



JANUARY 21-22, 2017



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00AM

Pastoral Council: Diane Stone, Chair

**Finance Council: James Mullen, Co-Chair
Chris DeMarco, Co-Chair**

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



ST. MARY OF THE LAKE
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stmaryofthelake@frontier.com

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:00AM

Pastoral Council: Bernie Garvey, Chair

Finance Council: Don Ames, Chair

Rev. Patrick L. Albert, Pastor
Deacon Raymond A. Pieretti, Pastoral Associate
Rev. Robert J. Kelleher (Ret.)
Rev. Dennis Bajkowski (Ret.)

Parish Office: Fr. Nallin Hall, Tunkhannock
Business Manager: Dick Schwoebel (570)677-7634
Secretary: Mary Lou Chackan
Office hours: 9:00AM – 2:00PM

WELCOME: We warmly welcome all to join us in worship of our God. If you are new to our parish community, please be sure to tell Fr. Pat that you will be joining our parish community. Contact the parish office if you have any questions. Visitor envelopes are available at all entrances.

MARRIAGE: Christian marriage is a sacred and serious commitment. Couples contemplating marriage should notify a parish priest at least nine months before the date on which they intend to marry. This should be done before any other arrangements are made so that a couple may be suitably served by the parish and diocese. All couples are required to take part in a Pre-Cana program or Engaged Encounter Weekend. **Sunday Weddings are not permitted.**

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a community journey that leads to transformation of mind and spirit. Guided by the gospel and the examples of parish members, newcomers can find their place in the RCIA community of believers and discover their own relationship with Christ. The program runs from September through Pentecost with reception of the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil. Information is available at the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Knowing the Catholic faith and tradition is essential if faith and tradition are to continue to be nourishing facets of our lives. Religious formation is valuable for both youth and adults. Classes are conducted from September to May following the 9:00AM Mass on Sunday. Information on religious education programs for youth of all ages and educational opportunities for adults are available at the parish office.

BULLETIN: If you have information that you would like to place in the bulletin (community news, society/social news, etc.), please have it at the parish office no later than Tuesday morning.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Forty-five minutes before Saturday evening Mass or by appointment.

SHUT-INS: If someone you know is unable to attend Mass but would like to receive Communion or receive a copy of our weekly bulletin, please contact the parish office.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION PROGRAM: All parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation meeting before this sacrament will be celebrated. Contact Father Pat at the parish office (570-836-3275) to schedule an appointment to discuss your child's baptism.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Visits are made on a regular basis.
PLEASE NOTE: The new privacy laws limit the amount of information that we receive from the hospitals or nursing/convalescent homes. It is necessary that family or friends notify us of these admittances.

HANDICAPPED SEATING AREA: Please note that the front pew nearest to the side door is reserved to accommodate those who have need due to disability. Please be kind enough to leave this pew available for that purpose.

PARKING LOT: [St. Mary's] Please keep the emergency lane in front of the church clear at all times. It is essential that vehicles are able to get in and out of the parking lot in case of an emergency. Please adhere to the parking spaces as delineated. Please be considerate of your fellow parishioners when you are backing up or turning to park or to exit the parking lot. There is ample parking on the upper level and supplemental parking on the side of the church.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**"TO KNOW, LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD
AND ONE ANOTHER
IN IMITATION OF MARY"**

*Approved by both Parish Pastoral Councils
January 2007*

FROM THE PASTOR'S NOTEBOOK:



Gone are the days when we not only picked our friends but also our enemies, the days when faith was not a unifying feature but that which could cause great division and, often times, heartache. I was a seventh grade student at South Scranton Junior High when I first came in contact with kids of other faith traditions. I have to admit – the experience was rather life-changing. Growing up in Minooka, a predominantly Irish Catholic neighborhood, sheltered me from the outside world until junior high school.

I would probably have to admit my earliest friendships with non-Catholic kids were filled with suspicion, you know, engaging the “unknown”. Interesting thing: the harder I looked for differences in those kids, the more they resembled me in my 13-year-old, rather dull and uneventful life. Thus my ecumenical history began early on and flourished as the years went on.

Perhaps my ultimate ease with other traditions stems from my German Lutheran grandfather or my parents' openness to the greater world. In any event, my openness early on has greatly assisted me in my ministry. Wouldn't our ancestors be surprised at our very kind approach to ecumenism?

Our prayer service for Christian unity last Sunday was a true testament to trust and faith as we prayed with Bethel United Methodist Church, Mill City Assembly of God, Lake Winola United Methodist Church and St. Mary of the Lake parishioners. We have learned to set aside our differences or to find mutuality within, to journey together with our Christian brothers and sisters. Such a better world. Such a kinder world. We pray that more will join us, not because we harbor ill will, but because together we have decided to do “His will”

May God bless you abundantly.

Fr. Pat

NATIVITY'S ACCLAIMED PIEROGIES:

The schedule for the making & selling of this year's Lenten foods (pierogies & haluski) is inserted in this week's bulletin. If you have some time to spare on Monday mornings, please plan to join us. It's a very rewarding experience of fellowship and service to our parish.



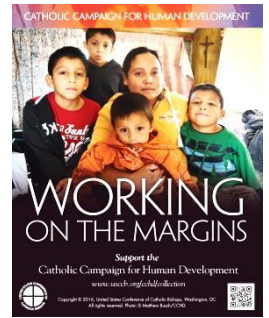
Pierogies are now available for sale in the Parish Office during normal business hours (M-F 9:00AM-2:00PM). The price remains at \$7.00 per dozen.



AED IS LOCATED IN NATIVITY BVM CHURCH & ALSO IN FR. NALLIN HALL

CCHD NATIONAL COLLECTION – JANUARY 28-29:

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development is the national anti-poverty program of the U.S. Catholic Bishops, working to carry out the mission of Jesus Christ "... to bring good news to the poor ... release to captives ... sight to the blind, and let the oppressed go free." (Luke 4:18)



The belief that those who are directly affected by unjust systems and structures have the best insight into knowing how to change them is central to CCHD. CCHD works to break the cycle of poverty by helping low-income people participate in decisions that affect their lives, families and communities. CCHD offers a hand up, not a hand out.

