

Our Lady Queen of Angels Church

Sunday, April 24, 2011–Happy Easter

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MASSES: WEEKDAY MASS OF SPIRITUAL GROWTH: 8:00 AM AT THE CHURCH

SATURDAY ANTICIPATED MASS: 4:00 PM AT THE CHURCH

SUNDAY MASSES: 8:00 AM AT THE CHURCH & 10:30 AM AT THE CHAPEL

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: AS ANNOUNCED IN THE BULLETIN

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION: NEW FOR SATURDAY, 3:30 PM – 3:45 PM AT THE CHURCH

OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY TO FRIDAY : 8:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

SUNDAY MORNING MASS:

Live from St. John Gualbert Cathedral, Johnstown is telecast at 11am on Channel 8, WWCP TV.

Parish Ministries and Services of Our Lady Queen of Angels Church – If you are interested in providing your time or talents with any of the following ministries at our parish, please contact the name listed for more information on that particular group. Your participation is always welcomed and encouraged.

Annual Catholic Appeal Committee – Chairpersons: Ken and Jane Skone 754-5584

Activities Center: Shirley Roman – 754-5255

& Bar tenders Shirley Roman 754-5255

Altar Servers: Eric Kozlick 754-4128

Bereavement Support Group of OLQA

Baked Goods Ministry

Cemetery Committee: Father Joe Maurizio 754-5224

Community Thrift Store – Judy Demers, 754-5403

Decorating Chapel: Deanna Will 754-8088

Decorating Church: Jenny Novak 754-5219

Central City Youth Ministries: Mary Harkcom 754-5847

and Becky Kozlick

Eucharistic Ministers: Father Joe 754-5224

Disciples in Mission: Jenny Novak 754-5219

Finance Council: Dick Stern 754-8363

Funeral Luncheons Volunteer Ministers Shirley Roman 754-5255

Humanitarian Interfaith Ministries, (in Honduras, Costa Rica,

Nicaragua, Guatemala & Haiti) Father Joe Maurizio 754-5224

Legion of Mary: Margaret Spinelli 754-4130

Matthew 25 Ministries, "The Last Judgment" Patty Bonus 754-4225

Maintenance: Kozlick family 754-4128 or Ken Skone 754-5584 or 535-7591

Music/Choirs/Cantors: Mark Chipchosky 754-4508 & Adrian Popig 754-4029

Parish Council: Ron Halkovich 754-5618

Parish Nurse/Health Ministry of OLQA: Jenny Novak 754-5219

Pro-Life: Karen Mincek 754-5065

Readers/Lectors: Dick Stern 754-8363

Religious Education Director, Becky Kozlick 754-5224

Marriage Preparation – Chad and Amy Stigers – 754-1591

Knights of Columbus: Bob Ferguson 814-288-8516

Parish Pastoral Care Assistant – Becky Kozlick 754-4128

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adult (RCIA): Tony Criscuolo 754-4174

Society of Angels: Heather Kabala 754-1605

St. Vincent DePaul Conference of OLQA: Deanna Will 754-8088

Stewardship Committee: Father Joe Maurizio 754-5224

Vocations: Anthony Criscuolo 754-4174 Ushers: Fr. Joe Maurizio

We give thanks to God for our people who give much of their time, talent & treasure and expect little in return.

They will inherit the Kingdom of God.

By reason of Baptism we are all called to a lay ministry vocation in the Church. All members, young and old, should be active in some way.

People involved in ministries, services and programs for the Church, are people who go beyond their "COMFORT ZONE".

BAPTISM: By Appointment; please call the Rectory

MARRIAGE: Pastor should be notified at least six months in advance so that couples can complete their preparation.

Couples will be asked if they have first considered having their wedding reception in our Activities Center.

REGISTRATION: Contact the Church Rectory at 754-5224.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: Call the rectory to have shut-ins placed on our Holy Communion calls list.

FUNERALS, SERVICES, CEMETERY, ARRANGEMENTS, PURCHASE OF BURIAL PLOTS, ETC.: Arranged only by the Pastor, contact him at the Rectory. These arrangements are not to be made by any funeral directors.

