

Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

January 13, 2019: The Baptism of the Lord

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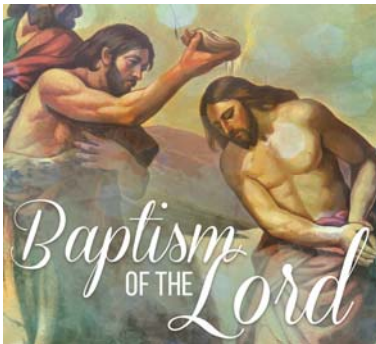
Sam Cammarata, Deacon

Joann Fyock, Parish Manager/Cemetery Manager

MaryBeth Konieczny, Parish Secretary/Bulletin Editor

Christine Babik, Director of Religious Education

Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM - Closed Friday



Stewardship Reflection.... “Jesus was led by the Spirit of God to the life of preaching and service, to the giving of himself in Sacrifice. Jesus Christ sends that same spirit upon everyone who is baptized in his name. This is not a Spirit of timidity or fear, but a bold Spirit of life, truth, joy, and grace.”



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:

Helen Golian

By Nieces and Nephews

This week's Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:

The health of Charles Harnett

By Joann and Ken Fyock



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 2019 - THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Sunday, January 13 <i>The Baptism of the Lord</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	John Habala By Anna Kozuch and Cathy Homer People of the Parish
Monday, January 14 <i>1st Week in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 12:15 PM	Health and Blessings for Jean Mosimann By Rev. J. Mosimann Rosary (Oratory)
Tuesday, January 15	8:00 AM	Margaret Stofa, Beloved Mother By Son, John
Wednesday, January 16	8:00 AM	Richard L. LaBuda By Frank and Joan (Kubacka) Daly
Thursday, January 17	NO MASS	
Friday, January 18 <i>Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Begins</i>	8:00 AM 12:15 PM	Wayne Vargo By Antoinette Jakab Rosary (Oratory)
Saturday, January 19	4:00 PM	Mary Catherine Kaplaniak By Casey and Julie Skala and Family
Sunday, January 20 <i>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	People of the Parish Francis G. Ozog By Jim and Judy Carroll

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: Envelope Holders: Adult: 529 Children: 36 Total: 565

Dec. 30, 2018

Offertory Total	\$5,226.50	Candles	\$187.00	Christmas Flowers	\$20.00
Build. and Maint.	\$90.00	Mission Co-op	\$208.00	Christmas	\$420.00
Utilities	\$57.00	Retired Fund for Rel.	\$5.00	Crib	\$45.30
Poor Box	\$23.00	Imm. Conception	\$5.00	Catholic Register	\$8.00

Jan. 1, 2019

Offertory Total	\$513.00	Mary, the Mother of God/New Year's	\$2,136.00
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Jan. 6, 2019

Offertory Total	\$5,732.00	Cemetery	\$392.00	Mary, the Mother of God/New Year's	\$295.00
Build and Maint.	413.00	Christmas	\$182.00	Initial Offering	\$242.00
Utilities	\$20.00				

The total number of envelopes used for these dates will be published in next week's bulletin.

Resurrection Parish Calendar of Events

- Sunday, January 13** First Reconciliation Retreat 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Church
Religious Ed. Classes (Grades K, 1 and 3 thru 11) 9:00 to 10:15 AM Parish Center
- Tuesday, January 15** Committee Meetings 6:30 PM Resurrection Hall
- Friday, March 18** March For Life Washington D.C. Watch live on the E.W.T..N. channel.
- Saturday, January 19** First Reconciliation 9:00 AM Resurrection Church
Gob Baking 9:00 AM Oratory Hall
- Sunday, January 20** No Religious Education Classes
- Monday, January 21** Parish Office Closed, Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- Saturday, January 26** National Gob Day Johnstown Galleria
- Sunday, January 27** Religious Education Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Parish Center



Today concludes the Christmas celebration. With the baptism of Jesus in the Jordan, a mystery is again revealed. God is present in the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Another revelation is made. This Jesus is indeed God's beloved Son and the Father is well pleased. With the Baptism of the Lord, all baptisms are confirmed. We have entered into the waters of rebirth. We stand with the Beloved Son of God.

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.

Parish News...

COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 2 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Mon., Jan. 14.** Thank you to all who help!

CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS are scheduled to clean the church on **Friday, Jan 25.** Thanks to all who help!



