

Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

October 22 2017: Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Office Hours: Monday – Wednesday, Friday from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM - Closed Thursday



Each year at tax time, we conscientiously give to “Caesar what belongs to Caesar.” Does my stewardship indicate that I am also as faithful about giving “to God what belongs to God?”



Mass Schedule:

Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Weekdays: 8:00 AM

Monday - Wednesday, Friday

Holidays as announced

Confessions: Saturday 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

This week’s Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:

Jim Furman By Charlotte Ditko

This week’s Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for :

John Bross By Jan Freidhoff



Weekly Mass Schedule		
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2017 - TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Sunday, October 22 <i>29th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>World Mission Sunday</i>	8:00 AM	Joseph Hodos By Rosie Kupres
	10:30 PM	People of the Parish
Monday, October 23 <i>St. John of Capistrano</i>	8:00 AM	Catherine Wysocki By Husband, Ed
	12:15 PM	Rosary (Oratory)
Tuesday, October 24 <i>St. Anthony Mary Claret</i>	8:00 AM	Philip (Andy) Cernetich By Stanely Janiczek
Wednesday, October 25 <i>Weekday</i>	8:00 AM	Mary Louise Smith By Mr. and Mrs. Ray Riley
Thursday, October 26 <i>Weekday</i>	No Mass	
Friday, October 27 <i>Weekday</i>	8:00 AM	Mary Gorschak By Mary Bicko and Family
	12:15 PM	Rosary (Oratory)
Saturday, October 28 <i>Ss. Simon and Jude</i>	4:00 PM	Agnes Kopco By Marcie and Nick Banda
Sunday, October 29 <i>30th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
	10:30 AM	Robert Cassidy By Mr. and Mrs. James Kasputis

<u>WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS:</u>					
<u>Envelope Holders:</u> Adult: 565 Children: 33 Total 598					
<u>Envelopes Used This Week:</u> Oct. 15, 2017 Adults: 328 Children: 8 Total: 336					
Offertory Total	\$5,091.01	Building & Maintenance	\$30.00	Utilities	\$471.00
Candles	\$230.75	Retired Priest's Medical	\$10.00	Catholic University	\$10.00
All Souls Day	\$ 35.00	World Mission Sunday	\$35.00	Poor Box	\$49.61
All Saints Day	\$10.00				

THE 2017 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE: To date 100 out of 565 families have contributed \$15,944.84 toward our "target amount" of \$40,114.00. Envelopes are available in the back of the church. PLEASE DO NOT SEND DIRECTLY TO THE DIOCESE. Please take to the Resurrection Parish Office or drop in the collection basket. Make checks payable to Resurrection Church.

Resurrection Parish Calendar of Events

- Sunday, October 22** Religious Education Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM
Shycon St. Francis University (More info inside bulletin)
- Tuesday, October 24** Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM Resurrection Church
- Wednesday, October 25** Book Review 6:30 PM Parish Center
- Saturday, October 28** Grade 10 Confirmation Session 10A 1:00 to 2:15 PM and
Parables Retreat 2:30 to 4:30 PM St. Benedict Church St., John Paul II Building
- Sunday, October 29** Religious Education Classes 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Church
Children's All Saints Program at 10:30 AM Mass Resurrection Church
Rite of Blessing (9th Grade) and Rite of Commitment (10th Grade)
10:30 AM Mass Resurrection Church
- Saturday, November 4** Eucharistic Adoration for Teens 10:00 AM Resurrection Church
Meat Raffle 6:00 PM Resurrection Hall

REMINDERS!! The deadline for bulletin submissions is **WEDNESDAY, AT 9:00 AM!**
NO EXCEPTIONS! Bulletin announcements will remain in the bulletin for three weeks.

If you have something that you want published in the bulletin or if you have an event for the Parish Calendar please email all items to resurrectionparishbulletin@gmail.com

Also, please remember that the **PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED EVERY THURSDAY.**

Parish News...

COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 1 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Monday, Oct. 23.** Thank you to all who help!

CHURCH CLEANING GROUPS: Group 1 volunteers are scheduled to clean the church on **Friday, Oct. 27.** Thanks to all who help!

REMINDER: All Soul's Day envelopes must be received by the Parish Office by **Oct. 25** for your loved ones names to be included in the **Book of Remembrance.**

BOOK REVIEW: The book TRAVELING MERCIES by Anne Lamott will be discussed on Wed. Oct. 25, at 6:30 PM in the parish center, (use ramp entrance.) November book is A MAN CALLED OVE, by Fredick Bachman. Hope to see you there. Barb Dryzal, 536-3961.



ROSARY SESSIONS: Please join us in praying the Rosary before all weekend Masses, (the Rosary begins a half-hour before Mass at Resurrection Church) and on Mon. and Fri., at 12:15 PM at the Oratory. In addition, the Rosary is prayed on Thursdays at 6:00 PM at Mariapoch Shrine (corner of Chestnut St. and 6th Ave. in Cambria City), weather permitting.

