MARY, MOTHER OF GOD PARISH

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil

Corpus Christi: 4:00 PM

St. Angela Merici: 4:30 PM

Sunday

St. Patrick: 8:30 AM

St. Robert Bellarmine: 9:30 AM

St. Angela Merici: 11:00 AM

Weekday

St. Angela Merici:

Monday—Friday 8:30 AM

Thursday 6:30 PM

Masses and Prayer Services at St. Angela livestreamed through a link on our website:

marymotherofgod1.org

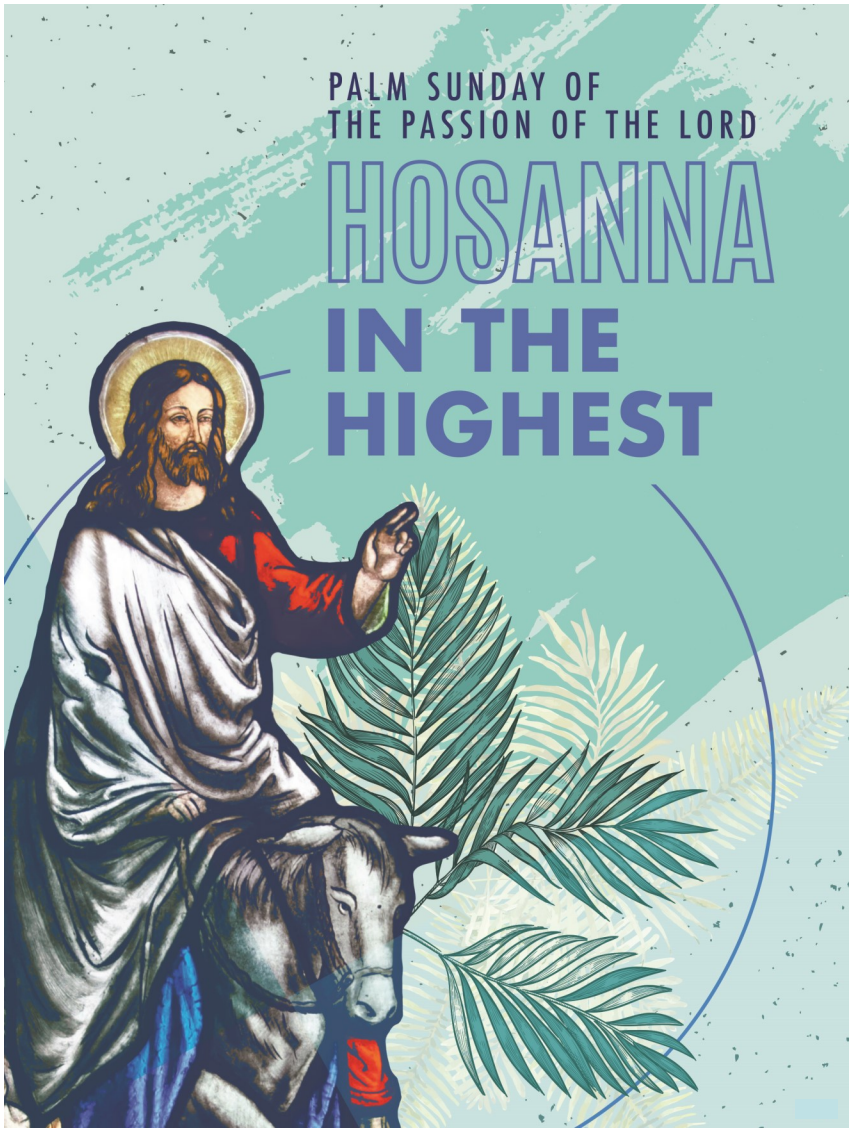
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Thursday

St. Angela Merici: 5:50 – 6:20 p.m.

Saturday

St. Robert Bellarmine: 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.



SUNDAY | APRIL 10, 2022

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD PARISH

St. Angela Merici	Corpus Christi	St. Patrick	St. Robert Bellarmine
1640 Fawcett Ave.	2515 Versailles Ave.	310 32nd Street	1313 Fifth Avenue
White Oak, PA 15131	McKeesport, PA 15132	McKeesport, PA 15132	E. McKeesport, PA 15035

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SACRAMENTS

Please contact the parish office as to:

Sacrament of Baptism
Prior to having your child baptized, parents must attend a baptismal class.

Sacrament of Matrimony
Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to your wedding date. A date will be set only after contacting the priest.

