

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF
NATIVITY
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
TUNKHANNOCK, PA



ST. MARY
OF THE LAKE
LAKE WINOLA, PA

SEPTEMBER 15-16, 2018



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00AM

Pastoral Council: Diane Stone, Chair

Finance Council: Chris DeMarco, Chair

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:00AM

Pastoral Council: Bernie Garvey, Chair

Finance Council: Don Ames, Chair

Rev. Patrick L. Albert, Pastor
Deacon Raymond A. Pieretti, Pastoral Associate
Rev. Dennis Bajkowski (Ret.)

Parish Office: Fr. Nallin Hall, Tunkhannock
Business Manager: Dick Schwoebel (570)677-7634
Secretary: Mary Lou Chackan
Office hours: 9:00AM – 2:00PM

WELCOME: We warmly welcome all to join us in worship of our God. If you are new to our parish community, please be sure to tell Fr. Pat that you will be joining our parish community. Contact the parish office if you have any questions. Visitor envelopes are available at all entrances.

MARRIAGE: Christian marriage is a sacred and serious commitment. Couples contemplating marriage should notify a parish priest at least nine months before the date on which they intend to marry. This should be done before any other arrangements are made so that a couple may be suitably served by the parish and diocese. All couples are required to take part in a Pre-Cana program or Engaged Encounter Weekend. **Sunday Weddings are not permitted.**

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a community journey that leads to transformation of mind and spirit. Guided by the gospel and the examples of parish members, newcomers can find their place in the RCIA community of believers and discover their own relationship with Christ. The program runs from September through Pentecost with reception of the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil. Information is available at the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Knowing the Catholic faith and tradition is essential if faith and tradition are to continue to be nourishing facets of our lives. Religious formation is valuable for both youth and adults. Classes are conducted from September to May following the 9:00AM Mass on Sunday. Information on religious education programs for youth of all ages and educational opportunities for adults are available at the parish office.

BULLETIN: If you have information that you would like to place in the bulletin (community news, society/social news, etc.), please have it at the parish office no later than Tuesday morning.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Forty-five minutes before Saturday evening Mass or by appointment.

SHUT-INS: If someone you know is unable to attend Mass but would like to receive Communion or receive a copy of our weekly bulletin, please contact the parish office.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION PROGRAM: All parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation meeting before this sacrament will be celebrated. Contact Father Pat at the parish office (570-836-3275) to schedule an appointment to discuss your child's baptism.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Visits are made on a regular basis.
PLEASE NOTE: The new privacy laws limit the amount of information that we receive from the hospitals or nursing/convalescent homes. It is necessary that family or friends notify us of these admittances.

HANDICAPPED SEATING AREA: Please note that the front pew nearest to the side door is reserved to accommodate those who have need due to disability. Please be kind enough to leave this pew available for that purpose.

PARKING LOT: [St. Mary's] Please keep the emergency lane in front of the church clear at all times. It is essential that vehicles are able to get in and out of the parking lot in case of an emergency. Please adhere to the parking spaces as delineated. Please be considerate of your fellow parishioners when you are backing up or turning to park or to exit the parking lot. There is ample parking on the upper level and supplemental parking on the side of the church.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**"TO KNOW, LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD
AND ONE ANOTHER
IN IMITATION OF MARY"**

*Approved by both Parish Pastoral Councils
January 2007*

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FROM THE DEACON'S BENCH:

My Brothers and Sisters,

Fifty-seven is not bad if that's how old you are, but if it's the temperature at 3:00PM after several days in the 90s – then I think that's pretty bad. Not just bad but chilly. Being the optimist that I am (although my family might disagree with that), I knew it would get better as the week went on. I'm trying not to cry over it being the end of summer. We find ourselves in a time of change. We have to say goodbye to the warmth and lazy days of summer and try and make peace with the approaching cool days of fall. And the signs of change are all around us.

Five months ago, I was excited to see the first robin of spring. This past week, I saw the first school bus of fall. Five months ago, I watched the first green leaves unfurl that heralded the coming of warmth and all this week I've been watching those same leaves turn yellow and fall to the ground. Five months ago, I stopped wearing a coat and now, each morning, I look for it because the air is much cooler already. Change is the one constant in our lives.

We are going through changes everywhere we look these days, whether it's in our government, our cities and towns or even in our Church. I don't know if I struggle more now because I am older, or if, like a lot of us, we just don't do well with change. Change could be called the good, the bad and the ugly (sorry Clint Eastwood). Whenever we get a promotion or pay raise at work, that's good and we're happy! When we have to pay unexpected bills, that's bad. And when our hearts are broken because of the recent ongoing scandals in the Church, well, that's really, really ugly.

Every moment of our lives, we deal with change. We can run, complain or hide from it or we can face the storms that life brings and learn, grow and become stronger because of them.

May God Bless You,

Deacon Ray



UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Mission Cooperative Program September 15-16
Capuchin Sisters Support September 22-23

MISSION COOPERATIVE PROGRAM: This weekend, our parishes will participate in the annual Mission Cooperative Program sponsored by the Diocese of Scranton to bring a discussion of the mission experience to our parishes. **Our visitor is Fr. Hermogenes Sargado, SDV, a Vocationist Father of the Society of Divine Vocations and a missionary from the Philippines. He will speak at the 5:00PM, 7:30AM & 11:00AM Masses at Nativity this weekend and at the 9:00AM Mass at St. Mary of the Lake.** On behalf of his congregation, he will share with us the missionary work of his congregation among the poor and underprivileged. He asks for your prayers and blessings of financial support to help them continue to support and educate future priests and brothers in developing countries and to continue their ministry among the poor and underprivileged.

NATIVITY FAIR RECAP MEETING: Before we get involved in other things and our memories of the Fair diminish, we will have a recap meeting to discuss what went on this year and do some advance planning for next year. The meeting will be held in **Fr. Nallin Hall on Wednesday, September 26th at 7:00PM.** Everyone who was involved with this year's Fair is encouraged to attend.

