

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF
NATIVITY
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
TUNKHANNOCK, PA



ST. MARY
OF THE LAKE
LAKE WINOLA, PA

AUGUST 24-25, 2019



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00AM

Pastoral Council: Diane Stone, Chair

Finance Council: Chris DeMarco, Chair

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:00AM

Pastoral Council: Bernie Garvey, Chair

Finance Council: Don Ames, Chair

Rev. Patrick L. Albert, Pastor
Deacon Raymond A. Pieretti, Pastoral Associate
Rev. Dennis Bajkowski (Ret.)

Parish Office: Fr. Nallin Hall, Tunkhannock
Business Manager: Dick Schwoebel (570)677-7634
Secretary: Mary Lou Chackan
Office hours: 9:00AM – 2:00PM

WELCOME: We warmly welcome all to join us in worship of our God. If you are new to our parish community, please be sure to tell Fr. Pat that you will be joining our parish community. Contact the parish office if you have any questions. Visitor envelopes are available at all entrances.

MARRIAGE: Christian marriage is a sacred and serious commitment. Couples contemplating marriage should notify a parish priest at least nine months before the date on which they intend to marry. This should be done before any other arrangements are made so that a couple may be suitably served by the parish and diocese. All couples are required to take part in a Pre-Cana program or Engaged Encounter Weekend. **Sunday Weddings are not permitted.**

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a community journey that leads to transformation of mind and spirit. Guided by the gospel and the examples of parish members, newcomers can find their place in the RCIA community of believers and discover their own relationship with Christ. The program runs from September through Pentecost with reception of the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil. Information is available at the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Knowing the Catholic faith and tradition is essential if faith and tradition are to continue to be nourishing facets of our lives. Religious formation is valuable for both youth and adults. Classes are conducted from September to May following the 9:00AM Mass on Sunday. Information on religious education programs for youth of all ages and educational opportunities for adults are available at the parish office.

BULLETIN: If you have information that you would like to place in the bulletin (community news, society/social news, etc.), please have it at the parish office no later than Tuesday morning.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Forty-five minutes before Saturday evening Mass or by appointment.

SHUT-INS: If someone you know is unable to attend Mass but would like to receive Communion or receive a copy of our weekly bulletin, please contact the parish office.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION PROGRAM: All parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation meeting before this sacrament will be celebrated. Contact Father Pat at the parish office (570-836-3275) to schedule an appointment to discuss your child's baptism.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Visits are made on a regular basis.
PLEASE NOTE: The new privacy laws limit the amount of information that we receive from the hospitals or nursing/convalescent homes. It is necessary that family or friends notify us of these admittances.

HANDICAPPED SEATING AREA: Please note that the front pew nearest to the side door is reserved to accommodate those who have need due to disability. Please be kind enough to leave this pew available for that purpose.

PARKING LOT: [St. Mary's] Please keep the emergency lane in front of the church clear at all times. It is essential that vehicles are able to get in and out of the parking lot in case of an emergency. Please adhere to the parking spaces as delineated. Please be considerate of your fellow parishioners when you are backing up or turning to park or to exit the parking lot. There is ample parking on the upper level and supplemental parking on the side of the church.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT
"TO KNOW, LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD
AND ONE ANOTHER
IN IMITATION OF MARY"

*Approved by both Parish Pastoral Councils
January 2007*

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FROM ST. MARY'S PARISH COMMUNITY:

I am a positive pessimist. I think and prepare for the worst, but still have the glimmery, mischievous bugger called hope chewing on my brain and feeding my thoughts. I get irrationally upset, complain, vent... I'm human, just like everyone else.

One of my favorite things about our church community is how welcoming we can be, how helpful and kind. Yet we all still get those human emotions, the ones that cause anger and judgement to come bubbling out of our mouths. It doesn't make us believe in God any less or change how He sees us, since we were created with our unique faults. But it can change how others see you, or feel about you.

I've witnessed the darkness that can come creeping out. Not all demons can be fought on our own, we need to be a part of something, have support from others to get through the toughest times. The Disciples of Mary are that group at St. Mary's. One year ago, in the span of a five-minute phone call I took on the Disciples, I said yes, despite my pessimism and held onto the little bit of hope that with the help and strength of our parishioners, I can bring on change.

I make no secret or apologies that I want our churches to move forward, to go with good changes and branch out from our comfort zones to become a bigger part of our community. I am pushing for more activities, more reasons to bring the two parishes together – which is an uphill battle of epic proportions – yet I can't even fathom a good reason the divide exists. I've had smug responses towards my ideas but I won't give up. The women of our society joined together ages ago to do one thing – build our church. Without them, St. Mary's wouldn't exist. No building, no hall. It was this strength and hard work that made me say yes despite my doubts. Yes, I will lead, but only if I have the support to make a difference. Our decisions define who we are, how everyone sees us. With my faults, I still want to be someone He can be proud of for creating and also make our community proud with my actions.

We are always open to new members and new ideas. If you want to be a part of a community who wants to help the church, our church, join us. Men, women – I don't care. We are all Disciples of Mary. We just need to remember that and act like it.

Summer Pieretti

CCD TEACHERS NEEDED AT NATIVITY BVM: We are in need of teachers for the **3rd & 5th grades** for the CCD program **starting in September**. If you can help, please contact Judy Boyanowski (570-833-5239).



ST. MARY'S AED IS LOCATED IN THE FOYER BETWEEN THE CHURCH & HALL

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Clergy Care & Education September 07-08

**NATIVITY BVM FOOD BOOTH
AT THE WYOMING COUNTY COMMUNITY FAIR
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28th THROUGH MONDAY,
SEPTEMBER 2nd (LABOR DAY)**

WE NEED YOU!!! The Fair starts this Wednesday and volunteers are still needed to man our food booth – Nativity's biggest fundraiser of the year. See the enclosed schedule for current openings and call the Parish Office (570-836-3275) as soon as possible and sign up for your day and shift. We're also in need of Booth Captains to oversee the shifts.

This year we are splitting the Booth Captain's hours into two shifts – 8:00AM to 3:00PM and 3:00PM to 10:00PM. Helper shifts will remain at 10:00AM to 4:00PM and 4:00PM to 10:00PM. Eight helpers per shift is ideal.

