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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY—THURSDAY
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.



FEBRUARY 2, 2020

**PRESENTATION OF THE LORD
CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

WEEKEND— Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 10:00 am

WEEKDAY — Tuesday 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 3:15 to 3:45 p.m.
or by appointment.

For all emergencies, please call
St. Therese's Rectory at
570-696-1144.

THE SALT OF GOD'S KINGDOM FOR ALL

Jesus used ordinary images, such as salt and light, to convey extraordinary truths that transform our minds, hearts, and lives. What does salt and light have to teach us about God and the transforming power of his kingdom? Salt was a valuable commodity in the ancient world. People traded with it, like we trade with valuable goods, such as gold and stock. Salt also served a very useful purpose, especially in warmer climates before the invention of electricity and refrigeration. Salt not only gave rich flavor to food, it also preserved food from going bad and being spoiled. Jesus used the image of a lamp to describe how his disciples are to live in the light of his truth and love. Just as natural light illumines the darkness and enables one to see visually, so the light of Christ shines in the hearts of believers and enables us to see the heavenly reality of God's kingdom. Our mission is to be *light-bearers* of Jesus Christ so that others may see the truth of the gospel and be freed from the blindness of sin and deception. Do you know the joy and freedom of living in God's light? "Lord Jesus, you guide me by the light of your saving truth. Fill my heart and mind with your light and truth and free me from the blindness of sin and deception that I may see your ways clearly and understand your will for my life. May I radiate your light and truth to others in word and deed".



ATTENTION:

ALL LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Diane is in the process of preparing the new schedule for March, April, May and June, 2020. If you have special or specific requests or needs relative to your schedule, please contact her at 570-696-3737 by Monday, February 10, 2020.

Thank you for your cooperation.

COMING THIS LENT

- ~ Road to Resurrection
- ~ The Light is on for You
- ~ Monday Holy Hour
- ~Friday Stations of the Cross
- ~Living Stations

BAPTIZED IN CHRIST

Congratulations and Prayerful Best Wishes to Charlie Brian Stephenson, infant son of Brian & Jessica Stephenson, who was baptized into the faith on Sunday, January 12, 2020 at St. Therese's Church. May God bless you always.



The mass intention book for 2020 is available, therefore, we are accepting mass, sanctuary, and Marian Shrine candle requests. Mass donation is \$10. Sanctuary candle donation is \$10.00 and Marian Shrine candle donation is \$5.00. Please call Diane at 570-696-3737 during office hours Mon. through Thur. between 9:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.



MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

LECTORS

SERVERS

Saturday, 02/08 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, 02/09 10:00 a.m.

J. Kelley
C. Devens

G. Kelley
F. Mociun

J. Jorda
J. O'Neill, M. Schoenwetter



REQUESTED BY:

Tuesday, 02/04 8:00 a.m.
Saturday, 02/08 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, 02/09 10:00 a.m.

George & Victoria Zaledonis
Stanley Ference
Al & Rose Biondi

Joseph & Roseanne Gates
Regina Ference
Barbara Barbacci



Our next Youth Group meeting will be Sun. Feb. 9 in Father Sammons Hall. Junior High will be from 1:00-3:00 & Senior High will be from 2:00-4:00. Please join us for an afternoon of fun, friends, and faith! Contact Kelly Bryk by Feb. 7 at kkoz78@yahoo.com or (570)696-1144 ext. 20.

DO YOU WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE ANNULMENT PROCESS?: In the Diocese of Scranton, the annulment process is now more "user friendly" than you might expect, and there is no longer a processing fee. Please contact your pastor or the Diocesan Tribunal Office (570-207-2246) to begin a conversation.

WEATHER CANCELLATION INFORMATION—

TUESDAY MORNING MASS IS CANCELED WHEN CLASSES ARE CANCELED IN THE DALLAS SCHOOL DISTRICT. IF SCHOOL IS DELAYED, PLEASE CALL 570-696-1144, EXT. 13, AFTER 7:00 A.M., TO FIND OUT IF MASS IS CANCELED OR NOT. FOR ANY WEEKEND MASSES OR CCD CANCELLATIONS DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER, PLEASE CALL 570-696-1144, EXT. 13.

COMMUNION TO THE HOME BOUND

Do you or someone you know require communion brought to your home? If so, please contact Diane at 570-696-3737 and we will arrange for one of our Eucharistic Ministers to bring the Body of Christ to your home.



View our weekly bulletin online every weekend at www.sfcbsp.com

AN EVENING WITH DAN SCHUTTE:

St. Joseph Marelo Parish, 237 William St., Pittston on Friday, Feb. 28 at 7 pm. Tickets are \$10.00 each. Dan is the renowned composer of such beloved and cherished hymns as "Here I Am, Lord", "City of God", "Sing a New Song", and the popular Mass Setting "Mass of Christ the Savior". Tickets can be purchased by calling 570-654-6902, or email at office@sjmparish.org.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Please pray for Virginia Brown, Charles Caine, Russ & Mary Ann Dymond, Dave Hagerty, Don Hilstolsky, Don Hunter Sr., Jim & Connie Kemmerer, Gene Kritzburger, Neil Lispi, Fred Melvin, Harry Mears, Jane Moore, Thomas Moore, Tom Roarty, Mary Shively, Brian Smith, Terry Smith, Jim Starbuck, John Solinsky, & Lilly Stroud.

ETHNIC PLATTER DINNER will be held at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall, 116 Hughes St., Swoyersville on Sun., Feb. 9, 11:30am - 3:00pm. Sponsored by the Seton Altar Guild, the dinner includes 3 pirohy, 2 piggies, haluski, rye roll & butter, dessert. Tickets are \$10/adults and \$5/children 12 & under. Eat in or take-out. Call Lori at 570-287-6624, ext. 100, to arrange to buy tickets, or come to the parish office to purchase tickets during regular office hours. Deadline for ticket purchase is Feb. 2nd.

SANCTUARY CANDLE for the week can burn in memory of, in honor of, in Thanksgiving, or for health and God's blessings of a loved one. Donation is \$10.00. **OUR LADY'S SHRINE CANDLE** for the week can burn and will be placed in front of the Blessed Virgin at our outdoor Shrine in the rear of the Church. Donation is \$5.00. Call the parish office for arrangements.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

His Excellency, the Most Rev. Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Scranton and the Office of Parish Life wish to invite couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversary in 2020 to a diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, June 14, 2020 at Saint Peter's Cathedral followed by a reception. Requests for an invitation, eligible couples should call Diane in the parish office with their April mailing address before March 16, 2020.



The Light of the Marian Shrine Candle is burning this week of February 2 through February 8, 2020.

NORTHMORELAND TWP. FIRE COMPANY

is holding a Roast Beef Dinner on Wednesday, Feb. 26, 2020 from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Dinner Tickets are \$9.00.

COMMITMENT OF TREASURE

Give and it will be given to you. A good measure will be poured into your lap. For the measure you use, it will be measured to you. Luke 6:68

Weekly Collection 1/26/2020 \$ 3,148.00

In Memory of: Angela Lapinski

Requested by: Mary Ann Knepp



The Light of the Sanctuary Candle is burning this week of February 2 through February 8, 2020.

In Memory of: Rose Long

Requested by: Children