

Holy Family Parish Sugar Notch, Pennsylvania

SATURDAY	19	4:00 PM	Henry & Regina Balakier – Dara & Joe Popietski
SUNDAY	20	9:30 AM	George Fallon -- Grandchildren
		0:00 AM	
MONDAY	21	7:30 AM	Frances Kakareka by M/M Richard Gilroy
TUESDAY	22	7:30 AM	Parishioners, living & deceased
WEDNESDAY	23	7:30 AM	Msgr. Joseph Rauscher – Priest's Purgatorial Society
THURSDAY	24	7:30 AM	Rosemary Strish by Diane & Ed Bliss
FRIDAY	25	7:30 AM	Atty. Sylvester J. McCloskey -----
TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME			
SATURDAY	26	4:00 PM	John C. Krzysik by Shirley Krzysik & Family
SUNDAY	27	9:30 AM	M/M Louis Yanora by daughter Rose

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION (PEA): continues Wednesday, 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM

MONTHLY ROSARY: Monday, Sept. 28 at 6:30 PM in Sts. Peter & Paul Chapel

HOSPITAL OR NURSING HOME: Please inform the Pastor of any family member, neighbor, friend, or other loved one who is admitted to a hospital or personal care/nursing home. Laws prohibit these types of institutions from openly and directly sharing information about their census/residents.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE: Regular Offertory last weekend was \$1,342.00

ASHLEY FOOD BANK: located at St. Leo's Church is accepting food donations, especially non-perishable items. You may place them in the box always found in the back of the Church. Any families in the 18706 zip code needing assistance please call St. Leo's at (570)825-6669.

*Consider remembering your parish in your Will.
For further information, please call the Parish Office.*

FROM THE DIOCESE: As of Oct. 1 parishes within the diocese can resume their pre-pandemic weekend Mass schedule. After consultation with the diocesan Office of Parish Life and discussion at the Parish Pastoral Council last week, Holy Family will **maintain its current Sunday schedule of one Mass at 9:30 AM.** As printed in previous bulletins, current Mass attendance does not warrant the necessity of two Sunday Masses. **FYI:** 25% capacity of space in Holy Family church allows for maximum attendance of 75-80 people. Attendance at the 4:00 PM Mass over the last 15 weeks averaged 33 congregants; the 9:30 Mass averaged 40 congregants.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: while social distancing remains mandated, persons wanting (needing) Confession should call the rectory (570-822-8983). **Confessions by appointment only.**

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES: study of "Romans, The Gospel of Salvation" continues **Mon, Sept. 21 at 3:00 PM** in the parish hall. Social distancing and mask wearing will be observed.



*25th
Sunday
of the Year*

Month at a Glance MEETINGS/EVENTS

CCW – 2nd Tuesday
Knights of Columbus
- 3rd Monday
Lions Club –
1st & 3rd Thursdays
Monthly Rosary –
Last Monday
6:30 PM

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR): Sunday morning classes 1 thru 7 continue at **10:30 – 11:45 AM.** **CONFIRMATION** classes continue **6:00 – 7:45 PM.** All classes will be conducted in the parish hall where there is plenty of room for social distancing. Wearing masks will be required for as long as it is mandated.



PARENTS/STUDENTS IN PSR --> amidst the current pandemic

- ✓ The foremost consideration for parents is the health, safety, and well-being of their children and their entire family
- ✓ At the same time Holy Family Parish provides as safe a healthy environment as is humanly possible
- ✓ THEREFORE, parents the right of decision about class attendance, *and that decision will not be challenged.* HOWEVER, if students do not attend class it will be considered *excessive absenteeism.* Please know that the Catholic Church mandates two (2) years of sacramental instruction for the reception of Penance-Holy Communion-Confirmation for the child-student-candidate to receive the respective sacrament(s) while 75% attendance at class is required at all other grade levels if the student is to matriculate to the next grade. Disregard of these items could jeopardize the respective goal.

Bound Together in Hope

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL: The theme this year is "*Bound Together in Hope*". Appeal letters seeking your support should be mailed this coming week by the diocese. As in the past, money raised in this Appeal helps fund diocesan efforts to assist the poor and marginalized, catholic education, and retired priests. We ask for your charity in understanding the mission of the church and in your financial support of that mission.

THE MCKINNEY CLINIC assists homeless men & woman. Holy Family **Parish Pastoral Council & the Confraternity of Christian Women** are conducting a drive seeking the donation of over-the-counter personal care & hygiene products for the homeless. Examples of things needed are body wash, soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothbrushes & toothpaste, etc. Boxes for collection of these types of items will be found at our church entrances (front, hall & handicapped entrances) **Sept. 19-20 to Oct. 10-11.** We thank you in advance for any help you can offer.

*The Need
Never
Goes Away*



TAKE AWAY STUFFED CABBAGE DINNER: sponsored by
The Knights of Columbus
Saturday, Oct 3, 4-7 PM Cost is \$12.00.

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ST. PAULY CLOTHING COLLECTION SHED: we received word that due to COVID 19, the clothing collection is temporarily suspended. **DO NOT** drop off any articles of clothing or other items until further notice! Thank you.

PICK 4 WINNING NUMBER: The winning number on 9-7-20 was 9005. The winner was Roger Morgan -- Congratulations!

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SUNDAY MASSES:
Sat. Vigil: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 9:30 AM
0:00 AM
DAILY MASSES: (in Sts. Peter & Paul Chapel)
Monday through Friday - 7:30 AM

CONFESSIONS:
Sat. 3:00 - 3:45 PM - Holy Family Church

Upcoming

**Respect
Life
Sunday**

October 4