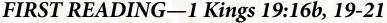


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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



The LORD said to Elijah:

"You shall anoint Elisha, son of Shaphat of Abelmeholah, as prophet to succeed you."

Elijah set out and came upon Elisha, son of Shaphat, as he was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen; he was following the twelfth. Elijah went over to him and threw his cloak over him. Elisha left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, "Please, let me kiss my father and mother goodbye, and I will follow you." Elijah answered, "Go back! Have I done anything to you?" Elisha left him, and taking the yoke of oxen, slaughtered them; he used the plowing equipment for fuel to boil their flesh, and gave it to his people to eat. Then Elisha left and followed Elijah as his attendant.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM—Psalms 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.

Keep me, O God, for in you I take refuge; I say to the LORD, "My Lord are you. O LORD, my allotted portion and my cup, you it is who hold fast my lot."

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.

I bless the LORD who counsels me; even in the night my heart exhorts me. I set the LORD ever before me; with him at my right hand I shall not be disturbed.

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.

Therefore my heart is glad and my soul rejoices, my body, too, abides in confidence because you will not abandon my soul to the netherworld, nor will you suffer your faithful one to undergo corruption.

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.

You will show me the path to life, fullness of joys in your presence, the delights at your right hand forever.

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.

SECOND READING—Galatians 5:1, 13-18

Brothers and sisters:

For freedom Christ set us free; so stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery.

For you were called for freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather, serve one another through love. For the whole law is fulfilled in one statement, namely, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. But if you go on biting and devouring one another, beware that you are not consumed by one another.

I say, then: live by the Spirit and you will certainly not gratify the desire of the flesh. For the flesh has desires against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; these are opposed to each other, so that you may not do what you want. But if you are guided by the Spirit, you are not under the law.



Sunday, June 26, 2022

GOSPEL—Luke 9:51-62

When the days for Jesus' being taken up were fulfilled, he resolutely determined to journey to Jerusalem, and he sent messengers ahead of him. On the way they entered a Samaritan village to prepare for his reception there, but they would not welcome him because the destination of his journey was Jerusalem. When the disciples James and John saw this they asked, "Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven to consume them?" Jesus turned and rebuked them, and they journeyed to another village.

As they were proceeding on their journey someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." Jesus answered him, "Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head."

And to another he said, "Follow me." But he replied, "Lord, let me go first and bury my father." But he answered him, "Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." And another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but first let me say farewell to my family at home." To him Jesus said, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God."

THE NICENE CREED

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.

FROM FATHER JAY



Starting Friday, July 1, we are Saint Luke the Evangelist Parish, and all regular weekday and weekend Masses will be held at Good Samaritan Church in Ambridge, and Saints John & Paul Church in Franklin Park.

The new schedule (below) will be posted on our website (which, starting July 1, will be saintluke.net—still accessible via greatgrouping.org), social media, on the back cover of every Evangelion, and can be obtained by calling the Parish Offices at (724) 266-6565 or (724) 935-2104.

See you at Mass!



WEEKENDS

Saturday

4:00 PM at Good Samaritan 5:00 PM at Saints John & Paul

Sunday

7:30 AM at Saints John & Paul 8:00 AM at Good Samaritan 9:00 AM at Saints John & Paul 10:30 AM at Good Samaritan 11:00 AM at Saints John & Paul 4:00 PM Spanish Mass at Good Samaritan

WEEKDAYS

Monday/Wednesday/Friday

8:00 AM at Good Samaritan 9:00 AM at Saints John & Paul Grotto

Tuesday

7:00 AM at Saints John & Paul Grotto 9:00 AM at Saints John & Paul Grotto 6:30 PM at Good Samaritan

Thursday

7:00 AM at Saints John & Paul Grotto 8:00 AM at Good Samaritan 9:00 AM at Saints John & Paul Grotto

Now that we have come through the gauntlet of Solemnities that follow the Easter Season (Pentecost, Trinity Sunday, and Corpus Christi), we return to our normal Sunday progression through the books of the New Testament. This week, we pick up toward the end of St. Paul's Letter to the Galatians. The end of the letter addresses Christian life and liberty after discussing the nature of faith, the example of Abraham, and the purpose and role of the Mosaic Law.

