

# Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

July 12, 2020: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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*“The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word but then the cares of the world and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit.” (Matthew 13:22)*

Does the lure of riches and material goods choke God out of your life? Are you so caught up in earthly activities that you have no time for God? Gratitude and generosity are virtues that we should strive to do on a daily basis. Every decision we make either takes us one step closer to God or one step further away. What we receive at Mass every Sunday should be shared with others all the other days of the week as well.

#### Mass Schedule:

Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 8:00 AM  
Holy Days and Holidays as announced.

#### Confessions:

Saturday 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

This week's Church Sanctuary Light

will burn for:  
Cindy Laichak  
By Mom and Sister

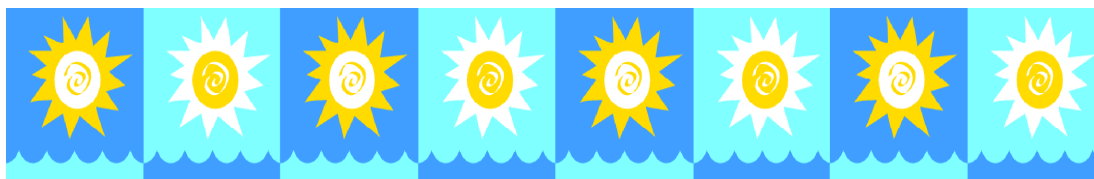
This week's Oratory Sanctuary Light

will burn for:  
Becky Bernardy By Family



**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, JULY 12, 2020 - 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
<b>Sunday, July 12</b> <i>15th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>8:00 AM</b> <b>10:30 AM</b>	John and Mary Vargo By Ray and Andrea Vargo Charles Novosel By Patricia Banko
<b>Monday, July 13</b> <i>St. Henry</i>	<b>NO MASS</b> <b>12:15 PM</b>	Rosary (Oratory)
<b>Tuesday, July 14</b> <i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha</i>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	Albert Ahlstrom By Mrs. Joanne R. Dallape
<b>Wednesday, July 15</b> <i>St. Bonaventure</i>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	Peter Yuran By Family
<b>Thursday, July 16</b> <i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</i>	<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>Friday, July 17</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b> <b>12:15 PM</b>	Birthday Remembrance of Richard Malec By Family Rosary (Oratory)
<b>Saturday, July 18</b> <i>St. Camillus de Lellis</i>	<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>Sunday, July 19</b> <i>16th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>8:00 AM</b> <b>10:30 AM</b>	John and Josephine Imrich By Imrich Family Joseph Sr. and Dorothy Studer By Daughter, Mary and Family



Father in heaven, We the people in the land of the free and the home of the brave, desperately need You. We ask you to protect our land from enemies, both within and without. We beg for your guidance and wisdom. Give us the grace to forgive, learn, love and grow. Heal the division in our nation. Help us to unite at the heart of our common humanity for the good of America and the good of all people. Remind us that we are “One Nation Under God.” We praise You for the freedom we have through the blood of Your Son. Amen.

*We offer our continued Prayers and congratulations to the children receiving their  
First Holy Communion.*

*Sadie Carbaugh  
Carson Dugan*



*Jack Shumaker  
Baine Veney*

*Lord Jesus, Bless the children coming forward to receive Holy Communion for the first time. May this day be an initial step into a life-long love of the Eucharist. Give them a hunger for this sacred food so that they turn to you for comfort, guidance and wisdom as they grow into full discipleship. Thank you for their innocence and goodness. May their hands, extended in anticipation of Your Body and Blood, inspire all of us to cherish this sacred Sacrament. Amen*



*We welcome and offer our congratulations and prayers to Morgan Dugan, who was received into full Communion. May God continue to guide you throughout your life.*

*Parish News...*

**THE ORATORY** will be **OPEN** to the public on **MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS** from Noon until 1:00 PM for recitation of the **ROSARY** beginning on **Monday, July 13**. Please remember to wear your masks if attending. We will also practice social distancing. A schedule of Rosary Leaders is as follows:

**Monday**

July 13 - Phil Skala  
July 20 - Fran Findley  
July 27 - Deacon Sam

**Friday**

July 17 - Diane Ashbridge  
July 24 - Janet Yuras  
July 31 - Pat Barrett

**MASS SCHEDULE:** Even though there is currently no obligation to attend Mass, our normal weekly Mass schedule has resumed, Sundays at 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:00 AM. We will have limited seating so we are physically distanced from one another. If you would like to attend WEEKEND MASS, you are asked to PLEASE call MaryBeth to make a reservation at the Parish Office, 539-5788, ext. 4, **Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM (Reminder...Parish Office is closed on Friday)**. If you leave a message, please be sure to leave the Mass you would like to attend and the number of people who will be attending. No reservation is needed for weekday Masses. Reminder, masks must be worn and may only be removed to receive Holy Communion.

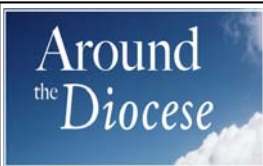
**MINISTRY SCHEDULE:** With the uncertainty as to how attendance at the weekend Masses will be regulated, we will continue with an abbreviated ministry schedule for August and September. If anyone who is not presently scheduled and would like to be or if any current ministers would like their preferences changed, please notify George Pisula by July 15. He can be reached by email at [ggpisula@atlanticbb.net](mailto:ggpisula@atlanticbb.net) or by phone at 254-1961.

