

# Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

October 6, 2019: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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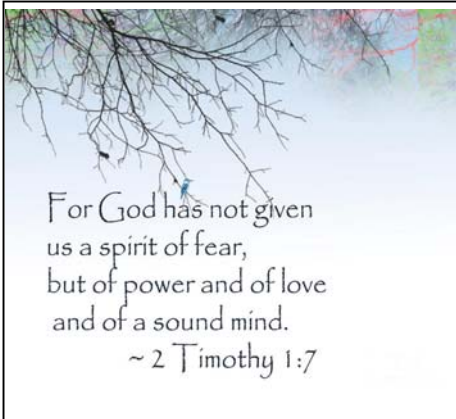
Sam Cammarata, Deacon

Joann Fyock, Parish Manager/Cemetery Manager

MaryBeth Konieczny, Parish Secretary/Bulletin Editor

Christine Babik, Director of Religious Education

Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM - Closed Friday



For God has not given  
us a spirit of fear,  
but of power and of love  
and of a sound mind.  
~ 2 Timothy 1:7

*“For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control.” (2 Timothy 1:7)*

Many of us compartmentalize our Faith, we bring it out only when we attend Mass or when we attend a parish event. Being a good steward requires discipline and striving to put God first in everything, all the time. The next time you are at a neighborhood party, at work or out shopping, would your actions signal to others that you are a good and faithful servant of our Lord?



#### Mass Schedule:

Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Monday thru Wednesday  
& Friday 8:00 AM

Holy Days 8:00 AM & 6:30 PM

Holidays as announced

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

This week's Church Sanctuary Light  
will burn for:

John and Mary Vargo

By Ray and Andrea Vargo

This week's Oratory Sanctuary Light  
will burn for:

Birthday Remembrance of Frank Sojak

By Ken and Joann Fyock



**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2019 - THE 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
<b>Sunday, October 6</b> <i>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>World Communications Day</i> <i>Respect Life Sunday</i>	8:00 AM	Michael and Helen Spack By Matt Jones Family
	10:30 AM	Deceased Members of the Kozuch and Pasierb Families By Bob and Anna Kozuch
<b>Monday, October 7</b> <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	8:00 AM	Leonard Fenimore By Darlene Keslar
	12:15 PM	Rosary (Oratory)
<b>Tuesday, October 8</b>	NO MASS 6:00 PM	Outdoor Rosary (The Grove)
<b>Wednesday, October 9</b> <i>St. Denis and Companions;</i> <i>St. John Leonardi</i>	NO MASS	
<b>Thursday, October 10</b>	NO MASS	
<b>Friday, October 11</b> <i>St. John XXIII</i>	NO MASS	
	12:15 PM	Rosary (Oratory)
<b>Saturday, October 12</b> <i>BVM</i>	NO MASS	
	12:00 PM	Outdoor Rosary (Mariapocs Shrine, 6th Ave.)
<b>Sunday, October 13</b> <i>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM	Joseph Hodos By Wife, Charlene
	10:30 AM	Denise Burkhard By Children, Avery, Ethan, Aden and Elayna and Parents, Dave and Donna Sprankle and Family

**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS:** Envelope Holders: Adult: 399 Children: 18 Total: 417

Sept. 29, 2019 Envelopes Used: Adults: 274 Children: 10 Total: 284

Offertory Total	\$4,317.00	Candles	\$224.00	Retired Priest's Med.	\$461.00
Build. and Maint.	\$10.00	Mission Co-op	\$5.00	Dorian Relief	\$200.00
Utilities	\$37.00	Catholic University	\$10.00		

*Friendly  
Reminders*

**COLLECTION COUNTERS:** **Group 1** volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Mon., Oct. 7**. Thank you to all who help!

**CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS** are scheduled to clean the church on **Friday, Oct. 18**. Thanks to all who help!

### Resurrection Parish Calendar of Events

**Sunday, October 6** Religious Education 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Parish Center

Shycon Registration Forms are due.

Family Marian Celebration, Mass and Rosary 3:00 PM St. Benedict Church

**Monday, October 7** Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 PM Resurrection Hall

**Friday, October 11** Nut Roll Dough Making 1:00 PM Oratory Hall

**Saturday, October 12** Nut Roll Baking 8:00 AM Oratory Hall

Last day to remove cemetery decorations.

**Monday, October 14** Columbus Day - Parish Office Closed

*Parish News...* **MASS SCHEDULE:** Because of the recent need for our pastor to assume the position of administrator of St. Clare of Assisi in Woodvale, Resurrection needs to adjust its normal Mass schedule to allow at least one Mass at St. Clare's. Effective immediately, there will no longer be a 4 PM Mass at Resurrection. This will allow St. Clare's to have at least one Mass each weekend. There is NO CHANGE to our Sunday morning and weekday schedule. Confessions will continue to be heard at 2:30 PM on Saturday afternoons at Resurrection. We pray that this will only be temporary.

