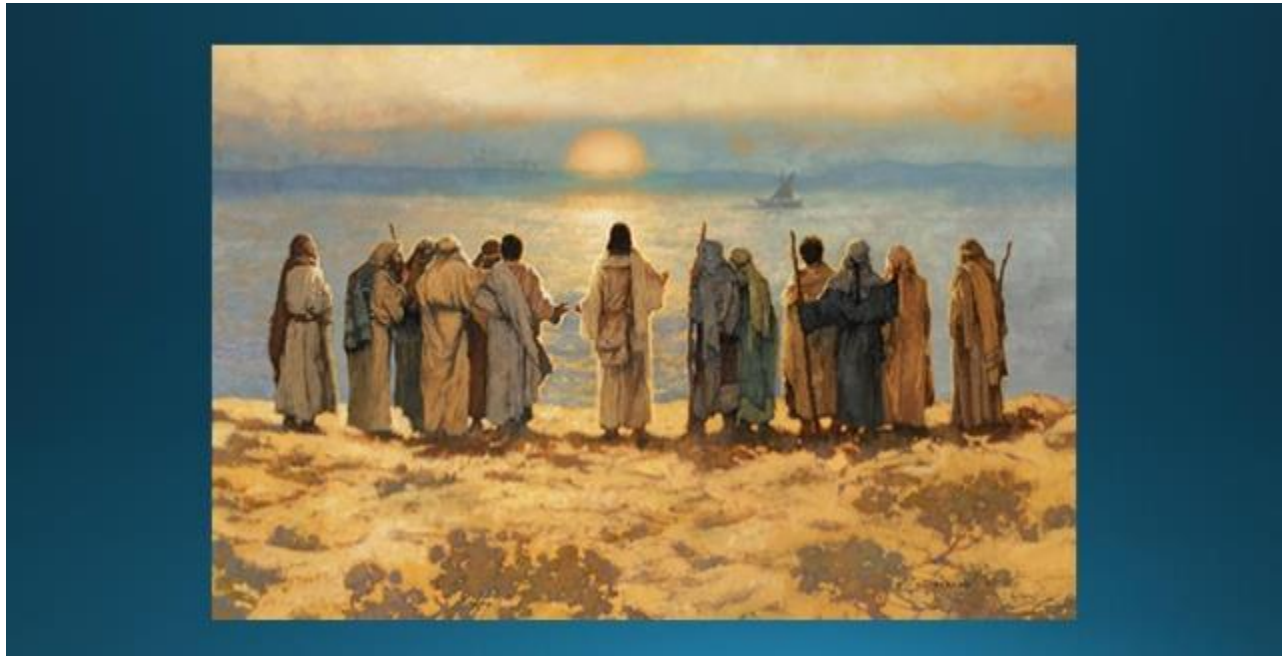


THE CLEMENTIAN
July 11, 2021
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



By virtue of your Baptism, you, just as the twelve disciples were, are called by God to be a prophet. You are called to spread your faith to the best of your ability.

Our readings for next weekend, July 17 & 18: Jeremiah 23:1-6/Ephesians 2:13-18/Mark 6:30-34
Worship Book #911

**PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL
THE ARCHANGEL**

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

DAILY MASS READINGS

Mon 7/12 Exodus 1:8-22/Matthew 10:34—11:1
Tue 7/13 Exodus 2:1-15/Matthew 11:20-24
Wed 7/14 Exodus 3:1-12/Matthew 11:25-27
Thur 7/15 Exodus 3:13-20/Matthew 11:28-30
Fri 7/16 Exodus 11:10—12:14/Matthew 12:1-8
Sat 7/17 Exodus 12:37-42/Matthew 12:14-21



CALENDAR WINNERS

June 30—Jon Sobjak, #203
July 01—Lauren Leonard, #278
July 02—Steve Stem, #765
July 03—Lou Schaffer, #177
July 04—Mary Rita Piro, #797
July 05—Jennifer Town, #448
July 06—Douglas LaBarko, #324



Scrip is available at the Rectory Office
Monday - Friday from 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM. All
proceeds benefit ST. CLEMENT CHURCH.

July 11 - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

God called Amaziah from his daily life to carry forth a mission. Jesus commissioned the twelve apostles to preach the Gospel. He gives them the authority they need to do so and sends them forth. In the second reading St. Paul praises the Lord and reminds us that it is "God whose chose us in Him, before the foundation of the world."

Like Amaziah and the twelve apostles, each one of us has been called to carry out a mission, to be a Christian disciple and proclaim the Gospel in all we say and do. He has given us everything that we need to do that. Every gift we have comes by way of gift from the Lord.

It is our responsibility to make the choice to recognize those gifts and to use them for God's purposes, to give glory to God through sharing our time, talent and treasures with all those in need.

WITH OUR SYMPATHY...



St. Clement Parish Family offers our sympathy to **the family of Sylvia Olszewski a parishioner who passed away last week; and to Lynn Kassander on the death of her husband, George.** Please keep them in your prayers.

Life Matters: May our laws protect the right to life of every human being, from conception to natural death.

Marriage: In our Baptism, each of us has been called to holiness and to mission. As "evangelizing disciples," we are challenged to know, love, and serve both God and our neighbors. This alone will bring us true happiness—a happiness that we cannot make or buy on our own. We are also called to help bring others to Christ.



WE ARE GETTING THERE!!!!

WE STILL NEED....

- **One** more volunteer to sell scrip at the 4:00 PM Mass
- **Two** more volunteers to sell scrip at the 9:30 AM Mass

If you are interested in selling once a month at either Mass, please call the Rectory Office @ 814-255-4422 or email stclementchurch@atlanticbb.net. Thank you, in advance, for your consideration!



