

Our Lady Queen of Angels Parish

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July 28, 2019
**Seventeenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Worship Sites
Church (Sacred Heart)
738 Sunshine Avenue
Chapel (St. John)
162 Wheeler Street

Holy Masses:

Daily
Church (Sacred Heart) 8:00AM
Saturday Vigil
Church (Sacred Heart) 4:00PM
Sunday Morning
Church (Sacred Heart) 8:00 AM
Chapel (St. John) 10:30 AM

Confessions
Church (Sacred Heart)
Saturday 3:00 PM – 3:45 PM
Chapel (St. John)
Sunday 10:00 AM – 10:15 AM
Anytime upon Request

Mass Intentions

July 29 8:00 AM	St. Martha Fr. Peter Huges (Req. Carol & Family) - Church
July 30	St. Peter Chrysologus NO MASS
July 31 8:00 AM	St. Ignatius of Loyola Helen Elko (Req. Cindy & Hans Breitenlohner) - Church
August 1	St. Alphonsus Liguori NO MASS
August 2 8:00 AM	St. Eusebius of Vercelli Lillian Koleszarik (Req. Robert & Marie Coquet) - Church
August 3 4:00 PM	<i>Vigil - Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Enock & Veronica Severn (Req. Pysnik Family) - Church
August 4 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	<i>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Kush Haggerty (Req. Cary & Jeanne Cuppett)- Church For the Parish (Missa Pro Populo) - Church

ROSARY BEFORE MASS - A parishioner will be saying The Rosary AT ALL SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASSES. It will begin a half hour before Mass. There are Rosaries and pamphlets in the back and sides of the church and chapel that will assist anyone who is unsure of the order of any of the prayers.

CAR CRUISE - BLOCK PARTY - This Sunday, July 28th our parish will sponsor our third annual Block Party and Classic and Antique Car Cruise from 1:00 PM until 5:00 PM at the St. John site. A band will be playing live oldies music from 2:00 PM until 5:00 PM. The parish will be preparing and serving wings, burgers, hot sausage, beer, and pop. All who have a classic or antique car, or those who simply take pleasure in music and an afternoon out are welcome to come and enjoy a day of cars, food, and camaraderie. All proceeds will benefit Michelle (Dupstadt) Moore, a local community member battling cancer. Any questions can be directed to the parish office at 754-5224.

WEEKLY OFFERING July 20th- 21st Adult Envelopes - \$2,884.50; Fuel - \$40; Student Offering - \$15.50; Loose - \$420; Special Donations - \$30. Total - \$3,390. - Thank You!

ALTAR FLOWER INTENTIONS -The flowers at the St. John site were donated by the Schola Choir.

CAN YOU SPARE A HALF- HOUR TO SPEND WITH THE LORD? - First Friday devotions will be held on Friday, August 2nd from 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM at the Sacred Heart site. The devotions include various prayers as well as significant periods of silence and will conclude closing devotions at 7:00 PM. All are invited to come and spend a half-hour of prayer and rest before the Eucharistic Christ. Please sign up in the back of the church. Thank you!

PARISHIONERS PREPARING PIEROGI - All are invited to help make pierogi for Heritage Days at the St. John Kitchen on Tuesday, July 30th at 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM and Thursday, August 1st at 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM. Thank you in advance for two hours of your time! Instruction will be provided and all are welcome.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 27 - Set Up for Car Cruise - 5:00 PM - St. John (All are invited to help)

July 28 - Set Up for Car Cruise - 10:00 AM - St. John (All are invited to help)

July 28 - Car Cruise/Block Party - 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM - St. John

July 30 - Pierogi Making for Heritage Days- 9:30 AM - St. John (All are invited to help)

August 1 - Pierogi Making for Heritage Days - 6:00 PM - St. John (All are invited to help)

August 7 - St. Vincent DePaul Meeting - 7:00 PM - Activities Center

August 5 - Society of Angels Meeting - 6:30 PM - Activities Center (Changed from the 12th)

August 11 - Holy Name Corporate Communion - 8 AM - Sacred Heart- Meeting to follow - Activities Center

SERVER SCHEDULE

August 3 - 4:00 PM - M. Mabon, J. Bihun

August 4 - 8:00 AM - L., L., & L. Mincek

August 4 - 10:30 AM - J. Eger, J. Hammer

MANY THANKS - Many thanks to all who committed to help at our parish Block Party / Car Cruise this weekend. An event for our community, an occasion to show support and charity to a person in need, and a way to engage with our neighbors - thanks for being so good!

