



St. Pamphilus PARISH



July 15, 2018

1000 Tropical Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15216

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Morning 8:00 a.m., 11:00 am
Daily Liturgy 8:30 a.m. (Tues.-Sat.)
St. Anthony Devotion Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m. Mass

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: AS THE FAITH COMMUNITY OF ST. PAMPHILUS, UNITED IN THE BODY OF CHRIST, WE SEE OUR MISSION AS WELCOMING ALL PEOPLE TOGETHER TO ESTABLISH A STRONG SENSE OF UNITY AMONG THE CONGREGATION. IN THE SPIRIT OF ST. FRANCIS, WHO RESPECTED ALL CREATION AS OUR ROLE MODEL, WE MINISTER TO THE NEEDS OF OTHERS AND GIVE GENEROUSLY AS WE STRIVE TO LOVE, HONOR AND GLORIFY GOD. TOGETHER WE SHALL WORK TO ADVANCE THIS MISSION OF CHRIST IN OUR LIVES.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Baptisms are celebrated the first Sunday of each month after the 11:00 a.m. liturgy. Parents of children to be Baptized are asked to call the parish office to arrange for pre-Baptism instruction.

NEW PARISHIONERS ARE MOST WELCOME: Please call the rectory office to register.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated one-half hour before each weekend Mass or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Diocesan regulations require the couple to attend an approved pre-marriage preparation program.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND SHUT-INS: Please call the friary when a friend, neighbor, or loved one is in need of visitation or the sacraments of Eucharist, Reconciliation, or Anointing of the Sick.




**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK**

Tuesday, July 17, 2018 Weekday
8:30 a.m. **John L. Mazza** by Joe and Donna Grasso

Wednesday, July 18, 2018 Weekday
8:30 a.m. **Mary Clara (Anania) Molinaro** by Fr. Alexis Anania, OFM

Thursday, July 19, 2018 Weekday
8:30 a.m. **Esther Limetti** by Joe and Donna Grasso

Friday, July 20, 2018 Weekday
8:30 a.m. **Pro Negelctis et Oblitus**

Saturday, July 21, 2018 Weekday
8:30 a.m. **Jordan Daniele** by John, Jackie, John Paul and Julianna Daniele
5:30 p.m. **The Deceased of the Greco and Da Li Family and Alfred Murgi** by Jo Murgi

Sunday, July 22, 2018 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 a.m. **Pro Populo**
11:00 a.m. **Blanche and Joseph Muck** by Jean Hartz

MARRIAGE BANNS | Denise R. Babila –Daniel J. Hughes

In the gospel, we hear another famous story of answering God's call. The apostles were ordinary men, at least on the surface. AS fishermen, they were not the leading scholars of the day; they were not recognized as spiritual "holy men" within the Jewish community. Nevertheless, Jesus chose these simple men to do his work. Initially the call was passive; the apostles were simply required to walk with the Lord and listen to his words. But today we hear how the call has gone active. Jesus sends them forth, two by two, to do the work that is needed to make the kingdom of God come. Jesus sends these men forth in faith. They are to preach the Good News; they are not to worry about lodging, food, or clothes. God will provide all that is necessary for the mission they undertake.

We have all been called individually by name and collectively by the community to answer God's call. The initial call came at baptism. Our name was announced to the community; we became members of the church. We were called that day to service, to ministry; to an active pursuit of God. We live that call as a community, which needs our input. If we sit around and do nothing, allowing everyone else to do what is necessary, then we have missed the call. In the process we have missed the opportunity of a lifetime to show the face of Christ to others.

THE SANCTUARY LAMPS burn this week for: Nancy Reilly by JoAnne and Bri, for **Rose and Anthony Priore** by Rose, and for **Domenic Pesavento** by the Gonot Family. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in eternal peace.

EAT 'N PARK GIFT CARD SALES: Saturday, July 21st., and Sunday, July 22nd., are: 5:30 p.m. Jo Murgi, 8:00 a.m. Debbie Tassari, and 11:00 a.m. Dorothy Lyons.

SANCTUARY LAMPS: We have 3 sanctuary lamps available for the month of July. To schedule a sanctuary lamp, please call the friary.


