

# *Holy Family Parish*

**A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust  
A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg**

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## **EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES**

Holy Family

Tuesday ... 8 AM

Wednesday ... 8 AM

Saturday.....4 PM

Sunday.....11 AM

Holy Days & Civil Holidays:

Consult the Mass schedule in the  
Bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday at 3 PM or by appointment

St Anne

Monday....8AM

Thursday....8AM

First Friday .. 8 AM (preceded by Exposi-  
tion of the Blessed Sacrament).. 7-8 AM

Saturday...4:30 PM

Sunday.....8 AM & 11 AM

Holy Days & Civil Holidays:

Consult the Mass schedule in the bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday at 3:30 PM

## **Save the Date:**

Faith Fun Nights

July 28 & August 11



**JULY 17, 2022  
THE 16TH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

## **PARISH STAFF**

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## WORSHIP TOGETHER

### 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**A true story** – a young mother with three young children in tow find a pew in the back of the church. She regularly did this so that she could make a quick and graceful get-away if one of her kids need the bathroom or began to act up too much. A few minutes later, an older parishioner came up to the young mother and announced that she was sitting in her seat. And so the young mother quietly moves over, knowing her escape route had now been compromised.

Almost as if on cue, when the 1st reading began, one of the 3 began to cry. The older parishioner who forced her way into "her pew" started glaring at this young mother. Thankfully – another older parishioner, sitting right behind her, leaned forward and quietly offered to watch the other two while the Mom took care of the one who needed her attention at the moment.

And So – the Martha and Mary debate seems to continue even to this day: Do we listen to Jesus, or do we tend to His needs? In the story I just shared, one older parishioner wants to "sit at the feet of Jesus and hear what He has to say without being disrupted." The other older parishioner seems more concerned with "meeting the needs of a distraught mother." In this case, we might say that the parishioner who came to the assistance of the mother did so because she was already hearing exactly what Jesus had to say – and she acted on it.

Which brings me to a lesson that St V de Paul shared with his confreres. One day while at prayer in their chapel, a knock came at the door. Leaving out a long sigh, one of the confreres went to the door to see who it was and it was someone needing a loaf of bread. Returning to prayer, this confrere could not re-coup his thoughts as he thought – how often prayer is interrupted because of someone at the door. Complaining to Vincent, Vincent responded by saying: "If a needy person requires medicine or other help during prayer time, do whatever has to be done with peace of mind. Offer the deed to God as your prayer. Do not become upset or feel guilty because you interrupted your prayer to serve the poor. God is not neglected if you leave Him for such service. One of God's works is merely interrupted so that another can be carried out." I share this so often with individuals when they confess that they missed Sunday Mass to be with a sick loved-one. Missing Mass to care for a loved-one is not a sin. One of God's works is merely interrupted so that another can be carried out.

I think many of us grew up with the prayer called – "The Morning Offering." In that prayer we pray – "I offer You my prayers, works, joys and sufferings" – followed by a list of things for which we are offering that particular day's experiences.

As a people of God who make up the "C"hurch – we continue to struggle with how to make anyone and everyone welcome in our midst regardless of their circumstances, while at the same time tending to our prayer life. Please note this well – If we grow complacent in our responsibility in not only hearing the Word of God, but also in acting upon the Word of God, the Church will suffer. Let none of us be responsible for turning away anyone who comes to us seeking Christ. One of God's works is merely being interrupted so that we can carry out another of His works. We can be both a Martha and a Mary at the same time.

### Saints for this Week

#### July 22 – St Mary Magdalene

Mary of Magdala was healed of "seven devils" by Jesus. She ministered to him in Galilee and was present at his crucifixion. She was in the group of women who were the first to discover the empty tomb, and it was to her that the risen Jesus first appeared.

Mary Magdalene is a unique and important character in the story of the Resurrection, chosen by Christ as one of the first witnesses of the event that changed the world.

Let us Pray for the Conversion  
of the World & for Peace.

#### Matters of Sexual Misconduct Information

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.



