



## MAY 20-21, 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

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

## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



ST. MARY OF THE LAKE  
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### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:00AM

Pastoral Council: Bernie Garvey, Chair

Finance Council: Don Ames, Chair

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:**



We are living in a time of danger and uncertainty, no doubt. However, the very same statement was made of the late 1960s in Ted Kennedy's eulogy for his slain brother Robert F. Kennedy. And subsequent generations have had to live with social unrest, violent outbursts, societal meltdown and poor leadership in many countries and we are all still here.

The focus (or should I say our Christian focus) should be on the positive prospects of our time and the potential of a better and brighter future. Sure there are despots in the world but there are also those who bring hope in areas of medicine; of course there are those who create ugly situations, but there are those who bring order and beauty through many mediums of art and literature. We can look all around us and see disadvantage or we can choose to find wonder and goodness in the midst of a sometimes mixed up world.

Our own wonderful town of Tunkhannock is about to graduate a senior class possessing many gifts and talents – those who will build a better world one day. Let us be thankful for the next generation, the stars of the future. Let us be proud of Tunkhannock's gift to our world in the young men and women who will make our nation and our world a better place for all of us.

May God bless the Tunkhannock Area High School Class of 2017.

*Fr. Pat*

**BVM CARNATION SALE:** We want to thank everyone who purchased carnations on Mother's Day in support of the important activities of Pennsylvanians for Human Life. **We received \$507.00 in this fundraiser.**



A special thank you to the following parishioners who helped with this fundraiser:

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|------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>John Brostoski</b>  | <b>Heather Betts</b>      |
| <b>Agnes Massacesi</b> | <b>Sue Barzilosi</b>      |
| <b>Dolores Kennedy</b> | <b>Sandy Camburn</b>      |
| <b>Theresa Caines</b>  | <b>Ruth Nole</b>          |
| <b>Ruth Tewksbury</b>  | <b>Kayla Binner</b>       |
|                        | <b>Diane Stone</b>        |
|                        | <b>Pro-Life Committee</b> |



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

**UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

**Catholic Communications Campaign .....May 27-28**  
**Clergy Care & Education .....June 03-04**

**SACRIFICIAL OFFERING: May 13-14, 2017**

**Nativity BVM Church:**

Weekly Collection Goal\* .....\$ 4,800.00  
 Actual Offertory\*\* .....\$ 5,060.00  
 Difference:.....\$ **260.00**

**St. Mary of the Lake Church:**

Weekly Collection Goal\* .....\$ 2,000.00  
 Actual Offertory\*\* .....\$ 1,677.72  
 Difference:.....\$ **( 322.28)**

\*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 Easter or 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.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR: St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society** will be having a **bake sale** after the Masses **next weekend, May 27-28**. If you would like to help, please call Dee Pasko (570-378-2834).

**MASS SCHEDULE – FEAST OF THE ASCENSION (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)**

Nativity BVM  
**Thursday, 05/25 ..... 7:00AM**  
 ..... **7:00PM**  
St. Mary of the Lake  
**Thursday, 05/25 ..... 8:00AM**  
 ..... **7:00PM**

**2017 MASS INTENTIONS: Masses are really 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; names will be printed in the parish bulletin and announced at the Mass.

**POPE FRANCIS QUOTES:** The equal dignity of men and women makes us rejoice to see old forms of discrimination disappear, and within families there is a growing reciprocity. If certain forms of feminism have arisen which we must consider inadequate, we must nonetheless see in the women's movement the working of the Spirit for a clearer recognition of the dignity and rights of women.



