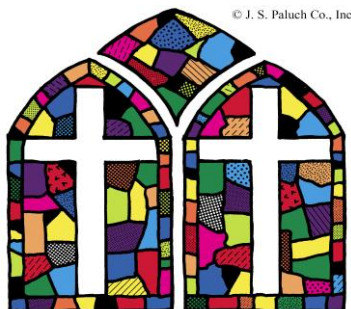


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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 18, 2023

FIRST READING: For me you shall be a kingdom of priests, a holy nation." Those are the words you are to say to the Israelites.' (Exodus 19: 2-6a).

PSALM: We are his people, the sheep of his flock (Psalm 100).

SECOND READING: — Because the loaf of bread is one, we who partake of it, though we are many, are one body (1 Corinthians 10:16-17).

GOSPEL: And when he saw the crowds he felt sorry for them because they were harassed and dejected, like sheep without a shepherd. (Matthew 9:36—10:8).

LITURGICAL REFLECTION: The Christian faithful are to be instructed that the Catholic faith teaches that Christ, whole and divine, and the true Sacrament, is received even under only one species, and consequently that as far as the effects are concerned, those who receive under only one species are not deprived of any grace that is necessary for salvation. While Holy Communion under both kinds has a fuller sign, any of the faithful who wish to receive Holy Communion under the species of bread alone are to be granted their wish. C.f. General Instruction of the Roman Missal, 2011, Number 282. . Norms for the Distribution and Reception of Holy Communion under Both Kinds in the Diocese of United States of America, 2112, Numbers 17-20.

WEEKLY PARISH EVENTS CALENDAR

MON	06/19	6:00PM . . . Summer Burger Bash Meeting Social Hall
TUES	06/20	
WED	06/21	
THURS	06/22	
FRI	06/23	
SAT	06/24	3:00PM CONFESSION
	 Coffee & Donuts after Mass hosted by the KOC
SUN	06/25 Coffee & Donuts after all Masses hosted by the KOC



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK: (June 19th – June 25th)

MON	6/19. 7:50AM. + Father's Day Triduum
TUES	6/20. 7:50AM. + Father's Day Triduum
WED	6/21. 7:50AM. + Father's Day Triduum
THUR	6/22. 7:50AM+ Marcia Lewis – (Anna Udouch)
FRI	6/23. 7:50AM+ William Kolega – (Doris & John Gritzer)
SAT	6/24 4:00PM+ Ted Figart – (M/M Urbanik)
SUN	6/25. 7:30AM. + Chuck Dzendzel – (Wife, Helen)
	. . . 10:30AM. + (A) Rosemary "Pinky" Loncella – (Cal & Beverly Dawson)

Sunday June 18, 2023

Stewardship Reflections; Jesus makes clear the connection between discipleship with him and service and leadership to those who are lost and in need. Whenever the stewards of the Church become more attentive to their own well-being than to their mission to be Christ's body in the world, they will become lost.

How are you planning to give your time, talent and treasure to the lost sheep in today's world? The Christian heart cannot be indifferent. Let your heart be moved to an act of stewardship or assistance for one of them. In your time and place, how can you respond to the call to be a laborer for the harvest? Catholic Stewardship Consultants, Inc. 2019/7/05)

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS (June 10TH & June 11th 2023)

Weekly	\$ 3,554.75
Building Fund	\$...295.00

Thank you and May God Bless you for your continued support of St. Therese Church.

Father's Day Triduum

There will be a Father's Day Triduum beginning on Monday June 19th for all living and deceased fathers and grandfathers of the parish. Cards, envelopes, and spiritual bouquets are available in the Church vestibule.



Coffee & Donuts will be served **next weekend, June 24th & 25th** in the Church Hall after all Masses, hosted by The Knights of Columbus. Be sure to stop down for a delicious donuts and good fellowship.