Providentially, the Spirit shows us what real freedom looks like just one week before we celebrate Independence Day. Freedom is not "an opportunity for the flesh," the chance to do whatever the chemical impulses and urges we feel dictate in the moment. That sort of "freedom" is actually slavery to our fickle desires and renders us no different from the animal kingdom whose members cannot say no to their urges. Rather, true freedom is the ability to do good, to "serve one another through love." Love is doing what is best for someone else, even if it goes against my feelings. If I do not have the strength of character to do the right thing in the face of challenges, then I am not truly free. I am enslaved to my fear and my weak will. Much of what we call freedom in modern America is actually "the yoke of slavery."

The Spirit cries out to us, "For freedom Christ has set us free, so stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery." Sin begins as a free choice, but it quickly turns into bondage.

JASON GAWALDO Director of Faith Formation jgawaldo@greatgrouping.org

Just think of those pesky sins that you struggle to shake. Perhaps more to the point, you occasionally struggle to shake them but often give up trying because it feels useless. That heavy weight is the yoke of slavery. Just as sin begins with a free choice, freedom also begins with a free choice to let the Lord emancipate us and then to live the free life in the Lord. To be fair, God's grace always precedes our choice, so freedom actually begins with grace followed by our choice to cooperate with it. Notice that distinction. True freedom is not something to be grasped at but cooperated with.

To be free to choose the good, to serve one another in love, to cooperate with grace and live in freedom is what it means to "live by the Spirit." In the next several verses, which are not included in our reading at Mass, St. Paul lists many of the works of the flesh (v. 19-21) before he lists the famous fruits of the Spirit (v. 22-23). When we live by the Spirit, we should experience these fruits in our lives. The Lord wants us to experience the great freedom that he won for us along with the fruits that it will inevitably produce. What area of your life do you need to surrender to the Lord so you can experience true freedom and the fruits of the Spirit?



acilitating MMPT for the past three years has been such a blessing. Seeing the pure innocence and excitement in the little faces of children as they sing of God's love, and dance and play, has brought so much joy to my Monday mornings. If you're looking for a moodbooster, come spend an hour with a group of babies and toddlers in music class; it will surely brighten and energize the rest of your week.

—Allison



We are looking for more facilitators for fall sessions. A good facilitator...

- Loves young children and babies
- Wants to serve the Church
- Is willing to spend time mastering the songs, preparing, and improving as a facilitator
- Sings in tune and strong enough to lead a group Can clap, stomp or play simple rhythm instruments,
- like a tambourine, on the beat

 Will dance freely, to the beat, and without inhibition in a group



If you are interested in facilitating or just want to learn more, contact Jason Gawaldo at jgawaldo@greatgrouping.org

THANK YOU GOOD SAMARITAN

BOBBY ALOE

Fundraising & Accounting Assistant baloe@greatgrouping.org



In June of 1994, Father John Bauer asked me to join the staff of the newly formed Good Samaritan Parish. Without hesitation, I said yes! I knew that was where I wanted to be, where the Lord wanted me to be. Those were difficult times; five churches would merge into one parish, then eventually into one campus.

I look back 28 years and think, where did the time go? It's hard to believe that I have spent almost half of my life working at the parish. I think of all that we accomplished in the past 28 years. Through your generosity and sacrifices, we have new roofs on our buildings, and an elevator in Jericho Hall, and all of our Liturgical Celebrations. We even have one of the largest festivals in the Diocese!

I have worn many different hats over the years; some of which were taking care of the parish's financial matters, coordinating many of the Parish's Fundraising events, and being with your families as you brought your loved ones to their final place of rest; it was my honor.

One of the things that brought us together was gathering around the table... Yes, the food table, but more importantly we gathered around the Lord's Table, sharing His Supper.

I have had the pleasure of working with so many amazing people who taught me so much. From the priests, my coworkers, and all who have tirelessly given to your parish. You are a special group of people.

I wish there was enough space to personally thank each one of you for all that you did for me to make my years at Good Samaritan so enjoyable. On a more serious note, I must thank you for all the prayers, especially when I had my health scare seven years ago. You're the best!

As my time as an employee of Good Samaritan Parish comes to an end, I look forward to the next chapter—St. Luke the Evangelist Parish and the many exciting things it will bring.

It is said that a person will change jobs 12 times in their working years. Here I am, 28 years later, still in the same position, and I wouldn't have changed it for the world!

