

# CHURCH OF ST. CLEMENT

114 Lindberg Avenue  
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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 9:30 AM

## DAILY MASS

Consult Liturgical Schedule

Rev. William E. Rosenbaum, Pastor

Mandy Vigna, DRE

Joy Rosenbaum, Administrative Assistant

Richard Von Schlichten,  
St. Clement Food Pantry, 255-2200

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP** – New members are always welcome! Please call the Rectory Office if you wish to join St. Clement Church. Current members are asked to notify the Rectory Office with any changes in address or phone numbers.

**RECONCILIATION** – Saturday – 3:00 PM

**BAPTISM** – Call Rectory Office to register for Parents' Program prior to Baptism.

**MARRIAGE** – Call Rectory Office at least nine months in advance to arrange.

**O.C.I.A.** – Call Rectory Office if you are interested in becoming a Catholic.

**E-MAIL** – [stclementchurch@atlanticbb.net](mailto:stclementchurch@atlanticbb.net)

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# THE CLEMENTIAN

## October 12th, 2025

### 28<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for next weekend, October 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>, Exodus 17:8-13/  
2 Timothy 3:14-4,2/Luke 18:1-8  
Worship Book #951

#### DAILY MASS READINGS

**Mon 10/13** Romans 1:1-7/Luke 11:29-32  
**Tue 10/14** Romans 1:16-25 /Luke 11:37-41  
**Wed 10/15** Romans 2:1-11 /Luke 11:42-46  
**Thur 10/16** Romans 3:21-30/Luke 1:47-54  
**Fri 10/17** Romans 4:1-8/Luke 12:1-7  
**Sat 10/18** 2 Timothy 4:10-17b/Luke 10:1-9

#### CALENDAR WINNERS!

October 1 – Savannah Reitz, #495  
 October 2 – Stephanie Bischof, #058  
 October 3 – Michele Gowaty, #512  
 October 4 – John Gritzer, #899  
 October 5 – Jonathan Mraz, #351  
 October 6 – Jon & Amanda Sojak, #739  
 October 7 – Pat Horner, #768

#### ST. CLEMENT CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

|                                   | <u>August 2025</u> | <u>Fiscal Year</u><br><u>2026 year to date</u> |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Cash Received:                    | \$ 33,456.00       | \$ 65,305.00                                   |
| Expenses Paid:                    | \$ 29,989.00       | \$ 74,263.00                                   |
| <br>Cash Received<br>Over (Under) |                    |  |
| Expenses Paid:                    | \$3,467.00         | \$(8,958.00)                                   |

A PRAYER FOR PEACE IN OUR COUNTRY,  
 "Heavenly Father, fill our nation with Your peace, wisdom, and justice. Unite our leaders and citizens, fostering love and understanding where there is division. Guide us toward Your will, bringing an era of hope, healing and harmony to our land.  
 Amen"

#### PRAYER NETWORK CONTACT—

Dr. Judith Thomas – 814-535-4747  
 thomasangelight@gmail.com

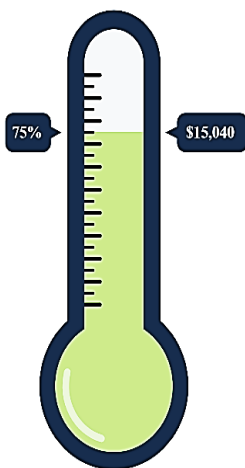




## INCH BY INCH...

...we are edging closer to the end of our "Rakin' in the Cash Raffle! There are approximately 120 tickets left in our box, and we hope you can help us sell all of them! This week, someone purchased a ticket for the **St. Vincent DePaul Food Kitchen**. Have you considered buying a ticket for your favorite non-profit organization or ministry?

GOAL: \$20,000



Bosco's **Friends Helping Friends** 25% off shopping passes are available for purchase for \$5 at the scrip table in the vestibule. **The entire \$5 donation benefits St. Clement Parish.** The pass entitles you to shop (in store & online) on **Wednesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> from 8 AM to 11 PM.**



## TODAY'S GOSPEL REFLECTION-

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Gratitude is the key to a stewardship way of life. Today's readings demonstrate the power and vital importance of gratitude in the life of the Christian disciple, for gratitude leads us to worship God who offers us salvation.