FIRST RECONCILIATION: Please remember in your prayers the children who will make their First Reconciliation on Saturday, January 19, 2019: Hayley Bantley, Bella Basile, Madison Hamyrszak, Nora Minor, Bailey Veney and Simon Wilfong.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS are scheduled for Tuesday, January 15 in Resurrection Hall and will begin at 6:15 PM. All members are asked to make every effort to attend.

“UNDECORATING” THE CHURCH: We will be taking down the Church decorations on **Tuesday, January 15 beginning at 6:30 PM and would appreciate any and all help.**



NATIONAL GOB DAY: We will be taking Gobs to sell at The Galleria for National Gob Day on Saturday, January 26. **WE WOULD LIKE THIS EVENT TO BE A SMASHING SUCCESS SO WE NEED THE HELP OF ALL OF OUR PARISHIONERS FOR THIS FUNDRAISER! If you can spare any time to help bake, wrap or pack, it would be most appreciated.** We will be making at

least 3000 Gobs for this **FUN** fundraiser! We will be baking gobs on Fri., Jan. 11 and Sat., Jan. 19 beginning at 9:00 AM at the Oratory Hall on both days. **Again, we need many hands to make this project happen! PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE, IF YOU CAN HELP US, PLEASE DO SO, IT WOULD BE MOST APPRECIATED!**

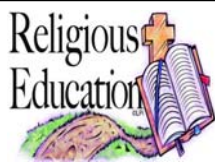
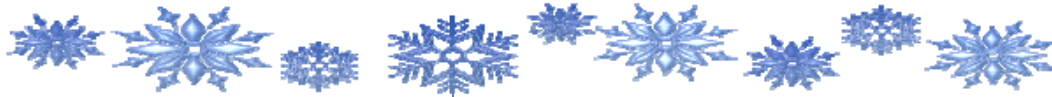
ST PATRICK'S DAY SPECIAL - The \$5.00 St Patrick's Day Special tickets are now available before and after weekend Masses, at The Sweet Shoppe, the Parish Office or by calling Chris Falduto at 535-1054. Thank you for supporting this Parish fundraiser.

CHURCH PARKING LOT: Any vehicles that remain parked in the Church Parking Lot after Masses **will be promptly towed, No exceptions.**

2019 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: If you have not picked up your 2019 Offertory Collection Envelopes, please do so **at the Parish Office** during regular business hours **BY FEBRUARY 8, 2019.**

LOST AND FOUND: We have a variety of items that have been found on Resurrection Church property. Please come to the Parish Office to claim any items.

DURING INCLEMENT WEATHER, Resurrection Parish will follow the Johnstown School District's and/or Bishop McCort's schedule. If there is a two hour delay, the Parish Office will open two hours late (11:00 AM), and all meetings/activities will take place. If there is no school the Parish Office will be closed and all meetings/activities will be cancelled. If there is an unscheduled early dismissal the Parish Office will close early and all meetings/activities will be cancelled. **Please note, Mass WILL BE celebrated regardless.**



***SUNDAY, JANUARY 13,** First Reconciliation Retreat, 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM. All 2nd grade students will meet at Resurrection Church.

***SATURDAY, JANUARY 19,** First Reconciliation, 9:00 AM at Resurrection Church.

***SUNDAY, JANUARY 20,** No Religious Ed. Classes

***SUNDAY, JANUARY 27,** Regular Religious Ed. Classes, 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM. All grades will have safe environment lesson.



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. A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

Monday

Jan. 14 - Fran Findley
Jan. 21 - Deacon Sam
Jan. 28 - Nancy Fesko
Feb. 4 - Judy Rozich
Feb 11 - Phil Skala
Feb. 18 - Fran Findley
Feb. 25 - Deacon Sam

Friday

Jan. 18 - Janet Yuras
Jan. 25 - Pat Barrett
Feb. 1 - Chris Rebar
Feb. 8 - Fran Findley
Feb. 15 - Diane Ashbridge
Feb. 22 - Janet Yuras
Mar. 1 - Pat Barrett

