

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun Oct 15	Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:15-10:15 AM Religious Ed. Gr. K-9 6:30-8:00 PM Religious Ed. Gr. 10 & 11
Tues Oct 17	6:10 PM Bingo 7:00 PM Legion of Mary
Wed Oct 18	5:00--6:00 PM Pro-Life Rosary
Thurs Oct 19	9:00-11:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration
Fri Oct 20	6:10 PM Bingo
Sat Oct 21	9:00 AM-5:00 PM 11th Grade Retreat BG & CCD (students only) Social Hall
Sun Oct 22	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00 AM Rite of Blessing-9th Grade BG & CCD Confirmation Candidates Parent/Sponsor 9:15-10:15 AM Religious Ed. Gr. K-9



**Monday, Oct. 16 St. Hedwig, St. Margaret Mary  
Alacoque  
NO MASS**

**Tuesday, Oct. 17 St. Ignatius of Antioch  
NO MASS**

**Wednesday, Oct. 18 St. Luke**

8:30 a.m.

†Stanley M. Luther & Richard M. Lego (*Michael & Valarie (Lego) Luther*)

**Thursday, Oct. 19 St. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Joques  
& Companions**

8:30 a.m.

†Joseph Ronan Jr. (*St. Rose of Lima School Students*)

**Friday, Oct. 20 St. Paul of the Cross**

8:30 a.m.

†Richard W. Beck (*Wife & Family*)

**Saturday, Oct. 21**

4:00p.m.

†Charles & Josephine Love (*Family*)

**Sunday, Oct. 22 Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. †Stephen McConnell (*Kling Family*)

10:30 a.m. †Michael Savino (*Olive & Family*)

12 Noon Mass For the People

## MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK

**Saturday, October 21, 2017**

**4:00 p.m.**

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

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Brenda Altiero, Dan Altiero, Nate Sanders, James Shoenfelt, Matthew Yahner

**Readers:** Nancy Little, Bernice Shoenfelt

**Sunday, October 22, 2017**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Servers:** Matthew Neumeyer, Delilah Noel, Alese Rinker

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Mary Engelman, Kathleen Gburek, Diane Gormley, James Trexler, Volunteer

**Readers:** Paul Cooney, William Gburek

**10:30 a.m.**

**Servers:** Allison Bagley, Eva Bagley, Corinne Wesner

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomeer, Caitlin Berkheimer, Gina Goss, Thomas Goss, Kitty Zelnosky

**Readers:** David Karl, Amy Reighard

**12:00 Noon**

**Servers:** John Frederick, Madelyn Myers, Josh Yasulitis

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Woomeer, Philip Bracken, Ronald Skupien

**Readers:** Christina Bracken, Patrick Condryn

## PASTOR'S CORNER

### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next weekend, October 21-22, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests religious and lay teachers serve some of the poorest of the poor. Please keep the Missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith. The envelope for Mission Sunday is located in your pack of envelopes.

### BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

During November we will remember all your named deceased family and friends in our parish Book of Remembrance. Please use the All Souls envelope to list your beloved ones now "resting in the Lord."

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING-OCT.7-8, 2017**

Regular	\$6445.58	Christmas	\$ 68.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 23.00	Candles	\$ 25.00
Hurricane	\$ 885.92	Register	\$ 188.00
First Offering	\$ 67.00		
Mission Sunday	\$ 5.00	Total	\$7702.50

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

Here are the rest of the promises given by Our Lady to the Dominican Alanus de Rupe (Blessed Alain de la Roche), to all those who pray the Rosary:

1. Those who are faithful to recite the Rosary shall have, during their life and at their death, the light of God and the plenitude of His graces; at the moment of death they shall participate in the merits of the saints in paradise.
2. I shall deliver from purgatory those who have been devoted to the Rosary.
3. The faithful children of the Rosary shall merit a high degree of glory in heaven.
4. You shall obtain all you ask of me by the recitation of the Rosary.
5. All those who propagate the holy Rosary shall be aided by me in their necessities.
6. I have obtained from my Divine Son that all the advocates of the Rosary shall have for intercessors the entire celestial court during their life and at the hour of death.
7. All who recite the Rosary are my sons, and brothers of my only son Jesus Christ.

Devotion of my Rosary is a great sign of predestination.

**OFFERTORY PRESENTERS**

Oct. 21	4:00 p.m.	Volunteer
Oct. 22	8:00 a.m.	James & Linda Trexler
	10:30 a.m.	Dennis, Carole & Devon Housum
	Noon	Volunteers

**CANDLES:** Theresa Sukala by Anne Sukala, Return to Health-Jeanne Traficante by Linda Zakrzwski, Improved Health for Cheryl Sedon by Joan & Linda Turcovski.