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

**PARISH MEETINGS SCHEDULE**

**Nativity BVM**

~~May 8<sup>th</sup> - Buildings & Grounds - 10:00AM - FNH~~  
~~May 9<sup>th</sup> - Cemetery Comm. - 6:30PM - Rectory~~  
~~May 15<sup>th</sup> - Finance Council - 6:30PM - Rectory~~  
~~May 16<sup>th</sup> - Parish Council - 6:30PM - FNH~~

**St. Mary of the Lake**

May 23<sup>rd</sup> - Building & Grounds - 6:30PM - Hall  
 May 24<sup>th</sup> - "Baskets Galore" - 6:30PM - Hospitality  
 May 30<sup>th</sup> - Finance Council - 6:30PM - Hall  
 June 1<sup>st</sup> - Parish Council - 6:30PM - Hall

**SML "BASKETS GALORE" 2017:** There will be a meeting to discuss our parish's participation at the 2017 Wyoming County Community Fair:

**Wednesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> - 6:30PM - Hospitality Room**

We welcome everyone who is willing to participate in our fundraiser (donating a basket, staffing the booth, assisting with the planning & administration of our fundraiser) to attend the meeting. If you have questions or concerns, please bring them so we can review and address them. We want to be fully prepared - September isn't that far away!

Mary Ann Barni  
 Chairperson

**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.



**CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL:** The 35<sup>th</sup> annual conference is scheduled for August 4-6 at the University of Scranton. Our local CCR invites everyone to experience its numerous prayer meetings and other events as the CCR celebrates its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

**DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

Our daily Mass schedule is:

**Nativity BVM Church**

Monday, Wednesday, Friday ..... 7:00AM

**St. Mary of the Lake Church**

Tuesday, Thursday ..... 8:00AM

**When there is a school delay or closure due to inclement weather, no Mass will be celebrated.**

**NATIVITY'S ACCLAIMED PIEROGIES:**

Pierogies are 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.



**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS:** Nativity BVM Parish is the trustee of the Anne Keene Townsend Scholarship Fund. Any graduating senior who meets the basic requirements is eligible to receive a scholarship from this fund to help with his/her advanced education in any University, College or trade/vocational school. High School Seniors (public, parochial, private or home-schooled) who are **registered and participating members of either Nativity BVM Church or St. Mary of the Lake Church** are invited to complete an application for this cash scholarship. **The application is available in the Parish Office.** An essay on the topic "How do you witness your faith with your peers and friends" should accompany the application. **It is due back in the parish office no later than 2:00PM on Tuesday, May 30<sup>th</sup>.** The scholarships will be awarded by June 15<sup>th</sup>.

**NATIVITY / ST. MARY'S TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVE**



**Two Parish Families - One Faith Community**

**Have you checked out our new website at [www.nativitystmary.org](http://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 also direct 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](mailto:nativitybvmchurch@frontier.com) or [stmaryofthelake@frontier.com](mailto:stmaryofthelake@frontier.com).**

**SML FLOWERS:** White roses on the altar this weekend at St. Mary of the Lake Church are in memory of **MARYANN KASZUBA**, donated by her husband George.



**CAMP NEWS:** Registration is ongoing for 2017 summer camp programs at United Neighborhood Centers of NEPA's **Camp Kelly (formerly Camp St. Andrew)**. Week-long Girls Resident, Girls Basketball, Boys Resident, and Boys Basketball camps are all available, as well as a Father/Son Weekend and Women's Weekend. For more information, or to register online, visit [www.uncnepa.org/campkelly](http://www.uncnepa.org/campkelly) or call 570-346-0759.



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**WEDDING BELLS:** We extend our warm congratulations to **JOSEF REESE** and **SARAH STARZEC**, who were married in Nativity BVM Church this past Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:30PM by Fr. Pat. May God bless them and give them many wonderful years of married life.



**CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY/ ROME/MONTE CASSINO/NAPLES/POMPEII/AMALFI COAST**

September 11 - 20, 2017  
 \$3,799.00 per person including air from Scranton  
 Breakfast & Dinner Daily  
 Mass daily at the Holy Shrines  
 For a Flyer or more detailed information, please call Cathie or Michael Milano at 1-800-773-2660

**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!!!

**COMMUNITY HEALING SERVICES**

First Sunday of each month @ 6:00PM  
 St. Peter's Episcopal Church  
 Route 6, Tunkhannock

For more information or prayer contact:

Colleen Williams – (570) 836-5485 or  
 John Hardman-Zimmerman – (570) 289-5077

**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.*

**NEED A HAND?** Need a hand running an errand, getting something at the store, mailing something at the post office, light housekeeping? Call 570-954-2890 and ask for Marie. No task too small, just ask her and she'll be glad to "lend a hand."

