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Monday-Friday
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
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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.

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 13, 2015



Jesus rebuked Peter: "Get behind me, Satan!"

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 & 4th Wednesdays of the month - 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM.

Weekly Collections
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SUNDAY - 9/6/15 = \$ 5,540.75

Offertory Envelopes - \$5,348.00	Loose Monies - \$183.75
Adult Envelopes Sent - 504	Envelopes Used - 197
Children's Envelopes - \$9.00	Envelopes Used - 5
Parish Share - \$1,280.00	Envelopes Used - 46
Stained Glass Windows - \$60.00	Total - \$326,335.86

Please remember All Saints Church in your will.

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2015 GOAL:	\$ 53,143.00
COLLECTED TO DATE:	\$ 26,579.00
BALANCE:	\$ 26,564.00

Servant

Sometimes the hour and the person meet. Sometimes, when a task or mission is set upon our shoulders, we know we must meet our responsibilities and we are ready. These are heady and invigorating times. The first reading and the Gospel proclamation today are intimate glimpses of a commencement, an inauguration of a challenging future. In both readings, a sense of gravity prevails.

The first reading is from the mysterious Servant Songs from the book of Isaiah. The person is steadfast and brave. His courage and bravery are not located in his stout heart, but in God. We are reminded, "The Lord GOD opens my ear that I may hear" (Isaiah 50:4), so the servant understands the mission. And twice, "The Lord GOD is my help" (50:7, 9), so that the servant can endure the coming struggle.

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38;
 Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-3ab, 5-6;
 Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35

Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16; Ps 111:7-10; Lk 7:36-50

Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 8:4-15

Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jas 3:16 —
 4:3; Mk 9:30-37

Pope Francis' Visit on EWTN

Join EWTN for Pope Francis' visit to the U.S.! EWTN will provide live coverage of the Holy Father's Masses, national addresses and highlights from the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia. Count on EWTN to be there every step of the way so you don't miss a moment! Visit www.ewtn.com for more information, up-to-date schedules and online streaming.

From the Desk of the Administrator

There are things that never cease to amaze me. Let me reflect on a few of them.

One of them is the sparkly clean Church we returned to last Sunday. Did you notice how clean it was? Thursday and Friday nights found a number of "Saints" sweating profusely to clean the house of the Lord. My best guess is that about 100 hours of work made it that way. I am ever grateful to those who braved the hot, hot Church to make it so clean and orderly. My clothes took two days to dry out! Dearest "Saints", you are to be rewarded for your efforts!

Another amazement is a blog I follow on both the Internet and Twitter called "Whispers in the Loggia". It's written by a man in Philadelphia. It's a Church gossip site, if you will. People constantly wonder how in the world Rocco is able to break the news that he does. He is ALWAYS on target. Anyway, this past Monday evening he mentioned a next day press conference at the Holy See regarding Church annulments. Which leads me to...

Someone else who amazes me, Pope Francis. His recent document for the Latin or Roman Catholic Church (as distinguished from the Eastern Catholic Church, which we know locally as the Byzantine Ruthenian and also the Byzantine Ukrainian Catholic Churches—which received its own document) streamlines the annulment process for divorced and remarried Catholics. Recall that marriage has two sides, the civil and the sacramental. The civil side speaks of the legitimacy of children and rights to property. The sacramental side considers the covenant of love entered by one baptized man and one baptized woman. The annulment process asks the question: Was this man and woman able to enter into a sacramental, spiritual bond at the time of the marriage ceremony? There are a number of reason why they may not have been able to do so. The Pope has simplified the process and the grounds—the reasons—for the lack of a sacramental bond. Even better is that Bishop Zubik has waved all fees for the annulment process. Is this something you or a loved one needs to consider? Give me a call!


See you in Church! I'll be the amazed one!