Nativity BVM: Envelope is in your monthly pack.

SML: Envelopes will be in the pews.

2017 PARISH CALENDARS: Please note that **calendars were not mailed out this year.** They are available at each entrance of both churches. Please take one home.



SOMETHING NEW FOR THE NEW YEAR:

The **Sunday Night Bible Study Group** will be starting a study on the book of REVELATION. We meet at **7:00PM on the second floor of Father Nallin Hall** on Sunday evening. We will **begin next Sunday, January 29th**. Please join us. Everyone is welcome. For more information, you can call Cindy at 570-836-4744.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A EUCHARISTIC MINISTER?: Deacon Ray has scheduled the first **training session** for new Eucharistic Ministers on **Saturday, January 28th at 1:00PM in Nativity BVM Church.**



If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister – or would like to know more about it – please plan to attend.

POPE FRANCIS QUOTES: “Instead of being just a church that welcomes and receives by keeping the doors open, let us try also to be a church that finds new roads, that is able to step outside itself and go to those who do not attend Mass, to those who have quit or are indifferent.”



A WELCOMING COMMUNITY: You enter this church ... not as stranger, but as a guest of God. He is your heavenly Father. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the strong and loyal ones who, in the name of Jesus Christ, built this place of worship, and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with their prayers and praise.



2016 DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL
As of January 9th

NATIVITY BVM CHURCH:

GOAL:..... \$34,000.00
 PLEDGED:..... \$32,444.00
 STATUS:..... 95.4%
 UNDER GOAL: \$ 1,556.00
 PARTICIPATION: 20.28% (200 FAMILIES OUT OF 986)

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE CHURCH:

GOAL:..... \$13,000.00
 PLEDGED:..... \$14,725.00
 STATUS..... 113.3%
OVER GOAL: \$ 1,725.00
 PARTICIPATION: 16.29% (79 FAMILIES OUT OF 485)

Dear Parishioners:

Thank you to those who have already joined us in "Living Faith, Serving with Mercy" by making a pledge to the Diocesan Annual Appeal. On behalf of all who benefit from your gifts, Bishop Joseph Bambera extends his sincere gratitude to everyone who has already made a pledge to the 2016 Diocesan Annual Appeal. Each gift truly matters.

Congratulations to St. Mary of the Lake Parish for exceeding our goal for the third year in a row. Nativity is very close to goal – just \$1,556.00 to go!

If you have not yet made your gift, and need a pledge envelope, packets are available by calling the Diocesan Development Office at 570-207-2250, or on-line at www.DiocesefofScranton.org.28.

Thank you.

Fr. Pat

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY: "The Diocese of Scranton will again participate in the worldwide Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, which is celebrated each year in January.

The Diocese of Scranton will host an Ecumenical Celebration of God's Word on Wednesday, January 25th at 12:10PM in the Cathedral of Saint Peter, Scranton. There will be no 12:10PM Mass that day in the Cathedral. All are welcome to attend. In addition, CTV: Catholic Television will broadcast the service live.

The Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Scranton, will preside, and Rev. Dr. Robert Zanicky of First Presbyterian Church in Wilkes Barre will deliver the homily.

Clergy and representatives from various Christian traditions and ecumenical agencies will be present. Liturgical music will be provided by Saint Clare/Saint Paul School.

CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

March 21 – 31, 2017
 \$3,794.00 per person including air from Scranton
 Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Daily
 Mass daily at the Holy Sites
 For a Flyer or more detailed information, please call Cathie or Michael Milano at 1-800-773-2660

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING: January 14-15, 2017

Nativity BVM Church:

Weekly Collection Goal* \$ 4,800.00
 Actual Offertory** \$ 4,376.00
 Difference:..... **\$(424.00)**

St. Mary of the Lake Church:

Weekly Collection Goal* \$ 2,000.00
 Actual Offertory** \$ 1,597.75
 Difference:..... **\$(402.25)**

*Weekly Collection Goal represents the amount needed weekly if we are going to make our 2016-2017 Parish Collections goal (envelopes and loose). It does NOT include Fundraising, Religious Education Income or any other income.

**Actual Offertory represents the total amount received in the weekly collection (not including special collections).

The generosity of our people is truly appreciated. We may not always reach our budgeted goals, but we are grateful to those who make a sacrifice on a weekly basis to sustain our parish ministries.

ZUMBA & YOGAFIT: Zumba classes are held on Wednesdays in St. Mary's Parish Hall starting at 6:00PM with a Yogafit class to follow at 7:00PM. The cost for each is only \$5.00 per session. We hope to see you all there!!!

MARRIAGE HELP: If your marriage is tearing the two of you apart, if there is little or no meaningful communication, if you are considering separation or divorce, then the Retrouvaille Program can help you. Retrouvaille (*pronounced retro-vi with a long i*) is helping couples put the pieces back together and to rediscover a more loving relationship. **The next local program will be February 24-26, 2017 at The Ramada Inn, Clarks Summit, PA.** Registration Required. All calls confidential. Cost is by donation. For more information or to register call 1-800-470-2230 or visit www.helpourmarriage.org.

REMEMBER HIS WILL IN YOURS: You can express your commitment to our Church by making a bequest to either Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Tunkhannock or Saint Mary of the Lake Church at Lake Winola. Simply have the following statement included in your will:

"I leave to Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Tunkhannock, PA (or Saint Mary of the Lake Church, Lake Winola, PA), the sum of \$_____ (or ___ percent of the residue of my estate) for its religious, educational and charitable works" or words to that effect.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI KITCHEN: St. Francis of Assisi Kitchen in Scranton is in need of **sugar, salt and low sodium soups.** Any donations will be greatly appreciated! The kitchen is located at 500 Penn Avenue in Scranton.



SML ALTAR FLOWERS: Flowers on the altar this weekend have been provided by St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society in honor of their living and deceased members.

NATIVITY / ST. MARY'S TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVE



Two Parish Families – One Faith Community

Have you checked out our new website at www.nativitystmary.org? Comments will certainly be welcomed; constructive criticism as well.

