

# Mother's Day

Her children rise up and call her blessed  
Psalm 31:28



On this Mother's Day, as we celebrate the mothers in our lives, let's remember those women who may be facing a challenging pregnancy.

You can help them to be the mothers God meant for them to be.

- Spiritually adopt women facing unplanned pregnancies, and pray for an end to abortion.
- If you know a pregnant woman who needs help, encourage her to call 1-888 LIFE-AID.
  - Contact your local pregnancy center to donate needed items or to volunteer.
  - If you or someone you know is grieving the loss of a child to an abortion, contact Rachel's Vineyard, a post-abortion ministry for hope and healing, at [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org).
- Get involved in the pro-life movement by joining a chapter of the Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation. Learn more at [www.paprolife.org](http://www.paprolife.org) or email [lifelines@paprolife.org](mailto:lifelines@paprolife.org).

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MAY 12<sup>TH</sup>, 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



**7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL: JOHN 17: 11B-19**



### ALTER SERVERS

**Saturday, May 18th**

4 PM -

**Sunday, May 19th**

8 AM - Tyler McCreery

10:30 AM - Ben Shutty and Lillian Statler

### LECTORS

**Saturday, May 18th**

4 PM - Denny Previte

**Sunday, May 19th**

8 AM - Renee Allen

10:30 AM - Jennifer Work

### MASS INTENTIONS

**May 2024:**

**Saturday, 11th:**

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

**Sunday, 12th:**

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

10:30am (Church) † Rose Ann Buterbaugh,  
By: Buterbaugh Family

**Monday, 13th:**

8:00am † John Wojno,  
By: Pauline McGinnis & Barbara DeVaney

**Tuesday, 14th: No Mass**

**Wednesday, 15th:**

8:00am † Paula Yeckley, By: Godson Derek Waksmunski

**Thursday, 16th:**

8:00am † Nick Drotar, By: Eric Drotar

**Friday, 17th:**

8:00am † Blessing of the Stanek Family,  
By: Leo & Holly Stanek

**Saturday, 18th:**

4:00pm (Church) † Richard Baker, By: Wife Anna & Family

**Sunday, 19th:**

8:00am (Chapel) † Wilbert Keilman & Mary (John) Suwinski,  
By: Levonne Keilman

10:30am (Church) † Living & Deceased Members of Prince of  
Peace Parish, By: Fr. Mark

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

### MEMORIAL CANDLES: MAY 19TH

**Sanctuary Candles in Loving Memory of . . .**

Church: Chole Zatorsky, By: Mimi & Aunt Jessica

Chapel: Wilbert Keilman & Mary (John) Suwinski,  
By: Levonne Keilman

**Pieta Candle in Honor of . . .**

Church: Andy & Rose Ondecko, By: Family



### WEEKLY GIVING: SUNDAY, MAY 5TH

**Weekly:** Envelopes: \$3,429.00 - Online: \$115.00;  
**Monthly:** Envelopes: \$1,651.00 - Online: \$210.00;  
**Candles:** \$62.00;  
**Ascension:** \$118.00; **Catholic Communication:** \$17.00;  
**Catholic Home Missions:** \$20.00; **Cemetery:** \$89.00;  
**Father's Day:** \$103.00; **Loose Cash:** \$221.00;  
**Maintenance:** \$57.00; **Mother's Day:** \$55.00;  
**Seminarian:** \$20.00; **St. Vincent DePaul:** \$20.00...  
**Total \$6,187.00**

## WEEKLY NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**BEAT THE HEAT, CANCEL THE COLD**  
**WE REMEMBER IN A SPECIAL WAY IN OUR PRAYERS:**

*Blair & June Govel*

### PRINCE OF PEACE NEWS

#### ADORATION AND STATIONS

On **Thursday, May 16th** the CD of A will lead the Rosary during Adoration which will begin at **6:00 PM**. Please join us for this time with our Lord and praying the rosary.

#### PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office will be closed on **Monday, May 20th and Wednesday, May 22nd**. The office will be open on **Friday, May 24th from 9 AM until 12 PM**.

