

Mass Intentions

TWENTY-NINTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

- Monday, October 19**
8:00 am (GS) Jane Hudak by Rosmarie Gornick & Sons
- Tuesday, October 20**
8:00 am (GS) Millicent Ziberna by Husband, Anthony
- Wednesday, October 21**
8:00 am (SJ) Bernard Farmer by Wife, Shirley
6:30 PM (GS) Arthur J. Conti by Wife & Children
- Thursday, October 22**
8:00am (GS) Robert Rusnak by Family
- Friday, October 23**
8:00 am (SJ) Joan DeNucci by Gerald G. DeNucci & Family
8:00 pm (GS) Marian Prayer Group
- Saturday, October 24**
4:00 pm Vigil (SJ) Dawn Finnegan by Cathy Johnston
5:30 pm Vigil (GS) Mutchler Family by Jeri
- Sunday, October 25**
30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:00 am (GS) Stephen Gregorek, Mary Gregorek and Catherine Walko by Greg Walko
9:30 am (SJ) Nina DeGiovine by Mr. & Mrs. Ron Amadio
11:00 am (GS) For the Living & Deceased of the Parishes

Readings for the Week of October 18

- Monday** Rom 4:20-25/Lk 12:13-21
- Tuesday** Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Lk 12:35-38
- Wednesday...** Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48
- Thursday** Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53
- Friday.....** Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59
- Saturday** Rom 8:1-11/Lk 13:1-9
- Sunday** Jer 31:7-9/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

THIS WEEK WE REMEMBER

Bread and Wine

- (GS) Brooks Watkins by the Lesak Family
- (SJ) John Hertnecky, Jr. by Helen Ringel

Sanctuary Candle

- (SJ) Mike & Stella Farah by Dolores Gaudino

Holy Family Shrine Candle

- (GS) In memory of Frank & Brigida & Louis Antonini by Anna & Gaylord

Second Collection This Weekend, October 17-18, 2015

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Your generous support helps 1,150 mission dioceses in other parts of the world.

Beaver County Holy Name Society Supports the *March for Life*

\$1,000 Cash Raffle. Ticket Donation: \$5.00 each
This raffle helps fund bus trips from Beaver County to the March in Washington, D.C. Based on PA Daily 3-Digit Lottery, 7:00PM on November 27, 2015. Purchase tickets from St. John's ushers after weekend Masses.

THE CHURCH ALIVE

Missionaries to Ambridge, Baden, and Beyond...

This weekend, parishes throughout the country celebrate World Mission Sunday. The purpose is not just to raise money, but rather, to raise awareness of the needs of Catholic parishes around the world that struggle to provide sacraments, religious education, and services to the poorest of the poor in third-world nations.

It's profound that our Bishop chose this particular weekend to have priests in each of our 200 parishes of the Diocese of Pittsburgh preach on a common theme... ***Evangelization must begin with us here in our own Parish Family.***

When Bishop Zubik recently challenged each of our parishes to raise funds as part of the **Church Alive!** capital campaign, we naturally approached it like other capital campaigns. We asked for money to repair buildings and replace things that are worn out. The difference with this campaign is that it was also focused on breathing life into our churches. For too long, we've watched our parishes and our diocese shrink. Bishop Zubik's vision from the beginning as Bishop of Pittsburgh has been to breathe new life into our parishes, our communities and our diocese, and to create a church that does more than just survive -- to create a *Church Alive!*

Through a series of Regional Vicariate meetings, the Bishop and his staff have met with priests throughout the diocese to roll out a process he is calling

On Mission for the Church Alive!

The idea of "*On Mission*" is to lay out plans in each of our Vicariates, Parish Clusters, and Parishes to breathe new life into our faith, to challenge each of us to reignite the light of faith within our own lives, and to take that light into our parishes and into the communities beyond. Pope Francis reminds us that each of us must become missionary disciples. In the words of our own Bishop,

"We can no longer simply have a narrow view of our own personal spirituality, or even the unique spirituality of our own Parish Family. We must raise our consciousness to the world around us.

We live in a world of internet and cell phones, GPS and digital television, Facebook, Google, and hash tags. We need to find new and interesting ways to take the Gospel truths handed on by our parents & grandparents and share those truths and values with a generation that scarcely has time to stop and realize that they need God now more than ever.

