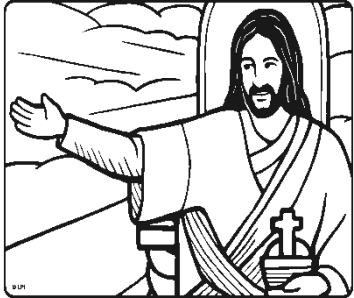


QUEEN OF PEACE
907 6th Avenue



CATHOLIC CHURCH
Patton PA 16668

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 26, 2017



Jesus said to His disciples, “*When the Son of Man comes in His Glory, and all the angels with Him, He will sit upon His Glorious Throne, and all the nations will be assembled before Him. And He will separate them from one from another, as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats.* – Mt. 25:31-36

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Mon.	Nov. 27	7:30 AM	† Anthony ‘Bud’ Vescovi
Tues.	Nov. 28	7:30 AM	† Daniel Pompa
Wed.	Nov. 29	7:30 AM	† Rosemarie Prevost, Anniv.
Thur.	Nov. 30	7:30 AM	† Julia Lantzy, Anniv.
Fri.	Dec. 1	7:30 AM	† Helen Kibler, Anniv.
Sat.	Dec. 2	7:30 AM	Benedictine Federation
Sat.	Dec. 2	5:00 PM	† John Semonich, Anniv.
Sun.	Dec. 3	7:00 AM	† Parish Mass
Sun.	Dec. 3	9:00 AM	† Joan & Vicki Jo Gelormino
		High Mass, Latin	11:00AM L&D members of Parrish Families

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday, 4 – 4:45 PM, or anytime by appointment



The Sanctuary Lamps burn
For the Poor Souls in Purgatory, the week of
November 26 – December 2

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Families using Sunday Envelopes:

	NUMBER	PERCENT
November 19, 2017	150	50%
November 19, 2017, weekly/monthly - \$3,344.95		
Repair Fund, November 19, 2017 - \$162.00		
St. Vincent de Paul, November 19, 2017 - \$4.00		
† SVDP Conference - \$0		
† SVDP Food Pantry - \$4.00		
Catholic Charities - \$606.00		
St. Mary/St. George Cemetery Collection - \$215.00		
St. Lawrence Cemetery Collection - \$27.00		

2017 Catholic Ministries Drive – 68 families (23%)
have pledged \$15,340 toward our Parish Goal of
\$20,900. We need \$5,560 to reach that goal.
*** NO CHANGES IN THE PAST 7 WEEKS ***

*The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin
Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation.*

The Mass Schedule will be **Thursday, December 7 at 7 PM, Friday, December 8 at 7 AM** and **7 PM** for the **Extraordinary Form of the Mass (Latin).**

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, December 2

5 PM Erin Choby & John Kitko

Sunday, December 3

9 AM Nathaniel, Joseph & Alison Saltsgiver

LECTORS

Saturday, December 2

5 PM Alice Leiden

Sunday, December 3

9 AM Jonathan Kirk

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE

EUCCHARIST

Saturday, December 2

5PM Kathy Noel Blood

Sunday, December 3

7AM Jerry Yahner Blood

9AM Sandy Illig Body

Dan Thomas Blood

Dan Anna Blood

First Friday Devotions – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be **Friday, December 1** at 3 PM, followed by recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet and private prayer from 3:15 – 3:45 PM. Litany will follow. Devotions will close with Benediction at 4 PM.

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**Parish Breakfast** – **Sunday, December 3** from 8 AM – 1 PM. Please join us for an “All You Can Eat” buffet style breakfast served in the lower level of the Parish Center by the “Men of the Parish.” Prices: Adults, \$8 / Children (5-12), \$4 / Children (under 5), free. Thank you for your patronage throughout the year.

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Parish Prayer List – We entrust to the care of Christ the Divine Physician, those members of our Parish Family in need of Healing in Body, Mind, or Spirit especially **Charles Nagle, Chrissy Pellas-Weaver, Tom Geishauer, Paul McNulty, ‘Lizzie’ Chongla, Philip Warefield, Robin Hauret, Mary Louise Gobert, Dick Anna, ‘Doc’ Noel, Jake Kalis, Dawn Kovaloski, Tina Lokey-Gambee, Gerard Macaluso, Peggy Fedor, Jim & Rose Moxley, and Derek Miller.** May they embrace their trials in union with the Crucified Christ for the salvation of souls, and the remission of sins.

