

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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Parish Office Hours: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Mission Statement

Through our gifts of time, talents, and treasures, we serve our parish as we journey together to the Kingdom of God.

Parish Staff

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Confessions:

Saturday: St. Mary's Church 3:30-4:15 p.m.

First Friday Week:

Sacred Heart Church Thursday 4:00 p.m.
Till all are heard
Anytime by Appointment

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Mass Schedule

Sacred Heart Church Sunday - 7:00 & 10:30 a.m.
St. Mary's Church Saturday - 4:30 p.m.
St. Mary's Church Sunday - 9:00 a.m.

Bulletin Deadline Monday – 10:00 a.m. – In Writing



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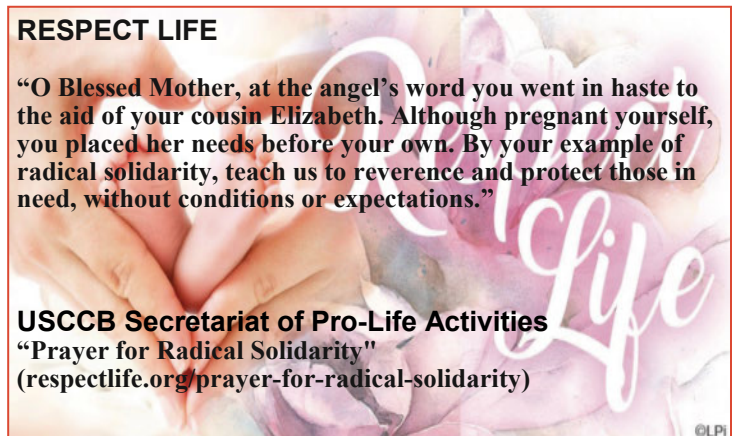
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RESPECT LIFE

“O Blessed Mother, at the angel’s word you went in haste to the aid of your cousin Elizabeth. Although pregnant yourself, you placed her needs before your own. By your example of radical solidarity, teach us to reverence and protect those in need, without conditions or expectations.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
“Prayer for Radical Solidarity”
(respectlife.org/prayer-for-radical-solidarity)



Oct., 14(S): Vigil of 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Mary's Church

4:30 p.m. †† Jean & Jack Healy
 †† Marion & Walter Pistner (An.)

Oct., 15: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacred Heart Church

7:00 a.m. Mass For The Parishioners

St. Mary's Church

9:00 a.m. †† William & Ann Keating
 †† Eleanor (An.) & Andrew Baumgratz

Sacred Heart Church

10:30 a.m. † Evelyn Fox (An.)

Oct., 16(M): 28th Week in Ordinary Time

6:15 a.m. †††† Earl & Celine Feldbauer and
 Mack & Rose Newell

Oct., 17(T): St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr

6:15 a.m. L/D of Robert & Helen Fox Family

Oct., 18(W): St. Luke, Evangelist

6:15 a.m. ††† Ralph & Mary Lou Iorfida and
 Cathy Wilhour

Oct., 19(Th): 28th Week in Ordinary Time

6:15 a.m. L/D of Henry & Rose Hooper Family

Oct., 20(F): 28th Week in Ordinary Time

6:15 a.m. † Ken Bish

Oct., 21(S): 28th Week in Ordinary Time

St. Mary's Church

8:30 a.m. † Deceased Members of the
 Benedictine Association of Saint Marys
Vigil of 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 p.m. † Leah Wolfe

Oct., 22: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacred Heart Church

7:00 a.m. † Michael E. Lecker (An.)

St. Mary's Church

9:00 a.m. † Barbara Hanes

Sacred Heart Church

10:30 a.m. Mass For The Parishioners



The week of October 15, 2023 the Angel Lamps in the Sanctuary burn for the following intentions:

†† Eleanor & Andrew Baumgratz
 †† Frank & Rosemary Kneidel

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

Today's gospel speaks about "unworthy wedding guests." What makes a "worthy" guest? Presence and presents are not enough. The greatest gift we can give is support to the couple as they voyage through life together because marriage naturally contains within it the fields of disappointment. Think of the weddings you have attended. Have you been a "worthy guest?"

