

MASS INTENTIONS**WEEK 14 IN ORDINARY TIME**

Monday, July 10: Weekday in Ordinary Time
8:00am (GS) Ronald Frank Esposito by Debra & John Zabrocky

Tuesday, July 11: Saint Benedict
8:00am (GS) Edward Cassidy by Charlotte Alsko

Wednesday, July 12 Weekday in Ordinary Time
8:00am (SJ) Walter J. & Helen J. Prusick by Sons, Walter & David
6:30pm (GS) Rhawn & Clay Family by Dorothy Rhawn

Thursday, July 13: Saint Henry
8:00am (GS) Jim & Terry Brennan by Ed Brennan

Friday, July 14: Saint Kateri Tekakwitha
8:00am (SJ) Betty Kostial by Dave & Vicky Miller
8:00pm (GS) Marian Prayer Group

Saturday, July 15: Saint Bonaventure
4:00pm (SJ) Patrick Gaudino by Dorlores Gaudino
5:30pm (GS) Regina Gibbons by Darlene Bayuse

Sunday, July 16: FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:00am (GS) Frank, Brigida, Louis & Augie Antonini by Anna & Gaylord Muny
9:30am (SJ) Joan DeNucci by Gerald DeNucci & Family
11:00am (GS) For the Living and Deceased of Our Parishes

Readings for 14th Week in Ordinary Time: July 10, 2017

Monday Gn 28:10-22a/Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday Gn 32:23-33/Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Mt 10:1-7
Thursday Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Mt 10:7-15
Friday Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Mt 10:16-23
Saturday Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Mt 10:24-33
Sunday Is 55:10-11/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

THIS WEEK WE REMEMBER**Bread and Wine**

(GS) Ted & Gertrude Karolak by Family
(GS) Muders Family by Heather Dumek

Holy Family Shrine Candle

(GS) Suriano, Osso & Sacco Family by Theresa

Sanctuary Candle

(GS) Harriet Konieczny by Sister Genevieve Kinder
(SJ) Mike Smolnery by Cheryl & Shelly

MISSION APPEAL ANNOUNCEMENT

On July 22-23, weekend , Rev. Chike Angyigbo, CSSp, will visit our parishes to speak at the Masses about the missionary work of the Church and in particular that of the Spiritans (Congregation of the Holy Spirit, previously know as the Holy Ghost Fathers). To learn more about the Spiritans, please visit their website at <http://spiritans.org>. We urge to respond generously to Father. Chike's appeal.

Good Samaritan PARISH SHARE**Second Collection on July 15/16 Weekend**

Good Samaritan Parish 724-266-6565
Saint John the Baptist Parish 724-869-2280

I DON'T HAVE TIME TO PRAY

Jesus exclaimed... *"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light."* FROM MATTHEW 11

The Gospel reading above may have been written nearly 2,000 years ago, but it is probably as pertinent today as it was back then.

I recall reading an article in elementary school projecting what life would be like in the future. This was before the first calculator, and "personal" computers were just the topic of science fiction novels. The article accurately predicted that virtually *every* business would one day have a computer. The author went on to predict that these computers would be so efficient that there would no longer be a need to work 40-hours a week. Folks would only need to work 30-hours, allowing a significant increase in free time. It would mean more time for families and for leisure. Isn't it strange that just the opposite has happened in our society?

It's not the norm for people to get by working 30 hours a week. In fact, one study suggested that adults working full-time jobs put in an average of 47 hours per week. What's more, the idea of one parent working while the other parent stays home to raise the children is becoming very rare. The result is often frazzled nerves and tattered relationships. It isn't surprising that divorce rates are so high and that there is so much stress in our society. It may also explain why they predict that 85% of the young people growing up today will not be practicing their faith by the time they turn 21.

I cannot begin to imagine how tiring it is to work a full time job (with overtime), only to come home and cook, clean, help the children with homework, and somehow find time to help kids learn their faith. Thank God for grandparents!

It's sad that so many people tell me that they are exhausted, irritable, and testy — especially with family and coworkers. In the next breath they often say, *"...and I can't seem to find the time to pray like I used to!"*

Time spent with God, either praying or just listening is therapeutic. Time spent teaching a child about the faith is not only an investment in their future, but it can also deepen our own faith. Sometimes the questions they ask and the insights they have can be so inspiring! Even for those without little ones around, walking into church and just looking at the statues and the stations of the cross with the eyes of a child can bring a peace that money cannot buy. It just takes an investment, an investment of self.

