

September 22, 2024 – Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Approximately 15 minutes before the Saturday & Sunday Masses when possible.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, Sept. 23	7:45 AM	SJ	- First Anniversary – Bernie Brown	<i>Sts. Pius of Pietrelcina</i>
Tuesday, Sept. 24	7:45 AM	MHT	- Pat Krestar, requested by Paul & Susan Snyder	
Wednesday, Sept. 25	7:45 AM	IC	- Richard E. Long	
Thursday – Sept. 26	7:45 AM	SB	- Nancy Scheller, requested by Anna Marie Brence	<i>Sts. Cosmas & Damian</i>
			3 to 8 PM IC – Exposition & Adoration	
Friday, Sept. 27				<i>St. Vincent DePaul</i>
Saturday, Sept. 28	2:30 PM	IC	– Nuptial Laura Troy & Ronald Kakabar, Jr.	
	4:00 PM	MHT	– James & Darlene Bouch, requested by Paul Robinson	
	4:00 PM	IC	– Gary Schrift & For the Parish	<i>St. Wenceslaus</i>
	5:30 PM	SB	– Parishioners of St. Bartholomew & Most Holy Trinity	<i>St. Lawrence Ruiz/Comp.</i>
	5:30 PM	SJ	– Gerald & Helen Schrift & For the Parish	
Sunday, Sept. 29	7:00 AM	IC	– Robert Christina, Sr.	
	8:30 AM	SJ	– Kitty Lou & Judy Penatzer	
	9:00 AM	SB	– John Butch Crynock, requested by Tony & Carol Pyo	
	10:30 AM	MHT	–Carol Ledwich, requested by Louis & Dianne Nocera	

FEASTS & MEMORIALS

Sanctuary Candles	St. Bart	MHT	St. John	Immaculate C.
September 22-28	Michael Riva	Clara Fitzpatrick	Doug Felix successful surgery	Lillian Pisarski

Liturgical Minister Schedule

Sept.28/29	Lector	EMHC	Altar Servers
IC - 4:00 PM	Greg Madison	Ginny Rosko	
MHT- 4:00 PM	Volunteer	Deacon Rick	
St. J - 5:30PM	Jessica Singer	John Salamon	
St. B - 5:30PM	M Branas	Deacon Rick	
IC – 7:00AM	Steve Pappas	Denise Miljenovich	
St. J – 8:30 AM	Lisa Boyd	Carissa Penatzer	
St. B 9:00 AM	D Templeton	Deacon Rick	
MHT – 10:30 AM	B Kessler	Deacon Rick	E Gramling
M/B Count- 9/23	R Gramling, D Fox	StB-Sept. Church cleaning	Tim & Laurie Harshberger

Offertory Collections

Sept. 8	Regular	Votive		Specials	CCD	Diocese	Cem	Building	Total
MHT	\$2475	\$244		\$20		\$25	\$10	\$673	\$3447
St. B	\$1411	\$200		\$5			\$15	\$393	\$2024
IC	\$1499			\$445					\$1944
SJ	\$2276			\$415					\$2691

Catholic Ministry Drive

M-goal	M-pledge	B-goal	B-pledge	SJ-goal	SJ-pledge	IC-goal	IC-pledge
\$11,119	\$3305	\$11,828	\$3850	\$11,593	\$4245	\$15,159	\$9050

AUGUST PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR SICK: Mary & David Lambert, Susan Long, Nancy Kruic, Jean Dunmire, Diane Single-Dodson, Lowell Seabolt, Trinity, Rose and Adam, Marlene Rummel, Katelynn Reighard, Mike Rosmus, Linda Debias, Sandy Georg, Francis Girard, James Sobel, Seth Georg, Angie Smay, Mary Giallonardo, George Fetsko, Mary Long, Elio Lucci, Leroy Smith, Jason Kirchner, Maria Felix, Jim Benshoff, Mary Ann Penatzer, Karen Y, Donna Moyer, shut-ins, special intentions.

