

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 21: Weekday

Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Mt 12:38-42

8:00 a.m. (GS) Anita Lewis - Ben Lewis

Tuesday, July 22: Mary Magdalene

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

8:00 a.m. (GS) Marietta Bell - Family

Wednesday, July 23: Weekday

Jer 1:1, 4-10; Mt 13:1-9

8:00 a.m. (SJ) Alfred Gaudino – Gaudino Family

6:30 p.m. (GS) Mary & Charles Agich – daughter, Margaret Faltenovich & Family

Thursday, July 24: Weekday

Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Mt 13:10-17

8:00 a.m. (GS) Bevacqua & Blasco Families – Mary & Ida

Friday, July 25: James, apostle

2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

8:00 a.m. (SJ) Thomas Richards – Ned & Joyce DiBenedetto

8:00 p.m. (GS) Marian Prayer Group

Saturday, July 26: Joachim and Anne, parents of the BVM

Jer 7:1-11; Mt 13:24-30 or Sir 44: 1, 10-15; Mt 13:16-17

4:00 p.m. (SJ) For the Living and Deceased of the Parish

5:30 p.m. (GS) Stanely & Gloria Falkowski-Family

Sunday, July 27: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Rom 8:28-30 Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

8:30 a.m. (GS) John & Josephine Glad – Children & Grandchildren

9:45 a.m. (SJ) Louis & Adeline DeNucci & Son, Thomas - M/M Gerald DeNucci

11:00 a.m. (GS) For Living and Deceased of the Parish



From Fr. Terry

This week the Church rejoices in Natural Family Planning Awareness Week. Natural Family Planning (NFP) is the term for the various methods used to either achieve or avoid pregnancy. NFP is in line with the teaching of the Catholic Church. Unlike the “Calendar Rhythm Method” of birth control, modern NFP methods are highly reliable, cost effective, and have no harmful chemical or medical side effects. They can be used at any stage of a couple’s reproductive health: regular cycles, irregular cycles, breastfeeding, pre-menopausal, post pill, etc. For more information and a schedule of classes available in our area, call 412-456-3160 or visit the diocesan web page www.diopitt.org/education/nfp.htm.

In addition, NFP brochures can be found at both entrances of our churches. May we always be open to life in our marriages! Imagine if your parents were not. The NFP promoter couple for our two parishes is John and Vicki Indovina. If you have questions about NFP, please contact them, 724-266-2892.

Eucharistic Adoration for the Year of St. Paul

Mon., Aug. 4

Good Samaritan

8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. (Evening Prayer 7:30 p.m.)

Youth Ministry News

Youth Ministry will gather this Sun., July 20, from 6-9 p.m. in our Youth Center. Join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. This will be our last Sunday gathering until September.

Young Adult Sunday

On Sun., Aug. 3, Good Samaritan will host a Donut Social, after the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses, to recognize and celebrate the importance of our young adults and their gifts in the life of the Church. This will also be an opportunity for our young adults (singles and couples between ages 18-40) to voice their opinions and give suggestions as to what we can offer at Good Samaritan and St. John’s to more effectively meet their spiritual needs. All are welcome!

Meals on Wheels Needs Help

Volunteers are needed to deliver meals. Baked goods can always be used. Cash donations are always appreciated. You may call between 8-11 a.m. 724-266-0888. Information is also available for eligibility to receive meals.

Elegant Junk Sale

The annual Elegant Junk Sale sponsored by St. James Guild and Christian Mothers is Sat., Aug. 2, from 8-1 p.m. in St. James Cafeteria and Parking Lot, Sewickley. Household items, crafts, electronics, books and other items will be available.

Lawn Fete

St. Gregory Catholic Church, Zelienople, is having their Annual Lawn Fete in July From the 24th-26th. Pasta Dinner includes homemade sauce and meatballs on Fri. from 4-7 p.m. Activities begin on Thurs. and Fri. at 7 p.m. and on Sat. at 6 p.m. Games of Chance; Bingo; Sat. Night Raffle; Nightly Entertainment with Zelig Clowns and Costumed Characters; Thurs., at 7:30 p.m. Tamarack Cloggers; Sat., Steel City Four Quartet; Guitar Hero Rock Star Challenge, register at www.therockstarchallenge.com Grand Prize Electric Guitar, fun for the whole family. For more Information call 724-452-7245.

Giant Rummage Sale

The Giant Rummage Sale is at St. Aloysius Church, 3616 Mt. Troy Road, Reserve Twp., on Sat., Aug., 2, 8:00-2:00 p.m.; Sun., Aug. 3, 12:30-3:30 p.m. Huge 18 rooms of treasures, food and raffles, additional items arriving regularly. Something for everyone! For Information call 412-821-3610.

