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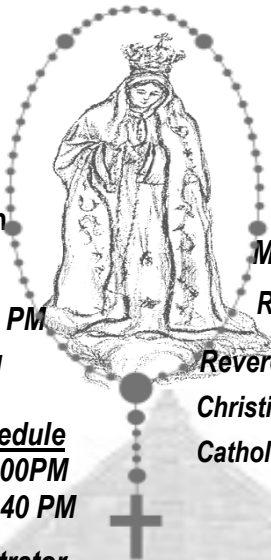
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JULY 10, 2016

Our Lady of Fatima
Pleaded that we pray the Holy Rosary
before Sunday Mass and
privately from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm daily.



Our Lady of Fatima Parish
2010 12th Avenue
www.ourladyoffatimaaltoona.com

Rectory Office Hours:
Monday – Friday 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Parish Office: 814-942-0371

Our Lady of Fatima Mass Schedule
Sunday: 10:30 AM Holy Days: 6:00 PM
Rosary: 10:05 AM Rosary: 5:40 PM

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Administrator
Reverend Monsignor Robert C. Mazur

Parish Secretary
Carol Z. Smith
Secretary's Assistant
Ellen Kelly

Eucharist for the home bound - weekly:
Patty Flanagan 942-0371 to make arrangements.

Our Lady of Fatima Church is open
Monday through Friday: 9AM - 6PM
for visits before the Blessed Sacrament.

Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals will be held at
Our Lady of Fatima.

Preparation for Baptism, and Weddings will be held at
the Cathedral. 944-4603

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick
Parishioners wishing to receive the sacrament of
healing may call the Cathedral Parish Office to
make arrangements. 944-4603

Cathedral Church Office: 814-944-4603

One Cathedral Square

Most Reverend Mark L. Bartchak Bishop

Reverend Monsignor Robert C. Mazur, Rector

Reverend Father Dennis M. Kurdziel, Parochial Vicar

Christian Initiation Team: 944-4603

Catholics returning Home: 944-4603

Altoona Central Catholic School:

Pre-K thru Grade 5 381-7011

Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School:

Web: www.bishopguilfoyle.org – 944-4014

Directors of Religious Education:

Chris Laraia – Pre-K thru 8 - 946-3475

Jean Koury – 9 thru 12 – 949-2777

Religious Education Office: Sundays – 943-7424

Confessions @ Cathedral: 7:00 PM Wednesday
12:30 PM Saturday

Religious Education @ Cathedral: Pre-K through 11

Sacramental Formation @ Cathedral: First Reconciliation

First Communion

Confirmation

Sacramental Formation @ the Cathedral: Baptismal Prep

Marriage Prep

Christian Initiation

Hospital Visitation: Call the Cathedral: 944-4603

Cathedral Eucharist:

Sunday: 5:00 PM (Vigil) Holy Days: 5:30 PM (Vigil) Weekdays: 6:45 AM

8:00 AM 8:00 AM 8:00 AM

10:00 AM 12:00 Noon 12:00 Noon

12:00 Noon 5:30 PM Saturday: 8:00 AM

5:00 PM 12:00 Noon



2016 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL
DIOCESE OF ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN
OLF GOAL FOR 2016 = \$13,948.00

PLEDGED THRU JUNE 28 = \$8,920.00
NEEDED TO REACH GOAL = \$5,028.00
OF PLEDGES = 48

Please continue to pledge your support so we can reach our goal.
(The above numbers have not changed for 2 weeks.)
Names will be updated the first week of the month.

Mrs. Connie Andros	Mrs. Karen Conrad	Mr. Shawn Kelly	M/M Joseph A. Knott
Connie Angeski	M/M John Corle	M/M Michael Long	Mrs. Doris Smith
M/M Ronald Biem	Mrs. Colleen Douglass	Mr. Joseph Merritt	Mr. Thomas A. Smith
M/N Greg Brannan	Mrs. Eileen Edwards	Mrs. Genevieve Musto	M/M Bryan M Starr
Mr. Anthony Bruno	Mr. Daniel J Hallinan	M/M John G. Noonan, Jr.	Mrs. Jeanne C. Summers
M/M Vincent Burr, Jr.	Ms Tina Helsel	M/M Joseph M. Pufka	Mr. Richard Summers
M/M Michael A. Byrne	M/M Charles Hennigan	Mrs. Carol Riggelman	M/M Michael Wall
Mrs. Patricia Byrne	M/M Thomas Hofer, Sr.	Mr. James R. Riley	Mrs. Patricia Wall
MM Wilson Carper, Jr.	M/M James Hosgood	Mrs. Lorraine Shuma	Helen Watters
Mr. Howard C Colledge	M/M Joseph P. Ianniello	Mr. Daniel E. Smith	4 Anonymous
Mrs. Frieda Conrad	M/M Charles R Kelly	M/M David F. Smith	

