# Holy Family Parish Sugar Notch, Pennsylvania Mass Intentions

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SATURDAY	14	4:00 PM	Becky Johnson by Carolyn Yatko
SUNDAY	15	8:30 AM	Helen Susko by the Miller Family
		11:00 AM	Parishioners, living & deceased
MONDAY	16	7:30 AM	Bernard Godleski, Sr. by wife Margaret
TUESDAY	17	7:30 AM	Thomas R. Rakowski by Bernard & Cindy Shalata
WEDNESDAY	18	7:30 AM	Deceased members of Brogan Family by Patricia Sincavage & Regina Fillman
THURSDAY	19	7:30 AM	Louis J. Pisaneschi by Christine Pisaneschi & Family
FRIDAY	20	7:30 AM	William McFarland by Ray & Theresa Potsko
			<b>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
SATURDAY	21	4:00 PM	Wanda & Andrew Tomasko by daughter Andrea Long
SUNDAY	22	8:30 AM	Parishioners, living & deceased
		11:00 AM	Adaline Martuza by Ann Marie & John Columbo



Behold the

Lamb of God

<u>PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION</u>: continues on Wednesday's, 8:00 AM-7:00 PM <u>WINTER WEATHER WATCH</u>: in case of snow/ice storms – we will CORRESPOND TO SCHOOL CANCELLATION – EARLY DISMISSAL broadcasts. If cancelled, then cancelled; if early dismissal, Then close down of PEA for the remainder of the given Wednesday.

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**: Bill Columbo

**HOSPITAL OR NURSING HOME:** please inform the Pastor of any family member, neighbor, friend, or other loved one who is admitted to a hospital or personal care/nursing home. Laws prohibit these types of institutions from openly and directly sharing information about their census/residents.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**: **Regular Offertory** last weekend was \$3,409.00 The final Christmas collection amounted to \$4,490.00

# The Month at a Glance MEETINGS/EVENTS

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m CCW-2^{nd}}$  Tuesday Knights of Columbus –  $3^{rd}$  Monday Prayer Group –  $2^{nd}$  Thurs. Lions Club –  $1^{st}$  &  $3^{rd}$  Thursdays Monthly Rosary – last Monday

# Consider remembering your parish in your Will. For further information, call the parish office.

<u>ASHLEY FOOD BANK</u>: located at St. Leo's Church is accepting food donations, especially non-perishable items. You may place them in the box always found in the back of the Church. **Any families in the 18706 zip code needing assistance please call St. Leo's at (570)825-6669.** 



Holy Family Parish has "Direct Connect" with God. <u>Cell phones & text messaging</u> <u>are not needed at this time</u>. Please shut them off in church. Thank you.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) CLASSES: continues this Sunday, Jan. 15, 2017, 9:30-10:45 AM

MONTHLY ROSARY: Monday, January 30 at 6:30 PM in Sts. Peter & Paul Chapel

**ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**: The 2<sup>nd</sup> semester of the study of St. Matthew's Gospel will begin on **Monday**, **January 30**, **2017 at 7:00 PM** in the parish hall.

**FIRST PENANCE**: for the members of our 2<sup>nd</sup> grade religious education class will be held **Saturday, January 28, at 11:00 AM i**n the church. (Snow date: February 4)

# PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL NEWS

<u>Selection Sunday</u> will be January 15, 2017 at the 11:00 AM Mass. Four new members & three alternates will be selected. PPC nomination sub-committee members are actively contacting nominees to determine if they will accept candidacy. <u>PARISH COUNCIL MEETING</u>: of the general membership including the newly selected members will be held Tuesday, January 17, 2017 at 6:00 PM in the parish hall





<u>CRAFT DAY:</u> Our next craft day will be this **Sunday, January 15**, **after the 11:00 Mass**. We will be making Valentine's Day wreaths. Reservations are required. Please contact Mary Kay Plisko at (570) 472-4318 for further information. Come join us!

# RECRUITING ALTAR SERVERS:

**Any boy or girl,** 8 years or older, who received 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion, is eligible for this ministry. Those interested should call Fr. Kakareka 570-822-8983

<u>WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION</u>: Bishop Bambera and the diocesan Office of
Parish Life invites couples celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup> & 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in 2017 to a **Wedding Anniversary Mass on** 

Sunday, June 11, 2017 at 2:30 PM at St. Peter's Cathedral in Scranton. A reception will follow. Requests for an invitation, with a mailing address, should be made at the parish rectory before March 13.



#### **CONFIRMATION UPDATE:**

On **Sunday afternoon, January 15**, the *Parish Discernment Team* will meet with each individual confirmation candidate and their parents or guardians, entering into a conversation with them about our upcoming and then ongoing instruction/process, which will extend over the next year and a half. We look for the full cooperation of everyone involved.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS RAFFLE: This is an important annual fund raiser we conduct in the winter season. Raffle tickets are available this weekend. Returns can be made anytime in the collection basket, through the mail, or at the rectory up to the time of the drawing. The drawing will be held this **Sunday, Jan. 15, 2017** after the 11:00 AM Mass. More tickets are available.





ECUMENICAL CELEBRATION: at St. Peter's Cathedral, Scranton on Wednesday, January 25 at 12:10 PM. This is part of the world wide Week of Prayer for Christian Unity celebrated every January. All are welcome to attend. CTV will broadcast the service live.

MARCH FOR LIFE BUS: to Washington D.C. will leave St. Elizabeth Ann Seaton Parish, Swoyersville on Friday, January 27. For information/reservations please call Chris Calore at 570-824-5621

HAM & CABBAGE PLANNING MEETING: Tuesday, Jan. 31 at 6:30 in the parish hall

PIGGIE DINNER: St. Leo's, Ashley on January 22, 12:00 Noon to 3:00 PM. Donation: \$10.00. All are welcome

**YEAR END DONATIONS**: any donations for 2016 received *after* January 8, 2017 will be credited to your 2017 offerings.

<u>CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT</u>: the 2<sup>nd</sup> collection on **Saturday-Sunday, January 28-29** is dedicated to this annual diocesan collection.

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## SUNDAY MASSES:

Sat. Vigil: 4:00 PM Sunday: 8:30 AM 11:00 AM

**DAILY MASSES:** (in Sts. Peter & Paul Chapel) Monday through Friday - 7:30 AM

#### CONFESSIONS:

Sat. 3:00 - 3:45 PM - Holy Family Church



Week Jan 29 – Feb 3, 2017