

Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

Saint Clare of Assisi

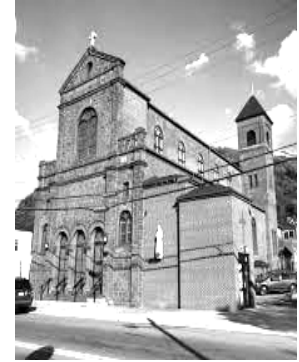
Catholic Parish

JANUARY 17, 2021

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Rev. George M. Gulash,
Pastor/Administrator
Mr. Sam Cammarata, Deacon



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Resurrection Church 324 Chestnut Street, Johnstown, Pa. 15906

Resurrection Oratory 721 Chestnut Street, Johnstown, Pa. 15906

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Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM; Closed Friday

MaryBeth Konieczny, Parish Secretary

Rose Eckenrod, Financial Secretary

Resurrection Parish Mass Schedule: Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM; Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 8:00 AM; Holy Days 8:00 AM & 6:30 PM; Holidays as announced.

Confessions: Saturday 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

St. Clare of Assisi Parish Office: 110 Maple Ave., Johnstown, PA 15901

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Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 9:00 AM to 2:30 PM; Tuesday and Thursday, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Rose Eckenrod, Parish Secretary, Financial Secretary

Mary Rita Eckenrod, Parish Secretary

St. Clare of Assisi Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM; Monday 6:30 PM; Holy Days 6:30 PM Vigil; Holidays as announced.

Confessions: Saturday 3:30 - 4:00 PM

Christine Babik, Director of Religious Education for both Parishes

Emily Roy, Director of Music for both Parishes

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, JANUARY 17, 2021

DATE	TIME	MASS/SERVICE	SITE
Sunday, January 17 <i>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM	Fr. Andrew Stanko By Dave and Joyce Kuckenbrod	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	Lisa Armstrong By Cousin, Annette	Resurrection Church
Monday, January 18 <i>Week of prayer for Christian Unity</i>	12:00 PM	Rosary	Resurrection Oratory
	6:30 PM	Mary Muto By Family	St. Clare of Assisi
Tuesday, January 19	8:00 AM	James Sefcik By Jim and Stephanie Mulvehill and Family	Resurrection Church
Wednesday, January 20 <i>St. Fabian; St. Sebastian</i>	8:00 AM	Mike Samo By Bob and Marge Jeschonek	Resurrection Church
Thursday, January 21 <i>St. Agnes</i>	NO MASS		
Friday, January 22 <i>Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children</i>	8:00 AM	For all Unborn Children and all the victims of Abortion	Resurrection Church
	12:00 PM	Rosary (Oratory)	Resurrection Oratory
Saturday, January 23 <i>St. Marianne Cope; St. Vincent</i>	4:00 PM	Lois McGuire By Family	St. Clare of Assisi
Sunday, January 24 <i>3rd Sunday in Ordinary Ecumenical Sunday</i>	8:00 AM	People of the Parish	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	Alfred Sefcik By Dolores Kralik	Resurrection Church

This week's Resurrection Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:
Lisa Armstrong By Cousin, Annette

This week's Resurrection Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:
Len Sobecky By Friends

This week's St. Clare of Assisi Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:
Carmello and Rose Trovato By George Trovato



Calendar of Events

Monday, January 18 Martin Luther King Jr. Day - Parish Offices Closed

Saturday, January 23 Deadline to sign up for Grade 9 Baptism Retreat.

Saturday, January 30 Grade 9 Baptism Retreat 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM St. Benedict School Gym

Sunday, January 31 Catholic Schools Week begins.