2017 FESTIVAL CHAIRPERSONS & BOOTH LISTINGS (Updated 06/28/17)

BOOTH / ACTIVITY	CHAIRPERSONS	TELEPHONE
Scatter Ball	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Freaky Tiki	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Pick - a - Package	Nelko Family	724-869-0194
Pig Race	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Black & Gold Wheel	Renee & Derek Pintado Family	412-609-3659
Crazy Ball	Rose Curcio – Religious Ed	724-266-6565 ext 12
Bounce Wheel	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Bottle Flip	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Jumbo Pick-a-Tic	Marie & Steve Kammerdiener	724-266-1838
Spin-it-Wheel	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Gator Alley	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Face Painting	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED	
Food Wheel	Coley Family	724-622-3534
Instant Bingo	Fri. & Sun. Sat.. Thurs.	JoAnn Smith CHAIRPERSON NEEDED Pam Pless & Debbie Kuzma 724-869-7677 724-494-1011
Wheelbarrow of Gifts-Kids Raffle	Thurs. Fri., Sat. & Sun.	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED Diane & Elise Casello 724-888-6056
Pop Booth & Snack Booth		Good Samaritan Music Ministry 724-266-6565 ext 21
Bake Sale		CHAIRPERSON NEEDED
Ice Cream Booth	Thurs. & Sat. Fri. & Sun.	CHAIRPERSON NEEDED Belczyk & Indovina Families 724-266-0817
Outside Food Booth	(Co-Chairs)	Angie Catanzariti 724-266-7531 and Karla Besong 724-266-0710 Judy & Mike Racioppo 724-266-7027
Pizza Booth		Ambridge Rotary Club
Funnel Cake Booth		Heather Dumek 412-741-9134 or Michelle Rudic (Co-chairs)
BINGO		412-908-0792
Publicity		Leah Lesak 724-266-8743
Festival Tickets		Frank Gaguzis 724-266-3747
Festival Headquarters		Frank Gaguzis 724-266-3747
Hourly 50/50 Raffle		Rose Cafarelli Filippini 412-269-1853
EMS Services		Michael Longo 724-266-6565
Bar & Refreshments		Don Sivy 724-869-9162
Accounting		Carole Kon 724-266-0873
Saint Vincent dePaul		David Carr 724-869-2872
Dinner Thursday		Annette Hramika/Brian Olander 724-318-8078
Kitchen Help		Annette Hramika (call to help in the kitchen)
Dining Room Mgr.		Turina Zimmerman (Call Turina to serve tables in cafeteria)
Dinner Friday		724-266-6219
		Annette Hramika/Brian Olander 724-318-8078
Kitchen Help		Annette Hramika (call to help in the kitchen)
Dining Room Mgr.		Barb Montini (Call Barb to serve tables in cafeteria)
Dinner Saturday		724-266-1687
		Annette Hramika/Brian Olander 724-318-8078
Kitchen Help		Annette Hramika (call to help in the kitchen)
Dining Room Mgr.		Dotty Fulton (Call Dotty to serve tables in cafeteria)
Dinner Sunday		724-462-0172
		Annette Hramika/Brian Olander 724-318-8078
Kitchen Help		Annette Hramika (call to help in the kitchen)
Dining Room Mgr.		DINING ROOM MGR. NEEDED
Dishwashing		Carl Dennis 724-251-3038
Both Sponsors & Boosters		Rose Cafarelli Filippini 412-269-1853
Silent Auction		Theresa Lesack 724-869-3511 Janet Bosh 724-869-5081 Nancy Karolak 724-266-7191
Maintenance Crew		Ron Besong and Ron Bercik (<i>emeritus</i>) 724-266-0710 or 724-544-5479
Grounds Set Up / Take Down		John Kleemook 724-266-0278 John Barnhart 724-318-8047
Games Equipment/Prizes		John Homich 724-266-9231 or 412-860-4710

IF YOU THINK YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO HELP CHAIR A BOOTH — EVEN FOR ONE NIGHT — OR IF YOU WANT MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL JOHN HOMICH ASAP AT 724-266-9231 or 412-860-4710. Thanks!!



The Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program

A federally funded program administered by state departments of agriculture and county agencies on aging, provides eligible senior citizens with coupons that can be redeemed for locally grown fruits, vegetables, honey and fresh herbs from approved farmers markets and community-supported agricultural programs. Seniors must reside in Beaver County, be age 60 or older by Dec. 31 of the program year and meet income eligibility guidelines. For more information, call Beaver County Office on Aging: 724-847-2262.

**Ambridge Farmers Market, July 13 from 4-7PM
(Park Rd. St. Mary's Parking Lot)**

**GIGANTIC FLEA MARKET Our Lady of Fatima,
Brodhead Road, Hopewell Township
July 15th from 8AM - 2PM
July 16th from 2PM - 5PM**

A huge selection of treasures, something for everyone!

The Confraternity of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel will celebrate the Feast Day on Wednesday, July 12, at St. Frances Cabrini Church, 115 Trinity Drive in Center Township. The Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 PM by Father Martin Bartel, Pastor. All are invited to join the confraternity and receive the brown scapular at this service. A Rosary procession will follow after the Liturgy. Refreshment and cookies in O'Connell Hall. Everyone is welcome! For additional information, please contact Bill DiCioccio, president of the Confraternity at 724-775-8291.

