

# Queen of Angels

# All Saints Parish

Pastor - Reverend Father Aron M. Maghsoudi - Administrator

Rectory Office - 814-754-5224

738 Sunshine Avenue  
Central City, PA 15926

**Mon & Thurs 12-6; Tue & Fri 9-2**

**Worship Sites**

**Church (Sacred Heart)**

738 Sunshine Avenue

**Chapel (St. John)**

162 Wheeler Street

**March 21, 2021**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**Confessions**

Anytime upon Request  
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325 Quemahoning Street  
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**Worship Site**

325 Quemahoning Street

**Deacon: Jay Pyle - 814 445-2406**

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## Mass Intentions

**March 22 Monday of the Fifth Week of Lent**

Noon OLQA Chapel CC Helen Elko by Bob & Donna Mulcahy  
8:30AM All Saints-Boswell Rite of Communion Outside Mass (8:05AM Rosary)

**March 23 Tuesday of the Fifth Week of Lent- NO MASS**

8:30AM All Saints-Boswell Rite of Communion Outside Mass (8:05AM Rosary)

**March 24 Wednesday of the Fifth Week of Lent**

6:30PM All Saints-Boswell Maurice "Pete" Thomas by Debra & Family

**March 25 SOLEMNITY OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD**

8:30AM All Saints-Boswell Rite of Communion Outside Mass (8:05AM Rosary)  
NOON St. Ann's-Davidsville As Requested

**March 26 Friday of the Fifth Week of Lent**

8:00AM OLQA Church-CC Enoch & Veronica Severn by Pysnik Family  
8:30AM All Saints-Boswell Rite of Communion Outside Mass (8:05AM Rosary)  
7:00PM All Saints-Boswell STATIONS OF THE CROSS (Led by Deacon Jay)  
7:00PM OLQA Chapel CC STATIONS OF THE CROSS (Led by Father Aron)

**March 27 SATURDAY -VIGIL OF PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**

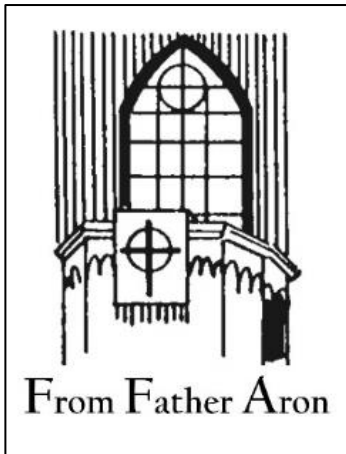
4:00PM OLQA Church-CC Catherine Haggerty by daughter Kathleen & Family  
6:00PM All Saints-Boswell Ethel Perigo by Sister Dute Budzina & Family

**March 28 SUNDAY - PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**

8:00AM OLQA Church-CC Parochial Intention (Mass Pro Populo)  
10:30AM OLQA Chapel CC Thomas Delasko by wife Julie & Family  
10:30AM All Saints Boswell Theodore Jarosick Sr. & Theodore Jarosick Jr by Sarah Jarosick

**CONFESSION:** Saturday 3:00PM Sacred Heart Church in Central City  
Sunday 10:00AM All Saints in Boswell

**CHURCHES OPEN** Mon-Fri 9:00AM-6:00PM Sacred Heart Church in Central City  
Mon-Fri 9:00AM-Noon All Saints in Boswell



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON THE FRIDAYS OF LENT

- Boswell, Friday Stations at 7:00PM with Deacon Jay
- Central City Friday Stations at 7:00PM - this week, OLQA Church with Fr Aron

**CONFESSION TIMES:** Confessions are heard at 3:00PM on Saturdays at Sacred Heart Church in Central City and on Sundays at 10:00AM at All Saints in Boswell. Please refer to the bulletin for additional confession times that will be scheduled during the holy season of Lent.

**Our Parish continues to offer prayerful support** to Fr. Karl Kolodziejki, OFM Conv and the parish family of Holy Family Hooversville, Pennsylvania after their devastating fire. We offer a warm welcome to all members of Holy Family who are praying with us and assure you of our prayers at this time.

## The “Hour” Comes: Scott Hahn Reflects on the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

Our readings today are filled with anticipation. The days are coming, Jeremiah prophesies in today’s First Reading. The hour has come, Jesus says in the Gospel. The new covenant that God promised to Jeremiah is made in the “hour” of Jesus—in His Death, Resurrection, and Ascension to the Father’s right hand.

The prophets said this new covenant would return Israel’s exiled tribes from the ends of the world (see Jeremiah 31:1, 3-4, 7-8). Jesus too predicted His passion would gather the dispersed children of God (see John 11:52). But today He promises to draw to Himself not only Israelites, but all men and women.

The new covenant is more than a political or national restoration. As we sing in today’s Psalm, it is a universal spiritual restoration. In the “hour” of Jesus, sinners in every nation can return to the Father—to be washed of their guilt and given new hearts to love and serve Him.

In predicting He will be “lifted up,” Jesus isn’t describing only His coming Crucifixion (see John 3:14-15). Isaiah used the same word to tell how the Messiah, after suffering for Israel’s sins, would be raised high and greatly exalted (see Isaiah 52:3). Elsewhere the term describes how kings are elevated above their subjects (see 1 Maccabees 8:13).

