

ST. MICHAEL'S



15<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
IN ORDINARY TIME

“But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight.” - Lk 10:33

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**Mission Statement**

Compelled by the love of Christ,  
we love others,  
deepen our faith,  
and transform our world.

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## FR. MARK'S NOTES

### A Vision Moving Forward

Today's parents are forced to be always on the watch, always seeking what is best for their children like never before. God Bless you; it's harder than ever before to be a parent. Thank you for taking on this awesome and sacred task.

I went to church as a kid because everyone went. Now, things are different-very different. How can we, in new ways, excite our children about the faith? But first, how can we, the adults, get excited about our faith? Here in our spiritual home, do we have the remedy they need, and that we need too? So, we really need a vision that can help us move forward positively. We need a strategy that will move us as a parish so we can begin seeing this faith of ours in whole new ways. There is a very significant time in our parish that we have terribly underutilized. It's right there, and we missed it!! I missed it. It is that precious time between Masses. Yes, that's when the kids have Religious Ed. But, can you imagine a time when ALL of us, young and old, together have Faith Formation? Faith Formation for everyone!!

Imagine with me a time between Masses when we ALL go to some kind of Faith Formation, either after the First Mass or before the Second Mass. (Maybe it's a good time for Alpha too!) All our children from Kindergarten thru High School come at that time; all adults have 5, or as many as 8, classes to choose from to receive the necessary formation for adults. Can you imagine with me, hospitality everywhere, greeting people, serving coffee, cleaning up after class, and technology wherever necessary so we can have a variety of forms, topics, and classes.

Let's dream together!! Sunday mornings are the last available time left for us as Christians to gather. **Can we all agree that we must do something?** We are compelled by the love of Christ to do something. Us first!! But let's remember to love our children, to deepen their experience of God, and transform THEIR world. And here's the thing, we can't do that until we love others, deepen our faith, and transform OUR world first.

### Baptism Class

If anyone is having their child baptized, and of course, we hope you are, and if you have not taken the baptism class, here is an opportunity. Our next class for parents – and godparents -- who will be having their child baptized will be Tuesday evening, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00, in the rectory. Parents and godparents, if possible, are required to attend this class before the baptism of their child. So, please call us here at the rectory at 535-7646 to let us know you are coming. We would love to have you!!!



### **FOLLOW YOUR FAITH—JULY 10**

Join Fr. Mark and Marty as they continue their discussion of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. This week we will continue the discussion on morality. Fr. Mark will also touch a little on our vision moving forward. So join in the conversation, add your comments, ask questions, and be part of the discussion. Hope to see you tonight at 7 pm.

### **SERVE OTHERS SATURDAY—July 16—9 am CAMPUS CLEAN-UP DAY**



Join us this Saturday, July 16, for Serve Others Saturday. We will be focusing on cleaning our parish campus. The basement of Holy Grounds and the maintenance garage need to be cleaned up and unused items removed. A dumpster has been ordered for the campus clean-up. We will also be making blankets to have the colder months ahead.

**We will begin at 9 am** with prayer, fellowship, and a few snacks. Hope to see you on Saturday!



### **SMALL GROUPS**

Are you missing your small group members this summer? Get together with your small group and sign-up to help at the Parish Picnic on July 31. The picnic is an excellent opportunity to serve others and reconnect as a small group. Sign-up online on our website or call the Parish Office.

### **OMOS PARISH PICNIC JULY 31**



Our Parish Picnic will be here before you know it. All are welcome, and all are encouraged to bring a friend. There will be something for everyone! The picnic will begin immediately after the 11:00 Mass on July 31; RAIN OR SHINE!!!

There will be adult games under the tent, including BINGO! In addition, various games and activities will be available for the kiddos, including some water activities. (Dress accordingly.) Our master grillers will be dutifully cooking the hamburgers, hot dogs, and sausages.

