



Building God's Community: As disciples of Jesus Christ, we the members of **St. John Vianney Parish** join together to proclaim God's Word, celebrate the sacraments, and serve others with compassion and generosity.

JOINING OUR PARISH

We welcome all who seek a spiritual home in our Catholic community. Introduce yourself to the pastor and he will help you join our parish.

If you are not baptized, or are baptized in another Christian tradition and seek full communion with the Catholic Church, consider the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults process. It begins with inquiry sessions in which you can ask questions and discuss issues with other seekers. The process continues with opportunities for learning and spiritual transformation. The RCIA also serves baptized Catholics who did not have the opportunity to receive Holy Communion and Confirmation. The Director of Religious Education will help you start.

BAPTISM

If you are parents seeking baptism for your child, please introduce yourself to the pastor after Mass. He wishes to meet you in person before making an appointment for baptism preparation.

MARRIAGE

Our pastor invites engaged couples to make an appointment with him at least six months prior to marriage, before setting a wedding date. Couples are welcome to call as soon as you decide to marry or even while you are still considering whether to go forward toward marriage.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday at Corpus Christi Church: 4:15–4:45 PM
Sunday at St Pius X Church: 9:10–9:25 AM
or by appointment.

PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Michael J. Kirwin, Ph.D.: *Pastor*
Deacon Edwin L. Salva, Sr.: *Permanent Deacon*
JoAnn Wilbur: *Director of Religious Education*
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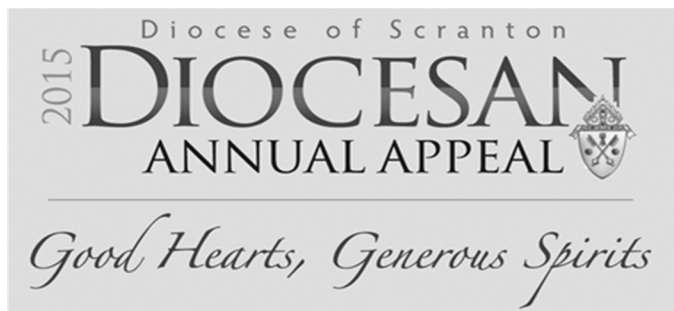
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| Lisa Anzelmi | Frank Plominski |
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| Ed Facciani | Rick Toth |
| Suzanne McCoy | <i>Chairperson</i> |
| Mary Ann Paulukonis | Lynn Volk |
| | <i>Secretary</i> |

FINANCE COUNCIL: finance@stjvp.org

MASSES OF THE WEEK

| | | <u>Location</u> | <u>Mass Intention:</u> | <u>Requested by:</u> |
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| Saturday | 10-17 | 5:00 p.m. (C.C.) | Thomas and Genevieve Bosak | Tom, Patti and Gina |
| Sunday | 10-18 | 8:00 a.m. (C.C.) | Ellen Krzan | Betty Krzan |
| | | 9:30 a.m. (S.P.) | Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish | |
| | | 11:00 a.m. (C.C.) | Richard Westlake | Angela Page & Mary Joy Oakley |
| Monday | 10-19 | 8:30 a.m. (C.C.) | Dorothy Rouilliard | Mark and Sue Rouilliard |
| Tuesday | 10-20 | 8:30 a.m. (C.C.) | Norman and Inez Galvin | Family |
| Wednesday | 10-21 | 8:30 a.m. (S.P.) | Richard & Rosemarie Cherwinski | Terry Benedict |
| Thursday | 10-22 | 8:30 a.m. (C.C.) | Regina Boyarsky | Tom & Stephanie Dzwonczyk & Family |
| Friday | 10-23 | 8:30 a.m. (S.P.) | NO MASS | |
| Saturday | 10-24 | 5:00 p.m. (C.C.) | Ted Tellip | Mr. & Mrs. Michael Ziobro |
| Sunday | 10-25 | 8:00 a.m. (C.C.) | Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish | |
| | | 9:30 a.m. (S.P.) | Effie Garden | Rimmer & Doyle Families |
| | | 11:00 a.m. (C.C.) | Stella Mallick | Andrew & Lois Mallick |