NATIVITY'S HOMEMADE PIEROGIES:

We are selling our frozen Potato and Cheese-filled Pierogies during the week at the Parish Office during normal business hours (9:00AM-2:00PM). The price still remains the same at **\$7.00 per dozen.**



CCD SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED: Nativity's CCD program is in need of **substitute teachers for all grades** starting in September. If you would like to volunteer, contact Judy Boyanowski or the Parish Office.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN: Both of our parishes are in the midst of our 2018 Capital Campaign. In the mailing that was sent to all registered parishioners, Fr. Albert highlighted the capital projects that we hope to complete this calendar year to protect and improve our parish properties. Your support is vital if we hope to achieve these goals.

If you did not receive a letter from Fr. Albert and a contribution card for the campaign, please contact Mary Lou at the Parish Office (570-836-3275) so that we can update our records. Thank you for your continued support of our parishes.

For our summer visitors and friends who would like to assist us in these projects, there are contribution cards and return envelopes at the entrances to the churches. We thank you for joining us and for your assistance in maintaining our churches.

SOCIAL JUSTICE TRUST FUND GRANTS: Both of our parishes were recently awarded grants from the Social Justice Trust Fund Grant Program, which is funded by the 2017 Diocesan Annual Appeal. **Nativity BVM received a \$2,000.00 grant on behalf of the Seven Loaves Soup Kitchen in Tunkhannock. St. Mary of the Lake received a \$2,000.00 grant on behalf of the Lower Wyoming County Food Pantry in Lake Winola.** We thank our parishioners of both parishes who volunteer their time in support of these worthy community programs.

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING: September 08-09, 2018

Nativity BVM Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 4,800.00
Actual Offertory**\$ 4,099.00
Difference:.....\$(701.00)

St. Mary of the Lake Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 2,000.00
Actual Offertory**\$ 2,204.75
Difference:.....\$ 204.75

*Weekly Collection Goal represents the amount needed weekly if we are going to make our 2018-2019 Parish Collections goal (envelopes and loose). It does NOT include Fundraising, Religious Education Income or any other income.

**Actual Offertory represents the total amount received in the weekly collection (not including Easter or special collections).

The generosity of our people is truly appreciated. We may not always reach our budgeted goals, but we are grateful to those who make a sacrifice on a weekly basis to sustain our parish ministries.

A WELCOMING COMMUNITY: *You enter this church ... not as stranger, but as a guest of God. He is your heavenly Father. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the strong and loyal ones who, in the name of Jesus Christ, built this place of worship, and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with their prayers and praise.*



HAVE YOU BEEN ASKED TO BE A SPONSOR? It is a wonderful honor to be asked to be a sponsor for Baptism and Confirmation. It signifies that you are being asked to live your life as an example and in imitation of God's love for the person you sponsor.

To serve as a sponsor, it is required that a person obtain a sponsor letter from his/her pastor. Sponsors must be at least 16 years of age, have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist, Confirmation, (If married) be married according to the regulations for marriage as provided by the Roman Catholic Church, officially registered and participating weekly in the Sunday Eucharist & actively striving to live out your own baptismal commitment to Christ.

REMEMBER HIS WILL IN YOURS: You can express your commitment to our Church by making a bequest to either Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Tunkhannock or Saint Mary of the Lake Church at Lake Winola. Simply have the following statement included in your will:

"I leave to Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Tunkhannock, PA (or Saint Mary of the Lake Church, Lake Winola, PA), the sum of \$_____ (or ___ percent of the residue of my estate) for its religious, educational and charitable works" or words to that effect.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AT NATIVITY B.V.M.

**Wednesdays
2:00 to 5:00PM**



**This is a personal invitation to you
from Jesus.
"Jesus waits for us in this sacrament
of love."
(Pope Saint John Paul II)**

ALL ARE WELCOME

Holy Hour is the Roman Catholic devotional tradition of spending an hour in Eucharistic Adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Be Silent

Be Attentive

Be Alert

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: All adult Catholics (age 18 and over) are expected to be officially registered in a Parish and participating at Mass and the other Sacraments on a regular basis. If you have graduated from College or High School and are now employed, you are expected to join on your own unless you are attending college or a trade school.

In order for a child to receive First Penance, First Eucharist or Confirmation, at least one of their parents or legal guardian must belong to and participate in our Parish. If you need to register or have any questions, please feel free to contact the Parish Office at 570-836-3275.

NOTICE REGARDING UP & OVER JR. HIGH RETREAT:

The Up & Over Jr. High School Retreat is a weekend of fun, friendship, and faith for 6th-8th grade students at the beautiful wooded Camp Orchard Hill in Dallas. You will spend time outdoors, meet new friends and learn how your God-given gifts can be used when you work with others as a team! There will also be a number of fun activities and events, including a movie, free time and an outdoor obstacle course. Come and join us for an outstanding experience. You will have a great time, meet new friends and come closer to God who loves you!

Registration includes cabin lodging, delicious home cooked meals, a t-shirt and unforgettable memories! ARRIVAL: Friday, September 28, at 7:00 p.m.

DEPARTURE: Sunday, September 30, at 12:00 Noon

COST: \$140.00 (which includes a \$70 non-refundable deposit). **Attendees will be responsible for the deposit & your parish will pay the balance.**

Deadline to register is September 21, 2018 - Register online at Up & Over. Call Shannon Kowalski at 570-207-2213 x 1155 with questions or for more information.



**ST. MARY'S AED IS LOCATED IN THE FOYER
BETWEEN THE CHURCH & HALL**

REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR: It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis or at 1-800-932-0313.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska, at 570-862-7551 or to Diocesan officials, including the Vicar General, Msgr. Thomas M. Muldowney, V.G., at 570-207-2269.

ZUMBA & YOGAFIT: Zumba classes are held on Wednesdays in St. Mary's Parish Hall starting at 6:00PM with a Yogafit class to follow at 7:00PM. The cost for each is only \$5.00 per session. We hope to see you all there!!!

THE LOWER WYOMING COUNTY FOOD PANTRY: The food pantry is open the first and third Thursday of the month. We are always in need of dessert items (cake mixes, sugar, flour, pudding, bread mixes) as these items are not purchased for the pantry shelves but are certainly enjoyed by our clients. If you or someone you know is in need, please don't hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your support.