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

The Tunkhannock Business and Professional Women invite you to attend a Brunch honoring Janice Shaffer, founder of Seven Loaves Soup Kitchen in Tunkhannock, as our 2017 Woman of the Year. The brunch is scheduled for Saturday May 27<sup>th</sup> at the Moose Lodge at 12:30PM with registration beginning at Noon. The cost of the brunch is \$15.00 per person. Reservations can be made by calling Cindy Adams at 570-836-5907 or Donna Montross Matylewicz at 570-378-2335.

**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](http://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.

**PLANNING YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISM?**

Here are a few things to keep in mind:

- Parents must participate in a Baptism Preparation Session with the Pastor before the Baptism date is scheduled.
- At least one Godparent must be a practicing Roman Catholic verified by the Godparent's parish.
- Parents must be registered and PARTICIPATING parishioners of Nativity BVM or St. Mary of the Lake for at least 6 months. If they are from another parish, they must have the written approval of their Pastor to have their child baptized here. The approval letter must state that they are registered and participating parishioners at that parish and provide the reason for having the baptism scheduled here (ex., out of town and family/relatives live in our area, etc.). Please call the Parish Office to schedule your Baptism appointment (570-836-3275) or for more information.



**ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE GLORY OF GOD:**

We like to see our altars reflect floral beauty all year long. You are encouraged to offer a floral bouquet in memory of a loved one, for a special intention or in thanksgiving. **Intentions and donors will be listed in the bulletin unless you request otherwise.**



## BOY SCOUT NEWS

### Next Committee Meeting:

June 12<sup>th</sup>

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

July 24<sup>th</sup>



### CATHOLIC SCOUTING AWARDS:

#### Boy Scout "Ad Altare Dei" award

Classes for the Ad Altare Dei religious award will begin on Wednesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM at St. John's Lutheran Church, 410 S. River Street, Wilkes-Barre. Roman Catholic boy scouts enrolled in grades 7-9 (Fall 2017) are eligible for the Ad Altare Dei award.

#### Boy Scout Pope Pius XII award

Classes for the Pope Pius XII religious award will begin on Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:45PM at St. John's Lutheran Church, 410 S. River Street, Wilkes-Barre. Roman Catholic and Byzantine Catholic boy scouts enrolled in grades 9-12 are eligible for the Pope Pius award. Also eligible are Eagle Scouts who will be 18 years of age after they receive the award, and Venture & Varsity scouts who will be 21 years of age after they receive the award.

For more information, call Mr. Ky Iazzari at 570-825-2648. If no answer, please leave a message, or call Mary Anne Malone at 570-207-2213.

**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](http://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](http://www.twitter.com/BishopBambera)

Also check out our Facebook page:

[www.facebook.com/DioceseOfScranton](http://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/>



**WEDDING BELLS:** We extend our warm congratulations to **ALAN BRIAN FLANAGAN** and **JUDITH ANN COOPER**,

who were married in Nativity BVM Church on Friday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:30PM by Fr. Pat. May God bless them and give them many wonderful years of married life.

**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.

**LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR GOLF TOURNAMENT:** The Little Sisters of the Poor will host their eleventh annual golf tournament on **Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at the Scranton Municipal Golf Course**, Mount Cobb.

Golf tournament registration begins at noon with a shotgun start at 1:00PM. The format is captain and crew. Singles will be placed on a team. The cost is **\$100.00 per golfer**, which includes green fees, use of a cart, an official tournament shirt, a gift bag, a pre-tournament refreshment reception, a light meal during the tournament and a post-tournament dinner at the course clubhouse. Golfers will also have a chance to win prizes based on their performance in the tournament, including a new car courtesy of Matt Burne Honda, Scranton. Several types of golf and sponsorship packages, which are great advertising vehicles, are also available including hole signs for \$100.00 and sponsorships of \$250.00, \$500.00, \$750.00 and \$1,000.00. There also will be a grand raffle of the Sisters' famous gift baskets with numerous prizes valued at over \$100.00.

