



Mass Intentions for the Week

LITURGY SCHEDULE

MONDAY, MAY 30, 2011 **Memorial Day**
 9:00 AM John Cigna (Sharon & Clyde Rombach III)

TUESDAY, MAY 31, 2011
Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 6:40 AM Varisco & Perri Families
 (Cindy & Jeff Kroneberg)
 8:45 AM George Williams (Hernon Family)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 2011 **St. Justin**
 6:40 AM Peg Dunic (Joseph Matis)
 8:45 AM McClain Family (Community C-5)
VIGIL MASS THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION
 7:00 PM Frank Rossi (Ann Marie Scincio)
NO ADORATION/NO NOVENA

THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 2011 **ASCENSION THURSDAY**
 6:30 AM James J. Attanucci Sr. (Wife, Nancy)
 8:45 AM Edward Pavlekovsky
 (Frank & Maggie Lorence)
 7:00 PM Robert Ponter (Tom & Jean Winner)

FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2011
St Charles Lwanga & Companions
 8:45 AM Robert Hess (Jackie & Bernie Easley)

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 2011 **Weekday**
 8:30 AM Steve & Theresa Nagy (Family)
 11:00 AM NUPTIAL CEREMONY
 Katelyn Exler & Steven Hill
 6:00 PM 50th Wedding Anniversary of
 Mary Lou & Charles Eagan

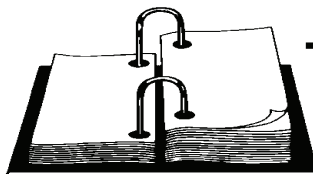
SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2011 **SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
 7:00 AM Loretta Datt (Family)
 8:45 AM Phyllis Sekowski (Family & Friends)
 10:30 AM Intention of St. Bonaventure Parish Family
 12:15 PM Walt Barie (Cathy Barie & Family)

THE BOY SCOUTS OF TROOP 560 are having a
 Doughnut Sale after all Masses next weekend.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP MAY 22, 2011

Regular Collection \$12,010.00

Please remember St. Bonaventure Parish
 in your will. This assures the parish
 of continued financial strength.



The Week Ahead

MONDAY, MAY 30, 2011
 MEMORIAL DAY



THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 2011
 ASCENSION THURSDAY

FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2011
 1:30 PM Ladies Bible Study - PL



MEMORIAL DAY: begin your holiday with us
 this coming Monday with the Eucharist at 9:00 AM,
 as we remember and thank all those who gave
 their lives for us – in the defense of our nation, and
 its freedom.



ASCENSION THURSDAY : This coming
 Thursday is the Feast of the Ascension of the
 Lord Jesus, a Holy Day on which all Catholics
 are obligated to celebrate the Eucharist. See
 the Mass schedule to your left, and come and
 remember the day Jesus returned to the Fa-
 ther – to intercede for us now at the right hand
 of His Father, and from where He now sends
 us His Holy Spirit.

The “Word Among Us” - The June edition is avail-
 able at the entrances to the Church. As we approach
 Pentecost Sunday, this edition is devoted to the Holy
 Spirit’s work in each of us, and in the Church.

NO MEN’S PRAYER GROUP this Thursday .



**ST. BONAVENTURE FEAST DAY
 AND ANNUAL PICNIC** – Save the
 date - Sunday, July 17th - here on the
 Church grounds. Plan on bringing
 family and friends. Details to follow.

The gift of the Holy Spirit, ever-present to us, is one way
 Christ fulfills his promise to not leave us orphaned. All
 the earth should truly cry out to God with joy, for he is
 with us *always*. No matter life's inequities, injustices,
 trials or tribulations, God can give us strength and peace
 through the power of the Holy Spirit. We are never
 alone. Jesus promised not to leave us orphaned, and
 one way he fulfills that promise is through the gift of the
 Holy Spirit.



PLEASE PRAY FOR C. JOHN CIGNA who was buried from our Parish this past week. May his soul rest in the peace of the Lord. To his family we extend our sincere sympathy and prayerful support.

WITH GRATITUDE to Our Lord, we are pleased to make the following announcement: Ross F. Dacal of our Parish has been called by our Bishop, the Most Reverend David A Zubik, D.D. to the Order of Diaconate to be conferred at an ordination ceremony to be held on Saturday, June 11, 2011, in Saint Paul Cathedral, Pittsburgh. Congratulations to Ross, and we assure him of our prayers, as he is ordained. Ross will be ministering as Deacon for the first time at our 10:30 and 12:15 PM Masses on Sunday, June 12. reception will follow after the 12:15 Mass—in Newmeyer Hall. Plan on being with us, if possible to congratulate Ross.

THE ST. BONAVENTURE GOLF LEAGUE: Bonaventure is holding its annual golf club raffle. The members are selling the raffle tickets before and after each mass. The raffle will end on July 4th. First prize is a driver, 3 wood, full set of irons (pitching wedge through 5 iron), #4 rescue club, putter and bag. These are all Callaway brand. The winner will be determined by the evening lottery number on July 4. Second prize is \$500 and will be determined by the afternoon lottery number on July 4. As every year in the past, part of the proceeds will go toward some church or school project. Your support will be greatly appreciated. Thank you and good luck.



FESTIVAL OF PRAISE at Sts. John and Paul Parish. Thursday, June 23, 7:30 to 9 PM. Join in for an evening of worship as we pray and celebrate the *Church Alive* and the upcoming ordination of 4 new priests. A Celebration of the Feast of Corpus Christi.

