

Weekly Collections

May 21 & 22, 2016

Offering Needed	\$5,900.00
Offering - Collected	<u>\$2,804.00</u>
Deficit	\$3,096.00

Sick Relatives & Friends

Remember Our III Parishioners

The staff will be updating the sick list. The list will be reviewed monthly. Anyone wanting their name or the name of a loved one on or off the list, please call the church office, 412-931-2911 X7.

(Because of HIPPA regulations, only an immediate family member can call the Administrative Office to request the name of a loved one to be placed on the prayer list.)

Please remember in your prayers: Mary Ann Wilson, Kelly Finnegan, Albert Brunner, Lou Saban, Sr., Michelle Fetzer, Joe Baranowski, Kathleen Grady, George Finley, Robert Kroll, Dennis Guthrie, Tom Fowler, Madge Gillespie, Lori Ann Love, Wanda McAlister, Charles Wenzig, Sandy Zabierowsky, Marilyn Ruffner, Julie Fowler and Gretchen Marker.

May God extend His helping and healing hands upon them all. As we minister to the hospitalized and home-bound, it would be gratefully appreciated if you or a loved one would notify the Parish Office for a pastoral visit. In the letter of St. James 5:15-15 we are reminded, "If one of you is ill, he should send for the elders of the church . . . the prayer of the faith will save the sick man." Call 412-931-2911.

WANTED: DIVORCED & SEPARATED: "Wednesday New Beginnings" divorce and separated group, 7 pm on the first of each month for discussion and support. Anyone interested in attending should call Marcy Robertson, 412-732-9439.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly): Need help losing weight? Looking for the "right" group for help? Look no further, TOPS is in your neighborhood. We offer great support and friendship. TOPS meets Monday evenings in Incarnation Church. Weigh-in is at 6:15 pm, followed by a meeting at 6:30 pm. For more information, call Darren at 412-877-7761.

200 CLUB

Week 34	Ticket # 41	\$000
Ticket Not Sold		

GUARD THOSE
WHO GUARD OUR FREEDOM



Remember those
who are serving our Country
in the Armed Forces!

Trevor L. McCallum, Michael Borus,
Lt. Col. Katrina (Katy) Saban Coolman, Major
Joseph Coolman, Joshua Crankshaw,
Dalton Dailey, Joseph Dreves, Mark Enzerra,
Jason Fullmer, 2nd Lt. Andrew Geisler,
Dave Gratten, Matt Hahn, Christopher Kane,
Tina Lippert, Christine May,
Alexa and Michael Brown
S/Sgt. Shaun Seguin, SFC Erin Shaw

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT NORTHSIDE CATHOLIC

The year is winding down at Northside Catholic School.

Eighth grade is making final preparations for the sacrament of Confirmation and talking about being the Church today.

Seventh grade is learning about social justice and looking more deeply into the Works of Mercy.

Sixth grade finished its studies on the Old Testament and is looking at the Messiah and how the Church grew.

Fourth grade is finishing up their study of the 10 Commandments and also learning how when we are called to be a disciple we should be models of holiness.

First grade is learning about the different parts of the Mass so they have a better understanding of what's going on when they come to Mass.

Fourth grade has also been busy in science with many labs on physical and chemical changes. They are doing a project on a state from the Western region of the United States in Social Studies to finish up the year.

We have enjoyed our school year and hope you will think about joining our school for the 2016-17 year. For more information on our school, please call 412-761-5043 ext. 3001. Blessed Memorial Day to your family from ours!

Rosanne Kwiatkowski-Principal

OPEN AND SHUT

There are two times when to keep your mouth shut: when swimming and when angry.

Keeping the Faith

By Marilyn Ruffner

Today is the feast of the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

This story of the loaves and fishes is one of the few that is told in all four Gospels. The disciples want to send the crowd away. They cannot imagine having enough food to feed 5,000 people. Jesus just tells them to gather what food anyone has.