VIRTUS: Two training sessions for adults in the Protecting God's Children (PGC-VIRTUS) program have been scheduled:

- ▶ **Monday, October 1st at Our Lady of the Snows, Clarks Summit, beginning at 6:00PM.**
- ▶ **Wednesday, October 17th at St. Paul Parish, Scranton, beginning at 6:00PM.**

Complete information is posted at: www.dioceseofscranton.org (safe environment-child protection-VIRTUS)

If you are an adult employee or volunteer who has direct contact or routine interaction with children, please make every effort to participate in this training. Your attendance is important. Thank you.

MEMBERS NEEDED FOR ST. MARY MINISTRY COMMITTEES

The Saint Mary of the Lake Parish Pastoral Council has established four Ministry Committees which will assist in developing goals for the future development of Saint Mary of the Lake as well as action plans to ensure the achievement of these goals. The Worship Committee will focus on the prayer and worship life at Saint Mary of the Lake. The Word Committee will focus on the faith education and catechesis of all parishioners at Saint Mary of the Lake. The Service Committee will focus on serving those in need, making justice a lived value at Saint Mary of the Lake. The Community Committee will work to enhance and communicate the sense of community at Saint Mary of the Lake.



We are asking that you prayerfully consider giving your time and talents as a member of one or more of these four Committees. The time commitment would be four meetings per year, not to exceed 1.5 hours in length, plus whatever other time commitment you are able to give to the process.

If you are interested in being considered for membership on a committee, please call the Parish Office at 570-378-2181 and give your name, phone number and preferred Committee. You may also contact one of the Committee Chairs directly and let them know of your interest:

- Worship Committee Chair..... Bill Waters..... 570-378-2367**
- Word Committee Chair Still Looking For a Volunteer**
- Service Committee Chair..... May Lou Franko.... 570-586-4811**
- Community Committee Chair .. Bernie Garvey 570-862-7651**

Thank you for your consideration.

2018 MASS INTENTIONS: Masses are really filling up fast! Mass intentions for the rest of 2018 and for 2019 calendar years will be booked on a first-come, first served basis. Please be sure to indicate whether each intention is for a person living or deceased, Catholic or non-Catholic. The offering for an announced Mass is \$10.00; names will be printed in the parish bulletin and announced at the Mass.

Historic sites in the diocese - there's an app for that! One of the ways we can partake in the celebration of the 150th Anniversary of the Diocese is through a visit to some of the historic sites here. The Office of Parish Life 2018 calendar features a number of those locations, and now there is a **free app** to guide you there. **The Diocese of Scranton Pilgrimage app** includes directions to each site, a description of what you will find when you arrive, a brief history, some photos and a "punch card" to help you keep track of the sites you have visited. Get the app and get on the road! (You can also use the app to enjoy a virtual pilgrimage without leaving home.) The app is easy to get: simply search for "Diocese of Scranton" on the **Android/Google Play App Store** or the **iOS/Apple App Store**.

WORKSHOP FOR MUSIC MINISTERS: The Office for Parish Life and the Scranton Chapter of the National Association for Pastoral Musicians is sponsoring a musicians' workshop with Dr. Elaine Rendler-McQueeney on **Saturday, September 29th from 9:00AM to 12:30PM at the Diocesan Pastoral Center in Scranton.** The topic of the workshop will be: *Here We Go Again: Rediscovering and Renewing Our Commitment to Music Ministry.* All cantors, choir members, choir directors, organists, pianists, and instrumentalists are encouraged to join us! This is a great way to begin a new season of music ministry in your parish! The registration fee is \$20.00, and the **deadline to register is Monday, September 24th.** To register, visit www.dioceseofscranton.org and click on 'Parish Life'.

Elaine Rendler-McQueeney is a nationally recognized musician, teacher, author, composer, pastoral liturgist and speaker. She holds a doctor of musical arts degree (DMA) in organ performance from The Catholic University of America. She is associate professor of music theory at George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia. For many years, she was the director of the Georgetown Chorale in Washington, DC. Elaine is perhaps best known as the editor of *Today's Liturgy*, the quarterly liturgy preparation magazine from OCP. She has been writing the weekly columns and music suggestions in *Today's Liturgy* for more than 30 years, offering practical wisdom to generations of pastoral musicians. Elaine leads events around the country, working with parishes and dioceses to focus on the preparation of ministers and selecting the music for the liturgy.

ST. GABRIEL'S RETREAT CENTER
631 Griffin Pond Road, Clarks Summit
FALL PREACHED RETREAT SCHEDULE

Preached retreats consist of conferences on the spiritual life, time for personal reflection, prayer, service, opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Liturgy. A deposit is required.

October 19-21

Preached Retreat for **MEN & WOMEN**
"The Passion of Jesus Christ"

Directed by Rev Richard Nalepa, CP, of St. Paul's Monastery, Pittsburgh PA

Comfortable Silence during retreat. Begins on Friday evening at 7:30pm (registration 7:00pm) and ends after the noon meal on Sunday. No meals are served Friday evening.

For more information, please call the Retreat Office: 570 586-4957 or email kporter@epix.net
Website: www.passionistnunsclarkssummit.org

"It's an universal law-- intolerance is the first sign of an inadequate education. An ill-educated person behaves with arrogant impatience, whereas truly profound education breeds humility."

— Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn

**PILGRIMAGE TO NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CANCELED**

After various promotional efforts, and an extended deadline to August 31st, the Diocese has found it necessary to cancel this event for this year. The number of potential pilgrims was quite small, and the coordinated transportation could not be arranged economically.

MONTHLY HOME VISITATIONS: On or near the First Friday of every month (weather permitting), Fr. Pat, Deacon Ray and Diane Stone visit the homebound and bring them Holy Communion. **If you or a loved one is unable to attend Mass due to advanced age, sickness or disability/handicap, and desire to receive communion at home, please contact Mary Lou at the Parish Office (570-836-3275) with your name, phone number and address and you will be placed on our monthly visitation list.**

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2019: World Youth Day will be held in **Panama City, Panama from January 22 - 27, 2019.** World Youth Day is an initiative from St. John Paul II to gather Young Catholics of the world every two to three years in a celebration of faith and culture. The World Youth Day events gather millions, including Pope Francis, young Catholics, clergy, and religious brothers and sisters.

