

# 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.

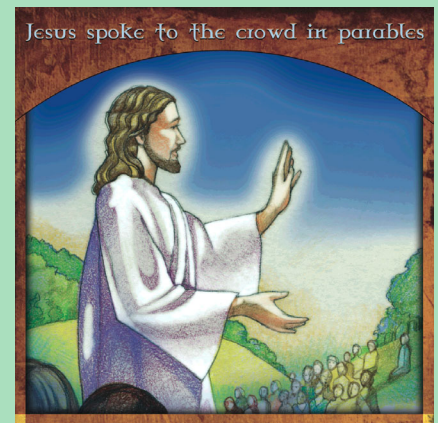
**Ministry:** Having knowledge of the faith and putting it into practice.

**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.

## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### JULY 23, 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/>



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**SUNDAY - JULY 16, 2017 = \$ 4,363.25**

Offertory Envelopes - \$4,051.00	Loose Monies - \$302.00
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Children's Envelopes - \$10.25	Envelopes Used - 10
Parish Share - \$313.00	Envelopes Used - 11

*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>\$ 21,733.48</b>
<b>BALANCE:</b>	<b>\$ 29,688.52</b>

**The Mercy, Power, and Love of God**

*The first reading today, from the book of Wisdom, makes its point over and over, at least five times in five verses! God is mighty, but lenient to all. God's power is shown in kindness and clemency, not in harshness and condemnation, and those who govern God's people must govern in the same way, with kindness. This loving kindness and gentleness is not contrary to God's might, but is a direct result of God's primacy over all. Who are we, then, to judge what is in the hearts of our fellow Christians and all people, when God commands justice with love and clemency?*

*Likewise, the Holy Spirit makes up for our ignorance of what we need, speaking in a language we do not yet understand. But God knows our needs before we do, understands the intercessions of the Spirit, and helps us in our weakness. This is our hope: God's mercy, power, and love.*

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**Readings for the Week**

- Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-6; Mt 12:38-42
- Tuesday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28
- Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
- Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Dn 3:52-56; Mt 13:10-17
- Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23
- Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
- Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 [44-46]

***"A society will be judged on the basis of how it treats its weakest members; and among the most vulnerable are surely the unborn and the dying."***  
—Pope John Paul II

**From the desk of the Administrator**

As press time is in the midst of festival, I can give a full report on that next week. Stay tuned!

So, I was away to the National Association of Pastoral Musicians annual convention in Cincinnati last week. The theme was "Formed as One: Unity of Voices, Unity of Hearts". As usual, I'd like to share what took place.

The week was filled with celebrities. Ok, not of the Hollywood or sports variety. There were a number of musical composers there. I chatted with my hero, Fr. Paul Turner, a Priest of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, MO. He is THE BEST liturgical-sacramental theologian in the American Church today – or is that SECOND best??? I chatted with lesser known celebrities, like Sallie. She's from North Carolina. We only see each other at the conventions. While she is engaged in music ministry at her parish, she speaks about the need to overcome drug additions. Why? Her son died of an overdose a couple years back. Talk about a celebrity, right?

The week was filled with learning. There was lots to be reminded of in the plenum sessions.

Msgr. Rick Hilgartner, former NPM president, reminded us that God calls us together. He further stated that the role of the pastoral musician is to create something beautiful for God.

Dr. Tim O'Malley reminded us that our unity as a Church is in Christ. There is no magic in what we do; we must pass along what was given to us.

Kelly Adamson, in speaking about the Liturgy of the Hours, reminded us that there is a continuity to our prayer across time – past, present, and future joined together – when we pray.

Tony Alonso reminded us how easily we point fingers at "those people" who are "wrong". However, they are doing the same thing in OUR direction! We can find some unity in what we do.

