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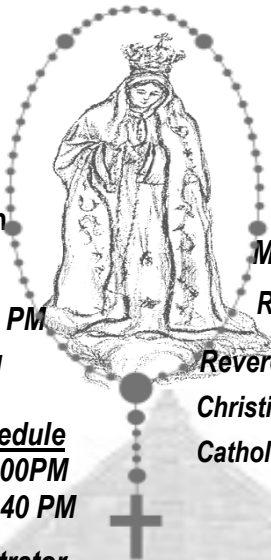
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JUNE 26, 2016

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
Secretaries 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 21 = \$8,885.00
NEEDED TO REACH GOAL = \$5,063.00
OF PLEDGES = 48

Please continue to pledge your support so we can reach our goal.

Names will be updated first or second week of July

Mrs. Connie Andros	Mrs. Karen Conrad	Mr. Shawn Kelly	M/M Joseph A. Knott
Connie Angesk	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	4 Anonymous
Mr. Howard C Colledge	M/M Joseph P. Ianniello	Mr. Daniel E. Smith	
Mrs. Frieda Conrad	M/M Charles R Kelly	M/M David F. Smith	

June 26 Luke 9:51-62

The gospel reports Jesus “set his face to go to Jerusalem” and his disciples could not dissuade Him from the commitment. The life changing commitments of marriage and parenting bind a family together. “No one puts a hand to the plow and looks back” because commitments “set our face” to a future we create.

Happy Birthday

07/02 Brayo Bradford
 07/02 Gary Koeck
 07/03 Eleanor Noye
 07/03 Suzie Pendergrast
 07/04 Pat Byrne
 07/04 Josephine Stoltz

Happy Anniversaries



MONEY MATTERS

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time (June 19, 2016)

155 people Celebrated Liturgy at O.L.F. contributing \$ 1,625.30 of which \$ 138.00 accounted for non-envelope contributions.

Envelopes In Circulation 175 # Used 65 # Unused 110

Collection One Year Ago = \$1,675.00

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 26, 2016

OUR LADY OF FATIMA MASS INTENTIONS

Readings: 1 Kgs 19:16, 19-21; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

Today's Intention = Paul Rose

July 3, Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Readings: Is 66:10-14; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

*10:30 AM Birthday Int. of Suzie Pendergrast (Carol)

Cathedral Mass Intentions

June 27, Monday: Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bish., Doc.

Readings: Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Mt 8:18-22

6:45 AM No Mass

8:00 AM Josephine Hicks, Birth (Daughter, Jacqueline)

12:00 PM James J. Adams, Birthday (Family)

June 28, Tuesday: Saint Irenaeus, Bishop, Martyr

Readings: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Mt 8:23-27

6:45 AM Ventura Mincin, Anniversary (Susan Galant)

8:00 AM No Mass

12:00 PM Mary Petrunyak, Anniversary (Family)

June 29, Wednesday: Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

Readings: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

6:45 AM No Mass

8:00 AM Rick Cowan/Karen Cowan Dougherty (Mom)

12:00 PM Pat Rabine (Karen Brady)

June 30, Thursday: First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

Readings: Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8

6:45 AM Audrey Krause (Phyllis Lavelle Sheetz)

8:00 AM No Mass

*12:00 PM George Dean Barry (Nikki Snyder)

July 1, Friday: Saint Junipero Serra, Priest

Readings: Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13

6:45 AM No Mass

8:00 AM Health of Kirk Kling (Family)

12:00 PM Deacon John Rys (Chuck & Sherry Ahearn)

July 2, Saturday: Weekday

Readings: Am 9: 11-15; Mt 9:14-17

8:00 AM Jim and Elaine Weaver, Wedding Anniversary

*12:00 PM Jerry Smith (Jim and Stephanie Kilcoyne)

Vigil: Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Readings: Is 66:10-14; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

5:00 PM Kenneth Franks (Cathedral Parish)

JUNE 26, 2016

Scripture Reflection

One quality is essential for being a disciple--- commitment. When Elisha asks the prophet's permission to kiss his parents good-bye, Elijah answers somewhat ambiguously, but Elisha realizes this is the hour of decision. He not only kills and cooks his oxen but burns the plow they came with, wiping out all connection to his past trade. There is no report on how his parents felt about this, but it signals Elisha's commitment.