Next Weekend is In-Pew Commitment Weekend

Diocesan Appeal materials and pledge cards will be distributed to all parishioners during Masses celebrated next weekend. If you have not already done so, please make your pledge to help the thousands of people who will directly benefit from your caring support. This year, to allow us to update our records, everyone at Mass will be asked to complete the pledge form, whether or not they have made a pledge or intend to pledge. You are also invited to list your personal prayer intentions on the inside pledge form and to attend a special Mass of Thanksgiving to be held at St. Peter's Cathedral, Scranton, on Sunday, November 22, at 10:00 a.m. Your intention will be remembered at this Mass celebrated by Bishop Joseph C. Bambera. Prayer intentions are welcome whether or not you make a gift to the Diocesan Annual Appeal. Thank you.

YOUTH RELIGIOUS AWARD

Any **girls** or **Girl Scouts** who would like to earn the Catholic Religious Award, please call JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3. Group is starting now. Girls from age 6 to Seniors in high school may earn any of the 4 awards for their age group. Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts from first grade through age 17 more earn the Boy Scouts Religious Awards for their age group. Sessions have started but it is not too late to join.

JOIN THE CHILDREN'S CHOIR

All children interested in joining the children's choir, practices are Saturdays before the children's liturgies. We will review music to be sung at children's liturgy as well as **Christmas music!** Or call Heather at 570-947-2040



Children's Choir Practices:

- Saturday, October 24
11 AM at Corpus Christi 2 PM at Pius
- Saturday, November 21
11 AM at Corpus Christi 2 PM at Pius
- Saturday, December 12
11 AM at Corpus Christi 2 PM at Pius

CALLING ALL SINGERS & CANTORS!

Please consider sharing your voice by joining our choir! Practices are now **Thursdays at 7 PM** at the Corpus Christi location. Any one interested in becoming a cantor, please contact Heather at 570-947-2040

PARISH WEBSITE

Two convenient features are new on our parish website, stjvp.org: sign-up for GoodNewsPeople and a link to the Bishop's Annual Appeal. News about who's new and parish events is on the home page every week; for more info, click on the item title. To see a full list of parish events, click the Calendar button.



FEAST OF ALL SOULS DAY MASSES

This year All Souls Day is celebrated on Monday, November 2nd. At the 6:00p.m. Mass we will commemorate all the souls of our loved ones who have seen the face of God. Remembrance candles will be placed near the Baptismal Font with the names of our loved ones who have entered the gates of Heaven in the past twelve months. We invite all family and friends to come to this special Mass followed by refreshments in the Parish Center. Please join us as we pray for all who have died in our parish community and for their families. We will remember the following:

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| Peter Donanich | Charles J. Boyarsky |
| Genevieve Jerry | Karl J. Cavanaugh |
| John M. Valtos | Rosemarie Moriarity |
| Josephine M. Cacossa | Thomas J. Kraky |
| Regina Boyarsky | Mary Bodner |
| Pauline E. Baron | Ellen Krzan |



The Halloween Sock Hop is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Corpus Christi Council #12573, on Saturday, October 31st at Corpus Christi in the Parish Center (basement). Doors open at 6p.m., music by Sarah Marie and Joseph 6:30p.m.—9:30p.m. BYOB, soft drinks/bottled water and light snacks provided. Costumes are optional. \$5 per person.

MOVIE NIGHT

MOVIE - THE 13TH DAY - Sunday, October 25 - 3PM at Corpus Christi location In a world torn apart by persecution, war and oppression, three children were chosen to offer a message of hope. Based on the memoirs of Sister Lucia Santos and independent eye-witness accounts, *The 13th Day* dramatizes the incredible true story of three shepherd children from the village of Fatima in Portugal who experienced six apparitions from the Blessed Virgin Mary between May and October 1917. Mary gave a secret to the children told in three parts, from a harrowing vision of hell, to prophetic warnings of future events including the advent and timing of the Second World War, the spread of communism, and the assassination of the Pope. Stunning images of the visions and the final miracle that have never before been fully realized on screen. This film was shot on location in Portugal and in England.



