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Most Rev Mark L Bartchak, DD

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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

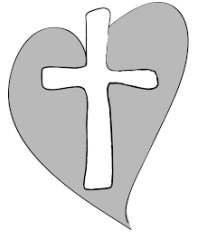
3:00 pm - Cathedral

Thursday before First Friday

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Saint John Gualbert Cathedral Parish

The word of God is living and effective,
discerning reflections and thoughts of the heart.



Sunday, October 20, - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Exodus 17:8-13/ 2 Timothy 3:14—4:2/ Luke 18:1-8

8:00 am: Sophie Roman (Len & Jeanne Grecek)

11:00 am: John Kucenski (Denise & Rusty Goodman)

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

Monday, October 21, - Weekday

Readings: Romans 4:20-25/ Luke 12:13-21

7:00 am: Saint Anne Society

12:05 pm: Sally Deaton (Bernadette Rixner)

Tuesday, October 22, - Weekday, Saint John Paul II, Pope

Readings: Romans 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/ Luke 12:35-38

7:00 am: Tim Obringer (Diane Keafer)

12:05 pm: William Wess, Birthday Remembrance (Family)

Wednesday, October 23, Weekday, Saint John of Capistrano, Priest

Readings: Romans 6:12-18/ Luke 12:39-48

7:00 am: Ron Vogel (Joe Vogel)

12:05 pm: Clyde Mintmyer (Wife, Carole & Family)

Thursday, October 24, - Weekday, Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

Readings: Romans 6:19-23/ Luke 12:49-53

7:00 am: Deacon John Concannon (Bruce & Jamie Mabon)

12:05 pm: Charlene Tarnowsky (Betty & Terry Rhoades)

Friday, October 25, - Weekday

Readings: Romans 7:18-25a/ Luke 12:54-59

7:00 am: Robert F. Crookston (Family)

12:05 pm: Joseph Kuzmiak (Daughter, Nancy)

Saturday, October 26, Weekday; BVM

Readings: Romans 8:1-11/ Luke 13:1-9

8:00 am: Jack Leonard (Beau Herbert & Family)

5:00 pm: Paul Hasenstab (Dorothy Gerber)

Sunday, October 27, - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18/ 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18/ Luke 18:9-14

8:00 am: Steve Servacek (Helen Yuhas)

11:00 am: Mary Schuster, Birthday Celebration

(John & Cha Cha Bair)

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

From Our Pastor...

Ten Ways to Support Her When She's Unexpectedly Expecting As a mom who had my first baby in college, I know that an unexpected pregnancy can sometimes bring fear, shame, and doubt. Perhaps one of your friends has become pregnant unexpectedly. I encourage you to support her in her new journey of being a mother.

It's okay if you don't know the perfect words to say. Let her know you are there for her and ask how you can support her. Assist her in lining up practical help. She may not feel she "deserves" to show happiness; reassure her, it is okay (*and good*) to be happy. Your support might be the only support she receives. You can make a difference in her life. Will you?

Read the full version at www.respectlifeprogram.org/support-her.

Roast Beef Dinner Thank You Your gathering for our annual Roast Beef Dinner filled our Activity Center with friendship and laughter as hundreds of guests enjoyed the salad bar, meals, and a wide variety of cakes. Volunteers ably followed the lead of chefs Jim Sandoval and Janet Swanhart in providing our parish's delightful autumn treat.

Prayers of Remembrance During November, our faith community will remember all your named deceased family and friends at each Mass. Please use your All Souls envelope to list your beloved ones now "resting in the Lord." We will have their names present at our main altar for the entire month.

Catholic Ministries Drive 2019 – Goal Exceeded! We are exceeding our target for the Catholic Ministries drive. Thanks to all who are supporting our parish and our diocese with spiritual and material support. All new gifts will join the special matching-funds grant of \$10,000 reserved to our parish. If you have yet to make your gift, please consider joining the many households of our Cathedral parish that are being Good Shepherds: *Caring for the Poor and Strengthening Families, Nurturing Our Youth, and Forming Clergy and Laity*.