**THE PARISH OFFICE AND THE SWEET SHOPPE WILL CONTINUE TO BE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.** To speak to someone from the Parish Office, call 814-539-5788.

**LABOR DAY SPECIAL TICKETS** are now on sale. As you can imagine, they will be a bit more difficult to sell due to social distancing and many people not being out and about. For that reason we are asking everyone's help to either purchase or sell a few of the tickets if you can. They are \$5.00 and will be available at Masses, at the Parish Office, at Remmco Plumbing or by calling Chris Falduto at 535-1054. Please try to help with this fundraiser as we have not been able to have any others since March. Thank you !

**ATTENTION:** The St. Vincent Depaul Family Kitchen has advised us that they are no longer accepting cans for recycling. Many thanks to everyone who helped with this project by saving and recycling for the Family Kitchen.

**CAMP ZACCHAEUS:** Due to this year's challenges, Camp Z will be a virtual experience. All students in grades 4 thru 9 are invited to participate. The virtual Camp Z. is scheduled for the week of July 19. Please register your student at [dioceseaj.org](http://dioceseaj.org).



**THE FRIAR'S NOOK GIFT SHOP:** Christmas in July is upon us! At The Friar's Nook Gift Shop, all clearance items are 75% off through August 1<sup>st</sup>! Also, the shop is still stocked up for all of your sacrament needs! The shop will continue to have modified hours through Labor Day which are Fridays and Saturdays, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM, and is located on the campus of St. Bernardine Monastery at 793 Monastery Road, Hollidaysburg. Questions, please call 814-695-3802. Face coverings **must** be worn for gift shop entry.

**OUTDOOR MASS** will be celebrated at Holy Cross Cemetery in Jerome each Sunday evening at 6:00 PM, concluding on September 6. Holy Cross Cemetery is located right off Route 219 (when exiting the Jerome exit of Route 219, make a right onto Route 601, make another right onto Maple Springs Road (right across from Dollar General Store), go around a sharp turn. The cemetery is straight ahead on your left just after Maple Spring Church of the Brethren). In case of inclement weather, Mass will be celebrated at St. Anne Church in Davidsville. The Mass is a collaborative effort between the parishes in Central City, Boswell and Davidsville. All are welcome.

**PET FOOD COLLECTION:** St. Clement Parish is starting to collect cat and dog food and treats in conjunction with their community Food Pantry. Please consider donating to this worthwhile cause. Dry goods or monetary donations (to purchase pet food) will be accepted at the rectory office to help better care for the furry members of families. Any questions, or for donation pick-up, please call Ruth Morello at 255-1399 or 242-4171. Thank you in advance for your generosity and support.

**OUTDOOR MASS HONORING MARRIED COUPLES:** The Altoona-Johnstown Diocesan Family is invited to an outdoor Mass honoring Married Couples on Sunday, July 19, at 7:00 PM, at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be held indoors. Bishop Bartchak is the celebrant and homilist.

**YARD SALE at BCCHS** July 25. 7:30-2:00 during Ebensburg's Homecoming and Community Yard Sale. Table Rentals/Space available at Bishop Carroll Cafeteria for \$15 each 12 ft. table or space. We will also be having a basket raffle, bake sale, food items for breakfast and lunch and drinks for sale. Call Bishop Carroll at 472-7500 ext. 101 or email [freidhof.susan@bishopcarroll.org](mailto:freidhof.susan@bishopcarroll.org) to reserve your spot. Vendors get a free hot dog & drink for lunch and free coffee for the day. Benefits BC Girls Soccer.

### PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome those who have found a spiritual home in our faith community. Parish registration is indicated by a registration (envelope) number. Registration is not to be assumed by simply attending Mass at the parish. Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage are not scheduled within six months of parish registration so evidence of practicing the Faith may be demonstrated. To register at this parish, please call the parish office.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The sacrament of baptism is celebrated at any Sunday liturgy throughout the year (normally not during the season of Lent). At least one of the parents must be a registered and participating member of this parish for at least 6 months. Baptisms for non-parishioners are arranged after permission is given in writing by the proper pastor of the parents. Arrangements for a baptism can be made at any time before the birth of the child. Normally, a baptismal preparation class is required.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The sacrament of marriage is arranged by meeting with the pastor. No date or other arrangements are to be made before this meeting. One of the parties must be a registered and participating member of the parish for 6 months before preparations can be made. According to diocesan policy, a date for the wedding is not to take place within 9 months of the initial contact so that all preparation and paperwork can be completed.

### GODPARENTS AND SPONSORS

A godparent/sponsor is to give good example of living out the Catholic faith. A godparent/sponsor is to be fully initiated in the Catholic Church, having received the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and Holy Eucharist. They are to, and indeed do, receive the Sacrament of Eucharist often. If there is a situation of co-habitation or marriage outside the laws of the Church, that person is ineligible to act as a godparent or sponsor. Church law states *that* for infant baptism, one male and one female are to be used as godparents. Sponsor certificates can only be given to those eligible and registered at this parish. Participation in the prayer life of this parish must be evident for six months before sponsor certificates are given. Less than six months will need indication from your previous parish that there was participation in the life of that parish.



#### **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  
Meaghan Veney, Family Life Committee, 536-9694

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  
[ibg213@atlanticbb.net](mailto:ibg213@atlanticbb.net)

