



SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH

A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg



200 Leger Road, North Huntingdon, Pa 15642
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Parish Website: www.seasnh.org
Office Hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 9:00 am-1:00 pm
Closed on Wednesday

"A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust"

APRIL 24, 2022

| 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER—DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

WELCOME: New parishioners are most welcome! Please contact the parish office to register.

MASS TIMES

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday - 8:30 a.m.

No Mass on Wednesday

1st Saturday (Healing Mass) - 8:30 a.m.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

SACRAMENTS

Confession - Saturday 11:00 a.m. or by appointment

Baptism - To arrange your child's Baptism & Preparation, contact Jen Wilson to schedule.

Weddings - Saturdays at 1:30 pm or earlier. The engaged couple should contact the office at least 6 months in advance to schedule.

Ministry to the Homebound—To arrange Eucharist for the homebound OR to volunteer as a Eucharistic Minister for the homebound, contact Julie at the parish office.

Prayer—The church is open daily 8am-4pm for private prayer.

Emergency Anointing of the sick: Call 866-455-0224



2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." - Jn 20:28-29

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 23, 2022

4:00 pm +Margaret Gergely (son & daughters)

Sunday, April 24, 2022

8:30 am +Brendan McGowan (Gene, Chris, & Kate Komondor)

11:30 am +Raymond J. Machek (wife, Shirley & sons)

Monday, April 25, 2022

8:30 am +Mary S. Ronallo (husband, Bo Ronallo)

Tuesday, April 26, 2022

8:30 am +Grace Bindas (SEAS Parish family)

Thursday, April 28, 2022

8:30 am + For the Parish family

Friday, April 29, 2022

8:30 am +Rose Turczyn (The Sedlock family)

Saturday, April 30, 2022

4:00 pm +Deceased Members of the Simak family (Mike & Lois Barkac)

Sunday, May 1, 2022

8:30 am +Carol M. Kolano (Gene Kolano & family)

11:30 am +Anthony & Mary Boehm and Stanley & Antoinette Misialek (Theresa Boehm)

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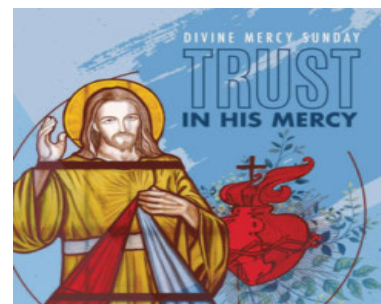
April 30/May 1st (Does not reflect recent changes)

Sat, April 30

Greeter: H. Bongartz **Altar Server:** N. Kelly, E. Guyer **EM:** J. Barkac, M. Fazio, R. Martin **Lector 1:** C. Becker **Lector 2:** K. Lindow **Cantor:** J. Perozich **Usher:** D. Campbell, J. Gergely, E. Wojciak

Sun, May 1

8:30 am Mass— Greeter: P. Yablonsky **Altar Server:** A. Gillespie, E. Slavin **EM:** J. Butler, G. Butler, C. Komondor **Lector 1:** B. Unnone **Lector 2:** P. Yablonsky **Cantor:** J. Gillespie **Usher:** R. Sabol, M. Unnone, P. Yablonsky, L. Veitz
11:30 am Mass —Greeter: S. Kovac, R. Denicola **Altar Server:** B. Hoffman, Z. Hoffman **EM:** A. Denicola, A. Santavicca, M. Wilson **Lector 1:** D. Bayless **Lector 2:** J. Henry **Cantor:** K. Gillespie **Usher:** D. Kovac, J. Montore, R. Henry, R. Hoffman



STEWARDSHIP

April 10, 2022

Regular Offertory \$7,406.50

Loose Collection \$781.00

Online Giving (OSV) \$2,650.00

Thank you for your generosity and support!

SIGN UP FOR ONLINE GIVING

Our Sunday Visitor Online giving is easy & convenient
Website Here: <https://www.osvhub.com/stelizabeth-ann-seton-church/select>

PRAYER REQUESTS

Home with the Lord

Please pray for all of our faithful departed, especially for Mary Frances Legin, mother of Chris (Gene) Komondor, and for Ted Czekaj. May their souls, and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace. Amen.

Have A Prayer Request Or Need A Pastoral Visit?

