### Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 7, 2022

"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." -Luke 12:34



#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday** Wis 18:6-9; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2

**Monday** Dt 10:12-22; Mt 17:22-27 **Tuesday** Dt 31:1-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

WednesdayDt 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20Thursday1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16, 16:1-2FridayJos 24:1-13; Mt 19:3-12SaturdayJos 24:14-29; Mt 19:13-15

#### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

| Saturday—   | August 6  | 4:00 PM  | Janet Allen (Genny Embleton)                         |
|-------------|-----------|----------|--|
| Sunday –    | August 7  | 9:00 AM  | Mollie Flanagan (The Host Family)                    |
| Monday –    | August 8  | 12:00 PM | Rosalie Yeckinievich                                 |
| Tuesday –   | August 9  | 12:00 PM | All Souls in Purgatory                               |
| Wednesday - | August 10 | 12:00 PM | All Holy Name of Mary Parishioners                   |
| Thursday –  | August 11 | 12:00 PM | Margaret Petersen (Cheryl Kurosky)                   |
| Friday –    | August 12 | 12:00 PM | All Souls in Purgatory                               |
| Saturday –  | August 13 | 4:00 PM  | Mr. & Mrs. William Yurgatis (Wayne & Dottie Hibbard) |
| Sunday –    | August 14 | 9:00 AM  | Garrett Kelly (The Tometchko Family)                 |

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### 1st Reading: Wisdom 18:6-9

In the Book of Wisdom, the author recounts here the institution of the first Passover, prior to the Exodus from Egypt. This telling of the ancient story is renewed even today as part of the Passover celebration. Down through the millennia, this sacred bond has defined and supported God's people through good times and bad, through joy and terrible pain. Christians associate this 'bond' with the promises given to the Church, and the communion of all followers throughout the ages.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19

Just as Abraham and those who succeeded him placed their faith in God's promise, so do all Christians, finding in that faith purpose in a world that holds no promises. Just as Abraham was given a new, hopeful life by God, so are we Christians given new life in Christ, and hope in the world to come.

#### Gospel Reading: Luke 12:32-48

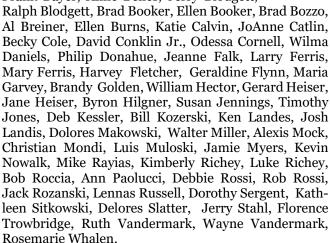
The sum of this passage is explicitly stated in the beginning: 'For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be'. Those who love and serve God are concerned with God's ways, God's teachings, and God's laws; they will always be ready, because God is uppermost in all of their thoughts and actions. In Christ, we are given a model to guide our actions, and to form and shape our love. If we treasure Jesus Christ, all of life becomes the beating rhythm of His heart.



**MEMBERS OF THE HOLY NAME OF MARY PRAYER CHAIN** are available to pray for you or your loved ones in need of prayer. Please call Maureen Van Nostrand at: 570-278-4590.

LET US PRAY THIS MONTH:

We remember in prayer those who are ill & pained in body, heart & mind. We pray especially for Betsy Arnold, Richard Arnold, Frank Bayer, Anne Belles, Jerry Blodgett,





## LET US PRAY FOR THOSE WHO PROUDLY SERVE IN THE MILITARY:

Floyd Beamer, Thomas Butler, Daniel Daly, Christopher Jordan, James Kane, Mark Nowalk, Nate Seymour, Julie Snyder, Aaron Taylor, Nancy Travis, and Travis Walter.

## PARISH FINANCES 7/31/2022

| (FY18/19 Budget)  | \$<br>(4867.00) |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| Sunday Collection | \$<br>2,854.70  |

Thank you for your generosity & support



Please remember that during these difficult times, Holy Name of Mary is relying on your continued support to meet our financial obli-

gations. Thank you!!

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Thank you to all the families who participated in the religious education program for the 2021-2022 school year. A big thank you to the religious education teachers for their support and dedication to the children of our parish.

Have a great summer! See you in the fall!

### Travelers & Vacationers

Please remember that our parish relies on your contributions, even when you are away. Thanks!!









Sunday, August 7th - 9:00AM

Isaiah Torres

Sunday, August 14<sup>th</sup> – 9:00AM

Bernadetta and Albert Paolucci

Sunday, August 21st - 9:00AM

Lee John Sullivan

Sunday, August 28th - 9:00AM

**Isaiah Torres** 

Would you like to become an Altar Server? If so, please contact Pam Tometchko at 570-278-0497 or speak to Fr. Philip directly.