We don't know how, but all of a sudden everyone is fed. There is no explanation in the Gospel of how this was done. Jesus just makes it happen.

What a beautiful explanation of the Eucharist! We will always be fed and never sent away empty. Jesus gives Himself to us, and we are nourished. It is an unending satisfaction, instead of hunger.

Are we satisfied after receiving Eucharist? The presence of Jesus is always with us. All Catholics believe this is really the Body and Blood of Jesus. The commingling of the Bread and Wine is done at the consecration. Because of this, we receive Jesus whether we receive the Body or the Blood.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School is being held at St. Aloysius on Mt Troy Rd., June 27th-July 1. This is one of the parishes in our District 2 and we have been combining our students for this opportunity to learn about Jesus through fun activities. All students in Kdg and including grade five are welcome. The cost is 5.00 per child. The time is 9-12.

Year of Mercy Continues

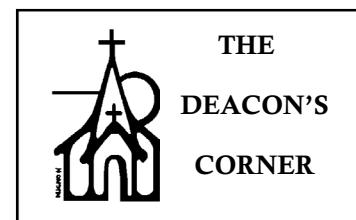
Our Year of Mercy continues. The USCCB website promotes monthly moments of mercy and is even hosting a #mercyinmotion campaign to draw awareness. Is there anyone who wants to host a mercy in motion campaign by getting others engaged with spotting and tagging local works of mercy? We would be spotlighting works of mercy that we see in our parish and community. Call me if interested. It sounds like fun and a way for us to promote mercy.

During this Year of Mercy let's extend a personal invitation to someone to reconnect with their faith. I'm sure all of us know someone who really wants to come back to church. We can encourage them by inviting them to attend with us and maybe go out to breakfast or dinner afterwards. Sometimes we just need to know we are missed.

Good Attendance, Special Surprise at Movie

We had a great group of people attend our movie, "Do You Believe?" The movie was enjoyed by all. Thank you to the many people who supplied snacks. Raymond Kennelly provided a very special surprise. He baked a pineapple upside down cake, a chocolate cake and a strawberry angel food cake. They were delicious. Thanks Raymond! We will schedule another movie in the future.

Most Holy
Body and
Blood



Deacon Bob Koslosk

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

~ Jesus continues to offer himself to us and feed us in the Holy Eucharist.

Breaking Open the Word: Luke 9:11b-17

Listen to the Word: As you hear this reading, what words or phrases strike you? What in this reading touches your heart? What lingers in your memory?

Look into Your Life:

Children: How can you share what you have received from Jesus with others this week?

Youth: Each week, when we celebrate the Holy Eucharist we are asked to "do this in remembrance of me". How else do you acknowledge the importance of Jesus in your life? Through prayer? Through the ways that you treat others?

Adults: How can you prepare yourself to be nourished by Jesus in the Eucharist this week?



Let us pray in thanksgiving for the strength and nourishment we all receive through the Eucharist.

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church:

1333 At the heart of the Eucharistic celebration are the bread and wine that, by the words of Christ and the invocation of the Holy Spirit, become Christ's Body and Blood. Faithful to the Lord's command the Church continues to do, in his memory and until his glorious return, what he did on the eve of his Passion: "He took bread... " "He took the cup filled with wine... "

The signs of bread and wine become, in a way surpassing understanding, the Body and Blood of Christ; they continue also to signify the goodness of creation. Thus in the Offertory we give thanks to the Creator for bread and wine,¹⁵⁴ fruit of the "work of human hands," but above all as "fruit of the earth" and "of the vine" - gifts of the Creator. The Church sees in the gesture of the king-priest Melchizedek, who "brought out bread and wine," a prefiguring of her own offering.¹⁵⁵

Incarnation of the Lord Parish Weekly Calendar

Week of May 29-June 4, 2016

SUN.....Adoration 2 pm
Chaplet of Divine Mercy Devotion, 3:00 pm

OUR CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

SATURDAY, May 28

4:00 Ed Uranker (Nancy Uranker)

