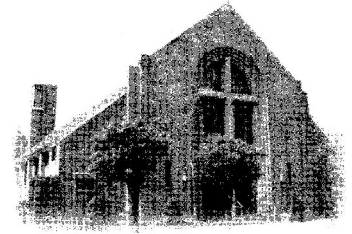




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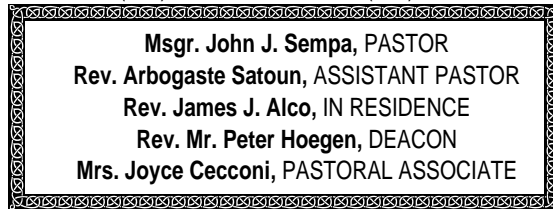
WEEKDAY CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

7:30 AM Immaculate Conception Church
8:30 AM Holy Redeemer Church

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CONFESSION - SATURDAYS

3:00 PM to 3:30 PM at Immaculate Conception
4:00 PM to 4:30 PM at Holy Redeemer



Msgr. John J. Sempa, PASTOR
Rev. Arbogaste Satoun, ASSISTANT PASTOR
Rev. James J. Alco, IN RESIDENCE
Rev. Mr. Peter Hoegen, DEACON
Mrs. Joyce Ceconi, PASTORAL ASSOCIATE

WEEKEND CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

Saturday - 4:00 PM - Immaculate Conception
Saturday - 5:00 PM - Holy Redeemer

Sunday - 7:30 AM - Immaculate Conception
Sunday - 9:00 AM - Holy Redeemer
Sunday - 10:30 AM - Immaculate Conception

Today is Fifth Sunday of Lent To follow the readings in your Gather Missalette see No 1029.

Special Second Collection This Weekend

This weekend at all masses we will have a second collection to benefit the Summer Immersion Program of St Joseph's University.

Ron Klepadlo, a member of our parish and a student at St. Joe's, is one of 50 students, faculty and staff members who will journey to communities in Ecuador, Guatemala and New Mexico. Their goal is to build bridges of solidarity and understanding between our cultures and grow in their appreciation of the customs, history and challenges we all face as global neighbors.

Please keep Ron and his team in your prayers as they travel to Guatemala to work with local communities to help improve local school facilities in the city of San Martin Jilotepeque in the Chilemantango region.

Parish Lottery "Green to Gold" Fundraiser

Extra tickets are available! Anyone wishing to purchase a ticket may do so by calling or stopping by the rectory office. If anyone did not receive your lottery ticket either by picking it up last weekend or by mail and would like a ticket, please contact the rectory office at 654-2753, and one will be mailed to you. This lottery fundraiser, "Green to Gold", will run from May 1 thru August 31st. Donation is \$20.00 per ticket.

Lenten Soup & Scripture

All are invited to join us tomorrow, Monday evening at 6:00PM in Immaculate Conception Church Hall as we share a simple Lenten meal of homemade soups and sandwiches, provided by members of our parish community. Our guest speaker this week is Father Louis Grippe, Pastor at Most Precious Blood Parish, in Hazleton.

THANK YOU "Spring Cleaning" the Churches

Thank you to all who helped clean the Churches these past two weeks. What a wonderful job, the churches look so nice for the Triduum and Easter season. Thanks again!

Brunch with the Bunny

Sunday, April 1st

Following the 10:30AM Mass

Immaculate Conception Church Hall

Tickets will be available before and after all masses this weekend. **Donation for adults is \$8.00 and children 12 and under \$3.00.** Weather permitting, the kids will enjoy an Easter Egg Hunt outdoors, plenty of prizes, games, visit with the Bunny and a delicious brunch the whole family can enjoy. *If you choose, you may call the rectory and we will reserve your tickets for you. See you at the brunch!!*

Youth Choir

Our Youth Choir will be practicing on **Tuesday, March 27th and April 3rd at 6:00PM** in ICC.