SUMMER BASH & BASKETS July 22nd & 23rd

Theme Basket (at least \$25.00 in value) for the basket raffle. If Basket making isn't your specialty you can make a monetary donation, we will make it for you! If you have a large family and would like to go together and donate a large prize, or if your company would be interested in donating a large prize, they would be much appreciated

Next Meeting is scheduled on Monday, June 19th at 6PM over at the Social Hall



We would like to thank all of the men and woman would came out on Thursday & Saturday to help clean up around the church's properties. We got a lot accomplished. We really appreciate everyone help. Thank you!!

"A good father is one of th most unsung, unpraised, unnoticed, and yet one of the most valuable assets in our society." ~Billy Graham

Happy Father's Day to all Father's, Step Father's, Grand Father's and God Father's, God Bless you all.



Public Rosary

Honoring the Immaculate Heart of Mary & For the Healing of Our Country Saturday, July 1st 12:00 Noon Central Park, Downtown Johnstown Thursday, July 13th - 6:30 PM St. Clement Church, Upper Yoder Twp.



Is God Calling You to Become a Deacon?

Do you believe that God might be calling you to discern the Ordained Ministry of Christ the Servant, as a Permanent Deacon in the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown? If so, you and your wife (if married) are invited to join Bishop Mark and Deacon Michael Russo at the "Bishop's Night of Vocations" on Wednesday, October 4th at 7 p.m. at the US Hotel Tavern, Hollidaysburg. Reservations for this event are required and can be made by contacting Jessica at (814) 361-2000. The deadline for reservations is Aug. 4th . For more information on the Permanent Diaconate please visit us online at www.dioceseaj.org/Diaconate/ or by contacting Deacon Michael Russo, Director at (814) 288-3036. All are welcome!



Johnstown Senior Center Grand Re-Opening
June 28, 2023

Ribbon Cutting @ 10:30AM
Cambria County Commissioners & Area Agency on Aging invite you for Free Lunch, Ice Cream Sundaes, Dancing with Rosie & the Jammers and more...



Spaghetti Dinner

The Church of the Transfiguration, 201 3rd Street Conemaugh, is having a Drive-By Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, June 25th from 10-1:30PM. Meal includes Spaghetti & Meatballs, tossed salad, dinner roll, and dessert. All for only \$8 a meal.

3rd Annual Blue Mass - Honors First Responders
You are invited to join us as we honor ALL who serve as First Responders in ANY capacity in our area at our 3rd Annual "Blue Mass" at Holy Family Parish, 425 Bridge Street, Seward on Thursday, July 20, 2023, at 7:00 PM. **Immediately following the Mass, Emergency Response Vehicles, Equipment, and K9 Officers and their handlers will be blessed.** Please call Holy Family at **814.446.5759** for **additional information or details.** This Mass coincides with the 46th Anniversary of the Johnstown Flood of 1977. All who were impacted by the flood are encouraged to join together in prayer to help remember all who suffered loss and those who served the community during that terrible disaster.

Congratulations



Congratulations to these 2023 graduates of St. Therese Parish

Pittsburgh Technical College -

Zachary Antal Bachelor of Science - Summa Cum Laude - Son of Mike & Kathy Antal

Lock Haven University-

Austin Barber Bachelor of Science - Business - Son of Sam & Carmek Barber

Saint Francis University

Jenna Stofko Bachelor of Science - Nursing - Daughter of Craig & Sandra Stofko

Duquesne University

Kaitlyn Svencer Bachelor of Science - Biochemistry - Daughter of Kristen & Bill Stenger

High School



George Churilla - Bishop McCort Catholic High School - Son of Tammy & George Churilla

Caleb Sarka - Westmont High School - Son of Patrick & Samantha Sarka

Olivia Skovensky - Conemaugh Valley High School- Daughter of Allison Skovensky

Elementary School

Morgan Brihart - Divine Mercy East Campus - Daughter of Matthew & Heather Brillhart

Pre-School

Noah Heider - Divine Mercy East Campus - Son of Carrie Heider

Dominic Kniss - Divine Mercy West Campus - Son of Phil & Laura Kniss

