

Church of the Holy Angels

JUNE 12, 2016, ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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**MASSES OF OBLIGATION: SATURDAY 5:30PM
SUNDAY 8:30AM & 10:30AM**

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY 4:00PM-5:00PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY THRU THURSDAY 9:00AM-4:00PM

OFFICE CLOSED FRIDAYS

Rev. Andrew Stahmer, Pastor

Deacon Thomas Conlin

Mary Kay Bartol, Secretary, Organist, Choir Director

Joette Foris, Director of Religious Education, Guitarist

Robert Balonis, Maintenance

Elaine Lutz, Office Volunteer

Parish Mission Statement

We, the family of Holy Angels Parish, a diverse community of ethnic and cultural backgrounds, are united through the Holy Spirit to proclaim the Word of God to all peoples by following the teachings of Jesus Christ.

Working together in wisdom and love we commit ourselves in the following ways: protecting the unborn; fostering faith development in our youth; planting new seeds of evangelization throughout our parish family through prayer, spiritual works, education and outreach activities; ministering to the needs of our aging parishioners; promoting holiness through celebration of the sacraments, worship in liturgy, communal prayer, and our faith traditions.

Through these actions rooted in charity and mercy, we pledge to pass on our customs and beliefs to future generations, thus preserving our faith traditions for the greater glory of God and as a sign of Christ's love.

MASS INTENTIONS

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Saturday, June 11

7:00am Paul Baksi
5:30pm Salvatore Lacroce

Sunday, June 12

8:30am Anthony J. Bressi
10:30am People of the Parish

Monday, June 13

6:30pm Ralph V. Bressi

Tuesday, June 14

8:00am Alice Concini

Wednesday, June 15

8:00am Ann M. Scott

Thursday, June 16

**6:30pm Joseph & Adeline Altomare &
- Deceased Children**

Friday, June 17

8:00am Louise Nestico

Saturday, June 18

8:00am Anastasia Stine
5:30pm People of the Parish

Sunday, June 19

8:30am All Fathers
10:30am All Fathers

Of Your Charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of **Stanley Pultynovich and Christine Lucas**, members of Holy Angels Parish Family. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

A Dime at a Time	
Current Debt	\$178,528.16
Dime at a Time	\$29.20
Plus 1 (+1) Contributions	\$49.00
Debt Reduction	\$40.00
Balance	\$178,409.96

Sacrificial Offering

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Weekend of June 5, 2016

Sunday Offering Envelopes	\$4,226.00
Youth Offering	\$35.00
Loose Cash	\$132.00
Energy	\$182.00
Ascension	\$12.00

Amount Budgeted	\$8,333.00
Amount Contributed	\$4,587.00
Weekend of June 5	-\$3,746.00

Votive Candles	\$121.00
Air Conditioning Maintenance	\$336.00

Improvement Fund	
Previous Balance	\$13,381.00
Weekend of June 5	+\$436.00
Current Balance	\$13,817.00

Diocesan Collections	
Pentecost	\$25.00
Lenten Appeal	\$150.00

Vigil Lights

June 12 thru June 18

- Sanctuary Light:** *In loving memory of Bernard Kaminsky by Lorraine Fallat*
- St. Anthony:** *In loving memory of Clem Marchetti by granddaughters, Kinsley & Layla*
- St. Anne:** *In loving memory of Antoinette Bach by Komara Family*
- St. Casimir:** *In loving memory of John Back by Komara Family*
- St. Theresa:** *In loving memory of Pat Komara, Sr. by Komara Family*
- St. Kateri:** *In loving memory of Elaine Duran by husband, Michael & Family*
- St. Marziale:** *In loving memory of Ann Scicchitano by Komara Family*
- Sacred Heart:** *Special intention Cathy Lacroce*

Now that the summer months are here and school is out, any altar server who wishes to serve daily Mass is encouraged to do so.

BINGO

Bingo will be held Tuesday, June 14, 2016. Doors open 4:30PM. Game begins 6:00PM.

Bingo Workers & Bakers

Cakes or pies are always needed for Bingo on Tuesday evenings. Drop off your baked goods at the Activity Center during the day on any Tuesday. Men and women are most welcome to assist with working the floor!

