

PRINCE OF PEACE



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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH & CHAPEL



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APRIL 21ST, 2024

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 4:00pm (Church)

Sunday: 8:00am (Chapel)

Sunday: 10:30am (Church)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday:

8:00am (Church)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays: 7:00am-8:00am (Church)

CONFESSIONS

Friday at 7:30 (during adoration), Saturday
& Sunday 1/2 hour prior to Mass



FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL: JOHN 10: 11-18

ALTER SERVERS

Saturday, April 27th

4 PM -

Sunday, April 28th

8 AM - Tyler McCreery

10:30 AM - Ben Shuttly and Lillian Statler

LECTORS

Saturday, April 27th

4 PM - Jeanette Miller

Sunday, April 28th

8 AM -

10:30 AM - Jennifer Work



IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

May the Divine Physician send healing grace for those for whom we pray. Please remember in a special way the following who have requested your prayers:

Bill & Connie Abrams, Jim & Alma Abrams, Nancy Anna, *Carl Bechel, Mary Bolette, Phil Bolyn, *Sally Chervenak, Angela Crane, *Dorothy Dercotch, Don Dykeman, Alexis Frank, Olivia Ferguson, Kendra Gibbson, Leighton Hess, Judy Hilliard, John Hornick, Michael Kakabar, Sr., *Patty Kopas, Peter Korch (Grandson), Julia Kuzzia, Judy LeGars, *John Lee, *William Lee, Jim Montanaro, Brenda Nagle, Kylie Nelson, Bonnie Nessina, *Judy Noel, Roberta Pastirko-Bechel, Lou Riva, *Magdalene Pompa, Robin Pike, James Scott, Emanuel Shetler, Susan Shuss, Yvonne Stivanelli, James Tibbott, Diana Tretinik, Darcie Wagner, Frances Weakland, Jane Williams, Joe Williams, and Sherry Williams.

** Homebound or Parishioners living in an Assisted Living Facility*

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO ARE PROUDLY SERVING IN OUR ARMED FORCES

Family members and friends of our parishioners who are currently in active service are as follows:

WO2 Jason Amsdell
SGT Thomas Bowser
SSGT Gregory Chuhran
Master SGT Ryan Cox
PVT Kevin Everly
Robert Goody
LCDR Thomas D. Hunter
SSGT Matthew Kendall
SPEC Shawn Kent
MAJ John M. Kiraly
CH Nicholas S. Klamar
SGT Michael A. Kordish

SSGT Brittany McConnell
ARMY SPEC Bryan Nealen
PVT Josh Nelen
AMN Lauren C. Penska
USN LT Nicole Peterson
USN, SSGT Todd Rito
PVT Jacob Schlereth
SSGT Jason Tyson
ENFR Ted Vermeulin
CAPT Christine Zimmerman
CAPT Robert Zimmerman



MASS INTENTIONS

April 2024:

Saturday, 20th:

4:00pm (Church) † Living & Deceased Members of Prince of Peace Parish, By: Fr. Mark

Sunday, 21st:

8:00am (Chapel) † Robert Benamati, By: Wife Carol & Family

10:30am (Church) † Rose Barnosky, By: Son Kevin & Family

Monday, 22nd:

8:00am † Maryann Potgurney, By: Maryann Potgurney Estate

Tuesday, 23rd: No Mass

Wednesday, 24th:

8:00am † Helen Biros, By: George Weiland & Family

Thursday, 25th:

8:00am † Joe Kirsch, By: Joe & Cathy Taylor

Friday, 26th:

8:00am † Frank & Jennie Popovich, By: Troy & Brock McMullen

Saturday, 27th:

4:00pm (Church) † Mr. & Mrs. John Polonsky,
By: Eugene & Yvonne Stivanelli

Sunday, 28th:

8:00am (Chapel) † Living & Deceased Members of Prince of Peace Parish, By: Fr. Mark

10:30am (Church) † Joseph Barnosky, Sr.,

By: Son Kevin & Family

The side door church entrance (next to the office) is open for PRIVATE PRAYER Monday thru Friday between 7am-2pm.

MEMORIAL CANDLES: APRIL 28TH

Sanctuary Candles in Loving Memory of . . .

Church: Special Intention, by: Julianna Frontino

Chapel: Parishioners, By: Fr. Mark

Pieta Candle in Honor of . . .

Church: Julia Anderson, By: Margie Anderson



WEEKLY GIVING: SUNDAY, APRIL 14TH

Weekly: Envelopes: \$4,937.00 - Online: \$120.00;

Monthly: Envelopes: \$474.00;

Candles: \$71.00;

Ash Wednesday: \$10.00; **Black & Indian Mission:** \$20.00;

Catholic Home Missions: \$45.00; **Cemetery:** \$10.00;

Easter: \$135.00; **Good Friday:** \$30.00;

Holy Thursday: \$20.00; **Loose Cash:** \$79.00;

Maintenance: \$20.00; **Mother's Day:** \$975.00;

Seminarian: \$20.00;

Utility & Energy: \$20.00...

Total \$6,986.00

WEEKLY NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

DIOCESE NEWS

AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH (NORTHERN CAMBRIA):

Our Annual Spring Basket Auction will take place **Saturday, April 27th from 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM and Sunday, April 28th from 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM.** The drawing will begin at 3:00 PM on Sunday in the Church Hall. All winners will be called and can pick up their baskets between 4PM and 6PM at the church hall. Tickets for basket are \$5.00 for 26 tickets. We will also have a pie raffle and a Special \$1000 Cash Raffle. All tickets will be available for purchase at the Church Hall. Take out food is also available for purchase. Our basket auction will benefit: The Development Fund at St. John's.