Sacrament of the Sick
(You may also see one of our priests after Mass)

Holy Communion for the Homebound
For those unable to attend mass regularly.

R.C.I.A
Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
The process of becoming Catholic or for Catholics to receive the rest of their Sacraments of Initiation. We also offer programs for children.

Mass and Service Readings and Intentions

Saturday, April 9 4:00 pm C.C. 4:30 pm St. A	Lenten Weekday Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/Jn 11:45-56 John Yarnovic by: Barbara Chontas, Nancy Haughey, and Dorrine Miller Living and Deceased of the Parish
Sunday, April 10 8:30 am St. P 9:30 am St. R 11:00 am St. A	PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 [2a]/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49 Kristi Lynn Robertson by: Mom, Dad, and Family Michael Mraz by: Shirley Evans 100th Birthday of Angela Kushto by: The Family
Monday, April 11 8:30 am St. A	**Monday of Holy Week** Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11 Clarence, Ann, and Ron Denne by: Charles & Mary Ann Vincenzini
Tuesday, April 12 8:30 am St. A	**Tuesday of Holy Week** Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 David Edwards by: Children
Wednesday, April 13 8:30 am St. A	**Wednesday of Holy Week** Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34/Mt 26:14-25 Sheila Glos Demas and Harold & Ardele Glos by: Family
Thursday, April 14 6:00 pm C.C. 7:00 pm St. A	**HOLY THURSDAY** Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16abc, 17-18/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15 Living and Deceased Priests Living and Deceased Priests
Friday, April 15 1:30 pm St. P 2:00 pm St. A	**FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (Good Friday Service)** Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42
Saturday, April 16 7:00 pm St. A	**THE EASTER VIGIL IN THE HOLY NIGHT** Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 [30] orPs 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 [5b]/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Ex 14:15—15:1/Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 [1b]/Is 54:5-14/ Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [3]/Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Lk 24:1-12 Living and Deceased of the Parish
Sunday, April 17 8:30 am St. P 9:30 am St. R 10:30 am C.C. 11:00 am St.A	**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD** Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/ Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or, Lk 24:13-35 All Easter Masses will be offered for the Living and Deceased of the Parish

FROM FATHER TERRY

J+M+J

"Can you die and rise with me?" As we begin Holy Week today with Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, this is Jesus' invitation to all of us. Jesus wants us to die and rise with him as we enter the saving mysteries of our faith. We welcome Jesus today on Palm Sunday, crying out "hosanna," which means "Save, Please!" We further hold palm branches which were used as a sign of joy and victory in welcoming kings and conquerors. There was thought among the Jewish people, who were oppressed by the Romans, that the Messiah would come to restore them to power. However, we know that God had other plans. Jesus did not come to conquer earthly enemies but something far greater, sin and death. Thus, we cry hosanna and hold our palm branches high to praise our Savior, who has won for us eternal life.

As we die and rise with Jesus, we will have a Penance Service within a Holy Hour this Monday, April 11 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Angela. There will be multiple priests on hand. We have also added a Reconciliation time, immediately following the 8:30 a.m. daily Mass on Tuesday, April 12. All are welcome to receive God's mercy.

Holy Week will culminate with the Easter Triduum (Three Days). Please find in the bulletin a piece I wrote about the Triduum. What Sunday is to the week, the Triduum is to the whole year. If we are not able to attend these liturgies in person, I invite you to follow them on livestream. I point out a couple of things in terms of scheduling. We once again received special permission to have the Easter Vigil at 7:00 p.m. to help bolster attendance. This is considered the "Feast of feasts," or the "Superbowl of liturgies." Many things happen at this Mass, including bringing those in RCIA into the Church. All are welcome to come and support our nine candidates in RCIA. We are also happy to bring back our Seven Church Walk on Holy Thursday, which always inspires. Please find in the bulletin the entire Triduum schedule. "Can you die and rise with me?" How will we respond to Jesus' invitation?

On Holy Thursday, the collection will be given to the Mary, Mother of God Ladies of Charity, which helps the poor and needy in our area. On Good Friday, we will have the annual collection for the Holy Land. This collection assists the Franciscans with their work of upkeeping and protecting the holy shrines and in assisting our less fortunate sisters and brothers who live in the heart of the Christian faith. Please be as generous as possible to these two very important collections.

Divine Mercy Sunday is on the Second Sunday of Easter, April 23-24. Please find in the bulletin information on devotions which we are planning for this sacred day.