The Mass of Spiritual Growth is held at 8am Monday through Friday.

The tradition has been that when a deceased person is remembered at a Mass, their family and friends try to attend.

MASS INTENTIONS/DEVOTIONS FOR THE WEEK

25 Apr Mon 8:00 am Joe & Dolly Mihelcic by Edna & Wayne Cook

26 Apr Tue 8:00 am Fern Fluder by Mary Kay Pecola

27 Apr Wed 8:00 am Deceased enrollees of Our Lady's Memorial Fund

28 Apr Thu 8:00 am Donna Iseman by Barbara Lou Hegadus

29 Apr Fri 8:00 am Communion Service

30 Apr Sat 4:00 pm Margaret Yurjevics, 8 year anniversary of death, by daughter Patty Bonus & family

01 Apr Sun. 8:00 am For the First Holy Communion class of Our Lady Queen of Angels Church

01 Apr Sun 10:30 am Steve Yantus, 6th Anniversary of Death, by wife Helen and family

The Sanctuary Candle burns at the Church in memory of the deceased and living contributors to the Fr. Pilz Memorial Receiving Chapel Fund. The Sanctuary Candle burns at the Chapel in loving memory of Frank Rypczyk Sr. by grandson Bill Cominsky.

Finances for the Week of:--Apr. 16th & Apr. 17th

Adults.....	\$ 2,778.00	Loose Change.....	\$ 154.51
Students.....	\$ 47.50	Total Collected.....	\$ 3,851.01
Parish Expense Offering	\$ 871.00	Amount needed weekly.....	\$ 4,168.00
Adjusted amount Needed Yr to Date	\$166,717.00	Amount Year to Date Shortage.....	\$- 7,046.27

This financial information is placed on the Altar of the Lord and prayed over at every Mass, every day.

"Give what you can of your time, talent and the treasure that you can afford and what you also believe will be pleasing to God."

Please pray for the following and also pray that through the Intercession of Father Ignatius Pilz, that through his intercession, God will heal in mind, body and spirit, all who are listed here in our Church Bulletin

Prayer List: John Napura, Jack Bostwick, Gloria Shelko, Myles King, Daniel Smith., Mary K. Spaid, Donna Chipchosky, Twila Donley, Jennifer Hiner Jarvis, Linda Chaz, William Betz, Charlie Field, Rose Pajak, Stanley Carl Tomaszewski, Stephen Kosnosky, David P. Bonus, Joseph R. & Vicki Navalaney, Gus Palya, Patty Bonus, Jennie Sielczak, Kathy Hintosh, Robert J. Yuko, Joyce Frank, Robert Choby Jr., Mary Beth Campitelli, Darcel Fahay, Kathryn Yatta, Nina Lasut, Alex Coleman, Barbara Bender, Barry Rolt, Earl & Betty Robb, Dan & Teresa Palya, Frank Murawski, Andy Davis, Gene Topka, Michael Fetsko, Dominic Blasa Strohecker and Christopher Nicholas Strohecker, Charlotte Couplin, Margie Rypczyk, Mary Dooley, Roy Davis, Rev. Msgr. Ignatius Wadas, Lauren & Landon Barnes, Jordan Delasko, Mrs. Francis Hillegas, Vivian Monko, Ansley Stigers



Our Lady Queen of Angels

"Let's work towards Heaven in 2011"

Stewardship Reflection Easter Sunday: The Resurrection of the Lord Jesus came so that “we might have life, and have it more abundantly.” May we allow Jesus to serve others through our abundance.

