



OUR LADY OF THE LAKES PARISH

A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust

Rev. James P. Holland, Pastor



January 28, 2024

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

His fame spread everywhere throughout the whole
region of Galilee. - Mk 1:28

OUR LADY OF THE LAKES PARISH

Administrative Center
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 149
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Office Hours (M-F): 9:00am to 3:00pm
Find us at: 527 Bairdford Road, Bairdford
Saint Victor Campus ~ Bairdford, PA
Transfiguration Campus ~ Russellton, PA

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	4:00pm	Saint Victor Church
	6:00pm	Transfiguration Church
Sunday	9:00am	Transfiguration Church
	11:00am	Saint Victor Church

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday	8:00am	Saint Victor Church
Tuesday	8:00am	Saint Victor Church
Wednesday	8:00am	Saint Victor Church
Thursday	8:00am	Transfiguration Church
Friday	8:00am	Transfiguration Church
Saturday	8:00am	Transfiguration Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 3:15pm at the Saint Victor Campus
-or- by Appointment

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Our Lady of the Lakes Website:
Visit us on-line at www.ollakes.org

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YouTube Channel:
Subscribe to our channel: Our Lady of the Lakes Parish

Parish App:
Scan the QR code to download:



Submit items to be considered for our parish bulletin to bulletin@ollakes.org.
Deadline for submission is Monday at 4:00pm.

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Call the office to schedule. Must attend a Baptism Seminar (preferably **before** the birth of the child) once.

Marriage: Contact parish at least 6 months prior to wedding.

RCIA: Are you 18+ and want to become a Catholic Christian? Call the Admin Center at 724-265-2070 for more info.

Priesthood / Vocations: Call the Diocesan Vocation Office at 412-456-3123.

Anointing of the Sick / Ministry to the Homebound: Call the office if you have a serious illness or injury and need a special anointing or to receive communion. **If someone is in need of Last Rites, or for a sacramental emergency, please contact Father Holland directly on his cell phone at 412-977-6589.**



Safe Environment Clearances: Every volunteer role in the parish, even if it does not involve children, requires clearances to be obtained before participating in ministry or volunteering. We are happy to help. Clearance applications can be completed easily on-line at home. Contact Laura Smagala at 724-265-2070x504 or via email at safeoll@ollakes.org with any questions.

Diocesan Victim Assistance Hotline : 1-888-808-1235

PA Child Abuse Hotline : 1-800-932-0313

Call 911 immediately if a child is in danger

Our Lady of the Lakes Parish

February 23-25, 2024

Women's Retreat

St. Paul of the Cross, Passionist Retreat Center

Ladies of Our Lady of the Lakes: You are invited to the Feb 23-25 Women's Retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center (148 Monastery Avenue, Pittsburgh 15203).

Join us and experience spiritual peace and renewal of spirit. You will be most welcome!

Rooms at the Retreat Center have private bathrooms. Go to www.stpaulsretreatcenter-pittsburgh.org to make your on-line reservation or call 412-381-7676.

Question? Contact Mary Grasha-Houpt at 412.979.0891 or samandmary81@gmail.com



Young & Restless Trips ~ We have 2 trips planned for this year. More to follow!!

- Wednesday, April 17th - Erie Station Dinner Theater Matinee - Unnecessary Farce
- Thursday, June 13th - Green Gables Restaurant and Mountain Playhouse Matinee - The Play That Goes Wrong

Please call Renee Wagner for details at 412-551-0526.

March Money Raffle ~ Daily Prize of \$100 each day! \$5.00/ ticket. You can pick up envelopes of 10 tickets or purchase individual tickets. Tickets are available now! All tickets **MUST** be returned by Sunday, February 25. Thank you for your support!



From Feb. 14th – March 24th, you're invited to join other Christians for **40 Days for Life** – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 933 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh, and to help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: Nikki Bruni, nbruni@40daysforlifepgh.com, or Jen at pghsaland365@gmail.com

• 24,211 babies saved • 256 abortion workers converted • 148 abortion centers closed!