The Diocese of Scranton is sponsoring two separate pilgrimage packages for young adults ages 18 -35. If you, or a young adult you may know, are interested in learning more about the World Youth Day Pilgrimage, contact Shannon Kowalski, Coordinator for Youth & Young Adult Ministry at (570) 207-2213 x1155 or email Shannon-Kowalski@dioceseofscranton.org.

**LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR TO HOST
FURNITURE AND HOME FURNISHING SALE**

The Little Sisters of the Poor will host a furniture and home furnishing sale **Saturday, September 22nd through Sunday, September 30th**, in the auditorium of Holy Family Residence, 2500 Adams Avenue, Scranton. The sale will take place from 8:00AM to 4:00PM, Monday through Saturday, and 12:00 Noon to 4:00PM Sundays.

The gently used sale items include recliners, living room and bedroom furniture pieces (no sets), lamps, bed linens, circular dining room tables, hardwood chairs, desks, metal storage cabinets, CDs, CD players, religious statues and a whole host of other items.

The Sisters also will sell their famous homemade scones at the event.

Please note: all items must be taken on the day they are purchased. Delivery is not available.

For more information, please call Sister Joan, L.S.P., at 570-840-6214.



**AED IS LOCATED IN NATIVITY BVM CHURCH
& ALSO IN FR. NALLIN HALL**

THE UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON SETS OPEN HOUSE DATES FOR OCTOBER 21ST AND NOVEMBER 4TH

The University of Scranton, a nationally recognized Jesuit university in northeast Pennsylvania, will host two Open House events for prospective students and their families on Sunday, October 21st and Sunday, November 4th.

For 24 consecutive years, U.S. News & World Report has ranked Scranton among the 10 top Master's Universities in the North and as a "Best Value" school for four consecutive years. The Princeton Review included Scranton in its list "Best Colleges" for 17 consecutive years and in its ranking of the nation's "Best Science Labs" (No. 16) and "Best Campus Food" (No. 15) for four consecutive years, among other rankings.

At the Open House, participants can learn about Scranton's 68 undergraduate majors, meet with faculty, students, admissions counselors and financial aid representatives. Student-led campus tours will be conducted throughout the day and will include residence halls, dining halls, computer labs, science labs and academic facilities.

In addition, representatives of student organizations, athletic teams and Scranton's programs of excellence, such as the Honors Program, Faculty-Student Research Program, Special Jesuit Liberal Arts Honors Program, Business Honors Program and Business Leadership Honors Program, will also be available. Open house includes a complimentary brunch for prospective students and their families. **Registration and campus tours begin at 9:00AM.**

For additional information, contact Scranton's Admissions Office at www.scranton.edu/admissions or call 1-888-SCRANTON.

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If you're not already doing so, you can follow Bishop Bambera on Twitter by going to:

www.twitter.com/BishopBambera

Also check out our Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/DioceseOfScranton

Other Diocesan departments are listed at:

<http://www.dioceseofscranton.org/media/social-media/>

BOY SCOUT NEWS



**Next Committee Meeting:
October 8th**

Upstairs Classroom @ Father Nallin Hall
Alison Delano, Committee Chairperson
570-233-4000 adelano1230@gmail.com

CUB SCOUT NEWS

ADULT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Fr. Nallin Hall
September 24th



BUS TRIP TO AMERICAN MUSIC THEATER'S CHRISTMAS SHOW:

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church is sponsoring a bus trip to Lancaster on **Wednesday, November 14th** to see the Christmas show **'The First Noel' at the American Music Theater**. The price of **\$116.00 covers the bus, tip for the driver, the show and a buffet dinner at Golden Corral**.

We will be **leaving** the parking lots of St. Mary's in Wyalusing at 7:15AM, St. Joachim's in Meshoppen at 7:35AM and **Walmart in Tunkhannock at 8:00AM**. There will be a breakfast stop at Lewie's in Frackville, at your own expense. We will spend some **time at Rockvale Outlet Mall** before our **3:00PM show**. Our **dinner reservation is at 5:45PM** after the show. We should **return to Wyalusing at approximately 11:00PM**.

For more information, please contact Marilyn Burton at 570-833-4851 or mammymarilyn@epix.net. For reservations, send a deposit of \$60.00 (or full amount) made out to Marilyn to:

Marilyn Burton
320 Fannon Muldoon Rd.
Meshoppen, Pa. 18630.

Seating is assigned according to receipt of reservation. Please include name, address, phone number and e-mail with your reservation. Due to an emergency on a recent group trip, I'd also like the name and phone number of an emergency contact for each person. Thank you. Marilyn

BUS TRIP TO BRANSON: From **November 3rd-11th**, there is a bus trip to Branson, Missouri. I currently need eight (8) more people to make this trip. The cost is \$869. You get eight nights in a motel, eight breakfasts, six dinners, and seven shows. The shows are 'Samson' at Sight and Sound, 'Million Dollar Quartet', the Blackwoods, Ayo-Voices of Glory, Down Home Country, the Duttons and Showboat Branson Belle. Please contact Marilyn Burton at 570-833-4851 for a flyer or more information.

PLANNING YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISM?

Here are a few things to keep in mind:

- Parents must participate in a Baptism Preparation Session with the Pastor before the Baptism date is scheduled.
- At least one Godparent must be a practicing Roman Catholic verified by the Godparent's parish.
- Parents must be registered and PARTICIPATING parishioners of Nativity BVM or St. Mary of the Lake for at least 6 months. If they are from another parish, they must have the written approval of their Pastor to have their child baptized here. The approval letter must state that they are registered and participating parishioners at that parish and provide the reason for having the baptism scheduled here (ex., out of town and family/relatives live in our area, etc.). Please call the Parish Office to schedule your Baptism appointment (570-836-3275) or for more information.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Traditional Home Health and Hospice

Come help the team that helps the community

As the volunteer coordinator at Traditional Home Health and Hospice, I would like to extend an invitation to join our team. Volunteers are an integral part of our community support network.

As a volunteer, you can expect to:

- Provide companionship to patients through conversation, reading, letter writing, music appreciation, movie/TV watching, walking or sitting outside to get some fresh air, and all sort of hobby sharing.
- Help patients and their families by running errands, doing light household chores, doing yard work, or preparing a meal.
- Provide respite to family caregivers, so they may take a break from their caregiving duties for a couple of hours, i.e., doctor appointments, errands, etc.

