



ALL SAINTS PARISH

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Parish Secretaries

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Parish Mission Statement

We, All Saints Parish, are unified 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.

May 20, 2018

PENTECOST SUNDAY

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 PM – 3:50PM
or by appointment

Religious Education

Grades K – 8

Sunday

9:45 AM – 10:45 AM

On Pentecost Sunday we celebrate the wonderful good news that the risen Lord has poured out his Spirit upon us, first of all to convince us of his victory over sin and death, and then to enable us to continue his work of salvation by our own love and concern for others. As we can well imagine, the disciples were filled with fear and foreboding after the death of their master. But suddenly Jesus is there among them radiant with life. He shows them his terrible wounds, which have now become beautiful emblems of his love for them. He offers them his peace—that deep, calm, resonant sense of confidence, which is so different from the peace that the world can offer—a superficial peace that amounts to little more than a temporary cessation of hostilities. This profound peace becomes possible through the presence of his Spirit in them. And then Jesus tells them what possessing the Spirit will mean in their lives. Henceforth, they will need to be converted from their natural tendency to be self-centered to an attitude of loving concern for others. And this will be manifested first and foremost by their willingness to forgive others. This would be impossible if we did not enjoy the powerful presence of the Spirit who enables us to overcome our constant judgmental tendencies.

COMMUNITY WHO WORSHIPS

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 20th

8:30 AM Alphonso & Florence Korus (Children)
11:00 AM For all Parishioners

Monday, May 21st

NO MASS

Tuesday, May 22nd

12:05 PM Rita Steckman (Ruth Ann Kennedy)

Wednesday, May 23rd

12:05 PM Mother's Day Intentions

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION FROM 10:00 AM TO 4:00 PM

Thursday, May 24th

12:05 PM Helen Olshefski (Daughter, Joan Evan)

Friday, May 25th

12:05 PM Yvonne Ball (Richard, Lauren, Kayla, Tyler & Evelyn)

Saturday, May 26th

4:00 PM Dan & Mary Bilak (Theresa Kopko)

Sunday, May 27th

8:30 AM For all Parishioners
11:00 AM John Zabretsky (Wife & Sons)

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 26, 2018

4:00 PM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – R. Coates, R. Heck,
A. Bunick, M.J. Wojtowicz
Lectors – C. Kellar, M.A. Meeker
Altar Servers – L. Taylor, R. Young, P. Pritchard

Sunday, May 20, 2018

8:30 AM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – J. Sipper, M. Sipper, J. Sipper Jr., T. Walker
Lectors – A. Walker, P. Motyka
Altar Servers – R. Bantel, J. Bozek, M. Bozek

11:00 AM

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – T. Bradley, A. Mizzer, K. Narcum, P. Roan
Lectors – P. Merman, M. Dillon
Altar Servers – H. Williams, J. Cardona, Jacob Rokosz, I. Pockevich

May 20

Pentecost Sunday
Acts 2:1-11/
Cor 12:3b-7,
12-13
Jn 15:26-27,
16:12-15 (63)

May 21

St. Christopher
Magallanes
Jas 3:13-18 /
9:14-29 (341)

May 22

St. Rita of Cascia
Jas 4:1-10
Mk 9:30-37 (342)

May 23

Jas 4:13-17
Mk 9:38-40 (343)

May 24

Jas 5:1-6 Mk
9:41-50 (344)

May 25

St. Bede the
Venerable
Jas 5:9-12/
Mk 10:1-12 (345)

May 26

St. Philip Neri
Jas 5:13-20
Mk 10:13-16
(346)

May 27

The Most Holy
Trinity
Dr 4:32-34, 39-40
Rom 8:14-17
Mk 28:16-20

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

PARISH EVENTS

CATECHISM STUDY GROUP

The Catholic Catechism study group will meet on, Wednesday, May 23rd, at 7:00 PM, at the rectory. We are studying the Ten Commandments. All are welcome.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

*Eucharistic Adoration, Wednesday, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM.
If you are able to schedule a time, please call Joan Kaye at 570-779-2998.*

PARISH LOTTERY

Winners for the week of May 7th: \$50.00: #586 Karen Ziller, #333 Kristin Sherlinski, #657 Steve Sisko, #419 Fred Allabaugh, #416 Marilyn Smith. \$100.00: #095 Anonymous.

SCHEDULING MASSES FOR THE YEAR 2019

We are now accepting Mass intention for 2019. We would like to review our Mass scheduling policy. Presently, we will be scheduling Mass intentions for the entire year. Mass availability is on a first-come, first serve basis. We have only two Mass intentions per weekend available, one weekend Mass must be said for the intention of the parishioners. In order to give as many families as possible the opportunity to have a Mass, only one weekend Mass intention per family can be scheduled per year. There is no limit to the number of Mass intentions per family scheduled for daily Masses. If you have any questions, please call the parish office at 570-779-5323. Thank you.