Readings for next Sunday are: 43: Acts 2:42-47 Ps 118:2-4,13-15,22-24 1 Pt 1:3-9 Jn 20:19-31

Parish Events and Meetings & Future Important Events:

- 26 Apr Fourth Tuesday, Parish Pastoral Meeting in the Church Rectory at 7:00 PM
- 01 May First Holy Communion Breakfast at 8:00 AM at the Church immediately following Mass.
- 03 May First Tuesday, SHA, Slavic Heritage Association Meeting at 7:00 PM in the Rectory
- 04 May First Wednesday, 7:00 PM; St. Vincent de Paul & Matthew 25 Ministries Meeting in the Rectory
- 06 May First Friday, Eucharistic Adoration in the Church from 6-7:00 PM
- 08 May Mother’s Day Breakfast immediately following the 8:00 AM Mass in the Activities Center
- 09 May Second Monday, Society of Angels Meeting in the Activities Center, 7:00 PM
- 11 May Second Wednesday, Knights of Columbus meeting in the Church Rectory 7:00 PM
- 15 May Walk the Track for Religious Education (2nd Annual) 3:00 PM – Shade Park Walking Track
- 17 May Third Tuesday of the Month, Finance Council Meeting in the Church Rectory 7:00 PM
- 24 May Fourth Tuesday of the Month, Parish Pastoral Meeting in the Church Rectory 7:00 PM

90th Request: We ask people of faith to please pray for the Intercession of Father Ignatius Pilz, that the Holy Map of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Cemetery will be returned to our Church. We have many babies, children and faithful members who are buried without grave markers or cannot read their grave markers, who are only listed on Fr. Pilz and Msgr. Wadas’ Cemetery Map. We are now six years without this Sacred and Holy map, so would the person who has it, or one of their family members, please return the Cemetery Map to our Church.

Monthly Second Collections:

1st weekend: For our own Saint Vincent de Paul and Matthew 25 Ministries – to be used for the less fortunate;

2nd weekend: For the new Chapel to be constructed, in the name of Father Pilz, at the top of the newly purchased ground at the Sacred Heart of Jesus Cemetery;

3rd weekend: For SHA, Slavic Heritage Association for the preservation of Church and Culture; and the many works they do in our Church buildings, Cemeteries.

4th weekend: For the support of our Youth Ministry Program

5th weekend, if applicable: Special Collections from Diocese and Missions.

2011 Annual Catholic Appeal Fundraiser – Save Our Church Campaign: Thank you to all our parishioners and friends who will be participating in this year’s “ACA Save Our Church Campaign”. This is the most important Fundraiser of the year for Our Lady Queen of Angels Church. This Fundraiser helps to make our Church Budget, which keeps our Church, buildings and cemeteries operating. All the money we raise from this Fundraiser is exempt from any percentage of costs that we would normally send to the Diocese. We are praying and hoping for 100% participation from our members. Make your checks payable to Our Lady Queen of Angels Church and send your pledge form and check to the parish office. The names only, and not amounts, will be published in the parish bulletin. May God continue to Bless our supporters for their generosity. **As of April 10, 2011, 58 Parishioners and Friends have pledged \$6,440.00 toward our \$40,000 fundraiser goal. Our shortage now is \$33,560.00. Thank you to all who have pledged.** We have until the end of this year to make our Goal. Your donations keep our Church and facilities open. Again, please prayerfully consider keeping our Church and facilities open.

New Parish Information

MASS OF WELCOME The Mass of Welcome for Bishop-Elect Mark Bartchak will be on Sunday, May 1st, at 2:00 PM at St. Benedict’s Church, Geistown. A Public reception will be held from 3:30 PM to 5:00 PM in St. Benedict’s church hall. The Faith Communities of the Cambria and Johnstown Deaneries are invited to welcome Bishop Mark as the Chief Shepherd of our Diocesan Church by participating in the special Mass and reception on May 1st. No tickets are needed. All are welcome.

Religious Education from September to Present

Our Religious Education class has been running smoothly with the usual questions, problems, and discussions regarding some of the report card issues.

We are doing our best to handle these issues, but the answers are pretty much all explained in the Rules & Regulations that were presented to all the students and their families at the beginning of the year (September). The March report cards went out several weeks ago, and we have not been enclosing the “class standings”. The standings up to and including March are noted herein this article.

Please look this over and see how your student’s are doing with their Religious Education.