Kick-off Mass at Divine Mercy Parish, Epiphany Church on Tuesday, Feb. 13th at 6 pm, followed by a **Eucharistic Procession** to Planned Parenthood led by His Excellency, Bishop William Waltersheid. All Christians are welcome to participate! This is a free event.

40daysforlife.com/Pittsburgh for more info, or check out our blog at 40daysforlifepittsburgh.com



The **Fish Fry Bake Sale** begins on February 14, and we are in need of volunteers to help and volunteers to bake. If you are available to help, please call MaryEtta at 724-448-3639. If you can provide baked goods, please have your items in the Activity Building between the hours of 11:00-3:00. We need time to package and price the items before the Fish Fry begins. Thank you!!

YEAR END FINANCIAL REPORTS ~ Please complete this paper form, complete the online form at www.ollakes.org, email emartindale@ollakes.org, or call 724-265-2070x203 to request a 2023 report. This paper form can be dropped in the collection basket or mailed to the rectory. **Provide your email address to receive an electronic copy via email.** Thank you!

REQUEST FOR YEAR END FINANCIAL REPORT

NAME & ADDRESS:

Envelope number: _____

Your Sacrificial Offering



YES ~ Email my year-end giving statement!

Email: _____

Our Lady of the Lakes Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 27

Weekday/Saint Angela Merici

8:00am	Theresa Rovito by Ted & Barb Boulos	Transfiguration Church
4:00pm	In Memory of Ken Slimick by the Slomkowski Family	St. Victor Church
6:00pm	Living & Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Lakes Parish	Transfiguration Church

Sunday, January 28

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am	Zirkle Family by Kenny Zirkle	Transfiguration Church
11:00am	Jim Kotchey by John & Arlene Rakar	St. Victor Church

Monday, January 29

Weekday

8:00am	Anniversary of Death of Stanley Novak by David & Maria	St. Victor Church
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Tuesday, January 30

Weekday/

8:00am	Month's Mind for Diana Bahorich-Bell by Leslie & Tony Ferri	St. Victor Church
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Wednesday, January 31

Saint John Bosco

8:00am	Joann Taylor by Annie & Al O'Neil	St. Victor Church
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Thursday, February 1

Weekday

8:00am	Edward Adams by Annie Catanese & Family	Transfiguration Church
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Friday, February 2

The Presentation of the Lord

8:00am	Deborah Weber by Joyce & Raymond Cushman	Transfiguration Church
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Saturday, February 3

Weekday/Saint Blaise/Saint Ansgar

8:00am	Father Tom Kadlick by Annie Catanese & Family	Transfiguration Church
4:00pm	Anniversary of Death of Tom Rovnak by Bill & Norene Rovnak	St. Victor Church
6:00pm	Sydney Kleya by Pam Tedesco	Transfiguration Church

Sunday, February 4

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am	Living & Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Lakes Parish	Transfiguration Church
11:00am	60th Wedding Anniversary of Bob & Judy McBride by their Family	St. Victor Church

