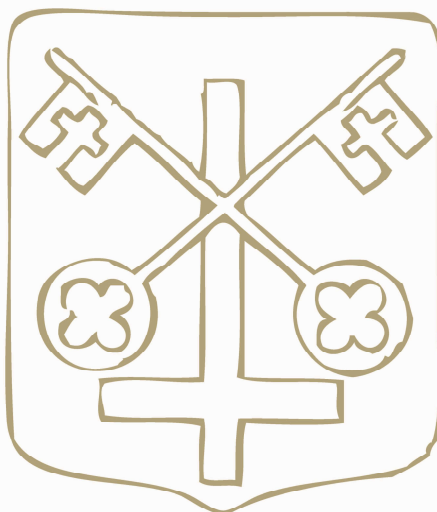


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*June 28, 2015
Thirteenth Sunday
In Ordinary Time*



Reconciliation / Penance:

After Saturday 4:00 p.m. Mass at St. Peter Church
After Wednesday Noon Mass at Parish Center

Baptism:

1st and 3rd Sundays of the month
after 11:30 a.m. Mass at St. Peter Church or
during any weekend Mass at St. Peter Church or
St. Anthony Church. Pre-Baptism Class required.
Please call the office to schedule.

Marriage:

Arrangements must be made with the Pastor
at least 6 months in advance. Pre-marriage
instructions are required.

Anointing of the Sick:

Twice per year for those who are
homebound or upon request.

Eucharistic Adoration Chapel (Parish Center):

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Blessing of Expectant Parents:

After any weekend Mass when Deacon is present or
contact the parish office to arrange.

Holy Days Mass Schedule:

Please check inside bulletin.

ST. PETER CHURCH



ST. ANTHONY CHURCH



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening:

4:00 p.m. St. Peter Church
5:30 p.m. St. Anthony Church
(September through April)

Sunday:

8:30 a.m. St. Peter Church
10:00 a.m. St. Anthony Church
(May through August)
11:30 a.m. St. Peter Church
7:00 p.m. Parish Center
(according to the SRU calendar)

Weekdays:

Monday and Friday
7:30 a.m.
Parish Center

Tuesday
9:00 a.m.
St. Peter Church

Wednesday
12:00 p.m.
Parish Center

Thursday
9:00 a.m.
St. Anthony Church
(Except 1st Thursday of every month)

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Mrs. Katie Boosel

Youth Ministry

Mr. Thomas Perdian

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MASS SCHEDULE

SAT	4:00	ST. P.	ANNE MCGUIRE (B) (MCGUIRE-CONLON FAMILY)
SUN	8:30	ST. P.	HELEN MIHALIK (GEORGE & LAURA)
SUN	10:00	ST. A.	JOHN ROY SNYDER (WILLIAM/LINDA DALEY FAMILY)
SUN	11:30	ST. P.	TOM MAGLIOZZI (B) (CAR TALK FANS)
SUN	7:00	Center	NO MASS
MON	7:30	Center	FOR THE PEOPLE
TUE	9:00	ST. P.	FR. KEVIN POECKING (S&TW) (LARRY & MUNAH)
WED	12:00	Center	MARY ELLEN (S&TW) & KEVIN CURRIE (THE CONLONS)
THUR	10:30	Autumn Grove	MARTHA ALLEN (FAMILY)
FRI	7:30	Center	THELMA DODSON (TRISHA STIVERS)

MASS INTENTIONS

MASS SCHEDULE 7/4-7/5

SAT	4:00	ST. P.	ALBINA LALLI (B) (JANIE)
SUN	8:30	ST. P.	BRUCE BONANNI (ALBERT & PAM)
SUN	10:00	ST. A.	JOHN TONELLI (CLAIRE SCHMIELER)
SUN	11:30	ST. P.	PEGGY HALL (TAMMY & DOUG ORLOSKI & FAMILY)
SUN	7:00	Center	NO MASS

CANDLES FOR MOTHERS & FATHERS DAY

St. Peter Church: **Jill Anderson** and **Glenn W. Maleski**
 St Anthony Church: **Mary Miller** and **John V. Kristufek, Sr.**
 Adoration Chapel: **Helen Klaber** and **Manuel Popi Porto**

SECOND COLLECTION The second collection this weekend is for the annual Peter's Pence Collection. Please be as generous as possible.