DONATIONS ARE NEEDED for the Annual Gift Bags for our fellow parishioners who are homebound or residing in area nursing facilities. The following items are suggestions: chapstick, travel sized items (toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, pocket tissues, powder, shampoo, conditioner, hand sanitizer, etc...), playing cards, puzzle books, pens & paper, stamps to mail letters, pocket combs & brushes. **WE CANNOT ACCEPT DONATIONS OF FOOD OR SCENTED PERSONAL CARE ITEMS DUE TO ALLERGIES AND SKIN IRRITATIONS!** Drop off items at the Parish Office by December 1.

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**NIGHT PRAYER AS ADVENT PIETY** – Each Sunday evening at 7 PM, during the Advent Season (December 3, 10 & 17), the last “hour” of the Divine Office will be prayed here at Queen of Peace Church. Night Prayer consists of a hymn, 3 Psalms, a brief reading from Scripture, the Nunc Dimittis of Simeon, and a concluding prayer. Please make room on your busy schedule for a soothing 45 minutes of prayer. **Advent begins on Sunday, December 3.**

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The Retired Fund for Religious – Please show your appreciation for the senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious older priests who have made a positive difference in so many lives. Please give generously to the second collection the **weekend of December 9/10.** Envelopes can be found in your packet. Thank you in advance.

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**ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES** – Take advantage of the schedule of Confessions that will be held in our neighboring Churches in the coming weeks:

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|--------------------------------------------|------|------------------------------|
| † St. Bernard Church, Hastings             | 2 PM | Sunday, December 10, 2017    |
| † Prince of Peace Church, Northern Cambria | 7 PM | Monday, December 11, 2017    |
| † Queen of Peace Church, Patton            | 7 PM | Tuesday, December 12, 2017   |
| † St. Nicholas Church, Nicktown            | 7 PM | Wednesday, December 13, 2017 |
| † St. Benedict Church, Carrolltown         | 7 PM | Thursday, December 14, 2017  |

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ADVENT GIVING TREE – sponsored by the Queen of Peace Conference of the St. Vincent DePaul Society, will be available to help provide a brighter Christmas for the children of our clients. If you are able, please take a tag from the tree and purchase suitable gifts for that child. **All gifts MUST be brought to the Parish Office no later than 3 PM, Monday, December 11,** so that the gifts can be distributed before Christmas. Please put the tag (from the tree) on the gift so that the # is visible. To see a smile on a child’s face...is priceless...*Thank You.*

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**THE 2017 CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT, The Holy Spirit,** is available for sale. Please stop by, or call the Parish Office (674-8983) to add this year’s ornament to your collection. Previous ornaments are also for sale.

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Discerning God’s Call? A Footsteps pilgrimage is a spiritual journey for young single Catholic men (ages 18-35) who are open to exploring a religious vocation. By prayerfully visiting the holy sites of Saint Benedict’s life, one will be able to experience the origins of Benedictine Monasticism at its roots. No doubt, this experience will play a vital role in one’s vocation discernment. For more information, vocation@stvincent.edu, (724-532-6655), or contact Father Maximilian Maxwell, O.S.B. @ Saint Vincent Archabbey Vocation Office, 300 Fraser Purchase Road, Latrobe, PA. 15650

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**St. Monica Church, Chest Springs** is hosting a Cinch Tournament on **Sunday, December 3,** with a meal at noon. Cards will begin at 1 PM. Entry fee is \$10/person (3-member teams). Call Len (674-8976) with your team names. The prizes per team: 1<sup>st</sup> place is \$60; 2<sup>nd</sup> place is \$45; and 3<sup>rd</sup> place is \$30. Thank you for spending your afternoon with us!

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The Salvation Army has kicked off their annual Christmas Kettle Drive. This is a great opportunity to donate some time to a very worthy cause. Jesus told us, “Whatever you do for the least of brothers, you do unto to me.” Any individual or group that would be able to help man a kettle can schedule a date & time by calling Ron Boland (247-8882) for the Patton area, Lois Davis (674-5978) for the Hastings area, and Anne Marie Minemyer (247-6541) for the Northern Cambria area. Christmas is about giving; give and it will be given back to you. Please give some of your time to help others. It will help all of us grasp the real meaning of Christmas – God’s tremendous love for all of us. *Thank you.*

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**Fill A Truck Event / Toys for Tots in the Northern Cambria Area, Nov. 17 – Dec. 2.** The truck is located in the showroom at Lacue Chevrolet, Buick, Inc. on 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. in Patton. Let’s all join together to “fill up this truck” to help make this Christmas a little brighter for those who may not have. God Bless your generosity...

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