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: January 10, 2021

Resurrection Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Adults: \$4,747.00 Child: \$14.00 Total: \$4,761.00

All Saints Day \$20.00	Christmas \$1,680.00	Loose Offertory \$ 49.00
All Souls Day \$20.00	Christmas Flowers \$ 10.00	Mandeville \$10.00
Black and Indian Miss. \$10.00	Crib \$6.00	Mary, the Mother of God \$55.00
Build. and Maint. \$135.00	Easter Flowers \$10.00	Poor Box: \$62.00
Candles \$30.00	Immaculate Conception \$25.00	Utilities: \$70.00
Cemetery \$75.00	Initial Offering \$60.00	
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$7,088.00		

St. Clare of Assisi Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$1,208.00

Candles \$21.00	Initial Offering \$48.00	Utilities \$186.00
Christmas \$100.00	Loose Offertory \$15.00	
Immaculate Conception \$3.00	Mary, the Mother of God \$63.00	
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$1,644.00		



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR ARE SUFFERING IN ANY WAY, THOSE IN NURSING HOMES AND THOSE WHO ARE HOME-BOUND:

Joann Yuhas; Josephine Stumpo; Helen Lech; Arlene Schaffer; Florence Urbassik, Nellie Barkley, Sophie Mulvehill, Kay Komar, Eric Moran; Rita Ozog; Ed Wysocki; Mary Ann Robatin; Dorothy Savering; and Sylvia Brisko. 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.



Friday, January 22, all dioceses in the United States of America are observing a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. January 22 is the day of the anniversary of the Supreme Court decision, Roe vs. Wade (1973), the Church in America prays for the violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion, and of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee to the right to life. Members of the Diocese are encouraged to go to Mass on this day, pray the rosary, the chaplet of Divine Mercy, fast and abstain, and join the Altoona-Johnstown family in praying the following:

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O God, who adorn creation with splendor and beauty, and fashion human lives in your image and likeness, awaken in every heart reverence for the work of your hands, and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of human life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen



Father in heaven, We the people in the land of the free and the home of the brave, desperately need You. We ask you to protect our land from enemies, both within and without. We beg for your guidance and wisdom. Give us the grace to forgive, learn, love and grow. Heal the division in our nation. Help us to unite at the heart of our common humanity for the good of America and the good of all people. Remind us that we are “One Nation Under God.” We praise You for the freedom we have through the blood of Your Son. Amen.

Parish News...

THANK YOU to everyone for their prayers, good wishes, care and concern for my family and myself during my absence from the Parish Office. A couple of my family members had Covid and I was in quarantine. Thankfully, I, (and all the Resurrection staff tested negative). My family is now all Covid negative as well. Also, **MANY THANKS** to all for your patience during this time. May God bless and keep you all healthy and safe, *MaryBeth*

RESPECT LIFE YELLOW RIBBONS will be available before Saturday 4:00 PM Mass at St. Clare of Assisi Parish this weekend. If you do not get one but would like one, please call Rose or Mary Rita at the St. Clare Parish Office during regular business hours.

PLEASE NOTE that the time for praying the Rosary on Mondays and Fridays at the Resurrection Oratory has been changed from 12:15 PM to 12:00 PM.

ALL ARE WELCOME in praying the Rosary on Mon. and Fri., at **12:00 PM** at the Resurrection Oratory. A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

Monday

Jan. 18 - Deacon Sam

Jan. 25 - Nancy Fesko

Feb. 1 - Judy Rozich

Feb. 8 - Phil Skala

Feb. 15 - Fran Findley

Feb. 22 - Deacon Sam

Friday

Jan. 22 - Janet Yuras

Jan. 29 - Pat Barrett

Feb. 5 - Chris Rebar

Feb. 12 - Jim and Nina Kopriva

Feb. 19 - Diane Ashbridge

Feb. 26 - Janet Yuras

RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 2 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Tues., January 19**. Thank you to all who help!