We thank all for supporting this year's Fish Fry! We especially thank our volunteers who were so dedicated and joyful. We also thank our wonderful patrons. The food was delicious. Once calculated, we will share with you the financial information. Thanks again!

HOLY WEEK COLLECTIONS

There will be only one collection at Holy Thursday Masses and Good Friday Services.

Our Holy Thursday collection is for the Mary, Mother of God Parish Ladies of Charity. Your generosity will help them in continuing charitable works in our area.

Our Good Friday collection is for the Pontifical Good Friday Collection. This helps Christians in the Holy Land via parish ministry, Catholic schools, religious education, the preservation of sacred shrines, and care for refugees in the Holy Land. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

For the full schedule of Bishop Zubik's Live-streamed Holy Week Events please visit diopitt.org/holy-week-2022

Please note: Easter Blessing of Families on Easter Sunday, April 17, from 2:00-4:00 p.m., at St. Paul Cathedral, with Bishops Zubik, Winter, Waltersheid, and Eckman.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS:

April 3, 2022

Offertory	$	17,012.70
Monthly Maintenance	$	1,407.00
Parish Share*	$	2,108.00
Votives	$	323.00
Easter Flowers	$	1,363.00
Outreach	$	85.01
Human Development	$	125.00
Feast of St. Joseph	$	105.00
Holy Thursday	$	180.00
Good Friday	$	172.00
Easter	$	625.00

*Our Parish Share Goal for 2022 is: $169,007.00

As of 3/31/22 we have collected $75,802.25.
Our remaining balance is $93,204.75

Thank you for your generosity!

BORN INTO Eternal Life

Please remember in your prayers:

Dorothy Nuckels

May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

Sanctuary Light

burns before the Blessed Sacrament the week of April 10, 2022 in loving memory of:

Saint Angela
Memory of Dr. Danai by: Wife, Pouran

Saint Patrick
Karen Paterra by: Nikki Katona, Joelle Harbert, and Family

Corpus Christi
Malvina Drost and Mary Ellen Hazlett
by: Paul Drost and Bev Hazlett

Mary, Mother of God

PRIVATE MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass is the highest form of prayer we have. We are blessed that the masses for 2022 are filling up with intentions. However, if you would like to have a private mass celebrated for one of your intentions, please fill out the form below and return it to the Parish Center or place it in the offertory with a $10 stipend per intention marked "Private Mass Intentions."

Please note that intentions may not be requested for a specific date or priest, as availability varies. Thank you!

Offered for:

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Requested by:

_____

Join Father Adam Potter weekly, every Wednesday, from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m., at St. Patrick's. This time of reflection is a great way for us to prepare our hearts and minds for the most important part of our week: the Celebration of the Holy Eucharist on Sunday. All are welcome in person, by calling in at 1-301-715-8592, or on Zoom: *Meeting ID: 827 4853 6749 Passcode: 872271*

Confirmation

Please pray for all the Confirmation Candidates who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 15, 2022. We will be happy to have our newly ordained Bishop Mark Eckman celebrating this Sacrament of Confirmation.

Daily Mass:	Weekdays	8:30 a.m.
Holy Thursday Mass:	Thursday	7:00 p.m.
Good Friday Service:	Friday	2:00 p.m.
Easter Vigil:	Saturday	7:00 p.m.
Easter Sunday Mass:	Sunday	11:00 a.m.

Our next Baptismal Preparation class will be held in the Parish Center on:

Saturday, April 26, at 6:30 p.m.

Parents, please register by calling the Parish Center

Mary, Mother of God Parish
White Oak, PA

LENT: "Be Transformed by the Eucharist"

RECONCILIATION
Penance Service within a Holy Hour

Monday **April 11** 7:00 p.m. St. Angela

Added: Reconciliation after our 8:30 a.m. Mass on Tuesday, April 12. **Please note:** there will be no morning Mass at St. Angela on Holy Thursday. There will be no Reconciliation on Holy Thursday or Holy Saturday.

THURSDAY MASS SERIES
6:30 p.m. St. Angela

"On the Eucharist"

April 7 Sacrifice—Fr. Terry

St. Angela Holy Hour, Stations, and Mass Series will also be livestreamed.: **marymotherofgod1.org**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
Fridays in Lent

The following booklets will be used:
Way of the Cross, St. Alphonsus Liguori
Everyone's Way of the Cross, Clarence Enzler

April 8 1:30 p.m. St. Patrick
(Enzler) 7:00 p.m. St. Angela

April 15 7:00 p.m. St. Robert
(Good Friday - Liguori)

*Please note: Good Friday Stations will not be at St. Angela or live-streamed.