A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

Monday

- Oct. 23 - Nancy Fesko
- Oct. 30 - Judy Rozich
- Nov. 6 - Phil Skala
- Nov. 13 - Fran Findley
- Nov. 20 - Deacon Sam
- Nov. 27 - Nancy Fesko

Friday

- Oct. 27 - Chris Rebar
- Nov. 3 - Jim and Nina Kopriva
- Nov. 10 - Diane Ashbridge
- Nov. 17 - Janet Yuras
- Nov. 24 - Happy Thanksgiving
- Dec. 1 - Chris Rebar



ROSARY LEADERS NEEDED: We are looking for volunteers to serve as Rosary leaders for Sunday Masses. Please help by leading us in this special devotion in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. If you feel that you have been called to serve this ministry, please call Jim Kopriva at 536-8330, for details, leave message.



DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP TO HAVE YOUR PICTURE TAKEN FOR THE PARISH DIRECTORY. Deadline for sign-ups is Nov. 7.

PLEASE NOTE that the November dates are filling up quickly but there are several times available for the December dates.

Each photo session will take about 20 minutes. All pictures will be taken in the Parish Center. The schedule of "photo days" is as follows:

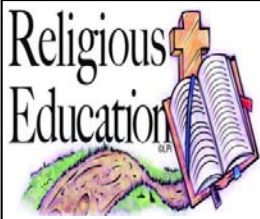
- Tuesday thru Friday, Nov. 14 to 17, 1:00 PM to 8:00 PM
- Saturday, Nov. 18, 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM
- Friday, Dec. 1, 1:00 PM to 8:00 PM
- Saturday, Dec. 2, 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM



For every family photographed, one directory and one 8x10 photo are FREE! Discounts of \$10.00 off and 20% off are available on additional pictures.

If you have your "own picture", a fee of \$10.00 will be charged to be included in the directory. Please take your picture to the Parish Office along with your check for \$10.00 made payable to Resurrection Parish. **The deadline to turn in your "own" photo is Nov. 1.**

If you have any questions, please call Faith Thomas at 479-2062.



10TH GRADE CONFIRMATION STUDENTS please remember your Session 10A/ Parables Retreat is **Saturday, Oct. 28** 1:00-4:30 PM at St. Johns Paul II Building at St. Benedict's. This retreat **DOES NOT** include parents.

COME LEARN ABOUT THE SAINTS!! Sunday, Oct. 29th we will have many opportunities to learn about the Saints. All Religious Education Classes will meet at the Church 9:00-10:15 AM. Fr. George will talk about All Saints and All Souls. During the 10:30 mass on Sunday Oct. 29th Religious Education students will present an All Saints program dressed as Saints.

9TH AND 10TH GRADE CONFIRMATION STUDENTS: As part of The Confirmation Formation process 9th and 10th grade Confirmation Candidates will have The Rite of Blessings(9th gr) and The Rite of Commitment (10th gr) at the 10:30 AM Mass on **Sunday, Oct.29th**. Parents are included in this Rite.

PLEASE REMEMBER Eucharistic Adoration For Teens on **Saturday, November 4** at 10:00 AM with Bishop Mark at Resurrection Church. Teen must register no later than one week prior to Adoration. Forms are in the back of Church.

9TH AND 11TH GRADE CONFIRMATION STUDENTS you have a Confirmation Session on **Sunday, Nov. 5** from 3:00-5:00 PM at St. Johns Paul II Building at St. Benedict's .9th Grade session 9A/ The Creed and 11th Grade session 11B/ Sacraments. Both sessions **DO NOT** include parents.



The Ladies' Auxiliary will hold their monthly meeting on **Monday, November 6, 2017** at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Hall. The lift will be open. Our new membership year has started so yearly dues are due. *New members are always welcome.* Hostesses for this meeting are: Agnes Bardar, Sylvia Brisko, Barb Dryzal, and Eileen Elders. *Please remember to bring your door prize for the Basket Party.*

THE LADIES' AUXILIARY BASKET PARTY will be held on Sunday, November 12 at Christ the Savior Educational Center, 307 Garfield St., Johnstown. Doors open at 12:30 PM. The drawing begins at 2:30 PM. Admission is \$10.00 and includes 25 basket chances and a light lunch. Admission tickets are available at the Parish Office during regular business hours.

WEST END FOOD PANTRY: The Ladies' Auxiliary is continuing their ongoing food pantry collection thru the Holiday Season. The food pantry is in need of the following items: 14.3 oz. cans of Red Beets, 29 oz. cans Sweet Potatoes, canned Pumpkin, Cake Mixes, Canned Icing and boxed Jello and Pudding Mixes. Please place non-perishable food items in the marked containers at the back of the church. Thanks you.



