

Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

October 4, 2020: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM; Closed Friday



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Jesus was rejected by the religious and political leaders of his day, as well as ordinary citizens. Living a stewardship lifestyle may cause you to be "rejected" by others in today's society. For example, saying grace before a meal in a restaurant may attract some strange looks from some. But to others it is sign that God is alive and well!

Mass Schedule:

Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 8:00 AM

Holy Days and Holidays as announced.

Confessions:

Saturday 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

This week's Church Sanctuary Light
will burn for:

Calvin Webb

By Ed and Debbie Zapola and

Sylvia Brisko

This week's Oratory Sanctuary Light
will burn for:

Gavin Konieczny By Family



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH, 2020 - 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Sunday, October 4 <i>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Respect Life Sunday</i> <i>World Communion Sunday</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Verna Kuchinsky By Son, John J. Kuchinsky Birthday Remembrance of Sue Ann Gorman By Husband, Ray Gorman
Monday, October 5 <i>Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos</i>	NO MASS 12:15 PM	Rosary (Oratory)
Tuesday, October 6 <i>St. Bruno; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher</i>	8:00 AM	Helen and Michael Spack By Tim and Laura Kribach
Wednesday, October 7 <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	8:00 AM	Francis Pleskovic By Ed and Mark Kaplaniak
Thursday, October 8	NO MASS	
Friday, October 9 <i>St. Denis and Companions;</i> <i>St. John Leonardi</i>	8:00 AM 12:15 PM	Anniversary Remembrance of Susan Malec By Family Rosary (Oratory)
Saturday, October 10 <i>BVM</i>	NO MASS 12:00 PM	Rosary (Oratory)
Sunday, October 11 <i>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Edward, Catherine and Ken Sukenik By Dave, Diane and Family Patricia Puchko By Dave and Donna Sprankle



WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS:	Envelope Holders: Adult: 451 Children: 15 Total: 466
<u>September 27, 2020</u>	Weekly Envelopes Used: Adults: 107 Children: 10 Total: 117
Weekly Offertory Envelopes:	Adults: \$3,747.00 Child: \$15.00 Total: \$3,762.00
Loose: \$14.00	Build. and Maint. \$30.00 Utilities: \$140.00
Candles: \$51.00	Poor Box: \$35.00 Retired Priest's Medical \$215.00
Assumption: \$10.00	Catholic University \$60.00 All Saints \$20.00
All Souls \$20.00	Cemetery \$20.00
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$4,397.00	

Resurrection Parish Calendar of Events

Sunday, Oct. 4 Annual Marian Celebration and Mass 3:00 PM St. Benedict Church

Friday, Oct. 9 Sewing Ministry Collecting finished projects and supply pick up
9:15 AM to 11:30 AM Sewing Room

Monday, Oct. 12 Columbus Day - Parish Office Closed

Saturday, Oct. 17 Last Day for Cemetery Clean up.

Sunday, Oct. 18 Pick up BBQ Chicken Dinner and Gob Sale after 10:30 Mass
Outside the Oratory



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK, THOSE IN NURSING HOMES AND THOSE WHO ARE HOMEBOUND: Kay Komar, Eric Moran; Rita Ozog; Ed Wysocki; Mary Ann Robatin; Dorothy Savering; Sylvia Brisko; and Helen Angelo. If you know of someone that you would like added to the prayer list please call MaryBeth at the Parish Office at 539-5788, ext 4.



COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 2 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Monday, October 5**. Thank you to all who help!

Parish News

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION: Next week, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which unites Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need. Envelopes are included with this bulletin. Additional envelopes can be found in the back of the Church. Please be as generous as you can. For more information, visit <http://www.peterspence.va/en.html>.

CEMETERY INFO: We have recently taken a few phone calls regarding grave stones that are toppled over at our cemeteries. This was not an act of vandalism. It is from weather and time. The following is taken directly from the *Handbook for Parish Cemeteries* issued by *The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown*: “The Management is not liable for damages arising from vandalism, natural disasters, public unrest, or any cause beyond the reasonable control of the Management.” “Should any memorial, private Mausoleum or tomb become unsightly, dilapidated, or a hazard to the safety of persons within a Cemetery, the Management, after notice to the plot holder, shall have the right to correct or remove the condition at the expense of the plot holder.” This means that neither the Church, nor the Diocese is responsible for paying to have a stone repaired that has fallen over because of the elements. It is the family’s responsibility. The Church can facilitate the repair of a stone but the cost would be the family’s responsibility.

CEMETERY FALL CLEAN-UP: Now thru Oct. 17: Please remove all decorations and please do not leave any garbage/decorations in the cemeteries. Take all garbage with you and dispose of accordingly. Thank you for your cooperation.

SEWING MINISTRY NEWS: Since meetings have been suspended for now, Friday October 9th (from 9:15 to about 11:30) we will be in the Sewing Room to collect all the wonderful handmade items which have been collecting at your houses. At this time you can get more supplies or request items you may need. Remember baby items are still needed. There will be a blanket distribution before the holidays.