School Stations of the Cross
Thursdays 1:50 p.m. St. Angela Church

LENTEN REGULATIONS

1. Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence. The Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence in the United States.
2. The obligation of abstinence (refraining from eating meat) begins at the age of 14. The law of fasting (limiting oneself to one full meal and two lighter meals) obliges all between the ages of 18-59. No one should consider this obligation lightly.
3. Those individuals who have a medical condition in which fasting may be considered harmful are not obliged to fast, but should perform some other act of penance or charity.
4. Pastors and parents are to see to it that minors, though not bound by the law of fast and abstinence, are educated in the authentic sense of penance and encouraged to do acts of penance suitable to their age.
5. All members of the Christian Faithful are encouraged to do acts of penance and charity during the Lenten season beyond what is prescribed by the law.
6. As a general rule, a request for a dispensation from the obligation of abstinence on Fridays of Lent will not be considered unless some serious reason is present. The attendance at social events, banquets, wedding rehearsals or receptions, or funeral wakes are not considered sufficient reason to request a dispensation.

Holy Thursday, April 14, 2022

Mass	6:00 p.m.	Corpus Christi
	7:00 p.m.	St. Angela

Seven-Church Walk
Bus departing after Mass at St. Angela

Good Friday, April 15, 2022

Service	1:30 p.m.	St. Patrick
	2:00 p.m.	St. Angela

Stations of the Cross
7:00 p.m. St. Robert

Holy Saturday, April 16, 2022

Blessing of Baskets
12:00 p.m. St. Patrick
(Easter egg hunt to follow)
2:00 p.m. St. Robert

Easter Vigil
7:00 p.m. St. Angela

Easter Sunday, April 17, 2022

Mass	8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick
	9:30 a.m.	St. Robert
	10:30 a.m.	Corpus Christi
	11:00 a.m.	St. Angela

All Masses and services at St. Angela will be live-streamed.

Seven-Church Walk

We are pleased to be having our Seven-Church Walk. This "walk" will be a bus tour of seven area churches, beginning and ending at St. Angela. At each stop, we will have an opportunity to pray, reflect, and appreciate the character of each church.

We will be visiting:

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (Irwin)
St. Stephen (Irwin)
St. Agnes (Irwin)
Immaculate Conception (Irwin)
St. Regis (Trafford)
St. Jude the Apostle (Wilmerding)

As there will be limited capacity on the bus, please register with our Parish Office at 412-672-9641 or secretary@marymotherofgod1.org

WE LOVE HAVING YOU AS

a part of our Flock!

Keep in touch with us via email and text!

TEXT
MMOG
TO 84576

As of now, 772 parishioners have signed up!

OR CONNECT WITH US ONLINE AT:
marymotherofgodparish.flocknote.com

Mary, Mother of God Parish Lenten Fish Fry

Fridays during Lent, except Good Friday - 10:00 a.m.—7:00 p.m.

Corpus Christi Hall | 803 Market Street, McKeesport

Pick-Up, Take-Out, Delivery, or Eat-In

Phone: 412-672-6004 / 412-672-2220 / 445-776-3956 Fax: (412) 872-5097

Phones/Fax open Thursday & Friday during Lent, 10:00a.m.-5:00p.m.

Last Phone/Fax Order Taken at 5:00p.m. Last Delivery at 6:00p.m.

Menu

All prices subject to market changes.

Fish

HAND-BREADED FRIED LARGE COD SANDWICH.....$11.00
SMALL FRIED COD SANDWICH.....$7.00
BAKED COD LOIN.....$9.00
FRIED BUTTERFLY SHRIMP (6 PCS).....$8.00
TUNA SALAD CROISSANT.....$5.00

Sides

STEWED TOMATOES.....$3.00
HOMEMADE POTATO PIEROGI W/BUTTER AND ONION.....3/$4.00
POTATO PANCAKES.....2/$4.00
CABBAGE WITH HOMEMADE NOODLES (HALUSKI).....$3.00
BAKED MACARONI & CHEESE.....$3.00
FRENCH FRIES.....$3.00
COLESLAW.....$2.00
PICKLE.....$1.00
SPECIALTY SOUP.....$4.00
BEVERAGES (SOFT DRINKS/COFFEE/TEA).....$2.00
DESSERT.....$1.00

PALICHINKI---NAILIESNICKI---CREPES---BLINTZES 2/$3.00 EACH
(THIN, SWEET CREPE FILLED WITH SWEET CREAM CHEESE FILLING)

Thank you for your patronage!