STAGES OF THE MERGER PROCESS



EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022: NEW MASS SCHEDULE

As part of the third stage of the merger process, a parish-wide survey was undertaken to help determine the new Mass schedule. Based on input from our parishioners, staff & clergy, and Pastoral & Finance Councils, the following Mass schedule has been approved by the diocese, **and will become effective July 1, 2022**:

WEEKENDS

Saturday

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5:00 PM at Saints John & Paul

Sunday

7:30 AM at Saints John & Paul

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10:30 AM at Good Samaritan

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6:30 PM at Good Samaritan

Thursday

7:00 AM at Saints John & Paul Grotto

8:00 AM at Good Samaritan

9:00 AM at Saints John & Paul Grotto

This Mass schedule becomes effective July 1, 2022.

If you have any questions or comments, please email questions@greatgrouping.org

VISIT greatgrouping.org/merger FOR MORE INFO

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HEINCREDIBLE MENT AUCTION!

> Each year during the Parish Festival, we have a Silent Auction in Jericho Hall cafeteria, and we need donations to auction off!

We are asking that the value of donated auction items be at least \$25. We will also accept items for the LARGE SILENT AUCTION (value of those prizes are \$50 and up).

If you have any NEW gifts lying around the house you will never use (THEY MUST BE NEW AND NOT USED—NOTHING EVEN SLIGHTY USED CAN BE ACCEPTED), they can be dropped off at the Parish Offices at Good Samaritan or Saints John & Paul or call Theresa at (724) 561-9235.

SOME IDEAS MIGHT INCLUDE:

Restaurant Gift Cards • Auto Care Products • Theatre Tickets
Tool Sets or Power Tools • Movie Rental Gift Cards • Coffee Baskets
Getaway Hotel Packages • Cooking Utensils • Sporting Event Tickets
Sports Jerseys • We could also use Electronics (Radio or TV)
Any sort of theme basket would be appreciated!

THURSDAY - SUNDAY * LABOR DAY WEEKEND SEPTEMBER 1-4*THURS-FRI 6-10PM*SAT-SUN 2-10PM

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DEMENTIA SUPPORT

N THE TENDER COMPASSION OF OUR GOD, THE DAWN FROM ON HIGH WILL BREAK UPON US TO SHINE ON THOSE WHO DWELL IN DARKNESS AND THE SHADOW OF DEATH AND TO GUIDE OUR FEET INTO THE WAY OF PEACE."

-Luke 1:78-79

ementia, which includes Alzheimer's, is a terminal disease of the brain that causes loss of cognitive function and memory, loss of physical function, and psychological and behavioral changes. It is a tragic disease where a person slowly slips away into darkness, a darkness that overshadows the entire family. June is *Brain and Mental Health Awareness Month* and it includes June 21, known as *The Longest Day*, or *Alzheimer's Awareness Day*. It is the day with with the most sunlight and a day to bring to light all those who live in this darkness.

Caring for a loved one with dementia, either at home or in a facility, is a challenging and exhausting experience, physically, mentally, emotionally, and spiritually. It was only the light of Christ that dispelled the dark and devastating affects this disease had on my father and on those who loved him. Every day brought new changes and challenges that seemed all too overwhelming, and made each day feel like the longest, darkest day to me and especially my father. Shrouded in fear, confusion, sorrow, doubt, and the shadow of death, it was Jesus alone that brought me peace.

Jesus tells us, You are the light of the world. To bring the light and presence of Jesus to those whose loved ones suffer from this disease, the Dementia Support Group helps family members through shared experiences, prayer, mutual support, and resources. Often, family members feel overwhelmed and alone. But you are not alone! Let Jesus shine His light into your darkness through the help and support of others who share your journey.

-Kim Herbert

If you would like more information on dementia, or if you have a loved one with dementia and are in need of support, please contact the Dementia Support Group Ministry at dementiacaringministry@gmail.com, or visit greatgrouping.org/dementia-support.

Center Hope

The Center for Hope and Casa San Jose organized a Fun Night for the Latino Families and Ambridge Families. We are making this event twice a month and every time more families attend this event!











For more information contact Ana Bakhtar at ana@casasanjose.org

FRIDAY JULY 1 at 2PM

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exploring CATHOLICISM

Christ-centered Conversations with Padre Jay

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The Great Grouping THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday, June 27

8:00 AM VBS (CDC/Pavilion) 9:45 AM Mary, Help of Christians (Virtual) 7:00 PM Welcome Retreat Formation (Conf.)

Tuesday, June 28

8:00 AM VBS (CDC/Pavilion) 7:00 PM A Path Towards Healing (MPR) 7:00 PM LifeTeen Bonfire (CDC Firepit)

Wednesday, June 29

8:00 AM VBS (CDC/Pavilion) 10:00 AM Prayer Walk (Rosary Garden) 7:00 PM Missio (Pavilion) 7:00 PM Divine Mercy Cenacle (Conf.)