PRAYER LIST - Jennie Sielczak, Constance Gruca, Marie Metsker, Sandy Wechtenhiser, Ethan Rohlf, Ann Guyer, Alice Zelenski, Shirley Taylor, Kay Hintosh, Charlie Field Jr., David P. Bonus, Andrew Straka, Fern Lasut, Agnes Palya, Stanley Carl Tomaszewski, Patrick Munro, Quincy Ogline, Charles Field Sr., Mike Dixon, Mya Polito, MadelainMauger, Caroline Amato, Shirley Roman, Larry Krestar, Andrea Sesack, Ricky Gerena, Lionel Berkebile, Mary-Ann Sgavoo, John Harchick Jr., Izzy Bihun, Jeff Yanosky, Mary Clark, Rhonda Bittner, Lauren Barnes, Dave Andolina, Mary Ann Stavlo, Jeff Naugle, Debra Farley, Eugene Topka, Zoe Taylor, Rodney Shaffer, Casey Duffield, Georgianne Matava, Michelle Moore, William Sunderhaus, Dale Berkey Jr., Allen S. Berkey, Nancy McClellan, Tony Beltz, Betty Zubek, Catherine Mihelic, Elizabeth Blackburn, Vince Skimski, Jennifer Jarvis, Catherine Kosnosky, Patty Foltz, Butchie Navalaney, Amy Zimmerman, Dave Kurtz, Ian Rosenbaum, Easton Pritts, Joyce Reitz, Stanley Tomaszewski, Cindy Hillegass, Tom Hudak, Mike George, Chris Chappell, David Stockdill, MaryAnn Gulakowski Waterman, Diana Halkovich, David Keller, Barry Stufft.

LAUREL VIEW VILLAGE'S ANNUAL BASKET BASH - August 10th from NOON to 3:00 PM. Doors open at NOON and basket drawings will start at 1:30 PM. The cost is \$15 and includes an admission ticket, lunch and 25 basket tickets (1 sheet). Extra sheets of 25 tickets can be purchased for \$5. This event is being held at Fresh Harvest Restaurant Banquet Room at Cambridge Place, 1600 Cambridge Dr., Davidsville, PA 15928.

SO WE'LL SEE IF HE SHOWS UP - While our parish will see many interesting cars at our car cruise this weekend, one we probably won't see is the Popemobile, the car Pope Francis rides in during public appearances. In the event you are desperate for something to talk about while you wait in line for your chicken wings at the car cruise, here are some papal automobile facts:

* According to *sources*, the Pontiff's official ride to events is a blue **2008 Ford Focus**, driven by a chauffeur.

* For trips around Rome, Pope Francis's car of choice is his **1984 Renault 4**, which was a gift from an Italian priest.

* The Pontiff's Ford Focus has a registration plate of **SCV 00919**.

* **Popemobiles** are specially designed vehicles for the Pontiff. Some are open-topped vehicles, which Pope Francis prefers, while some have bulletproof glass. The latter was developed after the first attempt to kill Pope John Paul II took place in 1981.

* Before the era of Popemobiles, the Catholic pope's mode of transport for public appearances was the *sedia gestatoria*, a portable throne carried by 12 men on their shoulders. The last pope to use the Sedia was Pope John Paul I in 1978.

WHEN THE GUARDRAILS ARE REMOVED IT IS EASIER TO SKID OFF THE ROAD - “The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention report that rates for suicide are at the highest levels since World War II. Among ten to thirty-four-year-olds, suicide is the second leading cause of death. The researchers interpret this as a sign of a mental health crisis. Doubtless that’s true, but what’s driving the crisis? Lack of availability of treatment and services for the mentally ill? That can’t be an explanation, since far fewer resources were available a generation ago. The most likely explanation is that today’s dominant culture, committed to moral deregulation, is noxious and harmful.” - R.R. Reno

DISILLUSION OF FAMILY LIFE - This past week the Church’s calendar included the feast day of St. Charbel. St. Charbel was a humble hermit from Lebanon who died in 1898 and has since become well known for countless miracles attributed to his intercession. He was a holy priest who was closely united to Jesus on earth and possessed a rich wisdom that was the fruit of deep prayer. In his writings he writes about the family and its greatest enemy, the devil. St. Charbel explains that the devil has always focused his energy on the destruction of the family, as it so closely reflects an image of God. *The family is the basis of the Lord’s plan; and all forces of evil are focusing all their evil on destroying the family because they know that by destroying the family, the foundations of the plan of God will be shaken. The war of the Evil One against the Lord is his war against the family, and the war of the Evil One against the family is the core of his war against the Lord. Because the family is the image of God, from the beginning of the creation of this universe, The Evil one is focusing on destroying the family, the foundation of God’s plan.* One does not have to look far to see evidence of Satan’s plan in our world today, as the family is further fragmented and divided in modern culture. St. Charbel then gave some advice to families for how they can protect themselves from the assaults of the Enemy. *Guard your families and keep them from the schemes of the evil one through the presence of God in them. Protect and keep them through prayer and dialog, through mutual understanding and forgiveness, through honesty and faithfulness, and most importantly, through listening. Listen to one another with your ears, eyes, hearts, mouths and the palms of your hands, and keep the roaring of the noise of the world away from your homes because it is like raging storms and violent waves; once it enters the home, it will sweep away everything and disperse everyone. Preserve the warmth of the family, because the warmth of the whole world cannot make up for it.* It is interesting to note how St. Charbel highlights the need to “keep the roaring of the noise of the world away from your homes.” Living in the later part of the 19th century, St. Charbel would have never imagined how much noise has invaded homes during the past fifty or sixty years, and how difficult silence is to achieve. Yet, true to his word, the family appears to be deeply wounded from this invasion of noise. St. Charbel has much wisdom to teach us if we are willing to listen to the words of this humble monk. If we seek to protect our homes from the influence of the devil, let us seek to create a culture of listening, striving to reduce the noise in our homes, maintaining dialogue, understanding and forgiveness. - St. Charbel - Pray for us!