Contact the Parish Office 724-864-6364



Pastor Notes

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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH – 2:00 PM

Easter Joy continues next week when we hear in the Gospel, of Jesus' great act of Mercy when He reunites Thomas (the doubter) back into the fold of Faith, Hope, and Love! Caravaggio's painting of Thomas the "Believer" reminds us that Mercy flows from the cross through the resurrection.



Jesus' death was too overwhelming for Thomas who chose to separate himself from Christ, Truth and the other disciples. But the power of Jesus' love allows him to fulfill his need to examine His wounds so that he could stop his disbelief and begin to believe again in the promise of Christ's mission and promise of the New Kingdom.

So often we find ourselves questioning the validity of Jesus' resurrection by doubting our own worthiness to be saved of our brokenness. Divine Mercy calls us to share the full meaning of Easter and the call to faith for the unbeliever and believer alike.

Saint John Paul II initiated the Feast of the Divine Mercy to follow Easter Sunday in 1993 as a way to extend the understanding and importance of Church and community life of Faith and forgiveness.

Our Faith Communities – Back in July when I was first diagnosed with stage four pancreatic cancer I reached out to you on OSM and I asked for prayers. I also asked if we could gather as a community to pray the Divine Mercy for this would build us stronger in that life of Faith and Forgiveness that Saint John Paul II expressed. So many of you responded to this request and many even returned to Mass while the pandemic fears were still real for many people. The Divine Mercy Chaplet is offered still every day at Immaculate Conception at the three o'clock hour for my much-needed Mercy in my battle and for all those who are need of His Healing love.

Praying at Home and with the Children – I also asked if you could not pray at 3pm in the church to pray on your own at a time that works best with your schedule. I asked that the children would learn the chaplet and that families would pray together. We need to pray for Divine Mercy not just for me but for the whole world. As Ukraine is under siege by Russia all the more, as Pope Francis reminds us, Divine Mercy needs to be extended to the whole world!

COME AS A FAMILY!! - The Parishes of Immaculate Conception and Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton will share a devotional Holy Hour to pray for Jesus' Divine Mercy to touch our lives and the lives of our loved ones! We will have exposition of the Blessed Sacrament; share in a message of Mercy, followed by THE RECITATION OF THE CHAPLET and Benediction.

Please bring your family, grandchildren and neighbors. This Hour is a moment of grace and mercy that will open hearts and save souls!



The Image of the Divine Mercy

The earliest element of the Devotion to the Divine Mercy revealed to St. Faustina was the Image. On February 22nd, 1931 Jesus appeared to her with rays radiating from His heart and said:

Paint an image according to the pattern you see, with the signature: Jesus I trust in You. I desire that this image be venerated, first in your chapel, and throughout the world.

I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish. I also promise victory over its enemies already here on earth, especially at the hour of death. I myself will defend it as My own glory.

I am offering people a vessel with which they are to keep coming for graces to the fountain of mercy. That vessel is this image with the signature: "Jesus, I trust in You." (Diary 327)

The two rays denote Blood and Water.

The pale ray stands for the Water which makes souls righteous. The red ray stands for the Blood which is the life of souls. These two rays issued forth from the very depths of My tender mercy when My agonized heart was opened by a lance on the Cross. These rays shield souls from the wrath of My Father. Happy is the one who dwell in their shelter, for the just hand of God shall not lay hold of him.



By means of this image I shall grant many graces to souls. It is to be a reminder of the demands of My mercy, because even the strongest faith is of no avail without works. (Diary 742)

In these texts the Church's doctrine on images, justification and grace are explained. First, by itself an image is merely a painting, no matter how beautiful and expressive. Yet, it can point us the mysteries of the faith and dispose us to grasp and receive what it represents, in this case the Divine Mercy. It is thus a vessel, not the source, a reminder, not the reality. The reality is the merciful fountain of grace flowing from the pierced Heart of Christ on the Cross, and flowing out visibly to represent the visible, that is the sacramental, signs of grace, Baptism and Eucharist, standing for all the sacraments of the Church. Thus, St. John in his first letter insists on the presence of the invisible with the visible, the Spirit with the water and the Blood.

The image also reminds us that salvation is not just by faith, but by works of charity also. It takes faith to see and believe in what the Image signifies, Divine Mercy poured out from Christ upon the Cross, but it takes mercy, love going beyond the strict requirements of justice, in order to draw down mercy on oneself. "Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us" (Mt 6:12) and "the measure with which you measure will be measured out to you" (Mt 7:2) The Image of the pierced side of Christ pouring out blood and water reminds us that the Cross, love in action, is the price of mercy. "As I have loved you so also should you love one another." (Jn 13:34)

1. *Begin with the Sign of the Cross,*
1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary and The Apostles Creed.