### First Reading:

"Please do not go on past your servant. Let some water be brought, that you may bathe your feet, and then rest yourselves under the tree." (Gn 18:3-4)

### Psalm:

He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord. (Ps 15)

### Second Reading:

In accordance with God's stewardship given to me to bring to completion for you the word of God, the mystery hidden from ages and from generations past. But now it has been manifested to His holy ones. (Col 1:25-26)

### Gospel:

"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part." (Luke 10:41-42)

### Readings for the week of July 17, 2022

Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a]/  
Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17,  
21 and 23/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-  
8/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-  
6ab, 15 and 17/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-7ab, 8  
-9, 10-11/Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-  
4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday: Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a,  
11/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-  
7, 7-8 [3a]/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-  
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### Observances - week of July 17, 2022

Sunday: 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest

Wednesday: St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr

Thursday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and  
Doctor of the Church

Friday: St. Mary Magdalene

Saturday: St. Bridget, Religious

Next Sunday: 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time;  
St. Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest

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### Financial Report for 7/12/2022

Offertory: \$2,308.00 Loose: \$55.00

Monthly: \$315.00 Candle: \$89.00

**Parish Income: \$2,767.00**

**Total Offertory: \$2,767.00**

### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND HOLY COMMUNION:

Anointing and Holy Communion are available upon request to those who are sick, elderly or homebound. Families are requested to call the Parish Office to arrange a visit.

### GODPARENT/CONFIRMATION SPONSOR CERTIFICATE:

For a Catholic to be a sponsor for the Sacraments of Baptism or Confirmation, one must be a practicing Catholic regularly attending Sunday Mass and receiving the Sacraments, a registered member of the Parish and a faithful contributor to the support of the Parish for a minimum of four months. All requests for a certificate should be made four weeks in advance of the designated date needed for sponsorship.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Baptism Preparation Catechesis is required for parents and sponsors prior to the child's baptism. Please call the Office of Faith Formation to register and arrange a time for the ceremony.

**4:00 PM | Saturday,  
July 16**  
Lector: Landini  
Eucharistic Minister:  
Landini

**11:00 AM | Sunday,  
July 17**  
Lector: Hughes  
Eucharistic Minister:  
Luzi

**11:00 AM | Saturday,  
July 23**  
Lector: Keegan  
Eucharistic Minister:  
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**4:00 PM | Sunday,  
July 24**  
Lector: Null  
Eucharistic Minister:  
Quinn

### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday, 7/16

For: Andy Chopp  
From: Dorothy &  
Howard Huss

#### Sunday, 7/17

For: Manuel Monios  
From: Michael &  
Aaron Monios

#### Tuesday, 7/19

For: Ann & Frank  
Balash  
From: John & Sandy

#### Wednesday, 7/20

For: Dolores Tegnalia  
From: M/M Joseph  
Gallo

#### Saturday, 7/23

For: Living & Deceased  
Members of Holy Family

#### Sunday, 7/24

For: Manuel Monios  
From: Michael &  
Aaron Monios





### **Upcoming**

#### **Faith Fun Nights**

July 28	6:30 PM	St Anne Parish Hall
August 11	6:30 PM	St Anne Parish Hall

### **50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary**

Bishop Kulick desires to recognize all couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary during the calendar year 2022. The Jubilarians, their children, relatives or friends can contact the office with information: (724)872-6123. Ideally, the Jubilarians will be invited to join the bishop for a special Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass to be celebrated in Blessed Sacrament Cathedral on Sunday, October 9, 2022. Even though personal circumstances may not permit individuals to participate in the Mass, all registered couples will receive a scroll signed by the bishop commemorating their anniversary.

### **Catholic Charities seeks donations of baby clothing, diapers**

Catholic Charities is requesting donations of diapers (sizes 4-6) and new clothing in boys' sizes newborn, 3 months and 9-12 months and girls' sizes 12 months, 18 months and 24 months. To donate, call 724-837-1840 to schedule a drop-off time at 711 E. Pittsburgh St., Greensburg

### **HOLY FAMILY LATROBE**

The Holy Family Rosary Society is sponsoring an Autumn Polka Fest on September 17, 2022, from 11am till 4pm. Come have lunch then kick up your heels, relax, sing along, or just enjoy the music and fun! Tickets are \$20. McKeesport native Mikey Dee will be featured on the accordion with his famous variety show! There will be a basket raffle, a 90 minute show, 50/50, and lunch. For tickets please call Barb at (724) 537-8210 or Elaine at (724) 537-4743. NO TICKETS SOLD AT DOOR.



If you have a child or children in Grades 1 - 7 and did not receive the Faith Formation registration packet in the mail last week or have questions about the packet, please contact Rachel Lewis at [rlewis@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:rlewis@dioceseofgreensburg.org) or 724-797-2216. Whether leaving a voicemail or an email, please include the following information: Child(ren)s name, grade(s), address, phone number and email address. A packet will be mailed to you. Completed registration forms are due back by July 22nd.

