

Resurrection
Roman Catholic Parish

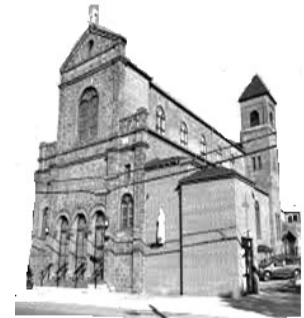
February 16, 2025

Saint Clare of Assisi
Catholic Church



The 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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



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

MaryBeth Konieczny, Parish Secretary

Beth Thomas, Administrative Assistant

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

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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
Sunday, Feb. 16 <i>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM	Mary Mical, Anna Marie Kane, and Patricia Furman By Chris 1st Year Anniversary Remembrance of Anna Seninsky By George and Eileen Seminsky	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM		Resurrection Church
Monday, Feb. 17 <i>The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order</i>	12:00 PM No Mass	Rosary	Resurrection Oratory St. Clare of Assisi
Tuesday, Feb. 18	No Mass		Resurrection Church
Wednesday, Feb. 19	No Mass		Resurrection Church
Thursday, Feb. 20	No Mass		
Friday, Feb. 21 <i>St. Peter Damian</i>	8:00 AM	Wedding Anniversary Remembrance of James and Margaret Murray By Children Rosary	Resurrection Church
	12:00 PM		Resurrection Oratory
Saturday, Feb. 22 <i>The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle</i>	4:00 PM	John R. Barberio By Florence Filo	St. Clare of Assisi
Sunday, Feb. 23 <i>7th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM	Charles Stanley Wisz By Daughter, Marsha (Wisz) and Son-in-law, David Strushensky Fran Yuras By Barry Sirko and Joyce Sharp	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM		Resurrection Church

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

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Calendar of Events

Sunday, Feb. 16 NO RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES

Monday, Feb. 17 PRESIDENTS' DAY - PARISH OFFICES CLOSED

Tuesday, Feb. 18 Church Cleaning 8:30 AM Resurrection Church

Thursday, Feb. 20 Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM Resurrection Church

Saturday, Feb. 22 St. Clare Parish Council Meeting after 4:00 PM Mass St. Clare Church

Sunday, Feb. 23 Breakfast after morning Masses Resurrection Church Hall
 Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center/Oratory
 Book Discussion Group 4:00 PM The Sewing Room

Tuesday, Feb 25 Resurrection Parish Council Meeting 6:30 PM Resurrection Church Hall

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

Sunday, March 2 Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center/Oratory

Monday, March 3 Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting 6:00 PM Resurrection Church Hall

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: February 9, 2025

Resurrection Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Total: \$3,419.00

Assumption \$10.00	Christmas Flowers \$25.00	Retired Priest's Medical \$10.00
All Saints \$5.00	Cemetery \$35.00	Souper Bowl \$452.00
All Souls \$5.00	Immaculate Conception \$ 5.00	Thanksgiving Day \$10.00
Build. and Maint. \$163.00	Initial Offering \$5.00	Utilities \$85.00
Candles \$88.00	Loose Offertory \$135.00	Word Among Us \$8.00
Catholic Charities \$10.00	Mary, Mother of God \$5.00	World Mission Sunday \$10.00
Catholic University \$10.00	Poor Box \$8.00	
Christmas \$25.00	Retired Fund/ Religious \$10.00	
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$4,538.00		

St. Clare of Assisi Parish Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$1,511.00

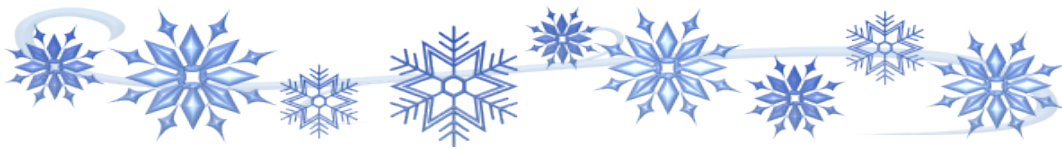
Black and Indian Missions \$25.00	Donation \$20.00	Souper Bowl \$191.00
Candles \$50.00	Initial Offering \$10.00	
Christmas \$5.00	Loose Offertory \$65.27.00	
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$1,877.27		



Almighty God, our Rock and our Salvation, we beg you to pour out your Holy Spirit upon our nation. Heal the divisions that separate us and remove all obstacles to authentic unity.

May you guide this great country of ours and lead our citizens to embrace one another as neighbors and fellow countrymen, created in your own image and likeness. Give us a fresh opportunity for renewal and true solidarity for the common good of our homeland.

May we return to our true identity as people of faith and charity. Help us to always remain One Nation, Under God, Indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all. Amen.



Parish News...