2. *Then on the Our Father Beads say the following:*
Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.



3. *On the 10 Hail Mary Beads say the following:*
For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
(Repeat step 2 and 3 for all five decades)

4. *Conclude with (three times):*
Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

The Hour of Great Mercy

Just as the Image can serve as a reminder of the ocean of Divine Mercy, as well as its price, so can the daily remembrance of the Divine Mercy at the hour of Christ's death. Jesus asked Saint Faustina, and through her us, to celebrate this Hour of Great Mercy, promising tremendous graces to those who would, both for themselves and on behalf of others.

At three o'clock, implore My mercy, especially for sinners; and, if only for a brief moment, immerse yourself in My Passion, particularly in My abandonment at the moment of agony. This is the hour of great mercy ... In this hour I will refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion. (Diary 1320).

As often as you hear the clock strike the third hour immerse yourself completely in My mercy, adoring and glorifying it, invoke it's omnipotence for the whole world, and particularly for poor sinners, for at that moment mercy was opened wide for every soul. In this hour you can obtain everything for yourself and for others for the asking; it was the hour of grace for the whole world - mercy triumphed over justice.

At the Hour of Death

"...When they say this Chaplet in the presence of the dying, I will stand between My Father and the dying person not as the just judge but as the Merciful Savior".





READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**2nd Sunday of Easter/Divine Mercy Sunday,
April 24, 2022**

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

Yet more than ever, believers in the Lord,
great numbers of men and women, were
added to them. (Acts 5:14)

Psalm:

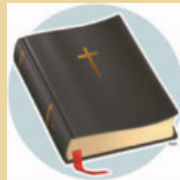
Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.
(Ps 118)
Or Alleluia.

Second Reading:

"I am the first and the last, the one who lives.
Once I was dead, but now I am alive forever and ever." (Rev
1:17-18)

Gospel:

On the evening of that first day of the week,
when the doors were locked, where the disciples were,
for fear of the Jews,
Jesus came and stood in their midst. (Jn 20:19)



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Sunday:	Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31
Monday:	1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20
Tuesday:	Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday:	Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21
Thursday:	Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36
Friday:	Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
Saturday:	Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21
Next Sunday:	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

Observances for the week of April 24, 2022

Sunday:	2 nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy); St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr
Monday:	St. Mark, Evangelist
Tuesday:	
Wednesday:	Administrative Professionals' Day
Thursday:	St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; St. Louis Grignon de Montfort, Priest
Friday:	St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church; Arbor Day
Saturday:	St. Pius V, Pope
Next Sunday:	3rd Sunday of Easter; St. Joseph the Worker

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please keep the following in your prayers as well as all of our homebound parishioners.

Betsy Bachy, Ryan Bisignani, Sheldon Blon, Paul Boulware, Loretta Brkovich, Patty Bulloch, Joseph Campolo, Lucy Caperell, Vincent Cheripka, Beth Cicchino, Wendy Cieslewicz, Shari Coulehan, Debbie Crnkovic, Maria DiBiase, Linda Davis, Tiffany Catania Donovan, ***Carrie Doonan**, RoseAnn Downey, Taylor Ebert, Kathleen Fairchild, Charles Fazio, Carmen Fennel, Sue Ference, ***Edward Finn**, Nancy Flenner, Ginger Flynn, Roger Galket, Mia Gill, Joann Guercio, Nettie Guskiewicz, Theresa Henninger, Regina Hipple, Luna Holt, Ken Horvath, Margie Howard, George Huss, Max Jackowski, Melissa Mathias Karabin, Michael Kaufman, Kelly Klein, Gary Kline, Ed Kohler, Bill Kohler, Ed Koncerak, Randy Kresic, Bernice Krupcey, Pam Lapek, Ann Lofstrom, David Machek, Tom Maguire, John Malinowski, Hazel Manclark, ***Helen Matava**, Kevin McCabe, McGowan Family, Joy McKnight, Herbert McLaughlin, Tosh Miklovic, Dan Miklovic, Harry R. Miller, James T. Miller, Father John, Doris Montore, Dave Morris, Maureen Nemcsik, Frances Nosich, Carol Ann O'Rourke, Louis Patil, Debby Pazehoski, Karen Piper, Judy Ponitz, Sydney Puckey, Michelle Ratesic, Mickey and Patrick Ratesic, ***Helen Sabol**, Kathy Sadusky, Sabrina (Bachorski) Safranski, Giovanna Bernadette Safranski, Maureen Serafin, Dee Simkovic, Todd Shoaf, Daniel Slates, ***John Sokolowski**, Mary Anne Sombo, Daryl Stanko, Fr. Len Stoviak, Karen Swenson, Baby Izak Szymczak, John Wilson, ***Alex Yanity**, Russ Yeager, Joan Yuhas, Michael Yuhas.