We have two vibrant and active parishes and we want to get more recognition of our activities through social media. **We're now directing your attention to our new Facebook page for our parishes – @nativitystmary. We're always looking for current Facebook users to help us to make the page better.** If you can help, please contact the Parish Office (570-836-3275).

We're also looking to update our directory of email addresses of our parishioners. Please help us by sending your email address to your parish at either nativitybvmchurch@frontier.com or stmaryofthelake@frontier.com.

Did you Know...?

... that you don't have to be a "technology whiz" to be a part of our technology ministry? Specifically, **we are currently in need of three volunteers** to assist our ministry:

Facebook Poster: Do you know how to post on Facebook? Do you have the time to do one post per week for your church? You would copy and edit the material from the bulletin according to an assigned schedule. Then you would post it to our Facebook page, possibly adding a graphic.

Photographers (2): Do you have a digital camera or smart phone? Do you have the time to attend parish events for a few minutes to take a few pictures according to parish guidelines? You would forward the best of your photos to the technology ministry for inclusion on the parish Facebook page or website. **We are in need of one photographer for Nativity and one photographer for St Mary.**

Your homework: Search your soul to see if you can help out with this important, fun, and creative ministry. Do you know of someone who could help us out? Why not suggest it to them? This is a great way to get involved "technologically" with your parish. If you can help, please call the parish office at 570-836-3275 or Bill Waters at 570-378-2367.

CARD SHOWER: St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society is asking parishioners to participate in a card shower for Ellen Garey. Cards can be sent to:

Ellen Garey
Abington Manor, Room #330
100 Edella Road
So. Abington Township PA 18411

MONTHLY HOME VISITATIONS: On or near the First Friday of every month (weather permitting), Fr. Pat, Deacon Ray and Diane Stone visit the homebound and bring them Holy Communion. **If you or a loved one is unable to attend Mass due to advanced age, sickness or disability/handicap, and desire to receive communion at home, please contact Mary Lou at the Parish Office (570-836-3275) with your name, phone number and address and you will be placed on our monthly visitation list.**

Follow the Diocese on Social Media

Follow the Diocese of Scranton on our Twitter page: www.twitter.com/DioceseOfScr
 If you're not already doing so, you can follow Bishop Bambera on Twitter by going to: www.twitter.com/BishopBambera
 Also check out our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/DioceseOfScranton
 You are also encouraged to visit the Facebook pages of other Diocesan departments. They are listed on our website at: <http://www.dioceseofscranton.org/media/social-media/>

CEMETERY REMINDER: All lot owners of Nativity's two cemeteries (Pieta & Mount Carmel) are reminded that all real and artificial flowers, candles, plastic statues, light fixtures, etc. must be removed from the cemetery. Anything not removed will be discarded. Your cooperation and assistance are appreciated and will keep our cemeteries neat and respectful sacred places for our loved ones buried there.

VIRTUS: A training session for adults in the Protecting God's Children (PGC-VIRTUS) program has been scheduled:

► **Sunday, January 29th on the campus of the University of Scranton beginning at 2:00PM.**

Complete information is posted on the diocesan website:

www.dioceseofscranton.org (safe environment-child protection-VIRTUS)

If you are an adult employee or volunteer who has direct contact or routine interaction with children, please make every effort to participate in this training. Your attendance is important. Thank you.

LAUDATO SI' (PRAISED BE YOU): We encourage all to read Pope Francis' encyclical online. It is on the theme of: *Care for Our Common Home and the Dignity of the Poor.*

REMEMBRANCE OF THE DEAD: Your prayers are requested for the soul of **ANNE SCHAEFER**, mother of Nativity BVM parishioner Ruth Tewksbury, who was buried from our church this Saturday. 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.

BOY SCOUT NEWS



Next Committee Meeting:
February 13th
 Upstairs Classroom @ Father Nallin Hall

Andrea Hebda, Committee Chairperson
 570-406-5227 rhebda@ptd.net

CUB SCOUT NEWS

ADULT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

6:00PM – Fr. Nallin Hall
January 30th



DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: His Excellency, the Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Scranton, and the Office for Parish Life wish to invite couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversary in 2017 to a diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 11th**. The event includes a 2:30PM Mass at St. Peter's Cathedral followed by a reception. **Requests for an invitation, with a mailing address, should be made through Fr. Pat, Deacon Ray or the Parish Office before March 13th.**

SML 1ST HOLY COMMUNION GIFT BEARERS SCHEDULE
 As has been our custom, the students preparing for First Holy Communion will be bringing the gifts to the altar at the 9:00AM Mass most weekends over the next several months. Last week, **Taylor Digilio & family** had this honor. The remaining schedule is:
January 29Sean Burton & family
February 5Mason Berkhimer & family
February 12.....Lindsey Greenip & family
February 26Alexander Moran & family
March 12Madelyn Newhart & family
March 19Alexander Pieretti & family
April 9Dylan Walsh & family
April 23Alana Zdaniewicz & family
 If family or friends of the person for whom the Mass is being offered also wish to participate in the gift procession, please call the Parish Office (570-836-3275) one week prior to the Mass so that it can be noted in the bulletin and also advise the ushers prior to the Mass.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
THIRD ANNUAL DIOCESAN MEN'S CONFERENCE
Saturday, May 6, 2017
On the campus of King's College

WYOMING VALLEY PRO-LIFE EVENTS

MARCH FOR LIFE BUS
 A Bus to the **March For Life**, Washington, DC, on **Friday, January 27th**, will leave from St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Swoyersville. For further information and reservations, please call Chris Calore @ 570-824-5621. Thank You.

RESPECT LIFE BREAKFAST, SCRANTON AREA
 The Scranton Chapter, Pennsylvanians for Human Life, will hold their annual **Respect Life Breakfast** on **Saturday, January 28th**, at **Fiorelli's Restaurant, Peckville**. Mr. Steve Mosher will be Guest Speaker. For reservations (\$21.00), please call the Scranton PHL Office @ 570-347-8299. Thank You.

