

Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

Saint Clare of Assisi

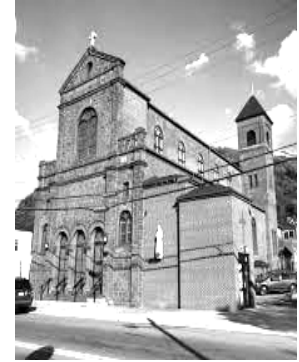
Catholic Parish

FEBRUARY 14, 2021

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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



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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

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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, FEBRUARY 14, 2021

DATE	TIME	MASS/SERVICE	SITE
Sunday, February 14 <i>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>St. Valentine's Day;</i> <i>World Marriage Day</i>	8:00 AM	Emma Symon By Bob, Mark and Linda Symon	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	Michael Fatula By Sisters, Diane and Marian and Families	Resurrection Church
Monday, February 15	12:00 PM 6:30 PM	Rosary People of the Parish	Resurrection Oratory St. Clare of Assisi
Tuesday, February 16	8:00 AM	Mary L. (Sokolowski) Slezak and Anthony Sokolowski By Son/Nephew, John Slezak	Resurrection Church
Wednesday, February 17 <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	8:00 AM	People of the Parish	St. Clare of Assisi
	6:30 PM	Gary Draksler By Frank Gorchesky	Resurrection Church
Thursday, February 18	NO MASS		
Friday, February 19	8:00 AM	People of the Parish	Resurrection Church
	12:00 PM	Rosary (Oratory)	Resurrection Oratory
Saturday, February 20 <i>World Day for Social Justice</i>	4:00 PM	Renee Trucello By The Christian Mothers	St. Clare of Assisi
Sunday, February 21 <i>1st Sunday of Lent</i>	8:00 AM	Frank Sr. and Mary Sojak By Dan and Marian	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	Steve "Tex" Maschak By Carl and Bonnie Zellie and Nephew, Jason and Kayla Maschak	Resurrection Church

This week's Resurrection Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:
Edward Figura By Cathy Strushensky

This week's Resurrection Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:
George Plowchin By Wife and Family

This week's St. Clare of Assisi Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:
The People of the Parish



Calendar of Events

Sunday, Feb. 14 Religious Ed. Monthly Parent Meeting 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Confirmation Student Monthly Meeting 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Monday, Feb. 15 Presidents' Day - Parish Offices Closed

Saturday, Feb. 20 10th Grade Gifts of the Holy Spirit Retreat 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM

St. Benedict School Gym

Tuesday, February 23 Resurrection Parish Council Zoom Meeting 6:30 PM

Sunday, Feb. 28 11th Grade Discipleship Retreat



WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: February 7, 2021

Resurrection Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Total: \$5,054.00

Black and Indian Missions \$95.00	Catholic Relief \$5.00	Mary, the Mother of God \$101.00
Build. and Maint. \$293.00	Easter Flowers \$50.00	Poor Box: \$54.00
Candles \$96.00	Immaculate Concept. 15.00	Rosary Society \$5.00
Cemetery \$160.00	Initial Offering \$58.00	Souper Bowl \$935.00
Christmas \$100.00	Loose Offertory \$40.00	Utilities: \$105.00
Catholic Register \$107.00	Mandeville/Ash Wed. \$50.00	

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$7,323.00

St. Clare of Assisi Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$1,132.00

Ash Wednesday \$35.00	Easter Flowers \$65.00	Souper Bowl \$90.00
Black and Indian Missions \$5.00	Loose Offertory \$15.00	

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$1,342.00



Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails. - 1 Corinthians 13:4-8



World Marriage Day

Lord, We pray for your peace to rule richly in every marriage and in every home. We pray that husbands and wives may communicate in a loving way, seeking harmony at all costs. Our hope is for couples to draw closer together more than they ever have before and to know confidently that it is only possible with You in Jesus' name. We ask that you turn your compassionate eyes on all who have lost their loved one. Help them cope with the loss and to rely on You even more than before, fill their emptiness until they are reunited in your heavenly kingdom. Amen



THIS WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17 IS ASH WEDNESDAY, when the Church begins the forty day journey toward the Triduum (The Three Days) with the annual discipline of fasting, praying and giving alms. Ash Wednesday (Feb. 17) and Good Friday (April 2) are days of fast and abstinence. All other Fridays in Lent (Feb. 19, 26; March 5, 12, 19 and 26) are days of abstinence only. **FASTING** refers to only one full meal, with two small meals and no other eating at all for the day. All those required to **FAST** are between the ages of 18 and 59 years old. **ABSTINENCE** refers to not eating meat at all for the day. All those age 14 years old and above are required to abstain. Those who are excused from fast and abstinence are anyone suffering from a chronic illness, such as diabetes, or pregnant or nursing women. **Mass with distribution of ashes will be celebrated on Ash Wednesday at St. Clare of Assisi Church at 8:00 AM and at Resurrection Church at 6:30 PM.** Ashes will be imposed in an unusual way for dioceses in United States. The ashes will be blessed as usual. The words during imposition will be said only once over all in attendance. Then individuals will approach the minister, who says nothing, to have a very small amount of ash "sprinkled" upon the crown of the head. (Think "a pinch of salt!")