The Youth Choir will be singing:

4/6 (Good Friday) Living Stations @ 7:00PM @ ICC
4/8 (Easter Sunday) 10:30AM Family Mass @ ICC
4/22 Family Mass @ Holy Redeemer 9:00AM
4/29 Family Mass @ Immaculate Conception 10:30AM
5/5 (First Eucharist) @ ICC @ 10:00AM

All Children are welcome to join!!!

Adult Choir

The choir will be singing at the 7:30AM Mass on Sunday, March 25th and at the 9:00AM Mass on April 1st (Palm Sunday). They will be practicing after the 4:00PM Mass on Saturday, March 24th and March 31st. They will be singing at our Triduum services on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil.

Living Stations Practice

Our Youth Group will be practicing for the Living Stations today Sunday, **March 25th**, and April 1st at 6:00PM in ICC. All those participating are asked to attend.

Help for Communion to the Homebound

We intend to offer Communion on Sundays to the homebound of our Parish in the upcoming weeks. Anyone who is interested in participating in this program, even those of you who are not currently an Extraordinary Minister of Communion, is invited to call the parish office or Deacon Pete at 690-1739. Training will be offered, and we hope to have enough ministers so that a minister will only need to visit one person each Sunday.

Bunny Helpers Needed

The Easter Bunny is coming early at Corpus Christi Parish, Sunday, April 1st . . . we are in NEED of helpers (volunteers) to help decorate and prepare food for his BIG event on Saturday, March 31st at 10:00 at ICC church hall.

CCD Classes

Please note, There will be NO CCD CLASSES at Holy Redeemer and Immaculate Conception on Sunday, April 1st and April 8th.

EM's, Lectors, Altar Servers & Ushers

Please call the rectory or e-mail jceconi50@gmail.com to let us know which services you are available to serve at on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Masses. Once the schedule is arranged, you will be notified of the date and time for practice.

Congratulations "Wish to Win" winners!!

Mar 15	Leonard Pribula, Jr.	#709	\$50.00
Mar 16	Allen Rooney, Jr.	#753	\$50.00
Mar 17	Stanley Mackachinas (St. Patrick) (Bonus Day)	#940	\$500.00
Mar 18	Katherine Cloeckner	#995	\$100.00
Mar 19	Anthony Hassey	#371	\$50.00
Mar 20	Doris Sorick	#847	\$50.00
Mar 21	M/M Thomas Sabetta	#775	\$50.00

Parish Bazaar Friday, Saturday, Sunday June 29, 30 & July 1 Holy Redeemer Church Grounds

Our next general bazaar meeting will be held on **Monday, April 16 at 7:00PM** in ICC hall. At this meeting, the following sub committees will give updated and/or finalized reports: bar/gambling/entertainment, baskets, flea market, food, games, grounds, publicity/advertising, sponsors/ donations, raffle, and volunteer recruiting. Everyone is welcome to attend!!

The "food committee" will meet on **Tuesday, April 10th at 7:00PM in ICC rectory** to finalize the food menu, pricing, and days and times for pre bazaar food prep. Anyone willing to help out and/or oversee the food preparations is asked to attend. Thank you.

"In the Kitchen with Cheryl"

There will be a planning meeting on Sunday **March 25th at 11:30** at ICC rectory. All are invited to attend and help plan this event.

Save the Date - the parish community is welcoming Cheryl Sempa Radkiewicz on Friday, May 25th from 6pm to 8pm to share her culinary secrets. All are invited to attend and watch Cheryl as she creates a wonderful meal. While she prepares each of courses for your enjoyment, you have the opportunity to indulge in the fare.

Pro Life Town Hall Meeting in Wilkes Barre

Thursday, April 19 from 7 to 9pm at the Quality Inn & Suites, Kidder St, WB. Everyone is invited to share the latest on the important pro-life issues like healthcare reform, Planned Parenthood, ultrasounds, embryonic stem cell research and more. For more information contact: The Life Center of Wyoming Valley Pennsylvanians for Human Life at 826-1819 or pro-life1@ptd.net.

