

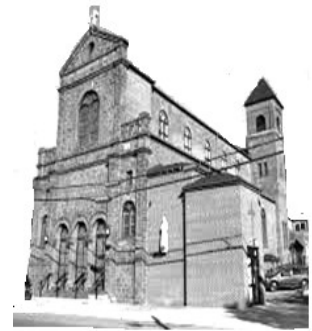
*Resurrection*  
Roman Catholic Parish

May 28, 2023

*Saint Clare of Assisi*  
Catholic Church



PENTECOST  
SUNDAY



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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 & Holidays as announced.

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

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

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 & 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, MAY 28, 2023**

DATE	TIME	MASS/SERVICE	SITE
<b>Sunday, May 28</b> <i>Pentecost Sunday</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	The People of the Parish Marlin Miller By Wife, Mary and Family	<b>Resurrection Church</b> <b>Resurrection Church</b>
<b>Monday, May 29</b> <i>The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church; Memorial Day</i> 	<b>9:00 AM</b>	All who have died defending our freedom. No Rosary at the Resurrection Oratory.	St. Clare of Assisi
<b>Tuesday, May 30</b>	8:00 AM	Anna Gojmerac By Joe Sefcik and Family	Resurrection Church
<b>Wednesday, May 31</b> <i>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	8:00 AM	Ralph and Ann Galasso By Daughter, Theresa and Family	Resurrection Church
<b>Thursday, June 1</b> <i>St. Justin</i>	<b>NO MASS</b>		
<b>Friday, June 2</b> <i>S.S. Marcellinus and Peter</i>	8:00 AM 12:00 PM	James W. Murray By Lawrence and Jean Rosko Rosary	Resurrection Church Resurrection Oratory
<b>Saturday, June 3</b> <i>St. Charles Lwanga and Companions</i>	4:00 PM	Joann Yuhaz By Kim Konieczny and Family	St. Clare of Assisi
<b>Sunday, June 4</b> <i>The Most Holy Trinity</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Felix Draksler By Daughter, Caroline Rose Zorn By Husband, Joe, Children and Grandchildren	Resurrection Church Resurrection Church

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

All who have died defending our freedom.

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

The People of the Parishes

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

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**Calendar of Events**

**Sunday, May 28** BBQ Chicken Dinner Pick up after 10:30 AM Mass  
 4th Ave. Parking Lot by Resurrection Church  
 SundayMarket@CambriaCity 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

**Monday, May 29 Memorial Day - Parish Offices and The Sweet Shoppe Closed**

**Wednesday, May 31** A Moment of Prayer 6:00 PM Mass Visitation Church

**Wednesday, June 7** Ladies Auxiliary June Social 6:00 PM Boulevard Grill



This is Pentecost Sunday and the fifty days of the Easter Feast conclude. Today we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit who reveals faith in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. It is the Holy Spirit that enlightens the minds of believers to go forth and share the good news of the dying and rising of the Lord. Christians are people of life. We boldly proclaim our shared faith in Christ's saving death and resurrection. We proclaim with certitude and trust our faith in God's abiding love, the Lord's salvific death and resurrection, and the Spirit's guiding presence in our lives.

**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: May 21, 2023**

**Resurrection Parish** - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Total: \$4,002.00

Ascension \$782.00	Donation \$60.00	Mother's Day \$102.00
Build. and Maint. \$227.00	Easter \$5.00	Pentecost \$30.00
Catholic Home Missions \$105.00	Good Fri./Holy Land \$7.00	Utilities \$311.00
Cemetery \$40.00	Loose Offertory \$180.00	
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION: \$5,851.00</b>		

**St. Clare of Assisi Parish** - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$995.00

Ascension \$166.00	Donation \$90.00	Mother's Day \$20.00
Building Fund \$20.00	Easter \$10.00	Summer Fundraiser \$45.00
Catholic Communications \$60.00	Loose Offertory \$72.00	
Candles \$62.00	Loose Offertory (Ascension) \$54.00	
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION: \$1,594.00</b>		



***WELCOME** to Leo Patrick Skelley who was baptized at Resurrection Church on Sunday, May 28, 2023 We offer our heartfelt congratulations and prayers to Leo, his parents; Godparents; and Family. May Christ always be the guiding light throughout your life.*



*Remember, Lord, the fallen who died in fields of war, in flaming clouds, in screaming crowds, on streets that are no more, that we today might waken and greet this day in peace with grateful prayer for those who bear the storms that never cease. Remember friends and strangers, and those forgotten now, whose names are known to you alone, before whose love we bow. And ask that you surround them with mercy's endless light that they may live and we forgive the foe they went to fight. Remember, Lord, the living, who bear the pain of loss—A death she died who stood beside her Son upon the cross. Remember all your children the dead and those who weep, and make us one beneath the sun where love will never sleep.*

### *Parish News...*

#### **STOP DOWN AT THE SUNDAY MARKET AT CAMBRIA CITY, SUNDAY, MAY 28!**

Kick off the unofficial start of Summer by browsing the various vendor booths and enjoying the sunshine! Don't forget to pick up your pre-ordered BBQ Chicken Dinner! We are looking forward to seeing you!