Volunteers are also needed for:

- The initial cleaning and setup of the booth **this Monday, August 26th** (cleaning up the dust; carrying in tables, chairs and supplies)
- Booth cleanup and takedown on **Tuesday, September 3rd**
- Making fruit cups in Fr. Nallin Hall (every day)

Please call Mary Lou and she will pass your contact info on to the coordinators of each job.

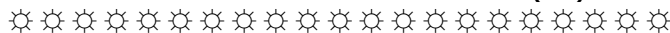
Thanks. We are very appreciative and grateful.

**ST. MARY OF THE LAKE
2019 WYOMING COUNTY COMMUNITY FAIR
"BASKETS GALORE"**

I want to thank everyone who donated a basket this year – **we have a total of 67 baskets** for our booth! Thanks also to those who came to our display last weekend in the hall & purchased chances to kick off our fundraiser.

This would never be possible if not for all of your generosity. We are so blessed. I cannot begin to tell you how much I appreciate each and every one of you. Thank you and God Bless. See you at the Fair!!

MaryAnn
(570) 687-3070



I have enclosed in this bulletin the schedule showing those who have volunteered to date. As you can see, we still need people for a number of the shifts. **Please let me know if you want to volunteer** and if you can work at the times that need volunteers. **The shifts are 11:00AM to 2:00PM, 2:00PM to 5:00PM, 5:00PM to 8:00PM and 8:00PM to 11:00PM.**

Thank you in advance for your support. Please call me or email me with your availability: **570-378-2014** or ewengen@aol.com.

Ellen Wengen



A WELCOMING COMMUNITY: You enter this church ... not as stranger, but as a guest of God. He is your heavenly Father. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the strong and loyal ones who, in the name of Jesus Christ, built this place of worship, and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with their prayers and praise.

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING: August 17-18, 2019

Nativity BVM Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 4,800.00
 Actual Offertory**\$ 3,636.00
 Difference:.....**\$(1,164.00)**

St. Mary of the Lake Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 2,000.00
 Actual Offertory**\$ 1,929.00
 Difference:.....**\$(71.00)**

*Weekly Collection Goal represents the amount needed weekly if we are going to make our 2019-2020 Parish Collections goal (envelopes and loose). It does NOT include Fundraising, Religious Education Income or any other income.

**Actual Offertory represents the total amount received in the weekly collection (not including Easter or special collections).

The generosity of our people is truly appreciated. We may not always reach our budgeted goals, but we are grateful to those who make a sacrifice on a weekly basis to sustain our parish ministries.

DIOCESAN YOUTH RETREAT

Up&Over Middle School Retreat – September 27-29, 2019

A team-building and problem solving retreat for middle school students in grades 6th, 7th, or 8th. It's guaranteed to be a weekend of fun, friendship, & faith at the beautiful wooded Camp Orchard Hill in Dallas. Participants will spend time outdoors, meet new friends & learn how their God-given gifts can be used when you work with others as a team! Built into the weekend are opportunities to deepen your faith and a number of fun activities and events including weekend Mass, a movie, free time, & an outdoor obstacle course!

Students arrive at 7:00PM on Friday, September 27th and depart at noon on Sunday, September 30th. Cost for the weekend is \$140.00. **Your parish will pay half of the cost for all attendees.**

Register online at Dioceseofscranton.org. For more information, visit dioceseofscranton.org or call 570-207-2213, ext. 1155.

CAPUCHIN SISTERS SUPPORT FUND: If you would like to assist with this need, please put your donation in an envelope marked "Capuchin Sisters" and deposit it in the collection at any time.

NEW DIOCESAN PROGRAM FOR YOUNG PARISHIONERS

Many faithful say young people are the **future** of the Church. That isn't the case. Young people are a part of the Church **right now** and they are leaving their mark each day.

At the conclusion of Mass for this year's World Youth Day in Panama, Pope Francis' last words were for the young people of the Church. "We are on a journey," the Holy Father reminded them. "Keep walking, keep living the faith and sharing it...you are not the tomorrow, you are not the 'meantime,' you are the Now of God."

Do you know a religious education or Catholic school teacher that has helped you deepen your faith or your child's faith? Is there a young person in your parish that is making a difference in your community? Do you know someone who is living a life of faith and service to our Diocese and our world at large?

The Catholic Light is launching a new effort to recognize the young people who are actively and fully engaged in the Catholic Church through a new effort called the **Diocese of Scranton's 20 Under 40**.

We believe that good news should be shared and that our faithful young people deserve special recognition. We are asking Pastors, Parish Life Coordinators and everyday parishioners to nominate the young people and dedicated volunteers in their midst.

The final 20 will be featured in a fall edition of *The Catholic Light* and through Diocesan social media accounts.

NOMINATION GUIDELINES

- Nominee must be between 18 and 39 years of age as of December 31, 2019
- Nominee should be committed to serving others and providing leadership to his or her parish, school and/or the Diocese of Scranton
- Individuals may nominate themselves for recognition
- If nominating multiple individuals, separate forms should be completed for each nomination

WINNERS WILL BE SELECTED BASED ON THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- Demonstrates impact to their field / ministry / community
- Brings recognition and pride to the work of the Diocese of Scranton
- Ability to uphold and enhance the core values and mission of the Diocese of Scranton

Candidates must be willing to submit a headshot, if selected, which can be published

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact Eric Deabill, Diocesan Secretary for Communications & Editor-in-Chief, *The Catholic Light*: EDeabill@dioceseofscranton.org or (570) 591-5001

The deadline for submissions will be Friday, September 20, 2019.

REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR: It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations.

In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska, at 570-862-7551.

VIRTUS: Two training sessions for adults in the Protecting God's Children (PGC-VIRTUS) program has been scheduled:

► **Tuesday, September 17th at All Saints Academy, Scranton, 6:00-9:00PM.**

► **Wednesday, September 18th at St. Catherine of Siena, Moscow @ 6:00PM.**

Complete information is posted at:

www.dioceseofscranton.org (safe environment-child protection-VIRTUS)

If you are an adult employee or volunteer who has direct contact or routine interaction with children, please make every effort to participate in this training. Your attendance is important. Thank you.