Pray For

Please remember our parishioners and friends who are in need of our prayers, especially Carl Minneci, Sue Checketts, Joseph Lauda, John, Joan & Krissy Callery, Beryl Sullivan, Diane Tomko, Lillian Radolec, Stephanie Sutter, Nicholas & Kelly Palombo, Jo Murgi, Robert Durrant, William Baldwin, Lily Sweitzer, Tom Kupiec, Judie Ribic, Ellie Gillespie, Amy McCarthy, Kathy Lovasik, Dan Gitzen, Pam Krauss, Marianne Ricci, Theresa & Nino Mitchell, Tony Greco, M.P., Mary Reynolds, Maureen Heckman, Antania Marie Hawkins, Nancy Lang, Sue & Clint Vogel, Francie Pattinato, Karen Donovan, Susan Fischer, Eileen Malloy, Richard & Beverly Abbott, Christopher Astorino, Betty Schmitt, Joe Jastrebski, Kenny Jones, Mary Wuycheck, Jillian Cupples, N.G., K.R., R.R., T. S., Carl Finkbeiner, Michael Logar, Jack & Emily Sansone, Dorothy Steiner, G.G., Fr. James Goode, OFM., A.J., F.O., Maureen Lusk, Rodger F. Keeler, K.N., T.N., Meghan, Judy D., Deena Stauffer, Jackie D'Alessandro, Cee Kaczynski, Mary Hughes, Carol Cindrich, Sister Mary Ann Moses, Coop Jacobs, Fr. Louis DeNinno, Herb Buettner, Sr., Marian Wiedor, J. B., Bridget Aber, Dorothy Collins, N.G., Carla Evans, Janet Peterson, Gary Rogers, Cameron Liebro, Terry Schohn, The B. Family, M.G., JoAnne Crawford, Margaret & Steven Hitt, Lorraine, Joyce, Wendy Boward, Natalie Ross Rasmusse, Joan Unico and JoAnne Crawford.

COLLECTIONS FOR JULY 8, 2018
498 SETS OF ENVELOPES DISTRIBUTED

(envelopes)	This Week	Last Week
Reg. Collection (79)	\$2,119.00	\$2,784.00
Debt (3)	198.00	204.00
Education Collection (3)	16.00	70.00
Utility Collection (2)	10.00	103.00
Capital Fund (8)	610.00	279.00
Building Upkeep (15)	36.00	105.00
Envelope Defray (4)	28.00	129.00
Peter's Pence (0)	0.00	20.00
Total	\$3,017.00	\$3,694.00

As you can see, 79 of the 498 Regular collection envelopes were used. Thanks to everyone who used their envelopes this week, indicating that you are practicing your faith by attending mass.

PARISH SHARE 2018: This year our assessment is \$51,404.00. To date we have received 66 pledges totaling \$20,315.00 and payments totaling \$17,035.00. Your support is truly appreciated. Please remember that any monies we receive over and above our assessment will remain in the parish and we will not be reassessed. Thank you for your continued support.

The Week Ahead

Wednesday, July 18, 2018

Wednesday Night Crew 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 21, 2018

Saint Vincent DePaul Society 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, July 22, 2018

Christian Women's Guild 11:00 a.m.

Ministers	Altar Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., July 21 5:30 p.m.	M. Daube P. Langbein	T. Randazzo	G. Molinaro M. Krauss J. Dzadovsky
Sun., July 22 8:00 a.m.	J. Bruecken	A. Paolicelli	M. Bakowski S. Skelly L. Barry
Sun., July 22 11:00 a.m.	P. Kovacs T. Kovacs	B. Blotzer	S. Gandziarski S. Seidl K. McGee

LOTTERY NEWS:

LOTTERY CLOSURE: As most of you know by now, our lottery drawing ended on June 30th. We had decided to end it at this time due to dwindling sales and many unsold tickets at the end of each month. We greatly appreciate all who supported our efforts over the years and hope you will continue to support our endeavors in the future. Heartfelt thanks to all.

PARISH NEWS:

PLEASE NOTE: Although we welcome you to exercise your pets on church property, it would be greatly appreciated if you would clean up after them, as you would for any of your other neighbors. Thank you.

COMMUNION: If you are unable to proceed to the front of the church to receive communion, please advise one of the ushers as to where you are seated and they will have a minister bring communion to your pew.