Troubled in His agony, Jesus doesn’t pray to be saved. Instead, as we hear in today’s Epistle, He offers himself to the Father on the Cross—as a living prayer and supplication. For this, God gives Him dominion over heaven and earth (see Acts 2:33; Philippians 2:9).

Where He has gone, we can follow—if we let Him lead us. To follow Jesus means hating our lives of sin and selfishness. It means trusting in the Father’s will, the law He has written in our hearts. Jesus’ “hour” continues in the Eucharist, where we join our sacrifices to His, giving God our lives in reverence and obedience—confident He will raise us up to bear fruits of holiness.

**A 9/10th grade Catechist is needed for the 2021/2022 CCD year.** Please contact Sherry Dzierski at 412-480-2253.

**FROM ST. VINCENT DePAUL** – The St. Vincent DePaul, Our Lady Queen of Angels Chapter, wishes to thank all the parishioners for their generous support of their works of charity. Recently the parish conference was able to distribute gift certificates for Easter at the Central City food pantry. Additional assistance was provided to those in need of electricity, heating fuel, and food. God bless you for your kindness!

**THE PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION** has accomplished the following: Supported 23 parishes and 3 academic institutions; Provided a home for 30 children from homes facing domestic violence; Offered 400 scholarships for high school and university education; Helped keep schools open for over 10,000 pre-K through grade 12 students; Support it 120 men preparing to be priests or brothers; Restored and maintained 1000+ houses/apartments for Christian families; Offered assistance in senior care facilities in Bethlehem and Nazareth; Created 1,200 jobs in the Holy Land for Christians; Preserved 65 shrines connected with the life of Jesus and the prophets.

**The Church of the Transfiguration** will be having a Spaghetti Drive-By on Sunday, March 21st from 10am to 1:30pm at the church hall parking lot. Meal includes spaghetti, meatballs, salad, roll & dessert all for only \$8.00

**Job Seekers:** There are various openings available throughout the Altoona-Johnstown Diocese. Log on to <https://www.dioceseaj.org/employment/> to apply.

**RULES OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE IN LENT: Roman Catholics must fast and abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Wednesday, February 17, 2021 & Good Friday, April 2, 2021. Additionally, they must abstain from meat on all Fridays during Lent.** Ash Wednesday is one of two yearly days of obligatory fasting and abstinence for Roman Catholics, along with Good Friday. The other obligatory day of fasting and abstinence is Good Friday, the day on which Catholics remember the death of Jesus on the cross. On the U.S. Bishops website, they explain the Good Friday fast should, when possible, last through the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night. **According to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, the norms of fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. Fasting means a person is permitted to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but they are not to equal that of a full meal. The rule of abstinence from meat is binding upon Catholics aged 14 until death.** Members of the Eastern Catholic Churches are to observe the particular law of their own *sui iuris* Church.

### **MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 21, 2021**

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Jn 8:1-11  
Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21; Jn 8:21-30  
Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Jn 8:31-42  
Thursday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38  
Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7; Jn 10:31-42  
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13; Jn 11:45-56  
Palm Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16; Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 9-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11;  
Mk 14:1 – 15:47 or Mk 15:1-39

## Our Lady Queen of Angels Parish

**PRAYER LIST** - Please call the rectory with any changes or additions. Kay Hintosh, Dale Berkey Jr., Allen S. Berkey, David Stockdill, Tina Udet, Patty Foltz, Connie Gruca, Amy Thomas George, Betsy Paolucci, Areile Adomnik, Charles Field, Todd Diorio, Denne Osman, Addison Zearfaus, Pam Kacmarski, Tom Schall, Howard Rose, David P. Bonus, Henry Sprock, Connie Criscuolo, Hunter Slater, Nancy Deneen, Stephen A. Haydu, Andrea Sesack, Lyle Spearo, Gerald "Curly" Mains, Tom Hudak, Mary Jane O'Brien, Rose Maga, Geneviene Berezonsky, Paula Spontak, Sophia Vincent, Mickey Kacmarski, Victor Foltz, Susan Custer, Gary Norris, Kyler Wilson, Daniel Gowaty, Jeanne Cuppett, Chris Paul, Daniel Gowaty, Jeanne Cuppet, Annette Grosshans, Amy Jones, Shirley Roman, Margaret Mauger, Carl Sprock, Dylan Wechtenhiser, Dr. James Spinos, Stephanie Chappie, Eugene Topka, Jeremy Nicholas, Jennifer Jarvis, Judy Croke, Mary Ann Stavlo, Eric Springer & Michael Calverley.

**CANDLE INTENTIONS:** Sacred Heart Sanctuary Candle - Catherine Haggerty by Geneviene Berezonsky; St. John the Baptist Sanctuary Candle - Agnes Dollar by Galish Family

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### **CANDLE INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:**

Blessed Mother - Special Intention; St. Joseph Candle - In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph; Infant Jesus Candle burns in memory of all the unborn lost to abortion; St. Stanislaus Candle burns for the intention of ending cruelties and injustices to human life worldwide. (Sacred Heart Candle, Divine Mercy, St. Theresa, St. Francis, St. Anthony - No intention.)

**There is a change in the date to remove the Dessert Scene: new date - Friday, March 26, 2021, after Stations of the Cross (approx. 7:00 p.m.).**