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Saturday at 2:00pm, Monday at 4:00am, and Wednesday at 8:00pm

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND

Saturday Vigil
4:00pm
Sunday
9:30am

WEEKDAY

Monday
8:00am
Tuesday
8:00am
Thursday
8:00am

CONFESSION

Saturday
3:00pm

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.

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.

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THE CLEMENTIAN
November 8th, 2026





Calendar WINNERS!

Oct 27 - Maryann Barbour, #568
Oct 28 - Pat Fyock, #595
Oct 29 - Mary Sojak, #947
Oct 30 - Bryan Bazyk, #560
Oct 31 - Pete Hohrun, #893
Nov 1 - Mary Borkow, #277
Nov 2 - Luke Gyure, #697

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 8, 2026

Monday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7/Lk 17:11-19
Thursday: Phlm 7-20/Lk 17:20-25
Friday: 2 Jn 4-9/Lk 17:26-37
Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8/Lk 18:1-8

Readings for next weekend: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21
Breaking Bread Book Pg. 219

★★★ thank you, veterans! ★★★

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SCAN ME!

Blessing for Veterans

O God,
Bless the men and women who have stepped forward in the service of our country.
Protect them in Your mercy, care for their needs:
physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual.
Give them courage, strength, perseverance, and support.
Amen.



SAVE THE DATE!

Ham Dinner & Advent Stations

Join us on **Saturday, November 28**, immediately following the 4:00 PM Mass for a delicious Ham Dinner! Tickets are **$10** each and must be purchased in advance. Please note that there will be no late ticket sales, so be sure to secure yours early. Tickets will be available for purchase after all weekend Masses on *November 14–15* and *November 21–22*. You may also purchase tickets directly from the rectory office during regular business hours. Following dinner, we will return to the church at 6:30 PM to enter into the spirit of the season together by praying the *Advent Stations*. We look forward to sharing this evening of food, fellowship, and prayer with you!

Todays Gospel Reflection

Wisdom is a central theme in our readings today. It is one of the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit, and it is key to living a stewardship way of life in our complex world. As Christian stewards, we should rely on this gift and ask the Holy Spirit to increase it within us.

In our Gospel passage from Matthew, Jesus tells the parable of 10 virgins awaiting the arrival of the bridegroom who will welcome them into the wedding feast. Five of the virgins were foolish and five were wise. The foolish virgins failed to bring oil along with their lamps when they went to meet the bridegroom. The wise ones, however, had prepared and brought sufficient oil to keep their lamps lit when the bridegroom came. The foolish virgins, caught off guard, ran off to buy more oil, but they were too late. The door to the wedding feast was locked to them. Jesus cautions, "Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

The stewardship way of life – with its daily and weekly commitments to giving God the best of our time, talent and treasure – is the "oil" that we always keep with us. When we have this plan in place and we rely deeply on the Holy Spirit to guide us through the twists and turns of each day, we are free, we are ready to answer the Bridegroom when He calls us. We live in wisdom.

Make an Advent Wreath!

All parishioners are invited to an Advent Wreath Making Workshop on **Thursday, November 17th, from 6:00PM - 8:00PM**, in the first-floor classroom. All supplies will be provided. All participants are asked to please bring a food pantry donation in support of our local community.





Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Fall Fellowship weekend after mass! It was a wonderful time spent with our parish family, having good conversation, and seasonal treats of apple cider, spiced nuts, and donuts.





CATHOLIC TRIVIA - JUST FOR FUN

Question: How many cookies did the Blessed Bakers make in 2025?

Answer forms and collection boxes are located at all church entrances. Submit your best estimate by **November 22nd. The participant who guesses closest to the actual amount without going over will win FOUR DOZEN CHRISTMAS COOKIES this year!**

St. Clement Lottery Calendar

Our **2027** St Clement Lottery Calendars are now available! 365 Chances to win **$12,500** in cash prizes including Holidays and Seller Bonus Days! Calendars will be available to purchase for **$25** before and after our Masses - Saturdays at 4 PM and Sundays at 9:30 AM, and in the St. Clement Church Office, weekdays from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM.





Visitation of the
Blessed Virgin Mary Parish
ANNUAL TURKEY RAFFLE

When: Saturday, November 14th
Where: Visitation School Auditorium
Time: Doors open - 6 PM, Raffle @7PM

Cost: **$5.00**
(includes Hot Buffet & Beverages) Lots of Fun and Prizes
Qualifiers available for Purchase

Door Prizes & Lottery Tree
BASKET OF CHEER & Premium Wine Basket
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PIZZA HUT "FUN RAISER" DAY

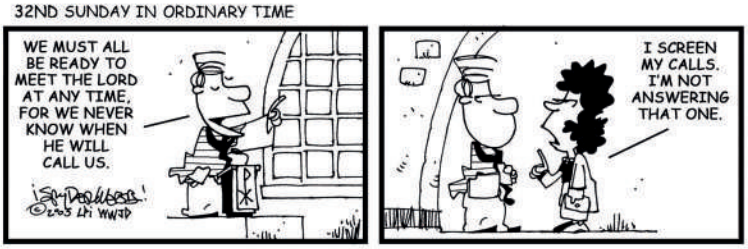
Have Pizza delivered to your home or while you work on our Pizza Hut Fundraiser Day
and Pizza Hut will donate 10% of the sales to St. Clement Church!
Dine-in and carryout count too!
Please present ticket to server or delivery driver.

When: Tuesday & Wednesday, November 10 & 11
Time: 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM and 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Where: Westmont Pizza Hut – 255-4151

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LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

The Christian life is a life of waiting, for the Bridegroom is long delayed. We can grow too comfortable in the waiting that we forget what it's all for. So let us look to our lamps and always remember — the waiting will not last forever.





LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

DATE NOVEMBER	ALTAR SERVER(S)	EUCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	LECTOR(S) CANTOR ORGANIST	HOSPITALITY MINISTERS
11/9	Ed Serafin	Terri Connor	Mary Koval	
11/10	Ed Serafin	M. Critchfield	Andrea Riek	
11/12	Ed Serafin	Mary Koval	J.Pattison	
11/14	Ruth Morello Nancy Stamplis	Kathy Marisa-FC M.O'Connor-FC Anthony Marisa-MH Larisa Roth-MH Sharon Mock-MC Betsy Reitz-MC Alexis Roth-FH	Lou Polonkey Marcia Polonkey Dave Pavlik R.Marovich	Sally Drager Bill Stamplis Pete Hohrun Josie McVicker Frank Rovder Dave Vranich Ron Mathews
11/15	Alissa Durst Kennedy Faight	Bill Riner-FC Diane Riner-FC Karen Harnish-MH John Saracena-MH Sheri Durst-MC OPEN SPOT-MC Andrea Riek-FH	Dan Gehlmann Pam Gehlmann Mary Statler Bryan Bazyk	Pat Butler Philip Sapala Bruce Eash Allen Wright Donna Guaetta-Kohr Ron Konicky Butch Park Maria Maharowski Barb & Mike Naugle

This Gospel leaves us with an honest question. What am I giving my attention to each day, and am I forming a heart that is awake, watchful, and ready to meet the Lord when He comes? How can I use key moments of my day to focus my attention where I need it to be?

– Father John Muir



MASS INTENTIONS

MON-NOV 9

8:00am + Steve & Mary Jo Murgas req by Joy Glassberg-Rose
Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

TUES-NOV 10

8:00am + Chris Freiwald req by Bill & Diane Riner
St. Leo the Great

THUR-NOV 12

8:00am + Intentions of Parish Family
St. Josaphat

SAT-NOV 14

4:00pm + Mildred Lux req by daughter & family
Saturday Vigil

SUN-NOV 15

9:30am + Dick Cowan req by wife Flo Cowan
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Marriage – Pallative care and hospice are precious and crucial instruments in the care of patients with serious and terminal illnesses, and they help provide comfort to both the patient and their families. It allows us to remain at the side of the side of a suffering person, as the Blessed Mother remained at the foot of the cross.

Life Matters – For the sick, suffering, and those near death, may they receive adequate care which embraces their physical, psychological, and spiritual needs, as they journey toward eternal life, *let us pray to the Lord.*



PUBLIC ROSARY

Saturday, November 14 @ Noon
Central Park, Downtown
Johnstown

Saturday, November 21 @ Noon
St. Clement Church

Praying for our Veterans and our Country



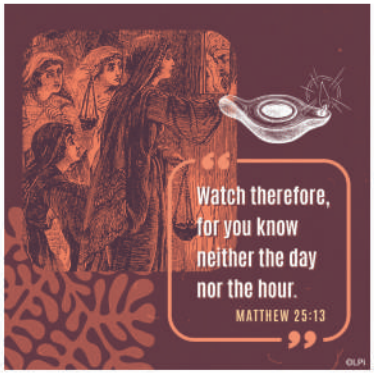
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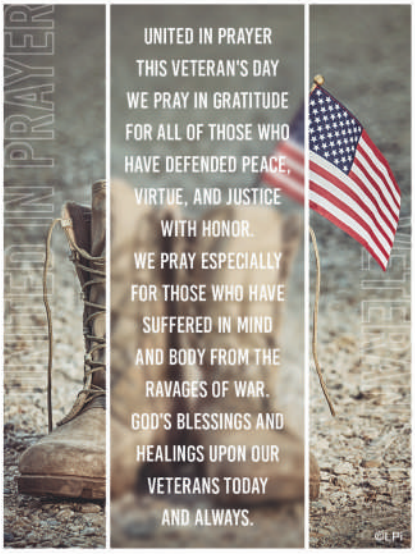


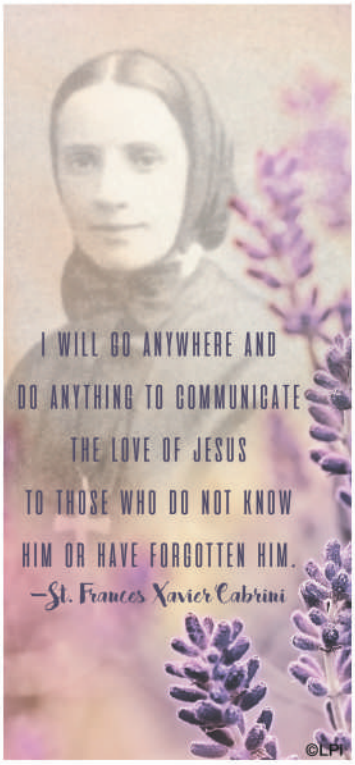
Autumn shows us how beautiful it is to let things go.

Our WISH LIST:
Personal Hygiene Products (Toothpaste, deodorant, soap, shower gel, etc.)

If you have not yet donated to this ministry, please consider helping. Your support can truly make a difference in the lives of those who need a little help!







Parish COUNCIL

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A parishioner is currently seeking a caretaker. For more information regarding the position and details, please call 814-255-6795.

If you have a family member in the hospital, please contact the rectory at (814) 255-4422. We want to ensure our parishioners receive prayers, pastoral visits, and the Sacraments during their time of illness.

ST. CLEMENT CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

	September 2026	Fiscal Year 2027 year to date
Cash Received:	$34,335.00	$121,535.00
Expenses Paid:	$37,488.00	$115,779.00
Cash Received Over (Under) Expenses Paid:	$(3,153.00)	$5,756.00

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