WELCOME CAROL POECKING Father Kevin's mother is currently in the process of moving from her home in the Buffalo area to Pittsburgh so that she can be closer to her two sons. She recently sold her house there and was given permission by our Diocese to stay with Father Kevin in the parish center for a few months as she searches for a new home in the Pittsburgh area. Please welcome her as she is part of our community for this transition.

**Diocese of Pittsburgh Victims Assistance Hotline:
1-800-808-1235**

COLLECTIONS FOR

June 21, 2015

REGULAR COLLECTION	\$4,707.28
PARISH SHARE	\$2,313.00

From the Desk of Religious Education,

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

On the surface of today's Gospel, we hear stories of Jesus miraculously healing people. But on second look, we reflect on how Mark pairs these two accounts. The two who were healed were women, thus seen as lesser members of society. Add to that, one would have been virtually dead to the community for twelve years, while suffering from a bleeding disorder that rendered her ritually unclean. Barely treated as a person, she would have had to beg and scavenge for any of her needs. The other had been growing as a member of the community for twelve years, now dead to the community from an illness. Jesus not only rewarded the faith of the individuals in the story, but, as he so often did, reached out to the marginalized and rejected. He did not just heal their physical bodies but reunited them with a living community.

Recently, the church, the news, and the world have been abuzz about Pope Francis' encyclical on the environment, *Laudato Si'*. How blessed are we to belong to this church, that the world still stops to take notice when the Pope issues a document on morality! This recent encyclical, though unique in its focus on the environment, falls clearly in a long line of social teaching, papal encyclicals, and flows from Biblical foundations. Though I could obviously never begin to do justice to an 80 page document in 350 words, one point he makes resonates with our reading: Jesus saw those in need. He reached out to the poor and responded to their needs. As Francis continually points out in his encyclical, the effects of pollution, loss of biodiversity, rampant consumerism and all of the ways the world negatively impacts the environment disproportionately hurt the poorest members of our world, those whose needs are often neglected or ignored. In the Gospel's healing accounts, we can also hear Jesus calling us to pay attention to those who are pushed aside. In the same way Francis, in his call for worldwide conversion to a more ethical treatment of the environment, reminds us "human life is grounded in three fundamental and closely intertwined relationships: with God, with our neighbor, and with the earth itself" (§66).

In Christ's Love,
Katie Boosel

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Thanks to all of the facilitators and teens who spent so much time and effort making VBS such a success! We also wish to thank the parishioners for donating supplies to make it possible.

HAPPY JULY 4TH The parish office will be closed on Friday, July 3 in honor of the holiday.

PRAYER LIST Please pray for these parishioners, relatives and friends. Whitney Allison, Gina Ambrosio, Rose Aszkiniewicz, Alexis Barbati, Samantha Batykefer, Jenny Benegasi, Dorcas Benge, John Bonando, Greta Bosch, Kimberly Campbell, Cyndy Ciochetto, Colleen Clendennan, Jackie Comisar, Sally Conley, Frank Conlon, Phyllis Cooper, Logan Craft, Kathy Creedon, Roxanne Dobson, Eve Drogowski, Tim Ealicknac, Diedre Evans, Patricia Figge, Agnes Franz, Armando Garcia, D. J. Gombita, Louise Graham, Linda Green, Bobby Jo Grossman, Tony Guerrini, Jim Hiteshew, Fran Hockenberry, Chris Hortert, Chloe Jordan, Paul Joseph, Caroline Kale, Janet Konig, Susan Knight, Belva Kummer, Donna Lane, Regis Larkin, Iola Lewandowski, Mark Massella, Tanner Mayne, Carrie McCloskey, Larry McFeely, Emma Meskel, Dorothy Minehart, Kathleen Molcan, Mary Belle Montgomery, Randy Moore, Diane Morgan, Laurie Neidig, Noah Nero, Niko Nocero, Mario Noro, Shirley Olejarz, Emily Parris, Munah Pavlik, Bill Puryear, Lee & Ed Richards, Bobby Ross, Dan Staab, Garnet Stevenson, Gerald Swartz, Butch Thompson, Jeannette Timblin, Dylan Vigil, Captain Douglas Vitale, Barbara Weidenhof, Joyce Wela, Clark Wilson, Joe Wilson, Toby Workman.

