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### LITURGIES

*Saturday Evening*  
5:00 pm

*Sundays*  
8:00 am  
11:00 am  
5:00 pm

### DAILY MASS

*Monday thru Friday*  
7:00 am

*Tuesday-Wednesday-  
Friday*  
12:05 pm

*Saturday 8:00 am*

### CONFESSION

*Thursday before 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 3:00 pm*  
*Saturday 3:00 pm @ the Cathedral*

# Saint John Gualbert Cathedral Parish

The Spirit of the  
Lord is upon me,  
for he sent me to bring  
glad tidings to the poor.



## Sunday

Readings:  
8:00 am  
11:00 am  
5:00 pm

## July 4 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ezra 2:2-5 / 2 Corinthians 12:7-10 / Mark 6:1-6  
John McInchok, Jr (*Matt & Bella*)  
Eugene F. Ritter (*Tom & Linda Wallace*)  
People of the Parish

## Monday

Readings:  
7:00 am  
12:05 pm

## July 5 Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time

Genesis 28:10-22a / Matthew 9:18-26  
Melodee Guy (*Juanita Burkhardt*)  
**No Mass**

## Tuesday

Readings:  
7:00 am  
12:05 pm

## July 6 Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time

Genesis 32:23-33 / Matthew 9:32-38  
Helen Litvin (*Daughter-Veronica Litvin*)  
Gilbert Litman *Anniversary* (*Juanita Burkhardt*)

## Wednesday

Readings:  
7:00 am  
12:05 pm

## July 7 Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time

Genesis 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a / Matthew 10:1-7  
George & Eileen Wehner (*The Children*)  
Gabriel Litman (*Juanita Burkhardt*)

## Thursday

Readings:  
7:00 am  
12:05 pm

## July 8 Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time

Genesis 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5 / Matthew 10:7-15  
Priscella L. Cabrera (*Juanita Burkhardt*)  
**No Mass**

## Friday

Readings:  
7:00 am  
12:05 pm

## July 9 Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time

Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30 / Matthew 10:16-23  
Frank Krall (*West End CWV Post 954*)  
Fr. Chuck Bridges (*Dee Dee Osborne*)

## Saturday

Readings:  
8:00 am  
5:00 pm

## July 10 Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time

Genesis 49:29-32; 50:15-26a / Matthew 10:24-33  
Stephen Panchik *Anniversary* (*Family*)  
Jack Drummer (*Family*)

## Sunday

Readings:  
8:00 am  
11:00 am  
5:00 pm

## July 11 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amos 7:12-15 / Ephesians 1:3-14 or 1:3-10 / Mark 6:7-13  
Dr. William Pruzensky (*Fred & Barb Oliveros*)  
Proclaim TV Ministry  
People of the Parish

Greetings Parishioners,

It is good to be here! I'm excited to be your new pastor and rector here at St. John Gualbert Co-Cathedral. As I said in the proclaim newsletter, I remember when I was first ordained, Fr. Chuck Bridges would always tell me that he was expecting me to come here someday. It's hard to believe, and it wasn't quite the way any of us imagined back then, but that day is here. I arrived here officially on Wednesday night, and I really want to thank everyone who has been so very welcoming as I arrived. I've started to meet the staff both here and at St. Pat's, I've met with some of the Proclaim! TV staff, and so far, I really have to say how excited I am for things to come. The Lord has really blessed this parish in the past in so many ways, and I'm looking forward to how He will continue to bless this parish in the future. I'm sure that over the next few weeks, I'll have plenty of things to share, but for right now, I think it's best to keep things simple. It's good to be here and I'm looking forward to meeting all of you. I know we've had to make some changes up front since under the existing schedule, I wasn't able to say all of the masses, but I hope you'll be patient as I do the best I can to both listen to you and work with all of you as a parish to do the work God has called all of us to do.

This weekend is also the 4<sup>th</sup> of July! I know a few people have already told me, "hey! The new guys is going to be entering to fireworks." In all seriousness though, this weekend we celebrate our independence as a nation. We celebrate a time when some of our brave forefathers took a leap of faith, signing the declaration of independence and giving us the nation that would come to be called the United States. While we've certainly had our share of turmoil in our country over the last few years, it's good to know our history. It's good to take the time to celebrate these moments as a nation. It's good too to recognize the bravery that led people to stand up for their rights, to come together and to develop a nation, not built on a previous language, culture, or ethnicity, but built on an idea of freedom. Benjamin Franklin was once asked what sort of government this new nation would have. He said simply, "A Democracy, if we can keep it." So for us this 4<sup>th</sup> of July, we celebrate our nation, and we work to live up to the ideals we've been founded on.

