



# Holy Family

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

### Save the Date:

Here is a list of upcoming activities. Watch the bulletin for news of activities. Listed below are some of the dates you will want to reserve in the coming months.

**October**—Quilt & Cash Ticket

**Bible Study Resumes**

**Faith Formation Resumes**

**October 13**—BINGO, See ad inside for details

*Please check the bulletin and insert for Mass times as some changes have been made.*

### Check Mass times for Holy Days

The Rosary will be prayed before Masses during the month of October.

If anyone would like to lead the prayer advise Maryann Landini.

**See Insert for information about Faith Formation Schedule!**



# 27<sup>th</sup>

## SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“When you have done all you have been commanded, say, ‘We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do.’” - Lk 17:10b

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### Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 11:00 AM

### \*\*\*Weekday Masses\*\*\*

No Weekday Masses

October 1 & 2 or 8 & 9

(Fr. Dave's Retreat)

Schedule returns to normal on

October 15 & 16

### \*Holy Days

Vigil-7:00 PM

*\*See Insert for detailed information*

### Confessions

Saturday

3:00-3:30 PM

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 06, 2019



**Reverend Joseph E. Bonafed, Pastor**

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724-872-2106

**Eric Blanda, Director of Music**  
412-582-2512

**Paula DeClaudio, Parish Secretary**  
724-872-6123

**Weddings—Baptisms:** Contact Parish Secretary for appointment.

# PRAYER AND WORSHIP

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE



**4:00 PM | Saturday, October 5**

**Lector**

Stan Materkowski

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Mary Ann Landini, Larry Risku

**Altar Servers**

Jocelyn Siburt

**11:00 AM | Sunday, October 6**

**Lector**

Christina Teaters

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Darlene Scheher, Dennis Balenovich

**Altar Servers**

Raphaella Lombardozi

**4:00 PM | Saturday, October 12**

**Lector**

Dan Landini

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Coreen Goetz, Armand Luzi, Tony Lovato

**Altar Servers**

Ginger DeBlazio

**11:00 AM | Sunday, October 13**

**Lector**

Noah Lehner

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Bill Ryckman, Barry Beneccio, Dan Landini

**Altar Servers**

Gina Beneccio

**Saturday, October 5**

4:00 PM *Vigil—The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Grace Sabljak by Mary, Eileen, Armand and Angel

**Sunday, October 6**

11:00 AM *The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Jeffrey Paul Abbot and Joseph Demczyk

by Jaye Ann Demczyk

**\*Tuesday, October 8**

8:00 AM

*St. Therese*

**No Mass**

**\*Wednesday, October 9**

8:00 AM

*The Holy Guardian Angels*

**No Mass**

**Saturday, October 12**

4:00 PM *Vigil—The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Rosemarie Hanick by Karen Foster

**Sunday, October 13**

11:00 AM *The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Stanley and Agnes Minkus

by Jeanne and Leonard Minkus

**\*No 8:00 AM Masses 10/8 or 10/9 (Fr. Dave is on Retreat)**

*Weekday Masses at Holy Family will be scheduled at 8:00 AM on Tuesday and Wednesday during the week.*

**ASSISTANCE FOR THE US AND BAHAMAS**

A Special Collection will be taken up in the

Churches of the Diocese of Greensburg this weekend - October 5th & 6th- for the victims hurricane. Dorian. The Bishop has asked all parishioners to be generous in prayers and contributions to help those who have been impacted by this storm. Please pray for the souls of those who have died, those who are sick and injured and those who are lost.

## WEEKLY BELL CHIMES

DAY	NOON	6:00 PM
SAT 10/05	Vera Clement—Birthday	Philomena Balenovich—Birthday Memorial
SUN 10/06	John Powelczak—Memorial	
MON 10/07	Sara & Nicholas Powelczak—Memorial	
TUES 10/08	Pauline Kosor—Birthday	
WED 10/09	M/M Stanley Materkowski—Mem Anniversary	
THURS 10/10	Edward Delduca—Birthday Remembrance	
FRI 10/11	Pauline Kosor—Memorial	Joey Federer—Birthday
SAT 10/12	Lucille Bell DuCoeur—Birthday	Joseph (Tony) DeMarchi—Birthday
SUN 10/13	Kara & Pino Tenuta—Anniversary	

*Blank spaces are available for celebratory/memorial/honorary Bell Chimes.*

# ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INSPIRATION

27<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**NOTE THE TIME CHANGE  
TO 6:30 PM  
for BINGO!**



## **BINGO SOCIAL**

Come Join us for BINGO

**Sunday OCTOBER 13th**

**Early Birds start at 6:30 PM** and will pay out at least \$15/game.

Admission is still only \$15 for 15 games each paying \$30. Specials (3) pay out \$50 and Quickies (2) pay 1/2 take.

