

Fatima Mirror

A weekly publication for the education and edification of parishioners and friends of Our Lady of Fatima Parish of the Catholic Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown in Altoona, Pennsylvania. Most Reverend Joseph V. Adamec, D.D. is the diocesan bishop. Father J.D. Zatalava, M.Div. is the pastor. Parishioners worship in the church building named after Saint Leo the Great, 2000 12th Ave. 16601.

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An inner-office diocesan Memo reveals that O.L.F. is one of 47 parishes in the diocese to be, even now, 'below Goal' in the 2009 Annual Catholic Appeal. We might take some solace in the fact that we seem to be in the good company of half this diocese with its 98 parishes. The picture looks a little gloomier when you see that we are only one of two parishes in the 'Below Goal' category in the entire Altoona Area. Since we are still below our parish's ACA goal by \$3,703.88, "the Diocesan Development Office has offered to mail year-end requests to parishioners over the next few weeks. Please be as generous as your circumstances allow, giving pause to remember the blessings in your life that God has showered upon you."

According to diocesan records these 92 registered parishioners have given

Anonymous (7)
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Adams, Sr
Ms. Connie Andros
Ms. Constance Angeski
Mrs. Lorraine Bieniek
Mrs. Marian Boslet
Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Brannan
Mr. Anthony Bruno

Mrs. Jeanne Bucynski
Mrs. Catherine Burr
Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Burr, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Michael A. Byrne
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cassarly
Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Conrad, Sr.
Mr. and Mrs. David Conrad
Mrs. Mary Conway

Mrs. Carol Corle
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Douglass
Mr. William Dumm
Mrs. Eileen Edwards
Ms. Chrisandra Galant
Mr. Thomas Gibbons
Mrs. Veronica Gocłowski
Mrs. Jean Hagan
Mr. Austin Hallinan
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hennigan
Mrs. Cecelia Hollern
Mr. and Mrs. James Hosgood
Ms. Erma Iannaello
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Ianniello
Mr. John G. Kasun
Mr. Steve Kasun
Mr. and Mrs. Christopher M. Keagy
Mrs. Denise Keagy
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Kelly
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Knott
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Levine
Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Long
Mrs. Mildred Maucieri
Ms. M. Charlotte McCall
Mrs. Theresa McCall
Mr. and Mrs. James McKnight
Mr. Joseph Merritt
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Milliron
Mrs. Catherine Mincin
Mrs. Genevieve Musto
Mrs. Victoria Niewola
Mr. and Mrs. John G. Noonan, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. O'Connor
Mr. Timothy O'Connor
Mrs. Julia Prorok
Ms. Marie Prorok
Miss Helen Pufka
Mrs. Janet Pufka
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pufka

Mrs. Bernard Quinlan
Mr. and Mrs. David Riley
Mr. and Mrs. James R. Riley
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rose
Mrs. Dorothy Sagaities
Mrs. Lorraine Shuma
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simanski
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Sisto
Mrs. Caroline Smith
Mr. Daniel E. Smith
Mr. and Mrs. David Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Bryan M. Starr
Dr. and Mrs. Peter Starr
Mrs. Miriam A. Stitt
Mrs. Ruth Stoltz
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stoltz
Mr. Herbert E. Summers, Jr.
Mrs. Jeanne C. Summers
Ms. Sylvia Tierney
Mr. and Mrs. John Wall
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wall
Mrs. Patricia Wall
Mrs. Helen M. Watters
Ms. Jill Watters
Miss Bernadette Weakland
Mrs. Marguerite A. Weakland-Frederick
Ms. Eleanor Yeager
Mrs. Mary Zalewski
Rev. James D. Zatalava

*Your donation to the Annual Catholic Appeal will
directly impact the lives of people from all walks of life
who seek spiritual nourishment or temporal aid from
Diocesan sponsored ministries.*



Quotes of St. John Vianney

Patron Saint of all the world's priests

"All the good works in the world
are not equal to the Holy Sacrifice of the
Mass because they are the works of men;
but the Mass is the work of God.

