

AUGUST 14, 2016

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 8:30 AM 11:00 AM

Weekdays

Please check for schedule in bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 to 3:50 PM or by appointment

Religious Education

Grades K – 8 Sunday 9:45 AM – 10:45 AM

ALL SAINTS PARISH

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Parish Mission Statement

We, All Saints Parish, are drawn together by the power of the Holy Spirit to be a living and convincing sign of God's unconditional love. We are gifted to build bonds among ourselves and others in order to live the Gospel in word, worship, community and service for the salvation of all and the building of God's kingdom.



On this twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time, the Church encourages us to fight against evil by following the footsteps of Christ who came to bring "fire" upon the earth in order to purify, transform, and save us from the perils that afflict us. Hence, this Sunday Jesus reassures us of his willingness to continue the work of salvation which he started in us. He plans to achieve this through a continuous purification. The fire he wishes to bring is that which is very positive and objective. It is for our own purification and good. It is meant to consume the debris and fabrics of inordinate attachments, immorality, injustice and corruption in our lives, communities and the world at large.

A COMMUNITY WHO WORSHIPS MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 14th

8:30 AM Elizabeth Sipper (Len & Millie Luba)

11:00 AM For all Parishioners

Monday, August 15th

NO MASS

Tuesday, August 16th

12:05 PM Douglas & Martha Smith (Daughter, Pat)

Wednesday, August 17th

12:05 PM George Bialkowski (John Latishon)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FROM 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Thursday, August 18th

12:05 PM Eleanor Ann Hogan (Jeane & Bobby Hogan)

Friday, August 19th

12:05PM Charles Barrett (Jerome & Carol Fabian & Family)

Saturday, August 20th

4:00 PM Ed. Walter & Adeline Zawatski & Irene Spock (Adeline Zawatski & Family)

Sunday, August 21st

8:30 AM For all Parishioners

11:00 AM Deborah Makos (Family)

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 20, 2016

4:00 PM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – T. Bradley, J. Karnes,

A. Butler, M.J. Wojtowicz

Lectors – E. Koons, C. Kellar

Altar Servers – Jacob Rokosz, N. Rokosz, Jonathan Rokosz

Sunday, August 21, 2016

8:30 AM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – M. Sipper, J. Sipper,

D. Prutzman, J. Sipper Jr.

Lectors – T. Kirby, E. Keating

Altar Servers – N. Powell, R. Kutish, V. Kutish

11:00 AM: Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – A. Mizzer, S. James,

P. Roan, K. Narcum

Lectors – C. Mihoch, J. Jones

Altar Servers – A. Young, J. Young, T. Young

If you are unable to fulfill your obligation, please find a replacement

August 14

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 38:4-6, 8-10

Heb 12:1-4

Lk 12:49-53 (120)

August 15

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Rv 11:19a;

12:1-6a, 10ab

1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

(622)

August 16

St. Stephen of Hungary

Ez 28:1-10

Mt 19:23-30 (420)

August 17

Ez 34:1-11

Mt 20:1-16 (421)

August 18

Ez 36:23-28

Mt 22:1-14 (422)

August 19

St. Joh Eudes Ez 37:1-14

Mt 22:34-40 (423)

August 20

St. Bernard Ez 43:1-7a

Mt 23:1-12 (424)

August 21

Twenty-First

Sunday in

Ordinary Time

Is 66:18-21

Heb 12:5-7, 11-13

Lk 13:22-30 (123)



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Adult preparation for the Sacrament of Initiation. If you know of anyone who might be interested in inquiring about the Catholic Faith, call the parish office or Maureen Dillon at (570) 779-9874. Classes are generally held on Sunday mornings after the 8:30 AM Mass.





<u>Baptism of Infants</u>: Parents requesting Baptism for their children should make an appointment with the Pastor to begin the process. The months of preparation before the birth of a child are the appropriate time to plan for the Sacrament.





<u>Catholic Marriage</u>: Diocesan Policy states that those considering celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage must meet with the pastor at least six months before any desired wedding date. Please call the office to schedule an appointment with the Pastor.





<u>Communion for the Homebound</u>: We invite homebound parishioners who wish to receive Holy Communion to call the office.





Hospital Visitation: Please notify the Parish Office if you or a loved one is hospitalized as the hospital no longer notifies the parish. If a patient would like to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick *o*r if he or she would just like a visit, please call the office to make arrangements.

Prayer for Life

Father and maker of all, you adorn all creation with splendor and beauty, and fashion human lives in your image and likeness.

Awaken in every heart reverence for the work of your hands, and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of life.

Grant this through Our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God Forever and ever. Amen.

If you would like to purchase Altar Breads or Sanctuary Candles for a week in memory or in honor of a loved one, contact Jackie Karnes at 570-332-1176 (**Monday thru Friday only**) for available dates. Altar Breads are \$25.00 per week and Sanctuary Candles are \$15.00 per week.