SACRED HEART PRAYER CHAIN - If you want to be placed on the prayer chain for any need, just call Rose at 814-781-6430, or Ann at 814-834-6534. The names of those listed on this prayer chain will not be published in the bulletin. If you want a name to be listed in the bulletin, please call the Parish Office.

FATIMA PRAYER GROUP

Monday Night Apostolate of Fatima Rosary at Sacred Heart Church will be held at **4:00 p.m.** "Pray the Rosary everyday for Peace in the World".

"Understand what you do, imitate what you celebrate, and conform your life to the mystery of the Lord's cross."

-Ordination Rite of Priests-

Gabriel Kraus and	
Deacon Brian Meyers	Deacon Luke Daghir
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"31 DAY" VOCATION CALENDAR - Please

consider joining the Parish "31 Club" for Vocations to the Religious Life. Try to attend a Mass, Holy Hour, Pray a Rosary **OR** pray on your chosen date and offer it for:

- Priests/religious who have served our parish in the **past**.
 - For those priests, religious and deacons serving **now**.
 - To ask the Lord of the harvest for **future** vocations.
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| 16th | Jerry & Ann Brennen, Marilyn Keyes |
| 17th | Kathy Cheatle, Dave Shaffer, Irene Gregory |
| 18th | Julie Handwerker, Barb Linder,
Bonnie Housler, Barbara Little |
| 19th | Mary Ross, Nancy Plows, Patty Stebick |
| 20th | Gretchen Meyer, Mary Jo Scott, Kathy Hoffman |
| 21st | Carl Loeffler, Barb Linder, Gloria Harvey |
| 22nd | Sally Smith, Kathy Reuscher,
Sue Meyer, Bill Storer |

If you would like to be a part of the "31 Day" Vocation Calendar, please call the Parish Office at 834-7861 #1.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

will be held in Sacred Heart Church on Friday from 7:00 a.m. until closing with Benediction at 4:00 p.m.

Fridays at 3:00 p.m. the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

PLEASE PRAY for the repose of the souls of all the faithful departed especially Kelley A. Hritz and Scott T. Wise (Grandson of Jean Wise). May God grant them eternal rest and comfort all those who mourn them.

PRAYER LIST - Let us remember all the sick especially Chrissy Aikens, Sharon Boylan, Patty Brock, Henry James Farkas, Alice Feldbauer, Don Geci, Irene George, Louise Georgevich, Kathleen Glatfelter, Anita Kosmowski, Dennis Maffei, Darlene Nappe, Tammy Pearsall, Asher Quinn, Kathleen (Daisy) Rowley, Emily Saline, Dave Schneider, Matthew Sharrow, Ruth "Pug" Sloff, Sandy Tucker, Lucy Weis, and Mary Jo Wheeler. We pray in hope that God's healing power may touch all those who are sick.

WORLD MISSION SUNDY~ Get Ready to Set Your "Hearts on Fire, Feet on the Move" for World Mission Sunday! Next weekend, we'll unite with fellow Catholics globally to mark World Mission Sunday. As we reflect on Pope Francis' compelling theme, we're invited to enkindle the flames of Christ's love and spread its warmth to mission territories in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe.



THANK YOU~ to all of the volunteers that helped to make both the Bread/Soup Sale and the Chicken Dinner a SUCCESS. As always we couldn't have done it without each and everyone of YOU! Thank you too, to all that supported the sale and dinner. **Helene and Linda Co-Chairs of the Social Committee.**



ST. ANNE SOCIETY ~ will meet on **Monday, October 16, 2023** in the Sacred Heart Parish Center Cafeteria. Lunch will be served at Noon with group #1 followed by meeting and cards. **New members are always welcome.**

A SERIES ON THE EUCHARIST~ For our adult formation this Fall, Fr. Jeff is offering a series on the Eucharist on Thursdays of October. We will meet at 6:30 pm. **Please join us in the Queen of the World Cafeteria the last two are Oct., 19, & 26.**



"SERVE AND SUCCEED"

A volunteer or drafted a Veteran **Serves** and if they were lucky they came home to **Succeed** with life, a family and a career.