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

PRAY FOR OUR SICK ~ Christine Ahlin, Renee Arturo, Robert Bamrick, Sr., Salvatore Bennardo, Logan Best, Brian, John Bullick, Jennifer Carr, Helen Cavanaugh, George Cingle, Barbara Compson, Pat Cronmiller, Sandy Culley, Raymond Denk, John Dickun, Amy Ellwood, Mary Rose Farr, Robyn Fleischman, Al Fletcher, Linda Frazier, Rita Gallow, Karen Geragi, Jason Godek, Mary Ann Goldbach, Helen Goodhart, Linda Grondwalski, Hazel Groscost, Hannah Grunden, Joseph M. Grunden, Len Guerre, Amanda Gwinn, Scott Halapin, Jeffrey Hein, Alysa Hutchison, Chad Hutchison, Calvin Ingle, Al & Edie Intrieri, Alex Intrieri, Lou Ippolito, Greg Janicki, Joanne Jeckavitch, Jennifer, Carolyn Jones, Dorothy M. Kane, Linda Kapinskis, Gary Kelly, John Kisic, Kathleen Knechtel, Robert Kobik, Valerie Komoroski, Camie & Talor Kovos, Rich Krahe, Janet Kunkel, Mary Kunkel, Helen Laczek, Mary Lager, Sandy Lancia, Donna Lauterbach, Cassandra Lee, Dominic Lettrich, Alexander Lloyd, Renee Lukehart, Brad Lutz, Robert Madar, Marco Mangieri, Jack Marmarella, Patty Matthews, Judy McBride, Arlene McCullough, Michael McGrath, Carol Meador, Kristen Michaels, Dan Momberger, Melissa Mondron, Joan Morgan, Dean Murray, Alice Mueller, Jackie Mueller, Melanie Murray, Elaine Nase, Stuart Nicholas, Diane Noullet, Luke Noullet, Mary Jo O'Rourke, Rich Papania, Joe Parison, Tony Payling, Matt Payne, Frank Pellegrano, Audrey Peterson, Eugene Phillips, Annie Pluciniczak, Leslie Rhodes, Angelo Romano, Jene Rossini, Silvano Rossini, Cathy Russell, Stanley Rutkowski, Tammy Schaeffer, Margaret Schaler, Dom Serratore, Bill Siard, Bud Sinclair, Nancy Slabodnik, The Slimick Family, Laurina Smith, Jim Smullen, Kathy Stephan, Martin Stephan, Terry Stiger, Barb Thompson, John Thomson, Geoffrey Thor, George Tymas, Lucas Ujazdowski-Parks, Justin Wagner, Luann Gaggini Walters, Katie Wessel, Michael Whitico, Sr., Margaret Wilson, the recipients of our Prayer Shawl Ministry, and all those who prefer to remain anonymous.

Active Parish Membership Means:

- ✚ Registration (18+ required) in the parish for a sufficient period of time and use of the offertory envelope system or electronic giving in support of the parish
- ✚ Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays & Holy Days
- ✚ Volunteer and participate in parish activities



Parish News & Notes

This Week at Our Lady of the Lakes Parish

Location Key:

TRC - Transfiguration Campus STV - Saint Victor Campus

Saturday, January 27

Sunday, January 28

STV CCD (K-5), 9:15-10:45am - STV Classrooms
TRC CCD (K-8), 10:15-11:45am - TRC Classrooms

Monday, January 29

RCIA, 5:00pm - STV Rectory
STV CCD (6-8), 7:00-8:15pm - STV Classrooms

Tuesday, January 30

Wednesday, January 31

Eucharistic Adoration, 2:00pm - STV Church
Chaplet of Divine Mercy, 3:00pm - STV Church
Patriotic Rosary, 6:30pm - TRC Church

Thursday, February 1

Parish Bingo, 7:00pm - STV Activity Building

Friday, February 2

Saturday, February 3

Sunday, February 4

STV CCD (K-5), 9:15-10:45am - STV Classrooms
TRC CCD (K-8), 10:15-11:45am - TRC Classrooms

Collection Report

Week of December 31, 2023

Offertory Collection

Weekly Goal	\$	8,500
This Week	\$	7,632
Budget Year to Date	\$	229,500
Actual Year to Date	\$	209,796
Surplus (Deficit)	\$	(19,704)

Parish Assessments

Weekly Goal	\$	2,440
This Week	\$	824
Budget Year to Date	\$	65,880
Actual Year to Date	\$	28,537
Surplus (Deficit)	\$	(37,343)



Interested in on-line giving? Visit www.ollakes.org, click on the on-line giving icon, and follow the instructions!



Our Lady of the Lakes Parish
B-I-N-G-O
Every Thursday ~ 7:00 P.M.
St. Victor Activity Building



We remember those who have passed from this life, especially:

Eugene G. Vaerewyck

Please remember our recently deceased and their families in your prayers.

Free Health Care ~ If you do not have health insurance, call Catholic Charities Free Care Center at 412-456-6911.