HE SENT THEM OUT TWO BY TWO: A Christian is not called to "go it alone" in this life, no matter the circumstances. While sometimes we are tempted to just do it ourselves, in reality Jesus encourages us to invite others into our lives through faith and trust in God and with love. In today's Gospel we learn of the amazing things the apostles are able to do as they go out in pairs, trusting in the Lord to provide for their needs and for the needs of others through them. They are able to drive out demons and heal the sick, and they invite other to follow Jesus through their words and deeds. We are called to share in the mission of Christ and his Church today, yet we are not individually committed to this task. As members of the Body of Christ we work together to make Jesus present in the world. *On Mission for The Church Alive!* is an opportunity for us to grow in faith and friendship so that together we can form vibrant communities that share God's life with others. Visit onmissionchurchalive.org to learn more and to stay informed.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS:

SAINT PEREGRINE NOVENA: The Novena in honor of Saint Peregrine, patron of cancer patients, will begin Tuesday, July 31 with nine consecutive Tuesday evenings at Corpus Christi Parish [2515 Versailles Avenue, McKeesport]. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 pm and the novena prayers will be prayed after the Mass. Before Mass, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available. Each week there will be another insight into the life of Saint Peregrine. The Mass intention for each week of the novena will be for all those who are in the hospital or nursing home or sick at home especially those suffering with cancer. For more information, please call 412-672-0765.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES IS IN DIRE NEED OF DIAPERS FOR OUR PREGANANCY AND PARENTING PROGRAM. TO HELP CATHOLIC CHARITIES' EMERGING LEADERS COUNCIL IS LAUNCHING OUR 100,000 DIAPERS IN 100 DAYS DRIVE: This annual drive collects diapers and wipes for low-income, struggling parents of infants under two who we serve through our Pregnancy and Parenting Program. You can help the moms, dads, and babies we serve by collecting diapers (sizes 2-5) and wipes and contacting Brendan Avila at (412) 456-6969 / bavila@ccpgh.org to schedule drop-off. **Prefer to donate diapers electronically?** Log on to your regular Amazon account at smile.amazon.com and select "Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Pittsburgh" as the organization you would like to benefit from your purchase. Select your diapers wipes, and have them mailed to our downtown office at 212 9th Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15222. By logging in through Amazon Smile, you donate 0.5% of the cost of your purchase to Catholic Charities!

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSAY CELEBRATION: If you and your spouse are celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary any time this year and would like to be invited to the Diocesan Celebration at St. Paul Cathedral on Sunday, October 7, at 2:30 PM, please call the rectory or drop a note in the collection basket no later than Sunday, August 5.

MASS WITH BLESSINGS FOR HEALING: Nativity Parish, 5800 Brownsville Road in South Park will once again welcome Fr. William Kiel, for a Mass with blessings for healing. The Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, July 25, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at Nativity Church. Nativity is handicap accessible. For more information call Nativity Rectory at 412-655-3000.

BROOKLINE BOULEVARD BREEZEFEST: Wanted: Arts and Crafts Vendors, buskers, and community organizations for our Annual Brookline BreezeFest event on August 11, 2018, along the Boulevard business district. Application fee is \$45.00. For more information call Lois McCafferty at 412-341-5788, Linda Boss at 412-561-0811 or email BlvdBreezefest@hotmail.com. Applications can be picked up at A-Boss Opticians, 938 Brookline Boulevard or Teen Outreach, 520 Brookline Boulevard.

BASKETBALL CAMP: Seton LaSalle Boys Basketball Coach Mark Walsh will direct a Basketball Camp at Seton LaSalle High School July 16 to 20 for Boys entering Grades 4th to 8th. The time is from 9:00 a.m. until Noon. For more information/application: contact Coach Walsh at coachmrwalsh@gmail.com or call/text at 412-979-2913.

SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA ANNUAL FLEA MARKET: 199 McGovern Blvd Crescent, PA 15046. Come on over to the best flea market AND bake sale ever. Thursday July 19th 9am- 2pm, Friday July 20th 9am-2pm. Saturday July 21st 7:30 am- 2pm. Why not come at 8:30 on Thursday and Friday and join us for Mass! Questions please call Erin @ 724-378-4783

FESTIVAL OF PRAISE: Hope-Healing-Reborn Sunday, July 15th 2:00—3:30 PM, St. Michael the Archangel Church, 432 Center Ave., Butler PA 16001. All are welcome. Questions: 724-282-4107