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church - "Since it belongs to the supernatural order, *grace escapes our experience* and cannot be known except by faith. We cannot therefore rely on our feelings in our works to conclude that we are justified and saved. However, according to the Lord's words 'Thus you will know them by their fruits'—reflection on God's blessings in our life and in us and spurs us on to an ever greater faith and an attitude of trustful poverty. "A pleasing illustration of this attitude is found in the reply of St. Joan of Arc to a question posted as a trap by her ecclesiastical judges: 'Asked if she knew that she was in God's grace, she replied: "If I am not, may it please God to put me in it, if I am, may it please God to keep me there,""' (CCC, 2005)

LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA Exciting new titles have arrived and are ready to be selected from the kiosks at the back of each of our churches. One of the new CD's is *15 Things to Do in the Midst of Suffering* by Jeff Cavins. Suffering is a mystery we all face at some time in our lives. Whether it is physical, emotional, or spiritual, it will test our faith. Internationally known speaker Jeff Cavins shares personal insights he gained through his own physical pain. He shows us how we can join our sufferings with those of Jesus on the cross, bringing renewed meaning to the suffering we experience in our lives.

PHOTO DIRECTORY PHOTOS AND DIRECTORY We still have some photos available for pick up in the parish office anytime from 8 am -4 pm Monday through Friday. Please pick them up as soon as possible. The actual photo directory will not be available for **several months** and you will be notified when it is available for pick up.

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK Our advertiser of the week is **Kennedy Diversified, Inc.**, owned and operated by parishioners John & Carol Kennedy. If you are in need of any truck and auto parts or salvage, visit them at 3844 William Flynn Highway or give them a call at 724-794-6913.

<p>BINGO CORNER Volunteers Needed For Bingo</p> <p>Name _____ Phone _____</p> <p>Please drop in collection basket or call The Parish Office at 724-794-2880.</p>

YOUNG PEPOLE'S BEGINNING EXPERIENCE is a ministry for those experiencing changes in their family structure due to separation, divorce, or the death of a parent. This program begins on Friday, August 7 and ends on Sunday, August 9 at the Gilmory Retreat Center. For more information see their website at, www.BeginningExperience.org or call Carol 412-295-7026 or Steve 412-720-8694. Further information is also available in the brochure at the back of the churches.

YOUTH MINISTRY Just another reminder that our **Cedar Point** trip is only 2 weeks away. Please remember to fill out the registration form and a permission slip found at the entrances of the Church or with the materials given to youth. Our next youth ministry meeting is **Monday, July 6, 2015**. We will continue our discussions on discipleship.

SCRIPTURE-CISE GROUP Just a reminder that **Scripture-cise** is on Thursday at 7:00 pm and Saturday 6:30 am. at the parish center. Each Kettlebell session begins with a Scripture reading that supports the group's wellness and fitness goals; a 50-minute Kettlebell session teaching history of the KB, form, technique, and benefits of KB to wellness; and concludes with reinforcement of our Scripture reading and brief discussion of how we may be able to apply that reading to our wellness and fitness goals. Hope to see you there. If you need any further information, you may contact Wendy Allison at 724-530-6097.

QUO VADIS DAY This is an excellent experience for young men to help them discern their future vocation in life, whether or not they pursue priesthood. The third annual Quo Vadis Days retreat for young men will be take place July 12-14. Please encourage high school juniors and seniors and young men from our parish to attend and pray for all the young men attending this retreat as they learn more about the priesthood, deepen their faith, and better discern God's call in their lives.

PARISH WEBSITE UNDER CONSTRUCTION Our parish is in the process of upgrading our website. We have hired a parishioner who develops websites to build our new site. This is part of the technological improvements funded by Our Campaign for the Church Alive. The timing of this was appropriate as our current website provider is discontinuing service this month. There may be some issues as the current website is discontinued and we work at getting our new site up and running. Please be patient through our website transition. Thank you.



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