Finally, the triad of Rachele Kramer, M. Roger Holland, II, and Rita Thiron took us home. Ms. Kramer said we need to get back to the basics. We must be disciples to go make disciples. Mr. Holland said we need to be people of hospitality, integrated, and working together. Ms. Thiron said we need to begin at the end of Mass. The dismissal at Mass says to GO. We need to get the people inside the church building to go out on mission; we can't expect those outside the building to just come in on their own.

See you in Church!

*Fr. Jim Gretz*

**115TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF ALL SAINTS CHURCH**



Instead of the usual First Friday All Day Adoration in August, we will do so on **Thursday, August 3rd following the 8:00 AM Mass.** We will conclude with Evening Prayer and Benediction beginning at 7:00 PM.



Norma Hufnagel, Marge Reese, Elena Kime, Bernard Szewcow, Matthew Mika, Patricia White, 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, Patricia Currison, Jason Wolling, Emma Oresic, 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.



Please remember in your prayers the soul of :

**JOSEPH RIHN**

May he rest in Christ's Peace.

**2017 Altar Flower Memorials**

These Altar Flower Memorial dates are available for 2017:

- 8/6 Sanctuary (2)
- 8/13 Sanctuary (2), St Joseph
- 9/3 Sanctuary (2), Blessed Virgin, St Joseph
- 9/10 Sanctuary (2), Blessed Virgin, St Joseph
- 9/17 Sanctuary (2), Blessed Virgin



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

**FREE Dental Clinic**

**Mission of Mercy Pittsburgh** is a FREE dental clinic, where our underserved friends and neighbors can receive the care they need. The clinic will be held on July 28-29 at the A.J. Palumbo Center (on the Duquesne University Campus). Details for the event, including how to become a volunteer are located at [www.mompgh.org](http://www.mompgh.org). If you have questions, contact Kayleigh Fontana at 412-391-6369.

**Beginning Experience**

The loss of a spouse through separation, divorce or death is a traumatic experience. The **Beginning Experience** weekend is intended to help those who would like to pass through the grief and begin to move forward with their lives. The next retreat weekend will be **September 15-17, 2017** at the Martina Spiritual Renewal Center, 5244 Clarwin Avenue in West View. Possible financial assistance is available. For more information, visit [www.BeginningExperience.org](http://www.BeginningExperience.org) or make a confidential call to Mary at 412-523-2405.



**BUILDING THE KINGDOM OF GOD**

In today's Gospel Jesus compares the kingdom of God to a number of different things: a man who sowed good seed, a mustard seed, and yeast. Similarly, there is now one way to build up the kingdom of God in the Church. As the *On Mission for The Church Alive!* initiative progresses, our parishes will be restructured to better serve the needs of our communities, but the results will not be cookie-cutter. In fact, each grouping of parishes will be asked to discover the best ways to build up the kingdom of God in light of the unique situations of their families and neighborhoods. In the end, it is hoped that the Church, the body of Christ, will grow and flourish as we focus on how God is life and alive in us. What gifts has God planted in your heart that can allow his love and goodness to be shared with others? Visit [onmissionchurchalive.org](http://onmissionchurchalive.org) to learn more and to stay informed.



**BOX**

The Word of God can often be difficult to understand. Even Jesus' disciples at times had difficulty grasping what Jesus was trying to explain to them. That is why Jesus often spoke in parables – simple stories used to illustrate a moral or spiritual lesson – to help them, and us, to understand his message. Sometimes we all need a little help in understanding what is being communicated to us in the scriptures. We can always turn to prayer and pray that God might help us to understand his message to us! Our offertory hymn, Jesse Manibusan's "Open My Eyes", gives us a blueprint for a simple prayer to help our understanding. *Open my eyes, Lord, help me to see your face. Open my ears, Lord, help me to hear your voice.*

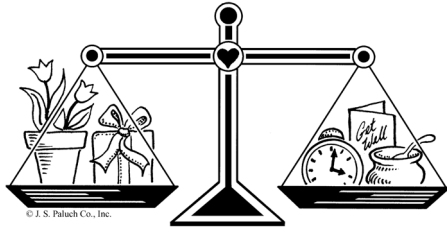
Yours in ministry,  
Tom Rishel

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## WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

