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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.

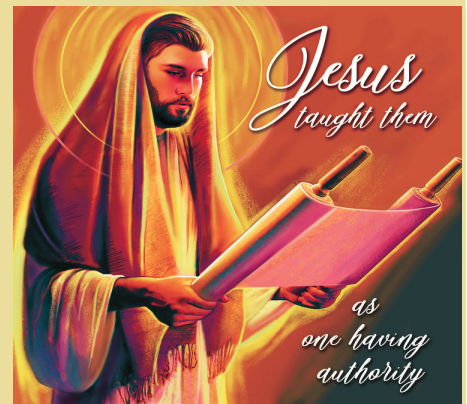
Ministry: Having knowledge of the faith and putting it into practice.

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.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 28, 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 21, 2018 = \$ 3,966.83

Offertory Envelopes - \$3,474.53	Loose Monies - \$478.30
Adult Envelopes Sent - 504	Envelopes Used - 161
Children's Envelopes - \$14.00	Envelopes Used - 14
Parish Share - \$330.00	Envelopes Used - 5
St Anthony - \$1,692.25	Envelopes Used - 93

Please remember All Saints Church in your will.

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2017 GOAL:	\$ 51,422.00
COLLECTED TO DATE:	\$ 50,340.48
BALANCE:	\$ 1,081.52

Apologetics: Learning to Defend the Catholic Faith & Her Teachings.....

Please join us at All Saints in Etna for a **FREE**, enlightening 6-part series on apologetics. Upon completion of this course, you'll be better able to defend your Catholic faith and her teachings which have been part of the Church for hundreds of years.

Topics to be presented by our instructor, Deacon Ross Dacal include:

- The Papacy (Also included here is "Why we call Mary Queen of Heaven" and "Mary's Perpetual Virginity")
- Heresies
- What is the Bible?
- Martin Luther and the Reformation
- Catholic Doctrines on Trinity & Purgatory and more
- Catholic Social Teaching

When: Thursday evenings from 6:30-7:30 PM; **February 15 & 22; March 1, 8, 15 & 22**

Where: All Saints School, 19 Dewey Street, Etna, PA 15223; Parking is available in the church parking lot across from the school and on the street.

Who: All are welcome to attend

Please RSVP by February 8, 2018 to Camille Sciullo at 412-821-2346 or csacomm@yahoo.com so we can print the correct number of handouts.

Please bring along your Bible. If you don't have one, we will have Bibles that you can borrow during the classes.

Mass of Remembrance and Healing

Join Bishop David Zubik as he celebrates Mass on Sunday, February 11, 2:30 PM at St Paul Cathedral to remember and pray for those who have died from drug addiction and to seek healing for those who have survived the death of a loved one due to drug addiction. It also is an opportunity to pray with and for those currently struggling with substance abuse.

From the desk of the Administrator

As always, it's nice to get away and it's rough coming back! I had been off to visit my friends in Arkansas. It was all great, until the phone rang that Thursday morning. My buddy's dad broke his hip! So, I got to spend a lot of time in the hospital. I am glad I was there for my buddy, his dad, and his whole family. Ministry never seems to come to an end, does it?

Being away, I wondered about germs. Well, I wonder no longer! As of press time, I am beginning to deal with something in the sinuses. Great!

While I was away I heard I missed some excitement. There was some water in the Church basement the one day. It was quickly discovered, addressed, and cleaned up. Thanks to those who saw to it. I also understand the Mandated Reporter Training was cancelled due to weather. It will be rescheduled. I'm working on that. And I did miss the official meeting about the change in the *On Mission for the Church Alive!* grouping. I did have a "heads-up" in a special phone conference prior to my departure. Quite honestly, the Priests had talked about this in a meeting MONTHS ago. Oh well. I think it is really beneficial to have the smaller group of us, Holy Spirit, St. Nicholas, and St. Bonaventure. Time will tell.


A few weeks back I left you with the cliff hanger regarding my reflections of late. I want to start rather simply.

