January 21, 2024 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Approximately 15 minutes before the Saturday & Sunday Masses when possible.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK FEASTS & MEMORIALS

Monday, Jan. 22 7:45 AM SJ - Shirley Beyer Day of Prayer for Legal Protection of Unborn Tuesday, Jan. 23 7:45 AM MHT - Pat Krestar, requested by Mary Beyer St. Vincent

Wednesday, Jan. 24 7:45 AM IC - Priscilla Wess St. Francis DeSales
Thursday, Jan. 25 7:45 AM SB - Paul Ballet, requested by Alice Nale Conversion of St. Paul

3 to 8 PM SJ – Exposition & Adoration – Chaplet & Rosary at 3 PM

Friday, Jan. 26 St. Timothy & Titus

Saturday, Jan. 27 4:00 PM MHT – Nina Debias requested by Sandra Dunmire

4:00 PM IC – Ed Dombrosky & For the Parish St. Angela Merici

5:30 PM SB - Parishioners of Most Holy Trinity/St. Bartholomew

5:30 PM SJ - Lee & Leona Wirfel & For the Parish

Sunday, Jan. 28 7:00 AM IC - Bob Gallardy

8:30 AM SJ – Ray & Sandi Penatzer Nat. Catholic School Week

9:00 AM SB – John Crynock-Anniv., requested by family

10:30 AM MHT – Mary Montag, requested by Vasilko fam.

| Sanctuary Candles St. Bart | | MHT St. John | | Immaculate C. | |
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| Jan. 21-27 | John Crynock | Genevieve Slonac | To End Abortion | Barney Motchenbaugh | |

Liturgical Minister Schedule

| Jan. 27 &28 | Lector | EMHC | Altar Servers |
|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| IC - 4:00 PM | Greg Madison | Ginny Rosko | |
| MHT- 4:00 PM | A Richardson | | |
| St. J - 5:30PM | Jessica Singer | John Salamon | |
| St. B - 5:30PM | D Frantz | D Frantz | |
| IC - 7:00AM | Erin Kirby | Linus Smith | |
| St. J – 8:30 AM | Michelle Burkey | Carissa Penatzer | Daniel Yunetz |
| St. B 9:00 AM | D Templeton | D Templeton | |
| MHT – 10:30 AM | K Edmondson | K Edmondson | E Gramling |
| M/B Count- 1/22 | R Gramling, B Rosmus | St. BJan. Church cleaning | Casey & Jolene Myers |

Offertory Collections

| Jan. 14 | Regular | Votive | Christmas | Specials | Flowers | Diocese | Cem | Building | Total |
|---------|---------|--------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|------|----------|--------|
| MHT | \$1480 | | | \$70 | | \$ | \$30 | \$422 | \$2002 |
| St. B | \$1255 | | | \$77 | | | \$20 | \$479 | \$1831 |
| IC | \$8613 | | \$50 | \$40 | | | | | \$8703 |
| SJ | \$1427 | | | \$50 | | | | | \$1477 |

Catholic Ministry Drive - final pledges for 2023

| M-goal | M-pledge | B-goal | B-pledge | SJ-goal | SJ-pledge | IC-goal | IC-pledge |
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| \$11,443 | \$2815 | \$11,683 | \$2240 | \$11,923 | \$4065 | \$15,430 | \$9750 |

<u>JANUARY PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR SICK:</u> Angie Smay, Maria Felix, Leory Smith, Jim Benshoff, John Nicholson, David J, George Mehall, Mary Ann Penatzer, Karen Y, Donna Moyer, Martin Vrabel, shut-ins, special intentions.

BENEDICTINE PASTOR'S AWARD: St. Vincent Archabbey is offering a \$2000 grant, renewable for 4 years, to students of parishes serve by the Benedictine monks and attending St. Vincent College. Call the parish office. Due by Feb. 1

MHT & St.B SECOND COLLECTION: Next weekend the second collection is for our cemeteries.

<u>MASS CANCELATION</u> (for during the week): If Forest Hills School District cancels or delays school because of weather, morning Mass (Monday-Friday) and Adoration will be cancelled. The Mass intention will be rescheduled ASAP.

SJ & IC CCD CLASSES are scheduled for January 21; February 4 & 25; March 3 & 2; April 7 & 21. **MHT CLASSES**: There will not be classes during January. Classes will resume on Feb. 4.

<u>SJ PARISH SOCIA</u>L will be held next weekend January 27 & 28 after both Masses in the church social hall. Sponsored by the Rosary Altar Society, there will be donuts and drinks. Everyone Welcome.

IC ROSARY ALTAR Society meeting Monday, January 22 at 6:30 PM with Rosary in the church and then the meeting.

