

*Resurrection*  
Roman Catholic Parish

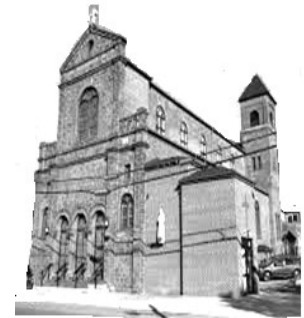
*Saint Clare of Assisi*  
Catholic Church

January 18, 2026



2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rev. George M. Gulash,  
Pastor/Administrator  
Dcn. Nelson E. Lowes Jr.



**Resurrection Parish Office:** 408 8th Avenue, Johnstown, Pa. 15906

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**Office Hours: Monday thru Friday, 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM**

MaryBeth Konieczny, Parish Secretary

Beth Thomas, Administrative Assistant/Finance

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

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

**St. Clare of Assisi Parish Office:** 110 Maple Avenue, Johnstown, Pa 15901

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**Office Hours: Monday thru Friday, 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM**

Rose Eckenrod, Parish Secretary, Financial Secretary

**St. Clare of Assisi Mass Schedule:** Saturday 4:00 PM; Monday 6:30 PM; Holy Days & 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

Dan Amrhein, Director of Maintenance for both Parishes

## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	MASS/SERVICE	SITE
<b>Sunday, Jan 18</b> <i>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time;</i> <i>Ecumenical Sunday;</i> <i>Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins.</i>	8:00 AM	<b>David Sukenik</b> <b>By Marcia Swarney</b>	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	<b>Birthday Remembrance of Lottie Ciupak</b> <b>By Family</b>	Resurrection Church
<b>Monday, Jan. 19</b> <i>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</i>	12:00 PM	<b>Rosary</b>	Resurrection Oratory
	6:30 PM	<b>Paul Russo By Janet Hanley</b>	St. Clare of Assisi
<b>Tuesday, Jan. 20</b> <i>St. Fabian;</i> <i>St. Sebastian</i>	8:00 AM	<b>Birthday Remembrance of Dorothy Kuckenbrod</b> <b>By Dave and Joyce Kuckenbrod</b>	Resurrection Church
<b>Wednesday, Jan. 21</b> <i>St. Agnes</i>	8:00 AM	<b>Joseph Gregorchik</b> <b>By Judy Slusser</b>	Resurrection Church
<b>Thursday, Jan. 22</b> <i>Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children</i>	No Mass		
<b>Friday, Jan 23</b> <i>St. Vincent; St. Marianne Cope</i>	8:00 AM	<b>Betty George</b>	Resurrection Church
	12:00 PM	<b>By Robin Renninger</b>	Resurrection Oratory
<b>Saturday, Jan 24</b> <i>St. Francis de Sales</i>	4:00 PM	<b>Deceased members of the Pinizzotto Family</b> <b>By Vince and Mary Falvo</b>	St. Clare of Assisi
<b>Sunday, Jan 25</b> <i>3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time;</i> <i>Word of God Sunday;</i> <i>Catholic Schools Week begins.</i>	8:00 AM	<b>Bobby and Ruth Bellak</b> <b>By Judy Slusser</b>	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	<b>Fran Yuras</b> <b>By Janet Yuras</b>	Resurrection Church



**Calendar of Events**

**Sunday, Jan. 18 No Religious Ed. Classes**

**Monday, Jan. 19 Parish Offices Closed - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day**

**Thursday, Jan. 22** Women of the Bible Discussion Group 6:00 PM Resurrection Oratory  
Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM Resurrection Church

**Sunday, Jan. 25** Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center/Oratory

**Thursday, Jan. 29** Women of the Bible Discussion Group 6:00 PM Resurrection Oratory  
Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM Resurrection Church

**Sunday, Feb. 1** Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center/Oratory  
Mentor Meeting Resurrection Oratory/Oratory Hall

**This week's St. Clare of Assisi Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:**

The People of the Parish

**This week's Resurrection Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:**

Thomas Foltin By Sister, Connie Yon

**This week's Resurrection Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:**

The People of the Parish



**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: Jan. 11, 2026**

**Resurrection Parish** - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Total: \$3,951.00

Build. and Maint. \$153.00	Easter Flowers \$14.00	Mary, Mother of God \$311.00
Candles \$88.00	Initial Offering \$167.00	Poor Box \$44.00
Cemetery \$132.00	Loose Offertory \$400.00	Utilities \$87.00
Christmas \$75.00	Manger Straw \$20.00	Word Among Us \$6.00

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$5,448.00

**St. Clare of Assisi Parish** - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$1,770.00

Candles \$50.00	Donations \$20.00	Mary, Mother of God \$105.00
Christmas \$35.00	Immaculate Conception \$20.00	Retirement Fund Religious \$20.00
Christmas Flowers 20.00	Initial Offering \$165.00	Thanksgiving \$20.00
Catholic Charities \$20.00	Loose Offertory \$55.00	Utility Fund \$365.00

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$2,665.00



**Thursday, 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 anniversary of the Supreme Court decision, Roe vs. Wade (1973). On June 24, 2022, the Dobbs vs. Jackson Women's Health Organization decision overturned Roe vs. Wade. While God, in His mercy, ended the nearly fifty-year nationwide regime of abortion on demand, right now state and federal laws, in many instances, are still hostile to pre-born children. So, great prayer and advocacy

are very needed. 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:

**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**

*Parish News...*

**MISSING SIZZLER TICKET STUB:** We have one Sizzler ticket stub that was paid for but the stub was NOT turned in. The number is 642. Please check and make sure that you turned in all of your tickets stubs. We cannot honor that number unless we have the ticket stub.

**RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS:** **Group 2** volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Tues., Jan. 20** at the Resurrection Parish Office.

**ROSARY TIMES:** Please join us for the Rosary at the Resurrection Oratory on Mondays and Fridays at 12:00 PM. We hope to see you. A schedule of Rosary Leaders is as follows:

**Monday**

Jan. 19 - Joan Cammarata

Jan. 26 - Nancy Fesko

**Friday**

Jan. 23 - Janet Yuras

Jan. 30 - Pat Barrett

**ST PATRICK'S DAY SPECIAL** - The \$5.00 tickets, good for the Month of March, are available before or after Sunday Masses, or at the Resurrection Parish Office, Symon's Car Wash and Remmco Plumbing during regular business hours. Questions, call Chris at 814-535-1054.

**WOMEN OF THE BIBLE:** Discussions about the remarkable women in the Bible and how they relate to us today continue **on Thurs., Jan. 22 at 6:00 PM** in Resurrection's Oratory.

**CHOIR NEWS:** The next choir rehearsal will be held on **Thurs., Jan 22 at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Church.** New members are always welcome.

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS:** The next liturgical ministry schedule will begin on Ash Wednesday, February 18 and end on Pentecost Sunday, May 24. If you are involved in a ministry and would like to have any of your preferences changed, please notify George Pisula no later than January 31, by phone at 814-254-1961 or by email at [ggpisula@breezeline.net](mailto:ggpisula@breezeline.net). As is customary, the services of the Easter Triduum will be handled in a separate schedule. New ministers are always welcome, and ministers are reminded that they are invited to share their services at both Resurrection and St. Clare of Assisi parishes.

**THE NEXT BREAKFAST** will be held on Sun., Feb. 8 after the morning Masses in Resurrection Church Hall. Please join us!

**WINTER CLOTHESLINE:** We are collecting new or gently used Winter garments through Sun., Feb. 22 as part of a service project for Confirmation candidates. Hats, gloves, scarves, coats, etc. can be placed in the boxes, marked accordingly, in the back of Resurrection Church and St. John Gualbert Cathedral, or at McCaffrey Ins. Agency, 999 Eisenhower Blvd., Suite D1. All donations will be hung on our Winter Clothesline in front of the Resurrection Oratory, for anyone in our community to take from freely. Thank you, Griffin Ream, Bella Dixon, Sophie Messina, and Lilly Oakes.

**GETTING HEALTHY WITH JESUS:** The *Getting Healthy with Jesus* group will not be meeting until April. With the uncertainty of the winter weather and with the upcoming Lenten Faith-Sharing sessions, it will be prudent to safeguard our wellbeing and our conserve our time by waiting until spring.

**LOOKING AHEAD...NEW EVENT:** Resurrection Parish will be hosting a "Food Truck Fair" in late Spring of 2026 in the Resurrection Oratory Parking Lots. We are looking for volunteers who would like to help plan and/or work at the event. Please notify the Resurrection Parish Office if you would like to be a part of this new event!

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE RESURRECTION PARISH SIZZLER WINNERS FROM JANUARY 5TH TO 11TH, 2026.**

**1-5-26** #600 exact-Rita Campbell; #601 above-Donna Lynch; #599 below-Pam Shaffer; #060 boxed-Susan Bombatch; #006 boxed-Rita Leis

**1-6-26** #757 exact-Bunny Kusak; #758 above-Shannon Mumau; #756 below-Regina Antal; #775 boxed-Judy Rozich; #557 boxed-Andy and Taylor Buday


**1-7-26** #263 exact-Edward Makdad; #264 above-Shannon Rozich; #262 below-Valerie Druzak; #236 boxed-Robin Munoz; #632 boxed-Kathy Owens; #623 boxed-Michelle Rager; #362 boxed-Karen Miller; #326 boxed-Ed Kobal

**1-8-26** #574 exact-Paula Kohan; #575 above-Marian Bellack; #573 below-Mary Sutt; #547 boxed-Elaine Rivera; #754 boxed-Martin Furman; #745 boxed-Jim Carthew; #475 boxed-Marlene Freenock; #457 boxed-Ray Gorman

**1-9-26** #014 exact-Sharon White; #015 above-Chris Rebar; #013 below-Fr. Brian Warchola; #041 boxed-Michael and Sherri Pawlak; #410 boxed-Faylene Gosnell; #401 boxed-Dolores Barto; #140 boxed-Sharon Slezak; #104 boxed-Andrew Hovanec

**1-10-26** #017 exact-Ron Rokita; #018 above-Judy Gona; #016 below-Judith Schmalz; #071 boxed-Judy Soflarsky; #710 boxed-Len and Jeanne Pastorek; #701 boxed-Andrea Primo; #170 boxed-Mercedes Smith; #107 boxed-Erma Yingling

**1-11-26** #232 exact-Sam Goller; #233 above-Judy Slusser; #231 below-Rebecca Dembrosky; #223 boxed-Fr. Nick Mancini; #322 boxed-Bonnie Hritz


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**2025 END OF YEAR FINANCIAL STATEMENT:** IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE YOUR 2025 CONTRIBUTIONS FOR TAX PURPOSES PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW AND DROP IN THE COLLECTION BASKET OR BRING TO THE PARISH OFFICE. THANK YOU.