To add or remove a name, please call the office.



Saint Peregrine & Saint John Neumann

St. Peregrine: April 16-29

Intention for John (KK)

St. John Neumann: April 16-29

For the health of Father John (Rob & Mary)

Contact the parish office to schedule a Memorial gift or the Votive candles for St. Peregrine or St. John Neumann. The requested donation is \$20 for 7-day memorial gifts, and \$25 for St. Peregrine & St. John Neumann 14 day votives.

Little White Easter Books — Thank you once again to our anonymous donors for the Easter meditation books. They will be available while supplies lasts. During the next 50 days of Easter, continue with the 6 minutes a day with the Lord as you start your day. We are physically happier and healthier when we pray.

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SVDP Clothing Collection: the next collection weekends will be *April 23/24 and May 7/8*. For more info, contact Julie McNamara at 412-310-1505.

Dementia Support Group --- This group is for anyone dealing with a loved one who has dementia. It is an informal, faith-based gathering of caregivers who pray together, share mutual challenges, and learn new ways to cope and know that you are not alone! Dementia Friendly Faith Community Support Group meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm in the Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Center. **The next meeting date is Tuesday, May 3rd.** For more information, contact Gail Henderson at 412-848-2076 or email her at gailhend@comcast.net or contact the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish office at 724-864-6364.



Ministry to the Homebound— We are in need of volunteers who are willing to take communion to the homebound. You do not have to be a Eucharistic Minister - training is provided and clearances are required. Our homebound parishioners truly appreciate staying in touch with their parish family and being able to receive our Lord in Holy Communion. If you are interested, contact Julie at the Parish Office.



Serra Catholic Gold Honor Roll -

Congratulations to Jennifer Novak for achieving the Gold Honor Roll at Serra Catholic High School. We are Seton Proud of you! Keep up the good work, Jennifer!

First Communion Class—

Please keep our First Holy Communion class in your prayers as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist for the first time this Saturday, April 30th.



Graduating Class of 2022—All 2022 High School graduates are invited to the Class of 2022 Graduates Mass on **Sunday, June 5 at the 11:30 mass.**

Graduates will be mailed an invitation and asked to RSVP. Mark your calendar and plan to attend.



Ticket Sales: Our **412Youth High School Ministry** program will be holding a ticket sale after all masses the weekend of *May 7/8*. Tickets are \$10 each. The winning number will be taken from the First Pa Lottery Pick 3 Evening number drawing on

June 19, 2022. The winner will receive lottery tickets and \$1,000 cash. Please support our Youth Ministry program and get the chance to win some cash!

IC will be selling a Penguin Raffle Ticket with the winning ticket receiving a Visio 55-inch TV, signed Jersey & Puc, \$500.



CASH and Penguin videos and memorabilia included. Winning number taken from the First PA Lottery Pick 3 Evening number drawing on **Sunday, June 5th.** Tickets will be sold after Masses the weekend of **April 30 & May 1st** and if there are any remaining, will be on sale in the parish office.

Operation Lunch Bag—Summer Totes: This summer we will be able to once again sponsor the Summer Lunch Tote program for the 80 children whose families receive help from the Food bank held here in Mack hall. Purchase a reusable shopping tote (.99 in most stores) and fill it with nonperishable breakfast/lunch items. Bring your tote to Mack Hall the week prior to Food bank distribution. (see flier in the back of this bulletin for dates) Sign up sheets will be posted in the back of church so that you can sign up to donate a lunch tote for one or all of the summer months of June, July, and August. The children greatly appreciate receiving the totes and for many of them, who depend on the schools' free breakfast and lunch program, this helps to fill the gap during the summer months and provides them with breakfast and lunch.