Repeated Parish Information

Attention All Students: Our Walk for Religious Education is under way. Get your sponsor sheets in as soon as possible. Student names and amount collected will be published in our Church Bulletin each week until the day of the walk, Sunday, May 15th. Prizes will be awarded for the students with the highest collected funds.

Breakfast will be served for the First Holy Communion students, their family, and their friends immediately following the 8:00 AM Mass on May 1. Come and celebrate the reception and consumption of the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist by our four young students.

Mother’s Day Breakfast on May 8 immediately following the 8:00 AM Mass in the Activities Center for all women and girls from our Parish. Sit down, relax and let the men do the work.

Men needed from our Activities Center Ministries, and other friends to cook for Mother's Day Breakfast on May 8th. Breakfast will be at 9:00 AM after the 8:00 AM Mass. Contact the Church Rectory if you can help. 754-5224.

Catholic Education Needs Our Support The April 17th bulletin had a support Catholic Education envelope in it. Please enclose your check and return to the Rectory. Put in collection basket or mail yourself, if you like. We will see that your donation goes to the Education Department.

Intercessions by Father Pilz continues to grow. Do you believe Father Pilz was a Saint? Do you believe that Father Pilz has sent a sign of the Cross in the sky on Memorial Day 2008 and wants a Memorial Chapel built in his name. We are looking for 100 people or organizations to donate \$1,000 each so we can hopefully begin construction on this Chapel. Make your checks payable to: Fr. Pilz Chapel Fund and send it to the rectory. The number of checks for \$1,000 that we have already received is **Sixteen (16).** The estimated cost of the Father Pilz Receiving Chapel in the Cemetery will be about \$150,000, if there is anyone who would like to write this check? We will put your name on the foundation of this Chapel.

We are looking for volunteers to help with maintenance work. Please call the Rectory (754-5224) if you feel you can help out your Church.

Needed: Volunteers to minister in the following areas: please contact the Church Rectory.

=Take Communion once a week or once a month to someone who is sick or homebound.

=Visit once a week or once a month to someone who is sick or homebound.

=Visit once a week or once a month to someone who is in a nursing home.

=Make phone calls once a week or once a month to people who are sick or homebound.

=Make phone calls to people who have been discharged from the hospital to see if how they are feeling.

=Volunteers who work at the Community Thrift Store once a week on Friday or Saturday.

=Men to volunteer to once a week or once a month to carry boxes of items from the St. John's Church rectory to the bottom of the Chapel. This can be on Sunday after Mass or at any time.

=Adult men and women to help as Altar Servers at Funeral Masses in our Church.

Saint Vincent DePaul Conference and Matthew 25 Ministries of Our Lady Queen of Angels Church would like to thank the **58** people out of 350 from our Church who remembered the less fortunate in this last month (February) by submitting their Blue Saint Vincent DePaul envelopes. **This amount is the five less than last month.** May God continue to bless you and your family for your generosity in helping the poor, needy and less fortunate. The Bible says "For those who give, more will be received not only in this world, but also in the next."

Drivers with pick-up trucks needed to pick up food in Davidsville approximately every other month. The food goes to our Central City Food Pantry. We need a few people we can call to see if they are available to pick up this food. Please call our Church Rectory.

Do you know a friend, neighbor, or relative in need of food? We, here at Our Lady Queen of Angels Church, would like to help them. We understand that they may not want to ask for help, but they need to understand that we are here for them. Call Fr. Joe at the Rectory 754-5224.

If you believe a healing has taken place through the Intercessions of Fr. Pilz, please contact the Rectory!

Cemeteries: The webpage listing burials at St. John's and Sacred Heart cemeteries has been updated and completed to June 2009. Burials waiting for markers or inscriptions were not included. To date, 697 names have been entered for Sacred Heart, and 740 for St. John's. Photos and/or obituaries appear with some listings. Contact the rectory if you would like to add a photo or obituary to the listing of your relative or friend.

Cookbooks Reminder: We still have some cookbooks left.! Call the Rectory or stop by and pick one up. The cost is \$15.00. If you cannot pick one up, they can be mailed to you for the cost of \$20.00.

