

# All Saints Catholic Church

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Monday-Friday

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Saturdays 8:00 am -11:00 am

The mission of All Saints Parish is to expand the Kingdom of God by showing people the way to salvation through the Eucharist, in our faith, our compassion, and our actions.

This is showcased in our four core values, namely:

**Prayer:** Dependence on God and Communicating with God.

**Ministry:** Having knowledge of the faith and putting it into practice.

**Christian Attitude:** Being welcoming, hospitable, compassionate, caring, and loving of everyone.

**Stewardship:** Care for the spiritual and physical assets of the Parish, namely our time, talent, and treasure.

## SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### JANUARY 14, 2018



### Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM  
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM  
Weekdays: See schedule in bulletin

### Sacraments

**Baptisms** are celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month after the 10:00 AM Mass. Pre-Baptismal classes are required. Contact the Parish Office for arrangements.

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays 12:30 - 1:00 PM and after the 5:00 PM Mass.

**Marriage:** Contact Parish Office at least 6 months in advance of proposed date.

### Visitation of the Sick or Shut-Ins:

Inform the Parish Office when anyone is ill at home or in the hospital. Upon request, Holy Communion can be brought to the home by the priest and/or a Eucharistic Minister.

### Bulletin Deadline:

All bulletin announcements must be received by Monday noon in written form.

### Preparation for Entering the Church (RCIA):

We welcome those who are interested in becoming Catholics. To enter a program of formation and prayer, contact the Parish Office.

**Parish Membership:** New parishioners are always welcome! Call the Parish Office for a census form.

### Prayer Meeting:

Every Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 PM.  
See bulletin for monthly Mass time.

Access to Parish Calendar of Events: <https://sites.google.com/site/allsaintsetna/>

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**SUNDAY - JANUARY 7, 2018 = \$ 7,028.00**

Offertory Envelopes - \$6,529.00	Loose Monies - \$490.00
Adult Envelopes Sent - 504	Envelopes Used - 186
Children's Envelopes - \$9.00	Envelopes Used - 9
Parish Share - \$1,184.00	Envelopes Used - 49

*Please remember All Saints Church in your will.*

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<b>2017 GOAL:</b>	<b>\$ 51,422.00</b>
<b>COLLECTED TO DATE:</b>	<b>\$ 48,365.48</b>
<b>BALANCE:</b>	<b>\$ 3,056.52</b>

**The Lamb of God**

*"Behold the Lamb of God!" We hear this phrase every Sunday at Mass, but there's a good chance that many Roman Catholics do not know who in the Bible originally spoke it. The phrase appears only in the Gospel of John, on the lips of John the Baptist, who utters it twice. In today's Gospel reading, John proclaims Jesus as the Lamb of God, and two of John's own disciples then follow Christ. A little bit later Andrew, who heard John and then followed Jesus, brings his brother Simon to be re-named Cephas, or Peter. A careful look at these Bible verses shows us the mission of everyone baptized into the Body of Christ: we must always proclaim our faith in Christ, so that others will follow him. We may not know how the will of God might work through those we bring to Christ; that is not the point. The point is that our ongoing mission as a church is to bring others to Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.*

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**Readings for the Week**

- Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mk 2:18-22*
- Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28*
- Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6*
- Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13; Mk 3:7-12*
- Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19*
- Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21*
- Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20*



WEEK of PRAYER  
 for CHRISTIAN UNITY

**From the desk of the Administrator**

A new year is a time for reflection, isn't it? Of course, we are all guilty of setting New Year's resolutions that last about 30 seconds.

My reflection today is on the parish's safe environment compliance. If there has been an absolute failure on my part, it has been compliance. I was complacent and presumed it was all being addressed. It wasn't. I am sorry for that. Therefore, I need your help to get the parish compliant.

Lately I have been comparing the work to become compliant with my doctoral project. Someone along the way said, "So, Father, how do you eat an elephant?" I'm thinking, OK, where in the world is this going? "Father, you eat an elephant one bite at a time. You don't eat the whole elephant all at once!" It was an assurance that if I worked on my project "bite" by "bite", it would eventually get done. Guess what? It did! And so too will the work of getting the parish compliant. One bite at a time....

Our first bite of compliance is simply compiling a list of our volunteers. Before I left, I had Margie begin assembling that list. We have official lists of some festival workers, all CCD volunteers, all music ministers, all extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, and all readers. I know there are other lists of people that I need to discover. I'd really like those names!

Once we have a list, the next "bite" is to tell people what they need. There are eight items – Database application (which will include three additional items: PA State Police Clearance, Code of Pastoral Conduct, and Child Protective Services Law [CPSL]); FBI fingerprint waiver, Protecting God's Children Class, and the Mandated Reporter Training. You can find all these forms or on-line classes at <http://diopitt.org/parish-volunteers>. If you have done these for other organizations, all but the PA State Police Clearance are transferrable. You just need to get me a copy of your certificate for our records.