If you would like to volunteer, but prefer not to have patient involvement, we would gladly have you volunteer in the office assisting with various community projects.

We offer a comprehensive training program which includes both video and one-on-one training.

For more information contact Lisa Morgan at (570) 207-9286.

BATON TWIRLING LESSONS: Baton twirling lessons will begin at **Holy Rosary School**, 312 William Street, Scranton on **Mondays at 5:00PM**. Children 4 years old and older are welcome to attend. For more information or to register, please call 570-489-1935 or visit doublertwirl.com.

ANNULMENT PROCESS: Do you want to know more about the annulment process? In the Diocese of Scranton, the annulment process is now more "user friendly" than you might expect, and there is no longer a processing fee. Please contact Fr. Pat or the Diocesan Tribunal Office (570-207-2246) to begin a conversation. It is possible to get clear answers to these questions and to renew your connection with the Church.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES: The Diocese of Scranton offers compassionate counseling in a safe, comfortable environment where your privacy is always respected. Counseling is about self-discovery and can be used for personal growth or when distressing conditions exist and you need a bit of extra support. Help is available. Anyone who struggles with anxiety, depression, grief and loss, life transitions or a variety of emotional or psychological conditions is welcome. Catholic Social Services accepts Medicaid plans and some insurance plans. Counseling is made affordable for everyone. For more information or to make an appointment, call (570) 207-2283.

CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER

An Engaged Encounter is a retreat weekend for engaged couples. It is an opportunity to gather with other engaged couples, to enjoy time both in groups and alone as a couple, and to dialogue about your future married life together.

A team of married couples, as well as a priest, present ideas related to many pertinent topics. The weekend concludes with a Sunday Mass celebration. With your pastor's permission, an Engaged Encounter Weekend can qualify as PreCana preparation.

Engaged Encounter Weekends are held throughout the year, both through the Diocese of Camden and through the Diocese of Harrisburg. To learn more about Engaged Encounter, or to register for a weekend, go to <http://www.engagedencounter.org/>.

DIVINE MERCY PARISH 18TH ANNUAL CRAFT FAIR

Sponsored by the Women's Guild of Divine Mercy Parish, 312 Davis Street, Scranton, on **Saturday, September 29th from 9:00AM to 3:00PM** in the Parish Center. Do your Christmas shopping early at this great display of handmade jewelry, seasonal decorations, ceramics and gifts from 40 local crafters. Door prizes all day - bake sale - refreshments available. Admission: \$2.00.

Save the Date!

WORD Convocation (Convocation for Catechists)

Saturday, October 20, 2018

Diocesan Pastoral Center

330 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton

The Office for Parish Life invites DREs, catechists, RCIA teams, Youth Ministers, those on parish WORD Commissions and anyone engaged in Ministry of the Word to share in the WORD Convocation. The Keynote Speaker will be *Joan Weber* offering a presentation entitled, "*Calling Families to Be Living Gospels*." Joan is the Coordinator of the National Workshop Series and Lifelong Faith Formation at the Center for Ministry Development. Joan is the former president of the National Catholic Young Adult Ministry Association and content editor and author for the USCCB's book *Connecting Young Adults to Catholic Parishes*.

The day will begin at 9:00 with Mass in the Cathedral of Saint Peter, followed by the keynote presentation, lunch and a choice of workshops. Please save the date. For more information, please contact Mary Anne Malone at (570) 207-2213, ext. 1100 or MaryAnne-Malone@dioceseofscranton.org.

WEDDING BELLS: We extend our warm congratulations to **SARA DUNAY** and **PETER COOK**, who were married in Nativity BVM Church last Saturday, September 8th by Deacon Ray. May God bless them and give them many wonderful years of married life.





MILITARY HONOR ROLL
 PLEASE KEEP ALL MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY IN
 YOUR PRAYERS
 DURING THIS TIME OF UNCERTAINTY

If you have a relative or friend serving in the military,
 please let us know so that we can include their name on
 our Honor Roll

**NIGHT PRAYERS
 with DEACON RAY**

Tuesday evening prayers
4:00PM @ St. Mary's Church
 All are welcome!



PRO-LIFE ROSE

The Pro-Life red rose in front of the statue of Mary at Nativity this
 week is in memory of



**Victims of the 9/11/01
 terrorist attacks**

Donated by the Pro Life Committee

If you would like to donate for a
 Pro-Life Rose at Nativity,
 please contact Diane Stone (570-836-3055)

Seven Loaves Soup Kitchen, 54
 Warren Street in Tunkhannock
 (formerly the P&G Credit Union
 building), serves a hearty meal
 every Monday through Friday from 5:00-6:30PM. There is
 no charge and all are welcome.



Those who desire to volunteer to work at the kitchen or to
 donate food or make a financial contribution are asked to
 contact 570-996-5005 or 570-836-3145.



Line Dancing

Wednesday evening
7:00-8:30PM Fr. Nallin Hall
 All are welcome



If your child's crying or talking
 becomes excessive or disruptive to
 others, please be considerate and use
 the cry rooms in our churches.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRIES

St. Mary of the Lake
 Thursdays from 5:30-7:00PM
 in the Parish Hall

All women of the parish are invited to
 join us.

Nativity BVM

In need of a prayer shawl?
 Please call Sue Barziloski (570-836-1351)



St. Mary of the Lake Church



**"Nite at the Races"
 Saturday, October 6th
 St. Mary's Parish Hall**

Admission is \$10.00 which includes hot dogs,
 pulled pork, wimpies, salads, beverages and
 dessert all night long.

- ▶ Doors open at 5:00PM for chips & dips
- ▶ Food service begins at 5:45PM
- ▶ Races begin at 6:15PM

See the flyer inserted in this week's bulletin. You
 can name a horse in one of the races even if you
 cannot attend the event. If your horse wins, you
 collect \$50.00 as its "owner"!

All are invited to come & join us for an evening of
 great fun and excitement!