Prayer Shawls ~ If anyone is in need of a prayer shawl for a loved one who is ill or in a nursing home, contact Laura Smagala at lsmagala@ollakes.org or 724-713-1453.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, February 3 **4:00pm at St. Victor Church**
Lector: **Volunteer Needed** EMHC: Joe Smagala
Altar Servers: Alex Godinez

Saturday, February 3 **6:00pm at Transfiguration Church**
Lector: MaryEtta Filotei EMHC: Joanne Draskovich
Altar Servers: Taylor Strishock

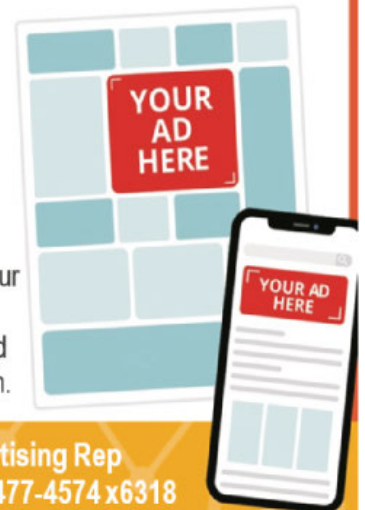
Sunday, February 4 **9:00am at Transfiguration Church**
Lector: Rose Donatelli EMHC: Annie Catanese
Altar Servers: Elaina Dietrich; Collin Rodgers

Sunday, February 4 **11:00am at St. Victor Church**
Lector: Phyllis Bagaley EMHC: Rob Zaremski
Altar Servers: Lee Hengelsberg; Andrew Piccolino

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Sue Novosel from LPi, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulletin and/or a digital ad featured on ParishesOnline.com.



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Our Lady of the Lakes Fish Fry News

General Fish Fry Meeting

Tuesday, February 6, 2024,
at 6:00 pm in the Activity Building

OUR LADY OF THE LAKES FISH FRY

ASH WEDNESDAY & FRIDAYS DURING LENT

From 3:00pm to 6:30pm

Location:

Our Lady of the Lakes Activity Building
Saint Victor Campus | 527 Bairdford Road, Bairdford 15006

Menu includes:

Fried & Baked Fish, Deluxe Fish Sandwich, Shrimp, Clam Chowder, Crab Cakes

Bake Sale & Basket Raffle



Cash or check only

Eat-in or Take out

724-265-4017

Phone-in orders accepted
until 6:15pm

We look forward to seeing you!

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We hope to see you at the Fish Fry!

Come out to enjoy the great food and community and church fellowship!

The **Basket Raffle** needs gift cards in any amount and PA instant lottery tickets. You can place them in the collection basket at either campus location (please mark your envelope ~ "Fish Fry ~ for Basket Raffle") or you can drop these off at the Administration Building. If you plan on donating a basket this year, please have it be an **ASSEMBLED** basket. Please contact Contenta at 724-265-2070x202 if you have any questions.

Baked Goods for the bake sale can be dropped off at the OLL Activity Building the day of each fish fry starting at 11:00am until 3:00pm.

Donations help cut our expenses. Would you kindly consider donating any of the items listed at the bottom of this page?

Thanks so much for all you plan on doing to help our community fish fry be successful!

God Bless,

Annie Catanese, Fish Fry Coordinator



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

>>> Call Annie at 412-298-2041 to add your name to the Volunteer List! <<<

Attention Fish Fry Volunteers: Every volunteer role requires clearances to be obtained before participating in the Fish Fry. Clearance applications can be completed easily on-line at home. Contact Laura Smagala at 724-265-2070x504 or via email at safeoll@ollakes.org to start the process or update existing clearances. Thanks!

Donations Needed

There are collection boxes at each campus. Thank you for your kindness. God Bless!