Somewhere in the course of our personal lives each of us comes to face the question of commitment, to its risks and its unknowns. Some, out of fear, turn away. Others, because they seek comfort, refuse the challenge. Still others, too enamored of the banquet of choices before them, never decide and so never commit. Finally there are also those who step into the swirling darkness and say yes, simply because they realize only too well that if they do not, a life of any significance will be less likely from that moment onward.

Jesus outlines the fitness program his disciples must measure up to: an ability to live without the comforts of home, a freedom from any ties to family that might prevent preaching the kingdom of God, and the ability to live such a life with total commitment and without any regret. All this is the work of the Spirit within us, liberating us from what can hold us in place and helping bring God's kingdom into the world.

For Jesus, the call to do the work of the Father is an urgent and critical decision; it means accepting the mission of the Kingdom without condition or hesitation. Jesus offers this choice to all of us; not just once but many times.

- Make a list of your commitments, the ones that entail a cost on your part. Do you like what you see?
- In what ways and to what extent are you committed to God? To the Lord Jesus?

Living the Word, Ralph Kuehner and Joseph Jukialis, World Library Publications, 2006, page 157, *Living the Word*, Dianne Bergant and James Wallace, World Library Publications, 2012, page 144.

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An invitation from the Diocese to a...

*Mass of Healing and Remembrance
with Bishop Mark*

for those who are now or have in the past
experienced the heartbreak of

*Infertility or the
Loss of a Child through
Miscarriage
and
Early Infant Death*



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*"The Lord
heals the
brokenhearted,
binds up their
wounds."*

-Psalm 147:3

Thursday, July 14

6:30 p.m.

Held at Holy Name Church
500 N. Julian St.
Ebensburg, PA

Reservations appreciated by July 12,
contact

Family Life Office, 814-886-5551
familylife@dioceseaj.org

OUR LADY OF FATIMA NOTES.....

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

Liturgical Reflection...

Jesus is resolutely determined to journey to Jerusalem. But on the way there are some who are not so resolute. "Let me go first and bury my father" or "First let me say farewell to my family at home". Jesus demands a definite, clear, and absolute commitment to follow him. Today the Lord calls us to follow. May we follow Jesus resolutely. We live our commitments to the Lord today, not later or somewhere down the road. As we set ourselves towards God's kingdom, may we do so with hearts full of mercy. James and John wanted to call down fire from heaven on the Samaritans. Jesus rebuked them. When on the road with the Lord, show mercy. Mercy alone is all we need as followers of Christ.

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

ONE DAY BUS TRIP TO THE BIG APPLE...

Fr. Aron Maghsoudi will be sponsoring a day trip/bus tour of historic Catholic churches in New York City on Sunday July 24th. The trip will include Latin High Mass at Holy Innocents Church, tours of St Vincent Ferrer Church, and St. Peter Church. Additionally the trip will include an organ recital by Professor Nicholas Will (former music director at the Altoona Cathedral) in the newly restored St. Patrick's Cathedral. The cost of the trip is \$80.00 per person and includes motor coach transportation and a hearty lunch at Tony DiNapoli's near Times Square. Pick up locations in Duncansville and Bellefonte. To sign up please call Fr. Aron at 814-754-5224.

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 June 12, June 26, 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.

BLAIR SENIOR SERVICES...

Pennsylvania Farmers Market coupons are available at the Senior center Tuesdays and Thursdays between 9AM - Noon. Please call 946-1235 for eligibility to receive coupons. Must bring Identification with you. Coupons are used for Pa produced fresh fruits and vegetables.



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.)