GOOD NEWS PEOPLE KICK OFF SUNDAY AT 11:00AM Mass

The *GoodNewsPeople* Program will kickoff with a service and blessing at the 11AM Mass today. A special thanks to all the people on the Planning Team who met over the last several months to plan the program. Many thanks to the people who responded to the call for facilitators and participants.

Please watch for the weekly virtues in action listed in the bulletin.

Week of 10/18/15: Virtue: LOVE (Love is patient, love is kind. 1 Corinthians 13:4) Virtue in action: Do a kind thing for someone that you do not like.



Please call Carol Salva (570-254-6090 or 570-955-9105) or the below facilitators to join a small group:

| <u>Facilitator</u> | <u>Phone</u> | <u>Time/place (or possible times)</u> | <u>Location</u> |
|---------------------------|--------------|---|--------------------|
| Amy Marcho | 570-650-0559 | Sunday, day or evening | St. Pius X |
| Carol Salva | 570-254-6090 | Sunday, 9:45a.m. (during CCD) | Rectory |
| JoAnn Wilbur (youth) | 570-254-9502 | Sunday, 5:00p.m. | Chapel |
| Juliana Piccini | 570-282-0909 | Mon., Wed. or Fri. 9:00a.m. or 1:00p.m. | Office Building |
| Ed & Carol Salva | 570-254-6090 | Monday, 6:30p.m. | In home |
| JoAnn Wilbur (adults) | 570-254-9502 | Monday, 6:30p.m. | Chapel |
| Lisa & John Anzelmi | 570-563-3714 | Tuesday, 7:00p.m. | In home |
| Mary Ann & Jay Paulukonis | 570-586-5981 | Wed., Thur. 9:00a.m. or Tue. 7 p.m. | Office Building |
| Marianne Belcastro | 570-604-1961 | Thursday, 7:15p.m. | In home (Clifford) |

Come join us in holding a "TRUNK OR TREAT" Event for the children!



WHEN: Sunday, October 25th at 11:55 A.M.

WHERE: Parking lot at Corpus Christi Location
WHAT IS A TRUNK OR TREAT?

IT IS A FUN EVENT WHERE YOU WEAR COSTUMES AND DECORATE YOUR CAR

TRUNKS (optional) AND FILL IT WITH CANDY. THE CHILDREN GO CAR-TO-CAR TO GET TREATS. Kids may wear their Halloween costumes to class AND to Children's Masses that day. KIDS and adults, are encouraged to dress as SAINTS! Call JoAnn Wilbur if you want to dress as a SAINT and need clothes. (Clothing is available)! After all, Halloween IS all about being the EVE of ALL SAINT'S DAY!

ATTENTION FAMILIES AND TEENS

All 9th-12th Graders are invited to join our Religious Education program called CHOSEN. We meet monthly and the next session will be Sunday, **October 18** in the Office Building from **3:30-5PM** (call or look in bulletin for monthly session). JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3 for more information.



WHAT CAN WE DO TO STEM THE TIDE OF VIOLENCE IN AMERICA?

Please join us to pray the Rosary and Divine Chaplet of Mercy every Tuesday in the Chapel after the 8:30 am. Mass.



Liturgical Ministers' Schedule

October 24-25, 2015

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| 5:00p | T. Dzwonczyk K. Dzwonczyk M. Matous | D. Spegar | Deacon Ed J. Golecki L. Golecki |
| 8:00a | M. Boyarsky B. Bevilacqua G. Comes | Sr. Jeanne Karp | J. Corbett P. Griffiths G. Konzman |
| 9:30a | A. Long (St. Pius) K. Long | T. Benedict | Deacon Ed K. Shostek |
| 11:00a | G. Sczesniak N. Toth M. Toth | M. A. Paulukonis | R. Toth B. Toth J. Sczesniak |

COLLECTION

October 3-4, 2015

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| Weekly Adults | \$ 4,276.00 | 239/674 |
| Weekly Children | \$ 48.55 | 44 /264 |
| Loose | \$ 529.00 | |
| Other (Dues, Etc.) | \$ 1,269.00 | |
| Total Collection | \$ 6,122.55 | |

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish.

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Special Instructions: