

COMMUNITY TOPIRITUALITY TEVANGELIZATION

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

At an hour

August 10, 2025

St. James Church and Parish Center

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Summer Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4:00pm Friday: 9:00am - Noon

St. Mary Church

444 Glenfield Road Sewickley, PA 15143

PASTOR

Reverend Brian W. Noel

IN RESIDENCE

Reverend David J. Jastrab Reverend Joseph M. Mele

WEBSITE: www.divine-redeemer.com EMAIL: office@divine-redeemer.com

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday (Vigi	(Vigil)	4:30pm	Saint James
		5:00nm	Saint Mary

Sunday 8:00am Saint James

9:30am Saint Mary 11:00am Saint James

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

	Saint James	Saint Mary	
M/W/F	6:45am	9:00am	
T/TH	9:00am	6:45am	
Saturday	9:00am		

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Monday	7:30am - 7:00pm	Saint James
Wednesday	8:00 - 9:00am	Saint Mary
	3:00 - 7:00pm	Saint James
Friday	Noon - 4:00pm	Saint James
Saturday /	After 9:00am Mass	Saint James

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION:

Wednesday 3:00pm Saint James

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 9:45am Saint James

4:00pm Saint Mary



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the Son of Man

will come



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thank you

Dear Parish Family,

Thank you for welcoming me into Divine Redeemer over the past year. It has been a joy to immerse myself in parish life with you all. This time has been a blessing for me in my formation for the priesthood and for my discernment, and it gives me renewed vigor and confidence as I close in on my ordination to the transitional diaconate next May.

I also want to thank you for your generosity and friendship over this past year. I am sad to have to leave you all behind after having grown close to so many of you, but I do so in order to complete my formation so that I can one day soon serve the Church of Pittsburgh as a priest. I will be returning to St. Mary's Seminary in Baltimore later this month for my second-to-last year of school. It will certainly be a transition going from the pace of life in the parish to having papers and exams again, but I will keep you all in mind as a part of my motivation. Seminary work can be difficult, but having real people in mind as my "why" for undertaking this does make it easier.

Thank you as well for inspiring me. While we certainly need more priests—and I invite any young men who think God is calling them to explore that call in prayer and with guidance of another—we also need holy lay people, dedicated to bringing Christ into the workplace, into the neighborhood, into our schools. I have been inspired by many of you who do this so well in many different ways, and it gives me encouragement that there is a bright future for Christ's church.

Please know that this is not a final farewell. You are welcome to keep in touch. (I'll still keep an eye on cmcmullen@divine-redeemer.com.) I also plan to make visits back to Divine Redeemer during some of my school breaks, and I look forward to seeing you then. Until then, however, please know of my prayers for you all, and I kindly ask your continued prayers for me. They do make a difference!

God bless you all,

Seminarian Chris McMullen

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25th ANNUAL PITTSBURGH FALL RETREAT

We're excited to announce that registration is open for this year's Fall Retreat — a weekend retreat designed specifically for high school students to step away from the noise of everyday life and grow in their Catholic faith.

Retreat dates: November 21-23

Location: Camp Allegheny located in Ellwood City **Open to:** All high school students (grades 9–12) **Register here:** https://www.thefallretreat.net/student-

registration

The Fall Retreat is more than just a weekend away—it's a chance to:

- Build deeper relationships with Christ and like minded peers.
- Experience powerful talks, engaging workshops, and Praver
- Receive the sacraments (Mass, Adoration, Reconciliation)
- Disconnect from screens and reconnect with God through praise & worship music led by Jonah Soucy & band.
- Laugh, learn, and be inspired alongside Catholic teens from across our diocese
- Enjoy delicious food, an epic-themed dance party, and scheduled free time to play or pray!

Whether YOU, the teen reading this, is actively involved in your faith or simply curious about taking the next step, this retreat offers something meaningful for everyone.

Spots are limited and fill up within MINUTES, so we encourage you to find a friend and register on Friday!