Response envelopes are at the entranceways of the Cathedral. You also may use your own envelope, mark it Catholic Ministries Drive. Checks can be made payable to CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE. Thank you for your prayerful consideration and response to what will be another success to support both diocesan Catholic Ministries and our Cathedral parish.

COMING SOON: "PROCLAIM Christ in your Life" The Magazine of the Catholic Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown to your mailbox and at www.dioceseaj.org. This quarterly magazine in print and digital formats presents stories of faith that inspire, educate, inform, and celebrate the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

Surprising Creativity of the Holy Spirit Dear brothers and sisters: In our catechesis on the Acts of the Apostles, we have seen how the outpouring of the Holy Spirit led the early Church to realize that God's offer of salvation in Christ is intended for people of every nation. A critical moment in this process takes place when, in a dream, Saint Peter is told that henceforth, no food is unclean in God's eyes. Almost immediately, a Gentile, the Roman centurion Cornelius, comes to Peter and, while hearing him preach the Gospel, receives, together with his household, the gift of the Holy Spirit and is baptized (cf. Acts 10). These events led Peter to open his mind and heart to the "creativity" with which God was extending to all people the blessings promised to Israel. Peter's discernment of God's universal saving will was the mark of a true evangelizer, who desires to share the joy of the Gospel with everyone. Peter's example also challenges us to examine our openness to the surprising creativity with which the Holy Spirit is even now drawing all people to salvation in the Risen Lord. Pope Francis. General Audience, October 16, 2019.

FROM OUR PARISH

Resurrection Religious Education News:

- Saturday, October, 26, 2019 - 10th Grade Parables Retreat- 2:00 to 4:30 pm - this is your first opportunity for this retreat. The retreat takes place in the school gym and parents ARE required to attend. Sponsors are welcome if available.
- Sunday, Oct. 27 at the Sunday Market on the Green Service hours are available. Our 9th, 10th and 11th grade religious education students will again be painting the mural on the City garage. Students will meet at 9:00 am in front of the parish center.

The Fall Raffle Winners Are: Lonnie Rietscha (\$300), Martha Mastervich (\$200), Mary Carol Zalubski (\$100), and Louis Aust (\$100). Thanks to all who participated in the raffle.

Saint John Gualbert Mission Travelers to St. Croix and the Christian Life and Service Committee are asking for your help in donating baskets worth \$25 or more for our Spaghetti Dinner/Basket Party to be held November 3rd from 11am to 2pm. There will be a signup sheet inside both entrances to the Church for those who would like to donate. The baskets can be dropped off at the rectory during normal business hours or brought to weekend Masses and placed in the last row of pews in St. Anne's Shrine. Your help and support in making our Spaghetti Dinner/Basket Party a success is greatly appreciated.

FROM OTHER PARISHES & THE COMMUNITY

Moxham Renaissance and Moxham Neighborhood Watch are hosting a **Meet the Candidates** event on Monday, October 21, from 6-8 pm at the Russell House, 538 Park Avenue, Johnstown. Candidates for Johnstown City, Greater Johnstown School Board, and Cambria County Offices have been invited to attend. Light refreshments will be served.

The Church of the Transfiguration will be having a Spaghetti Drive-By from 10:30AM to 2:00PM, Sunday, October 27th.

Saint Jude Triduum, St. Clement Church, Goucher St. Monday, Oct. 28 - 7 PM, Tuesday, Oct. 29 - 7 PM and Wednesday, Oct. 30 - 7 PM. Anointing of the Sick – Monday, Oct 28. All Are Welcome

Resurrection Parish Ladies Auxiliary will be sponsoring a **Basket Party** on Sunday, November 10 at Christ the Savior Reception Hall, 307 Garfield Street, Johnstown, PA 15906. Doors open at 12:30pm. Cost \$10 which includes lunch, 25 chances and eligibility for door prizes. For tickets call the Resurrection Parish Office at 539-5788, Ext. #3 and ask for Joann.

Mom's House is holding a **Purse Party** (featuring Vera Bradley purses and accessories) on SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10 @ 1:00 – doors open at 12:00 – at Bishop McCort High School Cafeteria. \$25 admission includes lunch, 20 bingo games, specials, Starbuck's coffee and dessert. For advance ticket information, please call Allegra @ 535-4848. NO tickets will be sold at the door. All proceeds benefit the Mom's House Scholarship Program.