Bishop Larry J. Kulick will host an outdoor Mass and special blessing of fathers on Saturday, June 18, 2022 at Christ Our Shepherd Center,

Route 30 in Greensburg. We should note that the Diocese is also hosting a car show that day at the same location, with food trucks, raffles and crafts for children. Director of Sacred Music Tom Octave is asking children in grades 2-8 who are interested in participating in Mass to become part of a special **Diocesan Youth Choir** for the day. Students should meet at 2:30 p.m. at the St. Joseph Chapel at Christ Our Shepherd Center for practice. Mass will begin at 4:30. Families are welcome to stay for the festivities during practice! If your child is interested, please register them at www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/youthchoir so we can provide you with specifics closer to the performance.

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PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

GLORIA - Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us, . For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,

*and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

*Join us as we sing Praises to our Lord
Today's Hymns found in the Breaking Bread Hymnal
April 23 & 24*

*Gathering: #179 Christ the Lord is Risen Today
Presentation of Gifts: #170 Ye Sons and Daughters
Communion: #575 Let Heaven Rejoice
Closing: #176 Jesus Christ is Risen Today*



Sharing our Gifts – 2022 DLA

Through this year's Lenten Appeal, we have witnessed examples of how to turn our gifts to help the workings of our parishes, Catholic Charities, Catholic schools and Diocesan missions and ministries. In our parish, many of our brothers and sisters have responded to the call to share their gifts. As of this date, we have surpassed our diocesan goal! All monies received over our diocesan target will come back to the parish to remodel and update the restrooms in Mack Hall, as well as remodel and soundproof the confessional. If you have already returned your pledge card, we are most grateful!

If you have not had a chance to return your pledge card, take a moment to pray for guidance from the Holy Spirit and consider a pledge/donation. Even a small donation can make a big difference. You can either drop off your pledge card at church or mail it to the office. Also, donations can be made online at www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/sharingourgifts and can be spread out over 10 months.

As of bulletin submittal date, our total collected is \$82,320 from 262 gifts.
If you are unable to make a gift at this time, we ask that you pray for the success of the 2022 Diocesan Lenten Appeal. God Bless you and your family.

Queen of Angels 13th Annual Angel Ducky Derby

We're "Quuuuaack!..." and ready to race!

When? May 25, 2022, following Fun Day

Where? Irwin Park (directly below Queen of Angels school)

In case of inclement weather or wet/muddy conditions, this event will be modified, adapted and held in the school at the scheduled time. This is for the safety of the children.

Simply sponsor one or several of the 500 total Angel Ducks for \$5⁰⁰ each. You will be given a number for your duck(s). On the day of the race, (you need not be present) the Angel Ducks will be released into the Irwin Park creek. The first duck to reach the finish line wins a valuable prize! There are also Prizes for 2nd, 3rd and "lame duck" (last) and more to come!

Take our "Quickest Quacker" Challenge.

A special prize will be awarded to the person who "reels in" the most sponsors. (See form below. In the event of a tie, a drawing will take place.)

Win a "Quacker" noise maker:

For every 5 ducks you sell you will be given a duck "quacker" noise maker to use during the race to help cheer on the ducks.

This event will benefit the educational program of our children.
We are thankful for your generous & continued support!



Prizes for the Duck Derby race:
1st Place\$200
2nd\$100
3rd\$50
Lame Duck Prize (last)\$25
...and more prizes to come!

	Sponsor Name	Sponsor Phone	# Ducks
1.			
2.			
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Seller's Name:
Total Ducks:

Seller's phone:
Total \$ enclosed:

Please return the tear-off form along with cash or check made payable to "Queen of Angels" to the school office in a sealed envelope labeled "Ducky Derby" by May 18, 2022.

Queen of Angels Catholic School • One Main St. • North Huntingdon, PA 15642 • 724-878-0144 • May 2022



Angel's Corner

Queen of Angels Catholic School -
Queen of Angels Catholic School 13th Annual Angel Duck Derby will be held at Irwin Park on **Wednesday, May 25, 2022**. 500 rubber ducks will be sold for \$5.00 each by our school families. On the day of the race the ducks will be placed in the Irwin Park stream for a race to the finish. We are writing to you to ask for your support. **A contribution to this race would be greatly appreciated.**

***Cash donations will help to underwrite the prizes:**

- 1st place \$200**
- 2nd place \$100**
- 3rd place \$ 50**
- Lame Duck (last) \$25**