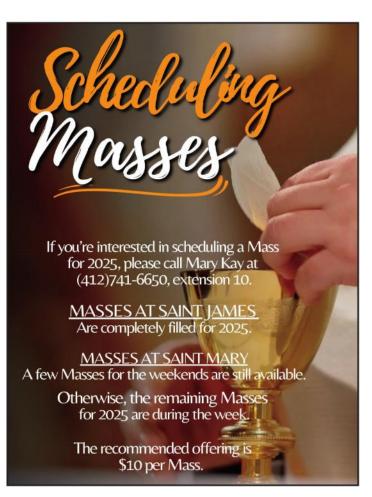
The cost of the retreat is \$195 and includes transportation to and from retreat, all meals including snacks during the dance party, lodging, and a t-shirt! An INCREDIBLE deal for an AMAZING weekend! Fr. Brian and I personally want you to go, so we are sweetening the deal. Use code FR95OFF and save \$95 off the cost of the retreat! We don't want money to be the reason you miss out, so please reach out, and we can find scholarships.

If you have any questions or need assistance with the registration process, please don't hesitate to contact Nick Wolf by email, nwolf@divine-redeemer.com, or at the parish office. Let's make this Fall one to remember—see you at the retreat!

POSITION WANTED

Certified CNA (aide) looking for private duty job in our area. References are available upon request. I have more than 35 years experience. For more information, please contact Barbara Jones at (412)452-4177.





The Divine Redeemer Women's Guild is delighted to announce it's annual

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TO PLACE AN ORDER:
Please use pre-labeled envelopes
that will be located in the back of church.

You may place your envelope in the Sunday collection basket or drop it off at the Parish offices on the St. James campus.

All orders are due BEFORE 9:00am Friday, September 5.

> Pick up will be in the GATHERING SPACE Saturday, September 13 from 10:00am - 1:00pm.

> > Flowers are sourced by Iannetti's Garden Center in Burgettstown

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CASH CALENDAR

September 2025—August 2026

Donation \$50

Saint James School Cash Calendars are now available for sale. The calendars are valid daily from September 1, 2025, through August 31, 2026. Each calendar is \$50 and you choose 2 lucky numbers, leaving many chances to win.

Each family is asked to sell at least 3 calendars. If you sell 5 calendars, each child in your family will receive a homework pass. This pass covers one homework assignment for one teacher. This is a great way to help with your family share fundraising obligation, as you will receive \$25 credit for each calendar sold.

Ask your friends, relatives, and co-workers! You may be surprised how many people will be interested. Thank someone special with the gift of a calendar. They make great gifts for any occasion.

How It Works:

- · The winning number is based on the evening PA Lottery.
- The minimum daily prize is \$25, with \$50 on Sundays. Special holiday prizes range from \$150 to \$300.
- You do not have to do anything to claim your prize. If you win, a check will be sent to the holder of the calendar. You can win as many times as your number is drawn (yes, some numbers have been repeated within a given year).
- All ticket stubs must be returned and paid for by 08/28/2025 to be eligible to win.
- Indicate the numbers you would like to have. Also, let us know if you would consider combinations of those numbers. We
 will do our best to fulfill your requests. Numbers are given on a first come, first serve basis.

SAINT VINCENT DEPAUL



Memory Loss - Memory loss for an elderly person is very sad and difficult for all involved as you probably know. We were called by the caregiver for a senior gentleman who needed 24 hours a day for coverage in his home. This individual was living by himself and was on a very

limited income. The caregiver who normally paid his bills was off sick for a period of time and a water bill, which was already behind, was not paid on time resulting in the water being shut off. We were called one week into the shut off and immediately took action to pay the bill and have the water restored. The caregiver, herself a senior citizen, had been hauling 40 pound jugs of water for their daily needs.

Dealing with a person with memory loss and without water almost brought the caregiver to the breaking point. The expression of gratitude for restoring the water could not have been more genuine. The caregiver could not be more thankful. The elderly gentleman gave us a very happy smile.

Without the financial support of our parishioners, we would not have been able to pay the water bill, which was in excess of \$1,400.00. Thank you!

ATTENTION ALL VOLUNTEERS

A PROGRAM AND SERVICE OF THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC RISK RETENTION GROUP, INC.

VIRTUS Online

We have been notified by the diocese that a significant upgrade will be implemented within the next few weeks to our Virtus® Safe Environment Database. This is system that is used to track your clearance and training updates.

