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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.

APRIL 10, 2016

**THIRD SUNDAY
OF EASTER**



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 7:00-9:00 PM. See bulletin for monthly Mass time.

All Saints Food Pantry:

2nd Wednesday of the month - 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.

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

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Offertory Envelopes - \$5,330.00	Loose Monies - \$498.00
Adult Envelopes Sent - 504	Envelopes Used - 232
Children's Envelopes - \$11.25	Envelopes Used - 10
Parish Share - \$1,833.00	Envelopes Used - 66

Please remember All Saints Church in your will.

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2015 GOAL:	\$ 51,607.00
COLLECTED TO DATE:	\$ 19,395.00
BALANCE:	\$ 32,212.00

Redemption

Do you remember Peter on the night Jesus was arrested? He claimed he had never heard of Jesus. Today we are called to join Peter in testifying to the name of Jesus as he does in the first reading, and in proclaiming our love for him as Peter does in the Gospel passage. The powerful imagery of John's vision in the second reading from the book of Revelation shows us the company we keep when we have faith in the name of Jesus. We join all living creatures, "countless in number" from "heaven, earth, under the earth, in the sea; everything in the universe" (Revelation 5:11, 13). The dignity and majesty described in each reading are in stark contrast to the dark and pitiful image of Peter and the other apostles at the time of Jesus' arrest, trial, and crucifixion. What a relief that we can all be redeemed so completely!

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Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

Jesus invited the disciples to "Come and Have breakfast." At this beach breakfast and the Last Supper Jesus teaches us meals should be more than eating. Family meals are opportunities to share prayer, listen to each other's stories, understand and support one another.

Better than Miracles

Suffering out of love of God is better than working miracles.

—St. John of the Cross

Just Do It

Whatever you can do or dream you can, begin it. Boldness has genius, power, and magic in it.

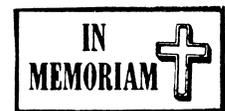
—Attributed to Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

From the Desk of the Administrator

You know how sometimes you receive a message via some form of media, and you know exactly what it's going to say? More than likely you already know that the message is the bearer of bad news. It can happen at any time to any of us.

Well, that happened to me this past week. I received a notice telling me of the death of Dorothy Kutchka. "Grandma Dot," as she was known to the grandkids, is the mom of my buddy Jay in Arkansas. She had been on our parish prayer list for a year or so. She had cancer.

As I learned of Grandma Dot's passing, I thought about her life. She always reminded me of the proper southern woman. She was always so impeccably dressed and coiffed. When she spoke, that too was so meticulous. When I visited last fall, she was sick, yet still so proper in every respect. She will be missed by her husband Joe, her sons Jeff, Jay, and Jody, and the grandkids. May she rest in peace. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.



My expected, yet unexpected, trip to Arkansas this past week put a small wrench in my schedule. However, the things we do for the love of others is so great, isn't it? I just had to be there for Jay and his family.

Yet life goes on, doesn't it? You see that in some inserts in today's bulletin.

One of the bulletin inserts is directly about us. With the arrival of the Christ Child Society, we have to liquidate our railroad. So, at the end of the month we will be having a sale. There's lots of good bargains to be had, if you're into trains, toy cars, and ceramic houses. Come to the sale. And Shhh! There's a secret to all this. Friday from 7-9:00 PM there is a Parishioner ONLY pre-sale!!!!

The other bulletin insert is indirectly about us. It is another of the continuing series of On Mission for the Church Alive! Planning Process updates. Let's keep this process at the center of our prayers so that through the Pascal Mystery – the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus – we too may be alive in Him.

See you in Church!

Fr. Jim Dretz



Marge Spinella, Ronald Molinero, Tom Toborkey, David Hufnagel, Marie T. Schran, Christine Sirlin, Tom Stumpf, Ida Fowler, Father Garry Patriquin, Mildred Hoffman, Sister Ida Mary Lutz, Louise Wyzomirski, Carol Sees, Rose

Golden, Eileen Dougherty, Erin Schmitt, Joseph Wittman, Alice Smolkovich, Patricia Currison, Jason Wolling, Gina Sienko, Emma Oresic, William Milcic, Marilyn Moeller, Fran Stiltz, Mary Jo Sciuillo, Susan Killmeyer, Charles Robinson, Anthony Sciuillo, Maria Wolownik, Lisa Lindsey, Katherine Rodack, Kathy Cook, Margaret Goodrich, 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.



Please remember in your prayers the soul of :
DONALD FLICKINGER

May he rest in Christ's Peace.

Ladies of Charity "Thank You"

All Saints Ladies of Charity would like to thank our parishioners for their generosity, and support for the St Vincent De Paul Society. With your donations at our "Meager Meal" and in your support of LOC, \$700.00 was given to the St Vincent De Paul Society of All Saints Parish. Thank you again for your generous spirit.

2016 Altar Flower Memorials

These Altar Flower Memorial dates are available for 2016:

- 4/24 St Joseph
- 5/1 Sanctuary (2)
- 5/8 Sanctuary (2)
- 5/15 Sanctuary (2), St Joseph
- 5/22 Sanctuary (2), Blessed Virgin, St Joseph
- 5/29 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.**

Magnificat Pittsburgh Prayer Breakfast

Ladies, come to the Magnificat Pittsburgh prayer breakfast on May 7, 9:00 AM-Noon, at the Crowne Plaza in Greene Tree. Hear speaker Sr. Therese Marie Iglesias tell her story of her renewal of her Catholic faith. Cost is \$20.00. To register, call Pam at 412-461-8906 or Kay at 724-772-6749 by April 29.