The kitchen will be open serving great food and drink at great prices.

Try your luck at games of chance as well as on the increasing amounts on the Bullseye and Jackpot games.

Admission is only \$15 for the 15 game boards. The more who play, the more the payouts will be.

## **Concerns Regarding Sexual Abuse**

If you have any suspicion about the sexual abuse (or any other type of abuse) of a minor child by anyone — please contact PA Childline immediately at 1-800-932-0313. If the alleged abuser is functioning in a parish, school or diocesan position as clergy, religious, paid staff or volunteer you are also requested to contact the Bishop's Delegate for Matters of Sexual Misconduct after you have called the Childline number and made the report. The Bishop's Delegate may be reached at 724-837-0901, Ext. 1221

## **27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

As I continue my annual retreat, know that you are being remembered in my prayers (as you are remembered each and every day) and I ask for your prayers – for safe travel, and for spiritual enrichment. The weather has been typical for this time of year, especially in the hills of the Shenandoah – almost like back home: a morning nip in the air letting us know that Summer is behind us and Fall is in the air. The colors are spectacular, and this – being one of the centers known for apples (much like it is in eastern Pennsylvania, Adams County), driving through the various orchards, the air “wafts” with the scents of the apples as they ripen and are picked.

This weekend's readings are dealing with Faith. Imagine a world in which no one had faith in anything. What would it be like? Could such a world function? We seldom reflect on the fact that so much that happens depends upon our having faith in a whole host of institutions and individuals – be it faith in doctors, air-line pilots, our spouses, or something as simple as turning on a light or going to the sink expecting water to come out of the spigot.

How about a world with no religious faith? Such a situation is even more problematic. As it is, we probably don't give such a thing any thought because almost anyone we associate with has some form of faith – even if they do not belong to a particular religion or church.

The apostles appealed to Jesus: “Increase our faith.” And His reply seems very odd. We almost get the impression that He thinks faith can be tested by working unlikely wonders. But it's not what Jesus is saying. Instead He is using exaggeration to make a point and make them – and us – think.

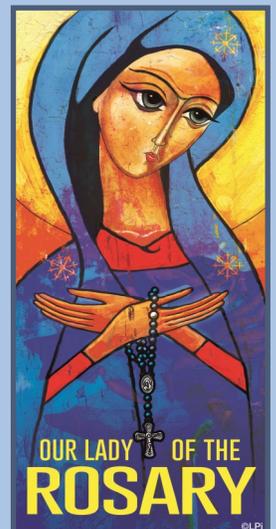
Faith is not the kind of thing that you can measure. It's not the kind of thing you can have more or less of. Faith is a way of being; a way of seeing; a way of journeying. It's not something we *have*, it's rather something that we're caught up in. We're not living isolated lives from other people. We are constantly in contact with others – if not surrounded by others. We are part of a community of believers who lead a life of faith and who support each other in that life of faith. That's one reason we hear these words at Mass following the Lord's Prayer: “Look not on our sins but on the faith of Your Church.”

As followers of Jesus, everything we do is informed by faith. Faith surrounds us, Faith carries us, Faith is our way of “being.” And we manifest our Faith in simple and obvious ways – by coming together for Mass, by praying, by celebrating the sacraments, by reaching out to one another in Gospel Love – *simple random acts of kindness*. It might not seem very spectacular to us. It's certainly got nothing to do with performing amazing feats. But faith really does change the world. A world without religious faith would be an impoverished world, for it would be a world in which the deepest aspirations of the human heart could have no place. This week we may want to reflect upon our own faith and ask: “How great is my Faith?” The apostles had the help of God's Spirit. That same Spirit lives in us today. Can we do His will?

Let us pray for the conversion of the world & for peace.

