

# Our Lady Queen of Angels Parish

Reverend Father Aron M. Maghsoudi – Pastor

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## Rectory Office

738 Sunshine Avenue  
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August 5, 2018

**Eighteenth 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

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## Mass Intentions

August 6	<i>Transfiguration of the Lord</i>
8:00 AM	Mary Katherine Spaid (Req. Kim Palanes) - Church
August 7	<i>St. Sixtus</i>
	<b>NO MASS</b>
August 8	<i>Saint Dominic</i>
8:00 AM	Jess and Margaret Yurjevsic (Req. Family) - Church
August 9	<i>St. Teresa Benedicta</i>
8:00 AM	Liz Fillo (Req. Dave and Shirley Taylor) - Church
August 10	<i>Saint Lawrence</i>
8:00 AM	Frances Lewandowski (Req. Tom and Bonnie Jarvis) - Church
August 11	<i>Vigil of the Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>
4:00 PM	Ray & Tillie Pasierb (Req. Pysnik Family) - Church
August 12	<i>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
8:00 AM	Helen Yantus (Req. Ann Napora) - Church
10:30 AM	For the Parish (Missa Pro Populo) - Chapel

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**SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS** - The Sanctuary Candle, burns at the Sacred Heart site for the donors and contributors of the Father Pilz Memorial Fund. The Sanctuary Candle burns at the St. John's site for the donors and contributors of Our Lady's Memorial Fund.

**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 Oglione, 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, Casey Duffield, Mike Stefanik, Georgianne Matava, Rose Maga, Michelle Moore, William

Sunderhaus, Dale Berkey Jr., Allen S. Berkey, Amanda Berkey, Savannah Tranovich, Danielle Christopher, Jessica Stockdill, Catherine Haggerty, Nancy McClellan, Tony Beltz, Mary Dooley, Betty Zubek, Catherine Mihelic, Elizabeth Blackburn

**WEEKLY OFFERING** - July 28<sup>th</sup> & July 29<sup>th</sup> - Adult Envelopes - \$2,264. 50; Loose - \$736; Student Offering -\$20.75; Fuel - \$40; Assumption - \$30 - Total -\$3,091.25 - Thank You!

#### **SERVER SCHEDULE**

August 11 - 4:00 PM - T. & M. Mabon, J. Bihun  
August 12 - 8:00 AM - D. Zelinski, T. Tomlinson, K. Koleszarik  
August 12- 10:30 AM - J. Eger, C. & L. Galish

**CAR CRUISE** - The parish is exceptionally grateful to all who helped with the Car Cruise/Block Party this past weekend. From the Social Committee who organized the event and worked in the kitchen, to the Holy Name Society who cooked wings, set up tents and tables, and worked the bar, to the Society of Angels who put together the bake sale, to the Knights of Columbus who parked cars, to the many other volunteers who worked so hard on the event - thank you. We were blessed with a beautiful day and helped to support a great cause. If you have any outstanding reimbursements for the event please turn submit them to the office by Monday of this week.

**INDIANS STARVE EVEN AS ECONOMY IMPROVES** - Reports of starvation deaths are on the rise in India, leading many church leaders and activists to criticize the government's failure to implement welfare measures and enforce a law that ensures the right to food. The nation's hunger plight was emphasized after [reports of the deaths of 3 young children](#) in New Delhi, who succumbed to starvation. Bishop Paul Alois Lakra of Gumla in Jharkhand state recently spoke out about 12 cases of starvation deaths in his eastern state. One man, 40-year-old Rajendra Birhor, was survived by his wife, Shanti, who reported her husband suffered from jaundice, but they could not afford medicine. They could not receive government subsidized grain because they did not have proper documents. Bishop Lakra said, "It shows a system failure. We have a unique act which guarantees the right to food for all, and yet sadly governments fail in ensuring basic food for people." The government has yet to determine an official figure of starvation deaths. Bishop Lakra explained it is difficult to determine starvation as the cause of death without an autopsy, since starving people often contract one of many diseases while so malnourished. **Critics are questioning how the hunger problem could have gotten so bad in India, a nation which just last year rose to 6th place in the list of the world's largest economies.** In a 2017 report, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nation estimated that 190.7 million Indian citizens were undernourished. That's 14.5 percent of their 1.2 billion population. As far as food security goes, India is ranked 74th out of 113 countries and it is estimated that 43 percent of Indian children are chronically undernourished. This is not a new problem for India. In 2013, the Indian parliament enacted the National Food Security Act, with the goal of providing subsidized food grains to about two-thirds of the country's population. A recent report highlighted a Jesuit priest, Father Irudaya Jyothi, as the leader of a movement to ensure enforcement of the food security law. Father Jyothi believes the continuing starvation deaths show a distinct failure of the government in their efforts to feed the needy. People are dying of hunger even though tons of grains go rotten because of poor storage facilities, sloppy distribution and a lack of effective systems to identify the needy, media reports show.

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**ORTHODOX OPEN HOUSE** - Our good neighbors at St. Mary's Russian Orthodox Church will be sponsoring a "Homecoming" compline prayer service on Friday August 10<sup>th</sup>. There will be an open house from 5:30 PM until 6:30 PM with Fr. Eli providing a "tour" of the church (photos welcome). At 7:00 PM the compline service will be held with light refreshments to follow at 7:30 PM. All from our church are encouraged to attend and show fraternal support to our "sister church."