**MEMORIAL DAY, MONDAY, MAY 29,** Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 AM at St. Clare of Assisi Church. The Parish Offices and The Sweet Shoppe will be closed. There will be no Rosary at the Resurrection Oratory.

**THE SWEET SHOPPE (814) 539-6502:** Due to unforeseen circumstances The Sweet Shoppe will not have regular business hours at this time. Please call The Sweet Shoppe to see if they are open before stopping in.

**Q & A'S ABOUT OUR F & G FEST SATURDAY, 9/2/23:** Q: Can St. Clare parishioners have their own activities in the lot? A: Most definitely! A portion of the lot is being held in reserve for them. To volunteer call Kathy Hanners 539-2735 or email [khanners1914@gmail.com](mailto:khanners1914@gmail.com) . **F&G = Food and Games in the lot across from the main doors at Resurrection.**

**ROSARY TIMES:** We pray the Rosary on Mondays and Fridays at 12:00 PM at the Resurrection Oratory. A schedule of Rosary Leaders is as follows:

**Monday**

May 29 - NO ROSARY, Memorial Day  
June 5 - Phil Skala  
June 12 - George Pisula  
June 19 - Deacon Sam  
June 26 - Nancy Fesko

**Friday**

June 2 - Chris Rebar  
June 9 - Jim and Nina Kopriva  
June 16 - Diane Ashbridge  
June 23 - Janet Yuras  
June 30 - Pat Barrett

**RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS:** Group 2 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Tues., May 30 at the Resurrection Parish Office.**

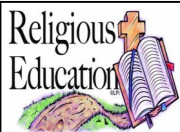
**A MOMENT OF PRAYER, MAY 31, 2023:** The General Secretariat of the Synod is inviting everyone in the Church to a moment of prayer on May 31 (Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary) in support of the upcoming first session of the 16<sup>th</sup> Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops. Each diocese has been asked to designate a place in which this prayer may be made by members of the faithful from throughout the diocese. Since Wednesday, May 31 is the patronal feast of Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish in Johnstown, everyone is encouraged to participate in a special Mass at Visitation Church that evening at 6:00 PM. Confessions will be heard at Visitation Church prior to the Mass from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Please set aside time for Mass or for prayer at home. It is recommended that recitation of the Rosary, Prayer to Mary Mother of the Church (Patroness of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown) or the Prayer for the Synod be offered. A partial indulgence is being granted for all those who participate.

**THE LADIES' AUXILIARY** June Social is Wed., June 7 starting at 6:00 PM at the Boulevard Grill. This social is open to only current Auxiliary members.

**EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION** is held the second Monday of each month after the 6:30 PM Mass at St. Clare of Assisi Church. All are welcome on **Monday, June 12** to attend.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION** will be held on **Friday, June 16**, The Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, from 6:30 to 7:30 PM at Resurrection Church. All are welcome. Please note that there will be no Adoration on First Friday, June 2.

**LADIES BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:** Read any book on St. Theresa of Calcutta. In September we will compare what we have learned. Books are available if you need one.



**THE DIOCESE IS OFFERING OPPORUNITIES TO GROW IN YOUR FAITH OVER THE SUMMER....**

**JUNE 18-22- CAMP TIMOTHY** for youth entering grades 10-12.

**JULY 9 – EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION** after the 5:00 PM Mass at St. John Gualbert

**JULY 16-21- CAMP ZACCHAUS** for youth entering grades 4-9

**ATTENTION:** Those students entering 11<sup>th</sup> grade in the Fall, PLEASE turn in your Sponsor information and Confirmation name if you have not already done so.