SUNDAY, May 29

9:00 Living and Deceased of the Parish

TUESDAY, May 31

8:00 Ruth DiMaria (Fr. David DeWitt)

THURSDAY, June 2

8:00 Philip Bohr, Jr. (Ed & Mary Westwood)

SATURDAY, June 4

4:00 Stehen A. Noga, Jr. (Gerry & Cathy)

SUNDAY, June 5

9:00 Living and Deceased of the Parish

MINISTERS APRIL JUNE 4 & 5 , 2016

LECTORS

4:00 Sr. Roberta Kardell

9:00 Ray Hart

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

4:00 D. Miller, K. Verbanets

9:00 Deacon Bob, M. Hite, E. Burke

ALTAR SERVERS

4:00 Ray Dengler



The Body & Blood of Christ May 29, 2016

As often as you eat this
bread and drink the cup,
you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.

— *1 Corinthians 11:26*

THE WORD OF THE LORD

May 29, 2016

Genesis 14:18-20

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Luke 9:11-17

June 5, 2016

1 Kings 17:17-24

Galatians 1:11-19

Luke 7:11-17

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Mary Ann Burke

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On Mission for The Church Alive!

Dear Parishioners and Friends—Beginning in June we will provide information in the bulletin about *On Mission for The Church Alive!* There are many questions about “what’s happening?” We will do our best to keep you informed. **How can you help?** In the back of church there is an *On Mission* question box and notepaper. Please clearly jot down your question(s) and place in the box. We will respond to your inquiries in the bulletin with a Q&A column. All feedback is welcomed.
Mary Ann

On Mission for The Church Alive!

Incarnation of the Lord

Fr. David D. DeWitt, Coordinator

Vicariate #1

District #2

Cluster #6

Incarnation On Mission Representatives

Mary Ann Burke

Ray Dengler

Geraldine Orr

Carole Popchock

Marilyn Ruffner

David Vocheck

Vicariate #1, District #2

Epiphany, Uptown

Holy Spirit, Millvale

Holy Wisdom, North Side/Spring Hill

Incarnation of the Lord, Observatory Hill

Most Holy Name of Jesus, Troy Hill

Risen Lord, Marshall/Shadeland

St. Aloysius, Reserve Township

St. Benedict the More, Hill District

St. Cyril of Alexandria, Brighton Heights

St. Mary of Mercy, The Point/Gateway Center

St. Nicholas, Millvale/North Side

St. Peter, North Side

Key Components of On Mission

All parishes and schools will participate in *On Mission for The Church Alive!*

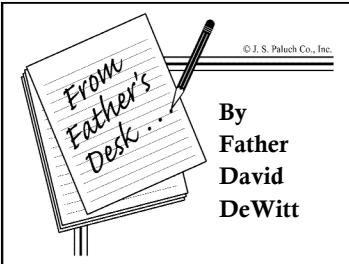
- All laity, religious and clergy in the Diocese of Pittsburgh will take part.
- Due to the changing demographics in our parishes and the declining number of priests, we can no longer maintain the status quo.



JOIN US

EVERY SUNDAY

Please come and join us in church every Sunday for Adoration at 2 pm and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy



By
Father
David
DeWitt

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK....THIS WEEKEND WE REMEMBER ALL OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN who made the ultimate sacrifice by giving their lives to protect ours and keep America safe. We owe a huge debt of gratitude to all who serve us...many behind the scenes and often times unrecognized. May we have a safe and happy Memorial Day Holiday!

PLEASE SEE THE ANNOUNCEMENT in this week's bulletin regarding the use of the former Risen Lord Elementary School building and Holy Family Institute. We continue our efforts to create a gratifying working relationship between us!

NEEDED REPAIRS CONTINUE TO BE MADE IN THE Education Center. There are a number of projects being completed as we look to others requiring attention. Thank you for your patience!

