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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday..... 8:00 a.m.

Sunday..... 10:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m.

Friday Communion Service... 8:00 a.m.

1st Friday Mass.....8:00 a.m.

Holydays of Obligation - as listed in Bulletin

RECITATION OF THE ROSARY:

One half hour before Masses.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 3:00 p.m. or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Contact Father Jonathan Reardon to discuss preparation.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Arrangements should be made at least eight months in advance by calling Father Jonathan Reardon to discuss preparation.

HOUSE CALLS:

Please notify the parish office if you or a loved one is unable to attend Mass and would like to receive the Sacraments.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

New parishioners are warmly welcomed to the parish community and invited to register at the parish office. Current parishioners are asked to contact the parish office when moving or getting married so that records can be updated.

BULLETIN:

Entries for the Bulletin should be submitted by 3:00 p.m. Friday of the week preceding publication for approval.

Sept 15, 2018

- Saturday, Sept 15** 4:00 p.m. Our Lady of Sorrows
+Lillian LaMountain
From: Debbie & Ed Giles & Alfred LaMountain
- Sunday, Sept 16**
8:00 a.m. Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
+Edward Jordan
From: JoAnne Finck & Family
10:30 a.m. +Evelyn Boron
From: Al, Susan, Brian & Family
- Monday, Sept 17**
8:00 a.m. Weekday
St. Robert Bellamine, Bishop & Dr. of the Church
+John E. Kotasenski, Sr., 11th Anniversary
From: His Daughter
- Tuesday, Sept 18** 8:00 a.m. Weekday
+Barbara Perchak
From: Betty
- Wednesday, Sept 19** 8:00 a.m. Weekday
St. Januarius, Bishop & Martyr
For Special Intentions
From: Frank & Terri Sherburne
- Thursday, Sept 20** 8:00 a.m. Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, & Paul Chong Ha-sang, & Companions, Martyrs.
Intentions for Delphine Laufenberg, for her birthday
From: Her, Husband
- Friday, Sept 21** 8:00 a.m. St. Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist
Communion Service
- Saturday, Sept 22** 4:00 p.m. Weekday
+Jeanette Coderre
From: Coderre Family
- Sunday, Sept 23**
8:00 a.m. Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
+Lucy & Walter Sadowski
From: Don, Jane & Family
10:30 a.m. Intentions for Fr. Jon's 10th Anniversary or Ordination to the Priesthood
From: SummerFest Committee



Pray Week of Sept 16 for Priests & Deacons Franklin County Deanery
Sept 16- Clergy who are sick ; Sept 17-Deacon Rabbitt; Sept 18-Deacon Culliton;-Sept 19 -Deacon Ratte; Sept 20-Fr. O'Connor; Sept 21- Deacon DeCarlo; Sept. 22-Fr. Roux

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION FOR SEPTEMBER:

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.



Rita, Jessie	Bill Benoni
Luke Gorey	Marcia Colon
Dianne Bartos Dobratz	Arnold Miller
Tom Scanon	Donald Thorpe
Sandra Samuel	Fr. Francis Reilly
Victor Wolejko	Barbara Orloski
Christine Flannery	William Chmura
Rod Schroeder	
Richard Gilbert	

Names will be published in our bulletin for one month. If you would like to renew your Prayer Request after one month or add a request, please call Sue in the Parish office

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CAPITAL FUND AND RENOVIATION FUND IN MEMORY OF:

Martha (Stokarski) Podlenski
Fran York



Readings for the Week of September 16, 2018

Sunday: Is 50:5-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35
Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [1 Cor 11:26b]/Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [3]/Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31--13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22 [12]/Lk 7:31-35
Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28 [1]/Lk 7:36-50
Friday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14 [14]/Lk 8:4-15
Next Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/Jas 3:16--4:3/Mk 9:30-37

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS



I must confess. I have not always prayed for someone if I told him or her I would. I have fallen victim to making the phrase, "You are in my prayers," a sentence void of real emotion or intent. It is like asking the question, "How are you?" Do I always want to know how you are at the time? Then follows the most common responses of "fine" or "good." I could have had the worst day, but I still utter a response that does not reflect my true state. Many of us say things to be nice without really thinking about it. At least, I hope I am not the only one.

The truth is that words are meaningless without action. We sometimes make ourselves and others feel better by saying we will do things only to provide no action at all. Offering best wishes to those in real need without any action is worth little. Even if we think we are sincere, true faith without works is dead.

