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SEPTEMBER 8, 2019
TWENTY-THIRD 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
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**SCHEDULE OF LITURGIES THIS WEEK
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]

Saturday, September 7

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

Sunday, September 8

9:30 AM All the People of Good Shepherd Parish

Monday, September 9, Saint Peter Claver, Priest

[Col 1:24--2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Lk 6:6-11]

5:30 PM Holy Hour & Sacrament of Reconciliation

6:15 PM Velma M. Canzano by Son

Tuesday, September 10, Weekday

[Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11; Lk 6:12-19]

8:30 AM Bonnie Lou Ballas by Ruth Rogel

Wednesday, September 11, Weekday

[Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab; Lk 6:20-26]

(No Mass Scheduled)

Thursday, September 12, The Most Holy Name of Mary

[Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 6:27-38]

6:15 PM Timothy Mitsko by Paul Romanchick

**Friday, September 13, Saint John Chrysotom, Bishop
and Doctor of the Church**

[1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11; Lk 6:39-42]

8:30 AM Edward Batistig by Children & Grandchildren

**Saturday, September 14, The Exaltation of the Holy
Cross**

[Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17]

3:30 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

[Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32]

4:30 PM All the People of Good Shepherd Parish

Sunday, September 15

9:30 AM Robert & Sue Rethi by Susan & J.J. Maudie
Family

THIS WEEK AT CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Wednesday - Choir Rehearsal, Church, 6:30 PM

Next Sunday - CGS Comportment, Parish Hall, 10:30AM

Next Weekend - Mission Co-Op Collection, Both Masses

With our Prayers and Sympathy...



Please remember in your prayers the departed soul of **Bertha Shimko**, our parishioner. We extend our condolences and prayerful support to her family and loved ones.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the Mercy of God rest in peace.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE and 2019 DLA UPDATE

Our *Stewardship of Treasure* and *2019 Diocesan Lenten Appeal* reports for the weeks of Sept. 1 and Sept. 8 will be published in subsequent bulletins due to early submissions required by our publisher because of the Labor Day holiday.

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.



The Blessed Mother Candle is lit in memory of **Deceased of Noga and Penko Families** by Joan Sharek.

Young Women's Discernment Retreat at St. Emma's

The Greensburg Religious Vocation Council will host a discernment retreat, "*Come to the Quiet*," for women ages 18-35 on Sept. 27 at 6:00 PM, through Sept. 29 at 1:00 PM at St. Emma Retreat House, Greensburg. The cost is \$30. Register at basmelko@scsh.org or call 724.454.8524.

Priestly Vocation Discernment—The Office for Priestly Vocations is sponsoring age-specific discernment groups for middle school boys (and their parents) and for high school and young adult men. More information on these programs is on the bulletin board and at gbgvocations.org.

Mission Co-Op Appeal Next Weekend

On **September 14-15**, we are happy to welcome **FR. LEVI MANTICA** from the **DIocese of TAGUM** in the Philippines to preside over the Masses for our annual Mission Appeal. Bishop Medel Aseo and the clergy of the Diocese of Tagum are grateful for your financial contribution; they are seeking help for the construction of a new Seminary building because the present seminary can no longer accommodate the increasing number of young men who want to be priests. At present, the Diocese of Tagum has *120 seminarians* who live in a building designed to hold only 70. The location also is not good for silence and tranquility since it is at the very heart of the city.

Currently, the Diocese of Tagum has 150 priests and 6 transitional deacons. **4 of their priests are here in the Diocese of Greensburg serving in the different parishes as Parochial Vicars.** They are very much willing to send more missionary priests in the future. Once again, they are so thankful for your financial assistance and ask for your prayers as they continue their service to the People of God in their place and all over the world. A Mission Appeal envelope is included in this week's bulletin.

From Father Matthew's Desk...

Happy Birthday Mary!—September 8 traditionally marks the celebration of the Nativity of Mary. Take the time to say “Happy Birthday” to our Blessed Mother!

This weekend, I am away from the parish as I take part in meetings in Mechanicsburg, PA for the Region 3 National Catholic Committee on Scouting and National Catholic Committee for Girl Scouting and Campfire. Here, we meet with other Catholic Scouters from throughout Pennsylvania and New Jersey to share ideas for how to provide effective ministry at the diocesan level to our Catholic youth who are involved in Scouting programs. If your children are involved in Scouting or interested in Scouting, please ask me how they can use it as a unique opportunity to grow in their Catholic Faith.

This year, the **Diocesan Catholic Committee on Scouting has opened our annual fall event to all high school and middle school youth and their families.** The **Youth Fun Fest “Kickoff with Christ”** will take place on Saturday, Sept. 28 at Camp Conestoga in Somerset County. Activities will include rocket-building, Rifle/BB shooting, Cooking demonstrations, outdoor games, team building, Faith exploration, Mass, and a bonfire. More details can be found at <https://tinyurl.com/DCCS-KWC2019>.

TRANSFORMATION

A Men's Prayer Gathering

Tuesday September 24
6:45 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Hosted by Our Lady of Grace Church
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Rosary Rally at Christ Our Shepherd Center Oct. 12



Bishop Edward C. Malesic will lead the annual Rosary Rally Oct. 12 in Saint Joseph Chapel at the Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg.

The day includes Mass at 9:00 AM, adoration, and the sacrament of reconciliation after Mass with recitation of the Scriptural rosary at 11:00 AM. Organizations that plan to carry a banner at the Rosary Rally must register at 724.552.2645.



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; Xavier 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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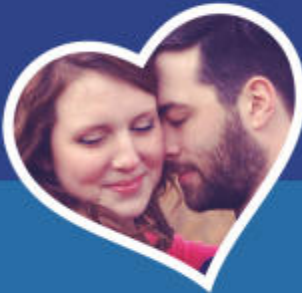
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