An email will be sent to all active accounts from the Virtus® system requesting that the individual log in to their account and select their current ministry(ies) from a comprehensive list. If you volunteer in multiple ministries at our parish, please select the one that you volunteer with the most.

In addition, a large number of Virtus® accounts have not answered the question: "Have you lived in PA for 10 consecutive years?" This question will be asked, as well, if not previously answered.

If you have any questions, or cannot log into your Virtus account, please contact our Safe Environment Coordinator, Susan Ponticello, at sponticello@divine-redeemer.com or via phone at (412)741-6650 extension 315.



Sanctuary Candle



In Memory of Ivan Hofmann IV

From Barry & Heidi Korcan

St. Joseph Candle



In Memory of Elizabeth Fecko

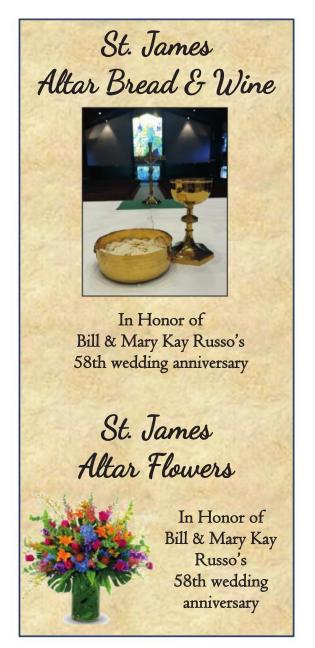
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St. Theresa Candle

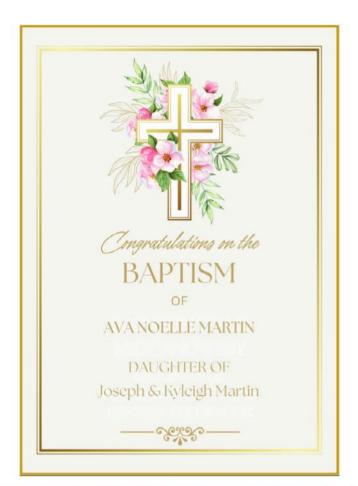


In Memory of Ivan Hofmann IV

From
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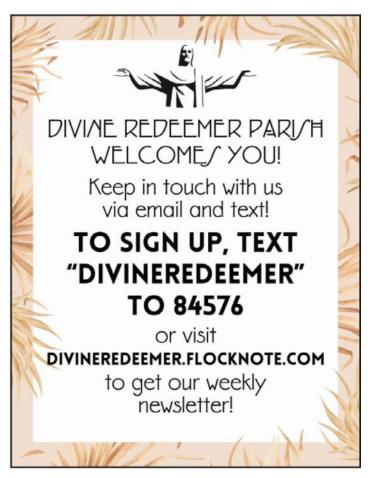




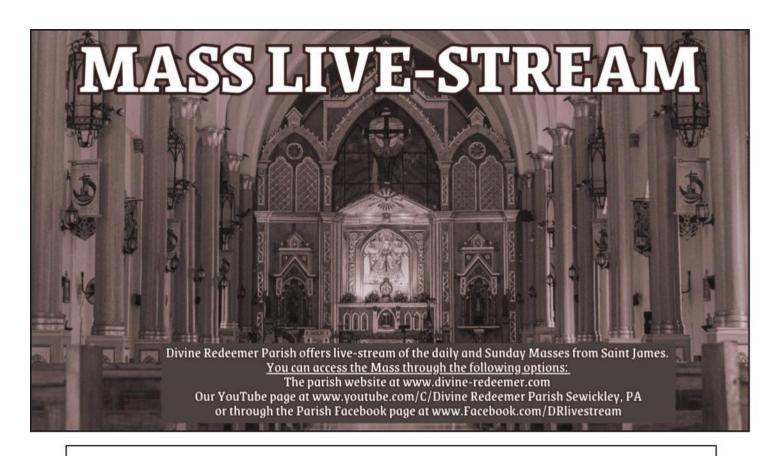
Sunday collection for August 3, 2025

Offertory 10,938.50 Votives 331.25 Capital Improvement 822.00 School Support 260.00 Parking Lot rental fee 400.00 Assumption 25.00 St. Vincent dePaul 70.00 **TOTAL** \$12,846.75









PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR STCK & SHUT-TNS

our parish community prays for those who request prayers for any reason. Thank you to everyone who tirelessly includes these individuals in their prayers.