Good stewardship requires us to say what we mean and mean what we say. Stewardship is a way of living. It does ask for sentiments of love. It asks for profound actions of love. We need to offer our gifts, talents, time, and prayers to one another and then follow through. This means we need to be more mindful of what we are saying, more committed to following through, and more accountable for our actions if we fail. If we practice this way of living, not only will we be able to say we are doing the right thing, but our integrity will be intact and we will bear witness to the transforming power of Jesus Christ.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Financial Report for September 1 & 2, 2018

Total	\$3,402.00
RENOVATION:	\$ 0
CAPITAL DRIVE:	\$ 943.73

Financial Report for September 8 & 9, 2018

Total	\$4,192.00
RENOVATION:	\$ 0
CAPITAL DRIVE:	\$ 1,188.33

TAKE & EAT UPDATE

Thank you to Barbra Banik and Sharon Kieras for the donation of a freezer and food to the Take & Eat Ministry.

~Deacon Rod

BEREAVEMENT & LOSS SUPPORT GROUP

The Bereavement & Loss Support Group will continue to meet monthly. Our next meeting will be on **Tuesday, Sept 25th at 7:00pm in the parish hall.** Our future meetings will be listed in our parish bulletin. Please feel free to attend any meeting. Thank you for your prayers and continued support.

~Deacon Rod



Our Lady of the Cross - Holiday Tag & Craft Sale
In the parish hall across from church on Holy Cross Ave., Holyoke (off Dwight St.)
Sept 29 - 9-3pm; Sept 30 9-1pm

Lots of wonderful Christmas, Halloween & holiday items! Many vintage and new items and so much more!

If anyone would like to set up their own table outside on our front lawn to sell items, the cost is \$25. Please call the parish office at 413-532-5661.

First Congregational Church of Sunderland

Saturday, Sept. 15th 5:30pm

Menu: Appetizer, Chicken Pot Pie, Squash, Mashed Potatoes, Coleslaw, Cranberry Sauce, Dessert and Beverage.

Adults: \$12.00 Children under 8: \$4.00



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish - Bereavement Group

Will offer bereavement support for anyone who has experienced the death of a loved one. Our focus is to help one become aware of the phases of grief and to accept the pain as a means to wholeness, and to allow self to face the truth. Grieving persons frequently experience the absence of many life-giving emotions; perhaps they experience fear and depression. There is also a feeling that happiness is beyond their reach. This series will focus on these difficulties and also on methods of building a bridge that leads to seeds of life that will in time once again blossom into various reasons for living. Meetings are held at 423 Florence Rd., Florence each Wed. 6-8pm. Call Georgina Moroney, Moderator at 413-210-9339 for further information or to register. Meeting dates are: Sept. 12, 19, 26; Oct. 3, 10, 24, 31; Nov. 7.

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



There are **MANY** dates available for **Masses, Altar Candles, Altar Breads, Altar Wine and the Sanctuary Light** in memory of loved ones or for a special intention. Please contact the parish office for available dates.

Altar Candles - Month of September
+John C. Rogers
From: Wife & Family

7 Day Vigil Lights - 9/9-9/29/2018
For the recovery of Bill Chmura
From: Brother-in-Law, Joe



Masses Available

There are **many** Mass Intentions available for the months of **September, October & November.** Have you ever thought of having a Mass said for someone's intention? How about a deceased loved one? Come to the office to book a Mass during office hours.



NEW ENGLAND HEALTH CARE CENTER

Sept 23	Richard C.	Cindy C.
Sept.30	Simonne C.	Laura S.
Oct. 7	Sondra C.	Rick R.



From today's 2nd Reading, James 2: " **...and I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works..**"
 Demonstrations, picketing, shouting, etc. does not change hearts - your service does.