Thursday, June 30

8:00 AM VBS (CDC/Pavilion) 10:00 AM LifeTeen Breakfast Club (MPR) 3:00 PM Divine Mercy Prayer (Grotto) 6:00 PM Confession (Church) 7:00 PM SLCC (Practice)

Friday, July 1

8:00 AM VBS (CDC/Pavilion) 7:00 PM First Friday Mass (Grotto)

Saturday, July 2

4:00 PM Confessions (Church)

Sunday, July 3

10:00 AM Lectio Divina (MPR) 1:00 PM Flame of Love (Grotto)

Monday, June 27

6:00 PM Raffle Ticket Stuffing Party (GS-LJH)

Tuesday, June 28

BEAVER VALLEY

10:00 AM Outreach Samaritan Kitchen (GS) 5:30 PM Confessions (GS-Church) 5:30 PM St. Vincent DePaul Meeting (GS-Conf.)

Wednesday, June 29

6:30 PM Combined Choir Rehersal (GS-Church)

Thursday, June 30

6:30 PM Grief Ministry (GS-Conf.) 6:30 PM The Way (GS-Classroom)

Friday, July 1

3:00 PM Casa San Jose (GS-Conf.) 7:00 PM Marian Prayer Group (GS)

Saturday, July 2

3:00 PM Confessions (GS-Church) 4:00 PM Choir at Mass (GS)

Sunday, July 3

Nothing Scheduled

FJANNOUNCEMENTS FROM

BEAVER VALLEY ADORATION

Adoration has moved from Our Lady of Peace to the new chapel at Good Samaritan! Adoration hours are Monday-Friday, 8AM-8PM. Adorers are needed! Sign up online at *greatgrouping.org/adoration* or contact Deacon Tom Boucek at *adoration4him@gmail.com* or (717) 433-3525.

ADORE AT THE DOOR

The Tabernacle at Saints John & Paul that was located in the lower CDC has been removed. We invite everyone to Adoration in the Grotto Chapel 8AM, Sunday-8 AM Saturday.

MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES

Our new Mass schedule goes into effect on **July 1**. Please see page 9 or the back cover for the new Mass schedule.

OFFICES CLOSED

Parish offices will be closed on **Monday**, **July 4** and on **Friday**, **July 8** in the afternoon.

MASS INTENTION BOOK OPEN

Mass Intentions at Good Samaritan and Saints John & Paul and Memorials at Good Samaritan for July 2022-July 2023 may be requested by visiting either parish office or online by visiting *greatgrouping.org/mass-intention*. If you have any questions please contact the parish office.

BEAVER VALLEY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Beaver Valley Parishioners envelopes were mailed to each household for June/July from Our Sunday Visitor. Please do NOT use the July envelopes that are included with June's envelopes. You will receive a packet (July/August) envelopes from Church Budget which are to be used.

OFFERTORY GIFT PRESENTATION

If you have a requested a Mass intention during a Sunday Mass and wish to present the Offertory gifts, please arrive early and inform one of the ushers before Mass.

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

Online registration for fall programing begins on **July 1**. Visit *greatgrouping.org/formation* to see program days, times, and descriptions and to register on or after July 1.

SUMMER OUTREACH CAMP

There's still time to register for our Summer Outreach Camp the week of **July 25**. Visit greatgrouping.org/summer-outreach-camp to register.

LIFETEEN

Bonfires: June 28, July 12, July 19, July 26 & August 9

Breakfast Club Bible Study: June 30, July 7, July 14, July 21, & July 28.

LifeTeen Fall Program Registration: Online registration for LifeTeen, our ministry to high school students, begins on July 1. Visit *greatgrouping.org/lifeteen* to see some of the great things we do and to register.

Text "SSJPLifeteen" to 84576 to stay updated!

YOUNGLIFE CAMP

We are going to be attending Young Life Camp at Rockbridge Alum Springs in Goshen Virginia from **July 7-12**. It is open for Ambridge/Freedom grades 9-12. \$75 deposit secures spot & full price is \$399. Fundraising opportunities will be available, please do not let the cost hinder your participation.

Register for camp online at: northwestpittsburgh. younglife.org If you have questions or want to help sponsor a teen contact Keenan Baker at keenanbaker485@yahoo.com.