SECOND COLLECTION: Next weekend the second collection is for our Diocesan Retired Priests

PAM WILL BE ON VACATION the week of Sept. 23-27. The IC/SJ Parish Office will be closed.

SJ: Making sauerkraut on **Sunday, September 22 at 6 PM** in the church basement kitchen for the Sauerkraut Supper which is November 3. Help would be appreciated.

SJ & IC CCD classes began last Sunday. Next class will be Sept. 29; October 6 & 27. Grades 1 & 2 will be in Marian Hall in IC Church and Grades 3,4,5 & 6 will be in the Grove Hall with times of 9:30 AM to 10:45 AM. Grades 7, 8 & 9 will be in the Rectory basement and Grades 10 & 11 will be in SJ Church basement with times of 9:30 AM to 11 AM.

IC & SJ: Children's bulletin for kids ages 3 and up are now in the back of both IC & SJ Churches.

SJ/IC: Fr. Myron Kirsch, OSB passed away on Sunday, Sept. 9. He was "our priest" for 26 years. We were so very blessed to have him celebrate our Masses here almost every weekend from 1994 to 2021. May he rest in peace.

IC & SJ WEBSITE: Are you attached to your material possessions? Sometimes the things that we own end up owning us. Detachment prevents this from happening. Visit www.stjic.org this week to learn the meaning of detachment from the catechism and Fr. Mike Schmitz.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Third Annual Comedy Night, sponsored by SJ Church, will be Saturday, March 1, 2025, at New Germany Grove Hall. The original Host from the first comedy night with 2 brand new comedians, food & refreshments.

IC CHURCH: The front parking lot side door is now open 7 days a week 6 AM-9 PM on a timer. So, all other doors will be locked unless there are Masses. If any doors must be opened manually, you must lock them manually when you leave.

ST.B-HELP NEEDED: Mon, Sept. 23 at 6PM to finish cutting the trees in the cemetery. If get enough help, can finish job.

ST. B LOTTERY CALENDARS: Calendars will be sold before and after Masses in the vestibule until all are sold.

SJ ALTAR ROSARY Soc. will sponsor their Pie Social on Sunday, September 29 at 1 PM at St. John's Church Social Hall. Admission is \$3. A few games of Bingo will be played. Will need donated prizes for the Chinese Auction & donations of pies. Call Mary 814-495-9092 if you can donate a pie or there is a sign-up sheet in the back of SJ Church. **Saturday, Sept. 28 at 9 AM** the ladies will be setting up for the pie social in the church social hall. Help would be appreciated.

BOSCOV'S SHOPPING PASS: 25% off Tuesday, Oct. 22 8AM-11PM in store or online. Coupons are \$5 to benefit St. James & St Anthony Cemeteries are available after the Masses at MHT the next few weeks or in the office or call Frank Rosmus 814-270-4103. The cemeteries have several major repairs needed; your generosity would be greatly appreciated.

RADA CUTLERY FUNDRAISER: Most Holy Trinity Religious Education Program. Books will be available in MHT vestibule. Orders are due Nov. 10 for delivery before Thanksgiving. You can shop using Most Holy Trinity exclusive link: <https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=4730227.88f91a> anytime-all year and the items will ship directly to you and funds deposited to our account. Rada Cutlery is well known for their quality 100% USA made kitchen products. Thank your support of our religious education program.

Pennsylvania March for Life is being held in Harrisburg on Monday, September 23. We will be leaving from Immaculate Conception Church in New Germany at 7:30 AM and plan to return around 6 PM for those who made reservations.

COMMUNITY BOOK CLUB Monday, **Sept. 30** at 3:30 PM in Marian Hall on the book "The Last Child" by John Hart.

FALL SCRIPTURE study course by **Deacon Rick Golden**. "Journey Through Scripture" series continues with "Holy Is His Name" by Dr. Scott Hahn. Starting Monday, October 7 at 6 PM at St. Bartholomew's Church Hall, Wilmore every Monday for 10 weeks. Register 495-9673 or rjgold@csrlink.net. \$10--study guide at door. Door prizes/ refreshments available.