MASS Intentions Mar 26th thru Apr 1st




Mon	7:30 am (IC)	Marie Williams by Frank, Diane & Cody Poder
	8:30 am (HR)	Dec. Priests & Religious
	12:10 pm (IC)	Vincent Cella by Sandra, Mary Ann & Lucille Cella
Tues	7:30 am (IC)	Elizabeth Wierbowski by Dave Gavigan & Family
	8:30 am (HR)	Muriel Doherty by Family
	12:10 pm (IC)	Michael Naples by Wife, Catherine
Wed	7:30 am (IC)	Henry Mantione by Daughter, Rosemary
	8:30 am (HR)	Anthony Angeli by Hubie, Lisa & Drew Dixon
	12:10 pm (IC)	John F. O'Boyle by Janet Kolmansperger
Thurs	7:30 am (IC)	Maureen Hoegen by Michael & Judy Fino
	8:30 am (HR)	Angelo Bufalino by Anthony & Grace Hassay
	12:10 pm (IC)	Antoinette Punturiero by Dorothy Zanger
Fri	7:30 am (IC)	Anthony Dellarte by Dr & Mrs John Pisano
	8:30 am (HR)	Sam Maira by Vince & Donna & Saint Clair Family
	12:10 pm (IC)	Patricia Musinski by Musinski Family
Sat	4:00 pm (IC)	Louis & Sophie Forlenza by Daughter, Marilyn
	5:00 pm (HR)	Theresa Shemanski by Ed & Eileen Slavinski
Sun	7:30 am (IC)	Susan Philbin by Frank & Toni Grasso
	9:00 am (HR)	John V. Triboski by John Callahan
	10:30 am (IC)	Rita Ann, Ross, Sr, & Anna Maria DeNisco by Family


March 31st /
April 1st

Ministry Schedule



	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Altar Servers	Cantor
4:00PM (IC)	K. Kopko L. Tabit	M. Curley J. Szeghy E. Szeghy P. Zipko	B. Charney K. Charney A. Zipko	K. Stofko
5:00PM (HR)	S. Kridlo	D.Mason	K. Coolbaugh S. Justave N. Minnelli	
7:30AM (IC)	T. Supey M. Supey	D. Bartoletti B. Calpin T. Zezza	R. Hopkins T. Sokach-Minnick S. Sokach-Minnick	R. Gullioti
9:00AM (HC)	L. Baloga P. Panzitta	J. Baloga D. Smith	M. Rose C. Sakalas N. Szewczyk	K. Krushnowski
10:30PM (IC)	J. Burke, Sr L. Falzone	T. Crossin J. Klepadlo J. Kociolek J. Meizanis S. Sokach	T. Murphy G. Tondora C. Yastrmski	E. Manganello

 **Holy Family Candle at ICC** which will burn this week in loving memory of **Morlyn Hensley** is donated by **Wife, Mary & Children**

 **Vigil Candle at ICC** which will burn this week in loving memory of **Rita Ann Denisco** is donated by **Catherine & Gene**

WEEKLY COLLECTION

March 18, 2011

\$8,389.25

Second Collection

\$1,316.15



"Feed The Hungry, Clothe The Naked, Shelter The Homeless, Love One Another . . ."
Corpus Christi Parish Community welcomes new parishioners who have moved into the parish. Contact the parish office at 570-654-2753. All parishioners are asked to notify the parish office of a change of address or telephone number.

Longaberger Basket Bingo

Proceeds from this benefit will help to defray the expenses associated with a double lung transplant

April 21, 2012

1:00-3:00 p.m.
Doors open at noon



Peggy Dorang is waiting for a double lung transplant. Your support is greatly appreciated.

\$20 donation for admission covers the cost of bingo games

*Come for an afternoon of fun!
Bring a friend*

**Corpus Christi Parish Hall
Immaculate Conception Church
605 Luzerne Ave
West Pittston, PA 18643**

Small games of chance, food, beverages, desserts and specials will be available for purchase
Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased ahead of time or on the day of the bingo

For information or tickets call Cathy Rose at 570 498 9011



Tax-deductible donations for Peggy Dorang

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