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SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:30 PM
Sunday: 9:30 AM

Weekday Masses & Devotions

See inside of bulletin

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements must be made with Father Matthew
at least 6 months in advance

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Anyone inquiring about RCIA should contact
Father Matthew or the Parish Office

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Greensburg

Call 724.463.8806 for Resource Information

Parish Prayer Chain

Please contact the Parish Office at 724.479.3881

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 PM
Monday 5:30 PM during Parish Holy Hour
Other times by appointment (Call Father Matthew)

Sacrament of Infant Baptism

Contact the Parish Office at 724.479.3881

Ministry to the Homebound

Please contact the Parish Office

Saint Bernard School, Indiana, PA 15701

For registration information or additional details
concerning our Regional Catholic School, please
call 724.465.7139



SCHEDULE OF LITURGIES THIS WEEK
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

[Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-7, 10-11;
 Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14]

Saturday, August 31

4:30 PM Mary & Flossie Smith by Dick & Marie Dandois

Sunday, September 1

9:30 AM All the People of Good Shepherd Parish

Monday, September 2, Labor Day

[1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-13; Lk 4:16-30]

9:00 AM Dolores Kolakowski by Dan Sherwin & Family

Tuesday, September 3, Saint Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

[1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37]

8:30 AM Edith Semuskie by Rich Rotosky

Wednesday, September 4, Weekday

[Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10, 11; Lk 4:38-44]

(No Mass Scheduled)

Thursday, September 5, Saint Teresa of Calcutta

[Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11]

6:15 PM Veronica "Irene" Cattau by Mike & Betty Ann Savage

Friday, September 6, Weekday

[Col 1:15-20; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 5:33-39]

8:30 AM John Kubala by Ron & Janet Toldi

Saturday, September 7, Weekday

[Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8; Lk 6:1-5]

3:30 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

[Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-6, 12-17; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33]

4:30 PM Deceased of Noga & Penko Families by Janice Kochman

Sunday, September 8

9:30 AM All the People of Good Shepherd Parish

THIS WEEK AT CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Monday - Mass 9:00 AM / **Office Closed** due to Labor Day Holiday

Wednesday - Choir Rehearsal, Church, 6:30 PM

Annual Newman Used Book Sale

The annual Newman Used Book Sale will be held Friday, September 20th, Saturday, September 21st, and Sunday, September, 22nd at St. Thomas More University Parish, Indiana, PA. Friday hours are 4pm-9pm, Saturday 9am-5:45pm, and Sunday 11am-4pm. We have many books, fiction, non-fiction, hard back, soft back to choose from and prices that are very reasonable. For more info visit www.stmup.org, click on the *Parish Life* tab and choose *Newman Book Sale* from the pull down menu.

OUR PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekend of August 24-25, 2019

Weekly: \$ 2,626.50
 Monthly: \$ 811.15
 Loose: \$ 292.00
 Children: \$ 41.00
 Votive Candles: \$ 59.00
 Assumption of Mary \$ 43.00

TOTAL INCOME:..... \$ 3,872.65
 Needed Weekly to Meet Budget: \$ 4,571.00
 Variance: (\$ 698.35)

FISCAL YEAR-TO-DATE

Collected: \$ 26,997.45
 Needed to meet Budget: \$ 36,568.00
 Variance: (\$ 9,570.55)

DIOCESAN COLLECTION

Catholic University/Schools:..... \$ 398.00



The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit in memory of **Mary Rogel** by Ruth and Family.

The **Good Shepherd Candle** is lit in memory of **Joey DeLuca** by Turk Family.

The **Good Shepherd Garden Candle** is lit in memory of **Mary Ann Somonick** by brother, John J. Somonick.

Join Good Shepherd Choir!



Liturgical music plays an essential role in the work of the Lord. Choir members and cantors help in leading the music! All men and women of the parish who are not presently involved in the choir should consider joining.

Choir Rehearsals resume this Wednesday, September 4, at 6:30 PM and the choir will sing at designated Masses beginning Sunday, September 22, continuing through the year.

Our choir will sing at alternating Saturday (4:30 PM) and Sunday (9:30 AM) Masses. We look forward to having new members join this ministry. Having a desire to sing God's praise is a prerequisite. Having a "good" singing voice is a bonus... so do not be afraid to try it! If you have any questions, contact the Parish Office at 724.479.3881. Thanks so much!

Saint James Parish, New Alexandria - Car Cruises



Bring your favorite classic car for an evening of food, music and fellowship! Free Admission for the event on Friday, September 13 and Friday, October 11 from 6:00PM to 8:00 PM. All are welcome!

From Father Matthew's Desk...



Our Summer season is coming to a close with our annual celebration of Labor Day. This day is about picnics and celebration in a day *free from work*, but it is also a reminder of the importance and dignity of work, and the right for those who work to receive a fair wage, safe conditions, and the right to organize. St. John Paul II described work in this way:

Work is a good thing for man—a good thing for his humanity—because through work man not only transforms nature, adapting it to his own needs, but he also achieves fulfillment as a human being and indeed, in a sense, becomes "more a human being." (On Human Work [Laborem Exercens...], 9)

Saint Joseph models the dignity of our work united with the Lord—he provided for the Holy Family through his carpentry, and taught Jesus this trade as they worked together.