## **Our Lady of the Rosary**

October 7 – This Feast was established by St Pius V to commemorate the victory of the Christian naval fleet, commanded by Don Juan of Austria, against the Turks at Lepanto on October 7, 1571. Don Juan attributed the great victory to the intercession of the Blessed Mother, which was invoked by the praying of the Rosary. The Rosary was revealed to St Dominic by the Blessed Mother about the beginning of the 13<sup>th</sup> century, and is one of the most beautiful of all devotions. The Rosary, a summary of the Christian faith, has always enabled Christians to approach Jesus with Mary who “kept all these things in mind, treasuring them in her heart.” As on recent pope has said: “The recitation of the Rosary helps the individual to meditate on the mysteries of the Lord's life as seen through the eyes of her who was closest to the Lord.” (Pope Paul VI)



**MEETINGS:**

**Adult Bible Study** – Weekly, Wednesday’s 9-11:00 AM. Next date for Bible Study is Wednesday, October 9th.

**Holy Name Society** – October 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 AM - Social Hall.

**Confraternity of Christian Mothers – E-Board** 10/22 9:30 AM @ Gary’s. **Regular Meeting** - October 27, 9:30 AM in the Social Hall

**Parish Pastoral/Finance Council** – Tuesday, November 5 @ 6:30 PM.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 9/29/2019**

Parish Income:

Offertory: \$2,424.00	<i>Accent:</i>	3.00
Loose: 207.00	<i>World Mission:</i>	10.00
Candles: 65.00	<i>Sem./Clergy:</i>	555.00
Monthly: 605.00		
Holy Days: 20.00		

**Total: \$3,321.00**

Parish Budget \$4,000.00

Total Income \$3,321.00

**Under Budget: -\$679.00**

**Total Offertory \$3,889.00**

**\*\*\*IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT MASS SCHEDULES\*\*\***

Please note that the **Weekday Mass Schedule** has changed.

Daily Mass: Mon. & Thursday at **8:00 AM** at St. Anne

Daily Mass: Tues. & Wed. at **8:00 AM** at Holy Family

**At this time there are no changes anticipated in Weekend Mass times.**

Changes are necessary to accommodate the Pastor’s schedule and insure that Masses are available at both Churches. *If you are in the habit of attending daily Mass, feel free to attend the Masses held at St. Anne Church on Monday and Thursday.*

**ROSARY RALLY AT HOLY FAMILY CHURCH - OCT. 12**

Holy Family Church will join many other Churches and organizations in the Diocese of Greensburg in hosting a Rosary Rally on Oct. 12. All parishioners and friends from neighboring parishes are invited to join the **rally at noon on October 12, 2019**. Those who wish to participate in the Rosary Rally should **gather in front of the Church entrance on Second Street, West Newton**. The Rosary and other prayers will be prayed in a group.

**THE MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY**

Have you ever wanted to explore the life of Jesus and Mary in a deeper way? Each decade highlights a sacred episode:

*Joyful Mysteries:* Through the Annunciation (1) and Visitation (2), we get a glimpse at Mary’s joyful yes to God. She gives birth to Jesus in the Nativity (3). Mary and Joseph present their son at the temple (4) and bring him there again when he is a teenager (5).

*Luminous Mysteries:* Jesus is baptized in the Jordan River (1) before Mary gives him a nudge to his first miracle at Cana (2). Jesus proclaims the Gospel (3), is transfigured on Mount Tabor (4), and institutes the Eucharist (5). The light is shining!

*Sorrowful Mysteries:* Jesus prays in agony in Gethsemane (1), knowing his hour of suffering has come. After his betrayal and arrest, Jesus is scourged (2) and crowned with thorns (3). He carries his cross (4), and Mary stands at the foot of the cross as he is crucified (5).

*Glorious Mysteries:* Christ is risen in glory (1)! After appearing to those he loves, he ascends into heaven (2). Jesus’ followers receive the Holy Spirit at Pentecost (3). Mary, unaffected by original sin, is assumed body and soul into heaven (4), where she is crowned queen, humble mother of Christ the King (5).

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**ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

There will be a training class for those adults interested in becoming an ALTAR SERVER on Sunday October 27 after the 11:00 Mass. Please contact Bill Ryckman if interested.

**COLLECTION FOR THE HOMELESS**

Many of our Parishioners know of Fr. Tim’s mission of serving the homeless in the local Pittsburgh area. He is collecting new and gently used blankets and other items to be distributed as the weather turns cold. As you start your fall cleaning and shopping season this is a perfect time to remember our brothers and sisters who are less fortunate with a warm blanket, hat, pair of gloves or socks. You may fill the bins in the back of the Church with your offerings. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity!

**CHANCES FOR COLUMBUS DAY PRIZE**

COLUMBUS DAY SPECIAL-SUPER SCRATCH OFF TICKETS

1 unopened package of each:

\$5. \$20. & \$30 (120 total tickets)

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14

\$10 DONATION only 333 tickets sold.