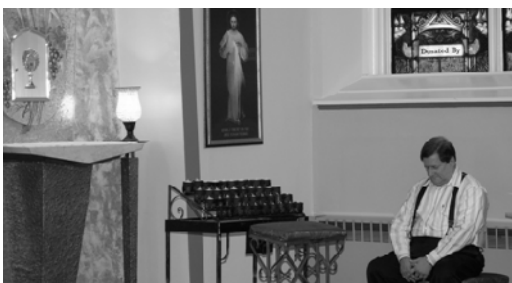
Martyrdom is nothing in comparison
for it is but the sacrifice of man to God;
but the Mass is the sacrifice
of God for man."

"When we go before the
Blessed Sacrament let us open our heart;
our good God will open His.
We shall go to Him; He will come to us,
the one to ask, the other to receive.
It will be like a breath from One to the other"

"The priesthood is
the love of the heart of Jesus"



Jean Baptiste Marie Vianney

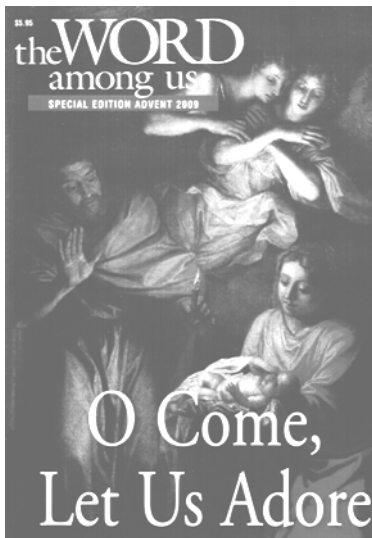


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Daily Eucharistic Holy Hour



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Notes from OLF e-Boutique's Manager

It's working Folks!

Even as we are working out operational details, Stuff and Things, (as Father Z calls e-bay items donated to OLF) are arriving at the Rectory. Without putting on the big push (which is about to occur) we already have two toboggans, a cedar Hope chest, a ping-pong table, a foosball set, a really nice Mink Cape, promises of several Hummel figurines, several pieces of valuable women's jewelry and an authentic Austrian Beer Stein, etc.

Keep those items coming in to the Rectory. We won't actually be going live online until Nov. 30, but we need Stuff and Things to put online to sell. The more things sold, the higher the profit for the church.

O.L.F. Grieving Loss Seminar

- Our long range goal is to have everybody in the parish exposed to the principles of therapeutic listening summarized on the front page of November 1st Fatima Mirror.
- Our short range goal is to develop a small cadre of parishioners trained and practiced in the principles of therapeutic listening and the techniques of healing that come of understanding to send out into our community when someone experiences any kind of loss.

Wednesday, November 18, 6:30PM One of several certified Counselors from our parish will facilitate and explain exercises in the practice of therapeutic listening and the techniques of healing that come of understanding.

Wednesday, November 25, -- Off for Thanksgiving Back in December

MONEY MATTERS**32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Nov 8)**

294 People Celebrated Liturgy at O.L.F. contributing \$2,444.50 of which \$ 227.45 accounted for "loose."

Envelopes In Circulation 232

Used 110

Unused 122



Our Lady of Fatima Parish

Anything Pumpkin Dessert Sale

(in the church vestibule)

Sat November 20 after the 4:30 PM Mass

&

Sun November 21 after the 9:00 AM Mass
and 11:00 AM Mass

GOURMET BAKERS and PUMPKIN HEADS
CALL 942-0371 TO TELL US WHAT DELIGHT YOU ARE
MAKING

*(even if you don't call, have them here at the Rectory by Friday, 2 PM
Saturday, Noon)*

MASS INTENTIONS FOR November 16-22, 2009

Monday	11/16	08:00 AM	Vince Farabaugh, Sr. 90th Bday, Jeanie & Family	Weekday
Tuesday	11/17	08:00 AM	Lucy Kwok, Catarina Tse Wong	Elizabeth of Hungary, religious
Wednesday	11/18	08:00 AM	Health of Denise Keagy, Lorraine Shuma	Ded of Basilicas of Peter & Paul
Thursday	11/19	08:00 AM	Fred Weakland, Bonnie Frederick	Weekday
Friday	11/20	08:00 AM	Anna Louise Hallinan, Aus Hallinan	Weekday
Saturday	11/21	04:30 PM	Sally Colledge, Husband Pete	Christ the King
Sunday	11/22	09:00 AM	Liv/Dec's Members of Our Lady of Fatima Parish	Christ the King
Sunday	11/22	11:00 AM	Bill Stitt, Wife and Family	Christ the King