Baptism Classes

Expectant parents are required to attend one Pre-Baptismal Class prior to the Baptism (preferably before the birth of their child.) Classes will be held on the second Sunday of each month at 11:45AM. Pre-register by contacting the office at 373-1221 at least 2 weeks prior to scheduled class.

Presentation of the Gifts

If a Mass is being offered for your loved one, and family members would like to present the gifts at that Mass, we ask that you please call the rectory ahead of time to let us know of your intentions. 373-1221.

The Greatest Prayer-The Mass

Please remember that the greatest prayer that our Lord has given to us is the Mass. When a loved one departs from his or her earthly home and begins a new life with our Lord, let us consider celebrating this new life with a Mass of Christian Burial.

Adoration at St. Pauline Center

Eucharistic Adoration is held at the St. Pauline Center Fridays from noon until 10:00PM and Saturdays from 5:00AM to 7:00PM. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed in the chapel on Fridays at 3:00PM.

Holy Angels Parish Pool Winner

May 31, 2016

Carolyn Chiavaroli \$66.00

Parish Council Meeting

Thursday, July 7, 2016 at 7:15PM
in the rectory

Altar Server Schedule

Saturday, June 18

5:30PM Sarah Cooper, Hannah Nolter

Zachary Zvoncheck, Bryson Zvoncheck

Sunday, June 19

8:30AM Mary Frances Komara, Dominick

Tamborelli, Briana Tamborelli

10:30AM Angel Barwicki, Rosalie Mitchell, Liam

Bradley

Picnic Committee Meeting

Thursday, June 23, 2016

7:15PM in the Activity Center

All interested parish members are invited to attend.

Holy Name Society

Father, Son & Daughter Communion Breakfast

Father's Day, Sunday, June 19, 2016

\$5.00/adults Children 12 years and under free

Tickets available at the parish office or from any

Holy Name member.

Holy Angels Ladies Organization (HALO)

An Ice Cream Sundae Social will be held on Saturday, June 25, 6:30-8:00PM in the Activity Center, to introduce the newly revamped Ladies Guild, the Holy Angels Ladies Organization. We welcome all women, 18 years and older, to join us to learn more about the mission and vision of this organization. Watch for further information coming soon!

Father's Day Spiritual Bouquets

Cards are available in the back of the church for those wishing to purchase a Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet for your father, living or deceased. Returns can be made thru the Sunday collection or by dropping them off at the parish office. Please have all returns in by Wednesday, June 15.

Anniversary Calendars

Kulpmont 100th Anniversary Calendars are available at Holy Angels Parish Office. Cost \$10.00 each.

Donations for Kitchen Car Cruise & Centennial

Holy Angels Parish will be selling food and drinks during the Car Cruise and also during the Centennial Celebration. Any Coke products (cans of regular, diet, sprite) which you would like to donate to be sold at these events can be dropped off at the parish office at your convenience.

The Great Kulpmont Cruise

The 14th Cruise will be held on Sunday, June 19th, 2016. All vehicles will be on display on Holy Angels Picnic Grounds beginning at 11:30AM. The Cruise begins at 3:00PM. Holy Angels Parish will have a concession stand which is being coordinated by Kenn Splitt. If you are able to help at this stand, you are asked to contact Kenn at 760-500-3929.

Divine Redeemer Parish Summer Festival

The annual Divine Redeemer Parish Summer Festival in Mount Carmel will be held on the parish picnic grounds and in Divine Mercy Hall (400 Block of West Cherry St.) on Friday, June 17 from 5:00 pm to 10:00 pm and Saturday, June 18 from 3:00 to 11:00 pm. Featured at the rain-or-shine event will be the ever popular Theme Basket Raffle, Father Moran's Cake Wheel, Ice Cream, Delicious Ethnic Foods, Homemade Baked Goods, Raffles, Rip-Offs, Kidz' Zone, and Refreshments. As part of this year's Summer Festival we will be selling "The Big Chance" Raffle Tickets – you will be able to pick from 10 Big Prize Packages!!!