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| • Pepsi Products (all kinds) | • Cases of Bottled Water (16.9 fl oz) | • Monetary Donations (are always welcome!) |
| • Coke Products (all kinds) | • Paper Towels | • Full-size/Large Aluminum Foil Steamer Pans (used for prep) |
| • Mountain Dew/Diet Mountain Dew | • 12 oz. bottles of Frank's Red Hot (Sauce) | • Gift Cards to Aldi's Giant Eagle, Shop 'n Save, Sam's Club, Walmart, Target, etc., to use to purchase local products |
| • Sprite | • Dinner Napkins | |
| • Root Beer | • Regular Coffee | |
| • Iced Tea | • Decaf. Coffee | |
| • Dr. Pepper/Diet Dr. Pepper | | |

Growing with the Gospel

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Third graders know that "I love Jesus, and Jesus loves me!"



The **Catholic Book Club** will resume meeting in February. We will meet every other month on the last Sunday of the month at 4:00pm in the TRC Meeting Room. Everyone is welcome to the Catholic Book Club. Read one book or read them all. Then join us for some lively discussion.

Our discussion books will be:

Feb. 25 – “Everyday Miracles of Lourdes” by Marlene Watkins

Marlene Watkins recounts twenty astounding true stories of miracles at Lourdes, including her own watershed healing, which inspired her to establish Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers and become its first volunteer.

In these absorbing pages, you will encounter both adults and children who received wondrous cures from debilitating illness, traumas, abuse, and grief to ultimately find reconciliation with God.

You will be consoled by stories of women who experienced the loss of babies, including by abortion, and found solace in the arms of our Heavenly Mother. And you will encounter a man who was struggling with faith and was drawn to Lourdes, where he met the Blessed Mother.



April 28 – “The Love that Made Mother Teresa” by David Scott

The countless sweet photos of her smiling at babies showed Mother Teresa to be a single-minded advocate for the poor. But she was a woman with a will whose strength has been matched by few souls in history. Mother Teresa broke death's stranglehold on the poor of Calcutta, and she showed us how to conquer the sin and darkness in what she called the "slums of the hearts of modern man."

Part biography and part spiritual reading, these pages bring to light little-known stories from Mother Teresa's life that will help you to grow in your love of God. You will learn her approach to reading Scripture, what enabled her to persevere through agonizing nights, and the remarkable -- some would say mystical -- events that led her to start the Missionaries of Charity.

June 30 – “A Millennial in Paradise – Carlo Acutis” by Fr. Will Conquer

In each generation, heroes of the Faith, whom the Church recognizes as saints, emerge. There are many characteristics that they have in common, but none thus far have used cell phones, played PlayStation video games, or searched for information on Google.

That is about to change.

A young "computer geek" named Carlo Acutis, who created a website cataloguing every reported Eucharistic miracle in the world and died of leukemia a year later at age fifteen, was beatified in November 2019, after a healing miracle in Brazil was attributed to his intercession. Since the beatification ceremony one year later, solemn crowds have been filing past the exposed relics of the blessed youth in Assisi's Church of Santa Maria Maggiore.

Carlo is a sign of contradiction in the modern world who serves as a heroic model for today's young people--a teenager who programmed computers and enjoyed films and comics yet lived as an authentic and sincere disciple of Christ. In these pages, you'll discover how he embraced the Faith as a boy and developed the virtues necessary to live a Christ-centered life in a secular society, how he overcame the vices that plagued him, and how he gracefully dealt with heartaches he could not divulge even to his parents.

Christmas Flower Offerings



The following have donated an offering for the Altar Decorations *"In Memory/Honor of"* a loved one. Thank you for your memento during this Christmas Season.



