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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.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 14, 2017



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.

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/>

Weekly Collections
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SUNDAY - MAY 7, 2017 = \$ 5,805.43

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| Offertory Envelopes - \$5,326.00 | Loose Monies - \$452.18 |
| Adult Envelopes Sent - 504 | Envelopes Used - 231 |
| Children's Envelopes - \$27.25 | Envelopes Used - 20 |
| Parish Share - \$1,703.00 | Envelopes Used - 63 |

Please remember All Saints Church in your will.

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| 2017 GOAL: | \$ 51,422.00 |
| COLLECTED TO DATE: | \$ 13,081.48 |
| BALANCE: | \$ 38,340.52 |

The Way

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that he is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21 or Jn 17:1-11a

Motherhood

All mothers are working mothers.

—Anonymous



From the desk of the Administrator

On Mother's Day, we can think about so many connotations of motherhood. First a word of gratitude to our mothers and grandmothers for giving us life. Thanks too to godmothers and all givers of life out there. Happy Mother's Day.

We can think of our motherland, these United States. We should be saying a prayer for our land. We need it!

Of course, there is Our Lady, the Blessed Mother. This is traditionally her month.

Finally, there is our mother the Church. That one is first and foremost on MY mind.

As we think about the Church, I call your attention to the insert in today's bulletin about the *On Mission for the Church Alive!* Planning Process. I NEED your input, PLEASE!

Remember that this week there are TWO (2) Town Hall meetings taking place. One is Thursday, 18 May from 7:30-9:00 PM. The other is Friday, 19 May from 2:30-4:00 PM. Both are in the Activities Building.

If you are unable to attend one of the sessions, I need your input by Friday. Feel free to drop the survey in the rectory mail slot, PLEASE. If you need a survey, please let us know.

If you are able to come to one of the meetings, you can complete the survey then. I truly look forward to our time together at these meetings.

Whenever and where ever, I NEED your input. I need a sense of what you all are thinking. I was recently asked if anyone said anything to me about the information I gave last week. Honestly, I haven't heard a peep, not even from the rumor mill! What's up with that? That scares me a bit. Has the rumor mill been put to pasture? Wow. Anyway...

What DO you think of the current grouping? Is it the right one? What are the strengths of it? What are its drawbacks? Are there alternatives? Looking down the road, are there any concerns or suggestions as we look forward to implementation in the fall of 2018? As the old ad used to say, "Enquiring minds want to know!"

So, if you are a regular Mass goer here, you MUST make it your duty to come to one of these meetings or at least fill out a survey. I have no choice but to "Catholic Guilt" you into participating. Sorry I have to do that to you.

See you in Church—and in the Activities Building for the meetings this week!!!

Fr. Jim Dretz



Paul Sammartino, Dave Marcoly, Thomas V. Rishel, Jason Fleishner, Bart Riley, Carol Sees, Ed Oresic, Kathy Rishel, Ryan Woodrow, Ronald Molinero, David Hufnagel, Marie T. Schran, Tom Stumpf, Ida Fowler, Father Garry Patriquin, Mildred Hoffman, Rose Golden, Eileen

Dougherty, Erin Schmitt, Joseph Wittman, Alice Smolkovich, Patricia Currison, Jason Wolling, Emma Oresic, Fran Stiltz, Mary Jo Sciuillo, Susan Killmeyer, Charles Robinson, 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.

Catholic Relief Services Collection

The second collection next weekend on May 20 and 21 will be a combined collection for **Catholic Relief Services**; the **Church in Central and Eastern Europe**; the **Church in Latin America**; and the **Church in Africa**. The proceeds from this single drive will be divided among the four appeals. Your envelope packet contains a special envelope for this collection. Thank you for your generosity.



Congratulations to 13 of our own All Saints Ladies of Charity on their Service Award Medal given to Ladies of Charity who have served 25+ years. **Congratulations to the following: Florence Bogusz, Loretta Boselovic, Eileen Eibeck, Carol Flickinger, Rita Jones, Ann Mae Kenst, Harriet Lenz, Pat Oresic, Kathleen Robinson, Frances Skrbn, Fran Stiltz, Jean Vivirito and Kathleen Wagner.** May God bless you for all your service in simplicity, humility and charity to the poor, sick and elderly of our community.

