

Saint Nicholas Catholic Church

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BULLETIN DEADLINE

Tuesday at 3:00 PM

OFFICE HOURS

| MON | TUE | WED | THUR | FRI |
|-----|-----|------------|------|------|
| 9AM | 9AM | 9AM | 9AM | 9AM |
| 1PM | 1PM | 1PM | 1PM | 11AM |
| | | 6PM 8PM | | |

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (vigil) 6:00 PM
Sunday 6:00 AM
8:00 AM
10:30 AM



DEVOTIONS

Adoration starts at 8:00 PM
Wednesday and ends
Thursday at 8:00 PM

Holy Hour
Thursday, 7:00 PM

Benediction
Thursday, 8:00 PM

Morning Prayer
Mon. to Sat., 7:00 AM

Rosary
Sunday, 7:00 PM

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Baptism, Matrimony & Mass Intentions:

Contact the parish office
during office hours for
scheduling.

Anointing of the Sick
Please call Fr. Job when
someone is hospitalized or
seriously ill.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation
(Confessions)** will be
celebrated on Saturday at
11:00 AM (if there is no
funeral) and at 4:00 PM or
call Fr. Job.

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

JUNE

20 MONDAY WEEKDAY 937

8:00 AM †Herman Kline (90 Day Mind)

21 TUESDAY ALOYSIUS GONZAGA 1169-947

8:00 AM †Roy Smith

22 WEDNESDAY WEEKDAY 958

6:00 PM †Paul & Eleanor Hnathkowicz

23 THURSDAY WEEKDAY 968

6:00 AM †Raymond Foote (60 day Mind)

8:00 AM †Joseph & Marge Cooney

24 FRIDAY BIRTH OF JOHN BAPTIST 1174-707

8:00 AM H/W Lila Carvers

25 SATURDAY BVM 1383-988

8:00 AM †Edger & Alma Springer

Vigil..... Body and Blood of Christ

6:00 PM †Penny Vehovic

26 SUNDAY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

6:00 AM †Irvin Peters

8:00 AM Sodality of the BVM

10:30 AM L/D of the Parish

CHOIR NEWS

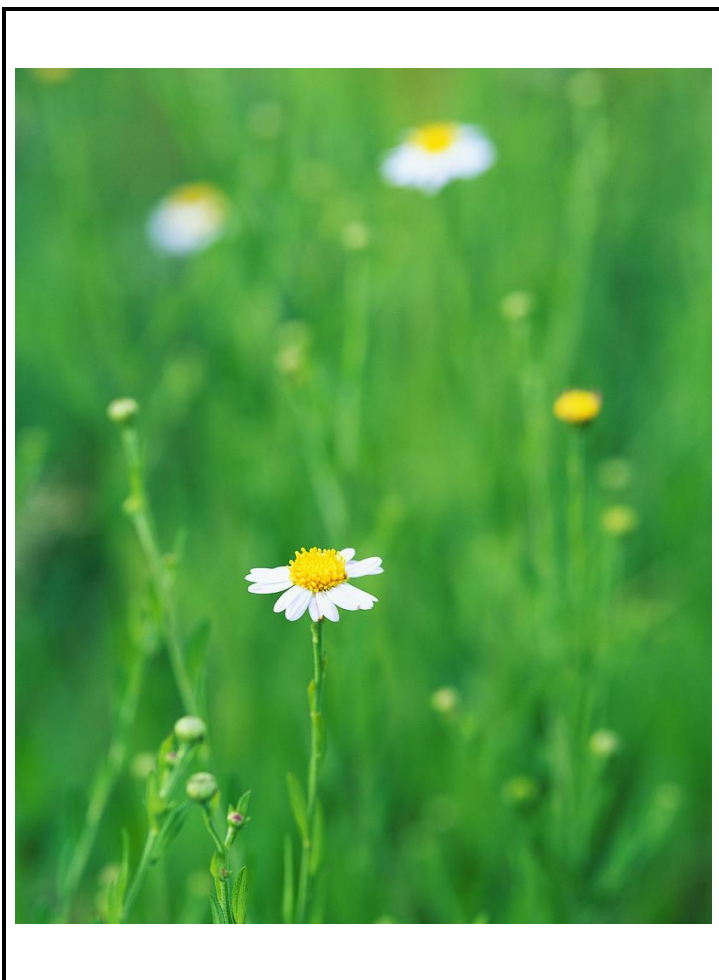
Men's choir will rehearse Tuesday, July 5th at 6:30 PM, to sing at the 8 AM mass on Sunday, July 10th.