80th Request: "When did I visit you in prison?" This verse is taken from the Matthew 25 Chapter, known as the "Last Judgment" verses in the Bible. We are looking for people to join a local group that volunteers in **Prison Ministry**. They go to the Somerset Prison on the 2nd and 4th Saturday mornings of every month. They will train you for their small group programs. Please consider serving as the Bible calls us to do, visit those who are in prison. Call the Rectory for additional information at 754-5224.

In the case of death, families must contact the Pastor of Our Lady Queen of Angels Catholic Church before they sit down with any funeral director, so that appropriate and proper arrangements may be made. The Pastor will help the family to make all arrangements for the Church, spiritual services, cemetery and burial arrangements, luncheons, etc. Families who do not follow this procedure, are usually disappointed, especially at a time when they do not need additional stress in their lives. The choice is theirs. All funeral directors who do business with this Church should inform their clients of this fact.

Please remember: Father Pilz Memorial Chapel at our Church Cemetery, can be constructed if those who loved him and remember his holiness and service to the people of our community, will support this vision. On May 25, 2008, Father Joe Maurizio prayed to Father Pilz, at his tomb in Gallitzin, for his intercession to help our Church with our Cemetery problems. Again, the next day, at the Memorial Day Mass at the Cemetery, before the blessing and dedication of the newly constructed Father Pilz Memorial Cross, (donated by SHA, the Slavic Heritage Association for the Preservation of Church and Culture), Fr. Joe prayed in his homily (with about 50 people attending) for the intercession of Father Pilz for our Church needs. After Fr. Joe talked about praying to the saints for their intercession, which is a 2000 year tradition, the cloudy sky opened up with a large blue circle and a big white Cross in the Center. Many people were saying it was a miracle and maybe Father Pilz will some day be a Saint? Fr. Joe believed at that time, that Father Pilz was calling to construct him a Memorial Chapel at the Cemetery in his name. Do we know the future of Father Pilz's and this Memorial? Many people say he was a saint when he lived in this town. If God wants this to happen, then nothing will stop it. Do you want to help construct this future Receiving Chapel at our Cemetery in Memory of Father Pilz? Contact Fr. Joe Maurizio at the Church Rectory, 814 754-5224.

Baptism for babies in our Church is for parents who want to raise their children in the Catholic Faith. Parents who do not come to Church, even if they have other children baptized, need to come to Church regularly if they hope to baptize their new children. God parents need to be practicing Catholics and should be able to give the Priest an approved sponsor certificate from their home Catholic Church.

Visiting priests are always welcomed to assist the Pastor in Mass or other sacramental services. Only family members who are priests may be the celebrant.

Central City Food Pantry is in need of some volunteers to help carry food for some elderly and disabled people's car's. The volunteers are needed on the second Saturday every month, starting at 8:30 am. The Central City Food Pantry is located at the little white church on Lohr Street.

Cemeteries: A new page has been added to the parish website (www.ladyqueenofangels.org) which may be of interest to those who have family or friends buried in St. John's or Sacred Heart Cemeteries. We have posted a burial list for St. John's (including photos of the gravesites) and are in the process of entering a list for Sacred Heart. This is an ongoing

project of the Slavic Heritage Association (SHA) for the Preservation of Church and Culture. If you would like to add a photo and/or obituary for a relative or friend, please contact the rectory and we will send you the proper form.

Hospital Visits: If you want the priest to visit your loved ones in a hospital, you need to call the rectory.

If you think something should be in the Parish Bulletin Prayer List, contact the Rectory .

New Miscellaneous Events

Ressurrection Parish Ladies Auxiliary will sponsor a Basket Party on Sunday, May 22 at St. Francis of Assisi Activity Center, 134 Barron Ave. Doors open at 12:30 PM. The donation is \$10 and includes a lunch, 25 chance tickets and eligibility for door prizes. For tickets please contact the Resurrection Parish Office at 539-5788.