It's an epic challenge to be sure, but it all begins with prayer. Please take the time to read, to listen, and to learn more about **On Mission** for the Church Alive! Take time to **pray** that our plans and efforts are guided by God, and they will bear fruit for generations yet to come. This is our time. This is our Mission. **Father Joe**

SAINT JOHN'S CORNER

Holy Name Society All You Can Eat Pancake & Waffle Breakfast & Choir Bake Sale Sunday 8 AM to Noon

FRIENDS OF THE POOR WALKERS TOTAL:

Thank you so very much! \$870 was raised for the St. Vincent DePaul Society.

PARISH SHARE PROGRAM REPORT:

October payment: \$1770.18 Balance: \$16,206.27
Thank you for your continued support.

OCTOBER COUNT: At each weekend Mass in October, ushers will count the number of attendees. This count is used for planning within the diocese.

PIEROGI PROJECT - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

YOUR help is needed! Please consider donating a couple of hours to our pierogi project, especially on Thursday mornings beginning at 8AM and all day on Fridays! We welcome and teach beginners. If you wish to become a new volunteer, please call the parish office: 724-869-2280.

PIEROGI SALES

PIEROGI HOTLINE: 724-869-9758.

The order desk is staffed beginning at 6:00AM on Fridays. Place your order early and pick up later in the day.

DONATE NEW HATS, GLOVES, SOCKS FOR NEEDY CHILDREN Please help us keep local children warm this winter by donating new hats, gloves and socks. We need at least 200 more hat/glove sets to be distributed with the Good Samaritan Coats for Kids program. Ladies of Charity appreciate your help!

OCTOBER 25: CHRISTIAN MOTHERS MEETING

CCM, please join us at 9:30 Mass next Sunday and for our monthly meeting which follows in the social hall. We look forward to seeing you there! **ALL** women of the parish are welcome to join Christian Mothers. Come to any meeting to

MONDAY SESSIONS ADDED FOR "33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY"

We are happy to announce an additional day and time for our **"33 Days to Morning Glory"** Marian Consecration preparation for the upcoming *Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy*. **Women of all ages** are invited to join us on **Mondays at 7:00 PM in Good Samaritan Church**. Our **first Orientation Session will be held on Monday, October 26th and begins with 6:30 PM Mass**. All interested women are asked to register with Susan ASAP so that materials will be available for that evening. Please see attached bulletin flyer for complete information about this spiritual preparation.

2016 MASS BOOK OPENING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2015 9:00 - 11:30 AM

Jericho Hall-Classrooms
(Please note change of location)

(2) Mass Intentions per registered family household:
1-Sunday/Holy Day plus a Weekday or 2-Weekdays

We will also be accepting donations for the following:
Bread & Wine, Shrine Candles & Flowers.

Parishioners who will be celebrating a special occasion (25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary) Please call the Parish Center and reserve your date ASAP.

+UPCOMING EVENTS+

Sunday, Oct. 18 WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

8:00am - Noon (SJ) Holy Name Society Pancake Breakfast and Choir Bake Sale

9:30-11 am (GS) CCD Grades 6-8 Followed by 11:00 Mass

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

Monday, Oct. 19

5:15-6:45 pm (SJ) CCD Grades 1-5

Wednesday, Oct. 21

5:00 pm (SJ) Pierogi potato prep in kitchen

6:30 pm (SJ) Choir Practice

Thursday, October 22

6:00 pm (SJ) Pierogi prep in kitchen

7:00 pm (GS) Choir Practice

Friday, October 23

6:00 am (SJ) Pierogi making & sales (6:00 am until sold out)

3:00 pm (GS) Eucharistic Adoration

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

Saturday, October 24

9-11:30 am (GS) Mass Book Opening (JH Classroom)

6:30 pm (GS) Oktoberfest (JH)

Sunday, October 25

9:30-11 am (GS) CCD Grades 6-8 Followed by 11:00 Mass

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

12 noon (GS) Pumpkin Decorating Contest (JH)

✠IN SYMPATHY

Please pray for the repose of the souls of our dearly departed, especially **Stella Cap** and **Dominic Costa**. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

GOOD SAMARITAN	
Weekly Offering, October 11,2015	\$6,250.29
Children's Offering	\$43.50
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST	
Weekly Offering, October 11, 2015	\$2,158.00