#### **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS -**

August 6 - Society of Angels Meeting - 6:30 PM - Activity Center  
August 8 - St. Vincent DePaul Society Meeting - 7:00 PM - Activity Center  
August 11 - 12 - Heritage Days Festival  
August 12 - Mass with Polish Hymns - 8:00 AM - Sacred Heart Site  
August 12 - Holy Name Corporate Communion - 8:00 AM - Sacred Heart Site  
August 15 - Assumption of the B.V.M. - Holyday of Obligation - Masses S.H.- Noon, St. John - 7:00 PM  
August 15 - Rome Meeting (Last Meeting Before Trip) - Follows Holyday Mass at St. John site  
August 19 - All You Can Eat Breakfast - 9:00 AM - Noon - St. John Site  
August 22 - Knights of Columbus Meeting - 7:00 PM - St. John Site  
September 9 - First Day of CCD Classes  
September 23 - Sportsmen Raffle

**IF YOU GET REALLY DESPERATE AT THE COCKTAIL PARTY** - The Diocese of Orlando, Florida, covers much of central Florida. It encompasses nine counties, hundreds of cities, nearly 401,000 Catholic residents, and, strangely enough, the moon. Some background information is needed to explain how spiritual jurisdiction of the moon belongs to the diocese that ministers to Disney, Universal, and Cape Canaveral. The Apollo 11 space mission began with the launch from Cape Canaveral on July 16, 1969. The mission fulfilled the national goal proposed by President John F. Kennedy in 1961 of "landing a man on the Moon and returning him safely to the Earth, before this

decade is out.” However, when Apollo 11 made its famous flight from Cape Canaveral it inadvertently made Bishop William Borders, Bishop of Orlando, “Bishop of the Moon” thanks to an obscure rule from the 1917 Code of Canon Law which was in effect at the time. The 1917 Code of Canon Law (revised in 1983) stated that any newly discovered territory fell under the bishopric from whence the discovering expedition departed. Since Cape Canaveral was under the purview of the Diocese of Orlando, Bishop Borders was effectively the first bishop of the moon. The story goes that following the success of Apollo 11, Bishop Borders made an *ad limina* visit to Pope Paul VI, during which he casually added, “You know, Holy Father, I am the bishop of the moon.” The Pope seemed perplexed until Borders explained that under the Code of Canon Law, he had become bishop of the “newly discovered territory” of the moon. If taken seriously, the Diocese of Orlando would become the largest, at fourteen and half million square miles, although it would be hard to call it the largest diocese *in the world*.

**CCD REGISTRATION** – If you have a child who is entering kindergarten through the 11<sup>th</sup> grade who is not enrolled in a Catholic school please complete the form below and return it to the parish (in person, via mail, or in the collection basket) by August 26<sup>th</sup>.

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Name and Grade Level for Child/Children \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Relevant Health Concerns \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS** – Bishop Bartchak cordially invites all couples celebrating 1, 5, 10, 25, 40, 50, 55 and 60+ Wedding Anniversaries in 2018 (and their families) to attend the Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy on September 16<sup>th</sup> in Johnstown at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. The Mass begins at 2PM.

Refreshments/snacks will be available after the Mass for anniversary couples and their families. Reservations, which must be made through the parish office, are to be made by Thursday August 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**WEDDING BELLS** – Prayerful congratulations are extended to the Elle Griffiths and Ryan Platt who were married this past weekend at our St. John site. Please keep Elle and Ryan in your prayers as they begin their life as a married couple.

**SOMETHING WORTH OF DISCUSSION AT THE COCKTAIL PARTY** – In the event that you used up all of the irrelevant facts for cocktail parties I (Fr. Aron) included in the bulletin two weeks ago, here is another installment, which begs the question, why are you going to so many cocktail parties?

1. Volvo gave away the 1962 patent for their revolutionary three-point seat belt for free, in order to save lives.
2. Queen Elizabeth II is a trained mechanic
3. The Russians showed up 12 days late to the 1908 Olympics in London because they were using the Julian calendar instead of the Gregorian calendar.
4. Neil Armstrong's astronaut application arrived a week past the deadline. A friend slipped the tardy form in with the others.
5. The annual number of worldwide shark bites is 10 times less than the number of people bitten by other people in New York.
6. Carly Simon's dad is the Simon of Simon and Schuster. He co-founded the company.
7. Wendy's founder Dave Thomas dropped out of high school but earned his GED in 1993. His GED class voted him Most Likely to Succeed.
8. Fredric Baur invented the Pringles can. When he passed away in 2008, his ashes were buried in one.
9. Winston Churchill's mother was born in Brooklyn.
10. Salvador Dali avoided paying restaurant tabs by using checks. He would draw on the back as the waiter watched, knowing no one would ever cash the art.

**MASS IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA** – The Polish Falcons Heritage Foundation and the Polish-American community of Western Pennsylvania will sponsor a Mass at St. Paul Cathedral in Pittsburgh in honor of Our Lady of Czestochowa and the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Polish Independence after World War I on Monday August 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. All are invited to attend and celebrate the faith of the Polish people.

**A PRAYER TO BEGIN THE DAY** - O God of forgiveness, you sent your only Son to live and die among us in order to set us free from the merciless snares of sin and death. Forgive what we cannot forgive; heal what we dare not face; grant humility where we take refuge in false pride. Grant us singleness of heart and a steadfast spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**TRUISMS THAT ARE TRUE!** - The severity of the itch is inversely proportional to the reach - As soon as you sit down to a cup of hot coffee your boss will ask you to do something which will last until the coffee is cold - If the clothes fit, they're ugly.

**ROME MEETING** - If you are attending the trip to Rome there will be an important informational session on August 15<sup>th</sup> following the holyday Mass. Please make sure to mark your calendar. This will be the final scheduled meeting about the trip to Rome.

**FLOWER MEMORIALS** -. The flowers at the Sacred Heart site are dedicated in honor Ann Wojcik by Janice and Joe Stahl

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