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**Bingo Social**

Come Join us for the NEW & IMPROVED BINGO Sunday Mar. 10 Early Birds start at 12:30 and will pay out at least $15/game. 15 Regular games paying $30. There will also be BONZAI, SPECIALS and QUICKIES. Oh, don't forget about the final game—JACKPOT. The kitchen will be open serving hamburgers, hot dogs, pizza, chips, pop, water and coffee. So come join the fun and try your luck winning larger prizes.

Admission is only $15 for the 15 game boards. The more who play, the more the payouts will be.
Our next class will be on Sunday, March 3 from 9:00 to 10:45 am. Please pick your child up in the hall and attend Mass as a family. This is a Youth Mass please plan to attend and encourage your child to participate.

2nd Grade parents: there will be a First Communion parent meeting on Sunday, March 3 during class.

No Greater Love, a Biblical Walk through Christ's Passion” by Ascension Press. Come discover God's love to the fullest. Wednesday morning sessions beginning March 13 10:00 am and evening sessions on Thursdays beginning March 14 at 6:30 pm if there is enough interest. This is a five week study which consists of videos, a book and workbook. There will be a $25.00 fee for study materials. Pre-registration is required, please call or email Cheryl to let her know if you are interested.

Bingo!
There will be a bingo on Sunday, March 10 which will benefit our Faith Formation program! Students grades 6-12 are invited to help with the Bingo! If you would like to help, please contact Cheryl and let her know. Thank you for your generous support to our Faith formation program!

NCYC registration is still underway until all busses are filled, less than 100 spots are left! Please consider this trip for your children grades 8-12. It is an energizing, fun, faith filled trip with other youth from our Diocese. They take 200 students from our Diocese on this trip! Contact Cheryl for more information.

The next meeting of the Little Rock Bible Study Group will be on Wednesday, March 6th. The group meets in the Social Hall weekly on Wednesdays from 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM. Please attend a session and learn the details of this year’s study. All are welcome to attend. Watch the bulletin for more news about the Bible study.

The Schedule for distribution of ashes on Ash Wednesday is as follows:
8:00 AM - Wednesday, March 6th Holy Family Church
7:00 PM - Wednesday, March 6th Holy Family Church

Mary's Way of the Cross Stations - Wednesday’s at Noon beginning on Ash Wednesday, March 6th through Lent.
Friday Stations at 7:00 on Friday's beginning on March 8th through Lent.
There are no Stations on Good Friday.

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Please note that some times have been changed:
3/19 - Executive Board Meeting at Gary's Chuck Wagon at 9:30 AM.
3/24 – Regular Monthly Meeting in the Social Hall at 9:30 AM before Mass
3/30 – Craft Sale has been CANCELLED!
4/10-13 – Annual Easter Bread Sale

The members of the HNS meet in the Social Hall on the second Sunday of each month. The next meeting will be on March 10th in the Social Hall beginning at 9:30 AM. You may contact Bob Gabonay to pay your 2019 dues if you have not already paid for this year.
Daylight Savings Time

Spring ahead on March 10th! Set your clocks ahead 1 Hour on Saturday night or you will be early for Church!

Notice!

This Week's Bulletin is incomplete due to a very rushed publication date and the fact that the Parish Office had no electric, telephone service or internet service for most of the week. Please excuse the omissions and errors and watch the next bulletin for updated information! I apologize for the inconvenience.

Paula

Financial Report for 2/24/2019
Parish Income:
Offertory: $2421.00
Loose: 288.00
Candles: 50.00
Monthly: 431.00
Holy Days: 10.00
Total: $3200.00
Parish Budget $4000.00
Total Income $3223.00
Under Budget - $800.00
Total Offertory $3223.00
Includes special collections

Night at the Races!!!
St. Edward Parish in Herminie (120 St. Edwards Lane) will sponsor a “Night at the Races” on Saturday, March 2nd at 7:30pm in the church hall. Doors open at 7:00pm. Horses are $25 each and entitles the owner to 2 free admission tickets. The winner of each winning horse will receive $40. Only 100 horses will be sold. The evening includes free food, beverages, beer, BYOB, and much more! (Must be 21 to attend). Basket Raffle and 50/50 will also be held. Admission at the door will be $15 per person without purchasing a horse. Please call Dawn Kavel at 724-446-1802 for more information.

Soup Sunday at Seven Dolors
The Christian Mothers & Ladies of Seven Dolors Parish, Yukon, will host their annual “SOUPER” Sunday, March 10, from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. in the church social hall. A variety of homemade soups, sandwiches, desserts and beverages will be offered. Price is $7 for adults and $3 for children.

Lenten Musical Revival
Please join Holy Family Parish, West Newton for a Musical Revival on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday - March 17th, 18th, and 19th at 7:00 - 8:30 pm each evening. The topics for the evenings are: Grace & the Kingdom of God; Grace & the Sacramental Life; Grace & the Real Presence. Adoration and Benediction on the 19th. The special guest speaker is Fr. Jim O'Connor. This Lenten Musical Revival is free and open to all.

The Well Men’s Conference to be Held March 30
The diocese’s Men’s Ministry Team will host THE WELL Men’s Conference on March 30 at Greensburg Central Catholic. The event includes workshops, open discussions, the sacrament of reconciliation and adoration, and it concludes with Mass celebrated by Bishop Malesic. The keynote speaker will be Mike McCoy, an Erie native who is a former Notre Dame and NFL star. Register at www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/THEWELL.

21st Annual Communities of Salt and Light Awards Dinner April 25
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Greensburg will host the 21st annual Communities of Salt and Light Awards Dinner April 25 at 6 p.m. at Stratigos Banquet Centre, North Huntingdon. Bishop Malesic will present the awards for humanitarianism, philanthropy and outstanding human services organization. All net proceeds benefit people in need in the diocese’s four counties. Contact Heather Rady, director of community relations and special events, at 724-837-1840 for sponsorship information.

Wine and Cheese Tasting Event
Saturday, May 11 - 7:00-9:30 PM at The Greenhouse Winery, Rillton. Only 120 tickets available @ $20.00 each. Wine tasting and food provided. Chances for a basket raffle and other exciting events are being planned. For tickets, an opportunity for a $5.00 discount and other information call 724-256-6042. First come first served. Get your tickets soon. This event benefits Holy Family Parish, West Newton.

Low Gluten Hosts
Low Gluten Hosts are available for persons who are unable to receive regular Host at communion. If you need to receive a low gluten Host you must see the Priest before Mass and let him know of your need. He will instruct you about the special procedure you must follow to insure that you will receive the low gluten Host. If you suffer from severe Celiac disease or are highly sensitive to wheat you are welcome to ask about the Host and the procedure prior to attending Mass. Call the office and make an appointment to talk to Fr. Bump.

Announcements/Notices for the Bulletin
Our bulletin information must be sent to the publisher no later than 10:00 AM on Wednesday morning in order to be printed and delivered to us for the weekend. In order to get the information formatted and ready for the printer I must have it no later than Friday, the week before the news item is to be printed. Please keep that in mind when requesting items for publication in the bulletin. Also if anyone would like to submit and maintain a list of active duty service men/women, I would be pleased to publish that list.