For more information or to request an application, please contact the Parish Office during business hours.

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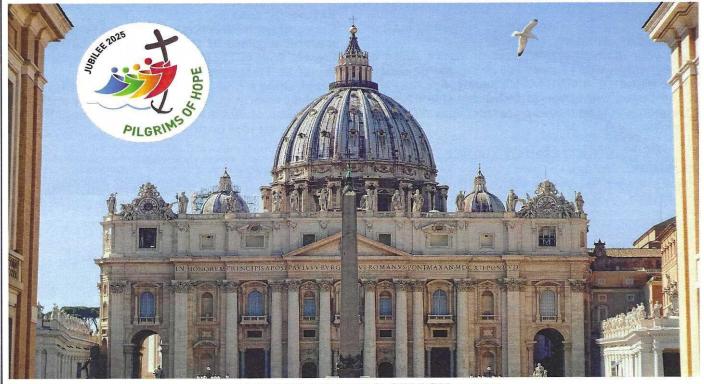
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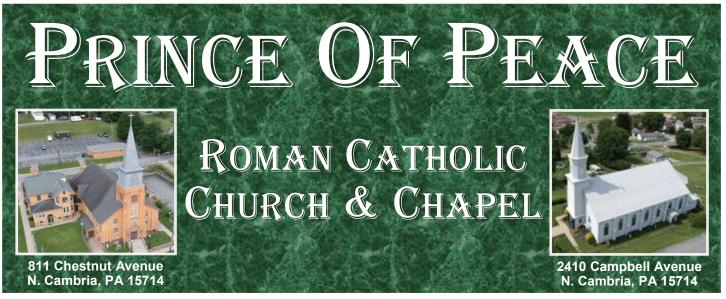
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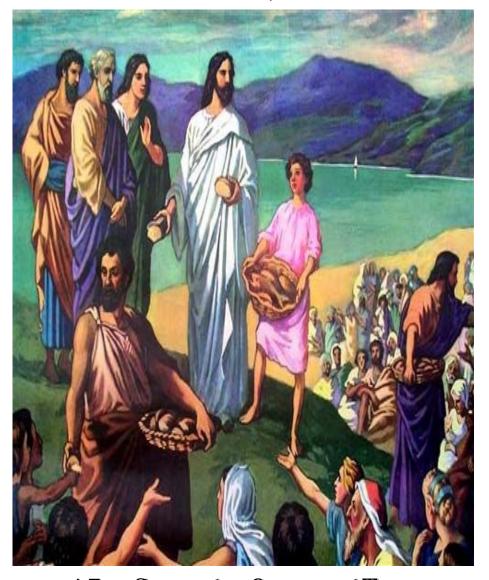
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JULY 28TH, 2024



17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL: JOHN 6:1-15

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> Office Hours: 9:00am-2:00pm Monday-Thursday

(Closed Fridays, National Holidays and Holy Days of Obligation)

> (814) 948-6842 www.popnc.net Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:00pm (Church) Sunday: 8:00am (Chapel) Sunday: 10:30am (Church)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:00am (Church)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

Confessions

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

ALTER SERVERS

Saturday, August 3rd

4 PM -

Sunday, August 4th

8 AM - Tyler McCreery

10:30 AM - Ben Shutty and Lillian Statler

LECTORS

Saturday, August 3rd

4 PM - Denny Previte

Sunday, August 4th

8 AM - David Kudlawiec 10:30 AM - John Weiland III



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, *Judy Hilliard, John Hornick, *Patty Kopas, Peter Korch (Grandson), Julia Kuzzia, Judy LeGars, *John Lee, *William Lee, Bonnie Messina, Jim Montanaro, Brenda Nagle, Kylie Nelson, *Judy Noel, Roberta Pastirko-Bechel, Lou Riva, Robin Pike, Ken Pompa, 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

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MASS INTENTIONS

July 2024:

Saturday, 27th:

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

Sunday, 28th

8:00am (Chapel) † Urban & Evelyn Lantzy, By: Family

10:30am (Church) † Peter & Beluah Bernard, By: Family

Monday, 29th: No Mass Tuesday, 30th: No Mass

Wednesday, 31st: No Mass

August 2024:

Thursday, 1st: No Mass

Friday, 2nd: No Mass

Saturday, 3rd:

4:00pm (Church) † Don & Theresa Bernard,

By: Don Bernard & Diane McMullen

Sunday, 4th:

8:00am (Chapel) † Living & Deceased Members of Prince of

Peace Parish, By: Fr. Mark

10:30am (Church) † Mary Lou Elias, By: Diane & Larry Waksmunski Family

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

MEMORIAL CANDLES: AUGUST 4TH

Sanctuary Candles in Loving Memory of . . .

Church: Mary Lou Elias, By: Diane & Larry Waksmunski Family

Chapel: Parishioners, By: Fr. Mark

Pieta Candle in Honor of . . .