DONOR

Mrs. Sylvia Adams
M/M Richard Bartkoski
Mrs. Mary Leta Biehl
Dorothy & William Bishop

M/M Leon Borczyk, Jr.
Mrs. Kathleen Borland
M/M Theodore Boulos
M/M Donald Bowser

M/M Edward Braun
M/M James Brill
Mrs. Anna Brown
Miss Anna Marie Catanese

Ms. M. Clements-Dawson
M/M Robert Eckenrod
Mrs. Janet Eichner
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M/M David Grondwalski
Mr. Leonard Guerre
M/M Jerry Haas
M/M William Haile
Mrs. Nancy Hazlett
Ms. Diane Hensel
M/M Francis Intrieri

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M/M David Knechtel
M/M Raymond Kohser
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John & Patty Lemro
Janet Lenz
Mr. Robert Madar
Mrs. Kathryn Makuta
John & Catherine Mann
Mrs. Carol Massack

M/M James Massack
Mrs. Lillian McAtee
M/M Robert McBride

M/M Richard McCosby
Mrs. Carol McPherson
M/M Merle McWilliams
Ron & Marlene Mennow

IN MEMORY/HONOR OF

Edward J. Adams; Adams & Schiberl Family
Dobrzynski, Persinski, Bartkoski, & Mackowski Families; Cyndy Sinicki
Mary L. Tabacchi; Dante J. Tabacchi; Dante J. Tabacchi II
Lewis Zonarich; Lori Ann Genovese; William Bishop, Sr; M/M Nicholas & Rose Zonarich; M/M Richard & Mathilda Gross
M/M Leon Borczyk, Sr.; M/M Robert Rider Sr.
Clements, Danko, & Borland Families; Kevin Cirelli
Emil & Marian Tracy; Beth Tracy; JoAnn Thomas
Malinda (Mindy) Bowser; Edward & Helen Sugajski; Vern & Jane Getz; Charles & Ruby Bowser; Members of the Bowser; Sugajski & Swiklinski Families
Ed Braun, Sr.; Myrtle Braun; John Consolaro; Connie Consolaro
Dorothy & Jake Brill; Alfreda & John Grzyb
Alvin Brown
Peter & Dorothy Catanese; Don & Helen Uncapher; Gary Uncapher; Catanese/Karp Family; Uncapher/Benninger Family; Pete & Gilda Andino
Rogers & Clements Families
Henry & Rita Eckenrod; Theodore & Julia Venesky; Kelly Kemp; Marlene Lichtenfels
Charles Eichner
Carol Putka; Al Fazio; Art Fazio
Deceased of the Ferlan & Klabnik Families
Robert J. Filbert, Sr.; John J. Micklow; Frank Brozewicz; James & Beverly Feil
Deceased of the Puccio & Fischer Families
Mike & Dawn Monaco
Stephen Franceschi; Dick & Rita Driscoll; Joe & Elsie Franceschi; Michael Driscoll; Ryan Driscoll
Elizabeth & Mike Vasilcik; Anna & Joseph Gillner
Leonard & Julie Grondwalski; Betty Reay; Donald Grondwalski
Marilyn Guerre
Eileen Marie Haas
Haile/Avery Family; Sutter Family
Hazlett & Mitrecic Families
Audrey & Robert Hensel; Greg Hensel; Roy & Anna Sukanovich
Charles & Josephine Dorkman; Albert & Margaret Intrieri; Mona Jean Pittman; Donald McCallister; William & Char Perroz
Mary Kathleen Jacob; Rhodora Donahue; John F. Donahue; Richard Donley
Bob Jeckavitch; Carlo & Phyllis Zaffuto
Karlo & Argo Families
Jennifer Knechtel Loper; Patty Heese; Teresa Knechtel
Ralph & Liz Burns
John (Jack) Kraig; John & Anna Mae Plesha; Steve & Catherine Papriska; Plesha Family; Krajci Family
Felt Families; Laquatra Families; Zito Families
Vydral Family; Frank, Louise, & Frank Jr.
John S. & Helen Pawloski; Robert Reese
Martha Madar
Makuta & Hodges Families
Tony Cronmiller; Tillie Cronmiller; Sue Csakuary; Ann Andreinni
Regis P. Massack; Carlo & Jennie Bertuzzi; Woodrow & Anna Whitlatch; Dolores Marynarczyk; Patricia Whitlatch Flynn
Jerry & Ann Massack
McAtee & Whitecomb Families
Michelle M. Pavlik; Ed & Vi Grden; Bob & Lillian McBride; Pauline & Veronica Turba; Al & Marge Zeleski; Max & Catherine Bauerle
Frank & Ruth Capan; Lou & Ida McCosby
Michael McPherson; James Krupa; Margaret Krupa; Stephen Krupa; Helen Yaworski
McWilliams, Jackson, and Schneider Families
John Shurina; Helen Shurina; Patricia Proco



