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A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust  
East Vandergrift, PA 15629  
A PARISH OF THE DIOCESE OF GREENSBURG  
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**SUNDAY AUGUST 20, 2017**

*Mass Intentions for the week  
of August 20, 2017*

**20 Sunday: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

6:00 pm + Mike & Angie Soska  
*(Steve, Lauren, & Charlie Kirk)*  
11:00 am + Rose Welken *(Family)*

**21 Monday: Saint Pius X**

8:00 am + William Zabinski *(Ann Mocarski)*

**22 Tuesday: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:00 am + Martin Minarcin *(Minarcin & Stoltzfus Families)*

**23 Wednesday: Weekday**

12 Noon + Dorothy Tumas *(Liz & Karol Kovach)*

**24 Thursday: Saint Bartholomew**

8:00 am + Paul Kochka *(Dan & Diane Pieknych)*

**25 Friday: Weekday**

12 Noon + Michael Sypulski *(Gwen)*

**27 Sunday: Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

6:00 pm + Catherine Lombardi  
*(Cathy & Paul Westendorf)*  
11:00am + Nick Loperfito *(Family)*

**VIRTUS CLEARANCE TRAINING-ST. MARGARET MARY, LOWER BURRELL**

There will be a Virtus Training Class offered at St. Margaret Mary, Lower Burrell from 10:30a.m.-1:00p.m. on Saturday, September 12th. This would be a great opportunity for those still needing clearances to take care of one of the requirements. Please call St. Margaret Mary at 724-335-2336 to register.

**50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

Bishop Malesic invites all couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary during the calendar year 2017 to participate in a special Golden Jubilee Mass to be held at the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral on Sunday, October 15, 2017 at 3:00p.m. The Jubilarians, their children, relatives or friends should contact their local parish office to register couples for this celebration no later than August 21st, 2017.

**FUSED 4 MISSION**

Thank you to everyone who has supported FUSED 4 Youth Ministry's mission to help the poor of Nigeria. Anyone who is still looking to support our mission to the poor of Nigeria please forward to the Youth Ministry Office Attn: Katie. It's not too late to donate.

**HOLY FAMILY CHURCH TOURS**

Holy Family Parish, Latrobe will begin offering guided tours of their newly restored church on Saturday, August 26th from 11:00a.m. to 2:00p.m. Future dates will be announced. Reservations are not required. For further information, please contact Charlene Nicholson @ 724-532-4135.

**FIRST SATURDAY MASS & DEVOTIONS AT DIOCESAN HERITAGE CENTER**

The Diocesan Heritage Center will continue its First Saturday Mass and devotions at the Bishop Connare Center on Sept. 2. This is in observance of the centennial anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima. The day begins with Mass in the St. Joseph Chapel at 9 a.m. and will be followed by recitation of the rosary. The Diocesan Heritage Center exhibit "Petals of Love — The Rosary in Art and Faith" will be open after the devotion and from 1-4p.m.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

Catholic Charities provides faith-based counseling for individuals, couples and families. Counseling provided by licensed, professional staff with low fees and many insurances are accepted. For more information, please call 724-334-4453.

**THEOLOGY ON TAP IN THE A-K VALLEY**

Calling ALL young adults (single, married, parents, etc.)! Join us for Theology on Tap in the A-K Valley on Thursday, August 24, at 7:00 p.m. at Garda's Restaurant (2033 State Route 66, Ford City, PA 16226). The topic of the evening is "Using Spiritual Direction to Navigate the Modern Maze" presented by Tom Octave. Food will be provided, no charge! Invite a friend! Theology on Tap is a program for Catholic Young Adults and their friends to meet together at local bars, cafes, and restaurants to listen to a speaker, share conversation, and gain new insights into the faith. Find us on Facebook at Theology on Tap in the A-K Valley. just show up!

**SISTERS OF CHARITY FUNDRAISER SEPTEMBER**

The Sisters of Charity of Seton Hill will sponsor two back-to-school cash raffle tickets in September — one ticket based on the 1 p.m. Pennsylvania 3-digit lottery and another on the 7 p.m. One thousand tickets are available for each drawing at \$10 per ticket. No prizes are awarded on Sundays. Call Sister of Charity Agnes Steedle at 724-836-0406, ext. 6646, to order tickets and for payment information. All proceeds benefit the Sisters of Charity. Tickets and money must be returned by Aug. 26

**COMBINED PARTNER PARISH PICNIC**

Our annual Parish Picnic will be held this Sunday at Kunkle Park. It will begin with an outdoor Mass at 12 noon. Food, games, and other delightful things are scheduled. Come with your family and friends. Desserts and salads are welcome.

**ST. ANNE CALENDARS**

Representatives from St. Anne's Home, Greensburg, will be here next weekend, August 26th & 27th to make available their \$25 Lottery Calendar for 2018, with 365 days possible to win. We are grateful to all who support St. Anne Home.

**CHRISTIAN MOTHERS**

The Christian Mothers of our parish are inviting ALL ladies of the parish to join them. Meetings begin with Mass on the 3rd Monday of the month. The meetings are held in the Social Hall. The first meeting of the year will be held on Monday, September 18th. All ladies are most welcome.

**YOUTH MASS & AMP**

The monthly Mass for the Youth of the parish and community will be held next Sunday, August 27th at 5:00p.m. at St. James Church, Apollo. All youth of the parish are urged to attend. Adults are also most welcome to attend.

**CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY/CATHOLIC SCHOOLS DIOCESAN COLLECTION**

Annually, a collection is taken to support The Catholic University of America and its students from around the United States. In the Diocese of Greensburg this collection is combined with a collection for the Catholic schools in the Diocese. This year fifty percent of this collection will go to support The Catholic University and fifty percent will be used to aid the Catholic schools here in our own Diocese. This appeal will take place next weekend, August 26th & 27th.



*Please Pray for the sick and Homebound of our parish family.*



**ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE**

August 26th & 27th  
6:00pm: Michaela Whaley  
11:00am: Marah & Alani Williams



**YOUTH MINISTRY**  
Katie Tylinski, Youth Director  
724-212-6740

You should be receiving

a mailing soon regarding upcoming dates etc. for the new school year. We are looking forward to an exciting year!