



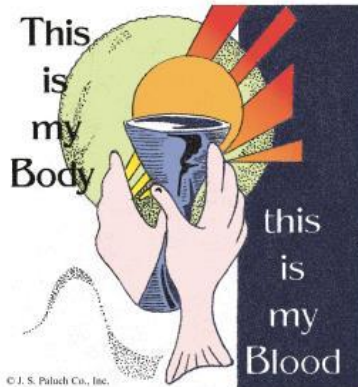
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June 19, 2022

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Today's Scripture Readings

FIRST READING: Melchizedek brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).

PSALM: You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110).

SECOND READING: Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-26).

GOSPEL: Jesus feeds the crowd with five loaves and two fish (Luke 9:11b 17).

LITURGICAL REFLECTION: THE GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST

Today we hear how Abram encounters Melchizedek, "king of Salem . . . and a priest of God Most High" (Genesis 14:18). Melchizedek appears nowhere else in scripture, but is nonetheless significant. Psalm 110 declares of the great King David, "You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek," a description later given (in the letter to the Hebrews) to Christ as High Priest.

Early Christians saw in Melchizedek's bread and wine the bread and wine of the Eucharist; Paul's account of the Last Supper (in today's second reading) is the oldest one in scripture. In the Gospel, Luke describes Jesus providing bread for a crowd in words similar to Paul's, words still used by the Church: Jesus takes bread, gives thanks, breaks it. Together, these three readings reveal how Christian priesthood, Christ's Real Presence, and the call to serve those in need are all found in the gift of the Eucharist.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR LECTORS AND ALTAR SERVERS

5:30PM	Saturday, June 25th	9:00 AM	Sunday, June 26th
Lector:	Pat Wess	Lector:	Linda Lopez

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK -- (June 20th - June 26th)

MON	06/20	7:00AM	Father's Day Triduum
TUES	06/21	7:00AM	Father's Day Triduum
WED	06/22	7:00AM. . . +	David Ferg, Jr. (Six Month Mind) - (Aunt Barbara Voci)
THURS	06/23		NO MASS
FRI	06/24	7:00AM . . +	Rosalie Verhovsek— (Hank & Ester Verhovsek Hughes)
SAT	06/25	5:30PM	For Living & Deceased Members of the Ferg/Swaney Family - (Barbara Voci)
SUN	06/26	9:00AM	Holy Souls in Purgatory - (Bob Kuhns)

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2022 Catholic Ministries Drive –
Thank you to the families who have pledged to date a total of **\$3,715.00** (44%) of our target amount of \$7,698 as of **May 31st**. Through it, your sacrificial gifts of prayer and treasure will make an immediate impact on Ministries that care for the poor, strengthen family life, nurture our youth, and provide leadership development for clergy and laity. Please prayerfully consider making a pledge according to your means so we will be able to reach that target.

Stewardship Reflections: In contemplating the stunning power show of Jesus’ power in feeding the crowd of thousands with five loaves and two fish (and some left over) it is easy to overlook an important detail for us as Christian stewards. When the apostles suggest to Jesus that He should dismiss the hungry crowd so they could go and find some dinner, Jesus had another idea. “Give them some food yourselves,” He tells them. This seemed impossible and would take great effort. Jesus is not asking the impossible, He is asking us to give Him what we do have for the sake of others and let Him do the impossible with it. This is the essence of the stewardship way of life. The sharing of ourselves and our gifts does not leave us with less, but with more. The faith community in today’s Gospel ended up with a surplus after everyone shared their gifts in Jesus’ name. May we trust that we will always have enough because we have decided to be good stewards expecting nothing in return. (*Stewardship Reflection, Catholic Stewardship Consultants, Inc. 2019/05/17*)



LAST WEEK’S COLLECTIONS

June 11th & 12th, 2021

Collection:

Weekly	\$ 1,099.50
Monthly	\$ 38.00
Building Fund	\$ 5.00
Ascension	\$ 5.00
Mission	\$ 536.00

Thank you for your continued support of St. Anne’s Parish! Please remember in your prayers the deceased parishioners and benefactors of our parish. God Bless!