School has started

Time to review your
 safety concerns
 with your children
 and to set up a
 safety plan with
 and for them



School safety checklist:

- ▶ Talk to your teen about walking safety. Teach your
 child to remove all distractions, to walk on sidewalks
 and to look before crossing the street.
- ▶ Review texting & social networking safety tips.
 Discuss the types of information that should not be
 shared and set boundaries.
- ▶ Discuss bullying with your teen. Encourage your
 child to come to you if they ever witness a bullying act
 or become the victim of it.

**Remind your child to dial 9-1-1 in the event of an
 emergency.**

- ▶ Create a Smart911 safety profile at
www.smart911.com

to provide 9-1-1 and first responders additional
 information that can help protect your family in an
 emergency.

**As parents, our primary concern
 is the safety and welfare
 of our children.**

**THE MOST BLESSED
SACRAMENT IS RESERVED
WHERE MASS IS SAID
We respectfully ask that all
observe a reverent silence
and appropriate dress**

Sacramental Preparation

BAPTISM

Parents must be registered in the Parish. In order to understand and appreciate the Sacrament of Baptism, first time expectant parents are required to attend one pre-Baptism instruction. A call to the Parish Office 4 months before your child is due will make the scheduling of your session easier and give you ample time to prepare for this Sacrament of Initiation to the life of grace.

MARRIAGE

The engaged couple is asked to call the Parish Office and arrange an appointment with the priest. Please allow 12 months for the completion of the necessary preparations. Do not enter into any other commitments before confirming a wedding date and time in the parish.

Confession Schedule

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated **every Saturday:**

St. Mary of the Lake

..... **3:15-3:45PM**

Nativity of the BVM

..... **4:15-4:45PM**

or **at any time by appointment.**

Contact the Parish Office (836-3275).

Cemetery Lots Available

Pieta Cemetery, one of our Parish Cemeteries (located on Dark Hollow Road in Tunkhannock Township) **has burial lots available.** For further info, to view the map of available lots and to inquire about prices & regulations, please contact our Parish Secretary, Mary Lou, at the Parish Office (570-836-3275).



Nativity BVM CCD News

CCD will begin at Nativity BVM next Sunday, September 23rd. Registration forms are available online or in the back of the church. Each child needs to have a registration form as well as a social media form completed. **Students in Confirmation also need to complete these forms.**

The fee will remain the same as in previous years. It is \$20.00 for one child, \$35.00 for two children, and \$50.00 for three or more children.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 570-240-2094.

Mrs. B

Nativity BVM First Communion News

As we approach the new school year, we would like to extend an invitation not only to current 2nd graders, but also to any 3rd through 7th graders who have not yet had the opportunity to receive First Reconciliation and First Communion.

Parents/Guardians, please know that your older students are just as welcome to join our First Communion class in order to have an opportunity to work toward the beauty that is receiving Jesus at Mass. Please contact Judy Boyanowski at (570)240-2094 with any questions and to have your child included in such an amazing journey of faith. Thank you!

Community News

The Humane Society of Wyoming County will sponsor a **rabies vaccination clinic for dogs and cats on Saturday October 13th from 9:00AM to noon** at the Dept. of Agriculture building on Route 92 in Tunkhannock. \$8.00 per shot (cash only). **For more info, call 570-836-4745.**



as seen on TV - Only **\$5.00**
Available at the Parish Office

St. Mary of the Lake CCD News

This Sunday, September 16th, is Catechetical Sunday. Teachers will be installed at the 9:00AM Mass. **CCD classes begin following the Mass.**

All children attending CCD must be registered. Forms are available on our website & will be available in the hall when classes begin.

God bless,

Jenny Sinker

Words of Life

"Sometimes our actions speak for themselves; other times, words are needed. Whatever the situation, Jesus knows how to speak to each person's heart; we simply need to follow where he leads."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
"How to Build a Culture of Life,"

Have You Moved?

If you have recently moved **or had an address change**, please contact the parish office at 570-836-3275 so that our records may be updated. **If we don't have a mailable address on file for you, we will have to remove your name from our parish roster.**



Parish Bulletin Advertising

Space is currently available in our weekly parish bulletin for your business advertisement. Contact our Parish Business Manager, Dick Schwoebel, at (570) 836-3275 or (570) 677-7634 for information and pricing. Various sizes are available; the cost is reasonable.

PRO LIFE CORNER

THOUGHT FOR REFLECTION

"No child is an inconvenience"

"You need no words from me to see how the decision in Roe v. Wade has deformed a great nation. The so-called right to an abortion has pitted mothers against their children and women against men. It has portrayed the greatest of gifts - a child - as a competitor, an intrusion and an inconvenience."

Mother Theresa
Saint Theresa of Calcutta

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE - WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

SATURDAY	SEPT	15	4:00PM	JOSEPH FRANKO – OFFERED BY JOE & NANCY SCHIAVONE
SUNDAY	SEPT	16	9:00AM	SANFORD & HELEN VANDERVEKEN – OFFERED BY THEIR FAMILY
MONDAY	SEPT	17	8:00AM	NO MASS
TUESDAY	SEPT	18	8:00AM	ELEANOR HELLER – OFFERED BY ALLEN & KATHY WALL
WEDNESDAY	SEPT	19	8:00AM	NO MASS
THURSDAY	SEPT	20	8:00AM	"ANGEL" - OFFERED BY LINDA LONG
FRIDAY	SEPT	21	8:00AM	NO MASS
SATURDAY	SEPT	22	4:00AM	LUCY POLAK – OFFERED BY RICK & MARY LOU FRANKO
SUNDAY	SEPT	23	9:00AM	CHRISTINE VANDERVEKEN – OFFERED BY HER FAMILY

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

SAT SEPT 15 & SUN. SEPT 16

**EUCCHARISTIC
MINISTER(S)**

LECTORS

**ALTAR
SERVER(S)**

USHERS

GREETERS

OFFERTORY GIFTS

COLLECTION COUNTERS

SATURDAY 4:00PM

DEACON RAY
SEAN PIERETTI
PETER POLINSKY
MARY LOU FRANKO
ALEX PIERETTI
IRENE PIERETTI

JIM BILLINGS & BILL SHAW

JANET SHAW

SELECTION BY USHERS

SUNDAY 9:00AM

LEN NASH
TOM WOLFF
ELLEN WENGEN
LYNN BERKHIMER
MASON BERKHIMER
OWEN BERKHIMER
TYLER BERKHIMER
DAVID SINKER & DJ SINKER
BILL WATERS
SELECTION BY USHERS
JACK HADDOW & LEN NASH