Adult Choir Practice is Wednesday, July 13th at 6:30 PM, to sing at the 6:00 PM mass on Saturday, July 16th.

New Choir Members Are Always Welcome.

PREVIOUS WEEK'S COLLECTION

First Collection\$4,436.00
Carrolltown Food Pantry.....\$ 520.00



NOODLE MAKING

Our next noodle making session will be at 8:45 AM on Tuesday June 21st. Now that school is over, we hope our young people will come and join us. This is an excellent opportunity to obtain service hours. The more help we have the easier the job is for everyone. We do not need any eggs at this time but we do need donations of flour and it can be taken to the hall after 3:30 PM on Monday. A light lunch will be available for the workers. Thanks again to all who have been helping, especially the young people who came this past week.



VACATION BIBLE CAMP

Vacation Bible Camp (VBC) is right around the corner, our dates this year are July 12th to the 16th from 1:30 to 4:00 PM. For children entering grades K to 5th registration forms are in the back of the church.

COMMUNITY CENTER

No childcare is provided.

Gymnasium is open

School days 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM

Sundays Noon – 10:00 PM

All Other days 5:30 AM – 10:00 PM

The gym is occasionally closed for parish, school, or private events. See below for closures.

Exercise room is open

Sundays 5:00 AM to 6:00 PM

All other days 5:00 AM to 10:00 PM

Yoga Classes

Thursday 7:00 PM to 8:15 PM

Sunday 6:00 PM to 7:15 PM

7:45 PM to 9:00 PM

Call Basil for details 948-9503

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 26th Car & Craft Show

July 6th Blood Drive (1PM-8PM)

July 12th - 16th Vacation Bible Camp

PARISH BREAKFAST

Come join us, Sunday, July, 10th, from 6:30 AM till noon. The price for Adults is \$8.00 children 4 – 12 is \$4.00, and children under 3 are free.

ST. NICHOLAS CAR AND CRAFT SHOW

Our Sesquicentennial celebrations will continue with the car and craft show on Sunday, June 26th. We are looking for craft vendors, all homemade items (no food). Tables for the vendors are \$15. To rent a table or register a car, please call Theresa at 948-4784.

VOLUNTEERS

We are in need of volunteers for noodle making, the Car & Craft show and Vacation Bible Camp. If you have some time to give that would be appreciated. If you can't volunteer time and would like to make a monetary donation to Vacation Bible Camp that would be greatly appreciated.

If you are a teenager entering high school or in high school this would be a great way to get your service hours.

FOR SALE: FOLDING CHAIRS

The Holy Name will be selling the used steel chairs at the breakfast on July 10th. Sold as is, at a cost of \$5.00 each.

PASTOR'S PAGE – FATHER'S DAY, 2011

PARISH COUNCIL

Congratulations to Gary Sherry and Monica Ludwig on being elected to the Parish Council. They join Arch Morris, Scott Farabaugh, Betty Leslie, and Barry Ludwig as the six elected members of the Parish Council. Other members of the Parish Council include Pat Fresh (Holy Name), Patty (Joel) Dumm (Altar-Rosary) and Abbey Kline (Sodality). The three appointed members of the Parish Council are Kathy Dumm, Joe Ludwig and Brian Miller. Additional members of the Parish Council include Fr. Job, OSB (*ex officio*), Janelle Nealen (*ex officio*), Teresa Mitasky (Liturgy) and Sr. Mary Lee, CSSF, (*ex officio*). We meet the last Wednesday of each month from January to October. You are welcome to join us or you can contact one of the members of the Parish Council if you want something brought to the meetings.

FATHER'S DAY THANK YOU

I thank all of the Fathers in our parish who have done such an outstanding job at raising the young men and women, boys and girls, who populate our parish community. So often we blame absent fathers for the problems in the family and we forget to thank many good and holy men who are doing an excellent job.

ON FRIDAYS

The bishops of the United States, in their pastoral letter *The Challenge of Peace: God's Promise and our response*, have asked that Fridays be kept with special observance:

As a tangible sign of our need and desire to do penance we, for the cause of peace, commit ourselves to fast and abstinence on each Friday of the year. We call upon our people voluntarily to do penance on Fridays by eating less food and by abstaining from meat. This return to a traditional practice penance, once well observed in the U.S. Church, should be accompanied by works of charity and service toward our neighbors. Every Friday should be a day significantly devoted to prayer, penance, and alms giving for peace (no. 298).

