

Holy Family Parish
Sugar Notch, Pennsylvania
Mass Intentions

SATURDAY	18	4:00 PM	Paul Loughnane by wife Dolores
SUNDAY	19	8:30 AM	Parishioners, living & deceased
		11:00 AM	Joseph Barvitsky by Diane & Ed Bliss
MONDAY	20	7:30 AM	Hedwig Wilczewski by Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Scupski
TUESDAY	21	7:30 AM	Lawrence O'Malia, Sr. by Fred & Lena Spagnuolo
WEDNESDAY	22	7:30 AM	Eleanore Wozniak by Dan & Priscilla Keating
THURSDAY	23	7:30 AM	Beverly McTavich by Mark, Julie & Matt Driscoll
FRIDAY	24	7:30 AM	Joseph M. Lavix by Jane Williams
Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
SATURDAY	25	4:00 PM	Julia Leuter by daughter Antoinette Glowaniak & husband John
SUNDAY	26	8:30 AM	Joseph & Margaret Namey by Dorothy Namey and Carl & Jane Bienias & Family
		11:00 AM	Parishioners, living & deceased

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: continues on Wednesday's, 8:00 AM–7:00 PM

WINTER WEATHER WATCH: 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 and Michelle O'Brien

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 \$2,200.00

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

ASHLEY FOOD BANK: 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. Cell phones & text messaging are not needed at this time. Please shut them off in church. Thank you.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) CLASSES: no class on Sunday, Feb. 19, 2017. Morning classes resume Feb. 26 at 9:30-10:45AM; with Confirmation classes that same day at 6:00 PM

ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: the study of St. Matthew's Gospel continues on Monday, February 20, 2017 at 6:30 PM in the parish hall.

POTATO PIEROGI SALE: Sat.-Sun., Feb. 18-19 after all Masses. Cost -- \$7.00 per dozen. Limited supply.

HOMEMADE EASTER CANDY (peanut butter milk chocolate eggs & coconut cream dark chocolate eggs) will be on **SALE** Sat. -Sun., Feb. 18-19 after all Masses. Cost is \$ 0.80 per item. Order sheets are at the back of the church, or you may call the Rectory 570-822-8983

MOVIE NIGHT: will be held on Sat., March 4th after the 4:00 PM Mass. More information will be forthcoming.

**Be Holy,
 For I,
 the Lord,
 your God,
 am Holy**

(Leviticus 19:2)

The Month at a Glance
 MEETINGS/EVENTS

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

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: this annual Eucharistic celebration is scheduled for **Sunday, June 11, 2017 at 2:30 PM** honoring couples married 25 & 50 years. Mass is at St. Peter's Cathedral and a reception will follow. Requests for an invitation, with a mailing address, should be made at the parish rectory **before** March 13.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

HAM & CABBAGE DINNER: Saturday, March 11. Tickets will go on sale soon. We are in need of bottles of water and cans of soda for the Ham & Cabbage Dinner. Any donations are greatly appreciated.

BAKE SALE – in support of ST. JOHN VIANNEY VOCATIONS ENDOWMENT FUND

Will be held **Sat-Sun, Feb. 25-26** before and after all the Masses. ALL proceeds will be sent to this Scranton diocesan endowment fund which offers assistance to young men in pursuit of a vocation to our diocesan priesthood. Monetary donations will also be accepted. St. John Vianney was a famed French priest and confessor of the 19th century. He is seen as a patron of priestly vocations. Satisfy your "sweet tooth" before Lent and support priestly vocations.

NOTE RECEIVED FROM ST. PAULY TEXTILE INC.

"Thank you for continuing to collaborate with us on the St. Pauly Textile clothing drop off shed project! In 2016 roughly 13,269 garments of clothing were donated to your shed. This was enough to clothe an estimated 1,609 people. This clothing is being used right now by people in one or more of the 44 countries (including the USA) to which our clothing is likely to have been distributed this past year. Your congregation raised \$819.00 through hosting this shed."



ANOTHER RECENT QUESTION FROM OUR PARISH ANSWER BOX

Question: this week is about the forgiveness of the sin of **ABORTION**

Answer: because the response is somewhat lengthy, the answer is printed on a special insert enclosed in this week's bulletin. It would be good for everyone to read and learn.

MORE QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN ASKED; ANSWERS WILL BE PUBLISHED AS BULLETIN SPACE ALLOWS

February

27th – Monthly Rosary at **6:30 PM** in Sts. Peter & Paul Chapel

28th – **6:30 PM** Summer Festival planning meeting in the parish hall

7:15 PM Ham & Cabbage Dinner planning meeting in the parish hall

Believe it or Not!

- ✓ Some have already called about our next **Night at the Races**.
- ✓ Yes, it is on our Calendar of Events - Saturday, May 6, 2017.

2016 TAX VERIFICATION: those needing proof of their contributions to Holy Family for 2016 should contact the parish office before April 15. Please allow 4-5 days for processing.

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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

Upcoming!

Ash Wednesday

Masses

7:30 AM

12:00 Noon

6:00 PM

Distribution during
 each Mass

