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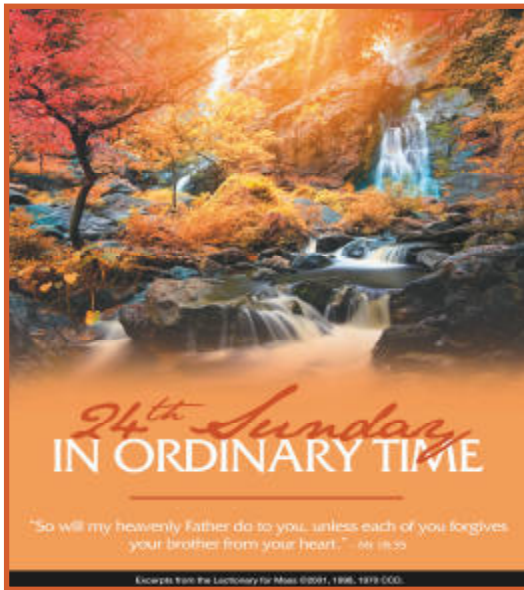
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"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28: 19)

"This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another" John 13: 35)

Taking to heart Jesus' commission to make disciples of all people and his command to love God and one another as he has loved us, the parish mission is simply to be and make disciples by loving God and one another. Each person, no matter his or her state or status in life, no matter his or her internal and external level of communion with the Church, no matter his or her ethnic background, age, gender and education, always and everywhere fulfills the parish mission when living as a witness to the Gospel by loving others as Jesus loved us.



Rev. Fr. Anthony J. Generose, Pastor
Rev. Fr. Neftali Feliz Sena, Assistant Pastor
Deacon Robert A. Roman, Pastoral Assistant
Sande Bonomo, Administrative Assistant
Mary Angela Schell, CCD Coordinator
Tony Pawlica, Maintenance

Office Hours:

Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., & Fri. 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM

Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:30 PM

Sunday Mass: 8:00 AM

Holy Day Masses Vigil: 7:00 PM

Holy Day: 12:05 PM

Daily Masses: Monday thru Friday 12:05 P.M.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM (Anytime by appointment)

Joint Parish Grade School - Holy Family Academy: Principal Mr. Jason Tribbet, 455-9431

Bulletin Deadline: Announcements for the parish bulletin must be submitted to the office by 2:00 PM Friday, eight days prior to the desired bulletin.

Religious Education: Religious education is offered for those in Public, Parochial and Private Schools grades 1 through 12 on Sunday mornings during the school year from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM at the HIP Center (Former MPB School) on 4th and Seybert Streets. Religious education opportunities for adults are offered periodically.

Baptism: Baptism is regularly celebrated 11:30 AM on Sunday morning. Parents are to call the rectory for a date.

Marriage: Couples contemplating marriage should make arrangements with the Pastor at least one year before the date on which they intend to marry. This should be done before any other arrangements are made so that a couple may be suitably served by the parish and diocese.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: Please call the Rectory whenever anyone is seriously sick and wishes to receive the Sacrament of the Sick. The homebound may call the Rectory to arrange for the Holy Communion to be brought to them.

Notice Regarding Child Sexual Abuse: It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual wellbeing. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacusko at (570-862-7551);

September 12, 2021

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

GIVE PEACE, O LORD, TO THOSE WHO WAIT FOR YOU, THAT YOUR PROPHETS BE FOUND TRUE. HEAR THE PRAYERS OF YOUR SERVANT, AND OF YOUR PEOPLE ISRAEL.

**PLEASE NOTE MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 12TH.
NO 12:05 PM MASS ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH. OR
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH.**

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM

Mass intentions for the week September 12TH.

Mon.	10:00 A.M.	Marlene Cusatis	Lea Furgio & Lena Cusat
Tues.	12:05 P.M.	Susan Porreca	Cathy Wagner
Weds.	12:05 P.M.	Patricia Hunsinger	The Gross Family
Thurs.	12:05 P.M.	NO MASS	
Fri.	12:05 P.M.	NO MASS	
Sat.	5:30 P.M.	Michael & Ruth Romancheck	Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Romancheck & Family
Sun.	8:00 A.M.	David Billet	The Family

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PRAYERS – Please pray for the **sick and the deceased of the Parish.**

“ NEVER FORGET ” SEPTEMBER 11, 2001-2021

Powerful God, our refuge and our strength, we turn to you for peace and security as we recall the 9/11 attack. We thank you for the bravery and the sacrifice of those who saved lives as firefighters, rescue crews, or people aboard United 93.

Comfort and strengthen the family and friends of those who died. Give healing and patience to the survivors of the attacks who are living with continued physical or psychological pain.

May those who survived feel gratitude, not guilt. Assure each person whose life changed forever of your protection and strength. Dispel the nightmares; silence the anxiety. May we

learn to depend on the security you offer. We pray for your peace as we remember the terrorism attacks of 9/11. May our

suffering from these attacks awaken in us an awareness of the pain and fear that so many around the world live with

each day. May we know how to pray for those who struggle against oppression and injustice. As we hear of terrorist

activity around the world, quiet our fears. Heal the wounded of these attacks, and help their families and friends rest in

your security. Guide the choices of our world leaders. Give them wisdom and discernment not only as they work to

resolve the lasting effects of the 9/11 attacks but also as they try to alleviate terror of all sorts-from genocide to hunger,

from drought to bombings. May their actions bring your peace to all the people of the world. Gracious God, our world changed with the 9/11 attacks. We

have seen how easily buildings can fall and how quickly lives can end. As we remember 9/11, may it remind us that you are our only true security. Give us your strength to face the

memory of this attack and the changes it made in our lives. Give us your compassion to help each other and recognize need around the world. Give us your hope as we face an

uncertain future. Give us your peace.

In the strong name of Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit, Amen.



Prayer to Begin a New School Year

*Blessed are you, Lord God,
Creator of body and mind and heart;
you have sent the Spirit of wisdom and knowledge
to guide your people in all their ways.
At the beginning of this new school year
we implore your mercy:
bless the students, teachers, and staff of our
Catholic Schools and religious education programs,
that together we may grow in faith, hope, and love
as we learn from you and each other
how to follow your Son Jesus.
Expand the horizons of our minds,
that we may grow in wisdom,
understanding, and knowledge;
deepen our commitment to seek the truth of your
ways;
and enliven our faith to reach out to those in need.
Glory and praise to you, Lord God,
in the Church and in Christ Jesus forever and ever.
Amen.*



WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT– Anthony Carrato and Jenna Gultieri will be united in Marriage on Saturday, October 2, 2021. Please keep them in your prayers.

BREAKFAST CLUB- Queen of Heaven Parish Breakfast Club, will meet Monday, September 13th at 8:30 AM. at Perkins. Following breakfast and prayer, open discussion about the faith will be held. All parishioners and friends of the parish are welcome to attend.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION NIGHT

Eucharistic Adoration, will be held Thursday, September 16 at 7:00 p.m. at Queen of Heaven Parish, 750 North Vine Street, Hazleton. The event, sponsored by the Diocesan Offices for Parish Life and Vocations, will include music, a reflection, the opportunity for the sacrament of Reconciliation, and a social. All are welcome to attend! For more information, call 570-207-1452.



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