Highlighting the day will be entertainment by "The 60's Boys" on Friday evening and "Into The Spin" on Saturday evening. All are welcome.

Mother Cabrini Annual Parish Picnic will be held at the RCA Grounds in Ranshaw, (rain or shine) beginning Friday, June 17th from 5PM to 10PM; Saturday, June 18th from 3PM to 10PM; and Sunday, June 19th from 2PM to 10PM. There will be a variety of homemade and delicious foods, refreshments, games, prizes music, etc.

Holy Angels Parish Picnic Basket Bonanza

Now is the time to consider donating a basket for the Basket Bonanza! You may donate \$50 and we will do the shopping for you, or put your own basket together with a value of at least \$50.00. Contact Sherry Bozza at 570-933-1886 or Jill Bozza at 570-933-0524 to let them know that your basket will be donated for the picnic.

Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC)

Next week, our parish will take up the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This collection communicates the Gospel through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through television, radio, social media, podcasts, and print media. Half of all proceeds remain in our diocese and support local needs, so please be generous in this collection.

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Mt. Carmel Annual Festival

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church 47 S. Market St. will hold its Annual Festival at 4th & Market Streets on Friday June 24th from 6:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M. with the Shoreliner's Band and on Saturday June 25th from 5:00 P.M. to 10:30 P.M. with D.J. Mike Wonzik.

Theme baskets, kid's games, pierogies, pigeons, funnel cakes, potato cakes, sausages hoagies, meatball hoagies, hamburgers, hot dogs, barbecue, wedding soup, beef vegetable soup, haluski, popcorn, chicken fingers, French fries, pastries, sweets and beverages.

The pre-event pierogies & pigeons sale will be Friday June 24th from 11:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. in the hall. Bingo will be in the hall. In case of rain out, the food will be sold in the hall on Sunday June 26th 9:30 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.

Feast Day Mass for St. Pauline

The Feast Day of St. Pauline being July 9, will be celebrated Tuesday, July 5th, truly an occasion for us to express thanks and gratitude to the most Reverend Bishop Ronald W. Gainer, of the Harrisburg Diocese. A Mass to commemorate St. Pauline's Feast Day will be celebrated by Bishop Gainer on this day at 6:00pm, at the St. Pauline Center. You and your loved ones, and special intentions will be remembered on this Feast day Mass.

In remembrance of the anniversary of St. Pauline and your loved ones, a day of Spirituality, candles are available to be placed in the Center, and will be blessed following the Mass by the Most Reverend Bishop Gainer. (All are invited and light refreshments will be served after the Mass and Blessing).

Quo Vadis Days 2016 Attention all Catholic young men ages 15-25. Our Lord Jesus Christ has a great plan and mission for you! You are invited to attend the Diocese of Harrisburg's 12th Annual Quo Vadis Days vocation camp to spend time with other young men your age as you listen to the Lord's call in your life while having fun. Activities include - Holy Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, hiking, sports, games, great food, talks and more. QVD is staffed by the Diocese of Harrisburg's priests and seminarians. QVD will be held from June 19-23, 2016 at Mount St. Mary's Seminary. Cost: there is a \$50 registration fee; all other expenses are funded by the Diocese of Harrisburg. Registration forms can be found on our website at www.hbgdiocese.org. You may also contact the Office of Vocations at (717) 657-4804, ext. 282 with questions or for a registration packet.



We need to accept the mercy of God: We are challenged to accept or reject the mercy of God. We often share Simon's mentality, displaying an attitude of lovelessness and harshness. Let us remember that Simon's self-sufficiency prevented him from acknowledging his need for the grace of God. Do we invite Jesus into our lives in the hope of gaining prestige? Or do we love him because he is the one and only Savior who has died for our sins?

We need to be grateful to our forgiving God: As the repentant sinner showed her gratitude to Jesus by anointing his feet with tears and precious ointment, we too should show gratitude to God for unconditionally and repeatedly pardoning our sins. This is possible only if we try our best to keep the promises we make in our act of contrition in confession "*to sin no more, and to avoid the near occasions of sin.*" Our sincere attempts to avoid the occasions of sin will be proof of our sincere repentance and the expression of our gratitude to the merciful God who has forgiven our sins.