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

The Flowers on the Altar this weekend are In Memory of Joseph Marnecheck by His Daughters.

**ROSARY**

Rosary will be recited before all weekend Masses during the month of October. Please come to Mass a little earlier and partake in this beautiful devotion to Mary.

**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 foyer of the Church. Take a look at the walkways and see hundred of names and add yours to the walkway.

**ALTOONA CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS**

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Altoona Court Prince Gallitzin #2625 will be collecting dog and cat supplies for the animals at the Central, Pa. Humane Society. Boxes will be in the back of the church, October 15, 22, and 29. Dog and Cat food, treats, pet dishes, collars and leashes, and sanitizers are some of the needed supplies. All donations will be given to the Humane Society at the end of the month.

### ANNUAL FALL DINNER

St. Joseph's Church in Williamsburg will have their Annual Fall Dinner on Sunday, October 29, 2017. It will be a Swiss Steak Dinner with swiss steak, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, salad, dessert, roll & butter. Take out is from 11:00 a.m. to Noon and Dine In is from 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Cost is: \$10.00 for Adults and \$5.00 for Children. For tickets please call Jim Foresio at 814-832-2039.

### ADULT ENRICHMENT CLASSES

Education is a lifelong journey. Since we are all called to holiness, we have an obligation to grow and nurture our faith. Classes are offered through the Office of *Adult Enrichment and Lay Ecclesial Ministry* to help nurture YOUR faith. Beginning November 14<sup>th</sup> the 8 week course, **Old Testament**, taught by Fr. Brian Saylor, will be offered at St. Rose of Lima, Altoona, Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m. The class **Sacraments**, will be offered in two locations this January: Msgr. Robert Mazur will be teaching at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament –Seton Suite, Altoona

Mondays, 6:30-9:00 p.m., beginning January 8<sup>th</sup>.

Fr. D. Timothy Grimme will be teaching at St.

Michael Church Hall, St. Michael Tuesdays

6:30-8:30 p.m. beginning January 9<sup>th</sup>.

**These classes are open to all interested.**

For further information and registration please contact Marybeth at (814) 361-2000. Class information and forms are available on line at

[www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry/](http://www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry/)

### SAINTS TOUR 2017:SAINTS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Saint Francis University in Loretto, Pa. is hosting "Saints Tour 2017: Saints of Local Interest" on Oct. 27 and 28. Entertainment, education, local history, and a bit of Halloween spookiness– this event has it all!

Tours will depart from the office of Campus Ministry every 20 minutes from 6 p.m.-10 p.m. and last approximately 1 hour. **Please note that it is not handicap accessible.** Cost is \$9.00 per adult and \$7.00 for student. Proceeds will be donated to the SFU Dorothy Day Outreach Center. Please dress for the weather, as tours continue rain or shine. Bring a nonperishable item in exchange for a free drink (coffee, hot chocolate, soda). Hot food is available for purchase. For more information please contact [marielink@verizon.net](mailto:marielink@verizon.net) or call the SFU Dorothy Day Outreach Center at 814-472-3347.

### LITURGICAL REFLECTION...

At Mass celebrating Matrimony, the rite concludes with the solemn blessing provided in the ritual. There is no dismissal. Another local custom which is popular in the Diocese is to introduce the newly married couple to those gathered in the church.

The priest presents the new husband and new wife to the Christian assemble. Now married in Christ, this man and woman assume mutual fidelity, Christ, the Bridegroom, is ever faithful to his bride, the Church. The Church celebrates and supports this couple as they begin their new life together.

### SPAGHETTI DINNER

The St. Mary's Christian Mothers/LCBA are holding a Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, November 12, 2017 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the Memorial Hall on 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 15<sup>th</sup> Street.

This is taking the place of our craft show which we have had for 29 years, and so it will be our major fundraiser for the year. Our dinners are \$8.00 per adult and \$5.00 for children 10 years to 5. Under 4 will be free. Tickets can be purchased form any Christian Mother or at the door the day of the dinner.

### 'NIGHT AT THE RACES'

St. Demetrius Church in Gallitzin is sponsoring a "Night at the Races" on October 21, 2017. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. and races will start at 6:00 p.m.

The event will be held at the Church's Social Hall located at the rear of 616 Church St. in Gallitzin.

\$25.00 donation will get you a horse (while they last) for one race and admission for you and a guest.

