

Our Lady Queen of Angels Parish

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May 6, 2018
**Sixth Sunday
of Easter**

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

May 7	<i>Easter Weekday</i>
May 8	<i>Easter Weekday</i> NO MASS
May 9	<i>Easter Weekday</i>
8:00 AM	Stanley, Rose, and Pierre Pasierb (Req. Family) - Chapel
May 10	<i>THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD</i>
NOON	Sam Pesto (Req. St. John's Schola) - Church
7:00 PM	For the Parish (Missa Populo) - Chapel
May 11	<i>Easter Weekday</i>
8:00 AM	Poor Souls in Purgatory (Req. John Eger Family) - Chapel
May 12	<i>Vigil of the Seventh Sunday of Easter</i>
4:00 PM	Michael E. Knapp (Req. Ann Doyka & Dave Dishong) - Church
May 13	<i>Seventh Sunday of Easter - Mother's Day</i>
8:00 AM	For All Mothers - Church
10:30 AM	For the Parish (Missa Populo) - Chapel

CAMP ZACCHAEUS - The diocese is once again offering students ENTERING grades four through nine this fall an opportunity to attend Camp Zacchaeus. Activities include hikes, games, swimming, arts and crafts, canoeing, tower and zip lines, with Mass and prayer each day. The camp is held during two sessions (July 22 through July 27 and July 29 through August 3) at Camp Sequanota in Jennerstown. Multi-child discounts and scholarship opportunities available. Any students who meet the age requirements and are members of our parish but cannot afford the full amount should contact the parish office - we are happy to help. For an application or more information please see Fr. Aron.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS -

May 9 - St. Vincent DePaul Meeting - 7:00 PM - Activity Center

May 10 - Ascension Thursday - Masses Noon - Sacred Heart, 7:00 PM - St. John

May 10 - Meeting for Families Going on the Trip to Rome - Follows Ascension Mass at St. John's
May 13 - May Crowning - 8:00 AM Mass - Sacred Heart
May 13 - Holy Name Corporate Communion - 8:00 AM Mass - Sacred Heart
May 13 - Mother's Day Breakfast - 9:00 AM - Noon - St. John Site
May 14 - Society of Angels Meeting - 6:30 PM - Activity Center
May 19-20 - Fr. Aron at New Baltimore, Benedictine Priest to Cover Masses
May 20 - Religious Education Committee Meeting - 5:30 PM - Activity Center
May 20 - Parish Council 6:30 PM - Activity Center
May 23- K of C Meeting - 7:00 PM - St. John's

PARISH BUS TRIP - A GREAT EVENING GET AWAY - Our parish will be sponsoring an evening at the theater with dinner and Mass on Saturday July 14th. Traveling via Bollman motor coach we will travel to St. Vincent College for their Summer Theater's performance of *Nunsense*, a musical comedy that is the second-longest-running Off-Broadway show in history. Now in their 50th season, St. Vincent Summer Theater is composed of an all-star cast of some of New York and Pittsburgh's greatest professional stage performers. Departing at 3:15 PM from St. John's parking lot, the motor coach will first stop at the newly restored Holy Family Church in Latrobe for their 4:30 PM Mass (fulfills obligation). The historic church was lovingly restored last year to its former glory after a dramatic renovation in the 1960s removed much of its art. Following Mass will be treated to dinner at Rizzo's Malabar Inn in the tiny town of Crabtree. Rizzo's is regarded by many as one of the finest authentic Italian restaurants in Western Pennsylvania. Dinner includes salad, pizza, chicken parmesan, sausage and meatballs, meat ravioli, homemade spaghetti, tiramisu, coffee and tea. Following dinner and a brief tour of St. Vincent Basilica, the group will attend St. Vincent Summer Theater's performance of *Nunsense*. The play has been described as a little vacation from the chaos of life - an invitation to a few hours of silly, sentimental and sublime entertainment. Following the show there will be a chance to relax a bit at the theater's Cabaret. Unique to Saint Vincent Summer Theatre, the Cabaret provides an opportunity for patrons to enjoy a summer evening after taking in a performance. Held directly after the show, Cabaret serves food and drinks to theatergoers and allows them to sit at tables inside and outside of the theater area, all while enjoying live music. The bus will arrive back in Central City about 11:00 PM. The cost is \$69.00 per person and includes transportation, the show, and dinner. If you are looking for a great evening out with some friends, family, spouse, or significant other, phone the rectory to sign up.

MOTHER'S DAY - The parish will be having their monthly breakfast next week on Mother's Day (May 13th). All mothers who wish to attend will have their cost covered by the parish. Please come out and support this great celebration of food (and motherhood) in our community next month. N.B. There will be no breakfast on the Third Sunday of May due to it being transferred to Mother's Day.

MARIAN APPARITIONS YOU PROBABLY NEVER HEARD OF - During the month of May, a month dedicated to Marian devotion, you may recall some of the better known Marian apparitions (Lourdes, Fatima, Guadalupe). However here are four that are approved by the Church that you probably don't know about but are worthy of devotion.

Laus, France

During May of 1664, a young shepherdess named Benoitte Rencurel suddenly saw a magnificent lady holding a child. These apparitions lasted for about a year, while she experienced various other visions throughout her life. Mary's primary message was that of penance and conversion, reconciling oneself with God and each other. The apparitions were recognized in 1665 by the local bishop, and officially approved by the Vatican in 2008.