Pittsburgh Catholic This Week

This special issue is about *On Mission for the Church Alive!* and includes the following: Letter to the Faithful from Bishop David Zubik; Why we are On Mission; Membership of the On Mission Commission, Steering Committees and Parish Teams; On Mission consultation process and timeline; How the faith can come alive in your family. Take the time to read all about *On Mission for the Church Alive!* this week.

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On Mission for The Church Alive!

This week's issue of the Pittsburgh Catholics is being mailed to registered homes throughout the diocese to continue our study of "On Mission for The Church Alive!" The bottom line in "on Mission" is our understanding of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus in today's world and what that means to each of us. We are his disciples. And as his disciples we want to make new disciples. That is our vocation, our call in this life and our mission. How can we best live that out today in our parishes?

Be sure to read this informative issue of the Pittsburgh Catholic to keep up to date with "On Mission for The Church Alive!" and visit www.OnMissionChurchAlive.org.



BOX

If you think about it, our liturgy is full of acclamations. There are the more obvious ones, like the Memorial Acclamation or the

Gospel Acclamation, and there are more subtle acclamations such as when we say "Thanks be to God!" at the end of readings and at the end of Mass. An acclamation is a ritual verbal expression of approval or benediction. When we recite or sing these acclamations, we give our assent to what came before or what comes after it – our own seal of approval, if you will. A very well known acclamation is given by the angels in the Second Reading from Revelation: "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing." This acclamation has been the basis for many hymns over the centuries. It was used in the final movement in Handel's "Messiah". It is part of the text for the hymn "Festival Canticle: This Is the Feast", and has been incorporated into many contemporary christian hymns and songs as well. This acclamation directly references the death and resurrection of Christ, and perfectly voices our joy and praise for his gift of salvation. That is perhaps why it has been set to music so many times in different eras of history. We long to sing it with the many angels around the throne of God!

Yours in ministry,
Tom Rishel



Dear Family of All Saints,
Our family would like to thank you for your prayers, condolences and support in the loss of our Mother, Agnes Huber Giel. Agnes lived a long and happy life and will be sadly missed by friends and family; and you being present meant so much to us.

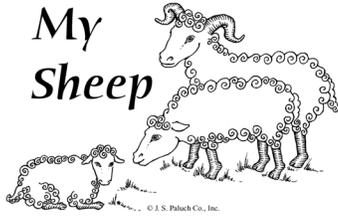
The Giel Family

Shaler Garden Club's Plant Sale

Perennial and Annual Plants along with Bake Sale, Basket Auction, Flea Market & Crafts at Kwanis Park on Saturday, May 7th, 9:00 AM-12:00 PM ("rain or shine").

Feed

*My
Sheep*



WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY - April 10th Third Sunday of Easter

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) Nicholas DiDiano - Birth
(Barbara Volpe & John Dukovich)
8:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased
10:00am - Gina Newton (Newton Family)
12:00pm - Anointing Mass

MONDAY - April 11th St Stanislaus

- 8:00am - Eugene McGrady (Joyce McIntyre)

TUESDAY - April 12th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Special Intention of First Communion Class
(Norm & April Giel)
Novena after Mass

WEDNESDAY - April 13th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - M/M Anthony Putze (The Bentlejewski Family)

THURSDAY - April 14th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Janet Ujcich Rosenberger - Birth
(Sharon Ujcich & Joe Lubich)

FRIDAY - April 15th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Barbara Cavlovic (Ramage Family)

SATURDAY - April 16th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - James, Jr & Richard Juran (Lois & Charles Rodgers)

SUNDAY - April 17th Fourth Sunday of Easter

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased
8:00am - Dorothy Strusienski (Donna Kasperowski)
10:00am - Rosemary Haberman (All Saints Choir)



4/10/16 - "Rose For Life"

was donated in memory of
Lillian M Thompson by daughter, Fay.

ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE WEEK OF 4/10/16

Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of
Jean (Jenny) Becki by E. Ruskiewicz.

Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of
Clara Lach (Anniv) by Jane and Bill Neely.

Blessed Virgin vase was donated in memory of
our parents by Charles and Lois Rodgers.

St Joseph vase was donated in memory of Sam and Eleanor
Robinson by daughters, Kathy and Mary Jane.



THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY	4/10/16	
Anointing Mass	Church	12:00 PM
MONDAY	4/11/16	
Men's Bible Study	School	6:30-8:00 PM
Women's Bible Study	School	6:30-8:00 PM
TUESDAY	4/12/16	
Novena	Church	After 8:00 AM Mass
Women's Bible Study	School	9:00 - 10:30AM
CCD	School	6:30-8:00 PM
WEDNESDAY	4/13/16	
Food Bank	School	11:00 AM-2:00 PM
Prayer Group	Church	2:00-4:00 PM
THURSDAY	4/14/16	
Choir	School	7:30-9:00 PM
FRIDAY	4/15/16	
SATURDAY	4/16/16	

Christian Mothers May Party

Christian Mothers & Guild May Party will be held at Grants Bar in Millvale on Monday, May 2nd. Cost is \$15.00. Dinner will be served at 6:30 PM. The deadline to register is Sunday, April 24th. If you would like to attend, call Cathy at 412-781-4788. All are welcome to attend.

Parish Pirate Game???

Is anyone interested in joining the **Men's Club at the Pirates Faith Night** game against the Milwaukee Brewers on Wednesday, July 20th? We can get Grandstand Tickets at a group rate of \$17 per ticket. The Men's Club will provide transportation to and from the game. If interested, please contact Dave at 412-781-5793 or djetna@aol.com by Sunday, May 1st so that we can determine if there is enough interest to put this event together.



Emmanuel Lutheran Church

The Christian Fellowship Sunday School Class of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Grant and Highland Avenues, is sponsoring its Annual Spaghetti Dinner at the church on Saturday, April 16, 4:00-7:00 PM. Tickets available at the door: \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children under 12.

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