LA ROCHE COLLEGE PREVIEW DAY

La Roche College invites high school sophomores, juniors, seniors, and transfer students to its summer Preview Day on Saturday, July 15. Students learn about the admissions process, financial aid and the college's merit-based scholarships, based on SAT/ACT and GPA. La Roche has nearly-free Study Abroad+Study USA program. Visitors tour includes a complimentary lunch. The event begins at 8:30 am with a continental breakfast. Registration is online at laroche.edu. (Groups can register by calling 800-838-4LRC or 412-536-1272.) Questions? admissions@LaRoche.edu or 412-536-1272. La Roche is a private, nonprofit, Catholic, co-educational institution in Pittsburgh's North Hills, McCandless Township.

Job Opportunities at the Sisters of St. Joseph of Baden

Personal Care Aide (PRN-scheduled as needed) Responsible for assisting residents with daily life functions; willingness to cover vacant shifts, availability to work weekends and holidays. High school diploma or GED, criminal clearance, drug & alcohol testing required.

Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN full-time for daylight and evening shifts) Responsible for assisting resident with daily life functions. High school diploma or GED, criminal clearance, drug & alcohol testing required. Contact Allie Mooney 724-869-6544, email amooney@stjoseph-baden.org. Visit www.stjoseph-baden.org to learn more.

XLT & SAINTS JOHN AND PAUL CHURCH

You are invited to an amazing night filled with powerful worship, an inspiring message by Ben Walther, and above all, an encounter with Jesus Christ, fully present in the Eucharist. All are welcome! **Wednesday July 19th, 6:30-8:00pm at Sts. John & Paul Church, 2586 Wexford Bayne Road, 15143.** Extra bonus for teens 9th thru college - join us for XLTeen party after the XLT event in the CDC hall across from the church! For more info go to www.stsjohnandpaul.org/xlt or e-mail xlt@sts-jp.org.

Downtown Pittsburgh Italian StrEAT Festival

Eat well and learn more about the rich Italian and Italian-American heritage that has long been a unique part of Southwestern Pennsylvania at the Italian StrEAT Festival sponsored by Highmark. **The festival will be held July 8-9 from 10am-6pm along Penn Avenue in Downtown Pittsburgh.** Each day there will be local Italian vendors, entertainment and lots of good food. Admission is free. For more information visit www.highmarkstreatfestpg.com.

Magnificat Pittsburgh Luncheon

Saturday, July 22, 12 Noon to 2:30 pm at the Omni William Penn Hotel, Downtown Pittsburgh in conjunction with the International Catholic Charismatic Renewal 50th Anniversary Jubilee Conference. Hear Susan Potvin speak about her faith story, how the Lord has led her and her husband to adopt four children and her oldest son's battle with drug addiction. She will attest to how God can heal and reclaim broken families and how He has led her in her faith to become the leader of the internationally acclaimed music ministry, Living Praise. Cost of breakfast is \$28. To register call Kay 724-772-6749 or Pam 412-461-8906 or go to www.magnificatpittsburgh.org. Deadline is July 14.

St. Joseph Spirituality Center, Baden

Companions in Discernment-prayerful discernment for persons sensing a call to the ministries of spiritual direction or spiritual leadership. Sept. 16, Oct. 14, Nov. 18, Dec. 16, Jan. 20 and Feb. 24 from 9-11am. Participants will journey through a discernment process of openness, generosity, courage and interior freedom. Fee of \$300 includes program materials. Learn more or register online: www.bit.ly/CompanionsInDiscernment. Questions? Call 724-869-6587 or email tunlap@stjoseph-baden.org.

Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius in Daily Life-beginning Sept. 19, weekly through May 8, 2018. Sessions from 1:00-2:30pm at St. Joseph Spirituality Center with winter breaks. Retreatants will learn how to pray while contemplating the presence of God in the everyday world. Commitment includes 45-60 minutes a day of personal prayer and readings. Weekly sessions include faith sharing in a contemplative, confidential setting. Cost is \$500; limited partial scholarships available. Registration is limited and ends July 31. A \$50 deposit is required. Questions? Call 724-869-6525 or email tunlap@stjoseph-baden.org.

SAINT JOHN'S CORNER

JULY 9, SECOND SUNDAY



MONTHLY DEVOTION TO DIVINE CHILD JESUS
Saint Padre Pio Prayer Group will meet here at St. John's. Holy Mass begins at 2:00 PM followed by 3:00 Holy Hour and 4:00 meeting. A social follows in the hall. All are welcome. Fr. Ladis Cizik is the celebrant.

