



# ALL SAINTS PARISH

**Rev. Jacek J. Bialkowski, Pastor**

66 Willow Street

Plymouth, PA 18651

Phone: 570-779-5323 Fax: 570-779-4921

[allsaints66@comcast.net](mailto:allsaints66@comcast.net)

[www.allsaintsplymouth.com](http://www.allsaintsplymouth.com)

office hours: Monday through Friday

9AM – 4PM – Closed for lunch noon – 1PM

Parish Secretaries

Mollie Winters, Jeanette Shock

Debbie Goodman, Financial Secretary

**July 28, 2019**

**SEVENTEENTH  
SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday**

4:00 PM

**Sunday**

8:30 AM

11:00 AM

**Weekdays**

Please check for schedule  
in bulletin

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday

3:00 to 3:50 PM

or by appointment

## **Religious Education**

Grades K – 8

Sunday

9:45 AM – 10:45AM

### **Parish Mission Statement**

We, All Saints Parish, are drawn together by the power of the Holy Spirit to be a living and convincing sign of God's unconditional love. We are gifted to build bonds among ourselves and others in order to live the Gospel in word, worship, community and service for the salvation of all and the building of God's kingdom.

The Gospel Reading is from the Gospel of St Luke (11:1-13). Here we have the apostles asking Jesus to teach them how to pray. Personal or devotional prayer was not common in the ancient Jewish faith, so when the apostles saw Jesus praying often and looking so refreshed afterward, they wanted to experience the same refreshment. Jesus gives the apostles Luke's version of the Our Father, a shorter and simpler form than in Matthew's gospel. Either one is the perfect prayer that recognizes God the Father as the supreme creator of heaven and earth and all that is. Jesus then assures the apostles that God, as Father, hears all prayers and cannot refuse anyone when prayers come to Him in faith and sincerity and are in accordance with the divine Plan. Unfortunately, many people pray what I call the "Gimme" prayers; that is, "give me this" or "give me that," but without the faith or sincerity necessary. True praying should be about many subjects that permit God to know you and you to know Him. If the only time you talk to God is when you want or need something, He might answer you with the same answer He gave the foolish virgins (in Matthew 25:12): "I tell you, I don't know you." The moral of this story is: Your relationship with God should come first and then the answers to prayers will follow. So, what is your Prayer Life like? Perhaps it could use a workout! Something to think about during your prayer time this week!

MFB

## A COMMUNITY WHO WORSHIPS **MASS SCHEDULE**

### **Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 AM For all Parishioners

11:00 AM J. Karl Dula (Granddaughter, Amanda & Husband)

### **Monday, July 29<sup>th</sup>**

**NO MASS**

### **Tuesday, July 30<sup>th</sup>**

**NO MASS**

### **Wednesday, July 31<sup>st</sup>**

**NO MASS**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION- 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM**

### **Thursday, August 1<sup>st</sup>**

12:05 PM Gregory & Catherine Smolok (Children)

### **Friday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>**

12:05 PM Lyla Stone (Vera Carr)

### **Saturday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>**

4:00 PM Janice Fera (Husband, Gene & Family)

For all Parishioners

### **Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 AM For all Parishioners

11:00 AM Joseph Mizzer (Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Comer)

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

### **Saturday, August 3, 2019**

#### **4:00 PM:**

**Extraordinary Ministers of Communion** – R. Coates, A. Brunick,  
C. Kellar, S. Starosta

**Lectors** – C. Piczak, M.J. Wojtowicz

**Altar Servers** – V. Stritzinger, J. Stritzinger, P. Pritchard

### **Sunday, August 4, 2019**

#### **8:30 AM:**

**Extraordinary Ministers of Communion** – T. Kirby, J. Kurilla, D. Prutzman, D. McNelis

**Lectors** – J. Gabriel, Jonathan Korus

**Altar Servers** – A. Stanitis, T. Marchlenski, M. Marchlenski

#### **11:00 AM:**

**Extraordinary Ministers of Communion** – T. Bradley, J. Karnes, A. Mizzer, K. Narcum

**Lectors** – P. Merman, J. Farrell

**Altar Servers** – G. Bolesta, P. Serbel, J. Cardona

**If you are unable to fulfill your obligation, please find a replacement**

#### **July 28**

Seventeenth

Sunday in

Ordinary Time

Gn 18:20-32

Col 2:12-14

Lk 11:1-13 (111)

