



Saint Clare of Assisi

July 2, 2023

Catholic Church



13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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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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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, JULY 2, 2023

| DATE | TIME | MASS/SERVICE | SITE |
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| Sunday, July 2 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time | 8:00 AM 10:30 AM | Charles Novosel By Family Burkhard Family By Bill Neatrour | Resurrection Church Resurrection Church |
| Monday, July 3 St. Thomas | 12:00 PM 6:30 PM | Rosary Carmine Nardecchia By Family | Resurrection Oratory St. Clare of Assisi |
| Tuesday, July 4 Independence Day | 9:00 AM | All Veterans, Living and Deceased By West End Post 954, CWV | Resurrection Church |
| Wednesday, July 5 St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of Portugal | 8:00 AM | Henry Furman By Family | Resurrection Church |
| Thursday, July 6 St. Maria Goretti | NO MASS | | |
| Friday, July 7 First Friday | 8:00 AM 12:00 PM 6:30 PM | Irene and Frank Novosel By Niece, Marge Plowchin and Family Rosary Eucharistic Adoration | Resurrection Church Resurrection Oratory Resurrection Church |
| Saturday, July 8 | 4:00 PM | Rosemary Altimore By Mario Pinizzotto | St. Clare of Assisi |
| Sunday, July 9 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time | 8:00 AM 10:30 AM | GeorgeAnn Seese By Brande and Mollie Conway In Celebration of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Ed and Debbie Zapola by Family | Resurrection Church Resurrection Church |

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

Ann Salata By Husband, George; Children; Grandchildren; and Great Grandchildren

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

Irene and Frank Novosel By Niece, Marge Plowchin and Family

This week's Resurrection Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn:

In Celebration of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Ed and Debbie Zapola By Family

Calendar of Events

Tuesday, July 4 Independence Day - Parish Offices Closed

Wednesday, July 5 Deadline to register for "Fun Day of Golf"

Sunday, July 9 St. Clare of Assisi Sauce/Meatball orders are due.

Labor Day Special Tickets go on Sale after Masses.

Eucharistic Procession after 5:00 PM Mass St. John Gualbert Cathedral

Monday, July 10 Deadline to register for Monthly Golf Outing.

Wednesday, July 12 Monthly Golf Outing 5:00 PM Oakbrook Golf Course

Saturday, July 15 "Fun Day of Golf" Oakbrook Golf Course, Jennerstown, Pa.

Sunday, July 16 thru Friday, July 21 Camp Zacchaus (Grades 4-9) Jennerstown, Pa.

Tuesday, July 18 Sauce and Meatball Making 9:00 AM St. Clare of Assisi School Hall

Wednesday, July 19 Sauce and Meatball Order Pick-up 1:00 to 5:00 PM

St. Clare of Assisi School Hall



WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: June 25, 2023

Resurrection Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Total: \$4,390.00

Ascension \$10.00 Cemetery \$25.00 Poor Box \$138.00

Assumption \$10.00 Father's Day \$2.00 Utilities \$202.00

Build. and Maint. \$71.00 Loose Offertory \$283.00 Candles \$210.00 Peter's Pence \$20.00

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$5,361.00

St. Clare of Assisi Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$1,133.00

Candles \$37.19 Father's Day \$100.00 Peter's Pence \$155.00

Donation \$260.00 Loose Offertory \$126.00

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$1,811.19



Fr. George and the staff of St. Clare of Assisi and Resurrection Parishes would like to wish Mr. and Mrs. Pete Furfari a very Happy 55th Wedding Anniversary. Pete and Darlene were married at St. Anthony Church on June 29, 1968. Love is patient, love is kind. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails. - 1 Corinthians 13:4, 7-8



Dear Heavenly Father, Thank you for a free country in which to live and all of her abundant, natural resources. Forgive us for our pride when we have not done enough to help our neighbors. Forgive us for our failures in reason and fairness. Forgive us for turning from you. Lead us into the next era of our nation so that we may honor You. Restore unity and prosperity to this great country so that we may lead others to freedom and ultimately to faith in You. Bless those who serve in public office and

guide their decisions. Please keep members of our military and public safety divisions safe as they serve and protect us all. Divinely intervene to protect those willing to lay down their lives for their fellow Americans. Keep us in the palm of your hand as we turn our eyes to You again. Thank You for all of our many blessings and for giving Your son for our eternal future. Comfort all those who are mourning and heal our land. Amen.