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Stephen Monarko
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Kenneth & Mary Ellen Murphy
M/M William Murphy
M/M Thomas Nagy
Mrs. Sue Noftz
Mrs. Maria Norris
Mr. David Novak
Annie & Al O'Neil
Mr. Anthony Pavlik
M/M John Pawloski, Jr.
M/M Robert Pollock
Dave & Ann Poriath
M/M William Porter
Anna Mae Proco
Todd & Jennifer Rodgers
Bill & Norene Rovnak
Mr. Frank Russ
Ms. Clara Salvi
James & Marsha Sankovich
M/M Gregory Santacroce
M/M Edward Scopel
Joseph & Laura Smagala
M/M Regis Smith
M/M Richard Smith
Mrs. Virginia Speer
Mr. Herbert Speer
M/M Gerald St. Denis, Jr.
M/M Harry Stites
Joan Swanderski

Mrs. Frances Tassotti
Mr. Howard Tutak
Mrs. Mary Tutak
Miss Sue Unterholzner
M/M George Valerio, Jr.
Mrs. Jane Vidic
Ms. Mary Lou Vidic
Ms. Monica Vitkay
Ms. Karen Wagner
M/M Carl Walzer
Miss Teresa Yanicko
M/M William A. Yanicko
Mrs. Marcy Yourish

IN MEMORY/HONOR OF

Joseph Micale
Micklo & Williams Families
Mary Rose Monarko
Elizabeth Pesanski; Elaine Moretti; Ronald Moretti; Chico Moretti
Kleya, Przybyla, and Murphy Families
Nunzie & Clara Vitale
Deceased of Swanderski & Nagy Families; Ingle Brothers; Shipeck Sisters
Ken Noftz
David Norris; Dr. Vincent Pieranunzi; Alfredo & Dalgesa Pieranunzi; Deceased of Pieranunzi & Zock Families
Irene Novak; Stanley Novak
Pelliccioni, Colautti, and O'Neil Families
Carol J. Pavlik; Ida R. Pavlik; Frank & Frances Pavlik; Helen Mike; Frank Yokel
John & Helen Pawloski; Diana Magliocca; Maria Colangelo
Chernan Family; DeSelle Family; Mike Pollock; Sandra Dowell
Joseph & Anna Poriath; Kurian & Mary Narithookil
Gedeon & Porter Families
George Proco; Frances Proco; Robert Proco; Martha Madar
Dian Rodgers; Matt Rodgers; Denise Brudnok; Dolly Strain; Wanda Brudnok
Tom Rovnak
Kirby & Russ Families
Luigi & Catherine Salvi; Deceased of Salvi & Carassanesi Families
James W. Sankovich; Walter Shustic Family
Ossie Santacroce; Ann Santacroce; Fran Bracc
Gezzi Family
Altar Servers of Our Lady of the Lakes Parish; Smagala & Spanier Families; Neibar & Habucky Families
Smith & Hepp Families
Kukets-Smith Family
Dave & Our Parents
Herbert F. Speer; Mary J. Speer
Kania & St. Denis Families
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The following donated an offering for the Altar Decorations. Thank you for your memento during the Christmas Season.