**CALLING ALL 2023 GRADUATES: (PRE-SCHOOL, KINDERGARTEN, ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, HIGH SCHOOL, TRADE SCHOOL, MILITARY AND COLLEGE). Graduates Roll will be published in the June 25th bulletin.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL GRADUATING FROM: \_\_\_\_\_

LEVEL OF GRADUATION OR DEGREE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENTS/GUARDIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

FUTURE PLANS: \_\_\_\_\_



**PEDALS AND PRAISE** is a Spin Class that incorporates prayer along with praise and worship music. Taught by Becca LaBar, a certified spin instructor at Gear Force Elite Cycle and Fitness – a fitness studio located inside Big Dawg Built located at 106 Fairfield Ave. in Johnstown. The class is currently taught on Sunday afternoons and evenings at Big Dawg Built and is open to the public. Private classes for your Church, small group, Bible Study Group, etc. can be scheduled. To schedule a class or for more information, please contact Becca at [BeccaALaBar@gmail.com](mailto:BeccaALaBar@gmail.com) or 814-270-6050.

**YOUNG ADULT GROUP (18-35):** Theology on Tap continues to be a success with now over 35 members who have participated! We will continue meeting the last Wednesday of every month. Our May 31 session is from 6:00 PM -8:00 PM at the Stadium Pub Grille located at 101 Washington St, Johnstown in their outdoor patio area. Our May guest speakers are Sister Joachim and Sister Anne who are Carmelite Sisters for the Aged and Infirm from Garvey Manor in Hollidaysburg. They will be speaking about a Catholic Christian perspective on the Healthcare field, particularly on being Catholic workers in the Healthcare field. Young adults of all faiths aged 18-35 are welcome! We are currently planning speakers ahead through the end of the year. For more information contact Geoffrey Stumpo at (814) 659-7415 or geoffstumpo@gmail.com. Please try to RSVP so our hosts can be prepared. Thank you to KOC All Saints Assembly 954 for their sponsorship.

**PUBLIC ROSARY DATES:** We will be lifting our prayers in honor of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and for our nation on Thurs., June 8 at 6:30 PM at St. Clement Church, Johnstown and on Sat., June 10 at noon in Central Park, downtown Johnstown. All are welcome.

**THE FRANCISCAN FRIARS, T.O.R.,** invite all for a celebration honoring the Feast of St. Anthony of Padua on Tuesday, June 13 at St. Bernardine Monastery, Hollidaysburg. The event will include an outdoor Mass, Blessing of St. Anthony's Bread, and veneration of a first-class relic of St. Anthony. Mass will begin at 10:00 AM, followed by bread distribution. At the conclusion of Mass, join us for an outdoor BBQ lunch which is \$15.00 per person. Please pre-pay/pre-register if you will be staying for lunch. The celebration will be rain or shine as it will be under a tent and please bring a chair!

**FAITH DAY IS SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 2023:** The Family Life Office of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown invites you to join us for the return of Faith Day at Delgrosso's Amusement Park! This year, Faith Day will be held on Sunday, June 25. The high point of the day will be Mass with Bishop Mark at 4:30 PM followed by a community dinner. Admission to the park is always free, but there will be reduced price Ride-and- Slide passes available, as well as a dinner that can be purchased. More information to come in the coming weeks!

**ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI PARISH,** Johnstown, will hold Vacation Bible School for children ages 4 thru 12 from Tuesday, July 11 to Friday, July 14 from 9:00 AM to 12 Noon in their Activity Center. Explore the different TWISTS and TURNS taken by our Bible heroes as they found their faith and hopefully inspire you to follow yours! Older students are welcome to volunteer as helpers. Please contact Sue Paonessa at 814-536-4024 for more information.



**PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:** April Skalek; Cheryl Foor; Margaret Murray; Joe Cenko; James Piro; Margaret Kovach, Mary Magro; Marty Vrabel; George Salata; Caroline Fetzko; Ann Hoffman; Verbine Family and Friends; Joseph Barbera; Chico Angello; Vickie Schmidt; Fran Findley; Mary Lynch; Joseph Gregorchik; George Trovato; Sophie Mulvehill; Kay Komar; Rita Ozog; Ed Wysocki; Mary Ann Robatin; Charlotte Fesko; and Mary Ann Corbaci; and all blessed blanket recipients including: Baby Kissell; Shirley H.; Juliana; Baby Little; Kim Waddel; Helen Gagan; Bob Bakos; Flo Bischock; Evelyn Russell; Paul Ferbiak; Mary Fabo; Julie Bogs; Carol Laugard; Jim Milla; Mary H. Miller; Rosemary Oswalt; Barb Cominsky; Ray Lingly; Allie; Neysa C.; and all Down Syndrome patients; If you would like someone added to the prayer list 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**

Connie Huff  
Bridget Sarosi  
Laura Angello  
Paul Ledwich  
Joseph Rizzo

**Resurrection Parish Council**

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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](mailto:jbg213@atlanticbb.net)