VBS “A Radical Ride on the wings of prayer”. Registration forms are now available in the vestibule for Vacation Bible School which will begin on **Monday, July 18-22, 2022 from 9-11:30AM**. There is **NO COST** for this event. Completed forms can be dropped in the collection basket or mailed to the rectory office.



Cash Raffle Tickets – St. Therese is selling Cash Raffle Tickets again this year. Tickets are now available. If you are interested please contact the rectory. (814-539-7633). Tickets are \$2 each. **Winners will be drawn by Fr. Bernard on July 10th at the Summer Basket Bash**



Sincere Condolences – The St. Anne Community would like to offer our sincere condolences to the family of **Ruth Labarko**, who was called to her eternal reward this week. May God grant His eternal rest to **Ruth** and peace and consolation to her family.



Father’s Day Triduum....Father’s Day is today, June 19th! A three-day Triduum will be held honoring all the living and deceased fathers and grandfathers of St. Anne’s Church. Spiritual Bouquet cards and envelopes are available in the back of the church. They will be put on the altar for the entire month of June.

Peter’s Pence – Next week we will take up the Peter’s Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information visit www.obolodiampietro.va/en.html.

Community News & Events

Outdoor Masses – All the faithful of the Altoona-Johnstown Diocese are invited to our outdoor Masses every **Sunday evening at 7 PM** at the beautiful **Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies**. The first Mass of the season will be celebrated May 29th! Outdoor Masses will continue through Labor Day weekend-September 4th. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be celebrated in the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel. **The Chapel House of Father Demetrius Gallitzin** is not open for personal tours. However, we will be open for visiting hours this summer. The hours that one may visit the Chapel House are: June 5, June 19, July 17, July 31, August 14, and August 28 from 3PM to 6PM.

Join Fr. Brian Saylor on a Pilgrimage to Italy and Switzerland June 15-27, 2023
Experience Rome, Sorrento, the Island of Capri, the Amalfi Coast, Pompeii, Assisi, Tuscany, Florence, Venice, Milan, Lake Como, & Switzerland. Cost: \$5,199.00. Pilgrimage includes airfare from city of your choice, guide, driver, 4-5 star hotels, breakfast, dinner, and tips.
To learn more or to sign up, call Proximo Travel at 855-842-8001 or for an informational brochure contact Fr. Brian 814-355-3134 or email bsaylor@dioceseaj.org.



Coffee & Cake... will be served **this weekend (June 18th & 19th)** after each Mass in the Church Basement to celebrate with everyone in the Parish who has a birthday in June! Be sure to stop down to enjoy a sweet treat. Hope to see you there! **All are welcome!**



Food for Veterans Distribution

A Food distribution will be held in the Johnstown area for all Veterans and Military families in need at Hiram G Andrews. Dates are as follow:

June 30th, July 25th, August 26th, Sept 26th, Nov 28th, and Dec 29th from 1-3PM. For more information, please call 1-844-VLP VETS



**Families and the Gospel (Luke 9:11b-17)
Body & Blood of Christ**

In today's gospel Jesus teaches we will find abundance by sharing the little we have. No matter how little time, money or food we have, it is enough to share

Abortion: "Saying that there are too many children is like saying there are too many flowers."
—Mother Teresa

THE ANGELUS

(The Angelus is recited beginning Pentecost Sunday)

V: The ANGEL of the Lord declared unto Mary.
R: And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.
Hail Mary.....
V: Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
R: Be it done to me according to your word.
Hail Mary.....
V: And the Word was made flesh.
R: And dwelt among us.
Hail Mary.....
V: Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.
R: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ

Upcoming Dates to Remember – Mark Your Calendars!!!



July 10th
July 5th
July 9th -10th
July 18th & 19th
July 20th -- 24th

Christian Mothers Meeting
KOC Meeting 7PM – St. Therese Church Hall
St Therese Summer Basket Bash
Coffee & Cake & Celebration of June Birthdays
Vacation Bible School at St. Therese

**Wishing all Fathers, Grandfathers, Step-fathers,
Godfathers, Special Uncles, & Fathers-In-Law
a very Blessed Father's Day!**