For more information, please contact Mrs. Jackie Galvin, M.S., Director of Development and Communications, at (570) 343-4065 ext. 3144 or [scdevelopment@littlesistersofthepoor.org](mailto:scdevelopment@littlesistersofthepoor.org).

Golf registration is also available at [www.littlesistersofthepoorscranton.org](http://www.littlesistersofthepoorscranton.org).

All proceeds will be used to defer the costs of patient lifts and standing and raising aids for the residents of Holy Family Residence.



**LOCAL CATHOLIC RADIO STATION**  
**JMJ RADIO 750AM or 98.9FM**

**REMEMBRANCE OF THE DEAD:** Your prayers are requested for the soul of **EDNA ZELNA**, mother of St. Mary of the Lake parishioner Al Zelna, who passed away this week. 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.



**CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION**

**CAMPAIGN:** Next week, our second collection is for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. Fifty percent of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message! To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).



**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.

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

"Intro to Dog & Puppy Training"

Sponsored by: Humane Society of Wyoming County  
Tunkhannock Agricultural Bldg. – Route 92  
Sundays – June 4<sup>th</sup> to June 25<sup>th</sup>

Puppies (2 mos. to 5 mos.) – 2:00-3:00PM  
Dogs (6 mos. & older) – 3:00-4:00PM

Cost: \$5.00 per class session  
(come to any or all classes)

Registration & info: 570-378-2786  
Rabies vaccination verification for dogs 3 mos. & older is required.  
Vaccinations are encouraged as recommended by your Veterinarian.

**LIGHTHOUSE MEDIA:** We want to remind you that our parishes are pleased to offer the Lighthouse Media bookracks in our churches and in Fr. Nallin Hall. The response to the availability of this resource has been excellent. Many of our parishioners have taken the opportunity to read one or more of the excellent printed materials and to listen to the CDs. There's a wealth of good information in these resources and we encourage all of our parishioners to pick up one of the items and give it a try. Be sure and let us know how you feel about these resources. Better yet, let others know.

**ATTENTION ST. MARY'S ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY MINISTRY MEMBERS:** If you would like to attend a "Highway Clean-up Safety Program" sponsored by the Kiwanis Club and the Wyoming County District Attorney's office, please call Janet or Bill Shaw at 570-378-2605 to RSVP. The program will be held at the **Triton Hose Company on Thursday, June 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:45PM.**

Ron Williams is currently working to get us safety gloves to work with, ones that are more sturdy than the ones we have been receiving with our materials from PennDOT.

**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.

(cf. Code of Canon Law, c. 874)

**MAKING A DIFFERENCE:** Leaving early and coming late & how we dress for Mass are all symptomatic of a decreasing respect for the sacred in our lives. Everything is so optional and casual in our daily lives that somehow we have come to apply that attitude to the Eucharist (the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass). The respect, awe, and reverence once reserved to this great mystery has become lost on so many Catholics. When we are guests at the table of others or even hosts at our own tables, we certainly don't feel free to walk out as we please. If we were invited by the President of the United States to a dinner at the White House how would we act? What respect would we show? So, why do we feel that at the Eucharist, which is the Lord's table - the making present "again" of the Sacrifice of Calvary, that our departure has no significance?

Father Charles Bober

**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.



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### **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 100<sup>th</sup> 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, visit [www.asktravelworld.com](http://www.asktravelworld.com) or 800-828-6029.

### **CANONIZATIONS AT FATIMA**

Pope Francis added two Portuguese shepherd children to the roster of Catholic saints, honoring young siblings whose reported visions of the Virgin Mary 100 years ago turned the Portuguese farm town of Fatima into one of the world's most important Catholic shrines.

Francis proclaimed Francisco and Jacinta Marto saints at the start of Mass marking the centenary of their visions. Hundreds of thousands of pilgrims were on hand, many of whom had spent days at Fatima in quiet prayer, reciting rosaries before a statue of the Madonna. They clapped as soon as Francis read the proclamation aloud. The Martos now become the youngest saints who didn't die as martyrs.