Rue du Bac, Paris, France

On July 18th, 1830, a young religious woman named Catherine Laboure experienced a beautiful vision of Our Lady. She received several other visions, which led to the popular devotion of the Miraculous Medal, promising many graces to those who wore the medal devoutly. The apparitions were officially approved in 1836 and have been one of the most popular apparitions ever since.

Siluva, Lithuania

In 1608, a group of shepherd children saw a vision of a weeping woman holding a child. Our Lady was sorrowful that the people of the village had lost the Catholic faith. Most returned to the practice of the faith. The apparitions were officially approved on August 17, 1775, by the Vatican.

Lezajsk, Poland

In 1578 a woodcutter named Thomas Michalek saw a vision of Our Lady in the forest. She asked for a chapel to be built, saying, "I chose this place. Here my Son will be loved and respected and whosoever shall call upon my intercession, will receive my blessing." The pope personally approved the apparition in 1752.

SERVER SCHEDULE

May 12 - 4:00 PM - C. Mauger, E. & M. Rapsky
May 13 - 8:00 AM - D. Zelinski, T. Tomlinson, K. Koleszarik, M. Moslak
May 13 - 10:30 AM - J. Eger, P. Shivas, C. & L. Galish

FLOWER MEMORIALS - This weekend the flowers at the Sacred Heart site are in honor of Thomas Novak by wife Jenny.

LUTHERAN BASKET PARTY - Graef Lutheran Church will sponsor a basket raffle on Sunday June 3rd beginning at Noon at the Carinbrook Club. Entrance is \$10.00 and includes 25 basket tickets and a light lunch (hot dogs). All proceeds benefit their Good Samaritan Fund. Any patron who brings 5 non-perishable food items, soap, or toilet paper will receive 25 tickets for free! For tickets call Hope at 619-9293 or Savannah at 659-3528.

LOOKING BEYOND THIS MONTH -

June 3 - First Holy Communion - 10:30 AM Mass - St. John's
June 8 - CCD Trip Knobel's Park
June 16 - K of C Chicken BBQ
June 16-17 - Fr. Aron at New Baltimore, Benedictine Priest to Cover Masses
July 14 - St. Vincent Summer Theater Bus Trip
July 29 - Block Party/Car Cruise - Noon - 5:00 PM - St. John's
September 23 - Sportsmen Raffle - Activity Center

PRAYER LIST - Jennie Sielczak, 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, Fern Lasut, Agnes Palya, Trish Rullo, Stanley Carl Tomaszewski, Patrick Munro, Tom Hudak, Quincy Oglie, Charles Field Sr., Mike Dixon, Mya Polito, Madelain Mauger, Sue Frank, Caroline Amato, Shirley Roman, Mary Ethel Sanzo, Leon Bonus, Joyce Delasko, Larry Krestar, Andrew Muha, Andrea Sesack, Ricky Gerena, Shelly Delasko, Lionel Berkebile, Mary-Ann Sgavoo, Mary Ann Naret, Barry Stuft, John Harchick Jr., Vincent Bestvina, Izzy Bihun, Jeff Yanosky, Mary Clark, Rhonda Bittner, Kara Palumbo, Dave Andolina, Mary Ann Stavlo, Jeff Naugle, Debra Farley, Eugene Topka, Carla Ayres, Zoe Taylor, Rodney Shaffer, Adrian Popig, Casey Duffield, Mike Stefanik, Georgianne Matava, Rose Maga, Michelle Moore, William Sunderhaus, Dale Berkey Jr., Allen S. Berkey, Cathy Lasut Weaver, Bill Conlin, Amanda Berkey, Savannah Tranovich, Danielle Christopher, Jessica Stockdill, Catherine Haggerty

WEEKLY OFFERING - April 28th & April 29th Adult Envelopes - \$2,854; Loose - \$305; Fuel - \$50; Student Offering - \$44.50; Miscellaneous - \$10; Easter - \$105; Ascension - \$75 Total - \$3,443.50 - Thank You!

SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS - The Sanctuary Candle, at the Sacred Heart site, burns in loving memory of George Napora, as a Birthday Remembrance and an Anniversary Remembrance for George and Ann Louise. The Sanctuary Candle burns at the St. John's site in loving memory of Bob Fetsko by Family.

FOUR FAKE APPARITIONS - Many people have claimed to have received an apparition of the Blessed Mother, only a few have been approved by the Church. Here are four (there are plenty more) that have been investigated and declared phony.

Lipa, Philippines

It was claimed that the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared several times to a nun called Sr. Teresita in the Carmelite convent where she lived in 1948. Initially these visions were viewed favorably by the local bishop, but after a further investigation the Church officially declared on March 28, 1951, that the apparitions were not of supernatural origin. The Vatican reaffirmed that decision on December 11, 2015.

Agoo, La Union, Philippines

An individual named Judiel Nieva allegedly received various heavenly apparitions and supernatural powers between 1989 and 1993. After careful examination by the local bishop, examining the visions and the

messages received, it was declared in 1993 that the apparitions were not supernatural in origin. This was confirmed by a second commission in 1996.

Rochester, New York

A man named John Leary claims that he regularly receives messages from Jesus and Mary since a 1993 trip to Medjugorje. He has published these messages in various print and online media. On July 7, 2000, the local bishop declared that “the ‘locutions’ are human in origin, not divine.”

Denver, Colorado

In 1990 a woman named Theresa Lopez said she received visions of the Blessed Virgin Mary at the Mother Cabrini Shrine in Denver. Many others accompanied her and stared at the sun for a promised apparition. The local bishop investigated the claims and declared on March 9, 1994, that the visions were “devoid of any supernatural origin” and urged the faithful to refrain from participating in anything associated with the visions.