

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun July 9	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Tues July 10	6:10 PM	Bingo
	7:00 PM	Legion of Mary
Wed July 12	5:00-6:00 PM	Pro-Life Rosary
Thurs July 13	9:00-11:00 AM	Eucharistic Adoration
Fri July 14	6:10 PM	Bingo
Sun July 16	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	



### Monday, July 10

8:30 a.m.

†Jo Ann Gehret (*D.J. Bragonier*)

### Tuesday, July 11 St. Benedict

8:30 a.m.

†Paul Engelman (*Dick & Carol Anslinger*)

### Wednesday, July 12

8:30 a.m.

†Patricia Ronan (*Altar & Rosary Society*)

### Thursday, July 13 St. Henry

8:30 a.m.

Members of the Altar & Rosary Society

### Friday, July 14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha

8:30 a.m.

†Deceased Members of Golden & Halicky Families  
(*Family*)

### Saturday, July 15 St. Bonaventure

4:00p.m.

†Dr. Richard Capriotti (*Sr. Pauline Kawtoski*)

### Sunday, July 16 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. †Margaret & Frank Vinglas (*Thomas Vinglas Family*)

10:30 a.m. †Joseph Dullinger (*Lois Dullinger*)

12 Noon Mass For the People

## MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK

**Saturday, July 15, 2017**

**4:00 p.m.**

**Altar Servers:** Erin Yahner, Elizabeth Yahner, Abby Yahner

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomer, Debra Fraundorfer, Martin Kooman, Barbara Kooman, Matthew Yahner

**Readers:** Sarah Donley, John Donley

**Sunday, July 15, 2017**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Servers:** Cole Rinker, Alese Rinker, Elias Wesner

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomer, Elfreda Beard, William Beard, Tim Link, Karen McGraw

**Readers:** Damian Charlesworth, Shawn Wesner

**10:30 a.m.**

**Servers:** Tyler Berkheimer, Andrew Zupon, Volunteer

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Caitlin Berkheimer, Regina Murphy, Kathryn Nazaruk, Chris Rickens, Mary Wiley

**Readers:** Michael Nazaruk, Volunteer

**12:00 Noon**

**Servers:** Kelly Campbell, John Frederick, Kylie Kathleen Pacovsky

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Philip Bracken, John Wasicki, Kathleen Wasicki

**Readers:** Christian Bracken, Mary Masic

## PASTOR'S CORNER

### 2017 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE

**GOAL: \$42,763**

Catholics throughout our Diocesan Household are participating in the Catholic Ministries Drive. Our goal is \$42,763 at 5% decrease from last year.

We have received \$ 26,457 towards our goal.

Thank you to all who have participated in the Catholic Ministries Drive. Your sacrificial gift brings the hope of Jesus Christ to all who rely on Catholic Charities, Vocations, Youth Ministry and other ministries and services.

All contributions—no matter the amount—are important in carrying out the Church's evangelizing mission. Please return your Catholic Ministries Drive pledge card as soon as possible. Please consider this need in your prayerful reflection on your gift. Thank you for your generous support.

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

The Basilica of Our Lady of Piat is located on the outskirts of the city of Piat, in the Cagayan Province of the Philippines.

In 1604, the Dominican friars brought a statue of the Black Madonna there known as "Our Lady of the Holy Rosary." The statue was inaugurated in Piat on December 26, 1623, the feast of Saint Stephen, before a large crowd of pilgrims. It was amazing that such a large multitude would be gathered there, because the area was not very populated and evangelization had begun only 25 years before.

Because Our Lady of Piat was carried in procession to other cities, she is also called Our Lady of the Visitation. In the 17<sup>th</sup> century, the feast of the Visitation was celebrated on July 2<sup>nd</sup>, which is why the feast of the shrine is also on that day.

On June 22, 1999, the Church of Our Lady of Piat was elevated to a minor basilica. Many miraculous healings have been obtained through her intercession.

**OUTDOOR MASS HONORING MARRIED COUPLE WITH BISHOP MARK**

The Altoona-Johnstown Diocesan Family is invited to participate and to pray for those living the Sacrament of Marriage at an Outdoor Mass honoring Married Couples on Sunday evening, July 23 at 7:00 p.m. at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. Bring a lawn chair. Indoors if rain. Bishop Mark is the celebrant and homilist. This is a wonderful way to celebrate, encourage and support married couples.

**THE ALTOONA LIME DISEASE SUPPORT GROUP** will meet on Thursday, July 13, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. in the Saint Rose of Lima Social Hall. The group meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month, except there will be no meeting in August. All are welcome. For more information, contact Amber Altiero at 934-7403.

**OFFERTORY PRESENTERS**

July 15	4:00 p.m.	Volunteers
July 16	8:00 a.m.	Volunteers
	10:30 a.m.	Joe & Regina Friedenberger
	Noon	Volunteers

**CANDLES:** Fritz & Mary Werkmeister & Toby & Joyce Kjarsgaard by Family

**St. Rose of Lima VBS—Hero Central August 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>; 9:00 AM—12:30 PM in the Maria Parish Center**

To register please use our website: <http://Cokesburyvbs.com/AltoonaStRoseVBS2017> or see our Facebook page for updates and to register: <https://www.facebook.com/STROSEVBS2017>

**ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIAL**

If you would like to have flowers put on the altar for the weekend offered in memory or in honor of someone, please call the Rectory 944-8509.

**"WALK OF FAITH"**

You may still purchase a personalized brick to put into the "Walk of Faith." Bricks are \$50.00. Order forms are in the gathering area of the Church. Take a look at the walkways and see hundreds of names and add yours to the walkway.

**CENSUS FORMS**

There are families who have not returned their census form, we ask you to do it as soon as possible.