Holy Redeemer High School
159 S. Pennsylvania Blvd. Wilkes-Barre
570-829-2424
www.holyredeemerhs.org



Holy Redeemer High School Grade 8 **Placement/Scholarship Test Result Night and Registration Night for incoming Freshmen** will be held **January 25th at 7:00PM in the Auditorium** (snow date January 26th). **Appointments for class scheduling** for new students for the 2017-2018 school year will be held on **February 2nd, 7th and 8th from 3:00 to 6:00PM**. Call the Guidance Department at 570-829-2424 to set an appointment.

DIOCESAN NEWS

March for Life


Pro-life advocates throughout the Diocese of Scranton will join tens of thousands of their counterparts from across the nation for the **44th annual March for Life on Friday, January 27th, in Washington, D.C.**

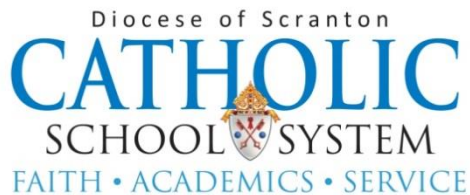
Regional chapters of the Pennsylvanians for Human Life (PHL) will offer round-trip bus transportation. Bus reservations are requested as soon as possible.

The March for Life convenes with the traditional midday rally gathering on the grounds of the Washington Monument, followed by the march at approximately 1:00PM. Following the March for Life, participants may visit their local congressional delegations or attend "The Silent No More" program at the U.S. Supreme Court building to hear speakers who have been personally affected by the evils of abortion.

Departure times and costs vary. Details on bus schedules and costs throughout the region can be obtained from the following contacts:

- *Scranton*—contact Anthony De Paola at (570) 906-1107
- *Wyoming Valley*—contact Chris Calore at (570) 824-5621

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**Catch Our Spirit...
Celebrate Catholic Schools Week
January 29 – February 4, 2017**

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week by attending one of our Catholic School Open Houses! You are invited to come experience our communities of faith and academic excellence. From Pre-Kindergarten through 12th grade, our students live their faith, challenge their minds, serve their communities, and build lifelong friendships. For specifics about the Open Houses or for more information about our Diocesan Catholic Schools, including tuition assistance opportunities, please visit www.DioceseofScranton.org/CatholicSchools.

NOTICE REGARDING REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR: It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis or at 1-800-932-0313.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska, at 570-862-7551 or to Diocesan officials, including the Vicar General, Msgr. Thomas M. Muldowney, V.G., at 570-207-2269.

BISHOP LEADING JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA: Bishop Joseph C. Bambera invites the faithful to join him on a special pilgrimage to Spain and Portugal in honor of the 100th anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima's appearance to three young shepherd children in 1917. **The pilgrimage will take place September 18-26, 2017 and will include Masses celebrated by the Bishop and visits to many sacred and historic sites, including nearly two days in Fatima where the Marian apparitions occurred.**

The Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God, appeared six times to the children – Lucia, Francisco and Jacinta – near the town of Fatima, Portugal between May 13 and October 13, 1917. During a time of war and turmoil, she told them that she had been sent by God with a message that Heaven would grant peace to all the world if her requests for prayer, reparation and consecration were heard and obeyed. The apparitions culminated in an inexplicable spectacle on October 13, when 70,000 onlookers witnessed the sun spinning like a ball in the sky.

Space is limited, so it is recommended that you call as soon as possible for reservations. All arrangements and reservations are to be made through TRAVELWORLD. For information, call TRAVELWORLD at 800-828-6029 or visit www.asktravelworld.com.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: All adult Catholics (age 18 and over) are expected to be officially registered in a Parish and participating at Mass and the other Sacraments on a regular basis. If you have graduated from College or High School and are now employed, you are expected to join on your own unless you are attending college or a trade school.

In order for a child to receive First Penance, First Eucharist or Confirmation, at least one of their parents or legal guardian must belong to and participate in our Parish. If you need to register or have any questions, please feel free to contact the Parish Office at 570-836-3275.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

I.S.L.I. (International Student Leadership Institute)

The next ISLI Retreat will be held at **Camp Ladore** in Waymart from **Friday, February 24th – Sunday, February 26th**. I.S.L.I. (International Student Leadership Institute) is open to all high school students who wish to learn about leadership and improve their already existing decision-making and problem-solving skills through the teachings of the Catholic faith. Online registration is now open. There are a limited number of spaces available, so don't delay.

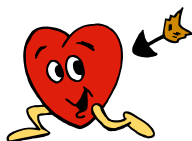


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VALENTINE DINNER DANCE: Tickets are now available for this year's Valentine's Day Dinner Dance, featuring "amRadio", on **Saturday, February 11th from 6:00-11:00PM.**



Cost is **\$32.50 per person** and includes dinner, dessert, dancing and set-ups for BYOB. **Tickets are available at the Parish Office during normal business hours or at Antonio's Restaurant in the Weis Plaza.** Please contact the Parish Office (570-836-3275) with any questions.

DIOCESAN NEWS

"Tending to Self"

February 11th – 9:00AM-4:00PM

Diocesan Pastoral Center

330 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton

Lisa Rigau, RN, MS, sports and wellness nutritionist, will share the importance of self-care for good ministry. She offers training in the practice of loving kindness and self-compassion through contemplative prayer, mindfulness, mindful eating and conversation.

This workshop will involve teaching, discussion and trying out what you learn.

Participants are asked to wear comfortable clothing.

The cost of registration for the workshop is \$30.00, payable to the Diocese of Scranton. Register online at www.dioceseofscranton.org

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK: The 25th World Day of the Sick will be celebrated on **Saturday, February 11th.** Parishes around the diocese are encouraged to offer a Mass for the Sick that includes the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick either on February 11th or another convenient day near it. Resources for World Day of the Sick can be found on the diocesan website.

2017 MASS INTENTIONS: Masses are filling up fast. Mass intentions for the **2017** calendar year will be booked on a first-come, first served basis. To avoid delays, please be sure to indicate whether each intention is for a person living or deceased, Catholic or non-Catholic. The offering for an announced Mass is \$10.00 and the names will be printed in the parish bulletin and announced at the Mass.