PLEASE CALL KARIN AT (412)741-6650, EXTENSION 310 TO SUBMIT A NAME.

Christina Abernethy Austin Bakow Bob Balcerek Rhonda Battenfelder Susie Bauer Jim Behr Jacqueline Bercik Jaryd Boyer Lori Breen Jimmy Breslin Joan Cerminara Catherine Cocco Colleen Darragh Barry deGroot Patrick Donahue Sue Etters Rylan French

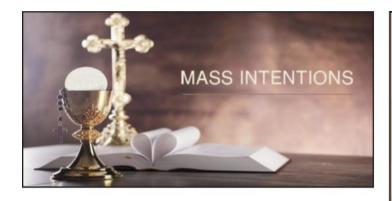
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Scott Walker
Dorothy Weber
James Winter
Dana Wolfe
Vito Yeropoli
Terri Zitelli



August 10, 2025 through August 17, 2025

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:30 PM (SJ) + Jennie DeGori (The Hopkins & Green Families) 5:00 PM (SM) + Loretta Yaggi (Bernadette Hartle) 8:00 AM (SJ) For The People

9:30 AM (SM) + Alvin Best (Joe Best)
11:00 AM (SJ) For the Darragh Family

(Ruth & Dan Darragh)

MONDAY ST. CLAIRE (August II)

6:45 AM (SJ) + Lincoln Heck (Maria & Joel Swanson)
9:00 AM (SM) For the living and deceased members of the Troha Family (Rich & Betty Grantz)

TUESDAY WEEKDAY (August 12)

6:45 AM (SM) + Inny Palaio (A Friend) 9:00 AM (SJ) + Barbara & John Domitrovich

(Bill & Rose Flaherty)
WEDNESDAY
WEEKDAY (August 13)

6:45 AM (SJ) + Michelle Peduto (The Peduto Family)

9:00 AM (SM) + Paul Meininger (Jim & Elaine Crable)
THURSDAY ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

THURSDAY ST. MAXIMIL (August 14)

6:45 AM (SM) A Poor Soul in Purgatory 9:00 AM (SJ) + James F. Foody (Family)

5:00 PM (SM) For the health and well-being of Colette

(Barry & Heidi Korcan)

FRIDAY THE ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY (August 15)

6:45 AM (SJ) For The People 9:00 AM (SM) + August & Helen Demma

(Bob & Michele Boyd)

7:00 PM (SJ) + Jerry Comunale (Wife & Family)
SATURDAY WEEKDAY (August 16)

9:00 AM (SJ) + Walter Burrows (Michael Bercik)

4:30 PM (SJ) + John & Clara Masterani

(Joe, Karin, Gino & Emily Masterani)

5:00 PM (SM) + Larry Makray (Fran Gilson)

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM (SJ) + Joshua LeCornu (Family) 9:30 AM (SM) For The People

11:00 AM (SJ) + Steve J. Hayden (Daughter)

BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is available any Sunday of the month.

Couples expecting a child should attend the Baptism class.

To make arrangements for a Baptism please go to the parish website at www.divine-redeemer.com/baptism and fill out the baptismal registration form.

MARRIAGE

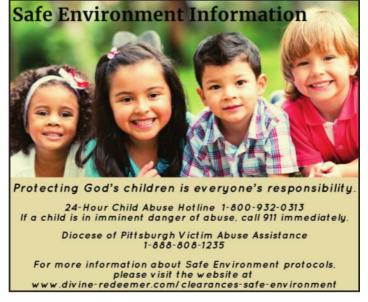
To make arrangements for a wedding at either Divine Redeemer church sites, please go to the parish website at www.divine-redeemer.org/information-form and fill out the Wedding Request form.

The Sacrament of marriage requires that the couple meet with Deacon Tom at least six (6) months before the proposed date of the wedding. Please email Deacon Tom Lopus at tlopus@divine-redeemer.com for more information.

FUNERALS

Funeral details are handled through the Funeral Director. If at any time you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jim Haupt, Pastoral Associate at (412)741-6650, extension 317







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