VIRTUS: A (live) Mandated Reporter Training will take place on **Thursday, September 12th from 6:00-9:00PM at the Diocesan Pastoral Center, 330 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton** (former Bishop Hannan High School).

Trainings are **limited to the first 50 participants** and are for those individuals who are identified as mandated reporters of child abuse but have not yet completed the online training through the University of Pittsburgh.

PLEASE NOTE: this IS NOT a VIRTUS training session.

For all Protecting God's Children program (VIRTUS) trainings, please refer to the Diocese of Scranton's website at: <http://www.dioceseofscranton.org/compliance-office/victim-assistance-coordinator/virtus/>

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED: Both of our parishes are looking for volunteers to become Eucharistic Ministers. If you are interested in serving your parish at the altar, please call Mary Lou at the Parish Office (570-836-3275). Deacon Ray will be scheduling a training session in the near future. We will notify you of that schedule if you are registered.

PIEROGI SALES: For a limited time, **we are continuing to sell pierogies at the Parish Office.** Cost is \$7.00 per dozen. First come, first served.



HAVE YOU BEEN ASKED TO BE A SPONSOR? It is a wonderful honor to be asked to be a sponsor for Baptism and Confirmation. It signifies that you are being asked to live your life as an example and in imitation of God's love for the person you sponsor.

To serve as a sponsor, it is required that a person obtain a sponsor letter from his/her pastor. Sponsors must be at least 16 years of age, have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist, Confirmation, (If married) be married according to the regulations for marriage as provided by the Roman Catholic Church, officially registered and participating weekly in the Sunday Eucharist & actively striving to live out your own baptismal commitment to Christ.



EWTN: The Eternal Word Television Network display with valuable Catholic programming information is available in the front of Nativity BVM church. There is a display of this information in the front vestibule of the church closest to Tioga Street. Feel free to stop by and take the information regarding their programming.

FITNESS CLASSES HAVE RESUMED: With the completion of church renovations at St. Mary's, the Parish Hall is again the site for the DanceFit and YogaFit programs on **Wednesday evenings. DanceFit begins at 6:00PM & the YogaFit classes are at 7:00PM.** All are welcome to attend.

THE LOWER WYOMING COUNTY FOOD PANTRY: The Lower Wyoming County Food Pantry has **added hours** to provide our community neighbors a more convenient opportunity to help stock their kitchen with staples. The Pantry remains open as before on the **first and third Thursday of the month from 9:00-11:00AM.** The new added hours are on the **first and third Monday evening of the month from 6:00-8:00PM.**

We are in need of a few new volunteers. Your scheduled two hour shift will take place perhaps three times a year. If you think that this is a service you would like to try, please call me and we can talk about it.

If you or someone you know from the Lower Wyoming County is in need of food, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your consideration....God bless! **Mary Lou Franko (570-586-4811)**



BOY SCOUT NEWS

Next Committee Meeting: September 9th

Upstairs Classroom @ Father Nallin Hall

Alison Delano, Committee Chairperson
570-233-4000 adelano1230@gmail.com

CUB SCOUT NEWS

ADULT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Fr. Nallin Hall

TBA



ANNULMENT PROCESS: Do you want to know more about the annulment process? In the Diocese of Scranton, the annulment process is now more "user friendly" than you might expect, and there is no longer a processing fee. Please contact Fr. Pat or the Diocesan Tribunal Office (570-207-2246) to begin a conversation. It is possible to get clear answers to these questions and to renew your connection with the Church.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: All adult Catholics (age 18 and over) are expected to be officially registered in a Parish and participating at Mass and the other Sacraments on a regular basis. If you have graduated from College or High School and are now employed, you are expected to join on your own unless you are attending college or a trade school. In order for a child to receive First Penance, First Eucharist or Confirmation, at least one of their parents or legal guardian must belong to and participate in our Parish. If you need to register or have any questions, please feel free to contact the Parish Office at 570-836-3275.

REMEMBRANCE DAY FOR ABORTION VICTIMS: The Diocese of Scranton will participate in the seventh annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children on **Saturday, September 14th** — Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross — when pro-life Americans will honor the memory of the nearly 60 million unborn victims of abortion since its legalization in 1973. Diocesan observances on September 14th will include a **Memorial Service for Victims of Abortion to be held at 11:00AM at Mount Olivet Cemetery, 612 Mount Olivet Road, Carverton.** The pro-life gathering will take place at Mount Olivet's **Wyoming Valley Knights of Columbus "Tomb for the Unborn,"** located on the top of the hill on the cemetery grounds. During the memorial observance, the Rosary will be recited in remembrance of all aborted babies. All faithful are invited. For more information, contact Ada Magni at (570) 693-1338.

That you may retain your self-respect, it is better to displease the people by doing what you know is right, than to temporarily please them by doing what you know is wrong.
William J.H. Boetcker



CAN YOU HELP? Both of our parishes are in need of volunteers to **help count the collection each week.** At **Nativity**, the counting takes place on **Sunday morning** starting at about 9:00AM. **St. Mary of the Lake**

counting takes place on **Monday morning** at about 9:00AM. If you can help out **approximately once a month** in either parish, please contact Dick Schwoebel at the Parish Office (570-836-3275) or at 570-677-7634. It doesn't take long and we could really use your help.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES: The Diocese of Scranton offers compassionate counseling in a safe, comfortable environment where your privacy is always respected. Counseling is about self-discovery and can be used for personal growth or when distressing conditions exist and you need a bit of extra support. Help is available. Anyone who struggles with anxiety, depression, grief and loss, life transitions or a variety of emotional or psychological conditions is welcome. Catholic Social Services accepts Medicaid plans and some insurance plans. Counseling is made affordable for everyone. For more information or to make an appointment, call (570) 207-2283.