RESPECT LIFE PRAYER BREAKFAST: Sat., Oct. 19 at 9AM at Bishop Carroll High School, Ebensburg. Guest Speaker is Kristan Hawkins, Pro-Life leader, author, podcast host, and advocate for the unborn. Tickets are \$15 in advance, please call: IC/SJ -Margie G. 814-243-1998; M/B office for tickets. Donations of baskets for the basket auction would be appreciated. Call 312-5697 for pick-up or drop off at Holy Name Rectory. M-F 8:30-4PM.

WOMEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION St. Benedict's Parish, Johnstown on Sept. 28 from 8:30-4 PM. "Jesus Approaches: What Contemporary Women Can Learn about Healing, Freedom & Joy from the Women of the New Testament. Free-RSVP for Lunch required. Rectory 814-266-9178 or call Deacon Russo at 814-288-3036 or email michael.russo@atlanticbb.net

FALL ENRICHMENT CLASSES: register www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry, 361-2000 or jgramling@dioceseaj.org.

Old Testament: Fr. Brian Saylor, St. Rose of Lima Altoona, Tuesdays 6:30-9 begins Oct. 1. \$35. Register by Sept. 23.

Christian Prayer and Spirituality: Deacon Russo, Thursdays 6:30-9. Begins Oct. 3. \$35, Register by Sept. 23.

HEALING MASS: Tuesday, Oct. 15 at 7pm at St. Michael, Hollidaysburg. Praise & worship at 6:30, and prayer ministry will follow Mass. Fr. Baldwin, Fr. Dodd, and Fr. Jeremy Mohler and others will concelebrate. Physical, emotional, and spiritual

PINOCHLE CARD PARTY at Holy Family Parish Hall, Portage today, Sunday, Sept. 22 from 1 to 4 PM. \$5 Admission.

BASKET RAFFLE FUNDRAISER on Sunday, October 6 at V.F.W. 1665 Newry Lane, Duncansville from 1 to 4 PM. Drawing immediately after. Sponsored by: Catholic Daughters of America, Our Lady of the Alleghenies, Court No. 1755 Hollidaysburg. All are welcome.

ST. DEMETRIUS PARISH in Gallitzin will hold its Annual Chicken BBQ Dinner and Fall Festival on Sunday, Sept. 29, in the parish Activity Center, 714 Foster St. Gallitzin. The meal includes a half BBQ Chicken, green beans, potato, roll and a dessert. Dine-in and Takeout dinners are available for \$14 starting at 11 AM until they are sold out. Rummage Sale, Baked Goods, Games and Basket Raffle. It's fun for the whole family!

P.T. CRUISER on October 26, 2024, at St. Nicholas Church Hall, Nicktown, from 7 to 10 PM. Doors open at 6:30 PM. Food and non-alcoholic drinks for sale. No outside food permitted. BYOB. No one under 18 admitted. Admission \$10. Call for tickets: 814-948-5844 or 814-948-7251. Tickets can be picked up at 814 Salon, Nicktown or Strollo's Home Center, Northern Cambria. Only 300 tickets available. Proceeds benefit St. Nicholas Rosary Altar Society.

HOLY NAME PARISH, EBENSBURG: Guest speaker series: September 23 & 24 at 7PM- Former Wall Street Banker, now Catholic Priest and Exorcist Fr. Dan Reehill from the Diocese of Nashville; and October 7 at 7PM Faithful Catholic, Pilot, Martial Artist, and Motivational Speaker Jessica Cox.

TAMBURITZAN: All Saints Parish, Sat. Oct. 12 at North Star High School Auditorium, Boswell 2pm. Tickets call 629-5551 or emarsh@diocesaj.org. Benefits the parish student's pilgrimage. Includes cash bar of drinks from all over the world.