HAVE YOU BEEN ASKED TO BE A SPONSOR? It is a wonderful honor to be asked to be a sponsor for Baptism and Confirmation. It signifies that you are being asked to live your life as an example and in imitation of God's love for the person you sponsor.

To serve as a sponsor, it is required that a person obtain a sponsor letter from his/her pastor. Sponsors must be at least 16 years of age, have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist, Confirmation, (If married) be married according to the regulations for marriage as provided by the Roman Catholic Church, officially registered and participating weekly in the Sunday Eucharist & actively striving to live out your own baptismal commitment to Christ.

SOME GOOD INFORMATION FROM THE MAYO CLINIC REGARDING DRINKING WATER

A cardiologist determined that **heart attacks can be triggered by dehydration.** Good thing to know! How many folks do you know who say they don't want to drink anything before going to bed because they'll have to get up during the night?

Heart Attack and Water - Drinking one glass of water before going to bed avoids stroke or heart attack.

Interesting.....Something else I didn't know ... I asked my Doctor why people need to urinate so much at night time. Answer from my Cardiac Doctor: Gravity holds water in the lower part of your body when you are upright (legs swell). When you lie down and the lower body seeks level with the kidneys, it is then that the kidneys remove the water because it is easier. I knew you needed your minimum water to help flush the toxins out of your body, but this was news to me.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that you inspire young people whom you call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow your will. Send workers into your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and your people are strengthened by the sacraments. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

LOWER WYOMING COUNTY FOOD PANTRY: The Lower Wyoming County Food pantry is in need of desserts. A donation would be much appreciated as the pantry does not purchase desserts.

Thank you for your consideration and donations to the blue box by the hall....you really do make a difference on the shelves for those in our neighborhood who need help with groceries. If you or your neighbor needs help with groceries, the pantry is open the first and third Thursday of the month from 9:00-11:30AM at the Lake Winola United Methodist churchor call Mary Lou Franko (570-586-4811) anytime. God Bless!

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES/COUNSELING SERVICES

AVAILABLE: Catholic Social Services of The Diocese of Scranton offers compassionate counseling in a safe, comfortable environment where your privacy is always respected. Counseling is about self-discovery and can be used for personal growth or when distressing conditions exist and you need a bit of extra support... help is available. Anyone who struggles with anxiety, depression, grief and loss, life transitions or a variety of emotional or psychological conditions is welcome. For more information or to make an appointment, call 570-207-2283.



LOCAL CATHOLIC RADIO STATION
JMJ RADIO 750AM or 98.9FM



MILITARY HONOR ROLL
PLEASE KEEP ALL MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY IN YOUR PRAYERS DURING THIS TIME OF UNCERTAINTY

If you have a relative or friend serving in the military, please let us know so that we can include their name on our Honor Roll

NIGHT PRAYERS with DEACON RAY

Tuesday evening prayers 5:00PM @ Winola View Apartments All are welcome!



PRO-LIFE ROSE

The Pro-Life red rose in front of the statue of Mary at Nativity this week is in loving memory of

Barb Jones

Donated by Peggy Finnegan & family



If you would like to donate for a Pro-Life Rose at Nativity, please contact Diane Stone (570-836-3055)



This ultra-fine StreakFree Microfiber Cloth does not damage any surface. The fibers grab and hold dirt, dust and grime. This is the magnet effect. Single fiber is approximately 1/20th the diameter of a strand of silk. Disperses oil, grease, dirt, grime, film, dust. Tough on dirt and gentle on surface.

Great for all cleaning projects!! Available at the Parish Office Only **\$5.00**

Seven Loaves Soup Kitchen, 51 Warren Street in Tunkhannock (formerly the P&G Credit Union building), serves a hearty meal every Monday through Friday

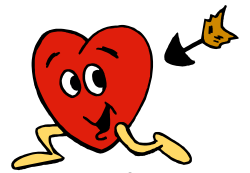


from 5:00-6:30PM. There is no charge and all are welcome. Those who desire to volunteer to work at the kitchen or to donate food or make a financial contribution are asked to contact 570-996-5005 or 570-836-3145.



If your child's crying or talking becomes excessive or disruptive to others, please be considerate and use the cry rooms in our churches.

Nativity B.V.M. Annual
Valentine's Day Dinner Dance



Saturday, February 11th
 Fr. Nallin Hall
 6:00 - 11:00PM

Cost: \$32.50 per person

Featuring "am Radio"

Tickets available now at the parish office and at Antonio's Pizzeria in the Weis Plaza, Rt. 29

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRIES

St. Mary of the Lake
 Thursdays from 5:30-7:00PM in the Parish Hall

All women of the parish are invited to join us.

Nativity BVM

In need of a prayer shawl? Please call Sue Barziloski (570-836-1351)



Eucharistic Adoration



Eucharistic Adoration will be held every Wednesday from 6:00PM until 7:00PM at Nativity BVM Church. All are welcome to join us.

Line Dancing

Wednesday evening
 7:00-8:30PM Fr. Nallin Hall
 All are welcome



Have You Moved?



If you have recently moved or had an address change, please contact the parish office at 570-836-3275 so that our records may be updated.

We are still getting back mailings to Rural Routes (RRs) that the Post Office is no longer delivering. Unless you contact the Parish Office with a mailable address, your information will be eliminated from our parish registration listing.

RELIGIOUS WIT

The Will of God never takes you to where the Grace of God will not protect you.

We don't change the message, the message changes us.

**THE MOST BLESSED
SACRAMENT IS RESERVED
WHERE MASS IS SAID
We respectfully ask that all
observe a reverent silence
and appropriate dress**

Sacramental Preparation

BAPTISM

Parents must be registered in the Parish. In order to understand and appreciate the Sacrament of Baptism, first time expectant parents are required to attend one pre-Baptism instruction. A call to the Parish Office 4 months before your child is due will make the scheduling of your session easier and give you ample time to prepare for this Sacrament of Initiation to the life of grace.

MARRIAGE

The engaged couple is asked to call the Parish Office and arrange an appointment with the priest. Please allow 12 months for the completion of the necessary preparations. Do not enter into any other commitments before confirming a wedding date and time in the parish.