Ladies of Charity Meeting
The Ladies of Charity will meet on Saturday, May 20, 9:00 AM in the Activities Building. It is hoped that as many members as are able will attend 8:00 AM Mass prior to the meeting. A light breakfast will be served. Hostesses are: Pat Oresic, Mary Lou Tutchko and Jean Vivirito.

81st International Rosary March

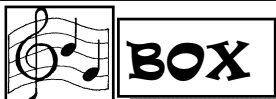
The Legion of Mary, in collaboration with the Diocese of Pittsburgh, is sponsoring the 81st International Eucharistic Rosary March on Sunday, May 21st, with Bishop William Winter, STD. This event will coincide with the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima's appearance in Portugal. Liturgy of the Word at 1:30 PM at Epiphany Church. Procession will follow with the Blessed Sacrament and Statue of Our Lady of Fatima through the city returning to Epiphany Church. For information call 412-882-3027.

Mass for Healing

The Fraternity of Priests will celebrate a Mass for healing on Wednesday, May 31, 7:00 PM at St Bonaventure Church in Glenshaw. You are invited to come and celebrate the Eucharist with them, expecting the healing presence of the Lord Jesus, as at every Mass, to touch you in all of your needs.



**ON MISSION:
A NEW PENTECOST**
Come, Holy Spirit and fill us with your gifts of Wisdom and Understanding. Give us wisdom so that we may be open to your ways and know your will for our lives and for the Church of Pittsburgh. Give us understanding as we follow Christ that we may comprehend his message of loving God and others before ourselves. As we journey *On Mission for The Church Alive!* inspire us to be open and trusting to the changes that await us and strengthen us to live our baptismal call of building up the Kingdom of God on earth. Visit onmissionchurchalive.org to stay informed.



There are many ways the Lord blesses and cares for us. This is one of the primary messages we can derive from the scriptures this Sunday. The First Reading from Acts shows how the early Church appointed people to minister to widows in the Greek communities so they would no longer be neglected. The Lord shows his care through those who minister in his Church. The responsorial psalm assures us that God has mercy on those who trust in him, even delivering them from death and preserving them from famine! The Lord shows his care for us by his mercy. In the Gospel reading, the Lord shows his care by his promise to prepare a place in heaven for each of us who comes to the Father through Christ. The Lord shows his care by his gift of eternal life in Christ. We are truly blessed to serve a God who cares for us so abundantly!

Another way that God cares for us is by giving us our mothers. I hope that every mother has a happy and blessed Mother's Day! Of course we cannot celebrate Mother's Day without recognizing our Holy Mother, Mary. That is why our recessional hymn is a favorite Marian hymn to many: "On This Day, O Beautiful Mother".

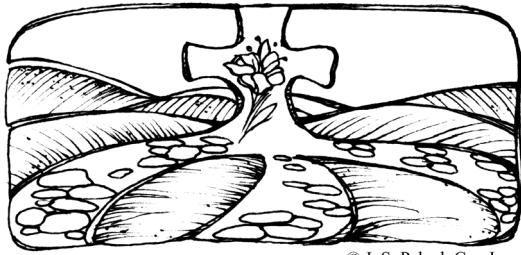
Yours in ministry,
Tom Rishel

Diabetes Support Group

Persons with diabetes are encouraged to learn about their condition and adopt a healthy lifestyle. A Diabetes Support Group will be held at UPMC St Margaret, Cafeteria A and B, 815 Freeport Road, on Thursday, May 18 from 6:15-7:30 PM. Program is free. Free parking and light refreshments. Registration is required. To register, call 412-784-4194.

Duquesne University Open House

Duquesne University's largest open house event, **DuquesneFest**, will be held this summer on Sunday, June 11, beginning at 8:00 AM. This exciting day is a fun way for Fall 2017 high school seniors to learn more about the University. Register online at www.duq.edu/duquesnefest.