This Christmas we are once again given the opportunity to **Serve** the and **Succeed** at telling other about what they did for our country and honoring them with wreaths to say **"Thank You"** for all you did for our community. For the first time in honoring our veterans we will have an increase in price to **\$17.00.**

There will be order sheets placed at the inside entrances of the church by the bulletins.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH IN FORCE~ Oct., 20 & Oct., 27
NOON to 6:30 pm Haddock OR Fantail Shrimp OR Chicken Tenders choice of potato (baked or FF) coleslaw, applesauce, or macaroni salad, soup, roll, dessert, drink *soup & drink for dine-in only. **All dinners are \$14.00**



SPECIAL ENVELOPES FOR THE MONTH OF

- Oct.,** Benedictine Annual Appeal
- Oct., 15** In Support of Our Parish School Children
- Oct., 22** World Mission Sunday
- Nov., 01** All Saints Day
- Nov., 02** All Souls Day

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Mondays** Praying the Rosary in Church **4:00 p.m.**
- Fridays** Rosary in Church **1:00 p.m.**
- Fridays** Divine Mercy Chaplet in Church **3:00 p.m.**
- Oct., 16** Saint Anne Society Lunch/Meeting **12:00 p.m.**
- Oct., 17** Parish Council Meeting **6:00 p.m.**

AREA NEWS

BOWLS OF LOVE is a free meal served **every Wednesday** at the First United Methodist Church **from 4-5:00 PM.** Everyone is welcome



QUEEN OF THE WORLD Rosary Altar Society will again be praying the Rosary in the Queen of the World Church during the month of **October Mon., thru Thurs., at 6:00 p.m.** Please join us.



ADORATION AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH every **Tuesday** following the **8:30 AM Mass.** Closing: Benediction: 5:00 PM.



ADORATION AT QUEEN of the WORLD every **Thursday** following the **7:00 AM Mass.** Closing: Benediction: 5:00 PM.



BENEDICTINE GIFT SHOP at 139 Church St, is fully stocked for Fall. And while you're in the area, please take time to stop by our renovated '1886 Chapel' at 315 Church St. (Right beside the St. Mary's Catholic Church).



RELIGIOUS AND PRO LIFE LENDING



Located on the main floor, of the Sacred Heart Parish Center, is open to all in the community. Mon., thru Fri., from 9 am to 4 pm. Not open on Holidays or Holy Days.

THE MATERNITY CLOSET ~Hours: the 1st three weeks on Wednesdays & Thursdays of each month. Babies and children up to 3 years. Wed's 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. & Thurs's 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. **Notice 4th Thurs., 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. will no longer be opened.**



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ST. MARY'S CHURCH ~ OCTOBER FEST CRAFT Saturday, October 21, 2023

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
St. Mary's Church Parish Center
325 Church St. Food Booth, Basket Raffle, 50/50 and many Craft Vendors.



ECCHS Athletic Association 7th Annual Outdoor Bash Sunday, October 22, 2023 12-4 pm

ECCHS Cafeteria Tickets: \$20/person (must be age 21 & older to attend) To purchase tickets, visit <https://eccss.org/outdoorbash/> or contact Tricia Wasko @ 814-592-6430. Tickets will also be sold at the ECCHS school office.





St. Marys Inter-Parish



Faith Formation Calendar

All classes are held at the St. Mary's Church Parish Center (Former Catholic Middle School), 325 Church Street, unless otherwise noted.

