

Our Lady Queen of Angels Parish

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August 6, 2017
Eighteenth Sunday
In Ordinary Time

Worship Sites
Church (Sacred Heart)
738 Sunshine Avenue

Chapel (St. John)
162 Wheeler Street

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

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

Mass Intentions

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| August 7 8:00 AM | <i>Saint Sixtus II</i> Dave Bonus (Req. Jim Yelovich) - Church |
| August 8 | <i>Saint Dominic</i> NO MASS |
| August 9 8:00 AM | <i>St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross</i> David Kotus (Req. John Harchick Jr.) - Church |
| August 10 8:00 AM | <i>Saint Lawrence</i> Margaret Hudak (Req. Family) - Church |
| August 11 8:00 AM | <i>Saint Clare</i> Margaret Matey (Req. Estate of Margaret Matey) - Church |
| August 12 4:00 PM | <i>Vigil of the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Michael Fetsko (Req. Bob and Donna Mulcahy) - Church |
| August 13 8:00 AM 10:30 AM | <i>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Stanley, Rose, and Pierre Pasierb (Req. Family) - Church For the Parish (Missa Populo) - Chapel |

WEDDING BELLS – Our parish family offers sincere congratulations to Marcus Yuko and Elana Thompson who were married this weekend at our parish. Please remember Mr. and Mrs. Yuko as they begin their lives together as a married couple.

HERITAGE DAYS HELP – Help is needed for Heritage Days to sell and prep (prep here does not mean cook). If you would be so kind as to sacrifice a few hours of your time with this endeavor it would go a long way to help the parish. To offer assistance please sign-up for one of the time slots marked on the sheets at near the front entrance of the church.

SPORTSMEN RAFFLE – All regular tickets to the Sportsmen Raffle have been sold (they sold within a few days). Many thanks to all who got their requests in early! If you would still like to attend you may purchase a

“Guest Ticket” for \$15.00. Guest tickets are a great deal – the bearer can still eat, drink, and purchase tickets for walk around prizes. For guest tickets please phone or stop by the rectory office.

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING – If your child plans to attend the trip to Rome in November 2018 their Memorandum of Understanding **MUST** be received by August 15th. This is an absolute deadline, failure to return the form by that date will mean that your party will be responsible for the full payment for your child. If you lost or did not receive this document (sent by mail to all parents who indicated their serious interest) please phone the rectory as soon as possible to receive a copy of the memorandum. Please remember that while there is time to think about this matter (August 15th), a definitive decision must be made by August 15th.

MAY PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON HIM – Our parish offers heartfelt condolences to the family of Joseph Bohach who was buried from our parish this past week. Please remember Joseph, his wife Ann and their family in your prayers. May he rest in peace!

NEXT BREAKFAST – The next breakfast will be on the third Sunday of August (August 20th); breakfasts will be held each month on the third Sunday of the month. Please mark your calendar.

MEANWHILE BACK IN THE OLD COUNTRY – Tymoteusz Szydło, age 25, son of Polish Prime Minister Beata Szydło, received the sacrament of Holy Orders on Saturday, May 27th, in the Cathedral of St. Nicolas in Bielsko-Biała and said his first Holy Mass the following day, in his native Przecieszyn (Małopolskie Region, Poland). Both events were attended by the young priest’s parents, Polish Prime Minister Beata Szydło and her husband Edward, and Tymoteusz’s younger brother Błażej. Like the other 12 newly-ordained priests in his diocese, Fr. Szydło had been preparing for ordination for many years in the Seminary of the Archdiocese of Krakow. During his very first Mass, Fr. Tymoteusz Szydło expressed his deepest thanks, first of all to God: “Human words cannot express the gratitude I owe to you, my God. Therefore, I can only humbly ask you to preserve me in Your holy service.” He then addressed family, friends and village residents: “Pray for me. Do not ask that I become an excellent priest or that no evil befall me, or that I have a [successful] career [as a priest], but that I live my life the way I should as a priest, which I have now become.” At the end of the Eucharist the young priest blessed the faithful, including his parents. In a 2015 interview for *Niedziela* weekly, Beata Szydło spoke about how her son decided to become a priest: “When our son Tymoteusz came to us saying that he was entering a seminary, I knew that there was no arguing with that. My husband says that he takes after me in many respects – he is as consistent and, first of all, as adamant as myself.” Madam Prime Minister added that the decision was far from easy and that her son Tymoteusz “had all the makings of a good philosopher,” yet was confident that this was a good choice: “I never saw him have any second thoughts. We prayed a lot throughout his formation years. I want him to be simply a good priest and I am sure this is going to happen.

