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SUNDAY LITURGY

Saturday Evening

5:00 pm

Sundays

8:00 am

11:00 am

5:00 pm



Daily Mass

Monday through Friday

7:00 am

12:05 pm

Saturday

8:00 am

CONFESSION

Saturday

3:00 pm - Cathedral

Thursday before First Friday

3:00 pm - Cathedral

Saint John Gualbert Cathedral Parish

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth;
you have revealed to little ones
the mysteries of the kingdom.



Sunday, July 9, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Zechariah 9:9-10 / Romans 8:9, 11-13 / Matthew 11:25-30

8:00 am: Jerry Werner, Birthday Remembrance (Family)

11:00 am: Elizabeth Schellhammer (Husband, Edward & Family)

5:00 pm: For the Intentions of the People of the Parish

Monday, July 10, - Weekday

Readings: Genesis 28:10-22 / Matthew 9:18-26

7:00 am: Victor C. Heptner (Ron & Carole Vogel)

12:05 pm: Stephen Panchik, Anniversary (Gene & Irene Ritter)

Tuesday, July 11, - Saint Benedict, Abbot

Readings: Genesis 32:23-33 / Matthew 9:32-38

7:00 am: Robert Crookston (Janette Digiaccabre)

12:05 pm: Mary Spenger (Dorothy Gerber)

Wednesday, July 12, - Weekday

Readings: Genesis 41:55-57; 42:5-7, 17-24 / Matthew 10:1-7

7:00 am: Saint Anne Society

12:05 pm: Henry J. Furman, Birthday Remembrance (Jeno Lecci)

Thursday, July 13, - Weekday, Saint Henry

Readings: Genesis 44:18-21, 23-29; 45:1-5 / Matthew 10:7-15

7:00 am: Mary C. Heptner, Birthday Remembrance (Denny & Pat Heptner)

12:05 pm: Mary Ritter (Nephews)

Friday, July 14, - Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

Readings: Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30 / Matthew 10:16-23

7:00 am: Joseph A. Carona (Mary Schuster & Mark)

12:05 pm: Chuck & Dorothy Ellis (David Ellis; Carol & Paul Harnish)

Saturday, July 15, - Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Readings: Genesis 49:29-32; 50:15-26 / Matthew 10:24-33

8:00 am: Anna Eicher (William Sabo and Katie)

5:00 pm: Judy O'Donnell (Joe OMasta)

Sunday, July 16, Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Isaiah 55:10-11 / Romans 8:18-23 / Matthew 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

8:00 am: Mary Thomas (Eleanor Maslo)

11:00 am: Peter Yanko (Larry & Suellen Kush)

5:00 pm: For the Intentions of the People of the Parish

From Father Crookston . . .

Jamaican Ministry Visit Sister Hellen Kisolo, Assumption Sisters of Nairobi, is visiting us for a week and is speaking at the Masses this weekend. Sister Hellen provides medical care at the clinic located on the Saint Croix parish grounds. Our gifts to the second collection will support the missionary work of her community of consecrated religious sisters.

Saint Anne Triduum Within three weeks (July 24-26) on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, we gather for our Saint Anne Three Days of Prayer and special evening Masses at 7:00 PM. Petition and membership forms are at the entrance ways to the Cathedral and the Saint Anne Shrine. Beyond the spiritual benefits of membership in the Saint Anne Society, we make an annual gift of \$5,000 for the education of our diocesan seminarians.

Prayer Partners Parishioners and friends at times ask prayers for their varied needs and wants. We caringly welcome these requests of our brothers and sisters in the Lord. Cha-Cha Bair (536-2791) is the primary contact person. She asks that you call her or another prayer partner and leave the name of the person - the last name is optional- and their prayer intention. The partners contact each other. Current partners are Todd Freidhoff (410-3051), Barbara Goetz (536-1518), Betty King (536-8110), Don & Gwen Schrum (536-1492), Joanne Stoy (410-3094), and Tina Ramirez (536-4858). As a parish community, the most important thing we can do for each other is to pray for each other. Call Cha-Cha to become a prayer partner.

And You Cared for Me Our annual Mass for the Anointing of the Sick, this Sunday, July 9, 1:30 P.M. We will celebrate the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick within Mass that satisfies the Sunday obligation.