OBLATES' LABOR DAY TRIDUUM, MASS TO HONOR SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER: The Oblates of Saint Joseph congregation will host their annual Labor Day Triduum and Mass in honor of Saint Joseph the Worker during the upcoming Labor Day Weekend, **August 30-September 2**, at the Oblates' seminary chapel, located on **Route 315 in Laflin.** Masses during the Triduum — Friday, August 30th through Sunday, September 1st — will be celebrated each evening at 7:00PM, followed by devotional prayers to Saint Joseph as the patron saint of laborers. Confessions and recitation of the Rosary will precede each Mass. The Triduum will conclude with a special Labor Day Mass honoring Saint Joseph the Worker on Monday, September 2nd at 11:00AM, concelebrated by the Oblate Fathers. Principal celebrant and homilist will be Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus John M. Dougherty. At the conclusion of the Mass, bread will be blessed and distributed to the faithful as a symbol of the "fruit of our labor." All are welcome. For more information, call the OSJ seminary office at (570) 654-7542.

PRAYER FOR AN END TO INFANTICIDE

"Jesus, Lord of Life, transform the hearts of all elected leaders to recognize that infanticide is wrong and must not be tolerated. Open hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every human life."

**LOCAL CATHOLIC RADIO STATION
JMJ RADIO 750AM or 98.9FM**



POPE ENCOURAGES PRIESTS DEJECTED BY ABUSE

CRISIS: Pope Francis acknowledged the shame and frustration felt by priests who are discouraged by the actions of fellow clergy members who betrayed the trust of their flock through sexual abuse and abuse of conscience and power. In a letter addressed to priests around the world August 4th, the pope said that many priests have spoken or written to him expressing “their outrage at what happened” and the doubts and fears the sexual abuse crisis has caused. “Without denying or dismissing the harm caused by some of our brothers, it would be unfair not to express our gratitude to all those priests who faithfully and generously spend their lives in the service of others,” he said. Commemorating the 160th anniversary of the death of St. John Mary Vianney, patron saint of parish priests, the pope praised those priests who, like their patron, carry out their mission “often without fanfare and at personal cost, amid weariness, infirmity and sorrow.” However, he also shared his concern that many priests “feel themselves attacked and blamed for crimes they did not commit.” The revelations of sexual abuse and cover-up by clergy members, he explained, has “been a time of great suffering in the lives of those who experienced such abuse, but also in the lives of their families and of the entire people of God.” The pope added that priests have not been immune to the pain felt by the faithful and “embody a spiritual fatherhood capable of weeping with those who weep.” “Countless priests make of their lives a work of mercy in areas or situations that are often hostile, isolated or ignored, even at the risk of their lives,” he said. “I acknowledge and appreciate your courageous and steadfast example; in these times of turbulence, shame and pain, you demonstrate that you have joyfully put your lives on the line for the sake of the Gospel.” Nevertheless, the pope said, the current crisis is a time of “ecclesial purification” that “makes us realize that without (God) we are simply dust.”

CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER

An Engaged Encounter is a retreat weekend for engaged couples. It is an opportunity to gather with other engaged couples, to enjoy time both in groups and alone as a couple, and to dialogue about your future married life together.

A team of married couples, as well as a priest, present ideas related to many pertinent topics. The weekend concludes with a Sunday Mass celebration. With your pastor's permission, an Engaged Encounter Weekend can qualify as PreCana preparation.

Engaged Encounter Weekends are held throughout the year, both through the Diocese of Camden and through the Diocese of Harrisburg. To learn more about Engaged Encounter, or to register for a weekend, go to <http://www.engagedencounter.org/>.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GATHERINGS OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS PARISH, CLARKS SUMMIT

- Support group meetings held on the first Wednesday of the month at 10:00AM and the third Sunday of the month at 2:00PM
- The Gathering Room (lower level) of Our Lady of the Snows Church, 301 South State Street, Clarks Summit

All are welcome; no registration is required.

LIGHTHOUSE MEDIA: We want to remind you that Nativity parish is pleased to offer the Lighthouse Media bookracks in Nativity church and in Fr. Nallin Hall. Many of our parishioners have taken the opportunity to read one or more of the excellent printed materials and to listen to the CDs. There's a wealth of good information in these resources and we encourage all of our parishioners to pick up one of the items and give it a try. Be sure and let us know how you feel about these resources.

RESOURCES FOR ATONEMENT AND HEALING:

Resources for ongoing prayer for atonement and healing for victims of sexual abuse in our Diocese, including a sample rosary with reflections on the Sorrowful Mysteries, sample intercessions and prayers can be found on the diocesan website. The Federation of Diocesan Liturgical Commissions (FDLC) has also provided a resource which can be found on its website, <https://fdlc.org/resources>.

EARN EXTRA MONEY: Could you use a little extra income? Jobs for the 2020 Census offer competitive wages that are paid weekly. Authorized expenses, such as mileage, are reimbursed for employees doing fieldwork.

Support Your Community

Decennial census data are used to determine your representation in Congress, as well as how funds are spent for roads, schools, hospitals, and more. Help ensure that everyone in your community is counted in the next decennial census.

Fit Your Schedule

Temporary positions for the 2020 Census feature flexible hours—a perfect fit if you are looking to earn a little extra money, even if you already have other commitments.

Be a Part of History

Every 10 years since 1790, the United States has undertaken the momentous task of counting all of its residents. This is your chance to play a role.

Apply here: <https://2020census.gov/jobs>
Employment Opportunities - 2020census.gov

View all employment opportunities at the Census Bureau. ... On the Census Team, every one counts, from the recent graduate to the career statistician whose analysis of statistical methodology puts you on the leading edge.

DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE ON FEAST OF SAINT

FAUSTINA: The Eucharistic Apostle of Divine Mercy Cenacle will host their annual pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, MA, in October to coincide with the Feast of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska — the saint of Divine Mercy. The pilgrimage will be held on Saint Faustina's feast day, **Saturday, October 5th**. The bus excursion will **depart** for the Divine Mercy Shrine **at 7:00AM from the grounds of Saint Joseph's Oblate Seminary, 1880 Highway 315, Laffin**. Estimated arrival time at the shrine is 11:00AM. Upon arrival, pilgrims will participate in the day's events at the Mother of Mercy outdoor shrine, beginning with a presentation on Saint Faustina. The remainder of the day's itinerary is as follows:

1:00PM — Eucharistic adoration and opportunity for private confessions;

1:30PM — recitation of the Rosary for Life;

2:00PM — celebration of Holy Mass;

3:00PM — Divine Mercy Chaplet, benediction, veneration of first-class relic of Saint Faustina, and blessing of religious articles;

4:45PM — departure from shrine for home, including dinner stop at Cork 'N Hearth Restaurant in Lee, Mass.

