

Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

October 27, 2019: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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



“...for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.” (Luke 18:14)

Pride and ego is the root cause of most of our sins. Thinking your time is so valuable, your talent is better than anyone else and your money gives you status is another way of making those things “gods” before God. Remember all those gifts were God-given. Instead we should be humbled by God’s abundant generosity and our hearts should overflow with gratitude.



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 Margaret Stofko
By Children, Pat, Jan and Fran

This week’s Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:

Derek McDowell
By Family



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2019 - THE 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Sunday, October 27 <i>30th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Priesthood Sunday</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Felix and Rose Draksler By Tina Potter Jennie Carthew By Sam Denny
Monday, October 28 <i>SS. Simon and Jude</i>	8:00 AM 12:15 PM	Stephen Kristofco By Mrs. Dorothy Rubritz Rosary (Oratory)
Tuesday, October 29	8:00 AM	Richard Rokita By Eugene and Donna Vamos
Wednesday, October 30	8:00 AM	Edward Mish Sr. By Loretta Ozog and Family
Thursday, October 31	NO MASS	
Friday, November 1 <i>All Saints Day</i> <i>First Friday</i>	8:00 AM 12:15 PM 6:30 PM	Ethel Pavlik By Betty and Bob Snopko Rosary (Oratory) Theresa Chapman By Sister, Ann Hoffman
Saturday, November 2 <i>All Souls Day</i>	9:00 AM	For all the Faith Departed
Sunday, November 3 <i>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>National Vocation Awareness Week</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Denise Burkhard By Children, Avery, Ethan, Aden and Elayna, Granddaughter, Charlotte and Parents, Dave and Donna Sprankle and Family Fred Csernay Sr. By Daughter and Granddaughter

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: Envelope Holders: Adult: 399 Children: 18 Total: 417
Oct. 20, 2019 Envelopes Used: Adults: 195 Children: 8 Total: 203

Offertory Total	\$4,445.00	Cemetery	\$58.00	All Saints	\$2.00
Build. and Maint.	\$112.00	World Mission Sun.	\$322.00	All Souls	\$2.00
Utilities	\$288.00				



COLLECTION COUNTERS: **Group 1** volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Mon., Oct. 28.** Thank you to all who help!

CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS are scheduled to clean the church on **Friday, Nov. 8.** Thanks to all who help!

Resurrection Parish Calendar of Events

- Sunday, October 27** Sunday Market at the Green Begins at 8:00 AM Cambria City
Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Parish Center
- Monday, October 28** Parish Council Meeting 6:30 PM Parish Center
- Thursday, October 31** Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM Resurrection Church
- Sunday, November 3** Covered Dish Dinner 4:00 PM Oratory Hall
- Tuesday, November 5** Election Day
- Thursday, November 7** Sewing Ministry Meeting 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Sewing Room
- Sunday, November 10** Basket Party Doors open at 12:30 PM Christ the Savior Ed. Center

Celebrate Priesthood!

As we celebrate "Priesthood Sunday" we take this opportunity to thank our faithful and dedicated Pastor, Fr. George, for his firm commitment to our spiritual and moral well being and the continued growth and development of Resurrection Parish. God's continued blessings for you, always!

Parish News...

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A "SPOOKTACULAR" SUNDAY MARKET AT THE GREEN ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27 BEGINNING AT 8:00 AM. BBQ Chicken and Bratwurst will be on the grill. German Potato Salad and Chocolate and Pumpkin Gobs will also be on the menu. The Sweet Shoppe will be open with plenty of treats. Don't forget to check out the vendors at the corner of 6th Avenue and Chestnut Street.

THANK YOU to all my Resurrection family for all the cards and good wishes, but especially for your thoughts and prayers for my speedy recovery from surgery. God bless you all.
Gene Dryzal.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS: Anyone who has a Mass Intention scheduled for a Saturday at 4:00 PM in Resurrection Church in November and December of 2019, please call the Parish Office at 539-5788, ext. 4. Saturday Masses thru the end of the year have been rescheduled. Thank you.

THE PARISH COUNCIL will meet on **Monday, October 28**, starting at 6:30 PM in the Parish Center. PLEASE note the change in date. Parishioners are welcome to attend.



This Friday, November 1 is a Holy Day of Obligation. Catholics are expected to participate at Mass on this Solemnity of All Saints. The church keeps festival with all men, women and children who have entered the kingdom of God who are seated as the saints in the glory of the triune God. It is our humble prayer that some day this will also be our feast day. **The Mass schedule for Resurrection Church for All Saints Day is as follows: Fri., Nov. 1, 8:00 AM and 6:30 PM Masses. REMINDER: First Friday Adoration will NOT be held due to the Holy Day 6:30 PM Mass.**

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE: Please join us in remembering the dearly departed of the past year at a special **Mass of Remembrance on All Souls Day, Saturday, November 2 at 9:00 AM in Resurrection Church.** A candle will be lit for each parish member that has passed into eternal life in this past year. **This Mass does NOT count for the Sunday obligation.**



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3! Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour on Saturday night (Nov. 2).

THE SEWING MINISTRY will meet on **Thurs., Nov. 7** from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM in the Sewing Room above the Sweet Shoppe. Please bring any handmade items for the Basket Party. Also, we will have a **Blanket Blessing on Sun., Nov. 17.** Bring any completed blankets to the meeting. The additional craft meetings organized by the Family Life Ministry have been very successful. We encourage those ladies and our youngest sewer, Gabby, to continue with their projects. As always, new members are always welcome.



