

Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

August 30, 2020: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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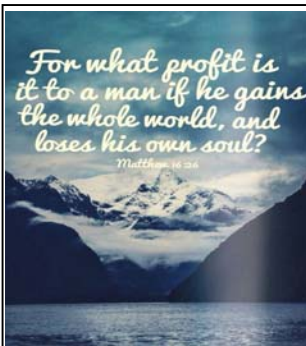
MaryBeth Konieczny, Parish Secretary

Rose Eckenrod, Financial Secretary

Christine Babik, Director of Religious Education

Emily Roy, Director of Music

Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM; Closed Friday



“What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?” (Matthew 16:26)

St. Francis of Assisi once said, “Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, and nothing else.” We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent, and treasure to gain more of the world’s riches. We need to set our priorities based on God’s values and not the values of the material world.

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:

The People of the Parish

This week’s Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:

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WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2020 - 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Sunday, August 30 <i>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Ronald L. Kuchinsky By Brother, John J. Kuchinsky Deceased Members of the Gajewski Family By the McKissick Family
Monday, August 31	NO MASS 12:15 PM	Rosary (Oratory)
Tuesday, September 1 <i>World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation</i>	8:00 AM	Bernie Mitrus By Judy Gaeta
Wednesday, September 2	8:00 AM	Liz Virus By Allison and Michael Virus
Thursday, September 3 <i>St. Gregory the Great</i>	NO MASS	
Friday, September 4 <i>First Friday</i>	8:00 AM 12:15 PM 6:30 PM	Mary Louise Mical By Chrisy Rebar Rosary (Oratory) Eucharistic Adoration
Saturday, September 5 <i>B.V.M.; St. Teresa of Calcutta</i>	NO MASS	
Sunday, September 6 <i>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Edward Mish Sr. By Josephine Furman and Family Marlin Miller By Wife, Mary and Family



WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: Envelope Holders: Adult: 451 Children: 15 Total: 466
August 23, 2020 Weekly Envelopes Used: Adults: 124 Children: 3 Total: 127
 Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Adults: \$2,517.00 Child: \$3.00 Total: \$2,520.00
 Loose: \$71.00 Assumption: \$155.00 Candles: \$37.00
 Poor Box: \$14.22 Build. and Maint.: \$55.00 Utilities: \$93.00
 Catholic University \$16.00

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$2,961.22

Resurrection Parish Calendar of Events

Monday thru Thursday, Aug. 31 thru Sept. 3 The Sweet Shoppe is open.

Mon., Wed. and Thurs., 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM; Tues., 12:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Monday, Sept. 7 Labor Day - Parish Office Closed

Wednesday, Sept. 9 Golf Outing 5:15 PM Oakbrook Golf Course (Reservation required)



Heavenly Father, We pray for all the students returning to school, send your Holy Spirit as their guide and protector. We know they face many new challenges this year. Keep them free from danger and unnecessary harm. Let them learn and grow strong. May the presence of your Spirit fill their hearts. Help them be a light to others, and help them show love, care, and respect to their peers and teachers. Please protect them from bullies, but if they face one, give them courage to stand up for themselves and for others. Bless and guide the teachers, staff and parents during this new school year. Give them leadership, guidance, patience and strength as they help the students achieve their goals. We pray all this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Parish News...

REMEMBER TO WATCH YOUR LABOR DAY SPECIAL TICKETS BEGINNING ON SEPTEMBER 1.

THE SWEET SHOPPE (539-6502): We will be open August 31 thru September 3. Hours will be as follows: 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM on Mon., Wed., and Thurs. and Noon to 5:00 PM on Tues.. You must wear face masks and practice social distancing.

COLLECTION COUNTERS: We will be getting back to our regular schedule. **Group 1** volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Tuesday, September 8.** Thank you to all who help!

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION will be held on **Fri., Sept. 4 at 6:30 PM in Resurrection Church.** This Holy Hour will consist of Exposition, proclamation of a Gospel reading, short homily, and silent prayer. At 7:00 PM 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. **Social distancing will be practiced and masks will be worn.**

RESURRECTION GOLFERS: Our next golf outing is Wednesday evening September 9, 2020. Cost will be \$25.00 which includes 9 holes of golfing with cart. A scramble format will be played and after golfing, Oakbrook's grill room will be serving hamburger's. Please call me at 532-6567, before September 7 to reserve your spot or if you have any questions. Thank you. Pat Barrett

MINISTRY SCHEDULE: With the continued uncertainty as to how attendance at the weekend Masses will be regulated, we will continue with an abbreviated ministry schedule for October and November. 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 September 13. He can be reached by email at ggpisula@atlanticbb.net or by phone at 254-1961.

ROSARY RECITATION: Please join us in praying the Rosary on Mon. and Fri., at 12:15 PM at the Oratory. A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

Monday

Aug. 31 - Deacon Sam
Sept. 7 - Labor Day, No Rosary
Sept. 14 - Judy Rozich
Sept. 21 - Phil Skala
Sept. 28 - Fran Findley

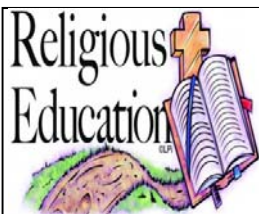
Friday

Sept. 4 - Pat Barrett
Sept. 11 - Chris Rebar
Sept. 18 - Jim and Nina Kopriva
Sept. 25 - Diane Ashbridge
Oct. 2 - Janet Yuras

MASS SCHEDULE: Even though there is currently no obligation to attend Mass, we have resumed our normal Mass schedule, Sundays at 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:00 AM. 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 and social distancing will be practiced.

ARISE: Our Arise sessions will be different this year. Each group leader will decide what will work best for their group; meetings in person, via zoom, or another method. Any questions, call Barb Dryzal, 536-3961.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE: From now on, please make Catholic Ministries Drive checks payable to the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown. Please mail all C.M.D. donations to the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown, P.O. Box 409, Holidaysburg, Pa. 16648. All donations received beyond our parish target amount will be used for the needs of Resurrection Parish.



GRADES 9 THRU 11 CONFIRMATION MEETING: Sunday, September 13 - 9:15 AM - Parent/Student Confirmation meeting. All students in both public and private schools are asked to attend this meeting with at least one parent/guardian to discuss requirements for Confirmation. We will meet in the Church and maintain social distancing while wearing masks.

K THRU 8TH GRADE RELIGIOUS ED. MEETING: Sunday, September 13th- 9:15 AM - We will be having our first monthly parent meeting to go over the lessons for students in K-8. We will meet in the Resurrection Church Hall and maintain social distancing while wearing masks.



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH will hold a **TAKE OUT ONLY FISH FRY** on Friday, September 11 from 11:00 AM until 6:00 PM. The wearing of masks and social distancing protocols will be in place. Orders will taken by calling the Activity Center at 539-3518 on Thursday, September 10 from 8:00AM until 11:00AM and on Friday, September 11 from 8:00AM until ?

PRO LIFE VIGIL: Every Thursday from 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM we hold a prayer vigil across from the Franklin Street Planned Parenthood facility here in Johnstown. For more information, call Gale at 539-0155.

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
Kyra Miller, Education Committee, 279-8746
Kris Moran, 262-8070
Cindy O'Connor, Family Life Committee, 242-8776
Brian Pavic, Liturgy Committee, 418-0279
Rick Pavic, Properties & Maintenance Committee, 244-3047
Lynn Popovich, 536-7336
Steve Reasbeck, Education Committee, 288-9924
Larry Sestrich, Finance Committee, 255-2344
Faith Thomas, 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
ibg213@atlanticbb.net