July 10 Luke 10:25-37

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Happy Birthday

07/12 **Mim Stitt**
 07/15 **Jeanne Summers, Sylvia Tierney**
 07/16 **Jim Riley**

Birthday and Anniversary Notes

As mentioned in the announcements last week Our Lady of Fatima is running short of funds to pay bills. We have decided to stop mailing Birthday and Anniversary Cards. The cost of the stamps, envelopes and paper for the cards is getting prohibitive.

We will still publish Birthdays and Anniversaries in the Bulletin each week. We will have to save funds to pay the 2016 ACA, if we do not make goal by December 31.

MONEY MATTERS

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (July 3, 2016)

110 people Celebrated Liturgy at O.L.F. contributing \$1,645.00 of which \$ 90.00 accounted for non-envelope contributions.

Envelopes In Circulation 175 **# Used** 65 **# Unused** 110
Collection One Year Ago = \$1,884.50

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
July 10, 2016

OUR LADY OF FATIMA MASS INTENTIONS

Readings: Dt 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

Today's Intention = Liv/Dec Mem. of Seymore Fam.

July 17, Sunday: Sixteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Readings: Gn 18:1-10; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

***10:30 AM For the Health & Prosperity of Monarch Cleaners Fam.**

Cathedral Mass Intentions

July 11, Monday: Saint Benedict, Abbot

Readings: Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34--11:1

***6:45 AM George Dean Barry (Green, Tyler, Maryl, Barry)**

8:00 AM Angela Cronin Chadwick (Mary Lysinger)

***12:00 PM Jerry Smith (Betty Schimminger)**

July 12, Tuesday: Weekday

Readings: Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24

6:45 AM Msgr. Thomas Madden (Estate)

8:00 AM Dick Cowan (Wife, Skip)

12:00 PM John Vogel (Madeline Vogel Family)

July 13, Wednesday: Saint Henry

Readings: Is 10:5-7, 13-16; Mt 11:25-27

***6:45 AM Myron Yeager (Krish Family)**

8:00 AM Leroy and Irmira Helfrich (Estate)

12:00 PM Joe Tomlinson (Pat Byrnes)

July 14, Thursday: Saint Kateri Tekakitha, Virgin

Readings: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30

6:45 AM Dan and Miriam Burnes (Maureen Hanekamp)

8:00 AM LeRoy Gray, Anniversary (Family)

12:00 PM Danyll Rougeux (Judy Dionis)

July 15, Friday: Saint Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor

Readings: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8

6:45 AM Denis Burns (Maureen Hanekamp)

8:00 AM George Vaughn (Michael and Suzan Kuny)

12:00 PM Pat Rabine (Elaine Fee)

July 16, Saturday: Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Readings: Mi 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21

8:00 AM Rose Ann Himmelein (John and Julie Laura)

12:00 PM Deacon John Rys (Tom and Beth Moore)

Vigil: Sixteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Readings: Gn 18:1-10; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

5:00 PM Diane Johnston, Anniv. (Mother & Father)

Jesus, Son of the Living Father
Have Mercy on me, a sinner

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Scripture Reflection

The familiar parable of the Good Samaritan always catches our attention and leads us to examine our conscience. The "scholar of the law" is testing Jesus, hoping to expose a flaw. But Jesus uses the opportunity to teach a lesson the scholar does not anticipate. When Jesus invites him to share his interpretation, he quotes the great summary of the law in Deuteronomy 6:4. Later in that chapter Moses will point out what we hear in the First Reading--that the law is not complex or remote. In other words, one should not need a "scholar of the law" to understand it, because it is "already in your mouths and in your hearts." It is a matter of the heart, not the intellect.

In Jesus' parable, those capable and obligated to help (the priest and the Levite) pass by the helpless victim. The Samaritan, who is not obligated to give assistance, does. The point of the encounter in Jesus' parable is the difference between knowing and doing. Knowing the law is one thing; actually living it is another. The compassion of the Samaritan is not rooted in the law or social conventions; it is simply and act of human decency that responds to the situation from the heart.