Week of August 14th

Sanctuary Candle – in memory of Father Leonard Sabalis Hosts – in memory of Martha & Douglas Smith

PARISH EVENTS

SPAGHETTI DINNER



Make plans to attend All Saints Parish Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, September 11th, from 12-4 PM at Holy Child Faith Formation Center. Dinner will include: salad, spaghetti & meatballs, dinner roll, soda, coffee, tea & dessert. Take-outs will be available. Tickets are: Adults 11 & older \$9.00; children 6-10 years old \$4.00; children under 5 years are free. Tickets will be available before and after all masses. Tickets will also be available at the parish office. Tickets will be limited, so get yours early. Looking forward to seeing you there.

MEETINGS

Parish Council – Wednesday, August 17th, 6PM, in the rectory Finance Council – Tuesday, August 23rd, 6 PM, in the rectory

PARISH LOTTERY

Tickets are still available for our new Lottery which will begin on August 17th. **PLEASE** SUPPORT YOUR PARISH BY PURCHASING A TICKET. THANK YOU.



Eucharistic Come and spend some quiet time with Jesus! Opportunities for Adoration are available every Wednesday from 9AM to 4PM; times are broken into one hour shifts. If you are interested please contact Joan Kaye @ 570-779-2998. Because of the Adoration dwindling number of people for Adoration we have changed the time.

PHOTOS & VIDEOS

First Holy Communion pictures and videos are ready for pick-up at the rectory during regular business hours, Monday thru Friday, 9AM to noon & 1PM to 4PM.

REGISTRATION FORMS

Faith Formation Registration Forms for the coming year, 2016-2017, are available on the ramp area of the church and also at the parish office. Please return the completed forms by August 20th.

MEETING

CCD teachers will meet on Tuesday, August 16th, at 6 PM, in the Holy Child Faith Formation Center. Share your faith by volunteering for our CCD program as a teacher, classroom aide or volunteer. Plan to attend this meeting.

SOUP IS ON! PARISH PICNIC

Opening Prayer 1:00 Food 1:30 - 4:00 10c Bíngo 3:00 - 4:00 Door Prizes - 50/50 4:30 Closing Prayer 5:00

Hope to see you there! Say a prayer for nice weather.

PARISH MINISTRY



CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER

Next food distribution, <u>Thursday</u>, <u>August 25th</u>, 9am – 11am. The Christian Service Center is in <u>DIRE NEED OF CANNED FRUIT</u>, <u>DRIED PASTA</u>, <u>PEANUT BUTTER</u>, <u>JELLY</u>, <u>CEREALS & JUICES</u>.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl Ministry has distributed 901 shawls. The Prayer Shawl Ministry is always in need of additional hands to stitch. Please call Dona @ 570-771-6316 for time and place of next get together.

GIVING A MEMORIAL GIFT TO YOUR PARISH WHEN THERE IS A DEATH OF A LOVED ONE AND MAKING YOUR WILL: Have you ever considered giving a monetary gift to your parish in memory of a deceased loved one at the time of death or later on? It's a beautiful expression of love for both the person who died and your parish. We always need money to enable us to continue to accomplish the mission of Jesus and for the general upkeep of our parish properties. Please consider this unique expression of giving in lieu of flowers, Mass cards and other expressions. When making your Will, remember All Saints Parish & the good that can come because of the legacy you leave your parish. Monetary donations would be gratefully appreciated if made to the Parish Building Fund, The Christian Service Center, Parish Cemeteries or All Saints Catholic School Education Fund, to be used by a family or families who need assistance with sending their child to a Catholic School. Thank you.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Please always remember to pray for those in our nation's military; for firefighters, police and EMT's. Please also pray for all in the Parish who are ill or in any way distressed, especially those who have asked for prayers: Lainee Sweeney, Irene, Nathan Grey, Eugene, Mark, Emma, George, Joseph, John, Danielle, Joseph & Sean Henry. If you or a loved one would like to be on the parish prayer list, please

notify the office. If you are calling for someone else, please make sure you have that person's permission to publish their name in the bulletin.

PARISH MISSION

As part of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, Gate of Heaven and Our Lady of Victory parishes will be hosting a Parish Mission of Mercy beginning Monday, August 15th, 7PM, the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, at Gate of Heaven; Tuesday, August 16th, 7PM, at Our Lady of Victory and Wednesday, August 17th, 7PM, at Gate of Heaven.

PLEASE NOTE

The water and electric are temporarily shut off at St. Vincent's Cemetery in order to make repairs. These utilities will be turned on as soon as repairs are completed.



Place your ad here \$5.00 per week



WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP August 6th & August 7th

Offertory: \$ 6751.64

Loose Collection: \$99.00 Energy: \$104.00 Church Maintenance: \$25.00 Cemetery: \$25.00

Christian Service Center: \$21.00

Office: \$1032.51 Insurance: \$21.00 Catholic Ed.: \$16.00 Holyday: \$1.00 Candles: \$287.00 Missionary: \$1217.00* Clergy Care: \$315.00* Peter's Pence: \$1.00*

Catholic Relief Services: \$21.00* Total: \$9937.15

Thank you! Your stewardship and generosity toward your parish is greatly needed and

appreciated.



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Last week's Diocesan Collections amounted to \$1554.000 which is sent directly to the Diocese of Scranton.



THINK THAT YOU HAVE SOME SERIOUS FAITH ISSUES

Parish Lottery Begins August 17th Tickets still available