

Resurrection
Roman Catholic Parish

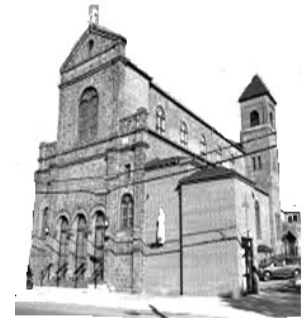
Saint Clare of Assisi
Catholic Church

October 29, 2023



30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rev. George M. Gulash,
Pastor/Administrator
Dcn. Nelson E. Lowes Jr.



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Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM; Closed Friday

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, OCTOBER 29, 2023

DATE	TIME	MASS/SERVICE	SITE
Sunday, October 29 <i>30th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Helen Mateljan By Loving Family Francis G. Ozog By Joe and Carol Burkardt and Family	Resurrection Church Resurrection Church
Monday, October 30	12:00 PM 6:30 PM	Rosary Nancy Cannin By Mr. and Mrs. Vince Falvo	Resurrection Oratory St. Clare of Assisi
Tuesday, October 31	8:00 AM	Patricia Summits By Dom and Gloria Furfari	Resurrection Church
Wednesday, November 1 <i>All Saints Day</i> <i>Holy Day of Obligation</i>	8:00 AM 6:30 PM	For the People of the Parishes John "Scooter" Hodos By Ron and Jan Sandor	St. Clare of Assisi Resurrection Church
Thursday, November 2 <i>All Souls Day</i>	8:00 AM 6:30 PM	For all the Faithful Departed For all the Faithful Departed	St. Clare of Assisi Resurrection Church
Friday, November 3 <i>First Friday;</i> <i>St. Martin de Porres</i>	8:00 AM 12:00 PM 6:30 PM	Mary C. Beidle By David and Jean Stephenson Rosary Eucharistic Adoration	Resurrection Church Resurrection Oratory Resurrection Church
Saturday, November 4 <i>St. Charles Borromeo</i>	4:00 PM	Josephine Stumpo By Theresa Krentz	St. Clare of Assisi
Sunday, November 5 <i>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Anniversary Remembrance of Denise Burkhart By Family Jeffry Kloss By Fran and Janet Yuras and Pat Barrett	Resurrection Church Resurrection Church

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

This week's Resurrection Church Sanctuary Light will burn:
Phil Marcinek By Ethel Morihlatko and Family

This week's Resurrection Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:
Barbara C. Rohrbaugh By Nancy J. Fesko



Calendar of Events

Sunday, Oct 29 11th Grade Retreat 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM St. Benedict School Gym
 Religious Education Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Parish Center /Oratory
 Walk thru Basket Party 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM Resurrection Church Hall
 Sunday Market 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Cambria City

Wednesday, Nov. 1 Parish Offices Closed

Saturday, Nov. 4 10th Grade Retreat 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM St. Benedict School Gym

Sunday, Nov. 5 Religious Education Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Parish Center /Oratory
 9th and 10th Grade Confirmation Rites 10:30 Mass Resurrection Church

Wednesday, Nov. 8 Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting 6:00 PM Resurrection Church Hall

Thursday, Nov. 9 Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM Resurrection Church

Friday, Nov. 10 Nut Roll Dough Making 1:00 PM Resurrection Oratory Hall

Saturday, Nov. 11 Nut Roll Baking 8:00 AM Resurrection Oratory Hall

Sunday, Nov. 12 Pancake Breakfast after Morning Masses Resurrection Church Hall

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: October 22, 2023

Resurrection Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Total: \$4,714.00

All Saints \$45.00	Christmas \$55.00	Utilities \$131.00
All Souls \$190.00	Christmas Flowers \$15.00	Retired Fund Religious \$10.00
Build. and Maint. \$51.00	Immaculate Concep. \$15.00	Retired Priest's Medical \$50.00
Candles \$81.00	Loose Offertory \$209.00	World Mission Sunday \$176.00
Catholic Charities \$60.00	Online Offertory \$271.60	
Cemetery \$10.00	Poor Box \$33.00	
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$6,116.60		

St. Clare of Assisi Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$1,210.00

All Saints \$55.00	Donations \$100.00	Over C.M.D. Goal \$20.00
All Souls \$55.00	Loose Offertory \$76.00	Peter's Pence \$40.00
Candles \$64.00	Online Offertory \$19.40	World Mission Sunday \$100.00
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$1,739.40		

Parish News...

