

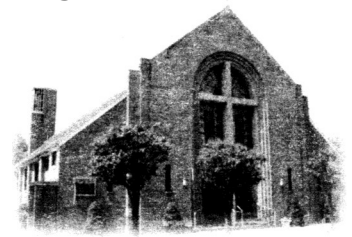
Year B

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 25/26, 2012



**Immaculate Conception**  
**CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH**  
**Holy Redeemer**



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**Msgr. John J. Sempa, PASTOR**  
**Rev. James J. Alco, IN RESIDENCE**  
**Rev. Mr. Peter Hoegen, DEACON**  
**Mrs. Joyce Cecconi, PASTORAL ASSOCIATE**

**WEEKDAY CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST**

7:30 AM Immaculate Conception Church

8:30 AM Holy Redeemer Church

**CONFESSION - SATURDAYS**

3:00 PM to 3:30 PM at Immaculate Conception

4:00 PM to 4:30 PM at Holy Redeemer

**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

**Second Collection This Weekend**

This collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe helps restore the strength of the church through Catholic organizations providing food, shelter, medical care and compassion for the depressed and lonely, in a region still struggling in the aftermath of atheistic Soviet rule. Please give generously. Thank you

**Seniors Picnic**

Wednesday, August 29th

1:00PM on

ICC rectory lawn

**"Autumn Treasure" Fall Lottery Fundraiser**

Match the evening drawing of Pa Lottery daily number September thru December 2012 for a chance to win \$50 on weekdays, \$100 on Sundays, \$500 on Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Eve plus \$10,000 ultimate bonus prize if your number is picked on September 15 & October 15 or November 15 & December 16. We have tickets available, just call or stop by the rectory. Help us reach our goal by selling all 1000 tickets. Thank you.

**Corpus Christi Parish**

*will host a*

**MASS OF**

**THANKSGIVING**

*and*

**PASTA DINNER**

*to reflect on the One Year Anniversary of the flood of 2011*

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup>**

**MASS AT 4:00PM**

*Immaculate Conception Church  
605 Luzerne Ave. West Pittston*

*For all local residents affected by the flood and for the many volunteers, living out their faith as Christians to a caring community, who dedicated their time, talents, kind deeds, and donations to assist those in need.*

**Dinner will be served at 5:00PM in the Church Hall.**

*Reservations are required by September 5th, by calling Darlene at 817-0318.*

*Donations will be accepted by calling Margaret at 654-1146.*

*If you would like to donate homemade baked goods, please call Rosalie at 654-1356.*

*If you can volunteer to help call Margaret at 654-1146.*

*Through our spiritual hope and faith, we look forward to a better tomorrow for all residents with the rebuilding of our area communities.*

*A planning meeting will be held today, Sunday, August 26th at 11:30AM in ICC rectory. All are welcome.*

**New Ministry Schedule**

Please take home a copy of the new ministry schedule, which can be found in the sacristies or vestibules of the churches or visit our website @ [www.corpuschristinepa.com](http://www.corpuschristinepa.com) to find out when you are serving. Thank you.

**Religious Education Classes**

Registration forms for CCD classes can be found in the vestibules of the churches or on our website @ [www.corpuschristinepa.com](http://www.corpuschristinepa.com). Please register your children for CCD classes asap so books and supplies can be ordered.

Sunday, September 16th is Catechetical Sunday. On that day, children pre-K and older are invited to bring their parents, grandparents to "Meet the Teachers". The parents are welcome to review the books the children will be using, and discuss with the teacher any concerns you might have.

For children attending classes at Immaculate Conception, teachers will be available from 9:15AM to 10:15AM in the following locations: pre-k & K in ICC hall on the stage, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Confirmation prep in the school, 4th grade in ICC hall and 5th grade in ICC rectory.

At Holy Redeemer, all teachers will be in the church hall from 9:45AM to 10:45AM. Refreshments will be served at both sites.