<u>SJ & IC:</u> Please pray for the following from Immaculate Conception & St. John's, who will celebrate the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation today, Sunday, January 21: Kip Baumgardner, Gunner Bodenschatz, Wyatt Bodenschatz, Maxwell Cronauer, Grace Duncan, Wesston Humphrey, Brantley Kisel, Sawyer Long, Madison Millward, Blake Plummer, Henry Roxby, Brodie Shope, Laiken Sisco, Oliver Smith, Miles Templeton, Coleson Wess and Grant Wildauer.

IC 4TH OF JULY PICNIC: Chair people are needed to head our Annual 4th of July Picnic this year. We do have several committees to help take a lot of the responsibility off the Chair people, but Chair people are still needed for various tasks. The picnic profit is needed to help the Church pay their general yearly operating expenses. So, we need people to step us to volunteer their time to still have a picnic. Call Pam at the rectory office 814-495-5241 if you can help.

<u>IC</u>: We extend to the family & friends of Mike Wirfel our prayers & sympathy for his passing from here to eternity.

COMMUNITY BOOK Club Monday, January 29 at 3:30 PM in Marian Hall. Book: "The Forgetting Time" by Sharon Guskin.

ST.BART: A volunteer is needed to shovel sidewalks at the Church when it snows. Please call the office or Dianne Fox.

ST B PIEROGIES: Orders can be placed in the vestibules. \$6/Doz. Potatoe/cheese, sauerkraut, and prune.

FIREWOOD: Trees are being cut down at *St. James Cemetery* to prepare for possible expansion. Anyone needing firewood for their home may go up behind the Altar and pick-up what is cut into pieces.

SQUARE DANCES are January 27; February 3 & 17; March 2 & 16 at New Germany Grove Hall. Dancing with the band Klassic Kountry from 7 to 10 PM. Cost is \$10 a person which includes food, & drinks. Proceeds benefit Pro-Life.

<u>BISHOP MARK</u>: Catholics who visit Franciscan parishes and pray before the Nativity scene in that church can receive a plenary indulgence between now and Feb. 2 Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown Parishes: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Holy Rosary and St. Mark, Altoona; St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anne, and St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Johnstown; Holy Family, Colver; St. Anne, Davidsville; St. Gregory, MacDonaldton; Sts. Philip & James, Meyersdale; St. John Vianney, Mundy's Corner; St. John the Baptist, New Baltimore; Sts. Peter & Paul, Philipsburg; Holy Family, Portage; St. Michael, St. Michael; St. Anthony of Padua, Windber; and Immaculate Conception Chapel, St. Francis University in Loretto.

SOUTH FORK WINTERFEST: Saturday, Jan 27 from 12-5PM at the Stage. Food, beverages & fun. Music by Sam Coco 1-3.

SOUTH FORK HERITAGE DAYS: Mark the date: June 13-15. For donation: PO Box 25, S Fork 15956 or drop off at SF Library or Crute's Barber Shop. Volunteers are needed to help in booths. Meetings- 2nd Tuesday of month at 4PM at the library.

BISHOP CARROLL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE for parents and students on Wed, Jan. 31 from 6-7:30 PM. Students, faculty, and staff will be on hand to answer questions and provide demonstrations. A financial aid and registration meeting at 7:30 PM in the cafeteria. All new students will be eligible for a drawing for a \$250 scholarship. For more information, please call the school at 814-472-7500 extension 105 or email jnagy@bishopcarroll.org.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE: Sunday, January 28, from noon-1:00. New kindergarten students must be 5 years of age by August 31, 2024. Preschool students must be 4 years of age by August 31, 2024. 814-886-7942.

<u>SLOVAK CLASS:</u> Queen of Angels, Central City by Joseph Bielecki: Mon Jan 22. 6:30-8:30PM includes refreshments. Three topics: Regional differences in Slovakia, why Slovaks came to Western PA, and Easter customs. Register: 814-754-5224.

<u>PILGRIMAGES</u>: Rome, Lisbon, Fatima, Lourdes and Paris: June 3-16, 2024 <u>mbecker253@aol.com</u> or (814.241.1641) Journeys of Paul in Greece: October 9-16 (814) 288-3036 or <u>michael.russo@atlanticbb.net</u>.

Rome, Assisi, and Orvieto, Italy- Jubilee Year 2025 — includes audience with the Pope. 814-536-6110. Month of June.

Rome June 2025: during the great year of Jubilee, 2025. Cost-\$4595 Contact Visitation Parish-536-6110

<u>ADULT DANCE</u> on January 27, 2024, at St. Nicholas Church Hall, Nicktown 7 to 10 PM. Doors open at 6:30 PM. Music provided by P.T. Cruiser. Food and non-alcoholic drinks for sale. No outside food permitted. BYOB. No one under 18 admitted. Admission is \$10. Only 300 tickets. Call or text Bev for tickets 814-341-5416.

<u>PINOCHLE CARD PARTY</u> – Sunday, January 28 and Sunday, February 18 in Holy Family Parish Hall from 1 to 4 PM. Admission is \$5 per person. Light refreshments will be served and First, Second, and Low score cash prizes will be awarded. This is a fun social and is open to anyone who likes to play pinochle!