Flea Market

St. Titus, Aliquippa, is having their indoor flea market in the School Hall every Mon., Thurs., and Sat. throughout July from 9 a.m.-1 pm.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Polish Day at Kennywood Park

The 77th annual Polish Day is on Tues., Aug. 5, 2008. The Very Rev. Canon Joseph Sredzinski and Rev. Dennis Bogusz will be honored as Polonians of the Year. The Polish Kitchen opens at noon. Mass is at 5 p.m. Entertainment is by Karuzela Song & Dance Ensemble. Dancing is from 7-9:30 p.m. There is also the crowning of Miss Polonia. For ticket information call Wanda at 412-771-1254. For additional information call Merle, 412-486-1605.

Weekend Retreat for Post-Abortion Healing

A Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat for post-abortion healing will be held on Aug. 8-10, at the Spiritan Center in Bethel Park. To register or for more information, call Catholic Charities, 412-456-6999 by August 1, ask for Ann Depner or Karen LaFrance.

Golden Wedding Celebration

The Diocese of Pittsburgh is planning its annual Golden Wedding Celebration for couples who have been married for 50 years. The celebration will begin with a Mass at St. Paul Cathedral on Sun., Oct. 12; at 3:00 p.m. Bishop Zubik will be the celebrant. A reception will follow in the lower hall at the Cathedral. If you are celebrating your 50th Anniversary any time during 2008 and would be interested in attending this joyous event, please call the rectory or drop a note in the collection basket no later than July 27. Invitations will be sent out after responses have been received.

Saint Vincent de Paul Society

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society would like to thank all parishioners for your help and financial support in the past. We would appreciate your giving a donation in the July envelope marked for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Your generosity will go toward helping the less fortunate of our community. Thank you and God bless you.

Ambridge Prayer Group

The Ambridge Prayer Group is the result of a Town Meeting held last September. It is an ecumenical prayer group which gathers on a monthly basis to pray for the needs of the Ambridge community. The group meets the first Tuesday of every month at 12:30 p.m. at the Senior Café in the Center for Hope, 232 Merchant Street. If you have any questions, please contact Barbara Costa 724-266-3838. All are welcome.

Make Everyday a Recycling Day

Bring your recyclable papers to the green & yellow Paper Retriever bin in our parking lot. *(Please note that they cannot take cardboard).* You'll be helping the environment and raise money for our parish. The more paper we collect, the more money we earn! Thanks for using the newspaper recycling bins. *Fr. Joe*

Interested in Becoming a Foster Parent?

If you are interested in becoming a foster parent please contact the Beaver County Children & Youth Services, 724-891-5800 or 1-800-615-7743. Training Classes are forming now!

LOCAL SUNDAY EVENING MASSES
Saint Alexs: 6:00 p.m.
10090 Old Perry Hwy, Wexford
DOOR
Assumption: 7:45 p.m.
45 Sprague Avenue, Bellevue
DOOR
Saint Frances Cabrini: 6:00 p.m.
114 Trinity Drive, Allquippa
DOOR
Saint Ferdinand: 6:00 p.m.
2535 Rochester Road, Cranberry Township

This Week We Remember
Bread & Wine
 Fredrick J. Ringel, Jr. (SJ) Helen Ringel
 Dominic Colista (GS) wife, Arby
 Sam Carioli (GS) wife Marge
Blessed Mother Shrine Candle
 Sigmund Yosler (GS) M/M Tom Napoleon
Holy Family Shrine Candle
 Carmela Pucci (GS) daughter, Rachel Sposaro
Holy Trinity Shrine Candle
 James & Fenice Iorfido (GS) Family
Sanctuary Candle
 Frederick J. Ringel, Jr. (SJ) Helen Ringel
 Florence Rompala (GS) daughter



Tuesday, July 22

8:30 a.m. (GS) Meatball Making (JH)

Thursday, July 24

1:00 p.m. (SJ) Communion Service @ Green Diamond

Friday, July 25

3:00 p.m. (GS) Eucharistic Adoration

7:00 p.m. (GS) Marian Prayer Group

Saturday, July 26

7:30 (GS) Men's Fellowship (PC)



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Marjorie Fisher and Pasqualina Ciccone. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



Good Samaritan	Collection
Sunday, July 13	\$7,121.20
St. John the Baptist	Collection
Sunday, July 13	\$2,719.00