MANY THANKS! Despite missing the bulletin deadline for posting a plea for help in taking down the Christmas decorations, by the grace of God and word of mouth this was expedited after 10:30 Mass last Sunday. A sincere thank you to Ted, Tim, Rabbit, George, Carol, Marcia, Joyce, Joey, Vince, Mitchell, Ronnie and Maureen. Some of these same people had helped with setting up as well along with Dan, Bill, Chuck, Bud, Scooter and Fr. George. May God bless your willingness to lend a hand. **THANK YOU!!**

THE SWEET SHOPPE, 719 Chestnut St. (539-6502) is open Monday thru Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Closed Saturday and Sunday.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE: With the uncertainty of when the restrictions related to the pandemic will be lifted, the abbreviated ministry schedule will continue through Lent. The next schedule will begin with Ash Wednesday (February 17) and end with the Fifth Sunday of Lent (March 21). If any current ministers would like to change their preferences, please contact George Pisula by the end of January (254-1961 or ggpisula@atlanticbb.net). New ministers are always welcome. As an additional note, to maintain social distancing, the candle and cross bearers will not be used during the Stations of the Cross this year.

“SOUP”ER BOWL SUNDAY: Once again this year, our parishes will be taking up the “Soup”er Bowl Sunday collection on Super Bowl Sunday. The moneys received will help support the St. Vincent de Paul Family Kitchen in Johnstown. Envelopes will be included with next week’s bulletin. Please consider sharing your blessings with those less fortunate.

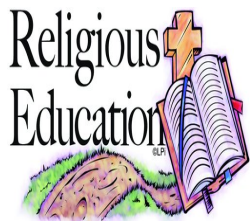
MASS RESERVATIONS: St. Clare of Assisi Parishioners, If you would like to attend 4:00 PM Saturday Mass, PLEASE call Rose or Mary Rita at the Parish Office to make a reservation, 535-1133 during regular business hours. If you leave a message, please be sure to leave the number of people who will be attending **Resurrection Parishioners,** 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, **(Reminder...Parish Office is closed on Fri.)** 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. **Reminder for all Masses,** masks must be worn and may only be removed to receive Holy Communion and social distancing will be practiced.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: The deadline for bulletin submissions is **WEDNESDAY AT 9:00 AM.** Bulletin announcements will remain in the bulletin for up to two weeks. If you have something that you want published in the bulletin please email all items to resurrectionparishbulletin@gmail.com or stclareofassisi@atlanticbb.net or call either Parish Office during regular business hours.

RESURRECTION PARISH 2021 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES are available for pick up at the Parish Office. If you know someone who is homebound please feel free to take their envelopes to them.

CALENDARS AND MISSALETTES are available for parishioners at their respective Church or Parish Office.

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



SAFE ENVIRONMENT: Please review lesson with your student and return acknowledgement forms as soon as possible.

GRADE 9 BAPTISM RETREAT, Saturday, January 30, 2021 - 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM at the St. Benedict's School Gym. Please register by January 23. **Parents are required to attend. Masks are a must and social distancing will be practiced.**



PUBLIC ROSARY FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN BABIES will be prayed on Saturday, January 23 at 12:00 PM in Central Park, downtown Johnstown. All are welcome. All Covid precautions will be enforced.



Almighty and All-loving God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we pray to you through Christ the Healer, for those who suffer from the Coronavirus across the world. We pray for all who mourn the loss of each and every person who has died as a result of contracting the disease. We lift up to your mercy to all those affected, all those working hard to study and cure this illness, and all health care professionals and emergency management teams that are working day and night to keep us safe. Give comfort to everyone in distress and a sense of calm to all of us in these days of uncertainty. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord who showed compassion to the outcast, acceptance to the rejected and love to those to whom no love was shown. Amen.

Baptisms: Call the Office three months prior to the preferred date. One of the parents must be a practicing Catholic. Godparents need a certificate of eligibility from their home Pastor.

Marriages: Call the Office nine months prior to the preferred date. One of the partners must be a practicing Catholic.

St. Clare of Assisi Parish Council

Connie Huff, 266-4040
Bridget Sarosi, 539-3868
Laura Angelo, 269-2364
Paul Ledwich
Joseph Rizzo

Resurrection Parish Council

Michelle Rager, Chairperson, 525-4154
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George Pisula, Liturgy Committee, 254-1961
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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