MISSIO (YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY)

Young Adults are invited to join Missio at **Saints John & Paul on June 29 at 7:00 PM** for a picnic and Lectio Divina in the Pavilion.

EXPLORING CATHOLICISM

We are excited to welcome Bishop David Zubik on Exploring Catholicism for a special episode that will air on **Friday**, **July 1**. Exploring Catholicism can be found on our Facebook and YouTube pages.

AROUND THE GROUPING

VIALS OF LIFE

Vials of Life are available in the Narthex at Saints John & Paul. The Vial of Life makes it easier for people to have medical information available in one place so family and rescue workers can locate it quickly in an emergency. The Vial of Life is an empty prescription bottle containing the following: A form to list your prescription, a form to provide important medical information and a vial of life participant sticker.

SAINTS JOHN & PAUL GOLF OUTING

With summer upon us, it won't be long before the Saints John and Paul Annual Golf Outing on September 9. Even if you've never picked up a club, you can still support this worthy cause which raises money for the church's Non Profit Neighbor fund. A \$50 family sponsorship is acknowledged in the Golf Outing Program Book. For a \$100 donation, your family members or business can be listed on a tee sign that greets golfers on the course on the day of the event. Proceeds from the Golf Outing support our parish's mission trips, the church's food pantry, Habitat for Humanity and the Franklin Park Volunteer Fire Department, among many others. Contact Mike Ferko at mferko@newincomellc.com or sandy.ferko@ gmail.com to sign up.

SIGHT & SOUND BUS TRIP

Final payment for the Sight and Sound bus trip to Lancaster to see David is due by August 1. Please make the checks payable to Saint Luke the Evangelist and mail them to either Jackie Gallagher or Ellen Rinaldi. Questions, please call Jackie (724) 869-9908 or Ellen (724) 869-3320.

FRANKIE VALLI BUS TRIP

Payment is due by July 1 for anyone signed up to go on the bus trip to see Frankie Valli at Cleveland Playhouse in September. Please make checks out to Saint Luke the Evangelist for \$159 which included bus, show tickets, dinner, and all tips. Please mail checks to either Jackie Gallagher or Ellen Rinaldi. Questions, please call Jackie (724) 869-9908 or Ellen (724) 869-3320.

PARISH FESTIVAL PIEROGI MAKING

Thank you to all of you who helped make 550 dozen of pierogi for our upcoming Parish Festival. We have 550 dozen more to make. The schedule for the next pierogi making event at Good Samaritan in the lower level of Jericho Hall is Thursday, July 14 at Noon (Clean and Chop Potatoes) Friday, July 15 at 9:30 AM (Cook and Ball Potatoes) and Saturday, July 16 at 9:00 AM (Pinch and Cook Pierogi) and Saturday, July 16 at 11:00 AM (Clean up Crew) If you can help in any way please contact Bobby Aloe at baloe@greatgrouping.org or (724) 266-6565 x215. We are especially in need of clean up help. Please consider volunteering a few hours.

PARISH FESTIVAL TICKET STUFFING PARTY

Every year we mail raffle tickets to all the families in our parish to help support our parish festival. Join us for our Ticket Stuffing Party at Good Samaritan on Monday, June 27 at 5:30 PM in the lower level of Jericho Hall. Questions? Contact Bobby at baloe@ greatgrouping.org.

MEN'S CLUB RAFFLE

The Men's Club would like to congratulate the winners of the raffle. Wilma McCafferty, Tom Fisher and Jordan Salttman. The Men's Club would like to thank everyone who participated in the raffle to help us support the church and many of it's ministries. Look for our next raffle this fall.

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL GOLF OUTING

St. Vincent de Paul Society of Beaver County 24th Annual Golf Outing will be on Friday, July 8 at Blackhawk Golf Course. 4 Man Scramble \$100.00 per golfer includes lite breakfast, lunch buffet, Beer & Pop all day & Bruster's Ice Cream Cart. Questions contact John at (724) 462-5813 or johnjdudo@ gmail.com.This Outing is a special project to raise money to help provide assistance to the Maison Fortune Orphanage in Hinche Haiti, which we help sponsor in addition to the SVDP Society. Additional information about the orphanage can be found at mfofoundation.org

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MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS

MONDAY, JUNE 27 (Am 2:6-10, 13-16, 18/Mt 8:18-22)

8:00 AM Good Samaritan • † Mary Uhernik (Katina Eliou, Emanuel Eliou, Tom, Anna & Dimitri Napoleon)

9:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † Roy Allen (Praskach Family)