### SUNDAY - July 23rd Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) Michele (Thomas) Keehn (Nancy Legler)  
8:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased  
10:00am - Sr. Ida Mary Lutz (All Saints Choir)

### MONDAY - July 24th Weekday

- 8:00am - Matthew Ryan Menikheim (Rectenwald Family)

### TUESDAY - July 25th St James

- 8:00am - Joseph Didiano (Barb Volpe & John Dukovich)  
*Novena after Mass*

### WEDNESDAY - July 26th Saints Joachim & Anne

- 8:00am - Anne Johnston (Daughter)

### THURSDAY - July 27th Weekday

- 8:00am - Theresa Werner (Family)

### FRIDAY - July 28th Weekday

- 8:00am - William Milcic - Anniv (Wife, Elsie)

### SATURDAY - July 29th St Martha

- 8:00am - Zane Shoffstall (Kozlowski Family)

### SUNDAY - July 30th Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased  
8:00am - Charles & Nellie Klepin (Mary Lou & Joe Tutchko)  
10:00am - Elizabeth Schultz (Helen Samber)



### 7/23/17 - "Rose For Life"

was donated in memory of  
Zane Shoffstall by the Kozlowski family.

### ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE WEEK OF 7/23/17

- Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of  
Robert Kwas (Birth) by his family.  
Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of  
Romualda Moe by her family.  
Blessed Virgin vase was donated in memory of  
Jeanie Kwas by her family.  
Saint Joseph vase was donated in memory of  
Robert and Jane Kwas by their family.

### Parenting Pointers by Susan Vogt

When speaking to your kids (or anyone) consider these proverbs:  
"It is better to leave angry words unspoken than to mend the heart  
those words have broken." and "The tongue is the only instrument  
that gets sharper with use."

# THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY	7/23/17	
MONDAY	7/24/17	
TUESDAY	7/25/17	
Novena	Church	After 8:00 AM Mass
Church Cleaning	Church	9:00-10:00 AM
WEDNESDAY	7/26/17	
Prayer Group	Church	1:30-3:30 PM
THURSDAY	7/27/17	
FRIDAY	7/28/17	
SATURDAY	7/29/17	



## ETNA COMMUNITY DAY SATURDAY, AUGUST 5 NOON - 4:00 PM



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### **North Hills Community Outreach News**

North Hills Community Outreach has always welcomed fresh produce donations for our clients. To make it easier for local gardeners to donate produce, NHCO has joined AmpleHarvest.org. which enables local backyard/community gardeners to easily locate neighborhood food pantries to share their excess garden bounty with neighbors in need. Visit AmpleHarvest.org for more information.

NHCO offers multiple programs aimed at helping people attain self-sufficiency, including employment help. Those seeking help with career counseling, updating a resume, job search techniques and more can contact NHCO Resource Coordinator Jackie Boggs at [jmboggs@nhco.org](mailto:jmboggs@nhco.org) or call 412-408-3830 x3217.

*Ask The Attorney Sessions for Low-income Families:* Free legal consultation for noncriminal matters such as divorce, bankruptcy, credit issues, family matters, rent disputes and more is available for families in need on the third Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM except December. The next ATA session is NHCO, Allison Park, on September 20. Attendees MUST preregister by contacting Jackie at [jmboggs@nhco.org](mailto:jmboggs@nhco.org) or call 412-408-3830 x3217.

### **Little Sisters of the Poor Rummage Sale**

The Little Sisters of the Poor, 1028 Benton Avenue, Brighton Heights, are having a Rummage Sale of clothing, furniture, household items, jewelry, books and assorted items. The sale is August 10, 11 and 12, from 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM daily. Saturday is the "Bag Sale." Proceeds benefit the elderly Residents living at the Home. For information call 412-307-1100.



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