The truth is that our very lives and every breath we take are His gifts to us. But we can get so caught up in the stresses and distractions of daily life that we lose touch with this truth. Gratitude begins within our minds and hearts when we take the time to recognize how blessed we truly are and when we have the humility to recognize where these blessings come from - our merciful and loving God.

The Samaritan from our Gospel today reacts to his gift of healing in much the same way as Namaan from our First Reading, and demonstrates the proper response to our loving God. Recognizing what he had just received from the Lord, he "returned, glorifying God in a loud voice; and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked Him." He was grateful for what God had done for him and this gratitude led to worship.



## PLUS: BASKET RAFFLE AND BAKE SALE!

Saturday, November 1<sup>st</sup>  
7:00AM – 12 Noon

ALL YOU CAN EAT PANCAKES!

Adults \$8.00  
Children 12 & under \$5.00

Have a delicious breakfast of pancakes and sausage, then try your luck at our Basket Auction! Ticket sales for the Basket Auction will be from 7:00AM-11:00AM.

We will start pulling winners at approximately 11:15AM.

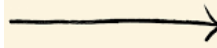
Grab some tasty treats at our Bake Sale to take home!

EAT PANCAKES. WIN BIG. REPEAT.

## DONATIONS NEEDED



Can you help?



Baskets can be dropped off at the rectory during regular business hours, Mon-Fri, 8am-3pm  
You may call the rectory if you have any questions.  
255-4422

## BASKET AUCTION DONATIONS STILL NEEDED!

We need your help to make the "Pancake Breakfast plus Basket Auction and Bake sale" a success! Please consider donating a themed basket, an item, a gift card or even lottery tickets. We're aiming for a "little but luxe" auction, with fewer baskets but more allure. We kindly ask that baskets/donations are received by **Wednesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>**. Your generosity is a testimony to God's faithfulness and a blessing to our entire church family!

## CAN YOU DONATE A BAKED GOOD?

We are gratefully accepting baked goods of all kinds. We are once again relying on your wonderful baking skills and generosity to make it a success! You can drop off your baked good on Fri, Oct 31<sup>st</sup> from 3pm-5pm at the cafeteria.

The Lord has called home our beloved brother in Christ, **Pierre Ahlstrom**, who's funeral mass was held here at **St. Clement Church on Friday, October 10<sup>th</sup>**. **Pierre is the son of parishioners Brian and Renee' Ahlstrom. We hold Pierre's family in our prayers.**



Revelation 21:4  
"He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away".

**CAN YOU DONATE SOME DIAPERS?** Support the Gabriel Project and Birthright with diapers and/or donations. Diaper sizes needed are 3,4,5,6, and will be split between two lifesaving pregnancy centers. Diaper donations can be made during the **month of October**. Look for the labeled boxes in the St. Clement Church vestibule. If you wish to donate to the Gabriel Project or Birthright, checks can be made out directly to them and placed in the collection basket. Both organizations are thrilled and grateful for your donations. Thank you and God bless you! October, respect life month in action!

#### UPCOMING ROSARY DATES

Thursday, November 13<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm

St. Clement Church

Saturday, November 15<sup>th</sup> @ noon

Downtown Johnstown Vine Street Parklet

Behind the Crown American building



TO ENSURE YOU RECEIVE IMPORTANT UPDATES ABOUT CHURCH EVENTS, AND TO BETTER CONNECT WITH OUR PARISH COMMUNITY, PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION HAS CHANGED. YOU CAN CALL THE RECTORY OR SEND US AN EMAIL, ( 814) 255-4422

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THANK YOU FOR BEING A VALUED PART OF OUR PARISH FAMILY!



#### Annual Respect for Life

**Breakfast** by Citizens Concerned for Human Life, will take place on Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, 9:00AM at Bishop Carroll Catholic High School cafeteria in Ebensburg. Breakfast is **\$15.00** a person. Speaker Bridgett Mack, cofounder of GO Ministries, will be there. Bridgett is an author and speaker who uses humor and honesty to spread the good news! Chances on gift baskets are also available. All are welcome! Advanced ticket sales only, call 814-472-8584.

The Sacred Heart Province of the Third Order Regular Franciscans is sponsoring a free showing of "Triumph of the Heart," a movie about Saint Maximilian Kolbe, on **Sunday, October 19 at 7:00 p.m.** at AMC Altoona 12. Free tickets are available online at the following link. Space is limited to 95 people.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/triumph-of-the-heart-amc-altoona-12-free-showing-tickets-1770419425159?aff=oddtcreat> or

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| Julie Wagner       | 814-241-6497 |

- Marriage-** Share the love of God with someone who may feel forgotten. Together, call an elderly family member or make arrangements to visit a lonely member of your parish today.
- Life Matters-** For those nearing the end of life: may they receive care that respects their dignity as they prepare in hope to share eternal life with Christ; we pray to the Lord.

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#### EXERCISE YOUR HEART MUSCLE

Deodorant, shampoo, soap, shower gel and toothpaste may seem like ordinary things to you, but they are not so ordinary to someone who cannot afford them.

*It takes genuine generosity to truly serve those in need, as they have nothing they can give you in return.*

**We thank you for your continued support of this ministry and remind you that we happily accept monetary donations!**

#### PIZZA HUT "FUN RAISER" DAY

Have Pizza delivered to your home or while you work on our Pizza Hut Fundraiser Day and Pizza Hut will donate **10%** of the sales to St. Clement Church!



Dine-in and carryout count too!  
Please present ticket to server or delivery driver.

When: **Tuesday & Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>**  
Time: 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM and 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM  
Where: Westmont Pizza Hut – 255-4151

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# ST. JUDE TRIDUUM

Our Annual Triduum to Saint Jude, patron of those in despair or in hopeless situations, will be held on **Tuesday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, October 30<sup>th</sup>**, with Masses being celebrated at **6:30 PM** each evening.

In addition to the Triduum Mass on **Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM**, we will celebrate:

## THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

You are a worthy candidate to receive the sacrament if you are of “advanced age,” are dealing with a serious disease or injury, or are burdened with a chronic illness. Any question should be decided in favor of receiving the sacrament. It is important to note the difference between the *Sacrament of the Sick* and *Extreme Unction*. *Extreme Unction* (Last Rites) is related to the spiritual healing in the face of death. The *Sacrament of the Sick* has two purposes: spiritual healing, and the real hope of physical healing and consolation. It makes tangible in liturgical actions the comfort and consolation of Christ and the prayer of the church intervening on behalf of the infirm or aging. Those not being anointed are encouraged to attend the liturgy in solidarity and prayerful support of those receiving the sacrament

## ST. JUDE TRIDUUM SCHEDULE

**Tuesday, October 28<sup>th</sup>**

**6:30 PM - Mass**

Celebrant & Homilist: **Rev. Charlie Amershek**  
Senior Priest

**Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>**

**6:30 PM – Mass, Anointing of the Sick**

Celebrant & Homilist: **Rev. James Crookston**,  
Retired; In-Residence, St. Clement Church, Johnstown

**Thursday, October 30<sup>th</sup>**

**6:30 PM – Mass**

Celebrant & Homilist: **Rev. Sean Code**,  
Senior Priest





*In Loving Memory*

*of those who are forever present in our hearts.*



All St. Clement parishioners, family, and friends are invited to attend the

## **Annual Mass of Remembrance**

**and Candle Lighting Ceremony**

*We Remember – We Celebrate – We Believe*

**Wednesday, November 5, 2025 ~ 6:30 PM**

*Light refreshments and fellowship to follow in the parish social hall.*

During the month of November, we remember in a special way those who have passed to eternal life with our Lord. During the Candle Lighting Ceremony at this Mass, **a candle will be lit for each of our parishioners and friends whose funerals have been celebrated here since November 1, 2024.** This Mass is for all who either mourn the recent or not so recent loss of a family member or friend or want to offer support to fellow parishioners who continue their journey toward healing. **If you would like to request that a candle be lit during this Liturgy in memory of your loved one, please complete the form below and return to the rectory office, deposit in the collection basket, or call the office with your reservation.**

**★ Please RSVP by Monday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.**



Please light a candle in memory of:

(Name/s of Deceased) 1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

**Requested by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate box:

☐

Attending Mass only

☐

Attending Reception Following Mass

(#attending \_\_\_\_\_ [you + guests])

☐

Unable to attend, but I am submitting the name of my loved one to be remembered.