Fr. Jim Dretz



Christine Sirlin, Tony Zbierajewski, Tom Stumpf, Ida Fowler, Father Garry Patriquin, Dorothy Kutchka, Rebecca Ketterer, Mildred Hoffman, Sister Ida

Mary Lutz, Louise Wyzomirski, Carol Sees, Rose Golden, Eileen Dougherty, Richard Rengers, Erin Schmitt, Joseph Wittman, Alice Smolkovich, Patricia Currison, Jason Wolling, Jim Belish, Gina Sienko, Emma Oresic, William Milcic, Marilyn Moeller, Fran Stiltz, Mary Jo Sciuillo, Susan Killmeyer, Charles Robinson, Taylor Mitchell, Anthony Sciuillo, Maria Wolownik, Lisa Lindsey, Katherine Rodack, Martha Mabold, 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*



Please remember in your prayers the souls of :
RAYMOND HOHMAN, JR
RICHARD HEILMAN
 May they rest in Christ's Peace.

Disability Awareness Mass

All are invited to an **“Opening Doors” Disability Awareness Mass** on Sunday, October 4, 2:30 PM at St Paul Cathedral. The Most Rev David A. Zubik, D.D., who is the celebrant, invites all laity and clergy. Call the Office of CDPD if any particular accommodations are needed at the Mass: 412-456-3170 or diversityanddisabilities@diopitt.org.

78th International Rosary March

At Epiphany Church in Pittsburgh, there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Liturgy of the Word with Fr. Anthony Gargotta, on Sunday, October 4 at 1:30 PM. **There is no Noon Mass.** Eucharistic Procession through the City of Pittsburgh returning to Epiphany Church for Benediction and for those who stay, a special blessing for healing. For more information call 412-885-8822 or 412-884-3213.

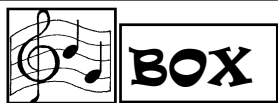
Divorced, Widowed, or Separated?

The loss of a spouse through separation, divorce, or death is a traumatic experience. The **Beginning Experience** weekend is intended to help widowed, divorced, or separated people move forward with their lives. The next weekend will be **October 23-25, 2015** at the Gilmory Retreat Center in Moon Twp. For more information: www.BeginningExperience.org or make a confidential call to Mary at 412-523-2405.

Duquesne University News

Duquesne University’s Fall Open House will be held on Sunday, September 20, from 8:00 AM to 1:30 PM. It is an opportunity for current high school seniors and their families to speak with a representative from all departments. Register online at www.duq.edu/fallopenhouse.

Duquesne University’s 49th Annual College Fair will be Sunday, October 11, from 1:00-3:00 PM, in the A.J. Palumbo Center. Questions? Call Duquesne’s Office of Admissions at 412-396-6222.



Our liturgy for this Sunday begins with the Entrance hymn: “Take Up Your Cross”, which echos Christ's words to us in the Gospel reading to deny ourselves, take up our cross, and follow him. This is the starting point for all Christians – doing the hard work and enduring the hardships that come with discipleship. Our Recessional hymn, “Lift High the Cross” has a similar message but takes a very different point of view. It encourages us to not only take up but lift high the cross of Christ that “all the world adore his sacred name”! This is the transformation we should strive for in our journey as Christians – to move from merely taking up our cross to lifting high our cross and proclaiming Christ's love to all the world!

Yours in ministry,
Tom Rishel

Reminder: Choir practice begins this Thursday, September 17th, at 7:30PM in the school. Anyone who sings is encouraged to join us in praise of the Lord this season!

Children’s Safety Event in Etna

State Representative Dom Costa will be holding his annual Children’s Safety Event on Saturday, September 26, 10:00 AM -1:00 PM at the Dougherty Baseball Field in Etna. The day will include bike safety, fire safety, animal safety, food safety and more. This is a **FREE** event and a fun day for all. For more information, please contact 412-361-2040.

Saint Vincent College Open House

High school juniors or seniors and their families are invited to a Get Acquainted Day Open House at St Vincent College, Latrobe, on Saturday, September 19; Sunday, October 11; or Saturday, November 14. For information or reservations, phone 1-800-782-5549 or e-mail admission@stvincent.edu.