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NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

Be Present to the One who is Truly Present

TUESDAY	JANUARY 23, 2024	7-8 PM	TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH
MONDAY	FEBRUARY 26, 2024	7-8 PM	ST. VICTOR CHURCH
THURSDAY	MARCH 21, 2024	7-8 PM	TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH
SUNDAY	APRIL 14, 2024	7-8 PM	ST. VICTOR CHURCH
MONDAY	MAY 20, 2024	7-8 PM	TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH
SUNDAY	JUNE 2, 2024 (Corpus Christi Sunday)	7-8 PM	ST. VICTOR CHURCH
WEDNESDAY	JULY 17, 2024	7-8 PM	TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH
FRIDAY	AUGUST 16, 2024	7-8 PM	ST. VICTOR CHURCH
THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 12, 2024	7-8 PM	TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH
TUESDAY	OCTOBER 15, 2024	7-8 PM	ST. VICTOR CHURCH
MONDAY	NOVEMBER 11, 2024	7-8 PM	TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH
SUNDAY	DECEMBER 1, 2024	7-8 PM	ST. VICTOR CHURCH

Each monthly Holy Hour will consist of Exposition and Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, a reading from Scripture followed by a brief homily, a Eucharistic Procession, Benediction (Blessing) of the Most Blessed Sacrament, and the recitation of the Divine Praises.

Please mark your calendars and plan to join us each month.

Always keep in mind that you were worth three hours of Jesus' time on the cross.

Isn't He worth an hour of your time in prayer, adoration, and thankfulness?



Each time you approach the **Blessed Sacrament** remember that he has been waiting for you for twenty centuries.

St. Josemaria Escrivá

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Community News

How To Stay Vibrant As You Age ~ A free seminar hosted by UPMC Passavant at Cumberland Woods Village in the Legacy Theater on Tuesday, January 30th, at 11:00am. The speaker will be Dr. Anna Gaines, Physiatrist at Tri Rivers Musculoskeletal Center. To register, please call 412-635-8080.

Retrouvaille - Hope for Marriages and Families ~ Retrouvaille of Pittsburgh offers couples looking to restore their relationship a welcoming and loving space where they can, with God's help, heal their marriage. Our next weekend program is February 16-18. For information: 3041R@HelpOurMarriage.org or 412-277-3434. Space is limited. Don't wait! Do it today! You will be glad you did!

Widowed, Divorced, Separated? The Beginning Experience® Lay Apostolate will host a 1-day Saturday seminar, Coping with Life Alone-In the Beginning Program, intended to help widowed, divorced, or separated men and women work through their grief and begin to move forward with hope on their life journey. Join us Saturday, February 10, from 8:45am-4:00pm at the Martina Spiritual Renewal Center (5244 Clarwin Avenue, West View 15229). The fee is \$30.00 (lunch included). Register by February 3rd at www.BeginningExperiencePittsburgh.com or make a confidential call to Kim at 412-352-2653 to learn more about this healing ministry.

SJHS Community Cash Bash ~ Saturday, February 3, at 6:00pm in Patterson Hall, Most Blessed Sacrament Worship Site (800 Montana Avenue, Natrona Heights). Tickets are \$10. Winner does not have to be present. Ticket includes admission, lottery, dinner, and drinks. Contact Lois Posney at (724) 226-7872 for tickets.

St. Joseph High School is now enrolling! Accepted students can now submit their commitment deposit to secure their spot for this fall. Incoming freshman and transfer students still have time to apply for admissions. Apply online at SaintJosephHS.com. Scholarships, grants, and aid range up to \$10,000!

Medjugorje Pilgrimage ~ September 7 - 19, 2024. Join us on this spiritual journey to The Shrine of Our Lady, Queen of Peace in Medjugorje. Attend daily Holy Mass and Adoration, climb Apparition Hill and Cross Mountain, and visit other villages. Optional day trips to Mostar, Dubrovnik, or Sarajevo. Price of \$3,050 includes: round-trip airfare from Pittsburgh; all transfers in motor coach, breakfast and dinner; applicable taxes and English-speaking guide. Spiritual Director Rev. Thomas Gillespie. Deposit of \$500 due by June 7. Please contact Bernadette Burke (Mary's Travel Ministry) 412-400-0107 or 412-563-3857 or email marystravel2@gmail.com.



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All who work in the healthcare field are invited to our special "White Mass", named for the white coats worn by healthcare professionals today and in the past. Reception and fellowship to follow after in Biedenbach Hall.

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