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: Sandy Wojnaroski; Joann Yuhas; Josephine Stumpo; Helen Lech; Arlene Schaffer; 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 either Parish Office.



Parish News...

RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS:

Group 3 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Tues., February 16.** Thank you to all who help!

RESURRECTION PARISH COUNCIL will be meeting **Tuesday, February 23, 2021 starting at 6:30 PM via Zoom.** Parish Council wishes to ensure all participants' health and safety by not meeting in person at this time.

"LITTLE BLACK BOOKS" (LENTEN DEVOTIONALS) are available for parishioners at the Churches or at the Parish Offices. Please feel free to take one or stop by during regular business hours.



THANK YOU to all who contributed to the Souper Bowl collection. \$1,025.00 was collected from both parishes thus far for the St. Vincent DePaul Society Soup Kitchen. May God bless you all for helping those less fortunate.

THANK YOU: The January Sizzler Committee thanks Fr. George, the Office Staff from both parishes, the Sweet Shoppe, Remmco Plumbing and Heating, Symon's Auto Wash and all parishioners and friends for making this fundraiser a success. A special thanks to all of our "Super Sizzler Sellers." All tickets were sold resulting in our Parish benefiting \$10,130.00 and total payouts of \$10,030.00 to our lucky winners. **A SPECIAL THANK YOU to Johanna Vena V.M.D. of Cambria Veterinary Care for the printing of the tickets. God Bless All of you!** *Pat and Ed Gregochik*

ALL ARE WELCOME in praying the Rosary on Mon. and Fri., at **12:00 PM** (**Reminder: the time has changed from 12:15 PM to 12:00 PM**) at the Resurrection Oratory. A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

Monday

Feb. 15 - Fran Findley

Feb. 22 - Deacon Sam

Friday

Feb. 19 - Diane Ashbridge

Feb. 26 - Janet Yuras

LENTEN HOLY HOUR: Beginning March February 24 and concluding March 31 a weekly Holy Hour will be held each Wednesday during Lent from 12 Noon until 1:00 PM **at St. Clare of Assisi Church.** All are welcome to attend.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be held on the Fridays of Lent at beginning at 6:30 PM **at Resurrection Church.** All are welcome to attend.

SEWING MINISTRY MEMBERS, the Sewing Ministry Room will be open on Thursday, March 4 at 10:00 AM, at this time you can get more supplies or request items you may need. **We are always looking for new members from either parish to make lap quilts and walker totes and crochet throws and baby items available to anyone in need of comfort, free of charge.** If you would like to donate yarn or supplies any and all colors will be accepted but please be sure it is 4 ply acrylic. It usually takes 5-6 skeins to make a lap blanket but we would be very appreciative of any amount.

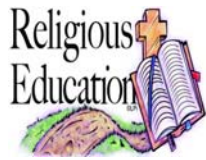
MOTHER'S DAY SPECIAL TICKETS COMING SOON! As you may have noticed, we are not having a St. Patrick's Day Special this year. Instead, we will have a Mother's Day Special. This \$5.00 ticket will be good for the entire month of May. We did this a few years ago and it was well received. Look for tickets to go on sale in March.

THE SWEET SHOPPE, 719 Chestnut St. (539-6502) February Hours: 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. Closed Sunday.

BLESSED CANDLES are available in the back of the Resurrection Church. The cost is \$4.00 per set.

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.

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.**



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 10th Grade Gifts of the Holy Spirit Retreat 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM at the St. Benedict's school gym. Parents are required to attend retreats.

SUNDAY, MARCH 7, Confirmation Sessions 9A, 10B and 11C -8:45 AM to 10:15 AM. This is your last opportunity for this session . If you have not attended this session you **NEED** to register by February 27.



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI FISH FRY is scheduled for Ash Wednesday, February 17 at the Activity Center corner of D St. and Barron Avenue from 2:00 PM until 6:00 PM (please note the time change) for **PHONE ORDERS ONLY AT (814) 539-3518.** Orders will be taken on Tuesday, February 16 from 9:00 AM until 11:00 PM and on Wednesday, February 17 from 10:00 AM until 5:00 PM. We ask that you please pre-order.

ST. THERESA CHURCH will be selling fresh but frozen Potato & Cheese piroghi every Friday during Lent, starting February 19 thru March 26 at their Social Hall from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM & 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM. **NO phone orders will be taken. First come first served.** The cost is \$7.00 per dozen.



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
Gary Vitko, Vice-Chairperson, Education Committee, 535-2239
Gregg Majercsik, Cemetery Committee, 539-9068
Jeff McKissick, Activities Committee, 242-0359
Kyra Miller, Education Committee, 279-8746
Cindy O'Connor, Family Life Committee, 242-8776
Brian Pavic, Liturgy Committee, 418-0279
Rick Pavic, Properties & Maintenance Committee, 244-3047
George Pisula, Liturgy Committee, 254-1961
Steve Reasbeck, Education Committee, 288-9924
Larry Sestrich, Finance Committee, 255-2344
Faith Thomas, Family Life Committee, 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 jbg213@atlanticbb.net