#### **July 29**

Saint Martha

Ex 32:15-24,30-34

(401)

Jn 11:19-27 or

Lk 10:38-42 (607)

#### **July 30**

Saint Peter

Chrysologus

Ex 33:7-11, 34:5b,

28

Mt 13:36-43 (402)

#### **July 31**

Saint Ignatius os

Loyola

Ex 34:29-35

Mt 13:44-46 (403)

#### **August 1**

Saint Alphonsus

Liguori

Ex 40:16-21, 34-

38

Mt 13:47-53 (404)

#### **August 2**

Lv 23:1, 4-11,

15-16, 27, 34b-37

Mt 13:54-58 (405)

#### **August 3**

Lv 25:1, 8-17

Mt 14:1-12 (406)

#### **August 4**

Eighteenth Sunday

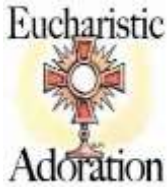
in Ordinary Time

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23

Col 3:1-5, 9-11

Lk 12:13-21 (114)

## PARISH EVENTS



### ***EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION***

*Eucharistic Adoration Wednesday, 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM.*

*If you are able to schedule a time, please call Joan Kaye at 570-779-2998.*

### **PARISH LOTTERY**

**Tickets for our new Lottery, which will begin on August 14<sup>th</sup>, are now available and can be purchased at the Parish office. Please support your parish by purchasing a ticket. Thank you.**

### **SCHEDULING MASSES FOR THE YEAR 2020**

Presently, we will be scheduling Mass intentions for the entire 2020 year. Mass availability is on a first-come, first serve basis. We have only two Mass intentions per weekend available, one weekend Mass must be said for the intention of the parishioners. In order to give as many families as possible the opportunity to have a Mass, only one weekend Mass intention per family can be scheduled per year. There is no limit to the number of Mass intentions per family scheduled for daily Masses. If you have any questions, please call the parish office at 570-779-5323. Thank you.



Friendly reminder: Please be sure all announcements and notices for the bulletin are in the parish office by 2:00 PM on Wednesdays. Any announcements or notices that come in after Wednesday will be in the bulletin the following week.

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

Pictures and videos of First Holy Communion have arrived and can be picked up at the parish office during regular office hours.

### **ARE YOU READY FOR SOME FOOTBALL???**



You could be watching all the games this year on a brand new Smart TV. All Saints is selling chances before and after all Masses and at the rectory on a Vizio 55 inch 4K Ultra HD Smart TV through August 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup>. Chances are 1 chance for \$5.00 or 3 chances for \$10.00. The drawing will be held on Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, at 11:00 AM, in the rectory. Please help support your parish by purchasing a chance on this great TV. If you would be interested in taking any additional tickets to sell to your family or friends, please contact Bob Burns at 570-824-1155 or the rectory at 570-779-5323. Thank you!

*If two friends ask you to judge a dispute, don't accept, because you will lose one friend; on the other hand, if two strangers come with the same request, accept because you will gain one friend.*

*Saint Augustine*

### **CEMETERY NEWS**

Please note that our trash collector, County Waste Management, will not empty the barrels that are placed around the cemeteries for your convenience. There are trash receptacles near the garages/Chapels that are to be used for cemetery trash only. All grass clippings and dirt removed from the graves must be dumped at the rear of the cemeteries where the dirt is piled. The “No Dumping” signs are for trucks that illegally dump their trash there, not for parishioners dumping the grass and debris from their graves. Thank you.

### **CCD VOLUNTEERS**

It is almost time for the start of Faith Formation for 2019-2020. We are in need of two volunteers to help with teaching at the school this year. Those interested should contact Mollie in the office, 570-779-5323. Clearances are required. For questions please call Rachel Young DRE at 570-821-7511 in the evening.

### **PARISH MINISTRY**

#### **CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER**

Next food distribution, **Thursday, August 29<sup>th</sup>, 9 AM – 11AM.** The Christian Service Center is in dire need of canned fruit, tuna fish, peanut butter, jelly, cereals and juices.

#### **SCHOOL SUPPLY PROGRAM**

The Social Concerns Committee of All Saints Parish is sponsoring our second School Supply Program. This program will be opened to families that are struggling financially, not only in our parish but from within our local communities. This program will be opened to children from Kindergarten through Grade 6. Our goal is to supply each child with a new backpack which will be filled with necessary school supplies. Our committee will supply the backpacks and we are asking our parishioners to help by purchasing school items from the itemized list below. All school items purchased can then be dropped off in the ramp area of the Church before all the weekend Masses during the month of July. There will be a designated container set up in the ramp area for the donated items.