PARISH DIRECTORY

Plans are underway for the first All Saints Parish Picture Directory. More information to come soon.

SPRING YARD EQUIPMENT RAFFLE

Beginning the weekend of May 5th/6th we will be selling Raffle tickets in the ramp area of the Church for a Spring Yard Equipment Drawing. The prizes being chanced off are:

1st prize: HONDA 21 INCH SELF-PROPELLED GAS MOWER

2nd prize: STIHL GAS WEED & GRASS TRIMMER

3rd prize: STIHL GAS LEAF & GRASS BLOWER

Cost of a ticket is \$10.00. Chances will be available before and after all Masses through the weekend of May 26th/27th. Tickets can also be purchased at the parish office. The drawing will be held on Tuesday, May 29th, at 11:00 AM, in the rectory. All prizes will be on display in the ramp area. Thank you. A limited # of tickets will be available.

GRADUATION MASS



Sunday, June 10th, 11:00 AM Mass, for all 8th and 12th graders. Reception with refreshments will follow at Holy Child Faith Formation Center. RSVP with the name of the graduate and the number attending by calling the parish office at 570779-5323 by Wednesday, May 23rd.

HANDICAPPED PARKING AREA

We are asking that those who park in the Handicapped area to please pull forward so that three rows of cars are able to fit in the space. Also, please **do not** park in the drive way.

BUS TRIP

The Sr. Citizens Friendship Club of St. Mary's/All Saints Parish is sponsoring a trip to Wildwood, NJ. September 9th – 13th, 5 days and 4 nights. Cost is \$570.00 ppd. and includes lodging, full breakfast daily, dinners with fabulous entertainment, Atlantic City Casino with rebate, Wheaton Village Cultural Center, Cape May shopping, Our Lady of the Sea Church, Smithville and other daily activities; Boardwalk and pool for bathing. All taxes, gratuities and transportation included. Please call Ann at 570-779-3203 for RSVP.

CARNATION SALE

For decades, the Mother's Day Carnation sale has been one of the primary fundraisers for pennsylvanians for Human Life. We would like to thank everyone who purchased the carnations and to those who volunteered their time to sell them at each Mass. The amount collected for this fundraiser was \$685.00.

SAVE RECEIPTS

Please save your receipts from Plymouth Hometown Market for our local fireman. For more information, please call Mary Anne Meeker @ 570-779-9464. 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: Nathan Grey, Eugene, Mark, Emma, George, Joseph, John, Danielle, Joseph, Rose Mary, Leah, Ed Harenza, George, Michelle, Stanley, Tom, Raina, Seth, Dorothy, Dave, Ray, Anthony Yuscavage, Anna Regan, Kubik & Rudnik Families, Kathleen K., Edmund Havira, John Brunick, Rose Mahoney, Joel Rivera, John S. Nowak, Joseph M., Donna, Frank, Daniel, Rosalie, Al, Marge Demarco, Theresa Kopko, Paul & Marilyn Irzinski, Joe, Audrey, Mollie & Louise. 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.



GRANT ETERNAL REST, O GOD, TO ALL WHO HAVE DIED: *Geraldine Lukasavage, Marie Letukas*

PARISH MINISTRY

CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER

Next food distribution, **Thursday, May 24th**, 9am – 11am. The Christian Service Center is in dire need of canned fruit, dried pasta, peanut butter, jelly, cereals & juices.

Our parish gratefully acknowledges the following donations:

~ In memory of *Geraldine Lukasavage* by Sandy & Pat McAndrew, Marlene Kurilla, Barbara Masavage, Cheryl Kellar, Mary Shevock, Mr. & Mrs. George Meeker

ALTAR SERVERS

Anyone wishing to become an altar server can call Ed Bozek at 570-472-1474 or the parish office.

DIOCESAN EVENTS

HOUSEKEEPER NEEDED

Holy Cross Fathers & Brothers at King's College are seeking a housekeeper for its religious residence, office & guest rooms. This full-time, benefits eligible position is responsible for maintaining the highest level of cleanliness. For more information, contact Kristin Clauss at kclauss@holycrossusa.org.

BLUE ARMY BUS TRIP

Wednesday, June 13th, bus trip to Our Lady of Fatima Shrine, Washington, New Jersey. The bus departs from The Oblates of St. Joseph, Route 315, Pittston, PA, at 8:00 AM, only 90 minutes away. Enjoy the beautiful, spacious country setting of the Shrine. The day includes Confession, Rosary Walk, Guest speaker, Mass and Adoration. Visit the gift shop, Rosary Garden, Stations of the Cross Way and the Holy House. Cost is \$35.00 per person. Dinner on the way home is at your expense. Contact John Witkosky at 570-288-4311 or 570-793-0641 for reservations and details. Sponsored by the Blue Army of the Scranton Diocese.

NPM NATIONAL CONVENTION BUS TRIP

The Scranton Chapter of the National association of Pastoral Musicians (NPM) will be sponsoring a bus trip to the NPM National Convention in Baltimore, MD running July 9-13. The NPM National Convention features keynote presentations and concerts from renowned speakers and liturgical musicians, and offers clinics, exhibits, vendors and workshops for choir members, cantors, organists, keyboardists and other parish musicians and liturgical coordinators. To see all that the NPM National Convention has to offer, visit the NPM National Organization website at www.npm.org. The bus will leave on Sunday, July 8th, at 3:00 PM from the Scranton area and stop in the Wilkes-Barre area for additional passengers. Cost for the bus is \$85 per person, and does not include convention registration or hotel costs. Deadline for bus reservations is Thursday, May 31st, and seating is limited.



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.



Baptism of Infants: Parents requesting Baptism for their children should make an appointment with the Pastor to begin the process. Also, parents seeking Baptism must attend a Baptism preparation class prior to their child's Baptism.



Catholic Marriage: 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.



Communion for the Homebound: Homebound parishioners who wish to receive Holy Communion please call the office at 570-779-5323.

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 or 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.



If anyone is interested in donating flowers for the altar in memory of someone, please contact the office at 570-779-5323

*Health & blessings to my
good friend,
Rose Mary Behm
your friend, Ray*

Ads - \$5.00

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

May 12th & May 13th

Offertory: \$5007.25

Loose Collection: \$180.00 Insurance: \$222.00

Maintenance: \$20.00 Easter: \$5.00

Cemetery: \$45.00 Candles: \$102.00

Energy: \$11.00 CSC: \$5.00

Ascension: \$813.00 Clergy Care: \$117.00*

Cath. Home Missions: \$2.00*

Cath. Communication: \$293.00

Camp. for Human Develop.: \$20.00**

\$6831.25

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

**Last week's Diocesan Collections amounted to
\$432.00 which is sent directly to the Diocese of
Scranton.*



*Miraculous Medal Novena
Prayed on Tuesday after
Mass*

*Novena to St. Jude
Prayed on Thursday*

*First Friday Prayer to
The Sacred Heart*



School Supply Program

The Social Concerns Committee of All Saints Parish will be sponsoring a School Supply Program. This program will be opened to families that are struggling financially, not only in our parish but from within our local communities. This program will be opened to children from Kindergarten through Grade 6.

Our goal is to supply each child with a new backpack which will be filled with necessary school supplies. Our committee will supply the backpacks and we will be asking our parishioners to help by purchasing school items from the itemized list below. All school items purchased can then be dropped off in the ramp area of the church before all the weekend masses during the months of June and July. There will be a designated container set up in the ramp area for the donated items.

School Supply List

Crayons	Safety Scissors
#2 Pencils	Folders
Colored Pencils	12 inch rulers
Pencil sharpeners	3 Ring Binders
Erasers	Pencil Pouches
Highlighters	1 Subject wide ruled notebooks
Washable markers	Composition notebooks
Glue sticks	Antibacterial hand sanitizer
Tissues	

To the families that are in the need of help with school supplies, we ask that you fill out the application below and then drop it off at the parish office or in the collection basket during the weekend masses. They must be returned no later than May 27th. This application can also be used by families who are struggling financially within our local communities. The pick up date for the backpacks filled with school supplies will be on August 11th, 2018 in the church basement between 10:00am. and noon. For more info, contact Mary Burns @ 570-824-1155.

Application for School Supplies

1. Child's name _____
Child's grade _____
Boy / Girl
2. Child's name _____
Child's grade _____
Boy / Girl
3. Child's name _____
Child's grade _____
Boy / Girl

If there are more than 3 children, just add to above list

Deadline is May 27, 2018

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UP & OVER JR. HIGH RETREAT

On June 1-3 middle school students, grades 6th, 7th and 8th, from across the Diocese of Scranton will gather at Camp Orchard Hill in Dallas for the Up & Over Jr. High Retreat. This retreat is designed to teach students problem solving skills, communication and team building through small group sessions and diverse activities such as a low-ropes obstacle course. Students are guaranteed to leave the weekend with new friends, a different perspective of their faith and skills that they'll be able to put to use. For more information contact Shannon Kowalski, Diocese of Scranton, Office for Parish Life at 570-207-2213 x 1155.