POPE FRANCIS FINANCES PRIVATE BEACH– Pope Francis made a donation to cover the rental costs for a year for a private beach near Rome, run by a charitable organization that helps people with disabilities to be able to enjoy the sea. The beach is located in the municipality of Fiumicino, which is part of the city of Rome. “The beach is a non-profit, charitable project. Our idea is to provide a service for those who need it most— people who are marginalized or weak, at the two extremes of age: children and the elderly,” said Fr. Massimo Consolaro, the 53-year-old pastor of the nearby parish. “Well, we call it the beach of the Little Virgin Mary (‘La Madonnina’); She is the one who shelters us under her mantle,” said Fr. Consolaro. Some of the beneficiaries of this initiative are people who frequent social centers, shelters, or other municipal services or associations that offer assistance. Nonetheless, Fr. Massimo explained that only 10 percent of the users are people with disabilities. On this beach, groups of children from schools mix together with elderly people from social centers. The area is visited by “people with their families, just like any other beach. Therefore, this isn’t a ‘ghetto’ for people with disabilities; we work towards integration.” The beach also mixes healthy diversion with ministry and spiritual life. “At 3 p.m., whoever wants to—it’s voluntary—can approach the statue of the ‘Madonnina’ (the ‘little Virgin Mary’) to pray the Rosary with us,” the priest commented. A wide walkway provides access to showers, ample bathrooms, canopies, changing rooms, and a cafeteria. Everything has been designed to make it accessible for people in wheelchairs or for those who use other forms of assistance to move around. There are brackets for umbrellas and beach chairs, and volunteers are on hand to assist those who need help getting into the water. “This is the best-equipped beach on the Roman coast. The goal is to allow people with disabilities to be independent. If they come in a wheelchair, they can move around as they wish,” Fr. Consolaro explained. You don’t have to think about anything but how good it is that we are all brothers and sisters, warmed by the same sun.

HERITEGE DAYS COOKS - Help is needed in the kitchen to prepare food for Heritage Days. If you are able to work Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday mornings this week, beginning at 9:00 AM, your assistance would be much appreciated. Questions can be directed to Rose Maga, 754-8222.

WELCOME FR. WHEN - Our parish offers a warm welcome to Fr. Tim Wehn, a retired priest of the Diocese of Las Vegas who is covering for Fr. Aron this weekend. Many thanks to Fr. Wehn for his kindness.

MANY THANKS - Many thanks are extended to all who prepared and worked at the Car Cruise/Block Party this past weekend. Simply put the event was incredible - your hard work was such a blessing!

CCD REGISTRATION - If you have a child who is entering Kindergarten through Eleventh Grade this upcoming school year it is asked that you please complete the CCD registration form below and return it no later than August 27th (you may place it in the collection basket).

Name (s) and grade levels of Child/Children _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Relevant Health or other Concerns _____

Signature _____ Date _____

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE -

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| August 12 | Church | 4:00 PM | E. & M. Rapsky, C. Mauger |
| August 13 | Church | 8:00 AM | T. Tomlinson, K. Koleszarik, D. Zelinski |
| August 13 | Chapel | 10:30 AM | M. Moslak, C. Galish, J. Hammer |

SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS - The Sanctuary Candle burns at the Church for the deceased enrollees of the Father Pilz Memorial Fund. The Sanctuary Candle burns at the Chapel in loving memory of Joseph Bohach by the Josephine Fetsko family.

HELP SUPPORT IZZY BIHUN - Our parish family is currently selling t-shirts with the proceeds going to help our dear parishioner Izzy Bihun who was recently diagnosed with cancer - kindly complete the form found at the entrance of the church and return it to the office if you wish to help little Izzy in this way.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS -

August 15 - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Holyday of Obligation

August 20 - All You Can Eat Breakfast at the St. John's site from 9:00 AM until Noon.

August 28 - Parish Council Meeting, 6:30 PM - Activity Center

WEEKLY OFFERING July 29th and July 30th - Adult Envelopes - \$2,623.30; Loose - \$299; Fuel - \$20; Student Offering - \$47.50; Assumption - \$10; Misc. Donations - \$10; Total - \$3,009.80

- Thank You!

PRAYER LIST - Jennie Sielczak, Frank Murawski, Constance Gruca, Lillian Koleszarik, Marie Metsker, Sandy Wechtenhiser, Ethan Rohlf, Rachel Moslak, Ann Guyer, Alice Zelenski, Shirley Taylor, Carol Hancharik, Kay Hintosh, Charlie Field Jr., David P. Bonus, Lauren Barnes, Andrew Straka, Joe Zeigler, Fern Lasut, Agnes Palya, Roger Black, Trish Rullo, Mike Stefanik, Stanley Carl Tomaszewski, Patrick Munro, Ron Rayman, Tom Hudak, Quincy Oglie, Charles Field Sr., Ron Delasko, Mike Dixon, Mya Polito, Madelain Mauger, Sue Frank, Caroline Amato, Richard Birely, Joseph Shelko, Shirley Roman, Mary Ethel Sanzo, Leon Bonus, Joyce Delasko, Larry Krestar, Harriet Konitsky, Andrew Muha, Andrea Sesack, Ricky Gerena, Shelly Delasko, Lionel Berkebile, Jeremy Christopher, Mary-Ann Sgavoo, Mary Ann Naret, Barry Stuff, Mary Ann Lasut, John Harchick Jr., Vincent Bestvina, Izzy Bihun, Jeff Yanosky, Mary Clark

FLOWER MEMORIALS - This weekend the flowers at the Sacred Heart site are dedicated in honor of the wedding anniversary of Karen and Nevin Mincek. The flowers at the St. John's site are dedicated to the special intentions of Joseph and Karen Lazzaro.

INTERESTED IN ENTERING THE CHURCH - Any person who has an interest in entering the Catholic Church, be it through baptism or from another religious background, is encouraged to speak to Fr. Aron; he is very happy to reflect and support anyone who is discerning this matter. If this is something you have been prayerfully considering please give Fr. Aron a call or email him at maganudo@yahoo.com. If you are a Catholic who has never received the Sacrament of Confirmation or First Holy Communion you are invited to contact Father as well - he is very happy to meet with those who have a faith that seeks greater understanding.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - The K of C will clean the classrooms in the activity center on August 19th at 8:00 AM. If you belong to the K of C you are asked to help assist with this much needed project. Questions can be directed to Ken Skone 525-0216 or Joe Eiginger 703-477-5424.