#### ***School Supply List***

Crayons	Safety Scissors	#2 pencils
Folders	Colored Pencils	12 inch ruler
Pencil Sharpeners	3 ring binders	Erasers
Highlighters	Washable markers	1 subject wide ruled notebooks
Pencil pouches	Glue sticks	Composition notebooks
Tissues	Antibacterial hand sanitizer	

#### **SAVE RECEIPTS**

Please save your receipts from Plymouth Hometown Market for our local firemen. There are containers in Church for the receipts. If you have any questions, please call Mary Anne Meeker at 570-779-9464.

## **MINISTRY OF PRAYER**

**Please always remember to pray for those in our nation's military; for firefighters, police and EMT's.** Please also pray for all in the Parish who are ill or in any way distressed, especially



those who have asked for prayers: Nathan Grey, Eugene, Mark, Emma, George, Joseph, John, Danielle, Joseph, Rose Mary, Leah, Ed Harenza, George, Michelle, Stanley, Tom, Raina, Seth, Dorothy, Dave, Ray, Anthony Yuscavage, Anna Regan, Kubik and Rudnik Families, Kathleen K., Edmund Havira, John Brunick, Rose Mahoney, Joel Rivera, Joseph M., Donna,

Frank, Daniel, Al, Marge Demarco, Theresa Kopko, Paul and Marilyn Irzinski, Joe, Audrey, Mollie, Louise, Elizabeth, JK, Ed and Colin Palermo, John P., Jean Mosier, Dolores P., Wilbur P., Carlee, Mary and Bob R. **If you or a loved one would like to be on the parish prayer list, please notify the office. If you are calling for someone else, please make sure you have that person's permission to publish their name in the bulletin.**

## **DIOCESAN EVENTS**

### **JOB OPENING**

Catherine McAuley House, Plymouth, Part-time/day housekeeper needed and overnight attendant needed. Hours will be 6:00 PM to 9:00 AM, 3-4 nights per week. Please call Barbara at 570-779-2801 between 2:00 PM and 5:00 PM to apply.

### **UP AND OVER MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT – SEPTEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup> – 29<sup>TH</sup>**

A retreat for middle school students in grades 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup>. It's guaranteed to be a weekend of fun, friendship and faith at the beautiful wooded Camp Orchard Hill in Dallas. Students arrive at 7:00 PM on Friday, September 27<sup>th</sup> and depart at noon on Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>. Cost for the weekend is \$140.00. You can register online at [Dioceseofscranton.org](http://Dioceseofscranton.org). For more information visit [dioceseofscranton.org](http://dioceseofscranton.org) or call 570-20c7-2213, ext. 1155.

### **2019 SDCCW RETREAT**

The Scranton Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will conduct a Retreat/Day of Reflection on Wednesday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, at The Villa of Our Lady Retreat House, 245 Meadowside Road, Mount Pocono. Monsignor Vincent Grimalia will conduct the retreat. Cost is \$35.00. Contact Helen Oravec at 570-489-5231 or Judy Poltanis at 570-470-1536 for additional information.

### **2019 CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE**

The 2019 Catholic Charismatic Conference will be held on August 2, 3, 4, at the University of Scranton. There will be inspired speakers, Rev. Raymond Francis, Dr. Mary Healy, Mr. Bob Valiante and Mr. Patrick Reis, contemporary praise and worship, youth and children's tracks, Eucharistic Adoration, healing ministry and Mass with Bishop Bambera. Both weekend and day registrations are available. For information call 570-344-2214 or go to [www.ccrscranton.org](http://www.ccrscranton.org). You can also email [ccrconference@comcast.net](mailto:ccrconference@comcast.net).

“Jesus is the Good Shepherd...the One who heals.” Pope Francis

“O Lord, my God, I cried out to you for help and you healed me,” Psalm 30:2



**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:** Adult preparation for the Sacrament of Initiation. If you know of anyone who might be interested in inquiring about the Catholic Faith, call the parish office or Maureen Dillon at (570) 779-9874. Classes are generally held on Sunday mornings after the 8:30 AM Mass.