We need to cultivate a forgiving attitude towards our neighbor: Although it is not easy, we must learn to forgive those who hurt us if we want to be able to receive the daily forgiveness we need from a merciful God. We start forgiving when we try our best to patch up quarrels, misunderstandings and disagreements and pray sincerely for the well-being of our offenders.

Volunteers needed!

Help is needed with preparing the parish envelopes for the picnic. If you are willing to volunteer your time please to come to the parish office on Wednesday, June 15 at 9:00AM.

Picnic Start Up

The second collection next weekend, June 18-19, will be for Picnic Start-up expenses. Please be as generous as you are able!

Picnic Yard Sale

We will be having the Yard Sale once again this year at the Parish Picnic, so please begin to gather your "good stuff" that you will be donating. NO clothing, shoes or electronics please! The drop off dates for your items are:

JULY 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 9am-3pm.
SATURDAY, JULY 16, 9am-12noon.
JULY 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 9am-3pm.

Kulpmont Celebration Food Stand

A sign-up sheet is available in the back of the church for anyone willing to work at Holy Angels Food or Soda stand during the Kulpmont Celebration on July 2. Shifts available are 2PM-6PM or 6PM-10PM. Please sign your name and phone number.

Saint Thomas More Society

The Saint Thomas More Society of Central Pennsylvania, an organization of Catholic lawyers, judges, public office holders, paralegals and legal assistants, respectfully invites you, to attend the Feast Day Mass of Saint Thomas More to be celebrated by the Most Reverend, Ronald Gainer, Bishop of the Diocese of Harrisburg, on Wednesday June 22, 2016 at 8:30 a.m. at Saint Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 359 West Areba Ave, Hershey, PA 17033. The purpose of this Mass is to gather to pray for God's guidance and to invoke blessings upon those who work in the administration of justice or government.

Make Your Voice Heard - It is more important than ever for Catholics to make their voices heard in the public square. You can receive up-to-date information on the most pressing issues that affect the common good through the Catholic Advocacy Network. You will be notified of important legislative news via email and be able to contact your legislators with just a few clicks of the mouse. Visit www.PACatholic.org and click on the Subscribe or Sign Up tabs. Imagine the voices of Pennsylvania's 3 million Catholics speaking together on matters of public policy.

June 12, 2016

Dear Padre



Dealing with Catholics who ignore Church beliefs

Q How should the Church respond to Catholics who publicly ignore its beliefs and morals?

Let's begin with Jesus' recipe for dealing with a person who is living in known sin (Matthew 18:15-17). First of all, gently bring instruction or correction **in private**. This is a simple, friendly call to repentance. If he or she does not listen, a **second witness** or authority may be called. We then may approach the **pastor** or another leader to try to help the person to reject the evil. If the person still refuses, the Church may be forced to exclude him or her from the Eucharist until there are signs of repentance. This is known as "**excommunication**" and is an extreme last resort. It is an ugly word for an ugly reality. It is a public proclamation by

the Church that an individual is defiant in his or her rebellion and has left the community of the faithful.

Notice that excommunication is *not* the Church kicking out a poor sinner, but it simply proclaims that the person has chosen to leave our values for the sake of selfishness, politics, money, or some other motive. In fact, the whole reason for excommunication is to try to show the person the seriousness of his or her offense so that he or she will return to Christ and the Church and receive mercy.

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Monday
JUNE 13
St. Anthony of Padua,
Priest and
Doctor of the Church
1 Kgs 21:1-16
Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday
JUNE 14
Weekday
1 Kgs 21:17-29
Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday
JUNE 15
Weekday
2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday
JUNE 16
Weekday
Sir 48:1-14
Mt 6:7-15

Friday
JUNE 17
Weekday
2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20
Mt 6:19-23

Saturday
JUNE 18
Weekday
2 Chr 24:17-25
Mt 6:24-34

Sunday
JUNE 19
Twelfth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Zec 12:10-11; 13:1
Gal 3:26-29
Lk 9:18-24