ST. CLEMENT PARISH

Summer Cash 'n Gas Give-a-Way

With each \$20 raffle ticket, you have 18 chances to win!

- Grand Prize - \$5,000
(Determined by PA Lottery drawing)
- 2nd and 3rd prizes: \$1,000
(Determined by PA Lottery drawing)
- 15 - \$100 Sheetz gift cards
(Determined by a drawing of all non-winning tickets)
- **Incentive: For every 5 tickets you buy or sell, you will have 1 entry in a drawing for a \$200 cash prize**

You can purchase tickets:

- every weekend before & after both Masses
- at the rectory during office hours
- by calling the rectory to make arrangements to have them mailed to you

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

ST. CLEMENT CHURCH

ROCKIN' BASKET BASH



The St. Clement Church 2021 Rockin' Basket Bash is currently being organized and we are looking for help. **Our "basket stroll" will be held on 3 days: August 13th, 14th, and 15th, with the drawing taking place on Sunday, August 15th at 3:00 PM.**

WHAT CAN I DO TO HELP?

I cannot donate a basket, but I want to help!

No problem! You may donate **gift cards**, which can be purchased through our Scrip Program, if you wish, **lottery tickets, wine and spirits, and empty baskets.**

I want to donate a filled basket!

Awesome!

Donate a filled basket with a content value of at least \$50. (New items only, please!) Bring the basket to the rectory with a list of the contents. We will wrap the basket in our "rockin" theme. Call the rectory to make alternate arrangements for dropping off your basket. We will do our best to accommodate you!

I do not want to shop, but I want to help!

No problem!

Cash donations are always appreciated! You may donate through the collection basket at church (mark your envelope "Basket Bash"), or you can mail a check made out to "St. Clement Church" to the rectory.

I am thinking outside the box! Can I donate a "service"?

Absolutely! We would love to have your donation of a service or product in the form of a certificate or voucher, AND we would be happy to design it for you!



As we get closer to the date of the basket bash, we will ask for volunteers. Please read the bulletin for further announcements.

Thank you in advance for any help you can give.

DO YOU LOVE TO BAKE?

If your answer is an enthusiastic "YES", perhaps the St. Clement Blessed Bakers Ministry is for you! The baking ministry is a group of dedicated parishioners who are called upon to supply homemade baked goods for various church functions such as the parish festival, graduation reception, Mass of Remembrance reception, special Liturgical Masses, etc. You are not required to bake for every event, only when it is convenient for you to do so. This ministry is open to men and women of all ages. If you are willing to share your best "sweet treats" and would like to become a member of this ministry, please contact the rectory during regular office hours, or email stclementchurch@atlanticbb.net.



WE  LOVE

HAVING EWE AS PART OF OUR FLOCK!!!

To be sure you receive all messages, add FLOCKNOTE to your list of contacts:

- mail@flocknote.com and
- (817)592-6085

Please keep the office updated with any changes in your contact information!

We do not want you to go astray!

BASKETS & BURGER BASH

St. Therese Church Social Hall

July 24th & July 25th

3-7PM 11AM-4PM

Live Entertainment

Saturday 4-7 - Bo Moore

Sunday 1-3 - TBA

Craft/Bistro Style Burgers

Pulled Pork Sandwiches

French Fries

Soda & Beer Available for purchase

Basket Tickets sold at the door





OUTDOOR MASS FOR MARRIED COUPLES

The annual Outdoor Mass for Married Couples sponsored by the Family Life Office of the Diocese will be held **NEXT Sunday, July 18th at 7:00 PM** at the Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine in Loretto. Bishop Mark will celebrate the Liturgy, during which married couples will have the opportunity to renew their commitment to each other. All married couples and their families are invited. The faithful should bring their own lawn chair. If it rains, the Mass will be celebrated inside the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel next to the Shrine.

CLASSIC CAR SHOW



AND BLOCKPARTY

On **Sunday, July 25th**, Queen of Angels Parish in Central City will be sponsoring a Classic and Antique Car Cruise from 1:00 PM until 5:00 PM at their St. John site (164 Wheeler Street – Central City). Live oldies music will be provided by Americana from 2:00 PM until 5:00 PM. The parish will be preparing and serving food, beer, and soft drinks, as well as other refreshments. All who have a classic or antique car, or those who simply take pleasure in music and an evening out are welcome to come and enjoy a day of cars, food, and camaraderie. All proceeds benefit upgrades to the Central City community playground. Any questions can be directed to the parish office at 814-754-5224.



Women's Overnight of Prayer Team (WOOP)
invites you to . . .

DARKNESS INTO LIGHT WOMEN'S DAY OF PRAYER

St. Clement Church Pavilion
Goucher Street

SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 2021
9 AM to 3:50 PM

(If you wish to attend Mass at 4)
Lunch will be served.

We look forward to you joining us for a day of
Prayer, Reflection, and Sung Praise

For Questions or to Register (Cost \$20) please call
Stephanie 814-467-8189
Maureen 814-255-6504



POLISH DAY OF MERRIMENT

In honor of their Polish heritage, Queen of Angels Parish in Central City is sponsoring their "Summer of Dyngus Party" on **Saturday, August 21st**, at their parish hall (738 Sunshine Avenue). The event includes live polka music by Li'l John Nalevanko and the ATM Band, games of chance, all you can eat buffet of homemade ethnic foods, beer, and soft drinks. For tickets, please call 814-754-5224. All proceeds benefit the parish CCD program.