RESURRECTION PARISH LADIES' AUXILIARY WALK-THRU

BASKET PARTY: Sunday, October 29 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM in Resurrection Church Hall No admission fee. \$5 for 25 chances. Baked goods available for purchase. Basket drawing will be held at 2:00 PM. Winners do not need to be present to win.

THE ADULT FAITH FORMATION - BETWEEN THE MASSES CLASSES are postponed until further notice. Deacon Nelson is having some medical issues and is unable to teach the classes at this time. Please watch the bulletin for updates.

LECTORS: The 2024 *Workbooks for Lectors, Gospel Readers, and Proclaimers of the Word* are in. Lectors can pick up their copies in the sacristies at both churches.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS: The next liturgical ministry schedule will begin with the First Sunday of Advent (December 2) and end with the Sunday before Ash Wednesday (February 11, 2024). If anyone would like to have their status and/or preferences changed, please let George Pisula know by November 11. Just as a reminder, new ministers are always welcome and ministers are invited to share their services at both parishes

RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS: **Group 3** volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Mon., Oct. 30 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:

Monday

Oct. 30 - George Pisula

Nov. 6 - Deacon Sam

Nov. 13 - Nancy Fesko

Nov. 20 - No Rosary

Nov. 27 - Phil Skala

Friday

Nov. 3 - Diane Ashbridge

Nov. 10 - Janet Yuras

Nov. 17 - Pat Barrett

Nov. 24 - No Rosary

Dec. 1 - Jim and Nina Kopriva



ALL SAINTS DAY, Wednesday, November 1 is a Holy Day of Obliga-

tion. 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 All Saints Day is as follows: Wed., Nov. 1, 8:00 AM Mass at St. Clare of Assisi Church and 6:30 PM Mass at Resurrection Church. The Parish Offices will be closed.**



MASSES OF REMEMBRANCE: Join us in remembering the dearly departed of the past year at special Masses of Remembrance on **All Souls Day, Thurs., Nov. 2, at 8:00 AM at St. Clare of Assisi Church and 6:30 PM at Resurrection Church.** A candle will be lit for each person buried from the churches that has passed into eternal life during this past year.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION will be held at Resurrection Church on Fri., Nov. 3 from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. Holy Hour consists of Exposition, proclamation of a Gospel reading, short homily, the Litany of the Holy Eucharist followed by silent prayer. The Holy Hour concludes with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Please join us!



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5! Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour on Saturday night (November. 4).

THE LADIES' AUXILIARY will hold their monthly meeting on Wed., Nov. 8 at 6:00 PM at Resurrection Hall. New members from both parishes are welcome! Annual dues are due if not already paid. We look forward to seeing our Parish sisters and welcoming new members!

CHOIR REMINDER: The next Choir Rehearsal will be held on Thurs. Nov. 9 at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Church. New members are always welcome!! If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Emily: (814) 242-4995, emilyroy411@gmail.com.

NUT ROLL BAKING will take place at the Resurrection Oratory Hall beginning with dough making on Fri., Nov. 10 at 1:00 PM and continuing with the rolling and baking on Sat., Nov. 11 at 8:00 AM. The next "Baking Weekend" will be scheduled for Fri. and Sat., Nov. 17 and 18. All help would be most appreciated.



A SPECIAL MASS FOR VETERANS: On Fri., Nov. 10, 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.

THE NEXT PANCAKE BREAKFAST is Sunday Nov. 12. Pancakes, eggs, sausage, toast, coffee, juice for a donation of \$5. Breakfast will be served after 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Masses. Students, this is an excellent opportunity for service hours!

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 **Mon, Nov. 13** to attend.

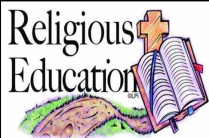
THE SOCIAL SENIORS GROUP will meet on Tues., Nov. 14 from 12:30 PM to 2:00 PM in Resurrection Oratory Hall. Please join us as we give thanks for each other.

THE SWEET SHOPPE (814-539-6502) hours are: Mon. thru Thurs. from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday.



JANUARY 2024 SIZZLER CALENDAR TICKETS ARE GOING FAST!

There is a very limited supply at the Resurrection Parish Office, The Sweet Shoppe, Remmco Plumbing and at Symon's Car Wash. The cost is \$20.00 per ticket. Please call Pat Gregorchik at 814-539-6320 with any questions.



SUN., OCT. 29 - Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center. **11th GRADE DISCIPLESHIP RETREAT** 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM St. Benedict School Gym. Please be prompt!

SAT., NOV. 4 - 10th Grade Parables Retreat 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM St. Benedict School Gym.