CCW Paschal Festival The Carmelite Community of the Word Sisters invite all to our Annual Paschal Festival, Friday, May 6 at Holy Name Parish Hall, 500 N. Julian St., Ebensburg. The evening will include Dinner, Silent auction & entertainment. In the show "Gaelic Passion" provided by Alabaster Productions, singer Mary McCormack, M.M. delights her audiences with songs and stories of Ireland, featuring traditional Irish folk songs, Irish Step Dancers, audience participation, games and prizes. Doors will open at 5:45 pm, dinner at 6:30 pm with entertainment beginning at 7:30 pm. Adult Tickets: \$30; Children 13 & under \$15. For tickets or more information, contact CCW Incarnation Ctr, 394 Bem Rd., Gallitzin, PA 16641, or call 814-886-4098. Deadline for reservations is 4/27. Proceeds benefit the collaborative ministry of the Carmelite Community of the Word & the Little Sisters of the Incarnation in Haiti.

Holy Family Catholic Church, Hooversville A Divine Mercy Service will be held on May 1st at 3:00 PM. All are welcome to attend this once a year service.

St. John the Baptist Roman Catholic Church, New Baltimore Annual Spring Dinner on May 1 from 11 AM to 2 PM. Turkey & stuffing, noodles, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, applesauce, cranberry sauce, cole slaw, assorted desserts, rolls & beverages. Adults \$9.00, Children 10-to 5: \$4.50 Children under 5 – FREE. All you can eat. **Also, Theme Basket Lovers** – 60+ Theme Baskets – 25 tickets for \$5.00 Saturday 4 PM to 5:30 PM and after Mass (About 7 PM) Sunday – Before and after 8 AM and 10:30 Masses. May 28 & 29; May 30 (Memorial Day), June 4 & 5; June 11 & 12 and July 2 & 3. St. John's Catholic Church Basement, New Baltimore. A money tree (worth \$356), a lottery tree (worth \$150) and a gift card tree (worth \$300) 6 Chances for \$5.00 or \$1.00 per chance.

Mt. Aloysius College Spring Open House on April 30. Come & tour campus with our Student Ambassadors. You will be able to discuss Financial Aid and meet one-on-one with your Admissions Counselor, and Professor from an Academic Department of your choice. Also, we will have members of our Student Activities, Career Services, and Athletics at the Campus Resource Fair. And, a free lunch is provided as well.

Repeated Miscellaneous Events

Travel to the Holy Land with Fr. Brian Saylor. Where you'll go: Jerusalem, Bethlehem, the Dead Sea, the Jordan River, Galilee, Nazareth, Cana, Capernaum, Mount Carmel. When: April 16-26, 2012 ; Cost: \$3,990 all inclusive, including all air fare. To sign up, contact: St. Rose of Lima Parish, in Altoona (814) 944-8509 or Anthony Nachev, PhD (Theology); 857 West Boylston St., Worcester, MA 01606; Call toll free: 1-877-994-8259 or email Anthony@Proximotravel.com. For more information, you can visit www.Proximotravel.com.

Holy Family Parish (Hooversville) is celebrating it's 100th Anniv. and is selling a parish cookbook. Cost is \$15.00. Delivery for Mother's Day. Call Parish Office 9 AM to 3PM. 798-2933.

Masses for your Loved Ones – If you would like Masses said in memory of your loved ones for special occasions here at Our Lady Queen of Angels Church and Chapel, please call the Church Rectory for your request for dates. Remember dates are often booked 3 months in advance and longer for weekend Masses. Use this form to request a Mass for a deceased person. You do not have to be a member of the parish to request a Mass

Donation is: \$10 We will publish this Mass schedule in the Church Bulletin and place it on our International Web Page.

Date of requested Mass Time Name of the Deceased Name of the person/s requesting the Mass. Phone Number



Father, You so loved the world that in the fullness of time, You sent your only Son, Jesus, to be our Savior. We now ask You, the Master of the Harvest, to send workers into the Harvest. For the harvest is great, but the workers are few. Bless the vineyard of the world with priests, religious and Church volunteers and lay workers who will teach in Your Son's name, walk in His footsteps, and break bread in His memory.