Cost for the pilgrimage, including complimentary refreshments, Shrine entrance fee, and full-course dinner, is **\$75.00 per person**. For more information and reservations, contact Cathy Mack, trip coordinator, at (570) 654- 6063.

Traditional Home Health and Hospice

Come help the team that helps the community

As the volunteer coordinator at Traditional Home Health and Hospice, I would like to extend an invitation to join our team. Volunteers are an integral part of our community support network.

As a volunteer, you can expect to:

- Provide companionship to patients through conversation, reading, letter writing, music appreciation, movie/TV watching, walking or sitting outside to get some fresh air, and all sort of hobby sharing.

- Help patients and their families by running errands, doing light household chores, doing yard work, or preparing a meal.

- Provide respite to family caregivers, so they may take a break from their caregiving duties for a couple of hours, i.e., doctor appointments, errands, etc.

We offer a comprehensive training program which includes both video and one-on-one training.

Contact Lisa Morgan at (570) 207-9286. She will make arrangements to meet with you and to describe more fully the mission.

The need of the moment is not one religion, but mutual respect and tolerance of the devotees of the different religions.
Mahatma Gandhi

MARCH FOR LIFE

COMING TO HARRISBURG NEXT YEAR

The Pennsylvania Catholic Conference and the Pennsylvania Family Council announced last week they will be hosting the first-ever March for Life in Pennsylvania. **The event will be held in Harrisburg on May 18, 2020, beginning at 11:00AM and culminating with a rally on the front steps of the Capitol along Third Street.**

"We are so proud to be bringing the pro-life power of March for Life to Pennsylvania," said Eric Failing, the Executive Director of the Pennsylvania Catholic Conference. "This is an excellent opportunity to tap into the strong pro-life passion in Pennsylvania to continue this important fight." "We're excited to bring this outstanding display of pro-life support to Pennsylvania," said Michael Geer, President of Pennsylvania Family Institute, the Commonwealth's largest pro-life, pro-family statewide organization.

The March for Life started in Washington, D.C. as a small demonstration and rapidly grew to be the largest pro-life event in the world. It has taken place every year since the Roe vs. Wade case was decided in 1973. Organizers have since begun reaching out to conduct rallies in other states. "We are thrilled to bring a state March for Life to Pennsylvania," said Bethany Peck, Director of Grassroots Engagement for March for Life. "We feel strongly called to expand the impact of the March for Life by facilitating state-wide March for Life events in state capitols across America."

The Pennsylvania Catholic Conference and the Pennsylvania Family Council have been very active in working on pro-life legislation. Both groups helped pro-life lawmakers in the state House of Representatives pass the Down Syndrome Protection Act as well as the Compassion and Care for Medically Challenging Pregnancies Act. This fall they will work to secure passage for both of these bills in the Senate along with a fetal heartbeat bill expected to be introduced in September.

The Bold Choices: Finding Your Passion and Living It Fully Retreat

Saint Gabriel Retreat Center

October 25th @ 7:00PM – October 26th @ 6:00PM

Open to young adults 18-35

Interactive sessions and presentations on prayer, finding your passion and living it fully, making choices based in faith, and discernment.

Check-in: 7:00PM Friday, October 25th

Check-out: 6:00PM Saturday, October 26th

Registration fee: \$65.00

For more information, call 570-207-1452.

A MOTHER'S PRAYER Sis. Jacob Ashley

O Lord, Thou knowest
how busy I must be this day.

If I forget Thee,
do not Thou forget me.



MILITARY HONOR ROLL
 PLEASE KEEP ALL MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY IN
 YOUR PRAYERS
 DURING THIS TIME OF UNCERTAINTY

If you have a relative or friend serving in the military, please let us know so that we can include their name on our Honor Roll

A Prayer for our Military

Father, we could never thank our military men and women enough for their courageous service and sacrifice to our country and its people. We lift up our voices to express gratefulness and honor to these military troops both from the past and present.



**NIGHT PRAYERS
 with DEACON RAY**

Tuesday evening prayers
 4:00PM @ St. Mary's Church
 All are welcome!



If your child's crying or talking becomes excessive or disruptive to others, please be considerate and use the cry rooms in our churches.



PRO-LIFE ROSE

The Pro-Life red rose in front of the statue of Mary at Nativity this week is in honor of



Volunteers who will make our Wyoming County Fair booths successful this year
 Donated by the Pro-Life Committee

If you would like to donate for a Pro-Life Rose at Nativity, please contact Diane Stone (570-836-3055)



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRIES

St. Mary of the Lake
 Thursdays 5:30-7:00PM
 in the Parish Hall

All women of the parish are invited to join us.

Nativity BVM

In need of a prayer shawl?
 Please call Sue Barziloski (570-836-1351)



**WYOMING COUNTY
 COMMUNITY FAIR**

Fairgrounds - Route 6, Meshoppen
 Wed., August 28 - Monday, September 2

Both of our parishes will again have a booth at the Fair. This is a major fundraiser for both parishes. Please be sure to visit both of our booths when you're at the Fair and encourage your relatives & friends to also come by.



**St. Mary of the Lake Parish
 Annual Parish Meeting
 & Breakfast**



Sunday, September 8th
 Following the 9:00AM Mass

Boy Scout Troop 518 will be cooking and serving pancakes, eggs, sausage, potatoes, O.J., coffee & tea

**Donation: \$5.00 per person
 (pay at the door)**

You are encouraged to join us as we discuss our activities of this past year and look forward to the challenges of our next year. This gives everyone time to be together to dine and discuss as a parish.



Seven Loaves Soup Kitchen, 54 Warren Street in Tunkhannock (formerly the P&G Credit Union building), serves a hearty meal every Monday through Friday from 5:00-6:30PM. There is no charge and all are welcome.