THE JANUARY 2020 SIZZLER CALENDAR TICKETS are now available. They may be purchased before or after the Sunday Masses, at the Parish Office or The Sweet Shoppe during regular business hours. You may also call Ed or Pat Gregorchik at 539-6320 for more information or to purchase Sizzlers. The cost is \$20.00 per ticket.

RCIA—the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, 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.



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. 28 - Nancy Fesko

Nov. 4 - Judy Rozich

Nov. 11 - Jim and Nina Kopriva

Friday

Nov. 1 - Chris Rebar

Nov. 8 - Jim and Nina Kopriva

Nov. 15 - Diane Ashbridge

Pray the Rosary



VETERAN'S DAY MASS: On Monday, November 11, Resurrection Parish will host a Mass of Thanksgiving at 6:30 PM, noting the sacrifices that all veterans have made in preserving our freedoms. We invite all veterans and active military personnel to attend. Family members and friends are encouraged to attend as well. The wearing of your military uniforms will help add to the significance of this day. After Mass, the Knights of Columbus will host a cake and ice cream social in the church hall.



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3 "Fall Harvest" Covered Dish Dinner at 4:00 PM at Oratory Hall. Let's be thankful for each other and join in the fun.



ATRIUM MANOR is in need of personal care products and socks for male residents. During this Advent Season we will be collecting these items for the male residents. Please place all donations in the container in the back of the Church.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, Children's Christmas Party, 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM in the Church Hall. Our theme is "EVERGREEN". Anyone interested in helping with suggestions, snacks, or at the event are welcome. Please call Faith at 479-2062.



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. Come and visit us during the Market at the Green on Sun, Oct. 27 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM.



The Ladies' Auxiliary will hold their monthly meeting on **Monday, November 4**, at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Hall. The lift will be open. *New members are always welcome.* Hostesses for this meeting are: Dolores Stefanik, Faith Thomas, Amelia Webb, and Sharon Wojnaroski. *Please remember to bring your \$5 door prize for the Basket Party.*

THE ANGEL TREE: The Ladies Auxiliary is once again partnering with Cambria City Mission and Children and Youth Services to provide Christmas gifts for children in our county. The "wish lists" are only suggestions. You only need to buy one gift (\$25.00 value). Find the number on the tag in the red book, sign your name and phone number. Please return gifts to the Parish Office by December 1. **For those who usually attended 4:00 Mass, you can stop by the Church on Saturdays at 2:30 PM (during Confessions) to pick up a tag.**



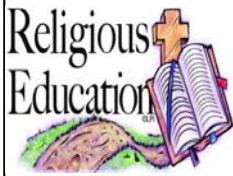
UNUSED CARDS: The Ladies' Auxiliary continues to collect un-used cards to distribute to residents of local nursing homes. This is a very important ministry as we help nursing home residents stay connected to their loved ones by providing them with cards to send out. With Christmas fast approaching, we ask that if you have un-used Christmas cards that you are planning to donate to this ministry, PLEASE deposit them in the basket in the back of church (located on the back counter) no later than the weekend of November 9 and 10. We want to be able to get the Christmas cards to the residents so they have time to send them out before the holidays. Thank you for your continued donations to this important, and dear to our hearts, ministry!



THE LADIES' AUXILIARY BASKET PARTY will be held on Sun., Nov. 10 at Christ the Savior Educational Center, 307 Garfield St., Johnstown. Doors open at 12:30 PM. Admission is \$10.00 and includes 25 basket chances and a light lunch. Admission tickets are available at the Parish Office or The Sweet Shoppe during regular business hours.

DON'T FORGET TO RETURN YOUR BASKET PARTY CASH DRAWING TICKETS: The tickets are \$1.00 each. Please buy or sell the chances and return them via the collection basket to the attention of Joann or take them directly to the Parish Office.

BASKET PARTY DONATIONS: We are asking for donations of filled, theme baskets, empty baskets, and/or items to be used to fill a basket for our Basket Party. Thank you.



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10, Rite of Blessing for 9th grade and Rite of Commitment for 10th grade Confirmation students at 10:30 AM Mass.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, Confirmation Sessions 9A, 10A and 11B, 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM at the St. John Paul II Building. This is your first opportunity for these sessions. Parents are not required to attend



THE WEST END FOOD PANTRY is in need of donations for the Holiday Season. Items needed include: 29 oz. cans Sweet Potatoes, instant mashed potatoes, Stove Top Turkey Stuffing, canned gravy, Cranberry Sauce, canned Pumpkin, Noodles for Soup, cake/cookie mixes, Jello mix, paper products, etc.. Please place non-perishable food items in the marked containers at the back of the church. Thank you.

STELLA PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT AND EVENT PRODUCTION: Our final SundayMarket@TheGreen for 2019 is on Sun., Oct. 27 from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM! As always, we will have great shopping, food, music and fellowship! At this market, we will start another new Cambria City tradition. Every year, the final market of the year in October, we will host a Cambria City Trick or Treat from Noon to 2:00 PM! The Green will be decorated, as will the vendor booths and vendors will have treats to give to the children. If you live in the neighborhood, we encourage you to participate in Trick or Treat as well. Visitors have complimented our neighborhood for the warm welcome that they receive while here. Having Trick or Treat during the day is a safe way to celebrate the holiday while welcoming people to our community.

BELLS OF CASIMIR - There are only 40 remaining times for the Perpetual Bell Memorials. If you are interested in a Memorial Request, please visit our website: casimirjohnstown.com/bells-of-casimir/

ST. CLEMENT CHURCH, Goucher St. will host a Saint Jude Triduum on Mon., Oct. 28 - 7 PM, Tue. Oct. 29 - 7 PM and Wed. Oct. 30 - 7 PM. Anointing of the Sick will be given on Mon. Oct 28. All Are Welcome.

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