- Sun., Oct. 15 Middle School class 6:00 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.
Wed., Oct. 18 Elementary Faith Formation (grade 1-5) 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Grade 1 CGS at Sacred Heart Atrium (5:50 p.m. – 7:20 p.m.)
Sun., Oct. 22 Middle School class 6:00 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.
Confirmation retreat 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Wed., Oct. 25 Elementary Faith Formation (grade 1-5) 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Grade 1 CGS at Sacred Heart Atrium (5:50 p.m. – 7:20 p.m.)
Sat., Oct. 28 Middle School Retreat 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.



REMEMBER: Rooted Youth Ministry Tournament Night Air Hockey, Mario Kart, Prizes and Pizza Middle School: Tuesday, October 24th~6:30 to 8:30 p.m. High School: Thursday, October 26th~ 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

BENEDICTINE ANNUAL APPEAL

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THE LIVING ROSARY Let us pray together....

Wednesday, October 25th at 6:30 p.m. in the Nativity of Jesus Chapel (Next to St. Mary's Church)

Care and Concern Committee of St. Mary's Parish invites you to join us for a "Living Rosary" Prayer Service.

As you arrive, the committee will assign you a seat so there are equal people in each 'mystery' seating area. You'll also be given a laminated prayer card to help with your recitation of the prayers.

Boys and girls are encouraged to come and participate side by side with the adults. (Some of the Faith Formation students will be attending.)

Please join us as we ask Mary's intercession for peace and healing in our country, in our church, and in our homes.

Holy Mary, patroness of our city and our country, pray for us



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ST. HUBERT'S COMMITTEE AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH INVITES YOU TO A HOMEMADE SAUERKRAUT DINNER SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH AT 6PM IN THE CAFETERIA OF THE PARISH CENTER



- MENU: Roasted Pork, Homemade sauerkraut, Locally grown mashed potatoes, Wheat/Rye dinner rolls, Complimentary Beverage & Dessert w/dine-in meals ONLY

\$12/plate

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED!

Pre-orders for take-outs available. Deliveries available for the homebound. We will also have people available as drivers if you have no way to get to the event. Call the parish office to reserve your spot or to pre-order your take-out, 781-1019. Pick-ups for take-outs will be around the back of the parish center in the marked drive thru lane. You can pre-order quarts and pints of bagged/frozen sauerkraut. Quarts \$5/ Pints/\$3.



BENEDICTINE ANNUAL APPEAL

Saint Vincent Archabbey • Latrobe, Pennsylvania 15650-2686

Fall 2023

Dear Member of Sacred Heart Parish,

The Benedictines of Saint Vincent Archabbey have been serving Sacred Heart Parish for many years. Serving the Church through parish ministry has been essential to the ministry of the Benedictine monks of Saint Vincent from its beginning in 1846. Our founder, Father Boniface Wimmer, immigrated here from Bavaria in order to serve Catholics through educational, pastoral and missionary apostolates. From these very endeavors our community has been blessed over the years with vocations to Saint Vincent Archabbey. In a special way our pastoral ministry remains a priority throughout the Catholic Church, both locally and universally.

Every year the Lord has indeed blessed us with new vocations to Saint Vincent Archabbey. Simultaneously, older, revered members slow down and move back home after a lifetime of faithful service in our various apostolates. So, we have the serious dual challenges of preparing our young men to carry on our diverse ministries and to provide for the retirement needs of our sick and elderly.

We are grateful for your generous support throughout the past years, which has helped us to meet the present challenges of health care for senior and infirm members and in educating the younger ones. The Benedictine Annual Appeal helps to cover the increasing costs of these two daunting tasks.

We ask you to continue your spirit of generosity through the Benedictine Annual Appeal, which will be conducted at Sacred Heart Parish, on Sunday, October 22nd. With your prayers and support we can face the future with confidence.

Be assured of our prayers for you and your family now and in the years to come. Thank you for your generous support each year through the Benedictine Annual Appeal!

With gratitude,

+Martin R. Bartel, O.S.B.
Archabbot of Saint Vincent

Fr. Thomas Curry, O.S.B.
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