"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself."
 Do you want to bring others to life in Christ as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Contact Fr. Matthew Alcombright or Fr. Michael Wood at (413)452-0811 or email: vocations@diospringfield.org
 Website: www.myvocation.com

Eucharistic Ministers

Sept 22 & 23

4:00 p.m.	Kathy W.- L	Connie S. -R	Evelyn K. -C
8:00 a.m.	Rick R.- L	Chrissy G.- R	Michelle B.- C
10:30 a.m.	Jessica S.- L	Deacon Rod -R	Frank K. -C

Sept 29 & 30

4:00 p.m.	Don S.. -L	Deacon Rod - R	Linda P. -C
8:00 a.m.	Erich B.-L	Deacon Rod.- R	Marie D.-C
10:30 a.m.	Paul P.- L	Deacon Rod.- R	Patty P.-C

Oct. 6 & 7

4:00 p.m.	Sandy C.- L	Deacon Rod - R	Mitch W. -C
8:00 a.m.	Lianne M.-L	Deacon Rod - R	Rich S.-C
10:30 a.m.	John Cycz.- L	Ed B.- R	Mary Ellen S.-C

Lectors

Sept 22 & 23

4:00pm	Simonne C.
8:00am	Beatrice B.
10:30am	Marie D.

Sept 29 & 30

4:00pm	John Cderre
8:00am	Isabelle Brown.
10:30am	Ed Bajgier

Oct. 6 & 7

4:00pm	Lewis T.
8:00am	Jackie S.
10:30am	Diane G.

Altar Servers

Sep 22 & 23

4:00 p.m.	Linda Patton	John Coderre
8:00 a.m.	Isabelle Brown	Erich Brown
10:30 a.m.	Kit Fleuriel	AJ & Ben Desmond

Sept 29 & 30

4:00 p.m.	Oliver Sackrey	Ben Sackrey
8:00 a.m.	Amelia Sobieski	Summer Sobieski
10:30 a.m.	Samantha Baker	Dan Diemand

Oct. 6 & 7

4:00 p.m.	John Coderre	Peggy Doyle
8:00 a.m.	Mike Currie	Beatrice Brynda
10:30 a.m.	Kit Fleuriel	

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



Dear Friends,

We are roughly 6 weeks away from being completely finished in the church! The painting of the church - sacristy, confessional, entryways, walls, trim and ceiling are nearly complete. The pews have been cleaned, sanded and are all prepped for stain. Once the painting is complete, the crew will be moving on to the floors. The floor under the pews, the main body of the church and the sanctuary are all being restored. You may have seen the old rust-colored carpet in the large dumpster. What will the new floor be? What are the colors? I know that this suspense is probably a little trying on your patience! Please know that I am not keeping you all in the dark just to be mean! Ha ha! I think that a little surprise will make the reopening of the church that much more special. There are also insurance and liability issues with folks just walking in and scoping things out for themselves. This is why I have been posting pictures on the wall in the back of the parish hall. You may follow the progress there. You have all been very respectful of my directives here and I want to thank you for that!

I have said this before, that this is a very exciting time in the history of the parish. We could not have done any of the repairs and restorations without your generosity. You folks are the ones who made it happen. I am deeply grateful for that and I consider myself to be very blessed to be your pastor. So, please continue to be patient while the church is still closed... we are almost there!

God Bless!

Fr. Reardon

Thank You!

ST. ANNE'S SODALITY

Our first meeting of the year (2018-2019) will be **Monday, September 17th at 6:30pm in the parish hall classroom at 6:30pm**. A trivia game will be after the meeting. New members are welcome to join the Sodality. Refreshment hostesses are Barbara Comstock, Cynthia Magelinski, Robin Foley and Louise Bartos

THE CHURCH IN CRISIS: A FORUM WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 26TH IN PARISH HALL

Please join us for a discussion on the current sexual abuse crisis in the Church. This forum will provide an opportunity for parishioners to express thoughts and concerns on this important moment for the church. Possible topics are effects on victims, justice for victims, cover up by Church leaders, actions taken by the Church to date, and future directions for the Church in eliminating the root of the problem.



Religious Education will begin Sept. 23 for grades 1-8 and Oct 21 for grades 9-10. Registration will be on Sept 15-16 after Masses in the hall. Please try to register your child(ren) before the 1st class. Cost for the program \$35/child, \$30/child for three or more children. New confirmation students are \$50.00.

PARISH CRAFT FAIR - SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2018

Time to start thinking about our Parish Craft Fair!

Remember our beautiful theme baskets.

Soon we will have sign up sheets for items needed to fill the many baskets. If you find a great sale...think ideas such a "Pamper Mom", "Tee Time for the Golfer", "Grillers Delight", "Baby Love - Boy and Girl", "Movie Night at Home", "Italian Dinner Night", "Gardners", "Dogs and Cats", "Arts and Crafts", "Sports", "Baking" etc, etc, etc!

More news to follow!

Home-made items for
the Parish table!



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