Bread of Life Food Pantry

After twelve years of dedicated service to the Pantry, Marlene Stack has elected to retire from her job as manager. The Bread of Life Food Pantry, a community ministry of and located at the Calvert Memorial Presbyterian Church in Etna is seeking resumés and letters of interest for the position. Average work week is 6-10 hours. Salary negotiable; there is no benefit package. Resumés and letters should be sent to: Bread of Life Food Pantry, Food Pantry Manager Position, Calvert Memorial Presbyterian Church, 94 Locust St, Pittsburgh, 15223 by Friday, October 2nd. Candidates of interest will be contacted for interviews.

Fall & Christmas Craft Sale

The Little Sisters, 1028 Benton Avenue, Pittsburgh 15212, are having their annual Holiday Craft sale on September 24, 25 and 26 from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM each day. Fall and Christmas crafts, ceramics and house plants will be available for purchase. For more information call 412-307-1100.



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WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY - September 13th Twenty-fourth Sunday Ordinary Time

5:00pm - (Sat.) For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased
8:00am - John & Alice Tutchko (Joe & Mary Lou Tutchko)
10:00am - Helen McElroy (Andy & Jean Vivirito)

MONDAY - September 14th Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:00am - Fr John Vojtek (Rita & Vince Jones)

TUESDAY - September 15th Our Lady of Sorrows

8:00am - Vera & George Harris (Family)
Novena after Mass

WEDNESDAY - September 16th Saints Cornelius and Cyprian

8:00am - In Thanksgiving (Judy & George)

THURSDAY - September 17th Weekday

8:00am - Denis Baier - Anniv (Mother, Ann Baier)

FRIDAY - September 18th Weekday

8:00am - Stephanie Newcamp Krulia (Joe & Emma Jean Kraus)

SATURDAY - September 19th Weekday

8:00am - John & Dolores Yankowski
(Son, John, Mary Jane & Kathy)
3:00pm - Wedding - David Interthal & Danielle Montesano

SUNDAY - September 20th Twenty-fifth Sunday Ordinary Time

5:00pm - (Sat.) Vivian (Bim) Bragg - Anniv (Jim & Family)
8:00am - Frank Zajackowski - Birth
(Jeff, Michele, Zach & Mary Lee)
10:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased



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9/13/15 - "Rose For Life"

was donated for all
Grandparents,
living and deceased.

ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE WEEK OF 9/13/15

Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of
Matt Shegina by Rose and Terry.

Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of
Zane Shoffstall (Anniv) by the Kozlowski family.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY	9/13/15		
MONDAY	9/14/15		
Men's Club Mtg	Act Bldg		8:00 PM
TUESDAY	9/15/15		
Novena	Church	After 8:00 AM Mass	
CCD	School	6:30-8:00 PM	
WEDNESDAY	9/16/15		
Prayer Group	Church		7:00 PM
THURSDAY	9/17/15		
FRIDAY	9/18/15		
SATURDAY	9/19/15		

Festival Wrap-Up Party

That's right! We're calling this year's last Festival meeting a "PARTY" rather than a meeting. We're hoping that way we'll get more people to attend rather than just the Festival Committee. Why? We want everybody to come and give us your opinions on what you think we can do to improve our annual event. As a further enticement, we will be having "light" refreshments. Please, come share your thoughts with us on Monday, September 21 at 7:30 PM in the Activities Building. Have a real reason you can't make it, but have comments? Send them to djetna@aol.com.

Join us for Coffee & Donuts

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

You're invited to stop by the Activities Building after the 8:00 & 10:00 AM Masses on **Sunday, September 20th**. Social is sponsored by All Saints Men's Club.



Flu Shots

While you are at the Coffee & Donuts Social, Rite Aid will be in the Activity Building to administer Flu Shots. A certified immunization pharmacist will be available from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. The majority of insurances will cover it at no charge to you.



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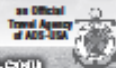
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