***Donation of a gift certificate, services or your store merchandise will be used for our raffle.**

In support of your donation, your business name will be posted the day of the event at Irwin Park. **This year, our race will be combined with our Field Day and our Annual Walkathon.**

The event is a development effort to benefit the school's educational program. We are thankful for your generous and continued support within the local community. All donations are due before **May 18th** and can be mailed to:

**Queen of Angels Catholic School
Attention: Mrs. Ruth Ann Noblick –
Ducky Derby
One Main Street
North Huntingdon, PA 15642**

If you need any additional information, please contact Mrs. Ruth Ann Noblick at (724) 978-0144 x 2223.



Grades 1-5:

Faith Formation continues April 24th. Please join us for 8:30 AM mass beforehand and class afterwards!

Please pray for our students who will receive their First Holy Communion on April 30th.

The Faith Formation Year closes out on May 1st with our May Crowning! All kindergarten - 5th grade students are welcome to join us after the 8:30 am mass to honor Mary as the mother of our families, parish, and life.

Vacation Bible School is quickly approaching on June 20th-24th! Anyone interested in volunteering can attend the volunteer meeting on Saturday, May 7th at 9:30 AM in the Parish Center. All volunteers 18+ need to have CPSL clearances. All are invited to attend!

Grades 9-12:

412Youth High School Ministry closes out the year with our Divine Mercy party on April 24th at 6 PM in the Youth Building! All high schoolers are invited.

~Jen Wilson, DRE & SYM Coordinator



The high school kids helped our 2nd graders at a recent class with rosary making – thank you to our helpers. The 2nd graders did an awesome job making them. Pictured above is our 2nd grade CCD class with the rosaries they made.

Knights of Columbus St Jude Council 9019

- will have their monthly meeting on Monday April 25, 2022, at St Agnes, in Resurrection Hall. The meeting starts at 7:15 with the Rosary. St Jude Council covers the parishes of IC, St Agnes, and St Elizabeth Ann Seton. If you are interested in joining the Knights, or would like to transfer to our Council, please contact Al Borgony at 724-864-3487 or email a.borgony@comcast.net or you can check out our website at kofc.org and join online.



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Around the Diocese

Parishes seek director of religious education

The parishes of St. Edward, Herminie, and Seven Dolores, Yukon, are looking for a faith-filled, energetic, organized, practicing Catholic who has a passion for developing the faith of parish youth and young adults and making them disciples. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: plan and direct the parish Faith Formation/Youth Ministry programs (grades 1-12); coordinate sacramental preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation; coordinate Vacation Bible School and Bible studies; and provide additional ministries to all aspects of the parishes. Those interested are asked to contact Father Vincent Concepcion at stedward@DioceseofGreensburg.org.

Bishop to Celebrate Divine Mercy April 24 at Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg

Bishop Larry J. Kulick welcomes all of the faithful, along with the clergy of the Diocese, to join him for a liturgical celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday, April 24, at 1:30 p.m. in St. Joseph Chapel at Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg. Weather permitting, the Eucharistic procession will be outdoors. Divine Mercy celebrates the love that Christ has for all of us, despite our sins that separate us from Him. Always celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter, the liturgy commemorates the Divine Mercy of Christ, as revealed to St. Maria Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun.



Bingo at St. Barbara Parish, Harrison City, resumes

May 4—St. Barbara Parish, Harrison City, hosts bingo the first Wednesday of each month. Upcoming dates are May 4, June 1 and July 6. The bingo features large must-go jackpot and an all-night game. Paper packages start at \$27. Doors open at 5 p.m., with games starting at 6:45 p.m. Monitors and number boards are used. The kitchen will be open, and free coffee will be provided. The building is handicapped accessible. For information, call 724-744-4584 or 724-744-7474.

Craft and vendor expo May 7 at St. Sebastian Parish, Belle Vernon

St. Sebastian Parish, Belle Vernon, will hold a craft and vendor expo Saturday, May 7, from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. in the parish hall. Admission is free. The expo will feature 40 tables of crafts and sale items just in time for Mother's Day. The day will also feature a Chinese auction and soup and sandwich sale.

Craft and vendor show May 7 at St. John the Evangelist Parish, Latrobe

A spring craft/vendor show will be held Saturday, May 7, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at St. John the Evangelist Parish, Latrobe. Food will be available, and 50/50 and basket raffles and a Chinese auction are planned.