Parish Offices will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day.

NUT ROLLS are available at the St. Clare of Assisi Parish Office. Limited quantity available. First Come, first served. Hurry and pick one up before they are gone!

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED for the F and G Fest on Saturday, Sept. 2. Please contact Kathy Hanners at 814-5392735 or email khanners1949@gmail.com

RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 1 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Mon., July 3 at the Resurrection Parish Office.**

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:

<u>Monday</u> <u>Friday</u>

July 3 - Carol Pisula July 7 - Chris Rebar

July 10 - Phil SkalaJuly 14 - Jim and Nina KoprivaJuly 17 - George PisulaJuly 21 - Diane AshbridgeJuly 24 - Deacon SamJuly 28 - Janet Yuras

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION will be held at Resurrection Church on Friday, July 7

from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. This Holy Hour will consist of Exposition, proclamation of a Gospel reading, short homily, the Litany of the Holy Eucharist will be chanted and followed by silent prayer. The Holy Hour will conclude with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Please join us!

LABOR DAY SPECIAL - These \$5.00 tickets good for the month of September will go on sale at Masses on July 9th. Tickets will also be available at the Parish Offices and Remmco Plumbing. If you have any questions please call Chris Falduto at 814 535-1054. Thank You!



ST. CLARE OF ASSISI PARISH will be making their famous <u>SPAGHET-TI SAUCE AND MEATBALLS!</u> Order forms are located in the back of the Churches or at the Parish Offices. Orders are due by Sunday, July 9th. Order pick-up will be on Wednesday, July 19 from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM in the St. Clare of Assisi School Hall. **HELP IS NEEDED** to make the meatballs for the Spa-

ghetti Sauce and Meatball Sale on Tuesday, July 18 beginning at 9:00 AM at St. Clare of Assisi School Hall. Any time you could spare to help us roll meatballs would be greatly appreciated.

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, July 10** to attend.

GOLFERS: Our next monthly outing will be on July 12 at 5:00 PM at Oakbrook Golf Course. \$25.00 for 9 holes of golf, scramble format, with cart and food after play. Please call Pat Barrett (814-532-6567) before July 10, to reserve your spot.

3RD ANNUAL RESURRECTION PARISH FUN DAY OF GOLF will be held on Saturday, July 15, 2023 at Oakbrook Golf Course, Jennerstown, PA. \$60.00 A PERSON, Cash Payout for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place and skill prizes. Tee off at 12:30 PM. Scramble format. Boxed lunch included. A donation to the Soup kitchen is planned. Please register before July 5, 2023. Call Pat at 814-532-6567 if you have any questions about this event.

NEWS FROM RESURRECTION PARISH COUNCIL JUNE 27, 2023 MEETING:

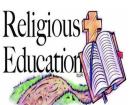
Welcome, to our newest members, Pat Barrett, Ben Gagan, and Carol Pisula as well as Deacon Nelson! We look forward to working together in moving our parish forward. Also, thanks to our exiting members, Rick Pavic, Larry Sestrich, and Amy Varmecky for sharing their time and talent over the years!

GOLFERS NEEDED for the July 15 Fun Day of Golf! This great event is open to all golfers, parish and non-parish. Please pass registration information onto family and friends and invite them to participate in an enjoyable day of golf! See Pat Barrett for more information.