**THANK YOU** to all who helped to make Sunday Market on the Green a success at Resurrection Church. To all those who helped in preparation and in selling the Chicken BBQ, Haluski and Scones and to those who came out and purchased items, we thank you. Many thanks also to the ladies' of The Sweet Shoppe for their continued support of the Parish. God bless you all.

**ROSARY CHALLENGE:** The Ladies' Auxiliary is challenging all parishioners (male, female, young, and not so young) to join us one last time this season as we pray the Rosary at the Prayer Garden at our Grove in Tanneryville. **We will be praying the Rosary on Tuesday, October 8 starting at 6:00 PM (weather permitting).** We invite all to join us in the peace and tranquility of the Grove as we pray to our Blessed Mother, our Lady of the Rosary, for her intercession for our Parish, our Diocese, our Nation, and any other intentions of those who attend. We hope to see you there!

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 12, 2019** will commemorate the 102nd anniversary of Mary's Apparition to Jacinta, Lucia and Francisco at Fatima. To honor Mary a Public Square Rosary will be held at noon at the Shrine of Our Lady of Mariapocs, located at 409 Sixth Ave. in the Cambria City neighborhood of Johnstown. Rain or shine. All are welcome. *Please join us, Ed and Pat Gregorchik*

**CHOIR NEWS:** Thank you to all who are participating in the choir! **Beginning on Thurs., Oct. 17,** the choir will begin rehearsing on Thursday evenings at 7:00 PM. New members are always welcome! If you would like to join, please contact Emily Roy: (814) 242-4995, emilyroy411@gmail.com



**MEAT/TURKEY RAFFLE:** Please remember to return your Cash Drawing Raffle tickets and money for tickets sold via the collection basket at your earliest convenience. The Raffle will be held at the Church Hall on **Saturday, October 26 at 6:00 PM.** If you would like to donate to the Raffle, please call Chris Falduto at 535-1054.

**CEMETERY FALL CLEAN-UP: Now thru Oct. 12:** Please remove all decorations and please do not leave any garbage/decorations in the cemeteries. Take all garbage with you. Thank you for your cooperation.

**RCIA—the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults,** will begin in October. RCIA is for adults interested in becoming Catholic, or learning about the Catholic faith. For more information please talk with Deacon Sam or call him at 288-5807.



**IT IS TIME TO ARISE TOGETHER IN CHRIST!** . Season Three is called "In the Footsteps of Christ." Our small faith-sharing groups will meet for six weeks. It is truly an uplifting experience! We would love to share this time with YOU. Choose a day and time that will work best for you:

Sun., 6:00 PM, Oratory, Dan and Faith Thomas (479-2062).

Tues., 10:00 AM, 255 Adams Ave., Vinco, Sue Hildebrand (322-1839).

Wed., 6:30 PM, Oratory, Jim and Judy Carroll (262-8724).

Thurs., 6:30 PM, Oratory, Michael and Cindy O'Connor (659-9923).

Fri., 8:45 AM, Resurrection Hall, Diane Gorka.

Sat., 9:15 AM, Oratory, Barb Dryzal (536-3961).



**ROSARY SESSIONS:** Please join us in praying the Rosary before all week-end Masses, (the Rosary begins a half-hour before Mass at Resurrection Church) and on Mon. and Fri., at 12:15 PM at the Oratory. A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

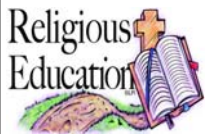
Monday

- Oct. 7 - Phil Skala
- Oct. 14 - Fran Findley
- Oct. 21 - Deacon Sam
- Oct. 28 - Nancy Fesko

Friday

- Oct. 11 - Diane Ashbridge
- Oct. 18 - Janet Yuras
- Oct. 25 - Pat Barrett
- Nov. 1 - Chris Rebar

Pray the Rosary



**SUN., OCT. 6,** Religious Education Classes will be held from 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM in the Parish Center.

**11TH GRADE CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES,** your first opportunity for Session 11A is on Sat., Oct. 19, from 10:00 AM to Noon at the St. John Paul II Building at the St. Benedict Church Complex. Parents are not required to attend.

**THE 2019 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE FUND** supports only specific ministries which are focused on: caring for the poor, strengthening families, nurturing our youth and forming clergy and laity. **As of Sept. 20, 2019, 82 families out of 399 have contributed \$17,126.47 toward our 2019 target amount of \$34,500.00. Please send all contributions to the Resurrection Parish Office. DO NOT SEND DIRECTLY TO THE DIOCESE.** Make checks payable to **Resurrection Church.** Thank you!

**NUT ROLL MAKING:** We will be making Nut Rolls at Oratory Hall and would appreciate any time you could spare to help. The schedule is as follows:

- Friday, Oct. 11 Dough Making beginning at 1:00 PM
- Saturday, Oct. 12 Nut Roll Making beginning at 8:00 AM



**THE SWEET SHOPPE 814-539-6502** Don't be afraid of our ghosts and goblins, they are as sweet as can be! So, stop in for a treat, we **promise, no tricks!** Our October Hours are: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM; Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM ; and Saturday, 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.



