

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

1101 Willow St., Peckville, PA
OFFICE HOURS:
Monday - Friday 9 am - 4:00 pm
(570)383-3244



THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.” - Mt 28:19-20

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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ASSISTANT: Mrs. Betsy Kondrat

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DIRECTOR OF LITURGICAL MUSIC:
Mr. Ernest Mengoni

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 pm Sunday - 8:00 am & 10:00 am
Tues & Thurs - 12:10 pm; Wed & Fri 7:00 am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 pm, or by appointment

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FAITH FORMATION CENTER: 570-383-2777

MEMORIALS MAY 28– JUNE 3, 2018

Altar Candle

In Memory of Richard Collarini
(Paula Racowski)

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 28

*No Mass

Tuesday, May 29

12:10 pm Claude Fanucci (Dennis/Roy Fanucci)
Joseph Malinowski (Dayle/Jerome Dobroski)

Wednesday, May 30

7:00 am Edward Ghilardi (M/M Thomas Wascura)
Rena Romitelli (Dan/Debi Faramelli)

2:30 pm Lackawanna Rehab

Thursday, May 31

12:10 pm Tony/Elsie Rescigno (Frank/Noreen Marciano)

Friday, June 01

7:00 am John/Helen Segan (Theresa Konechy)
Bruce Wheeler (Jerry/Penny Kowalski)

Saturday, June 02

4:00 pm Dec'd members of the Totsky Fam. (Family)
John Taylor (Family)

Sunday, June 03

8:00 am Raymond O'Kon, Sr. (Family)
10:00 am Larry/Irene Castellani (Family)

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

In the charity of your prayers, please remember the sick,
the suffering, the bereaved, and the recently deceased
especially, **Margaret Zini & Patrick McGinnis.**

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Sunday Offering for May 20, 2018 was \$8,783.50
May God bless you for your continued support of SHJ

MEMORIAL DAY

This weekend we will observe Memorial Day. Two of our
area cemeteries which are conducting prayer services are
St. Michael's Cemetery Prayer Garden and St. Mary's
Cemetery Mausoleum Chapel. These services will be held
at 8:00 a.m. Mass at Queen of Angels Parish at St.
Michael's Church, Jessup will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m.
God grant all those who have died, and most especially
those forgotten, eternal peace!

OFFICE HOURS

In observance of the Memorial Day Weekend our office
will be closed on Monday, May 28th. The office will
reopen at 9:00 a.m. on Tue., May 29, 2018



Parish Office Hours for JUNE are:

MONDAY-THURSDAY 9:00am—4:00pm

FRIDAY 9:00AM—1:00PM

(Special Summer Office hours for July & August are TBA).

A WORD FROM FR. ANDREW

Dear parishioners and friends,

“It’s a mystery”! That always seems to be the stock
answer when trying to explain something that is not easily
understood in the church. So it is with the doctrine of the
Trinity. Scholars far greater than any that I personally know
have tried to define this doctrine by explaining just what it
means to hold one Godhead in three individual persons. All
being coequal, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit! And while it
is a mystery, it can also be understood in a variety of other
ways.

It is by faith that we believe that there are three persons
in our one God. These persons are intertwined and are
related as equal. So it is with our Trinitarian church. There
is a connectedness with the three persons in one—just as
there is a connectedness with all of us as members of one
body, in Jesus Christ. Understanding the total doctrine of
the Trinity may be difficult but the realization that we are all
connected to one another, as well as to those persons in that
one God, is essential to understanding our faith. This is a
faith that reminds us that we are never alone and that we are
connected one to another...we are connected to God. This is
the same God who creates, who is the Father. This is the
same God who redeems, namely the Son. This is the same
God who sanctifies, called the Holy Spirit! Through our
common baptism we are united to these three persons and to
one another.

Love,
Fr. Andrew

SAVE THE DATE

Msgr. Peter Madus, our former pastor celebrates his 50th
anniversary of ordination to the priesthood at the end of
May. Msgr. will celebrate an anniversary mass with us at
10 o'clock on Sunday, June 10th at Sacred Heart of Jesus.
A light reception will follow in Holy Family Hall. Further
details are forthcoming. Please plan now to attend.

PRAYER SHAWL

A Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting will be held on Tuesday,
June 12, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at Queen of Angels Pastoral
Center, Jessup, PA. For more information or questions,
please call Queen of Angels Parish Office at 570-489-
2252. All are welcome!

POPPY SALE

Shopa Davey VFW Post 6082 will be distributing poppies
at all masses on the weekend of May 26th and 27th.
Donations are welcome. Also, the honor guard will carry the
colors at the 4:00pm mass on the 26th.