Think about what happens at Mass. Sure we might know the names of the parts or what will transpire. Yet, what is it that happens at Mass? Of significance is the compression of time. At Mass, while we stand in the present moment, we also have "feet" in other worlds. One of them is in the past. At Mass we experience the Upper Room of the Last Supper; the death of Christ on Calvary, as well as the mystery of the empty tomb. The other "foot" stands in what is to come. Mass is to be a foretaste of heaven. How wonderful it is to "see" those gathered around the Throne of Grace praising God day and night forever.


What if we came to Mass with a different attitude by joining together the past, present, and future? I'm thinking there could be some excitement in that. As I speak the words of Institution over the host and chalice, I try to imagine this reality. Could we look forward to this awesome experience or do we come with the same "been there, done that" attitude? Think about it.

See you in Church!


Fr. Jim Dretz



Eucharistic Adoration
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin after the 8:00 AM Mass on Friday, February 2nd. All day adoration with Benediction at 6:30 PM. Please try to attend and spend some time in prayer before our Lord.



BLESSING OF THROATS
Saturday, February 3rd is the **Memorial of Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr**. It is traditional on this day to bless throats. Throats will be blessed following the 8:00 AM Mass on Saturday.





Ella Grace Tomaszewski, Robert Istenes, Cecilia Acres, Joseph D'Amico, Joseph Bursick, Barbara Volpe, 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 Curriston, 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.

Christian Mothers & Guild Meeting
Christian Mothers & Guild monthly meeting will be on Friday, February 2nd beginning with Evening Prayer at 6:30 PM. Meeting will follow in the Activities Building. Hostesses for the meeting are Carol Flickinger and Mitzi Skrbin.


Post-Abortion Weekend Retreat
A Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat for post-abortion healing will be held on March 2-4, 2018 in Millvale. To register or for more information, call Toni Jester at 412-352-5348 or email: toniafj1@comcast.net.

Lent, Easter & Pentecost Workshop
Workshop will be held on Saturday, February 10, 1:00-4:00 PM at St Mary Parish, 2510 Middle Road, Glenshaw. Catechists and parents welcome to share practical and fun ways to journey through each season. Contact Lisa Rulis at 412-486-5521 for registration details.

Groundhog Day Party
Etna Neighborhood Association's Groundhog Day Party will be held on Friday, February 2, 6:30-8:30 PM at Fugh Hall. This is a fun family party featuring free food, bingo and games for all ages! Come join us!

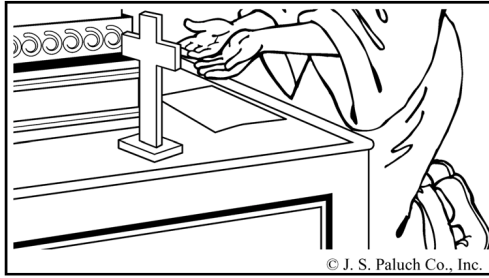
What Have You to Do with Us, Jesus of Nazareth?
The man afflicted with an unclean spirit in today's Gospel wants nothing to do with Jesus. The unclean spirit knows that Jesus has authority over him and can drive him out so that he may no longer have control over the man who is suffering. While the unclean spirit is concerned with his own needs and the power he enjoys over the man, Jesus is concerned with the man's good and the good of all who encountered this afflicted one. While not suffering with an unclean spirit, there are times when we, too, may not be particularly excited about the Lord's work in our life. We may feel that we are unprepared to do what God is asking of us, or we may simply be unwilling to answer his call because of the hardness of our hearts. As we grow deeper in faith and closer to God in love, however, we realize that everything he desires of us is for our good. The Church of Pittsburgh will be undergoing much change as a result of the *On Mission for The Church Alive!* initiative and much will be asked of us individually in response to this change. May we always welcome God's presence among us and his invitation to be loved by him and love others in return. Visit onmissionchurchalive.org to learn more and to stay informed.



God has always desired to communicate with his people. He often did so through prophets, such as Moses in this Sunday's first reading. There would be many prophets who came after Moses who added to God's Word, and then ultimately came Jesus Christ who was God incarnated as a human like us. It isn't surprising that Christ is said to have taught the scriptures in the synagogue with an authority that the scribes lacked in our Gospel reading, as he is both the author and interpreter of those words! God is still communicating with us today through reading and hearing the scriptures, through priests and teachers who help interpret the scriptures for us, through hymns and songs, through prayer, through nature, and even through the people around us. We just have to become better at listening for and noticing God speaking to us, and "harden not our hearts" to the sound of his voice!