Francisco and Jacinta, aged nine and seven, and their 10-year-old cousin, Lucia, reported that on May 13, 1917, the Virgin Mary made the first of a half-dozen appearances to them here while they grazed their sheep. They said she confided in them three secrets — foretelling apocalyptic visions of hell, war, communism and the death of a pope — and urged them to pray for peace and a conversion away from sin.

At the time, Europe was in the throes of World War I, and the Portuguese church was suffering under anti-clerical laws from the republican government that had forced many bishops and priests into exile. "Our Lady foretold, and warned us about, a way of life that is godless and indeed profanes God in his creatures," Francis said in his homily. "Such a life, frequently proposed and imposed, risks leading to hell."

He urged Catholics today to use the example of the Marto siblings and draw strength from God, even when adversity strikes. The children had been threatened by local civil authorities with death by boiling oil if they didn't recant their story. But they held fast and eventually the church recognized the apparitions as authentic in 1930.

"We can take as our examples Saint Francisco and Saint Jacinta, whom the Virgin Mary introduced into the immense ocean of God's light and taught to adore him," he said. "That was the source of their strength in overcoming opposition and suffering."

Before the Mass, Francis prayed at the tombs of each of the Fatima visionaries. The Marto siblings died two years after the visions during Europe's Spanish flu pandemic. Lucia is on track for possible beatification, but her process couldn't start until after her 2005 death.

In 2000, St. John Paul II beatified the Marto siblings during a Mass at Fatima and used the occasion of the new millennium to reveal the third "secret" that the children reported they had received from the Madonna. The text, written by Lucia, had been kept in a sealed envelope inside the Vatican for decades, with no pope daring to reveal it because of the terrifying vision it reported: a "bishop dressed in white" — the pope — on his knees at the foot of a cross, killed in a hail of bullets and arrows, along with other bishops, priests and various lay Catholics. The message featured an angel crying out "penance, penance, penance!"

The impending canonization of the children had led to speculation that a fourth "secret" remained, but the Vatican has insisted there are no more secrets related to the Fatima revelations.

**RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION:** In order to worthily receive Jesus in Holy Communion, you must be a Catholic who is in the State of Grace (without serious or mortal sin). Those who are not married according to teaching of the Catholic Church as well as non-Catholics are unable to receive Holy Communion. We encourage those in an invalid marriage to seek an annulment and to have their civil marriage blessed (convalidated) in the Church so that it will become a Sacrament and you will receive the grace of matrimony. Contact Fr. Pat or Deacon Ray for information regarding the annulment process and the blessing of your civil marriage. If you are unable to receive Holy Communion, we encourage you to make a "spiritual communion" by reciting the following prayer:

#### **An Act of Spiritual Communion**

*My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen!*



**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**



**A Prayer for our Military**

Father, we could never thank our military men and women enough for their courageous service and sacrifice to our country and its people. We lift up our voices to express gratefulness and honor to these military troops both from the past and present. Show us ways in our communities, churches, and families to thank and love them better. Keep and protect these heroes and their families, in the powerful name of Jesus.



**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 honor of



**Mary, Mother of God**

Donated by the Pro-Life Committee

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



**Eucharistic Adoration**

Eucharistic Adoration will be held every **Wednesday from 6:00PM until 7:00PM** at Nativity BVM Church.



All are welcome & encouraged to join us.



**Line Dancing**



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



**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)



**St. Mary of the Lake**  
**Altar & Rosary Spring Bake Sale**  
**Next weekend May 27-28**  
**following the Masses**

Anyone who wishes to donate baked goods is asked to bring them to the hall on Saturday, May 27<sup>th</sup> after 1:00PM.

If you have any questions, please call Dee Pasko (570-378-2834).



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.



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

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.



**RELIGIOUS WIT**

Quit griping about your church; if it was perfect, you couldn't belong.

If a church wants a better pastor, it only needs to pray for the one it has.

God loves everyone, but probably prefers 'fruits of the spirit' over 'religious nuts!'