### **Confirmation**

*Just a reminder for 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents that there is a parent only meeting on Sunday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:15 at St. Anne's upstairs in the church. Please remember to bring with you your child's registration form and original baptismal certificate (no copies please) or a certified copy of the baptismal certificate. Any questions, please contact Rachel Lewis at [rlewis@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:rlewis@dioceseofgreensburg.org) or 724-797-2216.*

### **"SUMMER OF DREAMS" FAITH NIGHTS**

JULY 28 & AUGUST 11 (beginning promptly at 5:45 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.) Joseph and the Coat of Many Colors for ages 5 through those completing Grade 4 Come for songs, games, crafts, lessons and more! Contact Rachel Lewis with any questions, 724-797-2216 or [rlewis@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:rlewis@dioceseofgreensburg.org). Registration Forms are also at the Entrances of the Church.





## **St. Edward Parish, Herminie**

### **July 24 - Festival and food truck rally**

St. Edward Parish, Herminie, will hold a festival and food truck rally Sunday, July 24, from noon-6 p.m. For information, call 724-446-5197.

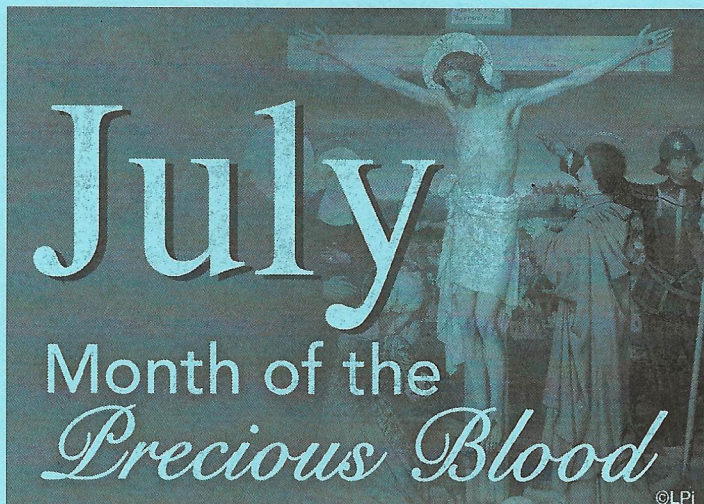
### **CRS Spotlight for Sunday, 7/17/22**

Communities across the world are experiencing life-threatening levels of hunger and malnutrition on an unprecedented scale. Families are struggling to meet their food needs due to the effects of conflict, displacement, climate change, COVID-19 and inflation. Please visit [www.crs.org](http://www.crs.org) to see how you can help!

"Each individual Christian and every community is called to be an instrument of God for the liberation and promotion of the poor, and for enabling them to be fully a part of society. This demands that we be docile and attentive to the cry of the poor and to come to their aid." ~ Pope Francis

### **Catholic Charities' annual Paul R. Smiy Memorial Golf Outing Aug. 12**

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Greensburg will host its 20th annual Paul R. Smiy Memorial Golf Outing Friday, Aug. 12, at Ligonier Country Club, with a 10 a.m. shotgun start. The outing will feature theme holes, "Pope Putt," skill prizes and more. Cost is \$150 per golfer or \$600 per foursome. Sponsorship opportunities are available. For more information or to register, visit [ccharitiesgreensburg.org](http://ccharitiesgreensburg.org).



## **Volunteer Opportunity**

The Sisters of the Divine Redeemer are looking for volunteers to answer the phone in the lobby of the Motherhouse at 999 Rock Run Road Elizabeth, PA. The available times are Mondays from 10-1, Tuesday's 10-1 and every other Saturday from 1-4. Please call Sr. Alojziana at 412-751-8600. Time and date can be interchangeable.

## **Employment Opportunities**

### **St. Edward Parish, Herminie, Seven Dolors Parish, Yukon, seek director of religious education**

St. Edward Parish, Herminie, and Seven Dolors Parish, Yukon, are in search of a faith-filled, energetic, organized practicing Catholic who has a passion for developing the faith of the parish youth and young adults and making them disciples. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: plan and direct the parish faith formation/youth ministry programs (grades 1-12); coordinate sacramental preparation for first holy Communion and confirmation; coordinate Vacation Bible School and Bible studies; and provide additional ministries to all aspects of the parishes. Those interested are asked to contact Father Vincent Concepcion at [stedward@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:stedward@dioceseofgreensburg.org).

### **St. Anne Home seeks pastoral care aide**

St. Anne Home, Greensburg, is seeking a part-time pastoral care aide to work typically morning hours during the week/weekend to assist residents to and from daily Mass. We are looking for a special, compassionate person who has a desire to promote the sacredness and worth of all human life while responding with a sense of empathy to the needs of others. If you are currently a eucharistic minister or interested in becoming one through your parish, this may be the job for you. For information, contact our human resource department at 724-837-6070.