TUESDAY, JUNE 28 (Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Mt 8:23-27)

7:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † Rev. Jerome Dixon (Clergy Team)

9:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † Jeanne J. Heykoop (Richard Bozzo)

6:30 PM Good Samaritan • † Ernest Falk (Wife & Family)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29 (Acts 12:1-11/ 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19)

8:00 AM St. John the Baptist • † Anna Mae Doyle (Son, Ed Doyle)

9:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † Helen Sabovik (Meg Alexander)

THURSDAY, JUNE 30 (Am 7:10-17/Mt 9:1-8)

7:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † Emidio Letterio (Nancy Letterio)

8:00 AM Our Lady of Peace • † Charles Smith (Wife, JoAnn Smith)

9:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † Barbara Hotnich (Scotti Family)

FRIDAY, JULY 1 (Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Mt 9:9-13)

8:00 AM Good Samaritan • † Marian Chismire (Christian Mothers)

9:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † Lonna Burns (Praskach Family)

7:00 PM Saints John & Paul • † Marlene Kosuda (Teresa DeCarvalho)

SATURDAY, JULY 2 (Am 9:11-15/Mt 9:14-17)

4:00 PM Good Samaritan • † Tom Kovach (Sandy Kovach)

5:00 PM Saints John & Paul • † Frank DeMarco (Friends for Seniors Ministry)

SUNDAY, JULY 3 (Is 66:10-14c/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20)

7:30 AM Saints John & Paul • † Janet DeMeo (Susie, Ryan, Sara, Scott, Joey, Kelly, Jen & Court)

8:00 AM Good Samaritan † Tom Josapak (Kevin Mutschler)

9:00 AM Saints John & Paul • Parishioners of the Saint Luke the Evangelist Parish

10:30 AM Good Samaritan • † Margaret Konarski (Loving Family)

11:00 AM Saints John & Paul • † John & Mark Brader (Brader, Buck, Munez & Ruffing Families)

4:00 PM Good Samaritan (Spanish) • † Descanso Eterno de Genoveba Cortes & Anlia Gomez (Isabel Gomez)

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PRAYERS FOR OUR PEOPLE

OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Patricia Gatto

Parishioner of Saints John & Paul Wife of John Gatto, Mother of John Gatto Jr.

Regina Kraus

Parishioner of Good Samaritan
Wife of Bill Kraus

William Sante, II

Parishioner of Saints John & Paul Father of Dr. Jennifer Sante Soller

Roseanna Zavolta

Parishioner of Saints John & Paul

OUR NEWEST CHRISTIANS

Lucas William Busche

Son of Jacob & Kayla (Wilson) Busche

Maxwell Stephen Lowry

Son of Sean & Laura (Conti) Lowry

THIS WEEK WE REMEMBER

SANCTUARY CANDLE

(GS) In Memory of Barry Chamberlain by Sandy Mauk

ALTAR FLOWERS

(SJ) In Memory of John Moss & Edward Cottage by Doretta Moss

(SJ) In Memory of Abby Marie Gadomski and Ted & Miriam Gadomski by Mark & Mary Gadomski

MEMORIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

(GS) In Memory of Regina Kraus By Darcy Deakin, Ronald & Frances Haradzin

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our parishes, and for the families or friends of our parishioners.

Eric Angle; Dr. Bartlett; Rebecca Beck; Bradley; Chip Byrd; Tom Castillo; Domenik Ceraso; Suzanne Costigan; Jack Culkin; John Dehler; Hudson Donahue; Mary Estep; Mary Fischer; Jennifer G.; Sara Gallagher; Margie Geyer; Maryann Grom; Michael Heastings; Sue Holleran; Angeles Iriart; Marian Jankiewicz; Marge Karnavas; Mary Kernic; Lia Koach; Josie Kovacic; Robert Meehan; Giada Montini; Pat & Patty O'Brien; Michelle Obarto; Michele Pellegrini; Ellen Pels; Alexis Prather; Mary Jane Ryan; Sally; Julia Ann Saxon; Mark Snyder; Stawowczyk; Christine Stephenson; Michelle Bob Tomaszewski; Tony; Hayden Watson; Cathy Winghart; Joseph Winkler; Tony Zaccagnini; Richard Zanella

Names of the sick will be included for a four-week period—if prayers are continued to be needed following four-week period please contact the parish office at (724) 935-2104.

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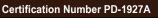
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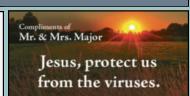
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