

Memorials for the Week of May 23-29

Tabernacle Lamp, Altar Candles, Bread & Wine
In Memory of Peter Palumbo donated by Mom & Dad

Mass Intentions for May 23-29, 2016

Monday, May 23

6:50 am Rose, Frank & Ann Burak by George & Agnes

Tuesday, May 24

6:50 am Willis, Williams & Biedlingmaier families by Mary B.

Wednesday, May 25

6:50 am Daniel Unit by Carolyn Kondrat

2:30 pm Lackawanna Rehab Mass

Thursday, May 26

6:50 am Mary Gasper by Steve & Tony Swatt

Friday, May 27

6:50 am Emmett A. Caterina by Joe Caterina

Saturday, May 28

4:00 pm Mother's Day Intentions

Sunday, May 29

8:00 am Peter Palumbo by Mom & Dad

10:00 am John & Lillian Coccodrilli by Roy & Dennis Fanucci

Remember in Your Prayers

Please pray for the sick, the suffering, the bereaved and the recently deceased including Marion Padden.



maintaining our own. Instead of embracing the fact that there is real truth, for example in the truth that God became man and was born of Mary, we find it more popular to refer to "beliefs" and "traditions" and "practices," emphasizing that these things differ among peoples. Although such things differ among peoples, truth does not change. Either Jesus is God, or he isn't. Either his claims were true or they weren't. It's not a matter of personal opinion. The Holy Spirit helps to convince us of what is really right. We need not fear that this will lead us to be intolerant because it is this same Spirit within us that brings the fruits of love, peace, patience, kindness, and generosity.

2016 Ordination to the Priesthood



On Saturday, May 28, 2016 at 10am in Saint Peter's Cathedral, Bishop Joseph Bambera will ordain Reverend Mr. Michael S. Drevitch and Reverend Mr. Joseph J. Mosley to the Order of the Priesthood. All of the faithful in the Diocese of Scranton are invited and encouraged to participate in this solemn Mass. Please pray for Deacon Michael Drevitch and Deacon Joseph Mosley as they prepare for their Priestly Ordination.

Respect Life Parish Event: Documentary

On June 11th at 7pm - Citizens for a Healthy Jessup and a Healthy World in conjunction with Sacred Heart of Jesus Church will present the 2 hour documentary, "How to Let Go of the World and Love All the Things Climate Can't Change" by Josh Fox. Josh has been touring the country with screenings of the movie and will present the it with time for Q & A afterwards. It is acceptable for viewing by youth. Light refreshments will be available.

Organ Dedication Concert - Hector Olivera Organist



Born in Buenos Aires, Maestro Hector Olivera began playing the pipe organ when he was 3 years old. At age 5 he played for the legendary Eva Perón; at 12 he entered the University of Buenos Aires & by 18 had performed for heads of state and celebrities throughout Latin America. The most sophisticated and demanding organ aficionados claim that Maestro Hector Olivera is one of the greatest organists in the world today. Come and enjoy this dedication concert on Sunday, May 22nd at 4pm at Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Dickson City.

Catholic Choral Society Schedules Concerts



The annual spring concert of the Catholic Choral Society of Scranton will be presented in our area on Sunday evening, May 22nd at 7:30 PM at Nativity of Our Lord Church, 633 Orchard Street in Scranton along with the Valley View High School Choir directed by Gina Lupini and accompanied by Michael O'Malley. Tickets are available from society members or by calling 570-587-2753 or at the door. Adults \$10, seniors and students \$8, children under 12 are free.

Collection for Last Weekend: May 15, 2016

339 Sunday Offertory Envelopes	\$6,315.00
Sunday Cash Offerings	157.00
37 Other operating income envelopes	73.00
Total operating income	\$6,545.00
Catholic Communications Total	\$671.00

We sincerely thank all who are consistently using their regular offertory envelopes or prearranged bank checks to support the work and mission of Sacred Heart Parish. We also commend those who are being conscientious to their commitments through our Parish Care Campaign.