**Baptism of Infants:** Parents requesting Baptism for their children should make an appointment with the Pastor to begin the process. Also, parents seeking Baptism must attend a Baptism preparation class prior to their child's Baptism.



**Catholic Marriage:** Diocesan Policy states that those considering celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage must meet with the pastor at least six months before any desired wedding date. Please call the office to schedule an appointment with the Pastor.



**Communion for the Homebound:** Homebound parishioners who wish to receive Holy Communion please call the office at 570-779-5323.

**Hospital Visitation:** Please notify the Parish Office if you or a loved one is hospitalized as the hospital no longer notifies the parish. If a patient would like to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick or if he or she would just like a visit, please call the office to make arrangements.

**Prayer for Life**

Father and maker of all, you adorn all creation with splendor and beauty, and fashion human lives in your image and likeness.

Awaken in every heart reverence for the work of your hands, and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of life.

Grant this through Our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God Forever and ever. Amen.

If you would like to purchase Altar Breads or Sanctuary Candles for a week in memory or in honor of a loved one, contact Jackie Karnes at 570-332-1176 (**Monday thru Friday only**) for available dates. Altar Breads are \$25.00 per week and Sanctuary Candles are \$15.00 per week

**Week of July 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Sanctuary Candle & Hosts – in memory of James A. Massaker**



If anyone is interested in donating flowers for the altar in memory of someone, please contact the office at 570-779-5323.

Happy Birthday to our mom,  
Theresa Kopko  
love,  
Marina, Melinda & Dave

Ads - \$5.00

Happy 97<sup>th</sup> birthday!  
Father John L. Fabian  
Don Zlotek Family

**WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP**

July 20<sup>th</sup> & July 21<sup>st</sup>

Offertory: \$3675.80

Loose Collection: \$113.00

Maintenance: \$34.00

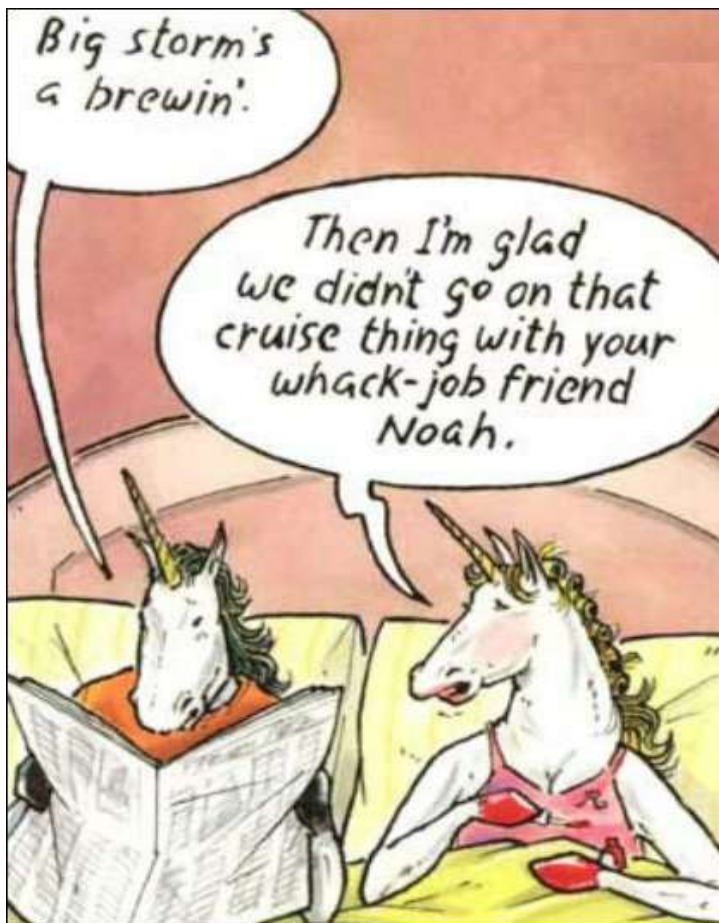
CSC: \$288.00

Assumption: \$40.00

Ascension: \$15.00

\$4165.80

*Thank you! Your stewardship and generosity  
toward your parish is greatly needed and  
appreciated.*



*Miraculous Medal Novena  
Prayed on Tuesday  
after Mass*

*Novena to St. Jude  
Prayed on Thursday*

*First Friday Prayer to  
The Sacred Heart*