

## Mass Intentions

[Third Week of Easter]

### Monday, April 20: Easter Weekday

8:00 am (GS) Dorothy Matuscak by Paul & Nettie Scruppi

### Tuesday, April 21: Easter Weekday [Saint Anselm]

8:00 am (GS) Kathleen Connelly by Pellegrini Family

7:00 pm (GS) (1) Helen D. & Stephen B. Kuzma by Stephen A. Kuzma & Winslow Family

(2) Ted DiMarzio by Wife, Jean

### Wednesday, April 22: Easter Weekday

8:00 am (SJ) In Thanksgiving for 97th Birthday of Ann Groshardt

6:30 pm (GS) Bernie Grzegorek by Family

### Thursday, April 23: Easter Weekday

[Saint George and Saint Adalbert]

8:00 am (GS) Mary Roginski by Bob & Debbie Giammaria

### Friday, April 24: Easter Weekday

[Saint Fidelis of Sigmaringen]

8:00 am (SJ) Jennie Pinchotti by Mary E. Celio & Family

8:00 pm (GS) Marian Prayer Group

### Saturday, April 25: Saint Mark, Evangelist

4:00 pm (SJ) Vigil - Louis Antonini, Sr. by Muffy Cappabianco

5:30 pm (GS) Vigil - Ted Lotowski by Children

### Sunday, April 26: FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00 am (GS) The Living & Deceased of our Parishes

9:30 am (SJ) Shirley Lyden by Richard, Barbara & Karen O'Neill

11:00 am (GS) In Honor of Our First Holy Communicants

### Readings for the Week of April 20, 2015

**Monday:** Acts 6:8-15/Jn 6:22-29

**Tuesday:** Acts 7:51—8:1a/Jn 6:30-35

**Wednesday:** Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40

**Thursday:** Acts 8:26-40/Jn 6:44-51

**Friday:** Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59

**Saturday:** 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Mk 16:15-20

**Sunday:** Acts 4:8-12/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

### THIS WEEK WE REMEMBER

#### Bread & Wine

(SJ) In Thanksgiving for Ann Groshardt

#### Blessed Mother Shrine Candle

(GS) Barbara Kinder by Lois Himes

#### Holy Family Shrine Candle

(GS) William Raymer by Betty Raymer & Children

#### Holy Trinity Shrine Candle

(GS) Edward Zimmerman by Wife, Turina Zimmerman Family

#### Sanctuary Candle

(SJ) Alfred Gaudino by Children & Grandchildren

(GS) Galant Family by Family

#### Saint Anthony Novena Flowers

(GS) In Honor of Saint Anthony of Padua by Costanza Aloe, Pina Mazzotta, Anna Maria Testa, Nina DeLuca & Theresa Sacco

**THANK YOU** for your generous contributions to St. Vincent de Paul Society on Holy Thursday. Your donations enabled us to provide food to families during the Easter Season. We are always in need of help. Thank you.

### ON MISSION FOR THE CHURCH ALIVE!

A letter from Bishop Zubik has been inserted into the bulletin this week. I will also be reading the letter from the pulpit at all the Masses this weekend. Like other parishes throughout our Diocese, last year we undertook an historic capital campaign called *The Church Alive!* Now that all the parishes have completed the campaign, the Diocese is taking the next step, which will be called "*On Mission for The Church Alive!*"

In the words of the Diocese: "*On Mission for The Church Alive!*" is Bishop Zubik's Planning Initiative focused on helping our parishes to be even more vibrant communities of worship and service through: Eucharist, Catechesis, Evangelization, Formation, and Stewardship.

"*The Church Alive*" was intended to be more than a slogan. It is a call to action. The reality is that the world is changing before our eyes. In a generation, or even in the next 5 to 10 years, our Churches will undergo dramatic challenges. *The Greatest Generation* (those dedicated souls who lived through World War II and the Great Depression) are disappearing before our eyes. If the Church is not only to survive, but to *flourish*, it cannot be business as usual. We need to take a critical look at all aspects of our Church, from the way we train the next generation in the faith, to the way we reach out to those who've fallen away from the faith, to the way we operate our parishes in light of the dwindling number of priests.

*On Mission for the Church Alive* will be a comprehensive planning process to re-envision our parishes, our Diocese, and our parish clusters. Thanks to the incredible generosity of many of our parishioners in response to the capital campaign, the Diocese and our own parishes now have a little money to be able to do more than just dream about the ways we would like to re-energize our parishes.

As a priest, I can tell you that it is both a scary time and an exciting time. I know that with the help and the prayers of the faithful, we will be successful in shaping the face of our parishes and our Diocese for the generations to come. It is our responsibility, and our legacy. **Father Joe**

### Prayer for On Mission for The Church Alive!

Father of Mercy, we ask you for your guidance as we journey On Mission for The Church Alive!

Endow us with your gifts of courage, collaboration, and compassion so that we can continue to fulfill the mission of Christ and his Church through vibrant parishes, dynamic schools, religious education programs, and effective ministries. Raise up selfless, energetic leaders – lay, religious, deacons and priests, to serve the Church in fidelity and with care.