Another bite of compliance was yesterday with those attending the Mandated Reporter Training. Thanks for taking some time on a Saturday to get that accomplished. I will be searching out the others who need to do so! I realize that I am asking more of you than what is required. At the same time, when it comes to the safety of children, is there anything that is too much?

See you in Church – Hopefully safe and sound after my trip!

*Fr. Jim Dretz*



Beverly Mahich, Robert Istenes, Cecilia Acres, Joseph D’Amico, Joseph Bursick, Barbara Volpe, Fred Michaels, Norma Hufnagel, Marge Reese, Elena Kime, Bernard Szewcow, Matthew Mika, Patricia White, Dave Marcoly, Thomas V. Rishel, Jason Fleishner, Bart Riley, Carol Sees, Kathy

Rishel, Ryan Woodrow, Ronald Molinero, David Hufnagel, Marie T. Schran, Ida Fowler, Father Garry Patriquin, Mildred Hoffman, Eileen Dougherty, Erin Schmitt, Joseph Wittman, Patricia Currison, Jason Wolling, Emma Oresic, Mary Jo Sciuillo, Susan Killmeyer, Anthony Sciuillo, Maria Wolownik, Lisa Lindsey, Katherine Rodack, Kathy Cook, Jordan McCue, and all the sick of our parish. **Please note:** *We ask the families who have requested prayers to please give us a call when your loved one is better so they can be removed from our list.*

**St Anthony School Programs Collection**

The second collection next weekend, January 20 and 21, is a special collection for two nationally recognized educational programs for children with special needs: **St Anthony School Programs and DePaul School for Hearing and Speech.** St Anthony School Programs provides Catholic special education to children with development delays and autism. DePaul School for Hearing and Speech provides Listening and Spoken Language (LSL) education to children who are deaf or hard of hearing. **The Proceeds of this collection will be credited toward the Parish Share Program for All Saints Church.** Please use the envelope in your packet. Thank you for your continued generosity.

**Baptism Preparation**

Baptisms take place on the second and fourth Sundays of the month immediately following the 10:00 AM Mass. Before a Baptism can be scheduled, registration and attendance at a Baptismal preparation class are required of all parents. We strongly suggest that you attend the class before your child is born. **The next class is scheduled for Thursday, January 18, 2018 at 7:00 PM in the rectory meeting room.** Please call 412-781-0530 to register.

**2018 Mass Intentions**

Mass Intention Forms for 2018 are available in the vestibule of church. The Parish Office is accepting your intentions. Please read over the guidelines, complete the form and include the \$10.00 Mass stipend. Thank you for your cooperation.

**2018 Altar Flower Memorials**

These Altar Flower Memorial dates are available for 2018:

- 1/21 Sanctuary (2),
- 1/28 Sanctuary (2), Blessed Virgin, St Joseph
- 2/4 Sanctuary (2), Blessed Virgin, St Joseph

Altar flower intention forms are in the church vestibule or you can call the rectory at 412-781-0530. **COST IS \$25.00.**

**Managing Your Diabetes Classes**

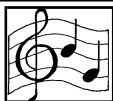
Anyone who has diabetes is encouraged to attend. Sign up now and take the steps to manage your diabetes and improve your quality of life. Classes will be held at UPMC St Margaret, 815 Freeport Rd. Registration is required. To register, call 1-866-334-5227 or visit [UPMC.com/Classes](http://UPMC.com/Classes). Free parking.



**HERE I AM LORD**

Here am I, Lord – There are many moments in the life of the Church when we are filled with joy as others present themselves for the service of God and others. Priests and deacons are called by name to stand before the community

as they are ordained for the tasks of teaching, leading and sanctifying. Religious men and women are consecrated to God as they promise poverty, chastity and obedience of the sake of the kingdom. Lay leaders in the Church are commissioned for their service as they share their gifts and expertise for the good of our faith communities. However, the call of God is not limited just to these. Has the invitation to follow God’s will or to serve his people gone unanswered in your life? As the final preparations are being made for the *On Mission for The Church Alive!* announcements, more will need to change than just Mass schedules and clergy assignments. All of us should be willing to listen for and answer the call of God in our lives. Through this, more disciples will step forth to serve the Church in new and creative ways. May our hearts be prepared to enthusiastically respond, “here am I, Lord; I come to do your will!” Visit [onmissionchurchalive.org](http://onmissionchurchalive.org) to learn more and to stay informed.



**BOX**

For many of us, when our phone rings the first thing we do is look at the caller ID to see who is calling. If we recognize the

person that is calling, we answer the phone. If we are unfamiliar with the number, we might let the call go to voicemail to find out who is calling and if it is someone we'd like to talk with. In today's first reading, Samuel was being called by the Lord but he didn't recognize that the Lord was the one calling him. At first, Samuel thought his father Eli was calling him. Eventually, Eli realized it was the Lord who was calling Samuel and instructed him to answer “Speak, Lord, your servant is listening.” Samuel did as Eli instructed when the Lord called him again, and the Lord then was with Samuel as he grew up. Just like Samuel, the Lord calls each of us. There is, of course, no caller ID that can help us to identify the call of the Lord. We too must listen for the Lord's call, and answer as Samuel did. We should be willing to respond, as we sing in the refrain of Dan Schutte's familiar hymn, “Here I Am, Lord”, “*I will go, Lord, if you lead me.*” If we learn to recognize and listen to God when he calls, the Lord will lead us where we need to go!