### 2022 CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE "BE A CATHOLIC MAN"

The 7th annual Catholic Men's Conference, sponsored by "Be A Catholic Man", is planned for Saturday, October 8, 2022, at Holy Redeemer High School, 159 S. Pennsylvania Blvd., Wilkes-Barre. The theme, "Be Not Afraid" is under the patronage of Saint Joseph. This event (from 8 am to 3 pm) will be blessed with nationally known Catholic Speakers to be announced. Men are challenged to live virtuous lives in this secular world, --- whether single, married, or clergy, --- all are encouraged to set this date aside and attend. There will be Rosary, Eucharistic Adoration, Sacramental Confession, and lunch break. Mass will be offered by the Most Reverend Bishop Joseph Bambera. Questions, please contact Michael Kilmer, Conference Chairman, at 570-746-0100 or michaelkilmer71@gmail.com.

Important

Our 2022 Sponsorship Drive is still underway.

This fundraiser replaces the Harvest Moon Festival and your support is vitally important for the financial

health of the Parish. Contributions of any amount are greatly appreciated and we thank those who have already given. Our goal is again this year: \$25,000.

As of 7/19/2022 we have received **\$19,449** from the sponsor drive.



### **Synod Report Now Available**

For six months, people throughout our diocese responded to Pope Francis' call to the Synod on Synodality by sharing their hopes, concerns and dreams for the Catholic Church. Some participated at listening sessions, and many others through an online survey. Through this participation, many themes began to emerge.

Our Diocesan Synthesis Report representing these themes has been submitted to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, and is also available for general review. To learn more and to review the synthesis report, please visit the <a href="Synod on Synodality page">Synod on Synodality page</a> on our diocesan website, <a href="www.dioceseofscranton.org">www.dioceseofscranton.org</a>.



Encountering Christ: Music & Meditation with Fr. Ricky Manalo, CSP

The Diocese of Scranton is pleased to welcome Fr. Ricky Manalo, CSP, Ph.D., a Paulist priest, composer, theologian, and author who will be offering a concert on Friday, August 26, 2022 at 7:00PM, and a presentation for our local observance of the National Eucharistic Revival on Saturday, August 27, 2022 from 9:00AM to 12 **Noon.** The title of the two-part event is "Encountering Christ: Music & Meditation" and will be held at the Church of Saint Gregory, 330 North Abington Road, Clarks Green, PA. There is no charge for the event, but a free-will offering will be accepted. We kindly ask those attending to make a reservation at www.dioceseofscranton.org or by calling 570-207-2213. For more information, please contact David Baloga at 570-207-2213 or at davidbaloga@dioceseofscranton.org.

## **BE NOT AFRAID**

7th Annual Diocese of Scranton

Be a Catholic Man Conference

Oct. 8, 2022

Sat. 8 AM - 3:00 PM

Holy Redeemer High School

159 South Pennsylvania Ave., Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701

Fear works and the devil knows it. Today we face storms like the one on the Sea of Galilee. We ask the Lord, as the Apostles did, "Do you not care if we perish?" Christ's reply to them is the same He would give to us: "Why are you afraid? [i.e., cowardly] Have you no faith?" So, in times of crisis, Jesus challenges us not to be cowards but instead to face our fears with confidence, knowing that He has already won the victory over evil.

Sponsorships can also be made online at www.BeACatholicMan.com



Adoration, Reconciliation, Mass-Bishop Bambera, Exhibitors

Speakers: Dr. Ralph Martin • Fr. Stan Fortuna • Kevin Wells

# Register Online: BeACatholicMan.com

| Registration   | by Mail                 |  | Registration Fee: \$40 each Early Bird \$30 until 9-9-22  | Student \$15 Priest/Deacon/Seminarian FREE  |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
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| First name   | Last Name               |  | Amount enclosed \$  | (Registration Fee includes morning coffee & lunch)  |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
| Phone  |                         |  | Mail the completed form with your check or money order to:  |   |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
| Parish   |                         |  | Be a Catholic Man<br>c/oBill Leandri, Treasurer,  | Make check payable to: "Be A Catholic Man" with "Men's Conference" on memo line of the check. |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
| Address  | State Zip               |  | 239 Hayfield Rd.<br>Shavertown, PA 18708  |   |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
| Email State Zip  |                         |  | If registering more than one person, please provide the additional information on a separate sheet. |   |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
| Guest name Guest Name  |                         |  | Contact:<br>Mike Kilmer 570-746-0100  | michaelkilmer71@gmail.com   |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
|  | g a Conference Sponsor! |  | e of Sponsor to   | -   |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
| A \$100 sponsorship includes your name acknowledged in the Conference program and 1 complimentary admission pass.  Deadline for Sponsorship is Sept. 9, 2022  SPONSORSHIP ONLY: Please make check payable to Diocese of Scranton with "Men's Conference SPONSOR" |                         |  | appear in the program:  contact name:  email:  address:   |   |  |  |  |  |  |     |  |
|  |                         |  |   |   |  |  | on the memo line of the check, Return form with check to Kurt Kushner 137 Maria Blyd. Archbald, PA 18403 |  |  | ne: |  |