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Proceeds benefit Immaculate Conception Church, Irwin, PA

Help for Ukraine—Bishop Larry J. Kulick asks the faithful of the Diocese of Greensburg to assist Ukraine and its people by praying for them as this tragic conflict unfolds. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has released a list of reputable Catholic agencies collecting donations to aid people as they flee to escape Russian bombing and shelling. Visit DioceseOfGreensburg.org/HelpForUkraine to learn more about Catholic Relief Services, Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy, Catholic Near East Welfare Association, Aid to Church in Need, Knights of Columbus Ukraine Solidarity Fund, Jesuit Refugee Service and International Catholic Migration Commission, among others.

Corpus Christi Procession June 19 in Jeannette

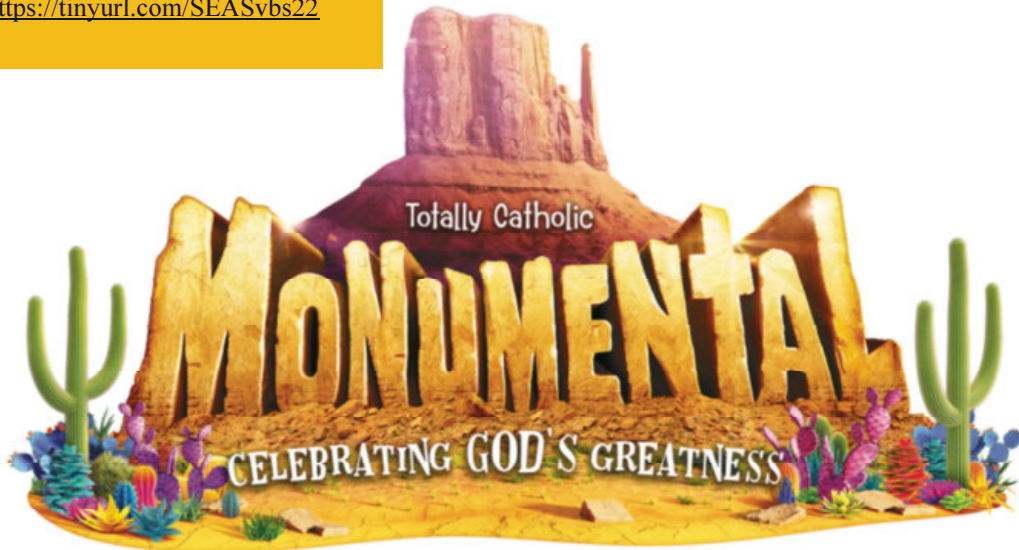
This year's Diocesan Corpus Christi procession is scheduled for Father's Day, Sunday, June 19. Please join Bishop Larry J. Kulick for Mass at 10:30 a.m. at Sacred Heart Parish, Jeannette. A solemn Eucharistic procession to Ascension Parish, Jeannette, will follow, where Benediction and Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament will occur. Refreshments and fellowship will follow in Mersinger Hall.

Virtual Certificate in Pastoral Ministry program planned for summer

The Certificate in Pastoral Ministry program will be offered again in summer 2022 and is now going virtual! If you think you are called to be a catechist, teacher, youth minister, evangelist, pastoral associate or permanent deacon, or some other similar area of ministry, this two-year program will give you the tools you need. The program is offered in conjunction with Seton Hill University and financial aid is available. Find out more at www.DioceseofGreensburg.org/pastoralministry.

**A volunteer meeting will be held on Saturday, May 7 @ 9:30 am in the parish center.
Please note clearances are required for volunteers 18+.**

The VBS Registration is open! Participants can sign up at: <https://tinyurl.com/SEASvbs22>



Station Leaders, helpers, Crew Leaders, and more will be needed.

6th grade and up welcome.

All adults 18+ need CPSL clearances

questions? contact Jen at JNWilson@dioceseofgreensburg.org

Summer Lunch Totes

Sign up to "Adopt a child" during the summer months of June, July, & August for the 80 children who receive help from the Food Bank. Fill a shopping tote bag (.99 in most stores) with breakfast/lunch items and bring it to Mack Hall the week of the distribution dates.



Drop off tote to Mack Hall by the following dates between 8:30 am - 1:00 pm. Hall is closed July 7- AARP meeting.

June 6-10

June 27-July 1st

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June 11

July 9

August 13





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