### SUNDAY REFLECTION

As we celebrate Christ's ascension into Heaven, we recall that He is not of this world and we were not made for this world. We were made for eternal life. Our readings today remind us that we are called to be set apart as disciples of Christ.

In our Gospel, Jesus makes it clear that as Christian disciples, we do not belong to the world. He prays to God the Father, "I gave them your world, and the world hated them, because they do not belong to the world any more than I belong to the world." We must stop and ask ourselves, "who do we belong to?" The answer is that we belong to our Loving and Gracious God. But do we act like we belong to God? How we spend our time, what we do with our talents and how we spend our treasures are a good reflection of who or what we belong to.

Jesus' ascension is a good reminder for us that we, too, are called to heaven. Let us strive to love our lives as a reflection of this goal in mind. And let us pray for the grace to understand just a fraction of God's Perfect Love for us and for the grace to express our love in return.

### AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OUR LADY OF THE ALLEGHENIES PARISH (LILLY):**  
**Parish Festival** - Our Lady of the Alleghenies Parish in Lilly will hold a Parish Festival on **Sunday, July 21, 2024 from 11:00 AM to 7:00 PM**. Food, including a Spaghetti Dinner, games, crafts, beer, kid's games, bouncy house, and much more will be offered. All are welcome!

### AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

#### **QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH (PATTON):**

**Pentecost Vespers - Sunday, May 19th at 4 PM**, Queen of Peace Church. Exposition, Sung Vespers, and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament; a fitting way to close the Easter Season and to celebrate the Birthday of the Church. Please mark your calendar and join us for the Church's Evening Prayer. All are welcome!

#### **IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHAPEL (LORETTO):**

**Fatima Devotions:** The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R., from Loretto, invite you to participate with them in celebrating the Fatima Devotions on **Monday, May 13th, 2024 at 6:30 PM** at the Immaculate Conception Chapel on the campus of St. Francis University. The presider will be Fr. David Dodd, T.O.R. We are looking forward to seeing you.

#### **HOLY NAME PARISH (EBENSBURG):**

Holy Name Parish is sponsoring its 63rd Annual Festival on **May 31, June 1st, and June 2nd** featuring a Fish Dinner (Fried or Baked) on Friday, May 31st from 4:00 to 7:00 PM, (Adults \$15.00, children under 12 \$7.00) and a turkey Dinner on Sunday, June 2nd from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM (Adults \$15.00, Children under 12 \$7.00). Refreshments, musical entertainment, family fun, & games, baked goods, kiddie corner, giant flea market, basket raffle with over 100 baskets and more!

#### **GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH (PORT MATILDA):**

Father Jozef and Deacon Jack invite you to join us on our Journeys of St. Paul in Greece Pilgrimage on **May 12-19, 2025**. If you are interested, please sign up on the Good Shepherd Website for further information. [www.goodshepherd-sc.org](http://www.goodshepherd-sc.org) or contact Deacon Jack at [lorlando@dioceseaj.org](mailto:lorlando@dioceseaj.org).

#### **BASILICA OF SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH (LORETTO):**

On behalf of the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel Parish Family in Loretto, all the faithful of the Altoona-Johnstown Diocese are invited to outdoor Masses every Sunday evening at 7 PM at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies beginning on Sunday, May 26 and concluding on Sunday, September 1. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be celebrated in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

#### **Special Masses this Summer:**

**June 9: The Eucharistic Revival Celebration**


**July 21: The Mass for Married Couples**

**TBA: "Welcome to the Heralds of the Good News"**

**Priests from India**

**August 4: Mass for Young People - Return to College, Work, Military**

The historic **Prince Gallitzin Chapel House**, next to the Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine, will be open on the following Sunday afternoons from **3:00 - 6:00 PM** for self-guided tours, pilgrimages and visits: **June 9, 16 and 30, July 21, August 4 and 18**.



### 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, Theresa Bauer, \*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 Lutch, 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	SSGT Brittany McConnell
SGT Thomas Bowser	ARMY SPEC Bryan Nealen
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