Trip to sight and Sound Theatre to see "The Miracle of Christmas" – Tuesday, November 19, 2019. Cost: \$127.00/person includes ticket to show, bus transportation and dinner. For more information or to make a reservation please call Fran King at 536-3667.

Sponsored by Saint Francis of Assisi Church

You are invited to a **Harvest Tea and Basket Raffle** on Sunday, November 24, 2019, from 2-4 pm at St. Patrick's Parish Hall in Newry. Treat yourself, family, and friends to a relaxing afternoon. There will be over 150 baskets raffled. Chances are 25 for \$5.00. Tickets purchased before Nov. 1 are \$15. Tickets purchased after Nov. 1 are \$18. Proceeds from this event benefit the **Carmelite Community of the Word Hands and Hearts Haiti Ministry** For tickets, send names of those attending with payment to CCW Hands and Hearts Haiti Ministry, 394 Bem Rd., Gallitzin, PA 16641. For information call 814-886-4098.

A Family Perspective

Luke 18:1-8

The widow in today's gospel is praised for her PERSEVERANCE. In our homes perseverance is a critical ingredient to resolving differences and teaching lessons and skills to children. Perseverance is always an act of faith in the goodness of the other person.

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COLLECTION: 10/13/2019		
Collection – cash		\$1,043.25
Collection – envelopes		\$2,976.50
Second Collection		\$244.40
Maintenance		\$106.00
Rosary/Altar Society		\$18.00
World Mission Sunday		\$15.00
Total \$4,403.15		
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—United States Catholic Catechism for Adults

**Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Servers, and
Audio Operators, Oct. 26 – Nov. 1**

Saturday, Oct. 26, 5:00 PM

Reader: Pat Loughlin, Christine Brothers
Eucharistic Minister: Elizabeth King, Betty King,
Elizabeth Gramlich, Russ Gramlich,
Terry Rhoades
Server: Jason Harris, Keara Brandon
Audio Operator: Michael Stoskey

Sunday, Oct. 27, 8:00 AM

Reader: Gloria Stephens, Dave Harteis
Eucharistic Minister: Rose Ann Schellhammer,
Susan Kamnikar, Anthony Kamnikar,
Carmen Grasso, Sam Grasso
Server: Rich Ott, Irene Ott
Audio Operator: Brigid Starchok

Sunday, Oct. 27, 11:00 AM

Reader: Geoffrey Stumpo, Mary Jane Verbiar
Eucharistic Minister: David Wilson, Jodie Hall, Rachel Hall,
Justin Zierer, Esperanza Bair
Server: Levi Giffin, Zachary King
Audio Operator: Jim Horner

Sunday, Oct. 27, 5:00 PM

Reader: Lou Aust, Dixie Lochrie
Eucharistic Minister: Charlotte Amenti, Vi Najjar, Pat Roth,
Louise Aust, and one volunteer
Server: Eli Updyke, Namita Gallo
Audio Operator: Ron Jezeskie

Thursday Oct. 31, 6:00 PM

Reader: Pat Loughlin and one volunteer
Eucharistic Minister: Five volunteers
Server: Two volunteers
Audio Operator: Jim Horner

Friday, Nov. 1, 7:00 AM

Reader: Dave Harteis, Gloria Stephens
Eucharistic Minister: Carmen Grasso, Sam Grasso,
Betty King, Elizabeth King,
And one volunteer
Server: Two volunteers
Audio Operator: One volunteer

Friday, Nov. 1, 12:05 PM

Reader: Mary Jane Verbiar and one volunteer
Eucharistic Minister: Valerie Wilson, David Wilson, and
Three volunteers
Server: Vi Najjar and one volunteer
Audio Operator: One volunteer

Friday, Nov. 1, 6:00 PM

Reader: Dixie Lochrie and one volunteer
Eucharistic Minister: Esperanza Bair, Geoffrey Stumpo,
And three volunteers
Server: Marge Bevans and one volunteer
Audio Operator: Jim Horner