Those who desire to volunteer to work at the kitchen or to donate food or make a financial contribution are asked to contact 570-996-5005 or 570-836-3145.



BULLETIN BEAUTIES

Barbara C. remains in the hospital and needs blood donors for more transfusions. She is also having trouble sleeping and requests tapes of Deacon Ray's sermons.

**THE MOST BLESSED
SACRAMENT IS RESERVED
WHERE MASS IS SAID**
We respectfully ask that all
observe a reverent silence
and appropriate dress

Sacramental Preparation

BAPTISM

Parents must be registered in the Parish. In order to understand and appreciate the Sacrament of Baptism, first time expectant parents are required to attend one pre-Baptism instruction. A call to the Parish Office 4 months before your child is due will make the scheduling of your session easier and give you ample time to prepare for this Sacrament of Initiation to the life of grace.

MARRIAGE

The engaged couple is asked to call the Parish Office and arrange an appointment with the priest. Please allow 12 months for the completion of the necessary preparations. Do not enter into any other commitments before confirming a wedding date and time in the parish.

Confession Schedule

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated **every Saturday:**

St. Mary of the Lake

..... **3:15-3:45PM**

Nativity of the BVM

..... **4:15-4:45PM**

or **at any time by appointment.**

Contact the Parish Office (836-3275).

Cemetery Lots Available

Pieta Cemetery, one of our Parish Cemeteries (located on Dark Hollow Road in Tunkhannock Township) **has burial lots available.** For further info, to view the map of available lots and to inquire about prices & regulations, please contact our Parish Secretary, Mary Lou, at the Parish Office (570-836-3275).



Community News

Bring your instrument and play along with the **Northern Tier Symphony** at their **OPEN REHEARSAL:**

Friday, October 18, 2019

7:30 - 9:30PM

Meet-and-Greet at the Break
Tunkhannock Middle School
Auditorium

200 Franklin Avenue, Tunkhannock

- All Instruments Invited
- Strings Welcome
- (Sorry, there are **no saxophone parts in this concert**)
- Percussionist - needed instruments will be provided by the Orchestra

**Looking for experienced
Timpanist and Mallet players!**

Fall 2019 Program

Overture to "Candide"

- Leonard Bernstein

Symphony in e minor (From the New World) - Antonin Dvorak

Fanfare to La Peri - Paul Dukas

*With our special guests, the Endless Mountains Barbershop Chorus
Including members of:*

The Wilkes Barre Barbershop Chorus

The Wyoming County Chorale

*The Tunkhannock United Methodist
Church Choir*

Honesdale Barbershop Quartet

Honesdale Methodist Church Choir

Battle Hymn of the Republic

- arr. Bryon K. Yasui

A Barbershop Christmas

White Christmas Sing-Along

Concert Dates:

Sunday, November 17th – 3:00PM

Montrose Jr/Sr High School

75 Meteor Way, Montrose

Sunday, November 24th – 3:00PM

Tunkhannock Middle School

200 Franklin Ave, Tunkhannock

Advance Ticket Purchase Recommended

You can purchase tickets at:

GREENWOOD'S FURNITURE

61 East Tioga Street, Tunkhannock

GAY'S TRUE VALUE HARDWARE

189 East Tioga Street, Tunkhannock

PEOPLES SECURITY BANK

42 State Street, Nicholson

ANDRE & SON HARDWARE

17150 Route 706, Montrose

Donations & Support:

Northern Tier Symphony Orchestra

P.O. Box 111

Nicholson, PA 18446 - 0111

St. Mary of the Lake CCD News

Parents: Don't forget to fill out your registration forms and get them back to me. Jenny Sinker

Nativity BVM CCD News

CCD will begin on September 15, 2019. Class begins at 9:50AM and ends at 10:50AM. Registration forms are at the entrances at the back of the church and also can be found online (nativitystmary.org). I can also mail one to you. Please either call me at 570-240-2094 or e-mail me at Judybccd@gmail.com. The forms can be dropped off at the Parish Office or you can bring them to the first CCD class.

We are looking forward to seeing all of our children back for CCD! Enjoy the rest of your summer. **Mrs. B**

We are in need of teachers for the 3rd & 5th grades for the CCD program. If you can help, please contact Judy Boyanowski (570-833-5239 or 570-240-2094).

Words of Life

"Within the 'people of life and the people for life', the family has a decisive responsibility. This responsibility flows from its very nature as a community of life and love, founded upon marriage, and from its mission to 'guard, reveal and communicate love' (*The Gospel of Life*, no. 92).

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Microfiber Cloth

This ultra-fine StreakFree Microfiber Cloth does not damage any surface. The fibers grab and hold dirt, dust and grime. This is the magnet effect. Made from 80% Polyester, 20% Polyamide (nylon) Single fiber is approximately 1/20th the diameter of a strand of silk. Disperses oil, grease, dirt, grime, film, dust. Tough on dirt and gentle on surface.

As seen on TV - Only **\$5.00**
Available at the Parish Office



Line Dancing
Wednesday evening
7:00-8:30PM
Fr. Nallin Hall
All are welcome

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASS SCHEDULE – WEEK OF AUGUST 25, 2019

SATURDAY	AUG	24	5:00PM	WILLIAM & ANNA FANNON – OFFERED BY PAT SCATURRO
SUNDAY	AUG	25	7:30AM	WALTER ZOLA – OFFERED BY MICHAEL DISTADIO & SUSAN DISTADIO
			9:00AM	JOSEPH HOLUB – OFFERED BY EDWARD & LEE ANN HOLUB JR.
			11:00AM	ROSE KOWALSKI – OFFERED BY CAROL GERZAROWSKI
MONDAY	AUG	26	7:00AM	THE HEALTH & BLESSING OF JOHN RUEHLMAN – OFFERED BY HIS FAMILY
TUESDAY	AUG	27	7:00AM	NO MASS
WEDNESDAY	AUG	28	7:00AM	MARY KUKUCHKA – OFFERED BY LUKE & SAM CASTERLINE
THURSDAY	AUG	29	7:00AM	NO MASS
FRIDAY	AUG	30	7:00AM	MARGARET KINTNER – OFFERED BY KATHLEEN ANN CULLEN
SATURDAY	AUG	31	5:00PM	THE BAKER & SCHWARTZ FAMILIES – OFFERED BY EDITH SCHWARTZ
SUNDAY	SEPT	01	7:30AM	MARGARET VOLPE – OFFERED BY JOE & NAN DeMARCO
			9:00AM	JOSEPH MIRABELLI – OFFERED BY HIS WIFE & FAMILY
			11:00AM	GUS GEYER – OFFERED BY GLORIA PASTERNAK