10% of our net proceeds go to the Greater Pittsburgh Food Bank

marymotherofgod1.org

Mary, Mother of God

FISH FRY DONATIONS

We thank all who have supported this year's fish fry. With current inflation, we are facing rising costs in food and supplies. Considering these challenges, we are seeking donations to help alleviate our expenditures. Monetary donations can be placed in the offertory or mailed/dropped off to Mary, Mother of God Parish, 1640 Fawcett Ave., White Oak, PA 15131. Please be sure to designate your donation as "fish fry." We thank you for your generosity!

Next Meeting, Monday, April 11th: 11:30 Rosary, Lunch at Noon, Business Meeting will follow. Evelyn will be accepting 2022 $10.00 yearly dues at the meeting, or call 412-678-5978.

To Welcome "Spring," after the meeting there will be games of *Bunny Bingo*—fun, excitement, and prizes!

Spring Buffet Dinner is Sunday, April 24, at 1:00 p.m. at the Market Street Hall. Members and guests, $25.00. Reservations will be taken at the meeting by Bonnie, or call 412-751-9131 by the deadline: April 19th.

Divine Mercy Sunday

The Second Sunday of Easter is also known as Divine Mercy Sunday. The Divine Mercy of Jesus was promoted by a Polish nun, St. Faustina Kowalska, who lived from 1905-1938. St. Faustina received private revelations of Jesus in order to promote the Divine Mercy. There are various devotions associated with Divine Mercy, including a novena that can be said anytime of the year, especially beginning on Good Friday. There is also a chaplet, which is prayed each day on EWTN at 3 p.m., the hour of mercy. The devotion further includes a sacred image of Jesus with the words, "Jesus, I Trust in You," which reminds us to trust in his mercy.

Divine Mercy Devotions

Sunday - April 24 - St. Angela (LS)

3:00-4:00 p.m. - Holy Hour with sung Chaplet

It is recommended that you receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation between now and Divine Mercy Sunday. Also, the Novena should begin on Good Friday, continuing nine days until April 23. Preparation materials can be found at the entrances of our churches. Please avail yourself of the blessing of Divine Mercy Sunday for yourself, your loved ones, and the world.

With the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Thursday evening, Holy Week ends and the Easter Triduum begins. Triduum, meaning "Three Days," encompasses the Mass of the Lord's Supper, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and Easter Sunday. Evening Prayer on Easter Sunday concludes the Triduum. The Triduum follows the Jewish counting of days, from sunset to sunset. It is during these sacred three days that we celebrate the Paschal or Passover Mystery, which is Jesus' "passing over" from death to life through his Passion, death, and Resurrection. What Sunday is to the week, the Triduum is to the entire liturgical year.

Holy Thursday begins with the Mass of the Lord's Supper. We will enter church with the tabernacle open since there is not yet the Eucharist which will be consecrated at this Mass. It is at this Mass that we commemorate three principal mysteries: the institution of the Eucharist, the institution of the priesthood, and Christ's commandment to love. These mysteries are evidenced by the washing of feet. At the conclusion of Mass, the Eucharist is carried in solemn procession to the altar of repose. The main altar and sanctuary are stripped and crosses are covered to signify that Jesus has gone to his death and burial. All are invited to adore Jesus in this temporary location, which points to his stay in the Garden of Gethsemane.

On Good Friday, we commemorate Jesus' Passion and death. The traditional time of Jesus being on the Cross is from noon until 3:00 p.m. At the services, we will have the opportunity to venerate the Cross. We are given the opportunity to come forward to show our love and thanks to Jesus who loves us so much. Since we commemorate Jesus' death, no Mass is celebrated, but Holy Communion from Holy Thursday is distributed.

Holy Saturday is marked by Jesus' descent into hell. He redeems those in the "hell of the just," who are holy people who could not go to heaven upon death because Jesus had not yet come. Jesus did not come to redeem those in the "hell of damnation," those eternally damned.