May God bless all who will participate in the preparing for our celebration of our parish's special visit with Christ. May our Lord bless those who visit with neighbors and celebrate the Lord's dwelling ever so close with those who are shut-in. Finally, may God's comforting Spirit give courage and healing to all who share in Christ's cross.

2017 Catholic Ministries Drive closes in on target. Our two-month report shows that one hundred fifty-three households have advanced \$33,835 to reach our Cathedral target. We are pass the 94% mark!

Your Catholic Ministries gift supports our Cathedral parish and diocesan ministries. Our parishioners benefit from many diocesan ministries: Camp Zacchaeus, Diaconal Formation, Campus Ministry, Christian Initiation, Lay Ministry, Catholic Charities and diocesan-wide support for our St John Gualbert Cathedral.

We have seen that a friendly reminder makes the difference. The phone captains will make their friendly phone reminders in mid-July. They will contact those who have yet to give to this year's Catholic Ministries Drive, especially parishioners who have given in the past.

With everyone's help, we will exceed our diocesan assigned goal of \$36,109. Please consider a gift that reflects your gratitude for the many blessings that God has entrusted to you. If you cannot make a financial offering, please pray for the success of 2017 Catholic

Ministries Drive and return your pledge card showing that you cannot give now; we will see that you do not receive one of our friendly phone reminders.

FROM OUR PARISH

St Anne Triduum - A triduum in honor of St Anne will be held July 24, 25, & 26 at St John Gualbert Cathedral, 117 Clinton Street, Johnstown. Mass and devotions will be held at 7pm each evening with confessions following mass.

The Whole Town's Talking by Fannie Flagg is the next selection of the **St. John Gualbert Book Club** for Monday, July 17, 2017 at 6 pm. It's a multi-generational saga of life, afterlife and the remarkable goings-on of the ordinary folks in Elmwood Springs, Missouri. The book is available at our library in print and CD. Everyone is welcome to join our group to discuss this delightful novel written with Ms. Flagg's undeniable humor and wit. We will have our annual picnic get-together at this July meeting, so if you are interested, call Pat at 255-2629 or Joan at 536-6868 for more details. Hope you can be there!

FROM OTHER PARISHES & THE COMMUNITY

The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R., from Loretto, invite you to participate with them in celebrating the **Fatima Devotions** on Thursday, July 13th, at 6:30 P.M. in the gardens at Mount Assisi (In case of inclement weather devotions will be at the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel. The singing will be led by the choir from Holy Name in Ebensburg and the sermon will be delivered by Deacon Rick Golden. We would like to extend a cordial welcome to all.

Military Families Appreciation Day sponsored by John Murtha Johnstown-Cambria County Airport Authority and Nulton Aviation Services, July 15, 2017 at 11:00am at the John Murtha Johnstown-Cambria County Airport. All are welcome to attend and enjoy a Car cruise, Aircraft Static Displays, Live Band, Great Vendors, and games for the children! Local veteran organizations, to include Veteran Community Initiatives, Inc., will be in attendance.

Saint Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Route 53, Frugality, PA (near Prince Gallitzin State Park and Glendale Lake) will be holding their **annual Festival**, Sunday, July 16th, From 11:00am to 6:00pm. We are featuring a Turkey and Noodle Dinner with all the trimmings. Dinner served Family Style from 11:00am to 3:00pm. Cost: Adults \$10, Children 5-12 \$5, Children under 5 free, Take-outs available. Music entertainment: D.J., Bob Taylor from 11:30 am till ? Basket Auction at 5:00pm. Games, Bingo, Bake Sale, Refreshments and lots more! Please come we would like to meet you!

St. Clement Parish will hold its Annual Festival & Car Cruise on the parish grounds at the corner of Lindberg Avenue & Goucher Street on Sunday, July 16th beginning with a Polka Mass with Rosie & the Jammers at 10:30 AM. Car Cruise registration begins at 10:00 AM with a \$5.00

entry fee for each vehicle. A free t-shirt will be given to the first 100 entries. Music by DJ Labarko from 11:00 AM-1:00 PM; the band Cruzin' from 1:00-4:00 PM; and Colossal Karaoke from 4:00-6:00 PM. Roast Beef Dinner, International Grill, Bingo, Adult & Children's games & more! All are welcome!