Confession Schedule

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated **every Saturday:**

St. Mary of the Lake

.....**3:15-3:45PM**

Nativity of the BVM

.....**4:15-4:45PM**

or **at any time by appointment.**

Contact the Parish Office (836-3275).

Cemetery Lots Available

Pieta Cemetery, one of our Parish Cemeteries (located on Dark Hollow Road in Tunkhannock Township) **has burial lots available.** For further info, to view the map of available lots and to inquire about prices & regulations, please contact our Parish Secretary, Mary Lou, at the Parish Office (570-836-3275).

Community News

TRADITIONAL HOME HEALTH AND HOSPICE is currently seeking volunteers to be part of our team in providing quality care for our hospice patients. Volunteers are an integral part of the Hospice philosophy, giving their time and presence to the patients and their families we serve. We offer one-on-one patient time, in-office volunteer time & opportunities for student community service hours. No experience is necessary. The qualities we seek are a ready smile, a willingness to lend a hand and an open ear to listen and learn. Please contact Kathleen Haikes at 570-207-9286.

FREE OLD LYNN CONCERTS

Come out to the Old Lynn Concerts for a fun Saturday night.

Concert schedule (7:00PM):

January 21 - Bob Warren

February 04 - Tim Grimm

March 11 - Jay Smar

April 01 - Claudia Nygaard

May 06 - Steve Gillette & Cindy Mangsen

The converted church has great acoustics & a friendly feel. The free entertainment can't be beat. Feel free to bring some finger foods for the intermission. Chances will be sold for homemade items. The venue is located off Route 29 past Lake Walter in Springville. First left after the lake – look for a sign at the turn.

March of Dimes Gala

Saturday March 4th – 6:00-11:00PM

The Glen Oak Country Club

250 Oakford Way, Waverly PA 18411

Black tie optional; mention March of Dimes

Team Nate 807 at Tuxedo by Sarno and receive a discount

Ticket: \$50.00 includes:

Cocktail hour with hors d'oeuvres, open bar and live music by

John Hollenbaugh of the Poets

Dinner Buffet followed by

Cash bar and entertainment by EJ the DJ Raffle baskets and 50/50 tickets available for purchase

Contact **Heidi George** at **570-862-1749** by **February 18th**

Payment in cash or check made out to Heidi George due by February 25th

The Humane Society of Wyoming County, Inc.

570-836-4745

www.hswcPA.org

The Humane Society of Wyoming County is a non-profit, tax-exempt, all volunteer organization. Volunteers and donations always needed.

If anyone suspects animal neglect/abuse, they should contact us. All calls are confidential.

St. Mary of the Lake CCD News

This week's 9:00AM Mass is hosted by Ms. Migliori's 4th grade class. Participants are:

Greeters..... **Whole class**

Ushers..... **Erin Van Ness**

..... **Isaiah Williams**

First Reading **Logan Zdaniewicz**

Second Reading **Anthony Williams**

Petitions **Logan Zdaniewicz**

..... **Anthony Williams**

Gift Bearers **Whole class**

Next week's gifts will be brought up

by First Holy Communion candidate

Sean Burton & family.

God bless,

Jenny Sinker

Nativity BVM CCD News

The **fifth grade** will be hosting the **9:00AM Mass this Sunday.**

Participants are:

First Reading **Lauren Kovalchick**

Second Reading **Elaina Kulsicavage**

Petitions **Samantha Roerig**

..... **Hannah Eckert**

Gifts **Evan Davis**

..... **Cooper Millington**

..... **Wyatt Stauffer**

..... **William Boyd**

..... **Hunter Burry**

Altar Servers..... **Helen Bellucci**

..... **Thomas Bellucci**

..... **Marcus Binner**

Ushers..... **Paul Litwin**

..... **Olivia Myers**

..... **Hunter Kulsicavage**

..... **Evan Montross**

Teacher..... **Rita Fitzgerald**

Aides..... **Matthew Colavitti**

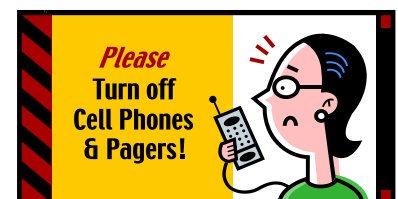
..... **Brett Sickler**

Mrs. B.

Words of Life

"From each tiny child waiting to be born, to individuals nearing death, all are precious and deserve our care and protection. ... Let's ask God to make us channels of his loving mercy."

**Cardinal Timothy M. Dolan, Chairman
USCCB Comm. on Pro-Life Activities
2016 Respect Life Month Statement**



NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASS SCHEDULE – WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2017

SATURDAY	JAN.	21	5:00PM	DOROTHY KOVALCHICK – OFFERED BY GLORIA JONES
SUNDAY	JAN.	22	7:30AM	FRANK AMBRUTIS – OFFERED BY DAN & JOAN STROKA
			9:00AM	CARMELA LIGUORI – OFFERED BY BUD & GRACE DeBOER
			11:00AM	EDMUND KOWALSKI – OFFERED BY HIS DAUGHTER CAROLE GERZAROWSKI
MONDAY	JAN.	23	7:00AM	BARBARA JONES – OFFERED BY MARY OLSHAN
TUESDAY	JAN.	24	7:00AM	NO MASS
WEDNESDAY	JAN.	25	7:00AM	HARRY LAYAOU SR. – OFFERED BY NORM HARDING
THURSDAY	JAN.	26	7:00AM	NO MASS
FRIDAY	JAN.	27	7:00AM	ONDINA BLOMAIN – OFFERED BY MARTIN & WENDY MEEHAN
SATURDAY	JAN.	28	5:00PM	JOAN BETTS – OFFERED BY GLORIA THOMAS
SUNDAY	JAN.	29	7:30AM	MATILDA SALERNO – OFFERED BY KEN & MILLIE FRANK
			9:00AM	CARMELA LIGUORI – OFFERED BY BUD & GRACE DeBOER
			11:00AM	BOB VOGEL – OFFERED BY HIS FAMILY

