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SUNDAY JUNE 20 2021

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

M—TH: 9 am-12 pm & 1-3 pm Friday—Closed

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4 pm & 6 pm

Sunday: 8 am, 10 am & Noon

Weekday Masses

Monday: 7:30 am

Tuesday: 9:00 am

Wednesday: 7:30 am

Thursday: 5:30 pm

Friday: 9:00 am

Saturday: 9:00 am

PARISH STAFF

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Fr. Richard Allen

Deacon

Mr. Frank Hannah

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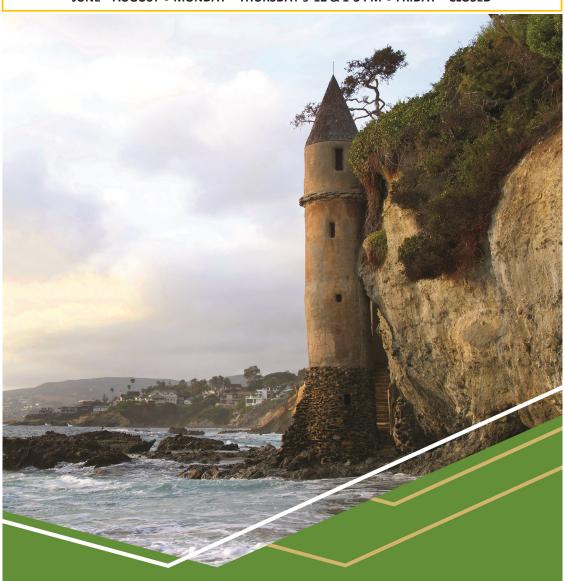
Mrs. Mary Lou Hornyak

Business Manager

Mrs. Ann Miller

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

JUNE—AUGUST ● MONDAY—THURSDAY 9-12 & 1-3 PM ● FRIDAY—CLOSED



12th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified?

Do you not yet have faith?" - Mk 4:39-40

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 20, 2021

SUN 6/20 Jb 38:1, 8-11/ Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 [1b]/2 Cor 5:14-

17/Mk 4:35-41

MON 6/21 Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22 [12]/Mt 7:1-5

TUES 6/22 Gn 13:2, 5-18/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [1b]/Mt 7:6, 12-14

WED 6/23 Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Mt 7:15-20

THR 6/24 Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17 [6b]/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1-3, 13-14, 14-15 [14a]/Acts 13:22-26/Lk

1:57-66, 80

FRI 6/25 Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [4]/Mt 8:1-4

SAT 6/26 Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55 [cf. 54b]/Mt 8:5-17

SUN 6/27 Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9,

13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 20, 2021

Sunday: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Refugee Day; Father's Day

Monday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

Tuesday: St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, and

Thomas More, Martyrs

Thursday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Saturday: BVM

Next Sunday: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

LIVE THE LITURGY

Inspiration for the week

Do we trust that God will take care of us and has things under control? When life gets difficult, shaky or painful, we may find ourselves wondering what we may have done to deserve this fate. Often, we go to great lengths to explain suffering away, as if it has no purpose and ought not to exist. In an attempt to get God on our side in our battle against suffering, our prayer can mirror a question asked by the disciples: do you not care that we are perishing? As we are asking that question of God, God is asking of us: do you not yet have faith? It is for certain that God does not intentionally inflict pain upon us. God has no sinister plot to test our faith or trip us up. Rather, the unconditional, restorative and rejuvenating power of God's love can bring light out of the greatest darkness and gives hope in the midst of deep despair. We have to be patient and ride out the storm. It is our task to deepen our faith that God will calm the wind and draw meaning out of that which seems senseless.





MON 6/21 7³⁰AM Dick Stigliano [Cathy Puleo]
TUES 6/22 9AM Scripture and Communion
WED 6/23 7³⁰AM Scripture and Communion

THU 6/24 5³⁰ PM Jim & Vi Sferra

FRI 6/25 9AM Anne Durisko [Husband, John]
SAT 6/26 9AM Suffering Souls in Purgatory

SAT 6/26 4PM Gary Masters [Mark, Gio, Santina, Luciana]
SAT 6/26 6PM Mary Rose Szugye [Jerry & Ginny Viselli]

SUN 6/27 8AM Gloria Cable [R. Trindle]
SUN 6/27 10AM Jane Lindstedt [Family]
SUN 6/27 12PM Mass for the People



SAT 6/26 4PM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER M. Multari R. Beal M. Becker

J. Miller

SAT 6/26 6PM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
J. Feeney EUCH. MIN. NEEDED SERVER NEEDED

SUN 6/27 8AM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
B. Lackey P. Slezak A. Zahniser
R. Vetica

SUN 6/27 10AM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
K. Higgins R. Fleis SERVER NEEDED
B. Moder

SUN 6/27 12PM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
A. Stephenson R. McGoff SERVER NEEDED

EUCH. MIN. NEEDED

*ATTN VOLUNTEERS! PLEASE CHECK-IN WITH FR. ALLEN PRIOR TO MASS



Next Sunday's "Pantry Shower" item is **canned fruit**. The upcoming item will be canned fruit.