Resurrection Parish is sponsoring "Groovin' at the Grove" at their Grove on Saturday, July 22, 2017 Music By: Ground Zero and on August 19, 2017, Music By: Flood City Brass. Both events are from 7 pm to 10pm at their picnic grove in Tanneryville (926 Cooper Ave). Free admission and parking – Rain or Shine – Good music with good food and drink. An Outdoor Mass will be celebrated before both concerts at 5:30pm. Gates open at 5:00pm.

ROCKY GAP CASINO BUS TRIP: Thursday, July 27, 2017 The Church of the Transfiguration is sponsoring a bus trip to the Rocky Gap Casino on Thursday, July 27, 2017. The bus will leave the church parking lot at 9:00AM and leave Rocky Gap Casino at 5:30PM for the return trip. The cost of the trip will be \$30.00 and includes \$20.00 in free slot play. For more information and to make a reservation, please call: Sharon Santichen @ 536-1732 or Andy Solomon @ 619-9543. Please make your reservations and payment before the due date of Sunday, July 23, 2017.

New meeting location for the **Knights of Columbus, All Saint Assembly 954**, 2017-2018, Monthly Assembly meetings will be held at 7:30 P.M. at the St. John Gualbert Cathedral Activity Center at 110 Adams St., Johnstown PA 15901. The Rosary will be recited at 7 P.M prior to the meeting.

Families and the Gospel: Matthew 11:25-30 – Today's gospel is about missionaries. As Jesus received a mission today, parents accept the mission of raising a family. Parents are not alone in this exhausting and difficult mission. Today Jesus tells us "Come to me and I will give you rest."

Liturgical Reflection... Within Mass and without Mass, the priest or deacon begins with the sign of the cross and greeting. The revised ritual provides two options ("in these or similar words") to address the couple and those present to dispose them inwardly for the celebration of Marriage. When celebrating Matrimony within Mass, the church directs there is no Penitential Rite. There is to be the *Glory to God* (preferably sung) at the Mass celebrating Matrimony. This hymn of praise to the glory of God is directed even in the seasons of Advent and Lent when the ritual of Matrimony is celebrated. All the assembly, gathered for the Sacrament of Matrimony, are encouraged to take part in this beautiful prayer of praise. The collect (six options) concludes the introductory rites. *Order of Celebrating Matrimony*, Numbers 51-53,86, 87-89, and 188-192.

COLLECTION: July 2, 2017

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| Collection – cash | \$990.16 |
| Collection – envelopes | \$5,337.50 |
| Second collection | \$214.50 |
| Maintenance | \$716.00 |
| Father's Day | \$20.00 |
| Military Services | \$5.00 |
| Food Collection | \$20.00 |
| Peter's Pence | \$63.00 |

Total \$7,366.16
Thank you for your Stewardship

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

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

An Anointing Mass will be held 1:30pm, Sunday, July 9 at St John Gualbert Cathedral, 117 Clinton Street, Johnstown. This particular liturgy will be especially joyous as we offer praise and thanks to receive God's healing. We will celebrate the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick within Mass that satisfies the Sunday obligation. For more information, please call (814) 539-2611.

Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Servers, CCA Gift Cards and Audio Operators, July 15-16

Saturday, July 15, 5:00 PM

Reader: Patricia Loughlin, Karen Pavlosky
Eucharistic Minister: Betty King, Elizabeth King, Terry Rhoades, Christine Russell,
Need one volunteer
Server: Randy Russell, Rylee Russell
Audio Operator: Ron Jezeskie

Sunday, July 16, 8:00 AM

Reader: Fred Oliveros, Dave Harteis
Eucharistic Minister: Rose Ann Schellhammer, Peter T. Yanko, Gloria Stephens, Gene Podratsky, Pam Sabol
Server: Sam Grasso, Irene Ott
Gift Card: James Gustkey
Audio Operator: Richard Yeager

Sunday, July 16, 11:00 AM

Reader: Beth Stem, Mary Jane Verbiar
Eucharistic Minister: Esperanza Bair, Jodie Hall, James Hollis, David Wilson, need one volunteer
Server: Rachel Hall, Alaina Popovich
Gift Card: Nichol Popovich
Audio Operator: Jim Horner

Sunday, July 16, 5:00 PM

Reader: Charlotte Amenti, Michael Stuck
Eucharistic Minister: Louise Aust, Pat Roth, James Sandoval, Justin Zierer, need one volunteer
Server: Andrew Zierer, Brent Zierer
Audio Operator: Monica Updyke

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