TRIDUUM & FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH MARELLO

The Oblates of St. AJoseph will celebrate the Feaast Day of their founder, St. Joseph Marello, at the Oblates of St. Joseph Chapel, 1880 Route 315, Laflin. The Triduum will begin on Sunday, May 27th, at 7:00 PM. The Feast will be celebrated on Wednesday, May 30th, with a Solemn Mass at 7:00 PM.

MASS FOR HEALING

The Catholic Charismatic Renewal will be clebrating a Mass with Prayers for Healing on Sunday, May 27th, at 7:00 PM. The Mass will be held at St. Mary's Church, 715 Hawthorne St., Avoca. Recitation of the Rosary will be said at 6:30 PM with prayers for healing following the Mass.

ORDINATION

On Saturday, June 9th, at 10:00 AM, in Saint Peter's Cathedral, Scranton, The Most Reverend Joseph C. Babera, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Scranton, will ordain **Reverend Mr. Edward J. Casey and Reverend Mr. Ryan P. Glenn** to the Order of the Priesthood. All the faithful in the Diocese of Scranton are invited and encouraged to participate in this solemn Mass. Please pray for Deacon Edward J. Casey and Deacon Ryan P. Glenn as they prepare for their Priesly Ordination.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Little Sisters of the Poor will host their 12th Annual Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 9th, at the Scranton Municipal Golf Course, Mount Cobb. Registrations begins at noon with a shotgun start at 1:00 PM. The format is captain and crew. Singles will be placed on a team. Cost is \$100 per golfer and includes green fees. unse of a cart, official tournament shirt, gift bag, pre-tournament refreshment receptio, a light meal during the tournament and a post-tournament dinner at the course clubhouse. Golfers will also have a chance to win prizes, including a new car courtesy of Matt Burne Honda. For more information, contact Mrs. Jackie Galvin, at scdevelopment@littlesistersofthepoor.org. or 570-343-4065 ext. 3144. All proceeds will be used to support the ministry of the Little Sisters of the Poor.

VIRTUS TRAINING

Virtus: Protecting God's Children for Adults Program is required for all adult employees and volunteers who have direct contact or routine interaction with children. This training session will be held on Thursday, July 19th, at 6:30 PM, at Gate of Heaven Parish, Dallas. The session will take place in the parish center. To register, please contact Dede Scafella at gohccd@aol.com or call the Safe Environment Office at 570-207-1453. A facilitator will teach you the tools and show you the resources to maintain a safe environment for all children. This is a vital program to help safeguard our most vulnerable and precious gifts: our children.

All Saints Parish Worship Committee
Minutes from meeting of April 17, 2018

Attending: Fr Jacek, Jan Gabriel, Helen Nowak Gabriel, Mary burns, Ed Bozek, Rosemary Coates, Jackie Karnes, Doreen Kolojechick, Patricia Merman, Kathy Narcum, John Sipper Sr., John Sipper Jr.

1. OPENING PRAYER @ 6:30pm with Catholic Easter Prayer
2. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – accepted as submitted
CURRENT ISSUES/UPDATES per sub-committee:
 - a. Ministry of Music – Bill Loyack
 - i. Reported for Bill by Jan G. Bill thanks all for their commitment to choir during the Holy Season. Hopes to be able to sing again for Feast of Pentecost.
 - b. Art & Environment- Helen Nowak Gabriel
 - i. Noted that all went very well for Lent & Easter. Thanks to all who helped clean/decorate!
 - ii. Paschal Candle needs cleaning at base; wax build-up
 - c. Altar Servers- Ed Bozek
 - i. Training program for altar servers continues. Losing 3, but adding 1 new.
 - ii. Will begin new sign-ups; new form with good info.
 - d. Eucharistic Ministers – Rosemary Coates (no new news)
 - e. Lectors – Mary Burns (nothing new to report)
 - f. Ushers/Greeters – John Sipper Sr.
 - i. Noted that the Ushers have recently added 3 new members!
 - g. Sexton Ministry & Pastor Report
 - i. Brief discussion on new security measures needed for certain areas of church
 1. Glass door on side will need to be locked during services
 - ii. Thanks to John Sipper Jr for again heading Triduum as MOC

Previously Reviewed Business: none

- NEW ITEMS -
 - There is a pew that needs to be secured/fixed. Located on ambo side about 4 from front. John Jr to notify office.
 - Next meeting = TUESDAY, June 5 @ 6:30 pm @ rectory.
 - Summer recess after June meeting.

CLOSING PRAYER at 7:16 with Prayer for the Diocese of Scranton