**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**

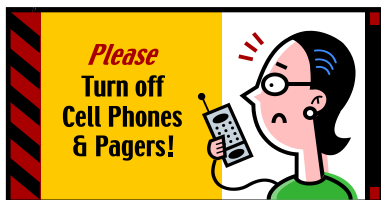
.....**4:15-4:45PM**

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

Lake Carey Sportsmen's Club

Chicken BBQ

**Sunday May 21<sup>st</sup>**

Noon to 2:00PM (or sold out)

Rain or shine

**Eat In or Take Out**

Baked beans, roll,

Homemade Desserts and Salads

**Dinners – \$9.00 each**

**Halves only – \$6.00 each**

Reservations Strongly Suggested

Very Popular

Info or reservations: 570-836-4744

Held at Lake Carey

Sportsmen's Club Grounds

SR 1001 Billings Mill Road

Tunkhannock

**The Humane Society  
of Wyoming County, Inc.**

570-836-4745

[www.hswcPA.org](http://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.

## LOWER WYOMING COUNTY FOOD PANTRY

Those in need are encouraged to participate in the Lower Wyoming County Food Pantry located at the Lake Winola United Methodist Church. **Hours of Operation: The First and Third Thursday of the month from 9:00-11:30AM.**

## Words of Life

"Like the Good Samaritan, may we always treat each person with merciful love and respect that affirms the gift of his or her life."

**"Moved by Mercy" Reflection Flyer  
USCCB Sec. of Pro-Life Activities**

## Parish Bulletin Advertising

Space is currently available in our weekly parish bulletin for your business advertisement. Contact our Parish Business Manager, Dick Schwoebel, at (570) 836-3275 or (570) 677-7634 for information and pricing. Various sizes are available; the cost is reasonable.

## St. Mary of the Lake CCD News

Parents: **Registration forms are now available on our website!**

There will be hard copies in the Hospitality Room if you prefer! Don't forget about early registration!

Remember: there is no vacation from your vocation!

God bless,

Jenny Sinker

## PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If a family member or friend has been hospitalized (especially if they were admitted through the Emergency Room or to Tyler Hospital or one of the hospitals in Scranton, Wilkes-Barre or Plains Township) or placed in a long-term care facility, please contact the Parish Office so that Fr. Pat or Deacon Ray may visit them. Unfortunately, **the current privacy laws make it extremely difficult for us to know if a parishioner has been admitted to one of the local hospitals.**

## PRO-LIFE ROSE

Looking for a wonderful way to remember a loved one on a special day?

**Why not donate the Rose that is placed before the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Nativity BVM Church?** Simply contact Diane Stone (570-836-3055) to schedule the date that you desire and how you want it listed in the bulletin. Many weekends are available.



## PRO LIFE CORNER

THOUGHT FOR REFLECTION

**"No child is an inconvenience"**

"You need no words from me to see how the decision in Roe v. Wade has deformed a great nation. The so-called right to an abortion has pitted mothers against their children and women against men. It has portrayed the greatest of gifts - a child - as a competitor, an intrusion and an inconvenience."

**Mother Theresa  
Saint Theresa of Calcutta**

In keeping with the sacredness of the liturgy, please make every effort to **turn off or silence your cell phone during the Celebration of the Eucharist.**

## ST. MARY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE - WEEK OF MAY 21, 2017

SATURDAY	MAY	20	4:00PM	MARYANN KASZUBA – OFFERED BY HER HUSBAND GEORGE
SUNDAY	MAY	21	9:00AM	DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE WATERS & HUDAK FAMILIES – OFFERED BY BILL WATERS
MONDAY	MAY	22	8:00AM	<b>NO MASS</b>
TUESDAY	MAY	23	8:00AM	MARY KUFFA – OFFERED BY ST. MARY OF THE LAKE ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY
WEDNESDAY	MAY	24	8:00AM	<b>NO MASS</b>
THURSDAY	MAY	25	8:00AM	MASTER ROBERT SHERIDAN – OFFERED BY CARL, MARIE & KATIE PACKER
			<b>7:00PM</b>	TERESA WALL – OFFERED BY DON & CAROL AMES
FRIDAY	MAY	26	8:00AM	<b>NO MASS</b>
SATURDAY	MAY	27	4:00PM	MARION GREGALIS – OFFERED BY GEORGE & CAROLE KAMAGE
SUNDAY	MAY	28	9:00AM	PARKER WALL – OFFERED BY PAT WALL

### LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

<b>SAT. MAY 20 &amp; SUN. MAY 21</b>	<b>SATURDAY 4:00PM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 9:00AM</b>
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)</b>	BOB ANDREWS JONI JAMES DOROTHY TRAUGER	ANN MARIE GORKO ELLEN WENGEN TOM WOLFF
<b>LECTORS ALTAR SERVER(S)</b>	BILL WATERS MICHAEL GREEN	STEVE FRANKO ADRIEN FRANKO MASON BERKHIMER OWEN BERKHIMER
<b>USHERS GREETERS OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS</b>	BERNIE GARVEY & CARL PACKER PEG GARVEY <b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	JEFF PIERCE & SEB NARO ABBA FRANKO <b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b> DOT JOHNSON & FRAN MOLLUSKY
<b>THURS. MAY 25</b>	<b>THURS. 8:00AM</b>	<b>THURS. 7:00PM</b>
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)</b>		
<b>LECTORS ALTAR SERVER(S)</b>	DON AMES	BILL WATERS
<b>USHERS GREETERS OFFERTORY GIFTS</b>	CARL PACKER <b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	RANDY PIERETTI & JEFF PIERCE <b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>
<b>SAT. MAY 27 &amp; SUN. MAY 28</b>	<b>SATURDAY 4:00PM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 9:00AM</b>
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)</b>	DEACON RAY CAROL BALKO LISA JANOSKI MARY LOU FRANKO JAMES MIKUS	HELEN FABIANI LEN NASH BRANDON PIERETTI PAUL WENGEN TYLER BERKHIMER DANIEL DRISCOLE ZACH HARRIS STAN MALECKI & ED ULTSH ELLEN WENGEN
<b>LECTORS ALTAR SERVER(S)</b>		
<b>USHERS GREETERS OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS</b>	BILL SHAW & JIM BILLINGS PAT STEAD <b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b> DON & CAROL AMES

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, MSGR. DAVID L. TRESSLER, ANGIE HNATKO, RUSTY PERKINS, ANASTASIA TECHKY, JULIA KAIFER, MICHELLE HUERBIN, SHIRLEY DZIAK, JENNIFER BUNNELL, JOSEPH PIERCE, THELMA SHEBBY, EDD KILGANNON, AUDREY DAVIS, SHIRLEY ROCHA, DOT JOHNSON, JAMES DOUGHERTY, JESSICA MIGLIORI, STACIE MAGNECZ, TAMMY MIGLIORI, CAROLLYN DAVIS, ELLEN GAREY, LINDA ZALEWSKI, 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, BERNICE BURANICH, CEIL IGNATOVICH, MARY PETERSEN, LOUIS C. POLLINI JR., SUE MIGLIORI, BERNIE KENIA, JOE SCHIAVONE, JOSEPH FRANKO, LINDA NIEMIEC, JACK KARASACK, CAROLE GREENIP, JANE CAWLEY, FLORENCE KEYES, GINNY CLARKE, JEROME LAMONICA, JEAN LAMONICA.

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**PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE (378-2181) IF ANYONE IS HOSPITALIZED OR ILL OR IN NEED OF PRAYERS.**

#### SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN DURING THE WEEK OF  
MAY 21<sup>ST</sup> FOR **MARYANN KASZUBA**  
OFFERED BY HER HUSBAND GEORGE

#### YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering	\$1,677.72
Trinity Dome	\$ 194.90

## NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASS SCHEDULE – WEEK OF MAY 21, 2017

SATURDAY	MAY	20	5:00PM	BARBARA JONES – OFFERED BY DENNIS & MARGE EVERITT & FAMILY
SUNDAY	MAY	21	7:30AM	JOSEPH FRANK – OFFERED BY KEN & MILLIE FRANK
			9:00AM	STELLA LITWIN – OFFERED BY TONY, LINDA & FAMILY
			11:00AM	CATHERINE & KATHLEEN HARAN – OFFERED BY GLORIA PASTERNAK
MONDAY	MAY	22	7:00AM	JOSEPH & BONNIE WIEZAVICH – OFFERED BY SUSIE
TUESDAY	MAY	23	7:00AM	<b>NO MASS</b>
WEDNESDAY	MAY	24	7:00AM	ANNE SCHAEFER – OFFERED BY THE EHRENZELLER FAMILY
THURSDAY	MAY	25	7:00AM	CONNIE STEPHENS – OFFERED BY NORM HARDING
			7:00PM	WAYNE DICKINSON – OFFERED BY JOHN BROSTOSKI
FRIDAY	MAY	26	7:00AM	JOSEPH KELLETT – OFFERED BY HIS WIFE LINDA
SATURDAY	MAY	27	5:00PM	CHARLES & DOROTHY KOVALCHICK – OFFERED BY THEIR FAMILY
SUNDAY	MAY	28	7:30AM	WILLIAM RUSSELL – OFFERED BY WALT & THERESA ZOLA & FAMILY
			9:00AM	ROSE ANN WHITE – OFFERED BY CHARLES & NANCY KOVALCHICK
			11:00AM	ANNE SCHAEFER – OFFERED BY GENE & ROSEMARY LUPINSKI

### LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

<b>SAT. MAY 20 &amp; SUN. MAY 21</b>	<b>SATURDAY 5:00PM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 7:30AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 9:00AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 11:00AM</b>
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)</b>	JOAN CHAPDELAINÉ DONNA KASKUS GARY TEWKSBURY	CHARLOTTE SMITH TAMMY NUDO NAN DeNARCO	CARL SHINKO JOHN KEEFE ROY BRODY	LISA RANSOM JUDY BOYANOWSKI DOLORES MANGANELLA
<b>LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)</b>	SUSAN BARZILOSKI AIDEN BURRY JACK ZEUNEN MARY ZEUNEN	SAM ELIAS JOSEPH CASEY ELIZABETH DeMARCO LEAH DeMARCO	EILEEN HEAD JOSEPH COLAVITTI BRETT SICKLER MICHAEL SICKLER	GLORIA PASTERNAK ANTHONY ECKERT HANNAH ECKERT SCOTT WILLIAMS
<b>OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	<b>KEN &amp; MILLIE FRANK</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b> K. FRANK, M. FRANK, G. & B. KOVALCHICK	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>
<b>THUR. MAY 25</b>	<b>THURSDAY 7:00AM</b>	<b>THURSDAY 7:00PM</b>		
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)</b>		ALISHA NUDO SARA DUNAY GENE SCHWEITZER GLORIA PASTERNAK		
<b>LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)</b>	KAYLA BINNER MARCUS BINNER PAUL BINNER	MAIA BURRY ROBERT BURRY KATHRYN CUSATIS		
<b>OFFERTORY GIFTS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>		
<b>SAT. MAY 27 &amp; MAY 28</b>	<b>SATURDAY 5:00PM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 7:30AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 9:00AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY 11:00AM</b>
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)</b>	SUSAN BARZILOSKI CINDY BROWN DONNA KASKUS	AGNES MASSACESI ALISHA NUDO NAN DeMARCO	DEACON RAY CARL SHINKO GENE SCHWEITZER	DEACON RAY SARA DUNAY DIANE STONE
<b>LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)</b>	PAT MURRAY BILLY PREBOLA MATTHEW PREBOLA MICHAEL PREBOLA	DAVID KUFFA EMMA ELIAS THOMAS ELIAS EMMA HARDING	RITA FITZGERALD ALEX BRODY EVAN BRODY MATTHEW COLAVITTI	JOHN BURKE HEIDI WILLIAMS MATTHEW WILLIAMS SEAN WILLIAMS
<b>OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>	<b>SELECTION BY USHERS</b>

### REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

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

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#### SANCTUARY LIGHT:

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

#### YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering	\$5,060.00
Trinity Dome	\$ 388.00