SAT. SEPT 22 & SUN. SEPT 23

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SATURDAY 4:00PM

BOB ANDREWS
LISA JANOSKI
CARMEL WILLIAMS
DON AMES
JEWEL STOVER

BERNIE GARVEY & CARL PACKER

PEG GARVEY

SELECTION BY USHERS

SUNDAY 9:00AM

ANN MARIE GORKO
PETER POLINSKY
JOAN STROKA
NICK MIGLIORI
ASHLEY KENIA
RACHEL KENIA
ANTHONY WILLIAMS
RANDY PIERETTI & STEVE ZDANIEWICZ
JOHN HARRIS
SELECTION BY USHERS
JACK HADDOW & KAY NOREIKA

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole who healed those who believed. Amen.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

--- THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED, ESPECIALLY: SANDRA SLOWEY, LORI PIERCE, LISA FREITAS, TRACY IRISH, CHRISTINA REEVES, JACKI NIERATKO, CARMEN PIERCE, ELAINE HUG, CHASE RUSSELLO, ANNETTE SMITH, LYNN POLLINI, AVA MASON, LYNN McGLYNN, BONNIE KILGANNON, MSGR. DAVID L. TRESSLER, RUSTY PERKINS, JULIA KAIFER, MICHELLE HUERBIN, JENNIFER BUNNELL, JOSEPH PIERCE, THELMA SHEBBY, EDD KILGANNON, AUDREY DAVIS, SHIRLEY ROCHA, DOT JOHNSON, JAMES DOUGHERTY, JESSICA MIGLIORI, STACIE MAGNECZ, TAMMY MIGLIORI, CAROLLYN DAVIS, LINDA ZALEWSKI, MELISSA HENNING HILL, MICHAEL BOGDON, JANET EVANS, ZACHARY WILLIAMS, KERSTIN LEE MIGLIORI, PAT STEAD, BILL STEAD, RON GORKO, KATIE PACKER, PETER POLINSKY, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., ANN SMITH, DELORES HEAGY, FRAN MOLLUSKY, PEARL PIERCE, BERNICE BURANICH, CEIL IGNATOVICH, MARY PETERSEN, LOUIS C. POLLINI JR., SUE MIGLIORI, JOE SCHIAVONE, LINDA NIEMIEC, CAROLE GREENIP, JANE CAWLEY, FLORENCE KEYES, JEROME LAMONICA, JEAN LAMONICA, THEO FREAR, BROGAN PERFILIO, RON WILLIAMS, DICK & FLORENCE KELLY.

--- THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED AND THE NEEDS OF OUR PARISH AND PARISHIONERS

PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE (378-2181) IF ANYONE IS HOSPITALIZED OR ILL OR IN NEED OF PRAYERS.

SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN DURING THE WEEK OF
SEPTEMBER 16TH FOR **MARYANN KASZUBA**
OFFERED BY HER HUSBAND GEORGE

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering \$2,204.75

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE CALENDAR

<p>SEPT. 16 INSTALLATION OF CCD TEACHERS/ CLASSES BEGIN</p> <p>SEPT. 18 REDECORATION COMMITTEE MTG. – 6:30PM – HALL</p> <p>SEPT. 23 CCD CLASS</p> <p>SEPT. 30 CCD CLASS</p> <p>OCT. 06 NITE AT THE RACES – 5:30PM</p> <p>OCT. 07 CCD CLASS/BLESSING OF ANIMALS – NOON</p> <p>OCT. 14 CCD CLASS/BABY ITEMS FOR BIRTHRIGHT</p> <p>OCT. 21 CLASS/ CONFIRMATION ENROLLMENT MASS/ CLASS MASS</p> <p>OCT. 23 MINISTRY COMMITTEE MTG. – 6:30PM – HALL</p>	<p>OCT. 28 CCD CLASS/HALLOWEEN FUN</p> <p>NOV. 04 CCD CLASS</p> <p>NOV. 11 CCD CLASS</p> <p>NOV. 18 CCD CLASS/CONFESSIONS/6TH GRADE CLASS MASS</p> <p>NOV. 25 NO CCD CLASS</p> <p>NOV. 27 PARISH COUNCIL MTG. – 6:30PM – HALL</p> <p>DEC. 02 CCD CLASS/CONFESSIONS</p> <p>DEC. 09 CCD CLASS/CONFESSIONS</p> <p>DEC. 16 7TH GRADE CLASS MASS/CHRISTMAS PROGRAM @ 10:30AM/DESSERT RECEPTION</p>
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NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASS SCHEDULE – WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

SATURDAY	SEPT	15	5:00PM	ALBERT & VERONICA SHERIN – OFFERED BY THE ECKERT FAMILY
SUNDAY	SEPT	16	7:30AM	JOSEPH FRANK – OFFERED BY HIS PARENTS
			9:00AM	ROGER & JOAN BETTS – OFFERED BY THEIR DAUGHTER HEATHER BETTS
			11:00AM	JOHN & RETA KUFFA – OFFERED BY STEVE, DEBBIE, DESIREE & STEPHANIE GOBLE
MONDAY	SEPT	17	7:00AM	BOB BARZILOSKI – OFFERED BY SUSIE
TUESDAY	SEPT	18	7:00AM	NO MASS
WEDNESDAY	SEPT	19	7:00AM	LOIS VANHORN – OFFERED BY FRANK, LOIS, LUKE & KATIE ROGERS
THURSDAY	SEPT	20	7:00AM	NO MASS
FRIDAY	SEPT	21	7:00AM	JOHN LALLEY – OFFERED BY THE MIRABELLI FAMILY
SATURDAY	SEPT	22	5:00PM	SAL SCATURRO – OFFERED BY PAT SCATURRO
SUNDAY	SEPT	23	7:30AM	JOSEPH MIRABELLI – OFFERED BY THE MIRABELLI FAMILY
			9:00AM	LUCY GRABNER – OFFERED BY HER FAMILY
			11:00AM	TRUDY FISK – OFFERED BY LYLE & GRACE STURDEVANT