To make this fun for everyone, we will need many helping hands. You can sign-up online to volunteer at [omostoday.com](http://omostoday.com) and click on the "Picnic" tab. Many shifts are available starting Saturday evening after Mass and throughout the day on Sunday. We need many extra hands in the kid's area. This is an excellent opportunity to play with your kiddos, for all young parents. Set-up and clean-up may not be the most popular, but they are both critical, and we need your help! Hebrews 6:10 says, "For God is not unjust to forget your work and labor of love which you have shown toward His name, in that you have ministered to the saint, and do minister." Please consider signing up for a shift or two to help throughout the day. In addition, if you enjoy preparing food, please visit [perfectpotluck.com](http://perfectpotluck.com) and sign in with OMOs and password: picnic. All instructions are available on the [perfectpotluck](http://perfectpotluck.com) site. If you need assistance or have any questions, please get in touch with the Parish Office at 814-535-7646.

## WOMEN FIND STRENGTH IN CHRIST

Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown

Women's Conference

**September 10, 2022**

9 am—2:45 pm

Holy Name Parish in Ebensburg

A dynamic and inspiring Catholic speaker, Kelly Walquist, will headline the upcoming Women's Conference in September. Kelly is the founder of WINE: Women in the New Evangelization. Also presenting will be Deanne Miller and Colleen Scariano, co-founders of SoulCore, a movement that nurtures the body and soul through prayer and core strengthening. The conference will include Eucharistic Adoration, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and lunch. The cost is \$10 per person. Please register online at [dioceseaj.org](http://dioceseaj.org) or pick up a hard copy registration form at any parish. The registration deadline is August 31.

Online registration link:

<https://ajdiocese.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities/WomensConference2022>



## WOMEN'S OVERNIGHT OF PRAYER

*We Are Not Alone*

*Women's Day of Prayer*

St. Clement Church Pavilion

Goucher Street

Saturday, August 20, 2022

**8:30—9:00 am**—Registration, Coffee, Doughnuts, and Fellowship

**3:30 - 3:50 pm**—Closing Prayer

(Mass at 4 pm if you wish to attend)

Lunch will be served! We look forward to your joining us for a Day of Prayer, Reflection, and Sung Praise.

**Registration \$25—Please call)**

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## FATIMA DEVOTIONS

The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R., from Loretto, invite you to participate in celebrating the Fatima Devotions on Wednesday, July 13, 2022, at 6:30 pm in the Sunken Gardens at Mount Assisi. (In case of inclement weather, devotions will be held at the St. Francis Friary Chapel located in the Main House of the Friars.) Looking forward to seeing you!!!

## JULY EVENTS AT ST. JOHN GUALBERT

Johnstown Eucharistic Procession – St John Gualbert will be sponsoring a city-wide Eucharistic Procession on **Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>**. Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 2 PM, immediately followed by a Eucharistic Procession to Central Park. A reception will follow at St. John Gualbert Activity Center. There will be NO Sunday 5 PM Mass that Day. First Communicants from all parishes are invited to process and wear their first communion attire. Families of 1<sup>st</sup> communicants are asked to RSVP at 814-536-0117.

Anointing Mass – An Anointing Mass will be held at **2 PM on Sunday, July 17<sup>th</sup>**, at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. Those wishing to receive the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick are invited to attend.

St Anne Triduum – The St. Anne Triduum will be held again this year on **July 24, 25, & 26<sup>th</sup>** at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. The Devotion will begin Sunday the 24<sup>th</sup> with the 5 PM Mass. Continue with Mass on Monday the 25<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM and conclude on Tuesday the 26<sup>th</sup> with 6 PM Vespers and Holy Hour followed by a reception at the St. John Activity Center.

