

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Monday, July 9th

6:30AM Anthony Gargiule, III

Tuesday, July 10th

6:30AM Mark Heineman

Wednesday, July 11th

6:30AM McKeown Family

Thursday, July 12th

6:30AM James & Kathleen Keegan

Friday, July 13th

6:30AM Anthony T. Gargiule, III

Saturday, July 14th

8:30AM Fred Fisher

5:00PM Saturday Evening Vigil

Sunday, July 15th

Sunday Masses: 6:30, 9:30 and 11:30AM

Saturday, July 14th & Sunday, July 15th

5:00PM Msgr. Vogan

6:30AM Fr. Speziale

9:30AM Msgr. Vogan

11:30AM Fr. Pawelko



Please remember in your prayers all our sick:

Brian Allison, Anne Arner, Leon Arnold, Bob Belczyk, Kevin BeVier, Tom Boden, Jack Boyette, Dominic Branca, Theresa Bucella, Paul Bufano, Sophia Bufano, Virginia Burbage, Greyson Burke, Cathy Carrol, Susan Crowley, Anne Davis, Thomas Duggan, Greg Dulaney, Amanda Durkholder, Kelly Eberz, George Edelmann, Joseph Eichinger, Sharon Feist, Eugene Fisher, Laurie Frost, Kim Fry, Eleanor Galbraith, Margie Gargiule, Daniel Garvin, Joe Glowacki, Karen Gormley, Anne Hagg, Helena Hart, Conall Harvey, Ilene Haschak, Charles Hee, Sylvester Jenifer, Rosemarie Johnson, Regina Johnson, Jennifer Kelly, Lizzy Kelly, Shyla Kelly, Robert Kester, Ralph King, Joseph Klecko, Tim Lamanna, Danielle Lever, Audris Lichota, Thomas Luke, Debra Mallon, Bob Magolon, Brenda Magolon, Barbara Magozzi, Margaret Mahoney, Robert Malin, Ann Manco, Patricia Marconi, Tom Marley, Thomas Marshall, Mary Mascioli, Cameron McCarthy, Nan McGroary, Dan McKenna, Joey McLaughlin, Leonard Middleton, Gina Miller, James Moran, Susan Mullen, Phyllis Myers, Christina Nesmith, Julia Newell, Anthony Oswald, Louisa Pacubas, Richard Parker, Charles Piccara, Jr., Charles Piccara, Sr., Eileen Posner, Anne Powers, Claire Powers, Ann Pyne, Helen Raftovich, Loretta Ricciardi, Paul Riggs, Bill Robb, Anita Rossi, Sharon Rowles, Christine Samuels, Candy Santos, Patricia Schmidt, Lauren Schaizza, Dimietri Sfakianakis, Diane Shaefer, Kathy Shiels, John Smith, Rosemary Smith, Thomas Smith, Kathleen Stacklass, Patricia Starkey, Jerry Sullivan, Kayla Taylor, Robert Taylor, Jose Tavarez, Lauren Thomas, Virginia Tracy, John Tully, Diane Weverling, Cheryl Allison-Webber, Nancy Williams, Hana Yago, Michelle & Robert Yanuzzi, Angie Zuccarino

Please pray for our beloved deceased.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, July 9th

10:00AM - Marion Movement of Priests - Mary's Chapel

7:00PM - Knights of Columbus - Neumann Room

Tuesday, July 10th

9:00AM - 5:00PM - Adoration - Mary's Chapel

10:00AM - Flame of Love - Mary's Chapel

1:00PM - Holy Hour of Reparation - Mary's Chapel

Thursday, July 12th

1:00PM - Marian Movement of Priests - Mary's Chapel

5:30PM - Music Ministry - Church

6:30PM - Boy Scouts - Hall

Friday, July 13th

5:30PM - Music Ministry - Church

Sunday, July 15th

1:00PM - Baptism - Church

7:00PM - Mom's Group - Neumann Room

SUNDAY COLLECTION

The collection for last Sunday will be published next weekend, due to the early bulletin deadline for the Fourth of July Holiday.

Thank you for your generosity to your parish!

Thank You for your Support!!



ADULT ALTAR SERVERS

We are looking for adult volunteers who would be free to serve weekday/weekend funerals at the parish. If you are interested, please call the rectory.

Eucharistic Ministers



We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers to bring the Eucharist to our HOMEBOUND parishioners. Volunteers would be members of a team, who work in rotation and are assigned homebound parishioners to visit.

You would be assigned on an average of once a month to visit the shut-ins on a Saturday or Sunday. *Please contact the rectory if you think you would like to be part of this much needed ministry.*



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS FALL 2017 – EASTER 2018

R.C.I.A. is the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. Through this process, we hope to be able to meet the needs of the following people 16 years of age or older:

Have you been worshipping with us, but never officially took the step to become Catholic?

Have you been a Catholic all your life, but never celebrated all the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation?

Have you been away from the church, returned and would like to know more about the Catholic Church?

If any of these questions apply to you, you might want to consider participating in the R.C.I.A. process. Or, if you know of anyone who could answer yes to any of these questions, perhaps you could extend an invitation to them.

If you are interested and have questions, or would like to register, please call the rectory office at 610-497-3340. R.C.I.A. classes are held one evening each week from 7:00PM until 8:30PM. The classes begin in October and end at the Easter Vigil.

There is no cost for the R.C.I.A. program and all materials will be provided.



The First Reading from the prophet Ezekiel tells of how Ezekiel was called by God. The Lord speaks to him and says, "Hard of face and obstinate of heart are they to whom I am sending you." God knew He was not giving Ezekiel an easy task, but that is part of what being called by the Lord sometimes involves.