PLEASE JOIN US on Saturday, October 10 at noon at the Oratory, to recite the Rosary in honor of the 103rd anniversary of our Blessed Mother’s appearance to the children at Fatima. Masks and social distancing will be required. Any questions please call Ed or Pat Gregorchik at 539-6320.

MASS RESERVATIONS: If you would like to attend Sunday Mass at 8:00 AM or 10:30 AM, PLEASE call MaryBeth at the Parish Office to make a reservation, 539-5788, ext. 4, **Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM (Reminder...Parish Office is closed on Friday)**. If you leave a message, please be sure to leave the Mass you would like to attend and the number of people who will be attending. No reservation is needed for weekday Masses. Reminder, masks must be worn and may only be removed to receive Holy Communion and social distancing will be practiced.



RESURRECTION PARISH PICK UP CHICKEN BBQ DINNER

will be held on **Sunday October 18**. Pick-up will be after 10:30 AM Mass outside the Oratory. **All dinners must be picked up by 1:00 PM.**

Dinner will include half chicken, two sides and a roll. The cost is \$12.00 per dinner. To pre-order your BBQ Chicken Dinner please come to the

Parish Office during regular business hours to pre-pay and pick up your ticket.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED AND WELCOME on the morning of Sun., Oct. 18 to help with the Chicken BBQ. Any and all help would be most appreciated!

GOB SALE: We will be selling our “famous” Gobs on Sunday, October 18 during the Chicken BBQ outside the Oratory. Stop by and pick up dessert to compliment your Chicken BBQ Dinner! We look forward to seeing you.



ALL ARE WELCOME in praying the Rosary on Mon. and Fri., at 12:15 PM at the Oratory. A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

Monday

Oct. 5 - Deacon Sam

Oct. 12 - Nancy Fesko

Oct. 19 - Judy Rozich

Oct. 26 - Phil Skala

Friday

Oct. 9 - Pat Barrett

Oct. 16 - Chris Rebar

Oct. 23 - Jim and Nina Kopriva

Oct. 30 - Diane Ashbridge



IT IS TIME TO ARISE TOGETHER IN CHRIST! We are delighted to offer, once again, a beautiful, small group, faith-sharing experience, called ARISE. In our groups, we deepen our faith by developing a closer relationship with Christ and each other. We read and reflect on Scripture, talk freely and openly about God, share stories of our lives, and reach out in loving service to others. It is an uplifting experience! We would love to share this time with YOU. Choose a day that works best for you:

Sun., 6:00 PM, Oratory, Dan and Faith Thomas (479-2062).

Tues., 10:00 AM, 255 Adams Ave., Vinco, Sue Hildebrand (322-1839).

Wed., 6:30 PM, Oratory, Jim and Judy Carroll (262-8724).

Thurs., 6:30 PM, Oratory, Michael and Cindy O'Connor (659-9923).

Fri., 8:45 AM, Resurrection Hall, Diane Gorka (255-7393).

Sat., 9:15 AM, Oratory, Barb Dryzal (536-3961).



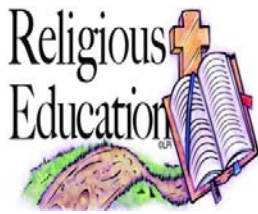
THE SWEET SHOPPE (539-6502): We will be making Chocolate Caramel Apples with your choice of toppings, Chocolate Drizzle, Fall Sprinkles, Pretzels or Coconut. Please call The Sweet Shoppe to



order ASAP. Pick up will be on Oct. 8, 9 or 10. Our Oct. hours will be: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM; Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM; and Saturday, 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.



Regarding our Christmas Candy Orders: During this time of Covid we must make some changes. Order forms are being distributed a month early and are included in this bulletin. Additional forms can be found in the back of the Church. **Orders must be placed by October 31, 2020.** Please include your phone number on the order form. We will be calling you to schedule dates and times for pick up. Stay safe and God Bless!



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 9:15 AM to 10:15 AM, K-8 regularly scheduled monthly parent meeting held in Resurrection Hall.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 9:15 AM to 10:15 AM monthly Confirmation meeting, Grades 9-11, in the Church..

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 10th Grade Parables Retreat, 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM in the St. Benedict School gym. A parent is required to attend and sponsors are welcome. Pre-registration is **REQUIRED** for all retreats and sessions so social distancing can take place. Please register by Oct. 15. Masks are required.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, Virtual Shycon.....More info to follow soon.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE LABOR DAY SPECIAL WINNERS FROM SEPT. 23 - 30, 2020:

9/23, #805, \$50.00, Patty Adamy

9/27, #860, \$100.00, Lela Phillips

9/24, #992, \$50.00, Bob Ressler

9/28, #211, \$50.00, Jean Wainwright

9/25, #656, \$50.00, Barb Uncapher

9/29, #380, \$50.00, Steve Gojmerac

9/26, #714, \$100.00, Margaret Ditko

9/30, #499, \$50.00, Katherine Konieczny

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING RESURRECTION PARISH!



