



*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*  
[jwilbursjv@comcast.net](mailto:jwilbursjv@comcast.net)  
Heather Clendenning: *Director of Music Ministry*  
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Tina Bjork: *Secretary*  
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### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: [ppc@stjvp.org](mailto:ppc@stjvp.org)

Lisa Anzelmi	Mary Retzbach
Janice Bevacqua	<i>Vice-Chairperson</i>
Gerry Borosky	Rick Toth
Jan Corbett	<i>Chairperson</i>
Mary Ann Paulukonis	Lynn Volk
	<i>Secretary</i>

### FINANCE COUNCIL: [finance@stjvp.org](mailto:finance@stjvp.org)

### MASSES OF THE WEEK

		<u>Location</u>	<u>Mass Intention:</u>	<u>Requested by:</u>
Saturday	7-30	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Stanley & Stephanie Stracham	Family
Sunday	7-31	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Andrew Uhrin	Ed & Cheryl Boyarsky
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living & Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	Angela
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Anne & Thomas Rogers	
Monday	8-01	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Josephine Woodworth	
Tuesday	8-02	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Dolores Opeil	Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Gaughan, Ann Mason & Barbara Opeil
Wednesday	8-03	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	John Valtos	Bob & Kathy Valtos & Family
Thursday	8-04	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Eleanor Wade	
Friday	8-05	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Michael Begey	Family
Saturday	8-06	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Gabby Wallinger	Family
Sunday	8-07	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Mary Redensky	Joe & Maggie Mulderig
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living & Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Joe Ferraro	Family

### TEACHERS NEEDED



We are looking for people willing to be teachers in our programs. Summer Kidz Kamp and Religious Education Program. Please call JoAnn Wilbur at 254-9502 ext. 3 for information and any questions.

### Fun-Filled Days of Catholic Kidz Camp - Aug.8-12 - 9am to 12:30pm

Parachute with the Angels  
and St. Catherine Laboure

GOD IS YOUR PILOT DURING FUN-FILLED DAYS OF CATHOLIC KIDZ CAMP Parents!! Cool crafts, Fun Games, Upbeat Music, Exciting Activities, Creative Skits, and Bible Stories. Each kid gets a tee shirt and story book to keep and lunch every-day. Registration fee is \$20 to help defray costs. If fee is hardship just tell our director JoAnn Wilbur. For more info, please call JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3



### ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS!!!

Any volunteer that has reached the age of 18, such as Summer Program Volunteers, helping with food in children's programs, substitute teachers for Religious Ed program, as well as teachers for any program that will be working with or having direct contact with the children, MUST get their clearances. These come at no cost to volunteers. This is Pennsylvania State Law. These clearances can be obtained online. In addition, you must also take a one time 3 hour training called VIRTUS, which is provided for free by the Diocese of Scranton. If you need these clearances and VIRTUS, and/or have any questions, please contact JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3. No one can help without these requirements, so please contact us.

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The RCIA process is an opportunity for instruction and spiritual transformation for any adult seeking a deeper understanding of the Catholic tradition or full incorporation into the Catholic Church. Are you interested in becoming a Catholic or completing the Sacraments of Initiation--Baptism/Confirmation/Eucharist? The RCIA group meets weekly. We also have the process for older children and teens who may have not received their sacraments, or who would like to enter the Catholic Church. Please give JoAnn a call if you have any questions or would like further information: **254-9502** or email at **Jwilbursjv@comcast.net**.

St. John Vianney Blood Drive  
August 25th, 1-6p  
At Corpus Christi  
Baked goods will be needed.



### ANNUAL BACKPACK PROGRAM

Backpacks are due today.

### Liturgical Ministers' Schedule

August 6-7, 2016

5:00p	N. Ferraro M. Matous	J. R. Salva	E. Piccini J. Piccini Deacon Ed
8:00a	M. Boyarsky K. Dzwonczyk	L. Volk	G. Hallesky G. Konzman R. Good
9:30a	A. Long (St. Pius) K. Long	K. Shostek	S. G. Mancuso Deacon Ed
11:00a	N. Lowry M. Ziobro M. Ziobro	M. A. Paulukonis	C. Giordano M. L. Racht D. Sashko

### FIRST FRIDAY HOLY HOUR

First Friday Masses will be held at 8:30a.m. in Corpus Christi Church. The one hour devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will begin with Eucharist and close with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Jesus appeared to St. Margaret Mary and revealed to us the wonder and beauty of God's love. We set Fridays aside as the day our Lord offered Himself for us on the Cross to call to mind God's love, mercy and sacrifice. Please join us.