Thank you for your care and concern for God's needy.

Altar flowers this weekend are donated In thanksgiving to God and in Memory of

Albert Nigro

On Behalf of: Daughter, Lynne



Isla Grace Hudson, May 30, 2021

Daughter of Luke Hudson and Jacquelin Ellison

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to the families and friends of those who have lost a loved one. Please keep in prayer those who have entered into eternal life:

Gloria Jean Cable
Stanley Joseph Radkowski
Marianne Kovac
Eric Radachy

MINISTRY NEEDS

Now that most of the covid restrictions have been lifted and we move back into our somewhat normal setting during Mass, we are in need of more help in all ministries; Altar Servers, Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers.

If you are interested in serving in any of these ministries during a Mass time of your choice, please call the parish office 724-981-5566.

Training will be provided.

WE NEED YOU!

Our **Eucharistic Adoration** program is looking for some committed Adorers for the following hours: Monday: 5-6pm, 6-7pm, 9-10pm. Tuesday 1-2pm, 8-9pm. Wednesday: 12-1pm, 2-3pm, 3-4pm, 5-6pm. Also, if you volunteered to be a substitute and have not been contacted lately or you would like to become a substitute, please contact Jo Feeney at 724.699.3340. *Come, spend some quiet time with Jesus.*

MID-WEEK EVENING PRAYER

Join us for this New Virtual Prayer Opportunity!

Looking for a mid-week pick-me-up? Consider joining other Catholic Christians in community prayer.

Please join Deacon Frank Hannah and others each Wednesday from 7:00 PM – 7:30 PM for virtual evening prayer.

Virtual prayer via Zoom. Use the following link to join: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4586860650

Who do I contact if I have trouble connecting? Contact Deacon Frank / 724-977-8655 / fhannah@eriercd.org

Father's Day

Spiritual Remembrance

In Memory of: Otto Ammer Thomas Barner Joseph Baron Paul Bator Stephen Benes J. David Benson Joe Boller Henry Borkowskí Herbert Brant Sr. Paul T. Brestelli Sr. Carlo Buzzeo Maurice S. Byers William Chavara Iohn Cídíla Sr. Bernard David John Del Monaco Sr. Ottavío De Paolo Eugene Dillon Míchael Dzuríchko Iames Elliott George Evanchan Earl Feigert Sr. Sam Fisher Benjamin A. Frank William J. Furey Chester Gadola Míchael Gargíulo Oscar Geroní Iohn Gílvín William Griffith Frank Habuda Jr. John Hauser James P. Henighan Fred Higgins John Hohman John Hornyak John Horvath Joseph W. Hoza Paul Hranko Ir. Paul Hranko Sr. Míchael Hrítz Blaine Jennings Alfred Joseph Sr. Daniel R. Kerins Edward Kurelko Bud Lawton Lester Lawton Otto Lehner Robert Liptak Sr. Jeremíah Lynch

Iohn Markovích Albert Maykowskí "Moose" McMuray Iohn Meier John Murcko Ríchard Murcko Stepen Myers Albert Necaster Joseph Nestich Frank Niuta Raymond Oakes Karl Orndorff Bíll Owens Mr. Robert Cardamon Anthony G. Paglia Sr. Dr. James G. Kollar Domeníck Patrízí Iames Patrízí Frank Pauleních Elmer Piroga Jay Porter Sr. Earl Price Joe Puleo Mike Puleo Patrick Quartini Burton Rea James Reinhart Leo Rettger Ríchard Rocco Anthony Rogers Clayton E. Ross Sandy Rossi Jr. Sandy Rossi Sr. Matteo Sangregorío Ralph Saternow F. Ralph Saternow Sr. Salvador Scarnecchía Joseph Selnekovíc Blaine Sheasley Dennís Sheehan Bernard Skero Frank Skíljo Joseph Small Sr. Lou Strimpel Robert Tallarico James Teapole Sr. Bill Thomas Bob Thomas Fran Thomas Delbert Tice William Tice James Tobín Jim Topper

Míchael Trkula

Walter Trkula Míchael Vargo Christian Vennetti Píetro Verroco John Waclaskí George Wagner Paul Walton Charles Werner Raymond F. Zíckar

In Honor of: Steve Benes Don Kovac Sr. Tames Marshall William Ser Tom Spayd Robert Thornburg Ben Wagner Dana Wagner Ken Wagner

EMMAUS PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Lord Jesus, hear our prayer For the spiritual renewal of priests. We praise you for giving their ministry to the Church. In these days renew them with the gifts of your Spirit.