Eucharistic Adoration with Bishop Zubik. Music by Kelly Pease Lombardi and Bob Lesnefsky. Presented by the Office of Vocations. For more information contact jfreedy@diopitt.org.



CENTRAL BLOOD BANK

THE ST. BONAVENTURE ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE will be held on Saturday, June 18, 2011 from 8 AM to 1 PM in Newmeyer Hall. To schedule your life saving appointment, please log on to www.centralbloodbank.org and enter code G0040060 or call Christine at 412-209-7061.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES invites you to "Tea & Testimony," Sunday, June 5, 4 - 6 pm at Sts John & Paul Parish, 2586 Wexford Bayne Rd, Sewickley. Christian actor, Anita Gutschick will perform "the Wife, the Witch, & the Virgin," a Biblical dramatization of Job's wife, the Witch of Endor & Mary the Mother of Jesus. KDKA Radio host Larry Richert & wife Cindi will welcome guests, who will also enjoy tea, treats & fellowship. Admission is FREE, however, free-will donations will be accepted for Catholic Charities' Basic Needs Assistance program. Reservations are required as space is limited. Call (412) 456-6690.

I WILL SEND YOU



We will remember again this Thursday the day that Jesus returned back to the Father - His Ascension Day. Just as Jesus said to us in today's Gospel - we are no longer able to see Him anymore in the flesh. But Jesus says that

"He lives - and we will live - He will live in us - and we will live in Him." There is a lot of life going on here! But to experience that life - we need that "Advocate to be with us always." And Jesus gives us that Advocate every day - the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is the One who will teach us who Jesus is - that He IS our life. The Holy Spirit will teach us The Truth about life - in the way that the world around us can never do - even with all its sophisticated information technology - because it does not know Jesus. The Holy Spirit will "put to death the things of the flesh in us - with His purifying love - and bring us to life in the spirit." The Holy Spirit is the only One who can bring each of us to "sanctify Jesus as Lord in our hearts."

Just as the people in Samaria, in today's reading from Acts, needed Peter and John to come and pray for them, that that might receive the Holy Spirit, we need the Holy Spirit to "fall upon us." The Holy Spirit did fall on each one of us - at our Baptism, and at our Confirmation. We need to "release" the life of the Holy Spirit in us. We need to pray each day that the Holy Spirit will "fall afresh on us" - as that we may know Jesus - and love and sanctify Him in our hearts. This is a time for each of us, as we celebrate the Ascension, and look to the Feast of Pentecost on June 12, to make a "novena of prayer." You could just pray simply every day: "Come Holy Spirit - fall afresh on me and on all the Church." As we do, Jesus will release His Holy Spirit even more - in us, and in this world, just as He promises He will do. - Fr. John

YOUTH GROUP

SUMMER RETREAT to Franciscan University July 8th-10th, sign ups and more information on the bulletin board.

CATHOLIC YOUTH DAY AT KENNYWOOD July 7th Info on the bulletin board.



May 1, 2011

Anthony Bishop
 Nicholas Blackburn
 Edward Blair
 Jordyn Brantner
 Anthony Bushem
 Vincent Constantino
 Kaci Crivella
 Matthew Degnan
 Lea DeMarco
 Antonio DiFiore
 Austin Drnevich
 Abigail Eakin
 Anna Febbraro
 Caitlin Fedorek
 Audrey Fisher
 Trinity Geiger
 Nicholas Giannuzzi
 Genna Gillespie
 Morgan Gralewski
 Lauren Graper
 John Ross Hartley
 Hannah Hofmann
 Joshua Hohman
 Sarah Johns
 Alexis Johnston
 Madalyn Reardon
 Savannah Sahr
 Michaela Scott
 Katie Snyder
 Jillian Stennett
 Brindle Walzer
 Gunnar Warrick
 Lily Waskiewicz

May 8, 2011

Connor Allen
 Brianna Fugh
 Lauren Grenesko
 Jimmy Happ
 Samuel Heim
 Nathan Heinauer
 Brianna Hune
 William Junker
 Thomas Ketterer
 Carley Klaas
 Connor Klaas
 Emily Kubic
 Stephanie Le
 Justin Lombardi
 Caitlyn Muchoney
 Madelyn Neelan
 Grace Neff
 Isabella Nordick
 Benjamin Phelan
 Gavin Sample
 Adella Shepherd
 Ysabella Storkus
 Allison Yarnot

May 15, 2011

Luke Franks
 Gabriella Greco
 Allyson Magliocco
 Isabelle McGowan
 Justin Newton
 Juan Oliver
 Anthony Ondo
 Garrett O'Neil
 Kennedy Quinn
 Adam Rolley
 Ethan Rowell
 Tyler Rowell
 Daniel Schaub
 Jack Schlotter
 Cameron Simurda
 Molly Smyers
 Wesley Smykal
 Gillian Suleski
 Andrew Sullivan
 Jillian Sullivan
 Jonathan Ulery
 Valentina Vozzo
 Erika Waldron



ST. BONAVENTURE'S 2011 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASS



THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS HAVE ACHIEVED HONORS AT LOCAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS:

Central Catholic

HONORS:

Brett Curussi
 Patrick Cicuto
 Thomas Coles
 Jesse Costa
 Nicholas Giglio, Jr.
 Stephen Lichenfels
 Colm Spillane
 Garrett Vrbanic
 Michal Vrbanic

HIGH HONORS:

Nicholas Bileck
 Nicholas Bozzo
 Nicholas Conroy
 Luke Palmer

Oakland Catholic

HONOR:

Mary Galiardi
 Mary Price

HIGH HONORS:

Lindsey Ferguson

HIGHEST HONORS:

Emma Ross