### PILGRIMAGE

St. John Vianney parish is planning to join other parishes for the pilgrimage to St Peter's Cathedral, Scranton on September 24th from 9am to 2pm. This is to celebrate the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy as declared by Pope Francis, and pass through the diocesan Holy Door as declared by Bishop Bambera. By passing through the holy doors, the faithful can earn indulgences after fulfilling the usual conditions of prayer for the pope's intentions, confession, and detachment from sin, and Holy Communion. Please consider joining our parish community for this extraordinary event. The day includes morning prayer, a presentation on the Jubilee of Mercy, confession, rosary, Mass, and tour of the Cathedral. Cost is \$10 per person for lunch, payable upon arrival that day. Please call the office to register by September 2 (570-254-9502). or register online at the parish Website: [www.stjvp.org](http://www.stjvp.org).

### COUNTRY BAZAAR 2016

Our Lady of the Snows annual **Country Bazaar** will be held on the grounds of **St. Benedict's Church, 1849 Newton Ransom Blvd., Clarks Summit**, on the evenings of **Thursday, August 4th (6 pm - 10 pm), Friday, August 5th (6 pm - 10 pm) and Saturday, August 6th (5 pm - 10:30 pm)**. Entertainment for this year's event includes **The Fab Three** (Thursday), **Line Dancing with EJ the DJ** (Friday), and Saturday, **Celebrating a Century of Sinatra with Chris DiMattio and the Ken McGraw Jazz Ensemble**. We will have our famous baskets, raffle tickets, luminaries, games and delicious food! Come have some fun!



**WE'RE BACK! BETTER THAN EVER!  
SATURDAY, AUGUST 13<sup>TH</sup> 12 PM - 6PM  
HOLY COW FLOP & BBQ**



A Cow Flop is an event where numbered squares are randomly placed inside a fenced grid. A cow is then released onto the grid. The winning square is the one which is picked by the cow after nature takes its' course." \$5,000 PRIZE !!

**Live Music - Basket Raffles - Big 6 Wheel - Bake Sale - BINGO - Instant Bingo - Beer - Pizza - Hot Dogs - AND LOTS & LOTS OF FUN !!**

**\$10 Chicken BBQ - Featuring KUNDLA'S CHICKEN OF HAMLIN, PA and \$10 Cow Flop Tickets**

Tickets can be purchased before and after each weekend Mass. You can also call Tina at the Parish Office 570-254-9502

DONATIONS WANTED: Cases of bottled water, napkins, coolers we can use for the weekend of the BBQ and gift cards for the bingo. Individually wrapped items are needed for the bake sale. Donations should be left at St. Pius.

Anyone interested in donating a basket for our basket raffle, kindly get in touch with Mary Retzbach, cell 570-510-3192.

**CALLING FOR VOLUNTEERS!**

Below is the schedule of when we need help. Please come and help when you can! Any questions call Sabrina at 570-241-8851.

Wednesday, August 10: 6:00 pm - wrap utensils at St. Pius

Thursday, August 11: 6:00 pm - shuck corn at St. Pius

7:00pm - draw grid for Flop at St. Pius

Friday, August 12: 9:00 am - set up all tents at St. Pius

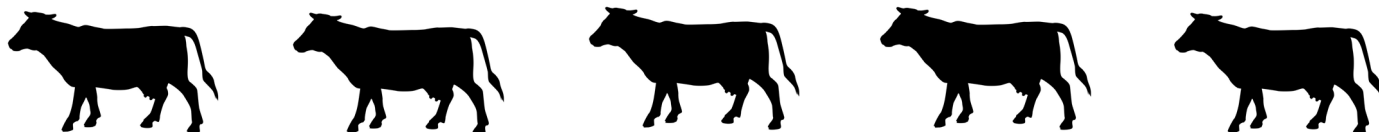
2:00 pm - clean & wrap baked potatoes at Corpus Christi

6:00 pm - set up tables & chairs at St. Pius

Saturday, August 13: 8:00 am - cook corn at St. Pius

8:00am - cook potatoes at Corpus Christi

8:00 am - ALL DAY - last minute setups and BBQ at St. Pius



**Notice Regarding 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. 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-HourChild Abuse hotline (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at [www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis](http://www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis)

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. 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) or to Diocesan officials, including the Vicar General, Monsignor Thomas M. Muldowney, V.G., at (570-207-2269).

**PARISH COLLECTION**

July 16-17, 2016

Weekly Adults	\$ 3,682.00	197/564
Weekly Children	\$ 22.25	26/264
Loose	\$ 583.00	
Other (Dues, etc.)	\$ 774.00	
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 5,061.25</b>	

Thank you for your continued support of our Parish Community.

**E-GIVING FOR MAY**

Total: \$1,912.00 Weekly: \$1,670.00 Other: \$242.00

**E-GIVING FOR FEBRUARY**

Total: \$2,277.00 Weekly: \$2,030.00 Other: \$247.00

If you would like to sign up for e-giving, please go to:  
[e-giving.org/stjohnvianneyparish](http://e-giving.org/stjohnvianneyparish)  
or our parish website: [www.stjvp.org](http://www.stjvp.org)

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