KIDS' FREE SUMMER LUNCHEAS IN BADEN

Baden United Methodist Church is offering a Summer Food for Kids program this summer starting June 26th in the Fellowship Hall from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM. All children up to and including 18 years of age are welcome. There are no income limits and there is no charge. All volunteers have state clearances. Any questions please contact: Esther Hallas Home: 724.869.4739 / Cell: 724.462.7959.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT "WE CARE FOOD PANTRY"

Baden United Methodist Church "We Care Food Pantry" is in need of volunteers. Pantry is located in the Fellowship Hall. The food pantry is part of the Pittsburgh Community Food Bank and serves residents of the Baden and Conway areas.

The program is the third Monday and Tuesday of every month from 5:30 PM to 8:00 PM. (Next program is July 17th and 18th) Volunteers are needed to help members shop and to pack their vehicles with the groceries. If you would like to volunteer or have questions; please contact: Esther Hallas, Home: 724.869.4739 / Cell: 724.462.7959 Thanks & God bless! Ladies of Charity

SUMMER CONCERTS P.J. Caul Park, Ambridge

Sunday at 2PM: July 9- Hopewell Community Jazz Band; July 16- Monaca Coronet Band; July 23-Beaver County Symphonic Wind Ensemble, July 30 Beaver County Brass

GOOD SAMARITAN YOUTH CHOIR

Time to raise our voices to the Lord again!

All youth in the Church are invited to come and praise the Lord with their voices in song. We have lots of new and exciting music. Children need to be at least 5 yrs old.



SUMMER SCHEDULE

Rehearsals in Choir Room

Sundays from 9:45 - 10:15AM

July 9, 16, 23, 30 & Aug 6, 13, 20

GENERAL FESTIVAL MEETING Jericho Hall WEDNESDAY, JULY 12 AT 7:00PM

ETHNIC COOKING IN THE FALL

We have volunteers to teach cake decorating, Italian greens and wedding soup and more! Attendees really enjoy learning and the camaraderie!! To volunteer to teach, follow above instructions and let us know if you want to be a student or teacher. Call Bob Mikush 724-266-3140, Mon. - Fri., 9am - 5pm. Update info directly to your phone enter 81010 and text @ethnicco (Free to Use) or e-mail us at ethnicco@mail.remind.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, July 9

9:30am (SJ) Mass *Liturgy of the Word with Children*
 9:30-10:15am (GS) Youth Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
 2:00pm (SJ) Mass, Holy Hour, Meeting, Divine Child Jesus/Padre Pio Prayer Group
 5:00-7:30pm (GS) Vacation Bible School (Jericho Hall)

Monday, July 10

5:00-7:30pm (GS) Vacation Bible School (Jericho Hall)
 7:00pm (GS) *Living Rosary Novena to Our Lady of Fatima-Week 5* (GS Church)

Tuesday, July 11

5:00-7:30pm (GS) Vacation Bible School (Jericho Hall)

Wednesday, July 12

8:30am (SJ) Coffee & Donuts in Social Hall after Mass
 5:00-7:30pm (GS) Vacation Bible School (Jericho Hall)
 7:00pm (GS) General Festival Meeting (JH)

Friday, July 14

3:00-8:00pm (GS) Eucharistic Adoration
 7:00pm (GS) Confessions & Rosary (8:00:PM Mass)
Marian Prayer Group

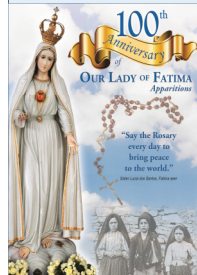
Sunday, July 16:

(GS) Second Collection for Parish Share

9:30-10:15am (GS) Youth Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

"Monday with Mary" week 5

"Living Rosary Novena to Our Lady of Fatima"



All women are invited to bring your Rosary and spend an hour with Our Lord Jesus as we pray the "Living Rosary Novena to Our Lady of Fatima" each **Monday at 7 PM in Good Samaritan Church.** Step by step "Living Rosary Novena" booklets are provided each Monday and are convenient to take home or on vacation to continue this beautiful weekly summer novena to our Blessed Mother in honor of 100th Anniversary of her apparitions at Fatima, Portugal.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

GOOD SAMARITAN PARISH

Every Friday from 3:00 - 8:00 PM

Followed by Mass at 8:00PM



◆IN SYMPATHY

Please pray for the repose of the souls of all our dearly departed who died recently, especially **Warren Robert Butera, Elizabeth "Betty" Butera, Mary Louise Filipponi (Mother of Carl Filipponi), and Thomas Kovach (Father of Scott Kovach)** May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the Mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

GOOD SAMARITAN	<i>Our Gift to God</i>
Weekly Offering, July 2, 2017	\$8,792.01
SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST	
Weekly Offering, July 2, 2017	\$2,818.00
Peter's Pence	\$567.00