BULLETIN SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

We thank all our business advertisers who place ads on the
back of our weekly bulletin. This weekend we
acknowledge, **Strategic Planning Assoc., LLC.**
See contact info on the back.

"The Round Church ... Where There's Room For Everyone."

CASH RAFFLE

Letters will be ready for distribution the first week of June asking for your support of our annual cash raffle. Please read the letter carefully. Hopefully you will realize what an important part this raffle plays in providing for the future viability of programs, staff, and updates to our physical plant. All this lends itself to insuring that Sacred Heart of Jesus will remain a vibrant parish. The raffle will culminate in a reception and drawing in the beginning of September. Thank you in advance for your support of this most important endeavor. ak

THREE OUT OF SIX

As was noted in last week's bulletin some of our sacred vessels (ciboria and chalices) used to hold our eucharistic bread and the blood of Christ at mass have been worn and are in need of attention. Since many of these vessels were quite costly when first purchased and given as memorials I have decided to repair rather than replace them. Six of these vessels are being restored at a cost of \$650.00 each. To date, three individuals/families have come forward to assist in this regard. Anyone wishing to assist with this project, is asked to please contact the parish office. All of these vessels are used regularly in our daily, weekly, funeral and marriage liturgies, as well as at special events. Those donating toward this restoration will be acknowledged in a "Book of Remembrance" which is in its development stage. As always, thank you and may God bless you! ak

TWELFTH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Little Sisters of the Poor will host their twelfth annual golf tournament on Saturday, June 9, at the Scranton Municipal Golf Course, Mount Cobb. Registration begins at noon with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. The format is captain and crew. Singles will be placed on a team. The cost is \$100 per golfer which includes green fees, use of cart, an official tournament shirt, a gift bag, a pre-tournament refreshment reception, a light meal during the tournament and a post-tournament dinner at the course clubhouse. Golfers will also have a chance to win prizes based on their performance including a new car courtesy of Matt Burne Honda, Scranton. Registration is available at www.littlesistersofthepoorscranton.org. All proceeds will be used to support the ministry of the Little Sisters of the Poor.

CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2018

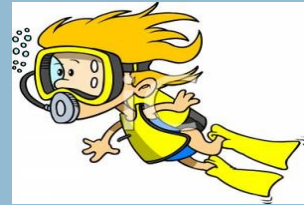
Our parish will celebrate your accomplishments as we give praise and thanks to God on Sunday, June 3, 2018 at the 10 am mass. All high school graduates regardless of school or church affiliation are invited to take part. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office at 570-383-3244 for



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2018 **DIVE INTO GOD'S WORD**

Monday, June 25—Friday, June 29
9am—Noon

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Peckville



Kids will dive into God's presence.
We will sail away each day saying—
"God is with me—wherever I go!"
He knows me, hears me, strengthens me,
loves me and sends me!
Join us for 5 fun filled days as we laugh, learn,
develop friendships
and get a little wet in the process!

Bible Stories, Cool Crafts, Fun Games, Music,
Snacks and Much More!

Participants: Students in grades K to 5

COME TO THE ROUND CHURCH WHERE
EVERYONE IS WELCOME,
ESPECIALLY KIDS!

Please see display at the Willow St., entrance of church!
To register, contact Mrs. Castellani at 570-383-2777

WOMEN'S CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

Refresh Your Faith! The First Annual Women's Catholic Conference will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2018 in the Byron Complex at The University of Scranton from 8am-4pm. Gather with women of Northeast PA and beyond to Refresh Your Faith. You will be inspired by passionate, faithful speakers and beautiful music, while connecting with other women of faith! The day also includes: Mass with Bishop Joseph Bambera, Confessions, Breakfast, Lunch, Adoration, and shopping at our Marketplace! \$40 early bird registration/\$50 after June 1. \$20 students; Women Religious FREE. To register, go to: dioceseofscranton.org/catholic-womens-conference or call

ANNUAL CARNIVAL

Jessup Hose Co. #2 and Ambulance Assn., 333 Hill St., Jessup, will hold its 26th annual Carnival from May 23—May 28, 2018. Wed.—Thurs: 6-10 PM; Fri., 6PM; Sat-Sun 2-6 PM; Mon. 2-7PM. There will be rides, Games, Homemade Food, Fireman's Parade on Friday night., entertainment nightly, pay one price ride special. Check out our website at jessupno2.com or our Facebook page for all the daily events taking place. All are welcome!