Trinity Sunday



Jesus says in today's Gospel that "The Spirit of truth... will take from what is mine and declare it to you." We actually share in the blessed life of the Trinity through this spiritual declaration. God gives us the gift of his truth. The Blessed Trinity is the source of all truth, beauty, and goodness. Today's reading reminds us

that truth exists, that it comes from God, and that we can know it, hear it, and live according to it. "But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth." This is so important to remember in today's cultural climate where the very idea of truth is a touchy subject. Because there is so much focus on tolerance and not offending anyone, we tend to shy away from discussions about truth in any absolute sense. Instead, we hear much about "what's true for me" or "what's true for you." Too often we are confused about how to respect others' differing beliefs while still

Prayer Breakfast

The Scranton CCR will hold a Prayer Breakfast on June 4th at Al Mia Amore Restaurant in Dickson City, starting at 9am. There will be praise and worship, a witness, and teaching on the faith. Please come and join us for a wonderful time of worship, fellowship and a great meal! Cost is \$8. Reservations are needed by June 1st. Call Michelle Ryman at 570-254-9722 to make a reservation.

Sight and Sound Bus Trip

Confraternity of Christian Women of Holy Cross Parish, Olyphant, is sponsoring a bus trip to Sight and Sound Theatre in Lancaster to see "Samson". The bus will depart St. Patrick's Parking Lot at 7:30pm on July 27th. Show time is 11am, dinner will follow at "Plain & Fancy Restaurant" at 2:30pm. We will shop at Rockvale Square Mall for about an hour, returning home around 8:30pm. Cost of the trip is \$125 which includes bus, show, dinner, tax and tips. For more information/reservations call Ann Boland at 570-489-9405.

The Old Timers Baseball Game



The Knights of Columbus Council 10729 Jessup/Peckville will be sponsoring a bus trip on Sunday, June 12th to Yankee Stadium to see The Old Timers Game & a

baseball Game between the New York Yankees and the Detroit Tigers. Bus departs from Jessup at 8am. Cost is \$90 person. For more info call John Bogdanovicz at 489-0023 or Bob Wasilchak 383-0347.

Charismatic Healing Mass



Mass with prayers for healing will be celebrated by Rev. August Ricciardi at 7pm on Sunday, May 22 at Queen of Apostles Parish (715 Hawthorne St.) in Avoca. Rosary will be recited beginning at 6:30. All are welcome to attend!

Celebration of Healing



God Calls us to glorify Him even through our suffering. On Sunday, May 22nd at 3pm Celebrant Father Sibilano will celebrate a healing mass at the Oblates of St. Joseph, 1880 Highway 315 Pittston. Through Eucharist, Anointing with Holy Oils, inspirational contemporary music & praising God, let healing begin!

Mott Street Entrance to Open Soon



We have had many delays due to weather and the coordination of required subcontractors, but finally things are fall-ing into place. Expected opening on 1st weekend of June.

"World Refugee Day" Celebration - June 26

Catholic Social Services of the Diocese of Scranton, in conjunction with the Diocesan Office for Parish Life, is sponsoring a "World Refugee Day" Celebration on Sunday, June 26, 2016, from 1pm-4pm at Nay Aug Park in Scranton. World Refugee Day, observed on June 20, was established by the United Nations Refugee Agency (UNHCR) to commemorate the strength, courage and resilience of millions of refugees throughout the world. In recognition of

this special day, all are invited to celebrate the rich cultural heritage of the refugee communities in Northeastern Pennsylvania. The celebration will include cultural music, dance, art, an "ethnic dress" fashion show, crafts and games for children, resources from community partners, and exhibits from refugee families. Ice cream will be available, and attendees can bring a picnic. For more information, contact Sonya Sarner at CSS at 570-207-2283.

Little Sisters of the Poor 10th Annual Golf Tournament

The Little Sisters of the Poor will host their 10th annual golf tournament Saturday, June 11, at the Scranton Municipal Golf Course, Lake Ariel. Golf tournament registration begins at noon with a shotgun start at 1pm. 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 a 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 in the tournament including a new car courtesy of Matt Burne Honda, Scranton. Several types of golf and sponsorship packages, which are great advertising vehicles, are also available including hole signs for \$100 and sponsorships of \$250, \$500, \$750 and \$1,000. There will also be a grand raffle of the Sisters' famous gift baskets as well as prizes valued at over \$100. For more information, please contact Jackie Galvin at 343-4065 ext. 3144 or by email at scdevelopment@littlesistersofthepoor.org. Golf registration available at www.littlesistersofthepoorscranton.org. All proceeds will be used to purchase a new bus for the residents of Holy Family Residence.

Notice Regarding Reporting Sexual Abuse of a Minor

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the *Code of Canon Law* and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Joseph DeVizia at 570-862-7551 or to Diocesan officials, including Monsignor Thomas Muldowney, V.G., at 570-207-2269.