FAITH DAY AT THE ALTOONA CURVE SUNDAY JULY 10TH

Highlights of the day include: Mass at 3:00 PM with Bishop Mark Bartchak; lively music; games and fun activities for the children; National Anthem sung by Father Brian Saylor, Parade of Parishes to celebrate our parish communities; Ceremonial First Pitch by Bishop Mark and at 6:00 PM the Curve vs Bowie Baysox game. A non perishable item or free-will offering for Catholic Charities will be collected. Tickets for the game in the Diamond Club (100 Level) are \$10.00, the tickets in the Grandstand (300 Level) are \$5.00 each. If enough people are interested, we will rent bus at a cost of \$10.00 per person. Please contact the office to make reservations.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL AND THE PARKING LOT

We will be using the ACA cards to pay our ACA and to raise money to make repairs on the parking lot. Please make your pledge or contribution as soon as possible so we can get to work on the repairs. Pledge cards/envelopes are available in the entrance way of the church. We have donated \$ 22,425.00 to this date. Our ACA goal is \$ 30,005.00.

CALENDAR TICKET

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| June 5 | 580 | \$200 | Nicktown |
| June 6 | 570 | \$125 | N. Cambria |
| June 7 | 584 | \$125 | Nicktown |
| June 8 | 975 | \$125 | Nicktown |
| June 9 | 778 | \$125 | Nicktown |
| June 10 | 875 | \$125 | Nicktown |
| June 11 | 094 | \$150 | Butler, PA |

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

V. Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful.

R. And kindle in them the fire of your love.

V. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created.

R. And you shall renew the face of the earth.

Let us Pray

Lord, by the Light of the Holy Spirit

teach us to be truly wise, and forever enjoy
the consolation of the Holy Spirit. **AMEN.**

NEIGHBORING EVENTS

Resurrection Parish is sponsoring a Gun Raffle on Sunday, July 10, 2011, from Noon to 5:00 PM at the Resurrection Parish Picnic Grove in Tanneryville (former St. Rochus Picnic Grove), follow Cooper Avenue Ext. off Rt. 403 west of Johnstown. \$30.00 donation includes admission, chances on 15 prizes, food and refreshments. Additional raffles will be held. For more information or tickets please call 539-5788.

Join Resurrection Parish for "Groovin' at the Grove", on Friday, July 15, 2011 featuring The Michael O'Brian Band and on Friday, August 12, 2011 featuring Tree. Both days from 5:30 to 9:00 PM at the Resurrection Parish Picnic Grove in Tanneryville (former St. Rochus Picnic Grove), follow Cooper Avenue Ext. off Rt. 403 west of Johnstown. Refreshments will be available. For more information please call 539-5788.

ANNUAL PICNIC

Saint Monica's Church
Chest Springs, PA 16624



Turkey Dinner

July 3, 2011

11:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Adults - \$8.00 and Children Under 12 - \$4.00

Children Under 5 - Free

Games Baked Goods Fancy Booth



2011
112th Annual



FOURTH of JULY PICNIC

**Immaculate Conception Church
New Germany Grove**

Ham & Chicken Dinner • Homemade Noodle Soup
11:00 am to 3:30 pm • Buffet Dinner • Adults \$10⁰⁰ / Children Under 12 \$5⁰⁰

Afternoon / Evening Entertainment

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| 11:30 am - 2:30 pm | Music by "Johnstown Button Box Club" |
| 3 pm - 6 pm | Music by "Darrell Dumm" |
| 8 pm - 11 pm | Music by "John Stiffler" in the Beer Hall |

★ Crafts ★ Games ★ Funnel Cakes ★ Food ★ Refreshments ★

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St. Joseph Catholic Church, 509 Caldwell Ave., Portage will hold a Turkey Dinner & Raffle on the Parish Grounds. A Flea Market will be held in the School Hall on Sat., June 11 from 9 AM - Noon and on Sun., June 12 from 11 AM - 2 PM. A Turkey Dinner will be served on Sun., June 12, in the Church Hall from 11 AM - 2 PM (along with a Bake Sale). Adults \$7 and Children under 12 \$4. Chances will also be available on Cash Prizes and a Stager's Store Gift Certificate. All are invited to attend.

St. Nicholas Community Center
Nicktown, PA

CAR & CRAFT SHOW



Sunday, June 26, 2011

Noon - 5:00 PM

Live Music by PT CRUISER

All Vehicles Welcome - Come and Vote for Your Favorite

Family Fun • Free Admission • Hot Sausage, Hamburgers, HotDogs

Call 948 - 9614 for Details