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

SAT. SEPT 15 & SUN. SEPT 16	SATURDAY 5:00PM	SUNDAY 7:30AM	SUNDAY 9:00AM	SUNDAY 11:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	GARY TEWKSBURY CINDY BROWN CHARLOTTE SMITH	DEACON RAY TAMMY NUDO ALISHA NUDO	DEACON RAY CARL SHINKO ROY BRODY	DEACON RAY DIANE STONE GRACE STURDEVANT
LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)	DAVID KUFFA ANTHONY ECKERT ALYSSA KOVALCHICK LAUREN KOVALCHICK	CHRIS DeMARCO LEAH DeMARCO NICHOLAS DeMARCO SARAH DeMARCO	RITA FITZGERALD MARCUS BINNER PAUL BINNER EVAN BRODY	MEGHAN KEISER IAN BURKE MAIA BURRY KATHRYN CUSATIS
OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS R. ROWE, T. DEITZER, W. WALKER	SELECTION BY USHERS
SAT. SEPT. 22 & SEPT. 23	SATURDAY 5:00PM	SUNDAY 7:30AM	SUNDAY 9:00AM	SUNDAY 11:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	GARY TEWKSBURY CINDY BROWN SUSAN BARZILOSKI	NAN DeMARCO AGNES MASSACESI MARY ROBBINS	DEACON RAY RITA FITZGERALD GENE SCHWEITZER	DEACON RAY DOLORES MANGANELLA LISA RANSOM
LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)	PAT MURRAY CORA MILNER HANNAH MILNER JACK ZEUNEN	SUSAN BARZILOSKI JOSEPH COLAVITTI ELIZABETH DeMARCO GRACE HARDING	ART DAVIS MOLLY KEISER BRETT SICKLER MICHAEL SICKLER	DAVID KUFFA HELEN BELLUCCI THOMAS BELLUCCI JOSEPH CASEY
OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS B. KIRBY, W. OLIVER, R. THORNE	SELECTION BY USHERS

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

----- **THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED**, ESPECIALLY: CAROLYN MYERS, ELISSA ROSE, LYLE STURDEVANT, MARYN KUKUCHKA, LILLIAN KRISTUNAS, JENNIFER BUNNELL, RITA BERCHEM, MARIE STAIR, MARY ANN BROWN, ELIZABETH CALLAHAN, RICHELE MORTIMER, SHERI RAIL, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., CHERYL MacDONALD SWEET, AIDAN HOLMAN, TRISTAN EVANS, JOSEPH E. QUINN, ANGELIQUE ALEXANDRA PREVOST, HEATHER STEGNER, MARGE HOLUB, BEN BROWN, ELEANOR FOSTER, MATTHEW LEWIS, DONALD TRAVER, DAWN DOMMES, MICHELLE HUERBIN, CAROLYN ROZANSKI, MARGARET KINTNER, DON WHITE, MARY KUKUCHKA, EMMY COIA, DARRIN McGAVIN, FATHER BILL WILSON, EDWARD KIMBEL, CHERYL SANDS, MARY DELMAR, CHARLES CAREY, CLETUS MacDONALD, NANCY ROBINSON, SUSAN BOLOUSKI McANDREWS, GARRET CONOVER, ANALISA DOMINIC, LUCAS SETH BOYANOWSKI, BILL IVEY, VERNA PRAWDZIK, CAROL McGINLEY, MATTHEW FORTESI, JACOB WALTER CURTIS, ARTHUR BUNNELL, TED BUNNELL, HELEN TALARICO, PAUL GOODRICH, MYRON LaBAR, TIKI LYONS, GRACE STURDEVANT, CAROL COBB, BRENT RANSOM, JEAN YABLONSKI, AUSTIN THOMAS, JIM BORDEN, JERRY STROKA, LINDA NIEMIEC, DIANE THOMPSON, ROSEANN GEORGE, SHELLIE SEYMORE, MARILYN BRODY, MONTANA COLE, CAROL GAYLORD, CHRIS OLSHAN, JR., HELEN RAIL, CHARLOTTE SMITH, FLORENCE KEYES, LINDA RUEHLMAN, ROY PREVOST, ALLEN KEYES, CATHERINE LITWIN, JUDI HOWE, LEAH WILSEY, ANN ZACKARIAS, CHRISTOPHER BELL, NATHAN DELMAR, LINDA, KATHLEEN ALTEMUS, CARL ALTEMUS, MARY LOUISE BECKETT, PAULA MOELLER, GEORGE ZALDONIS, PAT STASCAVAGE, JOHN RUEHLMAN JR, MICHALINE WIERNUSZ, WALTER ZOLA, MARY BOLOUSKI, PEGGY FINNEGAN, JIM RAIL SR., JOAN STEPHENS.

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SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE WILL BURN DURING THE WEEK OF
SEPTEMBER 16TH FOR **MARK CORBY**
OFFERED BY HIS MOM, IRENE CORBY

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering \$4,099.00

NATIVITY BVM CALENDAR

SEPT. 22 TEACHER INSTALLATION – 5:00PM MASS	NOV. 04 CCD CLASS
SEPT. 23 CCD BEGINS	NOV. 11 CCD CLASS/2ND GRADE CLASS MASS – 9:00AM
SEPT. 25 SPECIAL PARISH COUNCIL MTG. – 6:30PM – RECTORY	NOV. 18 CCD CLASS
SEPT. 26 FAIR FOLLOW UP CRITIQUE MTG. – 7:00PM – FNH	NOV. 25 NO CCD CLASS/ THANKSGIVING VACATION
SEPT. 30 CCD CLASS	
OCT. 07 CCD CLASS	DEC. 02 CCD CLASS
OCT. 14 CCD CLASS/7TH GRADE MASS – 9:00AM	DEC. 09 CCD CLASS/6TH GRADE MASS – 9:00AM
OCT. 21 CCD CLASS	DEC. 16 CCD CLASS/CLASS PARTIES
OCT. 28 CCD CLASS	DEC. 23 NO CCD CLASS
	DEC. 30 NO CCD CLASS