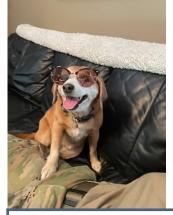
You once opened the Scriptures to the disciples on the read to Emmaus. Now renew your ordained ministers with the truth and power of your Word.

In Eucharist you gave the Emmaus disciples renewed life and hope. Nourish priests with your own Body and Blood. Help them to imitate in their lives the death and resurrection they celebrate at vour altar.

Give priests enthusiasm for the Gospel. zeal for the salvation of humankind, courage in leadership, humility in service, fraternity with one another and with their brothers and sisters in you.

For you love them, Lord Jesus, and we love and pray for them in your name.

Amen.



Looking good and ready for vacation!

Our well loved Ginger is on vacation with her second family until the end of August.

Although she will be missed, rest assured she will enjoy her time camping and spending time outdoors!

BBQ CHICKEN DINNER

TAKE OUT ONLY

Sunday, July 25 11:30am to 2:00pm St. Anthony Church 804 Idaho St., Sharon [use Sherman Ave. entrance]

PRE-ORDERS ONLY To place an order call: 724-342-2489 or 724-347-2721

Dinner Includes: 1/2 Chicken ● Green Beans • Croatian Potato Salad

\$12

Whole Chicken Only \$10

> Haluski \$4

Croatian Potato Salad

Deadline to place an order is Monday, July 19 If you are fully vaccinated masks not required.



ATTENTION: ALL DIRTY CARS!!!

Your local Knights of Columbus "Our Lady of the Valley" Council #4003, Hermitage, PA will be holding an "ALL PARISHES" Car Wash Fundraiser on Sunday, July 11th from 7:30 AM to 2 PM in the back parking lot by

the school at Notre Dame Parish.

\$10.00 donation per vehicle

Stay in your car and follow the signs and directions through the wash and your car will be sparkling clean in no time. Proceeds will benefit the 4 parishes the council serves, Notre Dame, St. Bart's, Our Lady of Fatima and Good Shepherd. If anyone is interested in volunteering to help, please contact Dave Roshala at 814-282-1631.

Thank you for your support!!

INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT OUR CATHOLIC FAITH

WHAT IS RCIA? THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

IS RCIA FOR ME? If you answer yes to any of the following questions, then Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults may be for you.

- A non-baptized person?
- Baptized as Catholic but were never confirmed or received Holy Communion?
- Baptized, made First Communion but never had any religious instruction beyond these sacraments?
- Non-Catholic interested in knowing more about the Catholic Faith?

For more information, please call Kathy Higgins at 724-981-5566, ext. 109.

BETHANY RETREAT CENTER FRENCHVILLE, PA

Is a quiet and peaceful place to rest, renew and be recreated for those seeking a deeper relationship with God. Bethany offers a wide variety of directed retreats that include: Centering Prayer, Health and Wellness, Grief Recovery and more. They also offer Personal Retreats where you can get away from the cares of everyday life and focus on your faith journey.

To learn more visit their website at www.bethanyretreatcenter.org

or call 814-263-4855. "God is Spoken Here."



A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

Following the will of God is not always the most popular thing to do according to some peers. Even parents face this fact from time to time. What is popular is not always what is right; and what is right, is not always popular. Elizabeth and Zechariah got it 'right,' despite the pressure of neighbors. Do we?

INTERESTED IN WRITING, PHOTOGRAPHY, SOCIAL MEDIA, BEING CREATIVE? WE NEED YOU!

Do you enjoy writing? Is photography one of your hobbies? Are you tech savvy? Do you have a flare for writing captions?

If you can answer YES to ANY of these questions, we'd love to hear from you. The Notre Dame Parish Marketing & Communications Team is seeking help to keep our parish connected and informed. Our Website and Social Media platforms play a key role in keeping our parish family informed. If you'd like to write some public relations stories, photograph some of our celebrations and events, or write some captions/storylines for our parish, we NEED YOU.

As we prepare and encourage our parishioners to return to participation in our parish, it is important to get the word out to our entire congregation. With the increasing number of parishioners participating in Mass in-person, and an increase in parish activities and events, we would love to have more people involved. Are you a high school student with good writing skills? Do you have some experience with digital media? Are you retired and looking for a small way to keep yourself busy and involved? Are you a little tech savvy and active on social media platforms? We can use your help! Send an email with your name and contact information to churchoffice@notredame-pa.org We will contact you to discuss your interests and availability.