\$15.00 will get you a horse plus admission for one person. \$10.00 will get a single admission only.

Individual betting on races and various small games of chance will be available throughout the evening. In addition, eat-in meal and refreshments will be available to patrons.

PA SGOC #17-20. To reserve your horse, please call Brenda Smithmyer at 207-5894.

### FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL

October 15

Mt. 22:1-14

The king in today's gospel had a bottom line beyond which he would not negotiate. As parents we need to identify what is critical (non-negotiable) and what is open to discussion. Not all issues are equal.

**SHYCON will be held at St. Francis University on October 22 from 11:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Bus will leave at 10:15 on the 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue side of St. Rose of Lima Parking Lot.**

**HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL NEWS**

**HTC BASKET BINGO**

Call to reserve your tickets now for our Basket Bingo, Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at Father Kelly Hall. Call or stop by any of our 3 campuses for order forms.

Middle School-(814)942-7835

Altoona- (814) 381-7011

Hollidaysburg (814) 695-6112

**OCTOBER ROSARY**

We will be saying the Rosary at each campus during the month of October at 1:30. Please follow the schedule below for each site.

**Altoona Site:**

October 17<sup>th</sup>, October 31<sup>st</sup>

**Middle School:**

October 18<sup>th</sup>

**Hollidaysburg:**

October 19<sup>th</sup>

**NO SCHOOL**

There will be NO School on Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>  
Teacher in-Service

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**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION**

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

Stewardship is opening our hearts, hands, and schedules to others. Being available and willing to listen and give our time and love to others, also shows our willingness to prepare others to join in the feast in God’s Kingdom.

**Our Lady of Lourdes Holiday Boutique**

Our Lady of Lourdes on Broad Ave. will hold their annual Holiday Boutique on Saturday, November 4 from 8 a.m. –3 p.m. Breakfast & lunch will be offered.

Booths include: Food for Thought, Buy Now-Dine Later, Crafts, Baked Goods, Jewelry, Balloon Pop. Prize-a-rama, Baskets Galore, Kids Corner, Sr. Basil’s Lollipops, Books & Movies, and Collectibles.

Santa arrives at 11:00 a.m-1:00 p.m. for pictures.

**ST. JUDE TRIDUUM**– St. Mark’s Catholic Church, 416 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Altoona will hold its Annual St. Jude Triduum with Mass at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, October 25, 26, 27 in the Church. Father Ronald V. Osinski will be Celebrant and Homilist at the Masses. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered prior to each Mass. Triduum Prayers will be prayed at each Mass followed by Veneration of the Relic of St. Jude.

**Carmelite Community of the Word offers Fall Opportunities for Enrichment**

**Anxious for Nothing: Finding Calm in a Chaotic World**—A Four Week Book Study. We live in a time of great turmoil. Anxiety over what is happening in our world, our country, our church, our homes and family can be overwhelming.

*Anxious For Nothing* invites readers to delve into Philippians 4:6-7. Join us for a prayerful consideration of this book written by Max Lucado.

Each session will include a DVD presentation and opportunity for reflection and conversation. Program will be held on Mondays: Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, 2017 from 9-11:30 a.m. or 6-8:30 p.m.

Program will be offered in both time frames only if sufficient registrations are received. Pre-registration is required by Oct. 30, 2017. Cost of program: \$25; Study Guide: \$7.00; Optional Cost of Book: \$15.00

**Overnight Retreat –Living the Christmas Story, Then and Now**—December 1-2, 2017; 7:00 p.m.

Friday to 3 p.m. Saturday. Meet and engage in prayerful reflections with the people of the original advent. Discover these powerful figures as they respond to God’s plan and allow oneself to recognize something of oneself in each character. Retreat includes presentations, time for reflection and prayer and conversation. Meals and housing included. Retreat fee: \$40 per person, \$55 for married couples. Pre-registration is required by Nov. 27 with a non-refundable deposit of \$15 per person. Reservations are limited to 10 participants with private rooms.

Sessions and retreats will be held at Carmelite Community of the Word Incarnation Center, 394 Bem Rd., Gallitzin, Pa. To register, get directions, or for more information, call 814-886-4098.

**BENEFIT FOR BYRSON  
SPAGHETTI DINNER**

Sunday, October 15, 2017 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.  
St. Patrick School Hall Newry, Pa.

All proceeds will go to the Dustin Miller family to help with the ongoing medical expenses for their son, Bryson.

Donation: Adults: \$7.00 Children: \$4.00

For any questions or donations, please contact the Lonero family at (814) 695-3489

Thank you, and please keep Bryson and his family in your prayers!