The Easter Vigil begins at sunset. Easter is the "Feasts of feasts, "the "Solemnity of solemnities," or the "Superbowl of liturgies." Thus, the Easter Vigil is considered the "Mother of all Vigils." It is on this night that we give praise to our God who has redeemed us through his Son Jesus. Sin and death are conquered and we have eternal life today, tomorrow, and forever. The Vigil is divided into four parts: 1) the Blessing of the New Fire (the Easter fire enters a dark church signifying that the light of Christ conquers the darkness, the Exsultet or "Rejoice!," which proclaims the Resurrection, is sung), 2) the Liturgy of the Word (readings highlighting salvation history are given; the Gloria, giving God glory for our salvation through Christ in the unity of the Holy Spirit, is sung with bells ringing; the Alleluia, which is Hebrew for "Praise to the Lord," is sung, 3) the Liturgy of Baptism (RCIA members receive the sacraments of initiation), and 4) the Liturgy of the Eucharist (we have the opportunity to receive the risen Lord).

Easter Sunday: "Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!" May the new life of Jesus completely take over our lives so that we can share his life with the whole world.

Notes:

Chrism Mass: On Holy Thursday at St. Paul Cathedral at 10:00 a.m. The priests renew their priestly promises and Bishop Zubik blesses the sacred oil to be used at parishes throughout the diocese. All are welcome to attend.

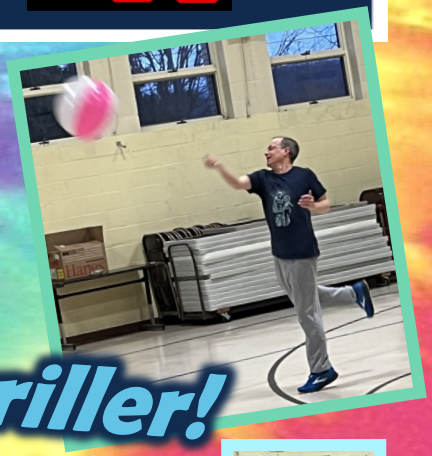
Seven Church Walk: On Holy Thursday. It was begun by St. Philip Neri and his companions in the mid-16th century. They visited the four major basilicas of Rome as well as three important minor basilicas, prayer, song, catechesis, and food, filled the journey.

Good Friday is a day of both fast and abstinence. The Church also encourages, but does not require, us to keep this Paschal Fast of Good Friday up until the Easter Vigil Mass.

Youth Group Beach Volleyball

Team Fr Adam	Team Fr Terry
28	26

Form!



A thriller!

Focus!

Regulation inflation!

An occasion for fun. An appreciation of faith.

Serra Catholic High School Presents

Friday April 29th 7:00
Saturday April 30th 1:00 & 7:00
Sunday May 1st 2:00

Disney's
Beauty And The Beast

Tickets
$8 Adults
$5 Students

200 Hershey Drive
McKeesport, PA 15132

Seder—Tuesday of Holy Week

The **South Central Cursillo Ultreya** will again host a "Seder" dinner on

Tuesday, April 12, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.
St. Patrick's Church Hall
310 32nd Street, McKeesport, PA 15132

Off-street parking available.

The cost will be $ 15.00 per person. Registration deadline is Sunday, April 10, 2019.
Advanced registration is required by contacting Mary or Wayne Fleckenstein at 412-678-1723.

This is an open event for all who wish to attend.

A representative Jewish Seder meal will be shared along with a regular meal. The Seder is an occasion for praise and thanksgiving; a rededication of our Christian traditions rooted in Judaism. Through the ritual of the Passover we can remember and share the momentous events of God's call and redemption.

You're invited to a

Mock POLISH WEDDING RECEPTION FUNDRAISER

Join us for a 21 and over mock wedding reception of

Antek and Zuzanna

Saturday, April 30, 2022
4:00 pm.

$40 per person

THE EVENING WILL INCLUDE

Dinner **Beer and Soft drinks** **Live Music**
Basket Raffles and MORE!

Mary of Nazareth Catholic School Gym
1640 Fawcett Ave. White Oak

Music by Mikey Dee

For tickets call
412-672-2360

In lieu of wedding gifts, the bride and groom are requesting monetary donations are made to Mary of Nazareth Catholic School

United Volunteer Fire & Rescue

BREAKFAST WITH THE EASTER BUNNY

BUNNY BREAKFAST

Breakfast includes choice of plain or chocolate chip pancakes, sausage or bacon, apple or orange juice. Coffee and tea will be available for adults.