FOR THE PAST COUPLE OF WEEKS, an insert has been placed in Risen Lord's bulletin about the Prayer Rally on Sunday, June 12, 2016. This prayer rally is in support of our area churches coming together out of concern for all the violence which has taken place in our neighborhoods. Please consider joining us in Legion Park as we continue to pray for our community.

INCARNATION OF THE LORD PARISH IS SPONSORING A BOWLING FUNDRAISER on Friday, June 10, 2016. Tickets for this event are on sale in the parish office!!

FOR SOMETIME NOW, PASTORS OF MULTIPLE PARISHES have begun to provide a single bulletin for the people they serve. This has proven to be advantageous for all concerned in that all parishes receive the same information at the same time. Since we have been making efforts to share programs for the benefit of all, it seemed appropriate to consider the option of doing one bulletin for both Incarnation of the Lord and Risen Lord Parishes as well. Beginning with the June 19, 2016 bulletin (Father's Day), there will be one bulletin for our parishes. Our bulletin editor will be David Volcheck, also our music director at Incarnation of the Lord. Our bulletin deadline will be Friday at noon (nine days before the published weekend). Articles for the bulletin will be directed to the appropriate email address listed on the front of the bulletin!

Upcoming Events . . .

THE INCARNATION WOMEN'S GUILD - will meet in Nativity Hall after the 9 am Mass on Sunday, June 12. Refreshments will be served.

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CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS FUNDRAISER -- Have lunch or dinner at Applebee's Restaurant on McKnight Road from 11 am to 9 pm on Sunday, June 5th, and help Court Isabella #959, Catholic Daughters of the Americas make money for their various charities. Invite relatives and friends. Treat Dad to an early Father's Day lunch or dinner. Watch for flyers in future bulletins and hold on to them, as a flyer must be presented at the time of ordering.

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"Festival of Praise for Vocations - 7pm-8:30pm June 23, 2016, St. Paul Seminary, 2900 Noblestown Rd, Pittsburgh, PA 15205. An evening outdoors* at St. Paul Seminary praying for an increase in priestly vocations and praising God for the 6 men to be ordained. Night includes Adoration, praise and worship music by Carl and Erin Stuvek, confessions, a reflection from Bishop Zubik, and a light reception. *There will be limited seating available. Please bring a blanket and/or chair with you!"

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Assumption Church 7th Annual Flea Market -- on Saturday June 18 from 8 am till 2 pm and Sunday, June 19 from 9 am to 1 pm (Bag sale bargains on Sunday) McGovern Hall (Beneath the church) 45 North Sprague Avenue, Bellevue – All proceeds benefit Assumption School

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SUMMER INSTITUTE - ALL PARISH CATECHISTS AND CATHOLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS are encouraged to register NOW for the Diocesan Summer Institute that will take place at Cardinal Wuerl North Catholic High School from June 21 – June 24, 2016. Classes consist of the necessary basic certification courses, a leadership track for principals, courses for catechetical administrators, elective credit courses, and courses designed specifically for non-religion teachers. Participants will receive resources that can be used in the classroom & 18 credit-hours toward ongoing certification. Fee is \$78 per person. Breakfast & lunch is provided. Register TODAY online at www.diopitt.org or contact Pat Kammersell at 412-456-3115 for more information. Registration deadline is June 10, 2016.

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INCARNATION BOWLING FUNDRAISER beginning at 7 pm Friday, June 10, at Perry Park Lanes .The entry fee is \$25 per person. All bowlers must be at least 10-years old and have a ticket. There will be cash prizes and a Chinese Auction. It's B.Y.O.B., but no glass, please. And those participating are asked to bring a pot-luck dish to share. Incarnation has the whole facility for the evening. Perry Park Lanes is located at 9600 Perry Highway, 15237. Don't miss out on this fun night. Purchase your tickets at the back of church after Mass or in the church office.