

JULY 4th - 14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**A Tender and Loving Father,
Man of Compassion**

Joseph was never quoted in the Gospels, but he spoke through his actions. When Mary became pregnant, but before she was living with Joseph, he had decided to divorce her quietly to spare her life. However, after an angel spoke to him in a dream about how she would be the mother of the Son of God, he took her into his home as his wife.

"In the synagogue, during the praying of the Psalms, Joseph would surely have heard again and again that the God of Israel is a God of tender love, who is good to all, whose 'compassion is over all that He has made.' "(Ps 145:9)

St. Joseph, a tender loving father, man of compassion, pray for us.



Saturday, August 7, 2021

3 PM - 11 PM

Peoples Natural Gas Park, Johns Street

Event includes music, featuring Josh Gallagher, food for purchase and more. For tickets, contact Greg at the Family Kitchen@814-539-7811 or Georgia@814-242-2083. You may also purchase both event tickets and duck raffle tickets @www.svdpcares.org. To volunteer at this event or the family kitchen, call Greg or Georgia.



With Our Sympathy

St. Clement Parish Family offers our sympathy to **the family of Mary Jane Kleinosky whose funeral we celebrated this past week.** Please keep them in your prayers.

Life Matters: God loves each human life from the instant of his or her conception and entrusts this gift to the protection of a mother and father. Abortion ends the life of a child and offends God. It also deeply wounds the women and men involved.

Marriage: The important thing for engaged couples to keep in mind as they check numerous items off their pre-wedding "to-do" list is the well-known adage, "Your wedding lasts a day, but your marriage lasts a lifetime." The Church encourages couples to invest time and energy into the all-important work of preparing for their married life together.

PUBLIC ROSARY

In Honor of

Our Lady of Mount Carmel &

To Pray for the U.S.A.

Saturday, July 10th - NOON

Central Park, Downtown Johnstown

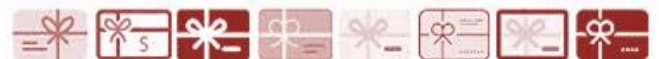


PRAYER requests

The St. Clement Prayer Ministry is currently being updated. Until further notice, please call:

DIANE GRASSER @ 814-255-4648

Please leave a message if there is no answer.



SCRIP SELLERS NEEDED!

We are **STILL** in need of scrip sellers for the weekend Masses. 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!

In observance of
Independence Day,
the rectory office will be closed

Monday, July 5th



We wish you a safe and happy holiday!

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.



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!



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!



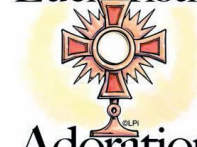
OUTDOOR MASS FOR MARRIED COUPLES

The annual Outdoor Mass for Married Couples sponsored by the Family Life Office of the Diocese will be held on **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.



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.

Eucharistic Adoration



A chapel for perpetual Eucharistic Adoration is **opening at St Andrew Parish, 1621 Ferndale Ave, Johnstown.** The chapel will be located in the old convent building on the parish grounds. The **anticipated opening date** for the chapel is **August 15th**, pending a few construction projects to improve the space. It is a safe area, well-lit even at night, and there are no steps. We are in need of committed adorers and substitutes. One does not need to be a parishioner of St. Andrew to sign up, and one may sign up for multiple hours. This is a powerful opportunity to call down many graces from heaven. The idea is that there is somebody praying in front of the Blessed Sacrament 24/7 and it is a place where people can stop to pray. Will you help? If you would like more information or would like to possibly make a commitment or be a substitute, please call Terri Roy at (814) 255-5645 or terriamroy@gmail.com.



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

Celebrate

ANNUAL FOURTH OF JULY PICNIC

St. John The Baptist Catholic Church
New Baltimore
Sunday, July 4

11:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Chicken BBQ
Games of Chance
Theme Baskets
Food & Fun for the Whole Family

Concert of Faith, Hope & Love



Unexpected Song

St. Aloysius Hall, Cresson
Sunday, July 11 at Noon

Come and worship God through song!

FREE FOR ALL Food available for purchase
Call (814) 569-6102 or (808) 521-1452

I ♥ Polka

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.

IMMEDIATE JOB OPENINGS

The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown currently has the following openings:

Administrative Assistant:

St. Patrick School, Newry

Administrative Assistant:

Saints Gregory & Barnabas Parish, Johnstown

Care Coordinator:

Martha & Mary Homeless Shelter, Johnstown

Caseworker:

Catholic Charities Altoona Office

Custodian:

St. Michael School Loretto

DRE:

St. Benedict Parish, Carrolltown

General Laborer:

Transfiguration Parish, Johnstown

Housekeeper:

St. John the Baptist Parish, New Baltimore

Organist:

St. Catherine of Sienna Parish, Duncansville

School Principal:

St. Matthew, Tyrone; St. Patrick, Newry

Temporary Accounting Assistant:

Diocesan Finance Office

Various **Elementary & High School Teaching Positions** are also available.

Please go to

www.dioceseaj.org/employment to apply.

Resumes can be emailed to

lmcevoy@dioceseaj.org.