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Ordinary Time

June 12, 2016 ♦ Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)
2 Sm 12:7-10, 13 ♦ Gal 2:16, 19-21 ♦ Lk 7:36-8:3 or 7:36-50

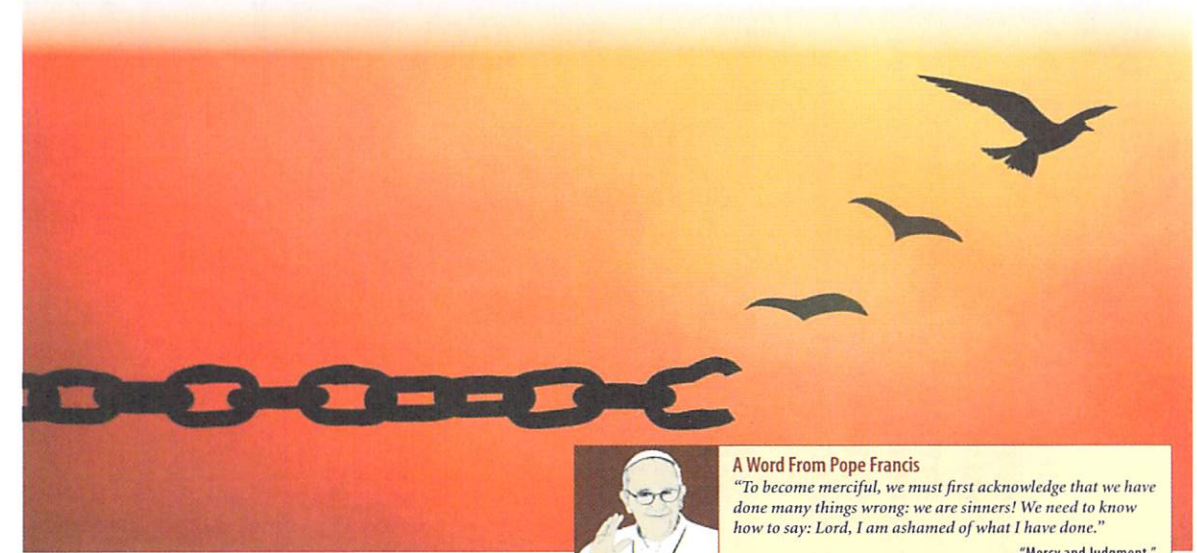
When I was seven or eight, I stole a package of gum from the store. When my mother found out about it, she dropped what she was doing and made me take money from my piggy bank. We then drove back to the store where I had to bring my money to the cashier and confess that I had taken the gum. She thanked me for bringing the money and spoke those sweet words, "I forgive you." I never forgot the lesson, and I never stole anything again. If only that were the only sin I had to worry about!

Throughout our lives, we become increasingly aware of the many ways we fall short of the holiness to which God calls us. Male or female, ordained or lay, old or young, we often give in to what tempts us because it looks so good in the moment. Only later

do we realize the harm we have done to ourselves or someone else. The woman with the jar of ointment knew only too well that her life was not perfect. But she also heard Jesus' invitation to repent and the love in his message. She laid her life and her service at his feet and knew the forgiveness of God. The Pharisee, on the other hand, could not imagine that he needed forgiveness and so was not open to the transformation that Jesus offered.

All of us sin and are in need of forgiveness. When we ask for and accept that forgiveness in our lives, we are able to give far more than we can imagine. Just ask Mary, Joanna, Susanna, and all the other women and men who followed Jesus.

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A Word From Pope Francis
"To become merciful, we must first acknowledge that we have done many things wrong: we are sinners! We need to know how to say: Lord, I am ashamed of what I have done."
"Mercy and Judgment,"
Morning Meditation, March 17, 2014



Francis frequently speaks of the need for the Church to emulate God's mercy. "Perhaps we have long since forgotten how to show and live the way of mercy," he wrote in *Misericordia Vultus, The Face of Mercy*. "The time has come for the Church to take up the joyful call to mercy once more."

— From *10 Things Pope Francis Wants You to Know About the Family* by Joshua J. McElwee (826399)

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