

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Monday, July 30th
6:30AM Marie Payne

Tuesday, July 31st
6:30AM Helen Korzik

Wednesday, August 1st
6:30AM Cornelius Grogan

Thursday, August 2nd
6:30AM Joan Maloney

Friday, August 3rd
6:30AM Eugene & Veronica Slesicki

Saturday, August 4th
8:30AM All Priests & Religious
5:00PM Saturday Evening Vigil

Sunday, August 5th
Sunday Masses: 6:30, 9:30 and 11:30AM

Saturday, August 4th & Sunday, August 5th

5:00PM	Fr. Pawelko
6:30AM	Fr. Pawelko
9:30AM	Msgr. Vogan
11:30AM	Msgr. Vogan



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, 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, Sue Lallo, Tim Lamanna, Danielle Lever, Betty Lewis, 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 Tavaréz, 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 especially:
James McGinn

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, July 30th
10:00AM - Marion Movement of Priests - Mary's Chapel

Tuesday, July 31st
10:00AM - Flame of Love - Mary's Chapel
1:00PM - Holy Hour of Reparation - Mary's Chapel

Thursday, August 2nd
1:00PM - Marian Movement of Priests - Mary's Chapel
5:30PM - Music Ministry - Church
7:00PM - Pre- Jordan Class - Neumann Room
7:00PM - Boy Scouts - Hall

Friday, August 3rd
5:30PM - Music Ministry - Church

Sunday, August 5th
1:00PM - Baptism - Church
7:00PM - Mom's Group - Neumann Room

SUNDAY COLLECTION

The collection for last Sunday amounted to \$14,157.
Thank you for your generosity to your parish!



PARISH TITHING

Recently we have distributed \$14, 000.00 to the following missions:

CityTeam
Bernadine Center
St. Francis Inn
Missionaries of Charity
Anna's Place
Little Sisters of the Poor
St. Katharine's Food Pantry
Mission Santa Maria
St. John's Hospice

**As a tithing parish we ask everyone to consider tithing.
To be consistent, the parish tithes its income.**



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 visiting our homebound. 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 2018 – EASTER 2019

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.



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 1st.**

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.



Anyone requesting the transportation services of H.O.P.E. July 30th to Friday, August 3rd should call team captain: **Team 6: Donna Covell 610-497-1834 or Lynne Harrison 610-494-4699.**

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

Please give 24-48 hours notice!

ONE ride per week.



In today's Gospel, Elisha commanded that a small amount of bread be served to 100 men. Elisha's request is met with doubt and unbelief, but Elisha reminds them, "For thus says the Lord, 'They shall eat and there shall be some left over.'" And indeed there was.

Elisha trusted that promise, acted upon it, and saw the promise miraculously fulfilled. We, like most people, tend to forget that God can multiply food like this. If we trust in God and live as good stewards, what we accomplish is, in its own way, a miracle.

The main focus of today's Gospel is Jesus' miracle of feeding the 5,000, but Philip plays an important role in what we are being taught. The Lord speaks specifically to Philip asking: "Where can we buy enough food to eat?" Jesus knew full well what miracle He was about to perform, but He also saw this as a chance to teach His Apostles, and us, too. Philip and the others had already seen Jesus perform many miracles, and there should have been no question in his mind about the divine resources Jesus had at His disposal. Yet, Philip hesitated. It is human nature to hesitate, to perhaps doubt, when it comes to believing and trusting.

Even the Lord's closest followers could not really believe. But through this miracle, Jesus is teaching us to trust Him and to do the same in our lives. And, by committing ourselves to a stewardship way of life, we can see our own gifts multiplied. And perhaps even perform our own modern-day miracles.



EMAIL SCAM ALERT

Msgr. Vogan and pastors from other parishes have been victims of an email hack.

If you receive an email from Msgr. Vogan, please hit the SPAM button IMMEDIATELY !

Emails are being generated in his name under various addresses asking for financial help. These emails ask for you to purchase gift cards and take a photo with your phone of the back of the card or provide monies by responding to the email.

If you open the email you will receive several other emails from different addresses using Msgr. Vogan's name. PLEASE hit the SPAM BUTTON for any emails appearing to be from Msgr. Vogan.

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. 107-2



GOING ON VACATION

We have gift cards for all you vacation needs!

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.



EMMAUS HOUSE

Dutton Mill Road, Aston

Emmaus house for Adults with Intellectual Disabilities has Residential Group Homes, Adult Day Programming, Home & Community Habilitation now in Aston. **They are in need of both Volunteers and Employees.** Hours are weekdays from 9:00AM until 3:00PM

If you would be interested in this important and fulfilling work please call 484-490-5623.



HERSHEY PARK TICKETS

CYO has Hershey Park Tickets for \$40 for the 2018 Season and may be used through 9/30/18. Call Craig Smith at csmith1321@comcast.net or 484-343-6464.



Holy Family Regional Catholic School: Academic Excellence Rooted in Faith

www.holyfamilyaston.org

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.

For details contact: Kristy Cobb, kcobb@holyfamilyaston.org, 610-494-0147 x4

SUMMER RECTORY HOURS

Monday through Friday: 9:00AM to 4:00PM

Saturday: 9:00AM - 6:00PM

Sundays: 9:00AM - 11:30AM



ASTON HOMETOWN CONCERTS MONDAY, JULY 30TH 7:00PM

Tim Carroll

Food and Beverages for sale. \$1 hot dog night!



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.

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?



Shipwrecked - Rescued by Jesus

NEWT WEEK: August 6th – August 10th

9:00AM-12:00PM Cost: \$40. per child includes tee shirt

Games, Treats, Music, Experiments, and Adventures!

Ages 4 years old to entering 5th grade.

Registration forms available at the rectory.

VOLUNTEERS WELCOME

Ages entering 6th grade to whenever!!!

Call Ms. Maugeri at 610-494-4358 or email c.maugeri@comcast.net



CYO FALL SPORTS

**Sign-Ups are going on now for Fall Sports:
Cross Country (Grades K-8), Co-ed Soccer (5-8)
Girls Volleyball (5-8)**

Please complete the forms found on the CYO dropdown of the Parish Website and return to the rectory by August 1st **also** send your child's name, grade, school, parish, email, phone (home & cell) and sport interested in playing to Mike Flaherty at mflaherty20@verizon.net.

All students at an Archdiocesan Regional Catholic School or a member of St. Joseph Parish and participate in the PREP(5-6) or YOUTH(7-8) Group programs from September to May. For 9-12th grades anyone can join as long as your parish does not have a High School program.

Once you submit your registration information your coach will communicate specifics with you regarding fees, practices, games, uniforms and any additional information. Please print Registration, Code of Conduct, Medical Release, Cardiac Arrest, and Concussion Forms on the website www.stjosephaston.org/cyo and bring to the first practice.



CYO FOOTBALL St. Thomas

St. Thomas the Apostle CYO Football program would like to welcome all players from St. Joseph Parish to join their Football Program. Flag Football, grades 2 to4; JV Football, Grades 5-6 and Varsity Football grades 7-8. For more information please contact Joe Guinan, head coach 610-331-6597 o joe.guinan@hotmail.com or Mike Flaherty St. Joe's AD at mflaherty20@verizon.net 107-3