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## EDUCATION

**SUN., JAN. 18 - NO RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES**

**SUN., JAN 25** - Religious Education 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center.

**SUN., FEB. 1** - Religious Education 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center and Confirmation Mentor Meeting Resurrection Oratory and Oratory Hall

**SAT., FEB. 7** - First Reconciliation at 9:00 AM at St. John Gualbert Cathedral, St. Anne Shrine for Resurrection, St. Clare of Assisi, St. John Gualbert and St. Patrick students.

**SUN., FEB. 8** - Religious Education 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center.

**SUN., FEB. 15** - Religious Education 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center.

**SUN., FEB. 22** - Religious Education 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center.



**ALL SAINTS PARISH**, Boswell, Pa., will be hosting a two-class course by Owen Shotts on the art of making stained glass at 2:00 PM on January 25th and February 1st in their parish hall (505 Center Street, Boswell). Because of the nature of stained glass making, the course extends over two classes and due to the cost of the materials there will be a \$50 fee per student. Students will learn the basics of stained glass, walk through a project, and make their own project. The class is limited to twelve students. To register please call All Saints Parish office (814) 629-5551 by January 20th.

**HEALING MASS:** Holy Spirit Ministry will hold a special Healing Mass on Tues., Feb. 3 at 7:00 PM at St. Michael Church, Hollidaysburg. This powerful night of hope and healing is for all who are suffering physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Fr. Jeremy Mohler will be the main celebrant. Praise and worship will precede the Mass at 6:30 PM and prayer ministry will follow the Mass. If you are suffering physically, or from an addiction, or hurting or struggling in any way, come and experience the healing power of Jesus and be set free! All are welcome!

**BISHOP MCCORT CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL 34TH ANNUAL BENEFIT AUCTION CASH GIVEAWAY:** The \$10.00 tickets are available at the Resurrection Parish Office. Winners will be drawn on Saturday, March 7, 2026 during the Annual McCort Benefit Auction Online. 1st prize \$2,500.00; 2nd prize \$1,500.00; 3rd prize \$1,000.00. Winners need not be present to win.



**PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Robert Kris; Janice Kuchinka; Beth Maurer Fockler; Tom Gross; Kathy; Brock; Chris Barnouski; Lynn and Brett Kasander; Susan Laichak; Kim Banfer; Karen Kubovchick; Caroline Jurich; Anna Mae Johns; Mike; Jessica; Ray and Andrea Vargo; Karina Kopriva; Liz; Michelle and Tom; Gary and Doris; Leslie Winters; Roger Hunt; Louise Ager; Joann Fyock; Robert Verbiar; Baby Simon; Sandy Karas; Rich McDermott; Gwen Molnarko; Mike Macchiarolo; Gloria; Betty; Denny; Jane Hershberger; Dee Young; Victor Flores; Premie twins, Michael Anthony Eppolito III and Sophia Marie Eppolito; Rosalia Pietrolungo; Margie Duranko; Nicholas Booth; Baby Max Turley; David Cross; Eric Rozich; Pat Meagher; Anthony and Rita Piro; Mary Falvo; Chris Klopfer; Florence Urbassik; Mary Ann Bellak; Michelle Burns; Debbie; Maria Piro; Betsy Konar; Ashlee Fecko; Mary Roberts; Michelle C.; Chuck Schmidt; Nicole; Manny Layman; Helen Khula; April Skalek; Margaret Kovach, Marty Vrabel; Ann Hoffman; Verbine Family and Friends; Fran Findley; Mary Lynch; Kay Komar. To add or remove someone please call either Parish Office.



**Baptisms:** Call the Office three months prior to the preferred date. (New parishioners, call six months prior to 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**

Bridget Sarosi, Chairperson	
Joseph Rizzo, Vice-Chairperson	
Laura Angello	Mike Hudec
Ezio DiFrancesco	Lucille Piro
Pete Furfari	Michelle Stutzman

If you have a need for a prayer and would like to be put on the prayer chain, please contact Barb Gulick at 814-792-8647 or [jbg213@atlanticbb.net](mailto:jbg213@atlanticbb.net)

**Resurrection Parish Council**

Carol Pisula, Chairperson	
Pat Barrett, Vice-Chairperson	
Kathy Hanners Secretary	
Gail Blough	Kyra Miller
Christine Bodie	Rich Price
Ben Gagan	Pam Sestrich
Anna Kozuch	Faith Thomas