**CRAFTING MEETING:** We will meet **Mon., Oct. 14 from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM** and **again on Tues., Oct 15 from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM**, both days in Oratory Hall to measure and cut fabric, embroider and other handiwork. PLEASE consider sharing your crafting ideas, your time and your hands. Any suggestions are welcome. If you have any questions please call Faith, 479-2062.

**THE SEWING MINISTRY** is in need of donations of flannel, cotton and regular yarn. Please leave all donations in the back of the Church or take them to the Parish Office during regular business hours.



**THANK YOU** for your patronage of the Labor Day Special Tickets. We could not do it without everyone who purchases and helps to sell the tickets. *The profit for the Parish is once again \$2,500. Chris and John*

09/01/19 #699 Virginia Walkowsky \$50.00	09/16/19 #537 Mary Ann Sojak \$100.00
09/02/19 #015 Louis Flori \$500.00	09/17/19 #301 Carol Pisula \$50.00
09/03/19 #419 Charlotte Zierer \$50.00	09/18/19 #620 Chris Falduto \$50.00
09/04/19 #868 Alice Voytko \$50.00	09/19/19 #008 Kathy Hanners \$50.00
09/05/19 #711 Robin Munoz \$50.00	09/20/19 #243 Janice Winogrozki \$100.00
09/06/19 #984 Donna Sprankle \$100.00	09/21/19 #527 Ivy Faust \$50.00
09/07/19 #249 Bonnie Hritz \$50.00	09/22/19 #108 John Fecko \$50.00
09/08/19 #602 Diane Dusza \$50.00	09/23/19 #497 John Falduto \$100.00
09/09/19 #712 Tom Fyock \$100.00	09/24/19 #750 Matt McMillen \$50.00
09/10/19 #415 Valerie Druzak \$50.00	09/25/19 #227 Janice Winogrozki \$50.00
09/11/19 #530 Rose Slis \$200.00	09/26/19 #318 Celine Wojnarowski \$50.00
09/12/19 #158 John Swarney \$50.00	09/27/19 #098 Andrew J. Trohanowsky \$100.00
09/13/19 #248 Judy Mish \$100.00	09/28/19 #032 George Pisula \$50.00
09/14/19 #950 Melvin Fees \$50.00	09/29/19 #894 Linda Palov \$50.00
09/15/19 #985 Deb Kris \$50.00	09/30/19 #015 Louis Flori \$100.00



**THE LADIES' AUXILIARY** will hold their monthly meeting on **Monday, October 7** at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Hall. The lift will be open. *New members are always welcome.* Hostesses for this meeting are: Michelle Rager, Judy Rozich, Carol Samo, and Mary Ann Sojak. **Please remember to bring your \$5 door prize for the Basket Party.**

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR: THE LADIES' AUXILIARY BASKET PARTY** will be held on **Sunday, November 10** at Christ the Savior Educational Center, 307 Garfield St., Johnstown. Doors open at 12:30 PM. The drawing begins at 2:30 PM. Admission is \$10.00 and includes 25 basket chances and a light lunch. **TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE** at the Parish Office or The Sweet Shoppe during regular business hours or from any Ladies' Auxiliary Member. **We are accepting donations of filled, theme baskets or empty, unused baskets and/or new items that could fill a basket for this event. Please bring all donations to the Parish Office during regular business hours. Thank you.**



**NEWS FROM D.M.C.A. AND BISHOP MCCORT:** Join us for breakfast this week to learn how you can keep your PA tax dollars in Johnstown – and support our Catholic schools, too. Education Improvement Tax Credit Program (EITC) Breakfast on Thurs., Oct. 10, 8:15 AM to 9 :00 AM at Bishop McCort. Please RSVP: [mschilli@mccort.org](mailto:mschilli@mccort.org) or 248-3867. Many thanks for your support and consideration. We hope to see you Thursday!

**ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH** will sponsor a Fish Fry on Fri., Oct. 11 from 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM at the Activity Center, corner of Barron Avenue and D Street. Take outs are available by calling 539-3518. No phone orders after 5:00 PM. See our website for a complete menu ([stfrancisofassisijohnstown.com](http://stfrancisofassisijohnstown.com)). Gobs will also be available.

**ST. CLEMENT CHURCH**, 114 Lindberg Ave., Please join us for an Outdoor Public Rosary on Saturday, October 12 at noon in the parking lot. Rain or shine; please bring a friend and a chair. We join in over 16,000 other rosaries being prayed the same time across our country for our Church, nation & families and to make reparation for the evils of our time. All are welcome!

**ST. ANNE'S CHURCH CHRISTIAN MOTHERS** (533 Woodland Avenue, Johnstown) will be holding their annual Penny Pie & Basket Social on Sunday Oct 13 at 1:00 PM in their church basement. Everyone is welcome!! We hope to see you there!

### 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)