Church: Special Intention, By: Julianna Frontino



WEEKLY GIVING: SUNDAY, JULY 21ST

Weekly: Envelopes: \$3,029.00 - Online: \$93.00;

Monthly: Envelopes: \$425.00;

Candles: \$50.00;

Assumption: \$15.00; Cemetery: \$20.00; Loose Cash: \$129.00; Maintenance: \$20.00; Peter's Pence: \$10.00; Seminarian: \$201.00;

St. Vincent DePaul: \$15.00...

Total \$4,007.00

WEEKLY NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BEAT THE HEAT, CANCEL THE COLD

WE REMEMBER IN A SPECIAL WAY IN OUR PRAYERS:

Frances Dolney Blair & June Govel

PRINCE OF PEACE NEWS

NOTICE TO PARISHIONERS

Fr. Mark will be on retreat from July 28 (after the Masses) until August 3. If you have urgent sacramental needs, such as anointing the sick, please call the office and Marissa will assist you with your need. Please note the office will close at 12:00 (noon) on Wednesday July 31.

Thank You!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Just a reminder that registration for Religious Education for the 24-25 Academic Year will begin on August 1st. The last day to register will be August 30th. Forms will be available in the back of the Church and Chapel and may be picked up after Mass. Forms will not be mailed or on the website. Any registration received after this date will incur an increased registration fee. The parish does NOT set the registration fees. We receive a bulk registration rate, and any individual registration (after the deadline) is at a higher individual registration rate. The parish does NOT assess a late fee. Please get your registrations completed and in on time.

As has been the case for the previous year, classes will be twice a month beginning on October 7th. As in the past, parents are asked to attend the first class with their children. An information packet will be provided at that time which will include a tentative schedule for the year. Please note changes to the schedule may be necessary and we ask for your understanding and cooperation.

Please remember that part of your promise and obligation as parents is bringing up your children in the faith. That entails more than just sending them to religious education. It means bringing them to Mass each Sunday. For those who have children in sacramental years (First Holy Communion and Confirmation) your children cannot receive a sacrament while they are not in a state of grace (being in a state of mortal sin occurs when each time we miss Mass). Please do not break the covenant you made with God twice (once at your wedding and again at their baptism) and bring your children to Mass.

MEMBERSHIP & REGISTRATION

Every family must be properly registered. New parishioners should register at the rectory as soon as possible. This is a condition for admission to our sacramental preparation program and for reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, First Penance, First Eucharist and Matrimony.

DIOCESE NEWS

Is God Calling You to Become a Deacon?

Do you believe that God might be calling you to discern the Ordained Ministry of Christ the Servant, as a Permanent Deacon in the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown? If so, you and your wife (if married) are invited to join Bishop Mark and Deacon Michael Russo at the "Bishop's Night of Vocations" on Wednesday, October 2nd at 7 p.m. at the US Hotel Tavern, Hollidaysburg. Reservations for this event are required and can be made by contacting Jessica at (814) 361-2000. The deadline for reservations is Sept. 2. For more information on the Permanent Diaconate please visit us online at www.dioceseaj.org/Diaconate or by contacting Deacon Michael Russo, Director at (814) 288-3036. All are welcome!

JOIN US FOR OUR CLASS:

The following classes will be a **ZOOM CLASS** and will be open to all!

- New Testament taught by Fr. Brian Norris, Wednesdays (exception of 2 Monday classes) from 6:30-9:00PM (8 weeks) beginning August 7. The cost of this class is \$35.00 and can be turned in with the Registration Form. Two books are required for this class and the titles can be found on the registration form and both books can be purchased on Amazon. Deadline to register is August 1st.
- Wisdom Literature and Psalms taught by Deacon Michael Russo via ZOOM. Thursdays from 6:00 pM-8:30 PM (Running for 6 weeks) and one Wednesday class beginning August 22, 2024.

Join Us For The First of Our Fall Classes

The following class will be an **In-Person** and will be open to all!

• Heart of Faith: Foundation of Catholicism taught by Fr. Timothy Harris, TOP at St. John Vianney in Johnstown. Tuesdays from 6:30-9:00PM)running for 6 weeks) beginning August 20. The cost for this class is \$35.00 and must be turned in with the Registration Form. One book is also required for this class, the name on the book can be found on the registration form and can be purchased on Amazon. The deadline to register is August 1.

JOIN US FOR OUR CLASS:

The following class will be an **In-Person** and will be open to all!

 Ecclesiology taught by Father Brian Saylor at St. Rose of Lima, Altoona. Tuesdays from 6:30 pM-9:00 PM (Running for 6 weeks) beginning August 13, 2024

To register for these classes please visit <u>www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry</u>, see your Parish Secretary for a Registration form or contact Jessica, *Office of Adult Enrichment and Lay Ecclesial Ministry* at (814) 361-2000. **All are welcome!**