Adults $10
Children $6
Children under 2 eat free!

SATURDAY
APRIL 9, 2022
United Volunteer Fire & Rescue
Social Hall
611 Broadway Ave, East
McKeesport, PA 15035
9am - 12:30pm

ALL YOU CAN EAT!

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

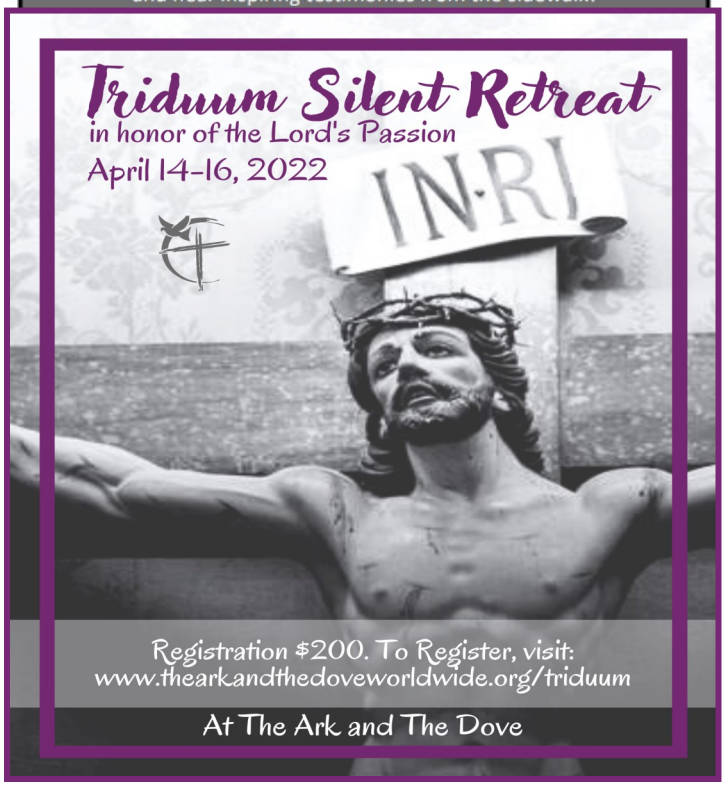
Our parish time to pray at Planned Parenthood is Thursday, April 7, from 1:00 pm-7:00 PM. If you have questions about going downtown, parking, where to go, or what to do, you can look at www.40daysforlifepgh.com, or you can call Joe Krol at 412--751-5493 or Helen Cindrich at 412-823-8150.

Closing Event!

Followed by Mass at 6:00pm

His Excellency, Auxiliary Bishop William Waltersheid presiding.

After Mass, join us in the church hall (below the Church) for a time of fun and fellowship! Light refreshments will be available! Come meet your 40 Days for Life friends to share stories and hear inspiring testimonies from the sidewalk!



East Allegheny Meals-On-Wheels, serving residents of East McKeesport, North Versailles, and Wilmerding is in need of desserts such as cookies, cakes, pies, etc. (including sugar-free). No nuts or icing, please. Donations can be left at the kitchen of Linway United Presbyterian Church on Lincoln Highway Monday through Friday from 8:00-11:00 a.m. We currently serve 35-40 clients every day. Thank you for your generosity.

The next Substance Addiction Ministry Rosary for Recovery will be Wednesday, April 20, 2022 at Christ The Divine Shepherd Parish, St. John the Baptist Church, 444 St. John Street, Pittsburgh,PA 15239. We will meet at 7:00p.m. in the Church for the Rosary for all who are afflicted or affected by addiction and seeking education, referral and support. For more information please contact Noreen at 412-296-1709.

STOP NOW AND PLAN SNAP®

Now enrolling families for Spring groups!

SNAP® stands for Stop Now and Plan, and is designed for children between the ages of 6-11 struggling with behaviors such as fighting, lying, stealing, talking back, bullying, defiance, etc.

The program teaches emotional management skills through groups and individualized sessions. SNAP® Parents and Guardians also receive support. SNAP® services are offered free of charge and require no insurance information from families. Groups take place over 12 weeks at Auberle in McKeesport. We are able to provide transportation within an 8-mile radius of our building. We offer incentives, field trips, and opportunities for SNAP® graduates. SNAP® is evidence-based, and longitudinal studies have shown it to be effective in promoting self-control and problem-solving skills, while decreasing feelings of stress and anxiety.

To get involved, contact Megan Matejcic at
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