Being called is something to which we often make reference, as each of us is called in Baptism. St. Paul once wrote that we are "called to belong to Jesus Christ." That is what we are all to do as baptized Catholics. Being a disciple is a challenge.

God does not forsake us when we are called, just as He did not abandon Ezekiel. He is with us through the Holy Spirit to strengthen us and assist us. We must allow the Lord to help us. At the same time, we must strive to be disciples of the Lord. We are called to spread the light of the Gospel in everything we do.



Anyone requesting the transportation services of H.O.P.E. July 9th to Friday, July 13th should call team captain: **Team 3: Lynne Harrison 610-494-4699.**

This number is for **THIS WEEK ONLY.**

There are no rides on July 4th.

Please give 24-48 hours notice!

ONE ride per week.



2018 FALL PRE-CANA CLASS

Classes run on **MONDAY** nights:

October 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th

7:00PM-8:45PM.

(Couples must attend all four classes.)

Cost is \$75.00 per couple.

FOCCUS SURVEY

All couples must complete this survey on-line prior to Pre-Cana Classes. Contact the rectory if you are taking the Pre-Cana class at another location. If the Pre-Cana class you registered for does not include the FOCCUS survey you will have to make arrangements to take the survey. Cost is \$15.00. **FOCCUS survey MUST be complete by September 10th.**

Please contact the rectory to register: 610-497-3340 or email stjoseph256@comcast.net please provide both bride and grooms email address for the survey.



OFFERTORY GIFTS

Are you or a family member celebrating a Birthday or Anniversary? Why not make the day even more special by taking up the Offertory Gifts at the Mass you are attending. If you would like to participate please let one of the ushers know before Mass begins.



HERSHEY PARK

SUMMER

CYO IS SELLING HERSHEY PARK TICKETS

The CYO is selling Hershey Park Tickets for \$40 for the 2018 Season. Tickets may be used through 9/30/18.

Please contact Craig Smith at esmith1321@comcast.net or 484-343-6464.

Aid For Friends



Please if you are able to make an extra portion of your evening meal for our shut-ins. Trays and soup containers are available in the lower church kitchen. If you have any questions, please call Ralph at 610-494-4428.

St. Joe's number is 42, please note on all meals.



EMAILADDRESS

We are in the process of catching up with modern technology and would like your help. If you are a registered parishioner and would like to be notified electronically of upcoming events and parish information. Please email the business manager with your name, address and permission to use your email address at: stjosephbusmgr@comcast.net.

S U M M E R



THE HEAT IS ON...do you need a new air conditioner or fans?

LOWES- HOME DEPOT- WALMART

PLEASE stop by the Rectory BEFORE you shop and purchase gift cards for all your SUMMER needs.

Please stop by the rectory next time you are going to the supermarket or are in need of a gift card.



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Please contact us at 610-494-0147.

**Holy Family Regional Catholic School
Job Opportunity – Maintenance Person**

We are looking to hire a Maintenance Person for a part-time position (25 hours a week). The Maintenance Person is a paid employee of the school and receives a salary and benefits. The Maintenance Person must have all clearances listed on the Holy Family website under Resources for Parents, Safe Environment.

The job of General Maintenance Worker provides maintenance services as needed and/or assigned. He/She assists in a wide variety of maintenance activities; addressing immediate operational and/or safety concerns; assisting skilled trades; and ensures that tools and materials are maintained in good working order.

Contact Person: Kristy Cobb, kcobb@holyfamilyaston.org, 610-494-0147 x4



ELECTRONIC GIVING

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Considering scheduling a recurring contribution today. When circumstances prevent you from attending your electronic contributions will continue to be received on an uninterrupted basis. Please sign into our website www.stjosephaston.org the electronic giving link is on the bottom left hand side of the tabs. Just click and provide the necessary information. It only takes minutes. Thank you for your support!

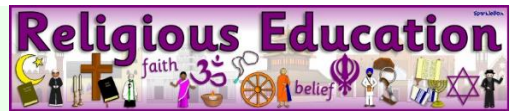


**Mass Monday through Friday is at 6:30AM
Saturday 8:30AM**



SUMMER RECTORY HOURS

**Monday through Friday: 9:00AM to 4:00PM
Saturday: 9:00AM - 6:00PM
Sundays: 9:00AM - 11:30AM**



**PREP REGISTRATION
FOR 2018-2019**

Returning student's registration forms have been mailed to your homes, if you did not receive your registration contact Mrs. Tracey.

Early registration deadline is June 30th

NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION forms are available for children entering 1st grade or new to the parish by contacting Ms. Tracey at 610-497-8890 or email stjosephbusmgr@comcast.net

**WANNA GET...
SHIPWRECKED?**



Join us at St. Joseph's
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Shipwrecked - Rescued by Jesus
August 6th – August 10th
9:00AM – 12:00Noon
\$40. per child
Games, Tee Shirt, Treats, Music, Experiments, and Adventures!
Ages 4 years old to entering 5th grade.

VOLUNTEERS WELCOME
Ages entering 6th grade to whenever!!!
Call Ms. Maugeri at 610-494-4358 or email c.maugeri@comcast.net

Registration forms available at the rectory.



**Trip to Italy with Two Fun Priests
November 4-14th 2018**

Group trips usually have you running and rushing through a whirlwind of sites. Our Trip is uniquely different! We stay only in 3 luxury hotels the entire time. We get to know the local flavors by taking our time. We have daily mass, meals and personal guides throughout. Travel with **Father Jim DeGrassa and Father Matt Tralies** for the trip of a lifetime. Contact Susan from Select Tours by calling: 800-842-4842 or susan@selectintl.com, www.selectinternationaltours.com.