LOOKING FOR SOMETHING FUN TO DO?

JOIN US FOR OUR MEAT RAFFLE

in Resurrection Hall on Saturday, Nov. 4.

Come down after 4:00 PM Mass and have a bite to eat (A variety of refreshments will be available). Then at 6:00 PM the fun begins when we raffle a variety of meats, cheeses, gift cards, lottery tickets and money. There is also a 50/50 and Cash Drawing. This is a fun social event for the whole family! Just a reminder.....turn in your Cash Drawing tickets as soon as possible. Thank you for your support!



BONTON COMMUNITY DAYS BOOKLETS are available at the Sweet Shoppe and the Parish Office during regular business hours. Community Days are Wednesday - Saturday, November 8 - 11. The cost of the coupon booklet is \$5.00 and you receive a \$10.00 coupon towards any Bon Ton merchandise and many other great coupons. All of the proceeds go directly to our Church. If we sell 50 booklets we will receive an additional check from The Bon Ton. So if you plan on doing any Christmas shopping at The Bon Ton, this is a great deal and you will also be helping the Church.



THE SWEET SHOPPE 814-539-6502

**Stop by for our Candy Making Supplies Sale
that runs thru October 28**

10% Off Fondants, Nuts, Boxes, etc.... 10 Lbs. Ultra \$46.00

Monday thru Thursday 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM;

Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Saturday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM



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Christmas Candy Order Forms are included in this bulletin. Please place your orders by November 13.

Orders can be picked up December 11 thru the 16.

PRAY FOR THE WORLD

May the leaders of our world be bathed in sacred light. May all people put down their weapons and look to the heavens for truth. May loving kindness fill their hearts as forgiveness washes over them and humankind becomes one in love.



SOUP & HOLUPKI SALE: The Venue of Merging Arts (VOMA) 305 Chestnut Street is having a soup and holupki (pigs-in-a-blanket) sale to benefit their building renovation fund on Saturday October 28th from 3pm - 6pm (take-out only). A quart of soup is only \$6: Ham Pot Pie (with homemade noodles), Beef Vegetable, Italian Tomato Rice and Ham & Bean. Holupki are \$1.50 each. Place your order in advance by calling [814-536-7952](tel:814-536-7952).

ST. CLEMENT CHURCH will hold its Annual Novena to St. Jude, Thursday, October 26th at 7:00 PM; Friday, October 27th at 7:00 PM; and Saturday, October 28th at 4:00 PM. Anointing of the Sick will take place at the Thursday, October 26th Mass. All are invited to attend!

THE WEST END IMPROVEMENT GROUP is hosting a Basket Party on October 29 at St. Therese Social Hall, Decker Ave., Doors open at 11:30 AM. Basket drawings begin at 1:00 PM. Tickets are \$8.00 and includes 25 basket chances and lunch. Tickets can be purchased at the door. Please call 322-5558 or 248-8989 for more information.

THE SHROUD OF TURIN TALK will once again be held at St. Benedict Parish, 2310 Bedford St. in Johnstown on Sunday, October 29 at 3:00 PM. This talk presents the history and science of the Shroud of Turin. Bring your cameras to photograph the full size replica of the Shroud of Turin. Priests will be available after the presentation for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. For more information please contact Deacon Michael at 814-288-3036.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND: In the Footsteps of Jesus – A Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, with Msgr. Michael Becker as chaplain, is being planned for May 16 – 26, 2018. Visit those places which are most sacred to all Christians: Bethlehem, Nazareth, Cana, the Sea of Galilee, Mt. Tabor, the Garden of Olives, Jerusalem and Calvary. The trip includes all travel and hotel accommodations, daily breakfast and most dinners, private coach, and daily Mass at each site. The total cost of this pilgrimage is \$3,850 per person. A special informational meeting will be held at St. Michael Church Hall in St. Michael, PA, on Monday, November 6th at 7:00 PM. All are most welcome! Join with parishioners from around the diocese in this life-changing journey! For further information, contact Msgr. Becker at mbecker253@aol.com, or call 942-5503.

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

Bryan Hodos, Chairperson (814) 262-8429
Michelle Rager, Vice-Chairperson
Barb Dryzal, Education Committee
Faith Thomas, Family Life Committee
Richard Pavic, Properties & Maintenance Committee
Ray Gorman, Liturgy Committee
Joe Strihan, Properties & Maintenance Committee
Jeff McKissick, Activities Committee
Steve Reasbeck, Education Committee
Mary Hanners, Family Life Committee
Larry Sestrich, Finance Committee
Tom Elias, Cemetery Committee

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 jbg213@atlanticbb.net, or Sharon Kovac at 814-254-9653 or sharonkovac@atlanticbb.net.