SUN., NOV. 5 - Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center. **9th and 10th GRADE CONFIRMATION RITES** 10:30 AM Mass Resurrection Church.

SUN., NOV. 12 - Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center. **CONFIRMATION SESSIONS 9A, 10A AND 11B** 8:45 AM -10:15 AM St. Benedict's St. John Paul II Building.



OUR LADY OF THE ALLEGHENIES PARISH, Lilly, Pa., will hold a Basket Raffle on Sat., Nov. 4 beginning at 10:00 AM and concluding at 5:30 PM. Baskets, 50/50, and food will be offered. All are welcome!

THE WEST END IMPROVEMENT GROUP will host their annual Basket Party on Sunday, Nov. 5 at St. Therese Social Hall, Decker Ave.. Doors open at 11:00 AM. Drawing will begin at 1:00 PM. Tickets are \$8.00 and include lunch and 25 chances. Proceeds benefit surveillance camera upgrades, flowers, gardens and community projects. Any questions or to donate a basket, please call 248-8989 or 322-5558.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES will hold an Open House at their new location, 110 Maple Ave. in Johnstown (located in the St. Clare of Assisi School Building, next to St. Clare of Assisi Church) on Thurs., Nov. 9 from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Bishop Mark Bartchak will be blessing the building at 11:00 AM. Entrance is in the rear of the building. Catholic Charities stands up for those who stand alone and helps those in crisis. We go beyond the basics and do what we can for all who seek help. Our mission is to serve, to advocate for justice, and call the church and all people of good will to do the same. Please visit CATHOLICCHARITIESAJ.ORG

PUBLIC ROSARY DATES: We will be lifting our prayers for our veterans on Thurs., Nov. 9 at 6:30 PM at St. Clement Church, Johnstown and on Sat., Nov. 11 at noon in Central Park, downtown Johnstown. All are welcome.

THE SISTERS OF THE CARMELITE COMMUNITY OF THE WORD will hold a Harvest of Gratitude: Day of Prayer and Reflection on Nov.10 from 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM at CCW Incarnation Center. Spend time reflecting on the gifts of God that are present in each day. In this season of gratitude, focusing on the ordinary blessings in our lives takes us deeper into the mystery of God’s bountiful love. Program and lunch provided for a Free Will Offering. Pre-Registration is required by Nov. 6. The C.C.W. will also offer a 4-week series entitled “When You Pray” on Mondays, Nov. 20, 27, Dec. 4, and 11 from 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM at CCW Incarnation Center. It will also be offered on the same dates from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM at the Basilica of St. Michael in Loretto. (Phone: 814-472-8551) Using a new series by Edward Sri, this program will explore our need and desire to develop a deeper and more meaningful relationship with God through a life of prayer. Cost: Free Will Offering, Text book - \$16 available for purchase at first class. Pre-registration required by Nov. 13. To register for either event contact 814-886-4098 or email CommunityofficeCCW@gmail.com or srmarilynw@CCWCommunity.org or mail your registration information to: Incarnation Center Retreats, 394 Bem Rd., Gallitzin, PA 16641. Please provide name, address, phone and email.

COMMUNITY BLOOD SCREENINGS: Chan Soon-Shiong Medical Center will hold Community Blood Screenings at Richland Community Health Center, 1511 Scalp Ave., on Sat., Nov. 18 and Sat., Dec. 16. Cost is \$30.00. Additional tests offered: PSA, \$20.00; Hemoglobin A1C, \$20.00 and Vitamin D level, \$35.00. Call 814-467-3739 to schedule an appointment. A 12 to 14 hour fast is recommended. You do not need to be a patient of a Windber Physician to participate; patients of any physicians welcome. No Physician order is needed



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Michelle C.; John Torres; Sandy Karas; Lois DiBuono; Chuck Schmidt; Nicole; Manny Layman; Lisa Ager; Helen Khula; April Skalek; Margaret Murray; Joe Cenko; James Piro; Margaret Kovach, Marty Vrabel; George Salata; Caroline Fetzko; Ann Hoffman; Verbine Family and Friends; Joseph Barbera; Fran Findley; Mary Lynch; Joseph Gregorchik; George Trovato; Kay Komar; Rita Ozog; Ed Wysocki; Mary Ann Robatin; Charlotte Fesko; and all blessed blanket recipients including: Dezi; Baby Kissell; Shirley H.; Juliana; Baby Little; Kim Waddel; Helen Gagan; Flo Bischok; 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