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WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY - May 14 Fifth Sunday of Easter

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) Special Intention
- 8:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased
- 10:00am - Special Intention

MONDAY - May 15th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - John Kenst (M/M James T Claus)

TUESDAY - May 16th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Virginia Kwas (JoAnn Zajackowski)
- Novena after Mass*

WEDNESDAY - May 17th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Mary Perrotte (Jean Peterson)

THURSDAY - May 18th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Gary R Springer (The Gretz Family)

FRIDAY - May 19th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Sr. Ida Mary Lutz (Farmerie & Rishel Families)

SATURDAY - May 20th Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - Irene Kotkiewicz (Terry & Mike)

SUNDAY - May 21st Sixth Sunday of Easter

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) Ann Regan (Judy Montgomery & Patty Walzer)
- 8:00am - Agnes Giel (John & Kathy Leight)
- 10:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased

Marriage Moments by Susan Vogt

Mother's Day. "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." (John 15:13) In addition to Jesus who has given their life for you? Perhaps it is your mother, or someone who has been like a mother to you. As a spouse, be mindful of laying down your life each day for your beloved.



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5/14/17 - "Rose For Life"

was donated in memory of
All Mothers - Living and Deceased.

ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE WEEK OF 5/14/17

Both sanctuary vases were donated in memory of
Bill Dougherty (Anniv) by his family.

Blessed Virgin vase was donated in memory of
Mary E Steinmetz (Birth) by Mary Lee Steinmetz.

St Joseph vase was donated In Honor of the 57th
Wedding Anniversary of Joe and Mary Lou Tutchko.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY 5/14/17

 Happy Mother's Day 

MONDAY 5/15/17
"40 Minutes with Jesus" Church 6:30-7:10 PM
Men's Bible Study School 6:30-8:00 PM

TUESDAY 5/16/17
Election Day Voting Act Bldg 7:00 AM-8:00 PM
Novena Church After 8:00 AM Mass
Church Cleaning Church 9:00-10:00 AM
"40 Minutes with Jesus" Church 6:30-7:10 PM

WEDNESDAY 5/17/17
Prayer Group Church 1:30-3:30 PM
Men & Women Bible Study School 6:30-8:00 PM

THURSDAY 5/18/17
"40 Minutes with Jesus" Church 6:30-7:10 PM
Town Hall Mtg Act Bldg 7:30-9:00 PM
Choir Practice School 7:30-9:00 PM

FRIDAY 5/19/17
Town Hall Mtg Act Bldg 2:30-4:00 PM
"40 Minutes with Jesus" Church 6:30-7:10 PM

SATURDAY 5/20/17
Ladies of Charity Mtg Act Bldg 9:00 AM



COFFEE & DONUTS
sponsored by All Saints Men's Club
Join us next Sunday, May 21,
following the 8:00 & 10:00 AM
Masses in the Activities Building.

Festival "Scratch-And-Win"

We are asking all parishioners to purchase one or more of the 'scratch-and-win' state lottery tickets and donate them to the festival. The week of the summer festival, everyone will be able to purchase tickets to win. All of the lottery tickets collected will be raffled off on the last day of the festival, Saturday, July 22, 2017. Just drop them in the rectory mail slot or in the collection baskets. One person will win all the tickets. **MUST BE 18 YEARS OF AGE TO PARTICIPATE.**



Trunk Sale

Trunk Sale, Saturday, May 20, 8:30 AM - Noon, St Mary's Parking Lot, 2510 Middle Road, Glenshaw. Grab your "stuff", throw it in your trunk or SUV, and SELL! SELL! SELL! Set up is 8:00 AM. Parking spaces are \$15.00 (for 2 spaces: one for your vehicle and one to set up stuff). Any supplies you need (tables, tents, chairs, etc) are your responsibility. For information call 412-486-5521/email ccdoffice@stmaryglenshaw.org.

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Please drop Membership Form into the offertory basket or mail to the Rectory.