May we the Church of Pittsburgh in Allegheny, Beaver, Butler, Greene, Lawrence and Washington Counties all be sustained and strengthened by your grace. Help us to learn Jesus, love Jesus and live Jesus. Hear this prayer and grant it through Jesus Christ our Lord, with the help of our Blessed Mother, who protects us under the mantle of her love. **Amen.**

## SAINT JOHN'S CORNER

### PARISH SHARE PROGRAM 2015 Goal \$36,787

Pledges paid in full w/one payment (\$6,170.00)

Initial monthly pledge payments (\$930.00)

Members Green Envelope payments (\$626.00)

**68 Families out of 319 have participated in the PSP program as of April. Balance due \$29,061.00**

### PIEROGI PROJECT - LAST SALE FOR SPRING!

This is our last week for pierogi before the summer break. Volunteers are needed on Wednesday beginning at 5PM; Thursday at 8AM & all day on Friday. Place orders beginning at 6AM on Friday: 724-869-9758.

### CHRISTIAN MOTHERS MASS & MTG, APRIL 26

Join us for 9:30 Mass next Sunday and our meeting which follows including our Baby Shower for Lifeline of Beaver County. Please bring an unwrapped baby gift to the meeting. Items needed include: baby wipes, diapers (sizes newborn, 4 & 5), baby bath, onesies, summer clothes, A&D ointment. Monetary donations are gratefully accepted.

### MAY 3, CCM MOTHER-DAUGHTER BREAKFAST

Our annual breakfast will be held in the social hall on Sunday, May 3 following 9:30 Mass. Breakfast will be catered by Janice's Catering. Cost is \$5 for CCM members and \$9 for guests. Reserve with Regina LaRue at 724-869-1904 by April 26. You may drop your payment in the collection basket marked "CCM Breakfast". Please include your name and phone number on the envelope.

**Our Lady of Peace Rummage Sale** Stephens Hall, 1000 Third Ave., Conway; Thurs., April 23 9AM-7PM; Fri., April 24 9AM-3PM (Bag Day) and Sat., April 25 9AM-Noon (Super Bag Day). Lunch will be available on Thursday & Friday.



## SAVE THE DATE: VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Family Ministry is proud to present:

*Hometown Nazareth, Where Jesus was a Kid*

**WHEN:** Sun., June 14th through Wed., June 17th. Watch the bulletin for information. This year we again feature free dinners for the children each day of VBS. Volunteers are needed! We had *wonderful* supporters and volunteers last year and are looking for your support again. Please call Traci Ziemkiewicz at 724-266-3974 or email [gtciem@comcast.net](mailto:gtciem@comcast.net) if interested in helping out.

**Not to Late to Start a Catholic Spiritual Study  
by Fr. Robert Barron "Priest, Prophet, King"**

**Wednesday, April 22**

at Good Samaritan - 7:15 PM (in Jericho Hall Classroom)

**OR Thursday, April 23**

at St. John the Baptist - 7:00 PM (in Church Hall)

**OR Friday, April 24**

at Good Samaritan 11:00 AM (in Jericho Hall Classroom)

For more information, call Susan at 724-266-6565 Ext.#17.

## ANNUAL ST ANTHONY NOVENA

Our Annual Novena in honor of St Anthony of Padua runs nine consecutive Tuesdays through June 9 at Good Samaritan Parish. Liturgy is celebrated at 7 pm followed by the Novena to St. Anthony.

All are invited. Come & bring a friend!

**WEEK 2, APRIL 21**



### St. Anthony Floral Basket

**\$35 Flower Tribute for the Novena Masses**  
Call the parish office to schedule 724-266-6565.

### Quigley Catholic High School Honor Roll

Congratulations to the following student parishioners who have made the honor roll at Quigley Catholic High School. Highest Honors: *Anna Majewski*; High Honors: *Nicholas Schroeder, Kathryn Kaunert*; Honors: *Stephanie Kazmierczyk, John Kazmierczyk*.

## +UPCOMING EVENTS+

### Monday, April 20

5:15-6:45pm - CCD - Grades 1-5

6:30 pm (GS) Women of WELL-come (JH Classroom)

### Tuesday, April 21

7:00 pm (GS) #2 Saint Anthony Novena Mass

### Wednesday, April 22

6:30 pm (SJ) Choir Practice

7:15 pm (GS) Bible Study, *Priest/Prophet*-Session #2 (Ch)

### Thursday, April 23

7:00 pm (SJ) Bible Study, *Priest/Prophet*-Session #2 (Hall)

### Friday, April 24

9:00 am (SJ) Last Pierogi Sales until Oct. Call 724-869-9758

11:00 am (GS) Bible Study, *Priest/Prophet*-Session #2 (JH)

3:00 pm (GS) Eucharistic Adoration

7:00/8:00 (GS) Rosary/Confess-Mass-Marian Prayer Group

### Saturday, April 25

4:00 pm (SJ) First Holy Communion Mass

### Sunday, April 26

9:00 am (GS) CIC/Teen RCIA (JH Classroom)

9:30 am (SJ) Mass, Children's Liturgy, CCM Sun. Meeting

11:00 am (GS) First Holy Communion Mass

### ✠IN SYMPATHY:

Please pray for the repose of the souls of: *Carolyn Broz, Frank Cantanzarite, William Corso, Eugene Harrison, Kyle Hochevar, Albert Kendra, Joseph Kucel, Jr. Carolina Rosenberger*. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Good Samaritan	
Weekly Offering, April 12, 2015	\$6,438.30
Additional Easter Offering	\$1,022.00
St. John the Baptist	
Weekly Offering, April 12, 2015	\$2,465.00

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