DUE TO THE INCLEMENT WEATHER WE HAD LAST WEEKEND, THE LAST BREAKFAST OF THE SEASON WAS POSTPONED. It will be held on Sunday, February 23 after the morning Masses in Resurrection Church Hall. Sausage, eggs, hash browns and toast will be served. Please join us!

SALE!! Chocolate covered Peanuts, Raisins, Macadamias, Oreos, Pretzels and Nutter Butters will be available **on the Sewing Ministry table at the Breakfast on Sun., Feb. 23** Pecan Horns will be available too!

THE THURSDAY EVENING WOMEN OF THE BIBLE FAITH-SHARING DISCUSSION GROUP will not be meeting during the month of February.

2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE FINAL COUNTS: 35 out of 126 St. Clare of Assisi Parish families contributed \$12,350.00 toward the goal of \$8,472.00, exceeding the 2024 goal by \$3,878.00. 73 out of 379 Resurrection Parish families contributed \$21,745.00 toward the goal of \$31,643.00, leaving a deficit for 2024 of \$9,898.00.

ST PATRICK'S DAY SPECIAL - All of the St Patrick's Day Special tickets have been sold. Please return your money and ticket stubs at your earliest convenience. Once again, thank you for your support of this fundraiser. *Chris and John*

NO WEEKDAY MASS: There will be no weekday Masses scheduled Feb. 17 thru 20. **Weekday Mass will resume on Friday, Feb. 21, with 8:00 AM Mass at Resurrection Church.**

PRESIDENTS' DAY: The Parish Offices will be closed on Monday, February 17 as we observe the Presidents' Day holiday.

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

Feb. 17 - Carol Pisula

Feb. 24 - Phil Skala

Mar. 3 - George Pisula

Mar. 10 - Joan Cammarata

Friday

Feb. 21 - Chris Rebar

Feb. 28 - Jim and Nina Kopriva

Mar. 7 - Diane Ashbridge

Mar. 14 - Janet Yuras

CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers are needed as we will be doing routine cleaning at **Resurrection Church on Tuesday, February 18 starting at 8:30 AM.** Please consider sharing your time and talent! Many hands make light work! Cleaning usually takes only about 1 – 1 ½ hours. Any help is greatly appreciated!

RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 2 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Tues., Feb. 18** at the Resurrection Parish Office.

CHOIR REHEARSAL will be held on **Thurs., Feb. 20 at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Church.** New members are always welcome!! If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Emily: (814) 242-4995, emilyroy411@gmail.com.

ST. CLARE OF ASSISI PARISH COUNCIL will meet on **Saturday, February 22** after the 4:00 Mass in St. Clare Church. Parishioners are welcome to attend.

THE BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP will meet on **Sun., Feb. 23 at 4:00 PM in the Sewing Room.** We will be discussing "*The Three Ordinary Voices of God*" by Matthew Kelly. Looking ahead, we will read any book on St. Joseph for the month of March.

THE LADIES' AUXILIARY will hold their monthly meeting on **Monday, March 3 at 6:00 PM at Resurrection Church Hall.** Please note the change in date due to Ash Wednesday. New members from Resurrection and St. Clare's are always welcome! We look forward to seeing our Parish sisters and welcoming new members!

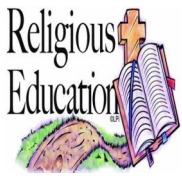
RESURRECTION PARISH COUNCIL will meet on **Tuesday, February 25** starting at 6:30 PM in **Resurrection Church Hall**. Parishioners are welcome to attend.

ASH WEDNESDAY IS MARCH 5, 2025. Mass with distribution of ashes will be celebrated at **8:00 AM at St. Clare of Assisi Church and at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Church.**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be held on the Fridays of Lent (except Good Friday) **beginning on Fri., March 7 at 6:30 PM at St. Clare of Assisi Church.** All are welcome to attend. We are asking for volunteers to assist as cross & candle bearers for Stations of the Cross. To participate, you do not need to be an altar server.

SUNG EVENING PRAYER (VESPERS) will take place at **4:00 PM on the First Sunday of Lent, March 9** at Resurrection church. Please join us.

LENTEN HOLY HOUR will be held every Wed. during Lent **beginning on Wed., March 12 at 12 Noon at Resurrection Church.** All are welcome to attend.



SUN., FEB. 16 - NO RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES

SUN., FEB. 23 - Religious Ed. 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center, Oratory Hall

SAT., MARCH 1 - Grade 9 Baptism Retreat from 1:30 to 4:30 PM at the St. Benedict School Gym. Parents are required to attend retreats.

SUN., MARCH 2 - Religious Ed. 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center, Oratory Hall

SUN., MARCH 9 - Religious Ed. 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center, Oratory Hall

SUN., MARCH 16 - 11th Grade Discipleship Retreat 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Please meet in the St. Benedict school gym. Mass will be celebrated and food will be provided.