# PANCAKE BREAKFAST

PLUS

**BASKET RAFFLE AND BAKE SALE!**

**ST. CLEMENT CHURCH**

CORNER OF GOUCHER STREET & LINDBERG AVENUE

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**7:00 AM-12:00 NOON**



**ALL YOU CAN EAT PANCAKES!**

**ADULTS: \$8.00**

**CHILDREN 12 & UNDER: \$5.00**

**HAVE A DELICIOUS BREAKFAST & TRY YOUR LUCK AT OUR "LITTLE BUT LUXE" BASKET AUCTION, THEN GRAB SOME TASTY HOMEMADE TREATS AT OUR BAKE SALE TO TAKE HOME!**

**EAT PANCAKES. WIN BIG. REPEAT.**



| SCHEDULE                                   | MASS SCHEDULE  | ALTAR<br>SERVER(S)             | EUCCHARISTIC<br>MINISTER(S)   | LECTOR(S)<br>CANTOR<br>ORGANIST  | HOSPITALITY<br>MINISTERS   |
|--|--|--------------------------------|---|--|--|
| <b>MONDAY</b><br>13-Oct<br><b>8:00 AM</b>  | <b>Weekday</b><br>Threse F. Baywood req<br>by children                                     | Marsha Critchfield             | Ed Serafin  | John Pattison  |  |
| <b>TUESDAY</b><br>14-Oct<br><b>8:00 AM</b> | <b>Weekday</b><br>Rebecca Ann Santoyo<br>req by family                                     | Marsha Critchfield             | Terri Connor  | Mary Koval   |  |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b><br>15-Oct                 | <b>St. Teresa of Jesus</b><br><b>NO MASS</b>   |                                |   |  |  |
| <b>THURSDAY</b><br>16-Oct<br><b>8:00AM</b> | <b>Weekday</b><br>Deceased members of<br>the Barefoot family req<br>by Ed & Bonnie Serafin | Marsha Critchfield             | Andrea Riek   | John Pattison  |  |
| <b>FRIDAY</b><br>17-Oct                    | <b>St. Ignatius</b><br><b>NO MASS</b>  |                                |   |  |  |
| <b>SATURDAY</b><br>18-Oct<br><b>4:00PM</b> | <b>ANTICIPATED SUNDAY MASS</b><br><br>Rose Senuta req by<br>Kathy Mandrgoe                 | Alexis Roth<br>Larisa Roth     | Joe Brawley-FC<br>Mary Koval-FC<br>M. O'Connor-MH<br>Joyce Sager-MH<br>Chris Sheridan-MC<br>Ralph Trofino-MC<br>Marsha Critchfield-FH | Mary Casto<br>Stephanie Bischof<br>Vicki Truscello<br>Rosalyn Marovich | Sally Drager<br>Charlie Hagins<br>Pete Hohrun<br>Josie McVicker<br>Bonnie Pavlosky<br>Frank Rovder                       |
| <b>SUNDAY</b><br>19-Oct<br><b>9:30AM</b>   | <b>29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b><br><br>Pierre Ahlstrom req by<br>Nanette Clark         | Kennedy Faight<br>Larry Wagner | Karen Harnish-FC<br>Diane Riner-FC<br>Deanna Kelley-MH<br>Julie Wagner-MH<br>Chris Bowser-MC<br>Andrea Riek-MC<br>Diane Grasser-FH    | Dan Gehlmann<br>Pam Gehlmann<br>Mary Statler<br>Barb Penska            | Pat Butler<br>Bruce Eash<br>Donna Kohr<br>Ron Konicky<br>Maria Maharowski<br>Butch Park<br>Philip Sapala<br>Allen Wright |



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