As you can see upon entering the Church, there are 2 monitors in the vestibule. Parish Council is working on getting them up and running as another tool to communicate with the parishioners as to all the wonderful things occurring within our Parish!

Deacon Nelson is going to start adult formation classes in the fall between Sunday morning Masses. Please look to future bulletins as to the details such as topic, time, and location. Please consider joining Deacon Nelson to learn more about your faith and enhance your personal faith journey!

If you have any questions, please see a Parish Council member.



11TH GRADE STUDENTS, who will be confirmed in the Spring of 2024 AND WHO HAVE NOT HANDED IN THEIR PAPER-WORK, CONFIRMATION NAME AND SPONSOR INFORMATION, PLEASE DO SO AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. Forms can be dropped off at the Parish office or in the collection basket.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH, New Germany, Pa., will hold their annual July Picnic at the New Germany Grove. Festivities will kick off on Monday, July 3 with food and beverages from 6:30 to 10:00 PM; a Cornhole Tournament for ages 21 and over at 6:30 PM and a Family Square Dance with Klassic Kountry from 7:00 to 10:00 PM. The fun will continue on Tuesday July 4 beginning the day at 8:00 AM with the Firecracker Frolic 5K and the Children's Lollipop Run at 9:00 AM. Food games, Bingo and entertainment will all be available from 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM.

JOHNSTOWN EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION – After a wonderful success last year, St. John Gualbert will host a city-wide Mass and Eucharistic Procession on Sunday July 9th. Service will begin with 5:00 PM Mass and conclude with a Eucharistic Procession to Central Park with Benediction in the Gazebo. First Communicants from all parishes are invited to attend and wear their first communion attire. First communicants are asked to RSVP to johnstowncathedral@dioceseaj.org if possible. All are welcome. Reception will follow in Central Park.

DIVINE MERCY CATHOLIC ACADEMY will hold a Cornhole Tournament on Saturday, July 15 at the pavilion at St. Clement Parish. Youth Tournament begins at 10:00 AM and Adult (21 and over) tournament registration begins at 1:00 PM with the tournament starting at 2:00 PM. Registration fee is \$30.00 per adult. \$10.00 to watch. Cash prizes will be awarded. Good Times Ice Cream Bus and House of Smokes Food Truck will be there as well as, Basket Raffles, Entertainment and More! All proceeds benefit the reimagine of our libraries Cover to Cover campaign. Please help us reach our goal of providing updated libraries for D.M.C.A. students. For more information please contact the D.M.C.A Business Office at 814-961-3622, option #5.

- **ST. THERESE CHURCH**, Decker Ave, will host their Summer Basket Bash on Saturday, July 22 from 4:00 to 9:00 PM and Sunday, July 23 from 11:00 am to 4:00 PM. Live entertainment will be provided. Craft/Bistro Style Burgers, Pulled Pork Sandwiches, French Fries, Pizza and Funnel Cakes will be available along with refreshments. Please join us!
- **ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISH,** Wilmore, will host their annual Basket Raffle on Sunday, July 23. Doors open at noon with the drawing at 2:00 PM. Over 200 Regular Baskets. 26tickets/\$5 and Larger Basket tickets at 2/\$5 and 3/\$5. No admission. Light refreshments available for purchasing. Advance tickets available from July 8-23 Call 814-495-9298.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN DI-OCESAN COMMITTEE will hold A Night Under the Stars Dinner-Dance Scholarship Fundraiser on Saturday, August 12, 2023 at Mount Aloysius College. The evening will begin with Mass at 4:00 PM with Bishop Mark Bartchak as celebrant and homilist. Hall doors open at 5:00 PM with dinner at 6:00 PM. The cost is \$30.00 per person. Open to all. Must register in advance – postmarked by July 10, 2023. Find the invitation/registration form and more information at https://cdapa.com/ajdc-fundraiser.pdf

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: James Kukura, Sr.; Dominick Foor; April Skalek; 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 Bischok; 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

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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