So then, please pray for me as I pray for you through this transition. I'm looking forward to meeting all of you, to praying together, to working together, and to live up to our call as children of God.

God Bless You,

– Fr Matt



## **Most Rev. Bishop Mark Barchak**

The Holy Father Pope Francis has appointed the Most Reverend Mark L. Bartchak, Bishop of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown, to be a member of the Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura – or the Vatican’s highest court. The appointment is for a five year term, and Bishop Bartchak will continue to serve as Bishop of Altoona-Johnstown.

Bishop Bartchak and the other 11 members will judge cases which are typically appeals of lower court decisions. The Apostolic Signatura is the final court of appeals for cases that come from the Vatican city-state. Along with Bishop Bartchak, Pope Francis also appointed Cardinal Joseph Tobin, Archbishop of Newark, New Jersey, and Cardinal James Harvey, Archpriest of the Basilica of Saint Paul Outside the Walls in Rome. William Daniel, Professor of Canon Law at the Catholic University of America, was also among those appointed. Bishop Bartchak was ordained and installed as the eighth Bishop of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown in 2011. He is a member of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops Committee on Canonical Affairs and Church Governance. He has assisted the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith in various matters.

**Religious Education News** - Important upcoming dates:

\*Sunday , August 29- Confirmation Parent /student meeting

\* Sunday, Sept. 12- First day of Religious Education

## **Eucharistic Adoration Chapel**

A chapel for perpetual Eucharistic Adoration is opening at St Andrew parish, 1621 Ferndale Ave, Johnstown. The chapel will be located in the old convent building on the parish grounds. The entrance is next to the bell tower entrance of the church. The anticipated opening date for the chapel is August 15, pending a few construction projects to improve the space. It is a safe area, well lit even at night, and there are no steps. We are in need of committed adorers and substitutes. One does not need to be a parishioner of St Andrew to sign up, and one may sign up for multiple hours. This is a powerful opportunity to call down many graces from heaven. The idea is that there is somebody praying in front of the Blessed Sacrament 24/7 and it is a place where people can stop to pray. Will you help? If you would like more information or would like to possibly make a commitment or be a substitute, please call Terri Roy at (814) 255-5645 or [terriamroy@gmail.com](mailto:terriamroy@gmail.com).

## **Saint Joan of Arc Catholic Church**

St Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Route 53, Frugality, PA (near Prince Gallitzin State Park and Glendale Lake) will be holding their fundraiser on Sunday, July 18<sup>th</sup>. We are featuring a **Takeout Only ROAST BEEF DINNER from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm only** and also a **BASKET AUCTION from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm**. Winners will be notified by telephone on the day of the drawing and prizes can be picked up the next day – Monday, July 19<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm at the Parish Hall. Roast Beef Dinner Cost is \$10.00.

*Please come, we would like to meet you!*

## **Fatima Devotions:**

The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R. from Loretto invite you to participate with them in celebrating Fatima Devotions on Tuesday, July 13<sup>th</sup> in the gardens of Mount Assisi at 6:30 pm. (In case of inclement weather, they will be held in the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel.) We look forward to seeing you.

Readers, Eucharist Minister, Servers  
& Audio Operators: July 10 & 11<sup>th</sup>

Saturday July 10 5:00 pm

Readers: Christine Brothers  
Dixie Lochrie  
Eucharistic Minister: Elizabeth King  
Server: Marge Bevins  
Audio Operator: Michael Stoskey

Sunday July 11 8:00 am

Readers: David Harteis  
Irene O  
Eucharistic Minister: Rachel Hall  
Server: Rich Ott  
Audio Operator: Bridgid Starchok

Sunday July 12 11:00 am

Readers: Lonnie Rietscha  
Geoffrey Stumpo  
Eucharistic Minister: David Wilson  
Server: Damian Byer  
Audio Operator: Russ Smith

Sunday July 13 5:00 pm

Readers: Charlotte Amenti  
Dennis Montanti  
Eucharistic Minister: Susan Sandoval  
Server: Vi Najjar  
Audio Operator: Matthew Updyke

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Holy Thursday	5.00
Peter's Pence	217.00
Ascension	25.00
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On this Independence Day I am reminded of all those who have sacrificed for my freedom, following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ, let me not take my freedom, both physical and spiritual, for granted. May I always remember that my freedom was purchased with a very high price. My freedom cost others their very lives.

Lord, today, bless those who have served and continue to give their lives for my freedom. With favor and bounty meet their needs and watch over their families.

Help me to live my life in a way that glorifies you, Lord. Give me the strength to be a blessing in someone else's life today, and grant me the opportunity to lead others into the freedom that can be found in knowing Christ.