SUN., MARCH 16 - Religious Ed. 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center, Oratory Hall

SUN., MARCH 16 - JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH DAY- HOPE FOR THE HOPELESS- Bishop Carroll High School for youth in Grades 6-8 Registration forms are available at Religious Ed or from your Catholic School Principal. Please register by Sun., March 9, 2025.

LOOKING AHEAD, CAMP ZACCHAEUS - JULY 13-18, 2025 at Camp Sequanota. Come enjoy the fun!! Registration forms are available from your Parish DRE.



ST. BENEDICT CHURCH, 2310 Bedford Street, first fish fry of the year will be held on Friday, February 21st. Other dates are as follows: February 28th; Ash Wednesday, March 5th, March 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th; April 4th and 11th. As usual, there is NO fish fry on Good Friday, April 18th. Eat in or take-out 3:30 PM to 7:00 PM in their hall. Please keep in mind that phone orders (814-266-9718) and online orders (www.stbenedictchurch.org/fishfry) will be from 3:00 PM to 6:45 PM.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP (18-39): Theology on Tap continues at the Boulevard Grill at 6:00 PM on February 26 with Fr. Dave Peles speaking on The Jubilee Year of Hope: Lent & the Sacred Triduum. Along with the Altoona group we are hosting a young adult retreat on March 8 from 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM at Saint Francis University. Looking ahead, future guest speakers will include: March 26 with Bishop Waltersheid, April 30 with Mike Aquilina, May 28 with Br. Isaiah Klena OCD, June 25 TBD, and July 23 with Fr. Basil Cole O.P. All young adults aged 18-39 are invited to join us! We are also seeking sponsors. For more information contact Geoffrey Stumpo at (814) 659-7415 or geoffstumpo@gmail.com.

HOLY SPIRIT MINISTRY will be hosting the "Empowered by the Spirit Series" on four consecutive Tuesdays beginning March 18th at St. Michael Activity Center & Church, Holidaysburg. The prayer experience begins at 7:00 PM and includes dynamic speakers, testimonies, praise and worship, small group discussions and more. Refreshments and fellowship will begin in the Activity Center at 6:30 PM. The purpose of the series is to explore and equip the faithful for evangelization through the power and gifts of the Holy Spirit. There is no charge, but registration is required: holyspiritministry20@gmail.com or 814-207-9110.

DIOCESE OF ALTOONA/JOHNSTOWN STRENGTH IN CHRIST MEN'S CONFERENCE-Sunday, March 30, 2025 from 11:30 AM-5:30 PM at Mount Aloysius College, Cresson. Join us for a day that includes lunch, Sunday Mass, talks from local priests, personal testimonies, and a panel discussion with local Catholic men. There is no cost to attend. Visit www.dioceseaj.org to register online. For those unable to register online, paper registration forms can be found at each parish to complete and return via mail. Registration closes March 21. Online registration is encouraged due to limited seating.

PRO LIFE VIGIL is held every Thursday, at 11:00 AM across from the Planned Parenthood on Franklin Street in Johnstown.



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Mike Macchiarolo; Deacon Richard Wentzel; Gloria; Betty; Denny; Ken Heath; Jane Hershberger; Dee Young; Victor Flores; Cindy Kris; Premie twins, Michael Anthony Eppolito III and Sophia Marie Eppolito; Rosalia Pietrolungo; Margie Duranko; Ed Tursic; Nicholas Booth; Baby Max Turley; David Cross; Eric Rozich; Pat Meagher; Rita Piro; Mary Falvo; Chris Klopfer; Florence Urbassik; Mary Ann Bellak; Dembrosky Family; Michelle Burns; Kathy Raymer Hurley and Family; ; Debbie; Christine Freed; Maria Piro; Betsy Konar; Ashlee Fecko; Nellie Adkins; Jane Goodwin; Mary Roberts; Michelle C.; Sandy Karas; Lois DiBuono; Chuck Schmidt; Nicole; Manny Layman; Helen Khula; April Skalek; James Piro; Margaret Kovach, Marty Vrabel; George Salata; Caroline Fetzko; Ann Hoffman; Verbine Family and Friends; Fran Findley; Mary Lynch; Joseph Gregorchik; Kay Komar; Rita Ozog; Charlotte Fesko; and all blessed blanket recipients including: Dezi; Baby Kissell; Shirley H.; Juliana; Baby Little; Kim Waddel; Helen Gagan; Flo Bischok; Paul Ferbiak; Mary Fabo; Julie Bogs; Carol Laugard; Jim Milla; Mary H. Miller; Rosemary Oswald; Ray Lingly; Allie; Neysa C.; and all Down Syndrome patients. To add someone to the prayer list please

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

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Resurrection Parish Council

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Gail Blough	Rich Price
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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 814-792-8647 or jbg213@atlanticbb.net