Pray the Rosary

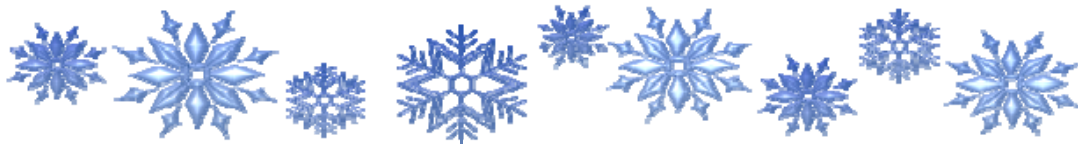




SAVE THE DATE! The Annual *Celebration of Marriage* will take place on Sat., Feb. 9, 2019. **ALL Married Couples of our Parish** are encouraged and invited to celebrate Mass at 4:00 PM, then join us for a dinner celebration in Resurrection Hall catered by Capri Restaurant and Catering. **A formal invitation is included with this bulletin.**



THE SWEET SHOPPE (539-6502): We are getting ready for Valentine's Day. Watch the bulletin for more Valentine's Day information. Stop in for a chocolate treat! January Hours: Monday thru Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM.



MARCH FOR LIFE BUS TRIP: Citizens Concerned for Human Life and St. Benedict Church is coordinating a bus to the 46th Annual March for Life in Washington, DC on Friday, January 18, 2019. The theme for this year is "Unique From Day One: Pro-Life is Pro-Science." The bus will depart from St. Benedict Church at 7:15 AM. Mass will be offered at 6:30 AM at St. Benedict. The cost to reserve a seat is \$10/student and \$15/adult. Money must be received prior to January 18th. All people under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Please do not let the cost of a ticket defer you from attending - if you need financial assistance, please contact Fr. Crowe at the rectory. The bus will return back to St. Benedict at about 10:00 PM the same day. We will stop for dinner, but please pack a breakfast and lunch. Please contact Joe Boito to register at (814) 266-1554 (leave a message if no one answers).

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH, Windber, will hold a Super Bowl Pokette Sale. Porkettes are \$4.00 each and must be ordered by January 25. Pick-up is Saturday, February 2 from 9:00 AM until 12:00 Noon in their Church Hall. To order, please call 467-7292.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI MARDI GRAS will take place on Saturday, February 23, 2019. Tickets are \$20.00 and include Turkey Dinner, soda and eligibility for Grand Prizes. Music by Flood City Brass. You may also reserve a table for eight (8) for \$10.00. A Cash Bar will be available along with games of chance and chances on baskets. There will be a \$7.00 cover charge for beer if desired (21 years and older); NO OUTSIDE drinks permitted. For tickets please contact the Parish Office at 539-1632, Monday thru Thursday from 9:00AM until 3:00PM.

GUIDED TOURS, 2019 - As part of the Casimir Cultural Center's inaugural year of events, Stella, Property Development and Event Production is excited to offer four Guided Tours in 2019. May 4 - National Centre for Padre Pio (St. Pio), Barto, Pa.; June 13 - St. Anthony's Chapel and the Strip District, Pittsburgh - St. Anthony's Feast Day Celebration; August 24 - Casimir Cultural Center First Annual Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown, Pa.; September 21 - National Shrine and Basilica of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Emmitsburg, MD. These destinations offer spiritual, historical and cultural experiences in a pilgrimage-like setting. The tours are being provided for the rate of **\$100** per person, per tour or all four tours can be reserved at a reduced rate of **\$375** per person. Tours include: Roundtrip Luxury Motorcoach Transportation; Printed Tour Itinerary and Destination Information; On-board snacks and complimentary coffee/bottled water; Tour Coordinator; Guided Tours at all Destinations; Donation to Shrine; Gratuities; 1 Catered Meal per tour. Each tour is limited to 55 reserved spaces. Further tour details, pricing and on-line reservation form can be found at stellajohnstown.com/guided-tours/. For more information, email us at stellajohnstown@gmail.com, subject: Guided Tours.

THE LIONS CLUB collects used eyeglasses for the needy in our area. If you happen to have an old pair of eyeglasses please consider donating them. There is a collection box in the back of the church.

PRO LIFE VIGIL: Every Thursday from 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM we hold a prayer vigil across from the Franklin Street Planned Parenthood facility in Johnstown. For more information, 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
Ray Gorman, Liturgy Committee, 536-7442
Gregg Majercsik, Cemetery Committee, 539-9068
Jeff McKissick, Activities Committee, 242-0359
Cindy O'Connor, Family Life Committee, 535-7640
George Pisula, Liturgy Committee, 254-1961
Steve Reasbeck, Education Committee, 288-9924
Larry Sestrich, Finance Committee, 255-2344
Joe Strihan, Properties & Maintenance Committee
Faith Thomas, Family Life Committee, 479-2062
Meaghan Veney, Family Life Committee, 536-9694

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