The Samaritan had an inner source for his action. Jesus connects it with the love of God found in the commandment quoted by the scholar, the love already in the outcast Samaritan's heart. Jesus redistributes the weight of the law, emphasizing love over knowledge. A modern-day paraphrase might be that the love of God and love of neighbor is our spiritual DNA. It's what defines us as disciples. The scholar receives an answer to his question. We don't know what the scholar did after that; we do know what we must do.

- What part of the law did the scholar not understand?
- When have you been a Good Samaritan?



FUNDRAISERS

Dinner Kits

\$15.00

Each hearty dinner kit is enough for 4 adults. We offer 4 different dinner kits: Spaghetti, Chicken Alfredo, Chicken Noodle Soup and Beef Noodle Soup. Each dinner kit is assembled and quickly frozen when ordered, so you can enjoy a great homestyle meal at your convenience. 4 (12oz.) Servings (Prepared).

Griller Kits

\$25.00

We offer four different griller kits: Burgundy Steaks, BBQ Chicken, Italian Chicken or Premium Ribeye Steak and Chicken combo. Each Griller Kit is assembled and quickly frozen when ordered, so you can enjoy a great steak or delicious, juicy chicken anytime! This is the perfect idea for a cookout with family and friends!

NEW KITS

\$20.00

We now offer two new kits. Our Pizza kit comes with all the ingredients to make two amazing pizzas. Our Wing Kit includes wings (3lbs) along with Buffalo Sauce (4oz.) and BBQ Sauce (4oz). Perfect for Game Night!

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**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
OUR LADY OF FATIMA
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Check our website for:

**Getting started on your fundraiser, Nutritional Information,
Ingredient Information, Kit Breakdowns and more...**

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OUR LADY OF FATIMA NOTES.....

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Liturgical Reflection...

We are to love God completely and love our neighbor as we love ourselves. Who is my neighbor? In the gospel story the neighbor is a despised Samaritan. This person is identified as "the one who treated his neighbor with mercy." To be a neighbor is to reach out to help anyone in need, setting aside any barriers that either society or selfishness might set up. To be a neighbor is to open one's heart to another; recognizing in the other the image of the God who created them. To be a neighbor is to treat another with mercy. We become the face of God to another when we are merciful.

2016, Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown, Liturgy Office, 925 South Logan Boulevard, Hollidaysburg, Pennsylvania 16648.

ST. JOAN OF ARC CHURCH ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL, Rt. 53, Frugality, Pa. (near Prince Gallitzin State Park) Sunday, July 17, 2016, 11--6PM; featuring Turkey Dinner and Noodles with all the trimmings. Dinner Served Family Style, 11AM to 3:00 PM. Adults: \$10.00 Children 5-12 yrs. of age: \$5.00, Children under age 5 is Free. -Takeouts available-Basket Auction (5:00 PM) - Bingo—Games—Bake Sale—Music: Bob Taylor 11:30 AM till the end of the Basket Auction.

YEAR OF MERCY SUMMER ROAD TRIPS!

What better way to spend a summer afternoon as a "pilgrim" visiting three churches celebrating their 200th Anniversary founded by our own saint-in-progress, Servant of God, Reverend Demetrius Gallitzin. Plan to take a Sunday drive to Holy Name, Ebensburg, St. Patrick, Newry, and St. Thomas the Apostle, Bedford, the designated sites for the Holy Doors of the Jubilee of Mercy.

Prayer times have been scheduled at all three churches on July 10, July 24, August 14 and August 28. Prayers will be led in half hour intervals from 1:00 PM- 4:00 PM, beginning at 1:30PM. You may even want to include a visit to St. Michael of the Archangel Basilica, Loretto the site of the tomb of Father Gallitzin to top off your day! An added bonus is an opportunity to grow spiritually and gain a Plenary Indulgence of the Church during this special time.

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**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2016
ALL BOSCOV'S LOCATIONS
9AM TO 11PM**

25% OFF* SHOPPING PASS...Buy your pass @ OLF rectory.

This pass entitles you to 25% off* your purchases and cannot be used in conjunction with other discounts and promotions.

Present this pass at time of purchase to receive your 25% * discount. Valid October 18, 2016 only.

Plus Free Refreshments and Register To Win Prizes, including three \$500 Shopping Sprees.

(Plus forty-four \$100 Shopping Sprees, one for each Boscov's Store Location.)