Sponsored by Holy Name Society of Holy Family Church

*If anyone can buy or sell any of these chances contact Bill Ryckman @ 724-256-6042 or [magdoc@mac.com](mailto:magdoc@mac.com)*

*Prayer*  
**REQUESTS**

A book is located in the back of the Church where any one may write their prayer requests/intentions and all may pray for those listed. Sponsors of the Book of Intentions are the members of Confraternity of Christian Mothers.



This year, we begin a new journey to create a unified Faith Formation program while utilizing the human and physical resources of each parish. Under the leadership of our Director of Faith Formation, Laretta Stanley, we are very pleased to announce the following individuals who have generously offered themselves in service to our program as volunteer catechists for our Faith Formation Program. Let us pray for the needs of our catechists, for all families, and for the children and youth of our parishes, as we all look forward to new opportunities of growing in faith.

**1<sup>st</sup> Grade**

Angela Ehrhardt  
Tiana Ambrose

**4<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Helen Carroll (Honey Lou)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Grade**

Lori Bronakowski

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Maryann Landini  
Coreen Goetz

**3<sup>rd</sup> Grade**

Rachel Lew  
Stephanie Boyer

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Nick & Kristen Gruber

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Andy & Carolyn Cannizzaro

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Ashley Wilson

*We also acknowledge all of the various catechetical related ministries who serve in various roles in Theology on Tap, Sacramental Prep, VBS and Fun Nights, Liturgy of the Word, and Youth Ministry who provide the vital services that help our parishes to remain vibrant.*

**TRAINING EVENTS FOR PARISH LEADERS**

A series of events have been planned for various parish leaders and catechists of the Diocese of Greensburg. Events are as follows and are open to faith formation leaders, youth ministry leaders and volunteers, adult core tea members, and RCIA leaders:

Training & Certification - Church History and Christology	Saturday, October 12	St Paul, Greensburg
Engaging Parents Forming Family Faith	Tuesday, October 22	Christ Our Shepherd Center
Advent Reflection	Friday, December 6	Site TBD
Training & Certification - Catholicism in America or Catholic Social Teaching	January 11,	St Paul, Greensburg
Continuing the Journey Adult Youth Ministry	April 24-26	Kearny, NJ
Spirituality in the Midst of Serving	May 1	Christ Our Shepherd Center

For more information regarding these sessions, please contact Laretta Stanley in the Faith Formation Office.

**CHANCE FOR CASH AND A BEAUTIFUL QUILT!**

A beautiful California Poppy Quilt, is the creation of and donated by Sister Anne Angelcyk. The devotion, prayers, time and love which she put into the 4 years of work was guided by the spirit of her loving mother Anne Angelcyk. Sister got additional help completing the finish stitching from the Amish. This Beautiful Quilt and \$500.00 can be yours if you hold the \$5.00 donation number that is drawn—7:00 pm Lottery November 30, 2019.

You must see this quilt to appreciate the beauty of it.

It fits Full – Queen – King size Beds.

Stop in the vestibule to view a poster of the quilt!

**For tickets/information call Barbara Saxberg 724-872-9116**

**Project to benefit new Church Roof project—Holy Family Church, West Newton, PA**

**Sponsored by the Confraternity of Christian Mothers of Holy Family Church**

**13TH ANNUAL GREATER GREENSBURG CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP RETREAT**

October 18-19, 2019

Featured Speaker: **Devin Schadt**

5 Talks from Devin Schadt, Witness Talks, Small-Group Discussions, Eucharistic Adoration, Confession Times, Music Ministry  
Concluding Mass w/ Bishop Edward Malesic  
Christ Our Shepherd Retreat Center \* 2900 Seminary Drive \*  
Greensburg, PA

Register @ [www.cmfgbg.org](http://www.cmfgbg.org) for discounted Pricing

**For more information see posters in vestibule!**

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

In the past, our parish had sponsors for flowers on the altar on a weekly basis. We have started that program up again with a good response. There are a few weekends available in the last half of the year. If you would like to participate in this effort to have flowers on our altar, please complete the following form and drop it in the collection basket. Once a schedule is set up, you will be notified. Also, the florist will bill you directly.

Your participation will be greatly appreciated.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_

DATE DESIRED \_\_\_\_\_

IN MEMORY/HONOR OF \_\_\_\_\_

**WELCOME SR. ANNE ANGELCYK**

Sister Anne Angelcyk will give a short talk at the Masses this weekend about the history of the Quilt she has made and donated for the CCM fund raiser and about Vocations. Please give her a warm welcome!