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

SAT. AUG. 24 & SUN. AUG. 25	SATURDAY 5:00PM	SUNDAY 7:30AM	SUNDAY 9:00AM	SUNDAY 11:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	GARY TEWKSBURY DONNA KASKUS CHARLOTTE SMITH	DEACON RAY NAN DeMARCO ALISHA NUDO	JOHN KEEFE CARL SHINKO GENE SCHWEITZER	LISA RANSOM DIANE STONE DOLORES MANGANELLA
LECTOR	PAT MURRAY	TAMMY NUDO	RITA FITZGERALD	GLORIA PASTERNAK
ALTAR SERVER(S)	EMMA ELIAS THOMAS ELIAS ALYSSA KOVALCHICK	CORA MILNER HANNAH MILNER NOAH POWERS	MARCUS BINNER PAUL BINNER EVAN BRODY	HELEN BELLUCCI THOMAS BELLUCCI MATTHEW KALETA
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS
COLLECTION COUNTERS			B. KIRBY, W. OLIVER, R. THORNE	

SAT. AUG. 31 & SUN. SEP. 01	SATURDAY 5:00PM	SUNDAY 7:30AM	SUNDAY 9:00AM	SUNDAY 11:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	DONNA KASKUS CHARLOTTE SMITH	DEACON RAY NAN DeMARCO MARY ROBBINS	JOHN KEEFE CARL SHINKO GARY TEWKSBURY	LISA RANSOM DOLORES MANGANELLA DIANE STONE
LECTOR	SABRINA TRAVER	JUSTIN ROTH	LYNNE BINNER	DAVID KUFFA
ALTAR SERVER(S)	IAN BURKE SOPHIE BURKE JACK ZEUNEN	JOSEPH CASEY JOSEPH COLAVITTI LEAH DeMARCO	MOLLY KEISER ZAK KEISER JACOB POWERS	AIDEN BURRY MAIA BURRY KATHRYN CUSATIS
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS
COLLECTION COUNTERS			P. BROWN, C. KOVALCHICK, A. DAVIS	

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

----- **THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED**, ESPECIALLY: CAROLYN MYERS, ELISSA ROSE, LYLE STURDEVANT, MARYN KUKUCHKA, LILLIAN KRISTUNAS, JENNIFER BUNNELL, MARIE STAIR, MARY ANN BROWN, ELIZABETH CALLAHAN, RICHELLE MORTIMER, SHERI RAIL, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., CHERYL MacDONALD SWEET, AIDAN HOLMAN, TRISTAN EVANS, JOSEPH E. QUINN, ANGELIQUE ALEXANDRA PREVOST, MARGE HOLUB, BEN BROWN, ELEANOR FOSTER, MATTHEW LEWIS, DONALD TRAVER, DAWN DOMMES, MICHELLE HUERBIN, CAROLYN ROZANSKI, DON WHITE, DARRIN McGAVIN, FATHER BILL WILSON, EDWARD KIMBEL, CHERYL SANDS, MARY DELMAR, CHARLES CAREY, GARRET CONOVER, ANALISA DOMINIC, LUCAS SETH BOYANOWSKI, BILL IVEY, VERNA PRAWDZIK, MATTHEW FORTESE, JACOB WALTER, CURTIS, ARTHUR BUNNELL, TED BUNNELL, HELEN TALARICO, PAUL GOODRICH, MYRON LaBAR, TIKI LYONS, GRACE STURDEVANT, CAROL COBB, BRENT RANSOM, JEAN YABLONSKI, AUSTIN THOMAS, JIM BORDEN, JERRY STROKA, LINDA NIEMIEC, DIANE THOMPSON, ROSEANN GEORGE, SHELLIE SEYMORE, MARILYN BRODY, MONTANA COLE, CAROL GAYLORD, CHRIS OLSHAN, JR., HELEN RAIL, CHARLOTTE SMITH, FLORENCE KEYES, LINDA RUEHLMAN, ROY PREVOST, ALLEN KEYES, CATHERINE LITWIN, JUDI HOWE, LEAH WILSEY, ANN ZACKARIAS, CHRISTOPHER BELL, NATHAN DELMAR, LINDA, KATHLEEN ALTEMUS, CARL ALTEMUS, MARY LOUISE BECKETT, PAULA MOELLER, GEORGE ZALDONIS, PAT STASCAVAGE, JOHN RUEHLMAN JR, MICHALINE WIERNUSZ, MARY BOLOUSKI, PEGGY FINNEGAN, JOAN STEPHENS, PEG BALL, NORM BALL, JOSEPH YAKOSKI, PENNY ZONNEVILLE, SALLY MINGOS.

----- THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED ESPECIALLY AND THE NEEDS OF OUR PARISH AND PARISHIONERS.

PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE (836-3275) IF ANYONE IS HOSPITALIZED OR ILL OR IN NEED OF PRAYERS.

SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE IS AVAILABLE TO BURN FOR YOUR INTENTION. CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT (570) 836-3275

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering	\$3,636.00
Fair Expenses	\$ 508.00

NATIVITY BVM CALENDAR

AUG. 28 - SEPT. 02	WYOMING COUNTY FAIR	OCT. 20	CCD CLASS
SEPT. 14	TEACHER INSTALLATION MASS @5:00PM	OCT. 27	CCD CLASS
SEPT. 15	TEACHER MTG. AFTER MASS	NOV. 03	CCD CLASS
SEPT. 15	CCD BEGINS	NOV. 10	CCD CLASS/2ND GRADE MASS @9:00AM
SEPT. 22	CCD CLASS	NOV. 17	CCD CLASS
SEPT. 29	CCD CLASS	NOV. 24	CCD CLASS
OCT. 06	CCD CLASS/BLESSING OF ANIMALS – NOON	DEC. 01	NO CCD CLASS – THANKSGIVING VACATION
OCT. 13	CCD CLASS/7TH GRADE MASS @9:00AM	DEC. 08	CCD CLASS
		DEC. 15	CCD CLASS/CLASS PARTIES

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE - WEEK OF AUGUST 25, 2019

SATURDAY	AUG	24	4:00PM	ANNA VANAUKEN – OFFERED BY THE DISCIPLES OF MARY ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY
SUNDAY	AUG	25	9:00AM	PETER & DOLORES POLINSKY – OFFERED BY THE POLINSKY FAMILY
MONDAY	AUG	26	8:00AM	NO MASS
TUESDAY	AUG	27	8:00AM	JAMES BATTLE – OFFERED BY RICK & MARY LOU FRANKO
WEDNESDAY	AUG	28	8:00AM	NO MASS
THURSDAY	AUG	29	8:00AM	JOSEPH IGNATOVICH – OFFERED BY JOSEPH & MARY WIECZOREK
FRIDAY	AUG	30	8:00AM	NO MASS
SATURDAY	AUG	31	4:00PM	MARY FRANKO – OFFERED BY RICK & MARY LOU FRANKO
SUNDAY	SEPT	01	9:00AM	JOSEPH FABIANI – OFFERED BY THE ZALEWSKI FAMILY

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

<p>SAT AUG. 24 & SUN. AUG. 25</p> <p>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)</p> <p>LECTORS ALTAR SERVER(S)</p> <p>USHERS GREETERS OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS</p>	<p>SATURDAY 4:00PM</p> <p>DEACON RAY LISA JANOSKI DOROTHY TRAUGER BILL WATERS ZACH ZELNA</p> <p>BERNIE GARVEY & CARL PACKER PEG GARVEY SELECTION BY USHERS</p> <p>SATURDAY 4:00PM</p> <p>DEACON RAY DANNY WILLIAMS SANTINA WILLIAMS LISA JANOSKI DANIEL DRISCOLE</p> <p>JIM BILLINGS & BILL SHAW JANET SHAW SELECTION BY USHERS</p>	<p>SUNDAY 9:00AM</p> <p>DEACON RAY ANN MARIE GORKO TOM WOLFF ASHLEY KENIA MICHAEL GREEN RACHEL KENIA</p> <p>RANDY PIERETTI & STEVE ZDANIEWICZ JOHN HARRIS SELECTION BY USHERS BILL & JANET SHAW</p> <p>SUNDAY 9:00AM</p> <p>PETER POLINSKY ELLEN WENGEN TOM WOLFF PAUL WENGEN</p> <p>SEB NARO & JEFF PIERCE ELLEN WENGEN SELECTION BY USHERS FRAN MOLLUSKY & DOT JOHNSON</p>
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Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole who healed those who believed. Amen.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

--- THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED, ESPECIALLY: LORI PIERCE, LISA FREITAS, TRACY IRISH, CHRISTINA REEVES, JACKI NIERATKO, CARMEN PIERCE, ELAINE HUG, CHASE RUSSELLO, AVA MASON, LYNN McGLYNN, BONNIE KILGANNON, MSGR. DAVID L. TRESSLER, RUSTY PERKINS, JULIA KAIFER, MICHELLE HUERBIN, JENNIFER BUNNELL, JOSEPH PIERCE, THELMA SHEBBY, EDD KILGANNON, AUDREY DAVIS, SHIRLEY ROCHA, DOT JOHNSON, JAMES DOUGHERTY, STACIE MAGNECZ, TAMMY MIGLIORI, CAROLLYN DAVIS, LINDA ZALEWSKI, MELISSA HENNING HILL, MICHAEL BOGDON, JANET EVANS, ZACHARY WILLIAMS, PAT STEAD, BILL STEAD, RON GORKO, KATIE PACKER, PETER POLINSKY, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., ANN SMITH, DELORES HEAGY, FRAN MOLLUSKY, PEARL PIERCE, BERNICE BURANICH, CEIL IGNATOVICH, MARY PETERSEN, SUE MIGLIORI, JOE SCHIAVONE, LINDA NIEMIEC, CAROLE GREENIP, JANE CAWLEY, FLORENCE KEYES, JEROME LAMONICA, JEAN LAMONICA, THEO FREAR, BROGAN PERFILIO, DICK & FLORENCE KELLY, MIKE HAMBURG, HARRIET McGARRIGLE, JONI JAMES, KAY NOREIKA. NATHAN REEVES.

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PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE (378-2181) IF ANYONE IS HOSPITALIZED OR ILL OR IN NEED OF PRAYERS.

SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN DURING THE WEEK OF
AUGUST 25TH FOR **ANNA VAN AUKEN**
OFFERED BY THE SNYDER FAMILY

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering \$1,929.00

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE CALENDAR

AUG. 28- SEPT. 02	WYOMING COUNTY FAIR	OCT. 20	CONFIRMATION ENROLLMENT MASS/ CLASS MASS
SEPT. 04	PARISH COUNCIL MTG. – 6:30PM – HALL	OCT. 27	CLASS/HALLOWEEN FUN
SEPT. 08	ANNUAL PARISH MEETING & BREAKFAST – 10:00AM	NOV. 03	CCD CLASS
SEPT. 15	INSTALLATION OF CCD TEACHERS/ CLASSES BEGIN	NOV. 10	CCD CLASS
SEPT. 22	CCD CLASS	NOV. 17	CCD CLASS
SEPT. 29	CCD CLASS	NOV. 24	CCD CLASS
OCT. 06	CCD CLASS/BLESSING OF ANIMALS – NOON	DEC. 01	NO CCD CLASS – THANKSGIVING VACATION
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		DEC. 15	7 TH GRADE CLASS MASS/CHRISTMAS PROGRAM @10:30AM/DESSERT RECEPTION