Yours in ministry,
Tom Rishel

Grief & Loss Support Group
To be "bereaved" means to be "torn apart". When someone has lost a loved one and is torn apart they need the help of listening friends. A special showing of the DVD "Tear Soup: A Recipe For Healing After Loss" will be presented by the Listening Friends Grief Support Group at St Joseph Parish, O'Hara Township on Thursday, February 1, at 7:00 PM. To register for this FREE program call Jack at 412-508-5383.



WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY - January 28th Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) In Thanksgiving (Fr Jim Gretz)
8:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased
10:00am - John Kenst (Kathy Robinson)

MONDAY - January 29th Weekday

- 8:00am - Vince Jones (Andy & Jean Vivirito)

TUESDAY - January 30th Weekday

- 8:00am - Carmella Kraus (Christian Mothers & Guild)
Novena after Mass

WEDNESDAY - January 31st St John Bosco

- 8:00am - Edward Oresic (Rita Jones & Family)

THURSDAY - February 1st Weekday

- 8:00am - Henry Orosz (Wife, Barbara)

FRIDAY - February 2nd The Presentation of the Lord

- 8:00am - Robert L. Fabiszewski (Charles & Lois Rodgers)
*All day Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
with Evening Prayer/Benediction at 6:30 PM*

SATURDAY - February 3rd Weekday

- 8:00am - Edward Allen (George & Kay Coholich)

SUNDAY - February 4th Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased
8:00am - In Honor of the 62nd Wedding Anniversary of
Charles & Lois Rodgers
10:00am - Val Jurksaitis (Wife, Pearl)



1/28/18 - "Rose For Life"

was donated for a *Special Intention* by
Denise Bowland.

Please remember in your prayers the soul of :

LOIS (DOLLY) WAGNER
Mother of Bill and Kathy Wagner

May she rest in Christ's Peace.



Catholic Schools

National Catholic Schools Week is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. Please help us keep Catholic Education alive in our area by donating to North Hills Regional Catholic Elementary Schools. Please visit <http://nhres.org/day-of-giving> to make a donation between 9:00 AM, January 30 until 9:00 AM, January 31. No amount is too small, every dollar matters.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY

1/28/18

COFFEE & DONUTS: You're invited to stop by the Activities Building for coffee and donuts after the 8:00 & 10:00 AM Sunday Masses. All Saints Men's Club will be hosting this event.



MONDAY

1/29/18

Men's Bible Study School 6:30-8:00 PM
Folk Group Practice School 7:30 PM

TUESDAY

1/30/18

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

WEDNESDAY

1/31/18

Prayer Group Church 1:30-3:30 PM

THURSDAY

2/1/18

Choir Practice School 7:30-9:00 PM

FRIDAY

2/2/18

Exposition Church After 8:00 AM Mass
Evening Prayer/Benediction Church 6:30 PM
CM&G Meeting Act Bldg After Evening Prayer

SATURDAY

2/3/18



We would like to celebrate **World Marriage Day** at All Saints on **February 10-11** by displaying hearts with married couple's names and marriage date. Please submit your first and last names along with marriage date (month-day-year). Mark on the envelope **World Marriage Day** and put into collection basket or through the rectory mail slot. Please submit no later than Sunday, February 4, 2018

Catholic Charities News

All Saints Ladies of Charity is sponsoring a collection of various items for the **Susan Zubick Warming Station** located in the Catholic Charities Building, 9th Street, downtown Pittsburgh. Items needed are: tea bags, coffee, cocoa, creamer, sugar, sweet & low packets, pre-packaged snacks (peanut butter crackers, granola/cereal bars), Mr Coffee



Filters, stirrers, disposable cups, Ramen cup of noodles, fruit and applesauce cups, oatmeal, plastic spoons and forks, paper napkins, disinfectant wipes, garbage bags, paper towels. **Please drop off items in the Bin labeled Catholic Charities in the back of church by Sunday, February 25th.** Thank you for your support of this project to help the homeless during these winter months.





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