Have a safe and happy Labor Day!

Mission Co-op will be the weekend of Sep. 14-15.



St. Bernard Regional Catholic School will be hosting an **Open House** on Wednesday, September 18th from 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. All are welcome! This is a great occasion to come see what our regional school is about.

Faith in Public Schools—On Sep. 20-21, First Church of God in Punxsutawney is hosting conferences to inform and clarify what can and can't be said **by teachers, parents, and students** about faith in our Public Schools. They will provide practical ways to promote our faith in the public arena. We can talk about the Bible and Christianity—our laws actually support it! **Please Register by September 10.** For more information and to register, see the posters and pamphlets in the narthex and visit www.gogateways.org/pennsylvania.

2019 DIOCESAN LENTEN APPEAL UPDATE

As of August 27, 2019

Total pledges / gifts received: **\$ 30,170.00**

Percent of Diocesan Goal (\$21,885.00): **137.9%**

Percent of Parish Goal (\$36,885.00): **81.8%**

Participating Parish Households - **120 (392): 31.1%**

Average 2019 Parish Gift: **\$ 247.30**

(Average 2018 Parish Gift: \$ 392.51)

It is not too late to contribute toward the 2019 DLA!

100% of every donation that we receive FROM THIS POINT ON for this year's appeal remains in our parish.

Saint Vincent de Paul Thrift Store, 4th Street, Indiana

This week – Store Closed Sept 2 (Monday). *SPIN TO WIN AND PAY \$5, \$3, OR FREE FOR A BAG OF CLOTHING.*

Store Closed Sept 7 for Fall Changeover. Store hours are Mon., Wed., Thurs, and Fri: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM, Tues 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM, Saturday: 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM.

Is someone you love in a troubled marriage? You might suggest that they consider **Retrouvaille**. Retrouvaille has helped tens of thousands; it can help them. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on September 6, 2019, contact Retrouvaille at 412.277.3434. For more information see www.retrouvailleofpittsburghinc.org.



If you know of someone who is in need of prayer, or if you would like to join the Parish Prayer Chain, call our Parish Office. Please pray for the wholeness and healing of:

In Critical Need: Arlene Argiro; Nick Bobbinets; Louann Boozer; Mixie Chronoski; Roger Ditmore; Tom Fabin; Ruthie Henigin; Greyson Kellar; Justin Kerr; Margaret Kolish; Gary Longmire; Linda McCauley; Donna Merlo; James Midock; Daniel Mouser; Jody Pollack-Strickland; John Popp; John Silvis; Alex Toldi; Michael Walker; Zavier Weaver; Jan Woodard; Connie Zagurskie.

On-Going Prayer: Pete Adkins; Anna Baroni; Patricia Bash; Jack Bell; Sandy Becker; Michael & Maggie Bertolino; Matt Besz; Barb Black; Len Black; Bertha Bodnar; Brayden Bookner; Julia Buggie; Jan Canzano; Rob Chabot; Jane Chronoski; Will Clabaugh; Andrew Cribbs; Kevin Cribbs; Joe Cunningham; Daniel Davis; Kim Donahue; Michelle Donahue; Sandy Frederick; Judy Gaborko; Marlene Galore; Geraldine Gillespie; Greg Gordish; Larry Gregg; Scott Gross; Mary Lee Hill; Minnie Jose; Jessica Kantz; Erlene Kardos; Tom Keeler; Crystal Kellar; Alfred Kolakowski; Tammy Kolesar; Faith Kosmack; Gordon Kuehn, Jr.; Pamela Letera; Paulette Longmire; Jessa Lux; Martha Lux; Barbara Marker; Michael Matty; Angie Maudie; Paula Montez; Kathy Montrose; Eric Morgan; Gary Morgan; Leigha Morgan; Maryanne McConnell; Paul Murphy; Jenn Myers; Luisita Nillas; Laurie Nixon; Carla Noel; Brianne Novosel; Donna Okopal; Denise Parrato; Flora Pezzi; Ethan Piper; Mary Popp; Steve Prebish; Maggie Reeger; Robert Rethi; Robert Romance; Roni Rosenberry; Tony Sottile, Jr.; Robert Spence; Joe Staff; Tony Staff; Lynne Stewart; Carter Wentz; Ashley Weston; Wanda Weston; Kathy White; Locklan Whited; Darlene Woodrow; Dory Yatzkanic; Tammy Zaffuto; Jamison Zayac; Janet Zayac; Lisa Zayac; Katrina Zuchelli; Renee Zuchelli; Richard Zuchelli; Zachary Zuchelli.

If you know of someone who has recovered from his / her illness, or has passed away, please contact the Parish Office.

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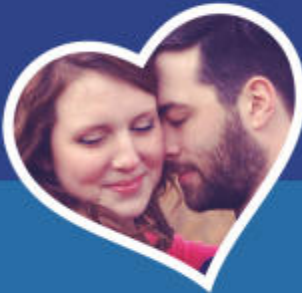
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