**SUPPER CLUB**

The Supper Club will meet at Marzoni's on July 9 at **12 NOON**. Call Mary for reservations 946-3449.

### LITURGICAL REFLECTION...

Within Mass and without Mass, the priest or deacon begins with the sign of the cross and greeting. The revised ritual provides two options ("in these or similar words") to address the couple and those present to dispose them inwardly for the celebration of Marriage. When celebrating Matrimony within Mass, the Church directs there is no Penitential Rite. There is to be the *Glory to God* (preferably sung) at the Mass celebrating Matrimony. This hymn of praise to the glory of God is directed even in the seasons of Advent and Lent when the ritual Mass for Marriage is celebrated. All in the assembly, gathered for the Sacrament of Matrimony, are encouraged to take part in this beautiful prayer of praise. The collect (six options) concludes the introductory rites.

### RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is how adults join the Catholic Church, culminating in Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist and thereby living in the fullness of the Christian life. If you or someone you know, has questions, our RCIA team at Saint Rose of Lima Parish can help through a process called "Inquiry". There is no commitment. If you are interested, contact Chuck Wolf at [charleswolf@gmail.com](mailto:charleswolf@gmail.com). Also, the St. Rose of Lima RCIA teaching team would love your help if you'd like to join us. For more information about the steps in the RCIA process, please see this online site:  
<http://usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/who-we-teach/rite-of-christian-initiation-of-adults>.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PICTURES CAN BE PICKED UP AT THE RECTORY.

### HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

The Seniors who were unable to attend the Senior High Recognition Day, please pick up your Picture and Prayer Book at the Rectory

### HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL NEWS

Holy Trinity Catholic Golf Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, August 12 at King Valley Golf Course. If you are interested in putting a 4 member team in or would like to be a hole sponsor please call the school office for more information (814-942-7835) or visit the school website for golf outing forms.  
[www.holytrinitycatholicsschool](http://www.holytrinitycatholicsschool)

The Football Extravaganza is under way! Ticket orders are being accepted at the Holy Trinity Catholic Middle School office. Orders placed throughout the week can be picked up the following week. Tickets are \$20.00. This fundraiser is based on the NFL regular season games. Each ticket will receive 17 unique combinations of three NFL teams for each week of the regular season. Each NFL week begins on Thursday and ends on Monday. Every week you will add up the final score of the team in your combination for that week. The ticket with the highest total score wins the grand prize for the week. Four positions will be paid each week. Winners will be notified weekly. Stop by the Holy Trinity Catholic Middle School for tickets today.

### Pre-K 3 and 4 REGISTRATION for 2017-2018. It all starts here in the Early Childhood! The Stronger the Start. The Better the Finish!

Our Pre-K program is designed to meet the developmental needs of the whole child, promoting spiritual, emotional, social, physical and emotional growth. With a hands on approach to learning, the child learns how to learn. Teamwork and accepting others is nurtured through cooperative activities. Children learn to respect themselves and one another.

Pre K 3 and 4 is a full day five days a week program. Please call the Holy Trinity Catholic Elementary Campus school offices for more information. Altoona-814-381-7011 or Hollidaysburg 814-695-6112.

## OUTDOOR MASSES

Father John D. Byrnes, Rector, and the Parish Family of St. Michael the Archangel Basilica, Loretto, invite the faithful to join us each Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. for the outdoor Sunday Mass at the beautiful Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. Mass will continue through Labor Day Weekend, September 3, 2017. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be held in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

## FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL

**July 9** **Mt. 11:25-30**

Today's gospel is about missionaries. As Jesus received a mission today, parents accept the mission of raising a family. Parents are not alone in this exhausting and difficult mission. Today Jesus tells us "Come to me and I will give you rest."

## NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Does your method of family planning...strengthen your emotional intimacy with your spouse?...work with (not against) the gift of your fertility?...nurture a loving relationship with God and the Church?...increase your self-respect and growth as a person/couple? If you haven't checked out NFP, you haven't made an informed choice. Certified diocesan instructors are located throughout our diocese. Introductory presentations to groups also available. Contact our diocesan Family Life Office, 814-886-5551; [famillife@dioceseaj.org](mailto:famillife@dioceseaj.org).

## Stewardship Reflection

**14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Today's psalmist sings with joy "Let all your works give you thanks, O Lord, and let your faithful ones bless you." A steward's way of life is grounded in giving thanks, living with an "attitude of gratitude."

## St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Route 53, Frugality, Pa.

(near Prince Gallitzin State Park and Glendale Lake) will be hold their annual Festival, Sunday July 16<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. We are featuring a Turkey and Noodle Dinner with all the trimmings. Dinner served Family Style from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Adults \$10.00, Children 5 to 12 \$5.00, under 5 free. Takeouts available. Music entertainment:

D.J., Bob Taylor from 11:30 a.m. till ?

Basket Auction at 5:00 p.m. Games, Bingo, Bake Sale, Refreshments and Lots More!

## What if...

By Jerry "DRhino" Clark

What if we are not joyful today because we were not thankful yesterday? And what if we are blessed tomorrow because we are grateful today?

What if we were never able to see a rainbow because we were too busy complaining about the rain? And what if today we couldn't experience the warmth of the sun because we focused on the coldness of the shadow?

What if there were no more books tomorrow because we didn't take the time to read today? And what if there were no life changing tapes today because we didn't take the time to record our experiences yesterday?

What if our prayers were not answered tomorrow because we didn't listen to our heart today? And what if we did not follow our true "calling" today because we did not "hear" the phone ring yesterday?

What if your life today is a reflection of your thoughts yesterday? And what if your thoughts today are a reflection of your life tomorrow?

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