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH will hold a **FISH FRY** on **Friday, October 9** for **TAKE OUT ONLY** from **11:00AM** until **6:00PM** at their Activity Center corner of D Street and Barron Avenue. The wearing of masks and social distancing protocols will be in place. Orders will be taken by calling the Activity Center at 539-3518 on Thursday, October 8 from 8:00 AM until 11:00 AM and on Friday, October 9 from 8:00 AM until 4:30 PM.

OUTDOOR ROSARY, Saturday, October 10, 2020 at Noon in the St. Clement Church Parking Lot. We will be praying for peace, the upcoming election, an end of the Coronavirus and an end of the rioting. Rain or Shine. Please bring a friend and a chair. We will be taking all Covid Precautions. All are welcome!

ST. THERESE CHURCH, will hold their annual Oktoberfest (Covid Style) and Walk Through Basket Raffle on Sat., Oct. 24, 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM and Sun., Oct 25, 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. The menu will include German Potato Salad, German Apple Strudel, Haluski, Piroghi (sold frozen by the dozen), Pigs-in-the-Blanket and Gobs (sold in half doz. or doz.). All food items are TAKE-OUT ONLY, CARSIDE DELIVERY. Walk through and take chances on beautiful theme baskets. Basket drawing will be at 3:00 PM on Sunday. Winners will be notified by phone. List of winners will be posted on Facebook.

ST. CLEMENT CHURCH has used student desks and chairs available to purchase for \$10. If interested, please call their Parish Rectory Office at 814-255-4422 during regular office hours (Monday-Friday 8 AM-3 PM).

JOB OPENINGS: Bishop McCort Catholic High School is in search of 2 full time custodians. Light maintenance is occasional. We are having difficulty filling these positions. We are also willing to entertain part time requests. If full time, we offer a full benefits package. During the school year the shift would be 2:30 PM to 10:30 PM. In the summer the shift is 6:30 AM to 2:30 PM. The rate is \$8 to \$10 per hour. If anyone is interested, please contact: Angela Blough, Director of Finance, Bishop McCort Catholic High School, 814-248-3883 or ablough@mccort.org

THE ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI GABRIEL PROJECT PRO-LIFE MINISTRY is in need of financial assistance as well as any baby items such as, diapers, baby wipes, bottles, clothing, etc. For more information please call Gale at 539-0155.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome those who have found a spiritual home in our faith community. Parish registration is indicated by a registration (envelope) number. Registration is not to be assumed by simply attending Mass at the parish. Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage are not scheduled within six months of parish registration so evidence of practicing the Faith may be demonstrated. To register at this parish, please call the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The sacrament of baptism is celebrated at any Sunday liturgy throughout the year (normally not during the season of Lent). At least one of the parents must be a registered and participating member of this parish for at least 6 months. Baptisms for non-parishioners are arranged after permission is given in writing by the proper pastor of the parents. Arrangements for a baptism can be made at any time before the birth of the child. Normally, a baptismal preparation class is required.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The sacrament of marriage is arranged by meeting with the pastor. No date or other arrangements are to be made before this meeting. One of the parties must be a registered and participating member of the parish for 6 months before preparations can be made. According to diocesan policy, a date for the wedding is not to take place within 9 months of the initial contact so that all preparation and paperwork can be completed.

GODPARENTS AND SPONSORS

A godparent/sponsor is to give good example of living out the Catholic faith. A godparent/sponsor is to be fully initiated in the Catholic Church, having received the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and Holy Eucharist. They are to, and indeed do, receive the Sacrament of Eucharist often. If there is a situation of co-habitation or marriage outside the laws of the Church, that person is ineligible to act as a godparent or sponsor. Church law states *that* for infant baptism, one male and one female are to be used as godparents. Sponsor certificates can only be given to those eligible and registered at this parish. Participation in the prayer life of this parish must be evident for six months before sponsor certificates are given. Less than six months will need indication from your previous parish that there was participation in the life of that parish.



Parish Council

Michelle Rager, Chairperson, 525-4154
Gary Vitko, Vice-Chairperson, Education Committee, 535-2239
Gregg Majercsik, Cemetery Committee, 539-9068
Kyra Miller, Education Committee, 279-8746
Kris Moran, 262-8070
Cindy O'Connor, Family Life Committee, 242-8776
Brian Pavic, Liturgy Committee, 418-0279
Rick Pavic, Properties & Maintenance Committee, 244-3047
Lynn Popovich, 536-7336
Steve Reasbeck, Education Committee, 288-9924
Larry Sestrich, Finance Committee, 255-2344
Faith Thomas, 479-2062

If you have a need for a prayer
and would like to be put on the
prayer chain, please contact Barb
Gulick at 814-467-8576 or
ibg213@atlanticbb.net