BINGO FOR BIRTHRIGHT (JOHNSTOWN):

Support our pro life work in Johnstown by joining us **Saturday, May 4th at The Willow.** Doors open at 4:30, Dinner at 5 and games at 6PM. Admission includes dinner and 15 bingo cards, Additional cards available. Purses and Prizes - a Bingo Extravaganza with Birthright! Seating is limited. Price: \$50. Purchase tickets at www.birthrightofjohnstown.org or by calling 814-536-8231.

QUEEN OF PEACE (PATTON):

Spring Friend-Z on **Saturday, May 4th.** Turkey Dinner at 5:00 PM. Entertainment will be RPH (Bob & Patty): 6PM - 8PM and Stacy & The Rejects: 8PM - 11PM. Pull tabs, 50-50's & Lottery chances will be available. Must be 21 years old or older to attend. Beer & mixers included, or you can bring your own. **Admission: \$30.** Benefits the Friends of Patton Library. You may purchase your tickets at Patton Library or call 814-674-8231.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTER OF AMERICA:

The Catholic Daughters of America Court #722 Our Lady of Victory needs you!! We need you because God needs you! We both need you and YOU need CDA! CDA is a national Catholic organization dedicated to prayer, good works, and the helping of others less fortunate. You will make new and dear friends and have fun while enriching your life and others.

Regular meetings are held once a month. Please contact: Regent, Annette Fisanick. Phone Number 814-934-0381 or email at amfisanick@hotmail.com.

Come check out a meeting at the HAIDA Industrial building across from Miner's Hospital. First Thursday of the month. Come for Coffee 5:30 with meeting to follow @ 6:00 PM.

LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES

Good Samaritan: Northern Cambria.
(814) 948-6544. **2nd & 4th Thursday 10am-12pm**

St. Vincent de Paul at St. Bernard's: Hastings.
(814) 247-8569. **1st and 3rd Wednesday 11am-1pm**

JOB OPENINGS AT THE DIOCESE:

Next week we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Today, nearly 40% of dioceses in the United States and its territories are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities needs. Your support of this appeal helps them meet these faith formation and sacramental needs. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

ANGEL FUND 2024:

Consider giving a gift to a child now that will enrich their lives in the Summer of 2024 and beyond!! Camp Zacchaeus Grades 4-9. We are looking for people, groups, parishes or organizations to sponsor a child to attend **Camp Zacchaeus 2024** through the **Angel Fund**. We will accept full or partial sponsorships of any amount to help cover the cost of camp. If you are interested in sponsoring a child, or for more information, please contact Francine Swope at the Diocesan Youth Ministry Office (814) 317-2646, or mail your contribution directly to Camp Zacchaeus 2713 W. Chestnut Ave, Altoona, PA 16601.

DIOCESAN SUMMER CAMP OPPORTUNITY 2024:

Registrations for our diocesan summer camp, Camp Zacchaeus (Grades 4-9) and are now being accepted! Camp Z as it is fondly referred as, is an amazing week-long camping opportunity that offers participants an opportunity to learn more about their faith while enjoying the great outdoors. A week full of FAITH-FUN-FRIENDSHIP! Funds are available to help give campers the blessing of Camp Z! We do not want any child to miss camp because of financial concerns. Due to the generosity of many of the faithful in our diocese there are Angel Fund scholarships available to help offset the cost of camp for any family who is interested. We have been very blessed that we have never had to turn down any family that wanted to send their child to Camp Zacchaeus or Camp Timothy. Any family that would like to apply for a scholarship is encouraged to do so. **Camp Zacchaeus - Week 1- July 14-19th.** For more information or an application, contact Francine Swope in the Youth Ministry Office (814) 317-2646.

JOB OPENINGS AT THE DIOCESE:

The Diocese of Altoona- Johnstown has an opening for a full-time **Director of Faith & Family Ministries** to manage the execution of religious education, youth ministry, OCIA, Scouting and family life programs.

The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown also has an opening for full-time **Priest Care Coordinator** to serve as an advocate and care manager for resident priests of St. Leonard's Retirement Home while managing day-to-day operations.

To view a full listing of responsibilities and qualifications for these positions and to apply, please go to www.dioceseaj.org/employment. Resumes may also be sent to Lmcevoy@dioceseaj.org.

All you can eat Breakfast Fundraiser



Sunday April 28, 2024
9:00 – 12:30 (or sold out)
Parish Social Hall
Cost: Adults \$10
Children (age 5 – 12) \$5
Children under age 5 FREE

Please come and support your parish and enjoy good food and good company!

SUNDAY REFLECTION

On this fourth Sunday of Easter, we hear that Jesus is the Good Shepherd and we are His sheep. In Jesus' time, a shepherd was someone who protected and guided his sheep. Jesus does this for us and so much more. He is the Shepherd that lays down His life for His sheep. This message calls us to reflect inward - do we allow Jesus to shepherd our lives?

We are Christ's, even more than a child is to a parent. He created us, brought us forth into this world, and sustains our lives each day. Evil persists in our world so Jesus willingly laid down His life for us at Calvary so that we might be saved. He is our Shepherd, whether we remain in His flock or go astray. Whether we accept His care, protection, and guidance or not, He is our Good Shepherd.

Let us look inward this week and ask ourselves, 'who is my Shepherd?' and 'have I gone astray?' Name the areas in your life that you have neglected and ask Jesus to bring you home. Pray for His mercy, seek His forgiveness in the sacraments and begin again. Remember that we are His and He is ready for us to come home, as He says, "I know mine, and mine know me."

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