”*

requested by Jim, Lois & Family.



*“In Loving Memory of  
Kathleen Levinsky”*  
requested by Mom & Dad.

