

**Holy Family Parish
Sugar Notch, Pennsylvania
Mass Intentions**

SATURDAY	17	4:00 PM	Joseph Barvitsky by wife Virginia & daughter Cheryl Parishioners, living & deceased
SUNDAY	18	8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Bernard J. Okuniewski by Knights of Columbus, Sugar Notch
MONDAY	19	7:30AM	Joan S. Karboski by Butch & Elaine Luther
TUESDAY	20	7:30 AM	Donald Kemmerer by The Alex's Family
WEDNESDAY	21	7:30 AM	Hedwig Wilczewski by M/M George Dreabit
THURSDAY	22	7:30 AM	William McFarland, Sr. by Melanie Rivera
FRIDAY	23	7:30 AM	William J. Jones by Patty Borischak
Second Sunday of Lent			
SATURDAY	24	4:00 PM	Martin Sr. and Katherine Gembacz Family by Family Joseph Namey & Peggy Namey by Dorothy Namey, Carl & Jane Bienias and Family
SUNDAY	25	8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Joseph & Helen Kobylarski by Charles & Fran Romanowski

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION (PEA): continues on Wednesdays, **8:00 AM–7:00 PM.**

VIGIL LIGHT: In loving memory of Joseph Rasavage by Debbie & Family

WINTER WEATHER WATCH: in case of snow/ice storms – **PEA** will CORRESPOND TO SCHOOL CANCELLATION – EARLY DISMISSAL broadcasts. If school is cancelled, PEA will be cancelled; if early dismissal, then we will close down PEA for the remainder of that given Wednesday.

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 \$2,912.00

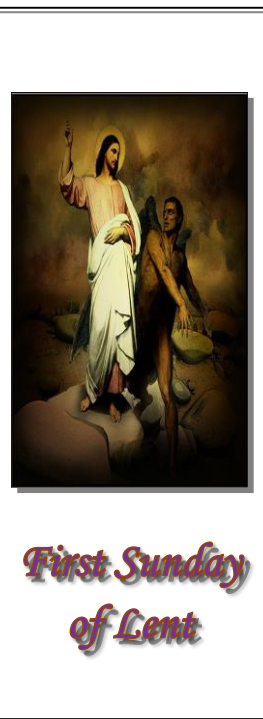
Consider remembering your parish in your Will. For further information, please call the Parish Office.



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: resume **Sunday, Feb. 25, 2018, 9:30-10:45 AM**
CONFIRMATION CLASS: for 2018 resume **Sunday, Feb. 25 at 6:00 PM** in the rectory. The 2019 class sessions begin on **Sunday, March 4, at 6:00 PM** in the rectory.

MONTHLY ROSARY: at **6:30 PM, Monday, February 26** in St. Peter & Paul Chapel
BIBLE STUDY FOR ADULTS: the bible study titled “Matthew, the King and his Kingdom” continues **Monday, February 19 at 7:00 PM** in the parish hall.



**First Sunday
of Lent**

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



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.

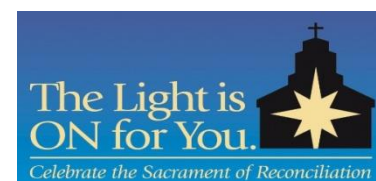
FUNDRAISING MEETING: will be held on **Tuesday, February 27 at 6:30 PM** in the parish hall. This very important meeting will determine if our parish is holding its annual Summer Festival. All concerned parishioners are welcome and encouraged to attend this meeting. Our last fundraising meeting held on Jan. 30 was inconclusive. We had a relatively small turnout of parishioners attending. Without our Summer Festival, we will need to determine how the parish will make up for this financial shortfall. This is a hard say but it must be spoken: *If parishioners are unwilling to even TALK ABOUT AND GIVE THEIR OPINION about this matter, then it must be presumed they will offer no help at the picnic. If there is no help, there is no picnic!*



HAM & CABBAGE DINNER: is scheduled for **Sat. March 10.** Take-outs 3:00 PM; Sit down dinners from 4:00 – 7:00 PM. Tickets will be on sale Feb. 17-18, \$10.00 adults, \$5.00 children. A variety raffle will be held. The next organizational meeting is **Thursday, March 1 at 6:30 PM** in the parish hall

PIEROGI SALE: Both potato & cheese pierogi are available for as long as supplies last. Cost for cheese are **\$10.00** per dozen. Potato pierogi are **\$8.00** per dozen

EASTER EGGS: homemade milk chocolate peanut butter eggs & dark chocolate coconut eggs are for sale during Lent after all Masses for as long as supplies last. Cost \$1.00 per egg.



“The Light is on For You ”

CONFESSION OPPORTUNITIES DURING LENT:

Mondays’ February 19, 26, March 5, 12, 19 -- 5:30 to 7:00 PM
HOLY FAMILY LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE: Tuesday, March 13; 7:00 PM

LENTEN FAST & ABSTINANCE REGULATIONS: Fasting (ages 18-59) is limiting ourselves to one full meal & two smaller meals each day. Abstinence (age 14 & older) is refraining from eating meat. Good Friday is a day of fast & abstinence; all Fridays’ of Lent are days of abstinence.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Friday’s of Lent at 6:00 PM

OPERATION RICE BOWL: is an annual Lenten program of prayer, fasting, learning, and giving. Please be sure to simple, yet powerful Lenten practice.



sponsored by Catholic Relief Services. It is a program take home a “Rice Bowl” packet and join in this

ST. LEO’S/HOLY ROSARY CHURCH: will hold its ham and kielbasa bingo on **Sunday, March 18** in their church hall. Doors open at noon & games start at 1 PM. Admission is \$5.00 and includes baby cards. Soups, haluski, hot dogs and more will be available.

2017 TAX VERIFICATION: those needing proof of their contributions to Holy Family for **2017** 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!

**World Day
of Prayer**

March 2