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

	<u>SAT. JAN 21 & SUN. JAN. 22</u>	<u>SATURDAY 5:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 7:30AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 11:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)		DOLORES KENNEDY SUSAN BARZILOSKI CINDY BROWN	AGNES MASSACESI NAN DeMARCO ALISHA NUDO	JOHN KEEFE GENE SCHWEITZER CARL SHINKO	LISA RANSOM DIANE STONE DOLORES MANGANELLA
LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)		GRETA KOVALCHICK KENNETH FILER JACK ZEUNEN MARY ZEUNEN	CHRIS DeMARCO AIDEN BURRY MAIA BURRY KATHRYN CUSATIS	5TH GRADE CCD CLASS HELEN BELLUCCI THOMAS BELLUCCI MARCUS BINNER	JOHN BURKE MICHAEL BARDZEL ANTHONY ECKERT HANNAH ECKERT
OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS		SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	5TH GRADE CCD CLASS D. NOLE, J. MITCHELL, G. LUPINSKI	SELECTION BY USHERS
	<u>SAT. JAN. 28 & SUN. JAN. 29</u>	<u>SATURDAY 5:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 7:30AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 11:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)		DEACON RAY SUSAN BARZILOSKI JOAN CHAPDELAINE	AGNES MASSACESI ALISHA NUDO NAN DeMARCO	DEACON RAY GENE SCHWEITZER ROY BRODY	LISA RANSOM GARY TEWKSBURY DOLORES MANGANELLA
LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)		PAT MURRAY OLIVIA CARICHNER EMMA ELIAS THOMAS ELIAS	SAM ELIAS ELIZABETH DeMARCO LEAH DeMARCO NICHOLAS DeMARCO	BARBARA KALISH KAYLA BINNER ALEX BRODY EVAN BRODY	GLORIA PASTERNAK ABIGAIL KALETA MATTHEW KALETA ALEX KEISER
OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS		SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS K. FRANK, M. FRANK, G. & B. KOVALCHICK	SELECTION BY USHERS

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

----- **THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED**, ESPECIALLY: CAROLYN MYERS, ELISSA ROSE, LYLE STURDEVANT, MARYN KUKUCHKA, LILLIAN KRISTUNAS, RUTH KUKUCKA, JENNIFER BUNNELL, RITA BERCHEM, MARIE STAIR, MELISSA HENNING HILL, MARY ANN BROWN, ELIZABETH CALLAHAN, RICHELE MORTIMER, CHERYL MacDONALD SWEET, AIDAN HOLMAN, TRISTAN EVANS, JOSEPH E. QUINN, ANGELIQUE ALEXANDRA PREVOST, HEATHER STEGNER, BARBARA CHAPMAN, MARGE HOLUB, ELEANOR FOSTER, MATTHEW LEWIS, DONALD TRAVER, DAWN DOMMES, MICHELLE HUERBIN, CAROLYN ROZANSKI, DOROTHY KOZLOSKI, MARGARET KINTNER, TRUDY FISK, MARY KUKUCHKA, MARY BOLOUSKI, EMMY COIA, DARRIN McGAVIN, FATHER BILL WILSON, EDWARD KIMBEL, CHERYL SANDS, SUSAN BOLOUSKI McANDREWS, NANCY ROBINSON, GARRET CONOVER, BECKY REESE, CLETUS MacDONALD, MERCEDES ANDERSON, ANALISA DOMINIC, VERA PRAWDZIK, JACOB WALTER CURTIS, MATTHEW FORTSE, ARTHUR BUNNELL, TED BUNNELL, HELEN TALARICO, PAUL GOODRICH, MYRON LaBAR, DON WHITE, DAVID TRESSLER SR., CAROL McGINLEY, CAROL COBB, BRENT RANSOM, JEAN YABLONSKI, LUCAS SETH BOYANOWSKI, AUSTIN THOMAS, LYNNE BINNER, JIM BORDEN, ROSE ANN WHITE, JERRY STROKA, BEN BROWN, LINDA NIEMIEC, DIANE THOMPSON, BILL IVEY, DEBBIE GAY, ROSEANN GEORGE, SHELLIE SEYMORE, MARILYN BRODY, MONTANA COLE, BECKY REESE, CAROL GAYLORD, CHRIS OLSHAN, JR., HELEN RAIL, ANN ZACKARIAS, GRACE STURDEVANT, CHRISTOPHER BELL, CHARLOTTE SMITH, FLORENCE KEYES, LINDA RUEHLMAN, PETER BROZUSKY, SHERI RAIL, BONNIE LaFLEUR, ROY PREVOST, MARY DELMAR.

----- THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED AND THE NEEDS OF OUR PARISH AND PARISHIONERS.

PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE (836-3275) IF ANYONE IS HOSPITALIZED OR ILL OR IN NEED OF PRAYERS.

SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE IS AVAILABLE TO BURN FOR YOUR INTENTION CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT (570) 836-3275

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering \$4,376.00

NATIVITY BVM CALENDAR

JAN. 22	CCD CLASS/5 TH GRADE MASS – 9:00AM/ CONFIRMATION CLASS	FEB. 05	BIBLE STUDY GROUP – 7:00PM – FNH UPSTAIRS CLASSROOM
JAN. 25	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – 6:00-7:00PM	FEB. 08	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – 6:00-7:00PM
JAN. 29	CCD CLASS	FEB. 11	VALENTINE DINNER DANCE – 6:00-11:00PM – FATHER NALLIN HALL
JAN. 29	BIBLE STUDY GROUP – 7:00PM – FNH UPSTAIRS CLASSROOM	FEB. 12	CCD CLASS
FEB. 01	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – 6:00-7:00PM	FEB. 12	BIBLE STUDY GROUP – 7:00PM – FNH UPSTAIRS CLASSROOM
FEB. 04	FIRST PENANCE SERVICE – 10:00AM	FEB. 15	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – 6:00 – 7:00PM
FEB. 05	CCD BANNER SUNDAY – 10:00AM – FNH/ CONFIRMATION CLASS	FEB. 19	FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MTG – 6:30-7:30PM FNH (MANDATORY FOR 1 PARENT) CONFIRMATION CLASS
FEB. 05	SCOUT SUNDAY – 11:00AM		