**WEEKLY & MINISTRY SCHEDULES**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, July 11**

6 a.m.—Eucharistic Adoration  
 8 a.m.—Mass  
**Server:** Madelyn Younkins

**Tuesday, July 12**

6 a.m.—Eucharistic Adoration  
 7:30 a.m.—Confession  
 8 a.m.—Mass  
**Server:** Nicolas Barger

**Wednesday, July 13**

7 a.m.—Praise & Worship  
 4:30 p.m.—Eucharistic Adoration  
 5:15 p.m.—Confession  
 6 pm - —Mass  
**Server:** Tim Burgess

**Thursday, July 14**

6 a.m.—Eucharistic Adoration  
 8 a.m.— Mass  
**Server:** Joe Gritzer

**Friday, July 15**

6 a.m.—Eucharistic Adoration  
 8 a.m. - Mass  
**Server:** Tim Burgess

**Saturday, July 16**

3 p.m.-Confession  
 4 p.m.—Mass at OMOS  
**Servers:** Nicolas & Dominic Barger  
**Lector:** Andrea Criswell  
**Euch. Min:** Mary Kay (2) & Jerry Clark, Diana Tyger  
**Hosp:** Val & Bill Deater, Pattie Porter, Cathy Vigna, George & Mary Kogut, Rich & Deb Cowan

**Saturday, July 16**

6:00 p.m.- Mass at St. Michael's  
**Servers:** Tim Burgess & Lucy Smith  
**Lector:** Kayla Stephenson

**Sunday, July 17**

8:30 a.m.—Mass at OMOS  
**Servers:** Alyssa Kush & Damian Carbaugh  
**Lector:** Matt DiFrancesco  
**Euch. Min:** Estelle (2) & David Milligan, Noah Hillegass  
**Hosp:** Maria & Ralph DeMarco, John Esch, Ken & Michelle St. Clair, Jim & Joan Frischauf, Martin Malek

**Sunday, July 17**

11:00—Mass at OMOS  
**Servers:** : Mason & Dominick Lokesak  
**Lector:** Anita Altman  
**Euch. Min:** Patty Falcone (2), Amy Bradley, Mike Thomas  
**Hosp:** Gail Stotler, Linda & Ken Salem, Tim DiGuiseppe, Mary Lynn Evans, Marianne Krizner, Don & Patty Falcone

**Save the Date!**  
**OMOS Parish**  
**Picnic,**  
**Sunday, July 31**

- ◆ Volunteer sign-ups online
- ◆ Perfectpotluck sign-ups to cook or bring water or soda
- ◆ Call Parish Office with questions

**Saturday, July 9— Vigil**

4:00 p.m. Joanne Galiardi-Hahn (Dad & Family)  
6:00 p.m. Michael Burgess (Family) & Marlene Kessler (Husband & Family)

**Sunday, July 10—15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. Jerry Paul Gawel (Tony & Patti Campagna)  
11:00 a.m. Clara Szuch (Daughter, Donna)

**Monday, July 11**

8:00 a.m. Francis Pleskovic (Family & Friends)

**Tuesday, July 12**

8:00 a.m. Arlene Batzel (Sister, Georgia)

**Wednesday, July 13**

6:00 p.m. Sharon Birch (George & Cindy)

**Thursday, July 14**

8:00 a.m. Ann Weppelman (Pattie Poole)

**Friday, July 15**

8:00 a.m. Marilyn Shorto (Elsie Cable & Deborah Rullman)

**Saturday, July 16— Vigil**

4:00 p.m. Anthony Perry (Bernadette Ward)  
6:00 p.m. Dennis Flowers (wife, Vanessa & Family)

**Sunday, July 17—16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. Mary Ann Tschachler (Tony & Marianne Spada & Family)  
11:00 a.m. Clara Vranich (Gary & Monica Ripple)

**WEEKLY READINGS**

**SUNDAY COLLECTION**

Monday: Is 1:10-17/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 10:34—11:1  
 Tuesday: Is 7:1-9/Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 11:20-24  
 Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15/Mt 11:25-27  
 Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21/  
 Mt 11:28-30  
 Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16/Mt 12:1-8  
 Saturday: Mi 2:1-5/Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/Mt 12:14-21  
 Next Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a]/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

**July 3, 2022**

<b>Envelopes</b> .....	\$ 8,479
<b>Loose</b> .....	802
<b>Online</b> .....	9,908
<b>Total</b> .....	\$ 19,189
<b><i>Budget to Sustain Mission \$17,000/wk</i></b>	
<b>St. Michael's</b> .....	\$ 1,574

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