Yours in ministry,  
Tom Rishel

**Unbound: Experience Freedom in Christ Seminar.....**

Do you want to start the New Year with greater spiritual freedom? Join us on Saturday, January 20, 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM at St Bonaventure, 2001 Mt Royal Blvd, Glenshaw, in Newmeyer Hall. There will be both video teaching and a teaching by Fr. Boniface Hicks OSB. Cost is \$20.00 (includes breakfast pastries, lunch and snacks). For more information go to [unboundpittsburgh@gmail.com](mailto:unboundpittsburgh@gmail.com) or contact Peggy at 412-398-0776.



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## WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

### SUNDAY - January 14th Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) Tally Barth (Connie Kendra)  
8:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased  
10:00am - Donald Flickinger (Dan & Bonnie Goncar)

### MONDAY - January 15th Weekday

- 8:00am - Carmella Kraus (Andy & Jean Vivirito)

### TUESDAY - January 16th Weekday

- 8:00am - George Takac (All Saints Music Ministry)  
*Novena after Mass*

### WEDNESDAY - January 17th Weekday

- 8:00am - Marilou Dankmyer Saginaw - Birth  
(Mark & Pat Woodke)

### THURSDAY - January 18th Weekday

- 8:00am - Cheryl Kendra (All Saints Religious Education)

### FRIDAY - January 19th Weekday

- 8:00am - Virginia Kwas (Christian Mothers & Guild)

### SATURDAY - January 20th Weekday

- 8:00am - Dorothy Theiss (Gillner Family)

### SUNDAY - January 21st Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) Marge Gretz (Family)  
8:00am - Alexandra Cook (Jerry Sisca)  
10:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased



### 1/14/18 - "Rose For Life"

was donated in memory of  
Loretta and Jack Ganster by Rose and Terry.

### ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE WEEK OF 1/14/18

Blessed Virgin vase was donated in memory of Veronica and  
Anthony Lach (Birth) by Janie and Bill Neely

### **Today's Readings**

**First Reading** — *Speak, for your servant is listening (1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19).*

**Psalm** — *Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will (Psalm 40).*

**Second Reading** — *Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you? (1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20).*

**Gospel** — *Andrew found his brother Simon and brought him to Jesus (John 1:35-42).*

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# THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>1/14/18</b>	
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>1/15/18</b>	
Men's Bible Study	School	6:30-8:00 PM
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>1/16/18</b>	
Novena	Church	After 8:00 AM Mass
Church Cleaning	Church	9:00-10:00 AM
Youth Choir	School	4:45-5:45 PM
CCD	School	6:30-8:00 PM
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>1/17/18</b>	
Prayer Group	Church	1:30-3:30 PM
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>1/18/18</b>	
Baptism Class	Rec Mtg Rm	7:00 PM
Choir Practice	School	7:30-9:00 PM
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>1/19/18</b>	
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>1/20/18</b>	
Night at the Races	Act Bldg	8:00 PM

## **"NIGHT AT THE RACES"**

**Saturday, January 20, 2018**

**sponsored by All Saints Men's Club**

If you're getting cabin fever this winter and you're looking for a fun night out, please join us!



**POST TIME for the first race  
is 8:00 PM in the  
Activities Building**

**FREE ADMISSION**

*Must be over 21 to attend.*

To buy a horse, or if you have any questions,  
please call John at 412-781-5421.

## **Morning of Reflection for**

**All Liturgical Ministers.....**

A *Morning of Reflection* with Special Guest Speaker, Father John Marcucci, will be held on Saturday, January 20 at St Mary of the Assumption, 2510 Middle Rd, Glenshaw. **ALL** Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Music Ministers, Readers and Ushers are invited. The Theme for the Keynote Speech is: "*Liturgical Ministry: The Centering of Parish Life*". The schedule for the morning is as follows:

8:00 AM Mass - Father John Marcucci  
8:45-9:15 AM - Continental Breakfast  
9:15-10:00 AM - Keynote Talk with Father John  
10:00-10:20 AM - Question & Answer time with Father John  
10:20 - Dismissal: Individual Breakout Sessions  
All are welcome to attend.


## **DIOCESAN TOLL-FREE NUMBER FOR ABUSE RESPONSE:**

Toll Free number connected to Office of the Assistance Coordinator, Diocese of Pittsburgh, for use by anyone who feels they may be a victim of abuse by a priest or any other church personnel in the diocese. **The number is 1-888-808-1235.**



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