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE - WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2017

SATURDAY	JAN.	21	4:00PM	ROGER BETTS – OFFERED BY CARL, MARIE & KATIE PACKER
SUNDAY	JAN.	22	9:00AM	STEVEN FERRUGGIA – OFFERED BY CHIP, JUDI AND MAURA MENSINGER
MONDAY	JAN.	23	8:00AM	JOAN DAVITT – OFFERED BY ST. MARY OF THE LAKE ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY
TUESDAY	JAN.	24	8:00AM	LOIS RAIL – OFFERED BY FRAN MOLLUSKY
WEDNESDAY	JAN.	25	8:00AM	NO MASS
THURSDAY	JAN.	26	8:00AM	BOB JOHNSON – OFFERED BY HIS FAMILY
FRIDAY	JAN.	27	8:00AM	NO MASS
SATURDAY	JAN.	28	4:00PM	JIM & DEBRA McCORMICK – OFFERED BY ST. MARY OF THE LAKE SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY
SUNDAY	JAN.	29	9:00AM	PAT WILLIAMS – OFFERED BY GEORGE & ELLIE DOUGHERTY

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

<u>SAT. JAN. 21 & SUN. JAN. 22</u>	<u>SATURDAY 4:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	DEACON RAY JONI JAMES MARIE PACKER	DEACON RAY JERRY HILDEBRAND SUSAN HILDEBRAND
LECTORS ALTAR SERVER(S)	LISA JANOSKI MICHAEL GREEN	4TH GRADE CCD CLASS DANIEL DRISCOLE ASHLEY KENIA RACHEL KENIA
USHERS GREETERS OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS	BERNIE GARVEY & CARL PACKER PAT STEAD SELECTION BY USHERS	4TH GRADE CCD CLASS 4TH GRADE CCD CLASS 4TH GRADE CCD CLASS JACK HADDOW & KAY NOREIKA
<u>SAT. JAN. 28 & SUN. JAN. 29</u>	<u>SATURDAY 4:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	JONI JAMES LISA JANOSKI CARMEL WILLIAMS	LEN NASH DAVID SHYGELSKI JOAN STROKA
LECTORS ALTAR SERVER(S)	BOB ANDREWS CAITLIN ANDREWS	SEB NARO OWEN BERKHIMER ADRIEN FRANKO ZACH ZELNA
USHERS GREETERS OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS	JIM BILLINGS & BILL SHAW JANET SHAW SELECTION BY USHERS	DAVE SINKER & DJ SINKER JOYCE NARO SEAN BURTON & FAMILY JACK HADDOW & FRAN MOLLUSKY

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole who healed those who believed. Amen.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

--- THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED, ESPECIALLY: SANDRA SLOWEY, LORI PIERCE, LISA FREITAS, TRACY IRISH, CHRISTINA REEVES, JACKI NIERATKO, CARMEN PIERCE, ELAINE HUG, CHARLIE RUSSELLO, ANNETTE SMITH, LYNN POLLINI, AVA MASON, LYNN McGLYNN, BONNIE KILGANNON, ANGIE HNATKO, RUSTY PERKINS, ANASTASIA TECHKY, JULIA KAIFER, MICHELLE HUERBIN, SHIRLEY DZIAK, JENNIFER BUNNELL, MARIE SCHOEN, JOSEPH PIERCE, THELMA SHEBBY, EDD KILGANNON, AUDREY DAVIS, SHIRLEY ROCHA, DOT JOHNSON, JERRY LAMONICA, JAMES DOUGHERTY, JESSICA MIGLIORI, STACIE MAGNECZ, TAMMY MIGLIORI, MELISSA HENNING HILL, MICHAEL BOGDON, JANET EVANS, ZACHARY WILLIAMS, KERSTIN LEE MIGLIORI, PAT STEAD, BILL STEAD, KATIE PACKER, JOE IGNATOVICH, PETER POLINSKY, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., ANN SMITH, DELORES HEAGY, FRAN MOLLUSKY, PEARL PIERCE, CAROLE GREENIP, BERNICE BURANICH, CEIL IGNATOVICH, JANE CAWLEY, LOUIS C. POLLINI JR., SUE MIGLIORI, MSGR. DAVID L. TRESSLER, BERNIE KENIA, JOE SCHIAVONE, JOSEPH FRANKO, LINDA NIEMIEC, CAROLLYN DAVIS, ELLEN GAREY, LINDA ZALEWSKI, FLORENCE KEYES, MARY PETERSEN, GINNY CLARKE, JACK KARASACK.

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SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN DURING THE WEEK OF
JANUARY 22ND FOR **MARY ANN KASZUBA**
OFFERED BY HER HUSBAND GEORGE

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering \$ 1,597.75

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE CALENDAR

JAN. 22	CCD CLASS TILL NOON FOR RECONCILIATION PRACTICE/4TH GRADE MASS	MAR. 19	CCD CLASS/CONFESSIONS
JAN. 29	CCD CLASS TILL NOON FOR RECONCILIATION PRACTICE	MAR. 19	HAM & CABBAGE DINNER
FEB. 05	CCD CLASS/3RD GRADE MASS/BANNER DAY	MAR. 26	CCD CLASS/PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN GRADE MASS/CONFESSIONS
FEB. 11	FIRST RECONCILIATION – 10:00AM	MAR. 28	CONFIRMATION – 7:00PM – CATHERDRAL
FEB. 11	VALENTINE DINNER DANCE – 6:00-11:00PM – FATHER NALLIN HALL	APR. 02	CCD CLASS/FIRST HOLY COMMUNION LUNCHEON & MASS
FEB. 12	CCD CLASS/VALENTINE BREAKFAST	APR. 09	CCD CLASS/EASTER TREATS
FEB. 19	NO CCD CLASS	APR. 16	NO CCD CLASS
FEB. 26	CCD CLASS	APR. 23	CCD CLASS TILL NOON FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PRACTICE
MAR. 05	CCD CLASS/1ST GRADE MASS	APR. 30	CCD CLASS TILL NOON FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PRACTICE
MAR. 12	CCD CLASS		