**Congratulations "Green to Gold" winners!!**

Aug 16	Emily De Nardi	#756	\$50.00
Aug 17	Donna Valenti	#079	\$50.00
Aug 18	Father Earl Keating	#438	\$50.00
Aug 19	Stanely Mackachinas	#384	\$100.00
Aug 20	Anita Allen	#991	\$50.00
Aug 21	Lori & Rich Mikolosko	#411	\$50.00
Aug 22	Leonard & Ruth Osiecki	#335	\$50.00

Courtesy Announcements

Caregiver Needed

Looking for a caregiver to assist West Pittston elderly couple on weekday afternoons. Call 609-230-5937

Donations for Joe Rubino

If you would like to make a donation to help out the Rubino family, make checks payable to Joseph Rubino Fund and mail to J. Evans, PO Box 3178, West Pittston, Pa. 18643.

Upcoming Events to Benefit "ERIC"

Mark the dates...show your support for Eric and his family:

• Motorcycle Ride & Picnic—Sunday September 9th at Four Seasons Golf Course in Exeter from 11am to 5pm. Food, drink, raffles, children's activities and live entertainment. Contact Ed or Amanda @ 655-4336 for info on registration, T-shirts, wristbands, or to make a monetary gift.

• Pasta Dinner for "ERIC"—Sunday, September 23 2-6PM @Immaculate Conception Church Hall. Donation \$8.00. For tickets or more info call Kory @ 229-7636. Next planning meeting, Wed, August 29th at 7:00PM in ICC hall.

"End of Summer" Chicken Bar-b-q

Sunday, August 26th on the grounds of the Oblates of St. Joseph in Laflin. Mass at 11am festivities following until 5pm. Dinner tickets MUST be purchased before the event...call 654-7543 or email osjseminary@comcast.net. Games, pony rides, other foods available.

Wyoming Area Catholic School

Limited seats available in Pre K and K classes. Financial assistance available. Call 654-7983 for a private tour or visit [wacsh.com](http://wacsh.com) for more information.

New Members Welcome

Catholic Choral Society will begin its 64th season on Tuesday, September 4th with rehearsals on Tuesday evenings at 7pm at the IHM Center at Marywood University. For further information please see [www.catholicchoralsociety.org](http://www.catholicchoralsociety.org) or call 570-687-2753.

Wine Tasting to Benefit West Pittston Library

Sunday, September 9th from 2-5PM at the library. The event will be hosted by Bartoli Winery. Event includes cheese, hors d'oeuvres and dessert. Tickets are \$20 per person or \$35 per couple and can be purchased at the library. Visit [wplibrary.org](http://wplibrary.org) or call 654-9847.

MASS Intentions



Aug 27th thru Sept 2nd

- Mon** 7:30AM **Madeline Menchi**  
by Prula Family
- 8:30AM **Richard Mirro**  
by Mom, Dad & Jeff
- Tues** 7:30AM **Samuel Caprari**  
by Karen Insalaco
- 8:30AM **Carmella Lukasavage**  
by Josephine Mancia
- Wed** 7:30AM **Charles Abromitis**  
by Musinski Family
- 8:30AM **Stanley J. Modeski**  
by Arbacheski Family
- Thurs** 7:30AM **Louis & Kathleen Butera**  
by Daughter Carol & Sons
- 8:30AM **Stephanie Johnston**  
by Sam & Josephine Mantione
- Fri** 7:30AM **Maureen Hoegen**  
by Morning Rosary Group
- 8:30AM **Grace E. Alco**  
by Bitters Family
- Sat** 4:00PM **Theodore Hughes**  
by Wife & Children
- 5:00PM **Barbara Parrino**  
by Daughters
- Sun** 7:30AM **Joan Messina**  
by Husband & Daughter
- 9:00AM **Jennie Anzelmo**  
by M/M Louis Cella
- 10:30AM **Margaret Diane Argenio**

**Vigil Candle at ICC** which will burn this week in loving of memory of **Samuel Caprari** is donated by Karen Insalaco.

**Holy Family Candle at ICC** which will burn this week in loving of memory of **Louis & Mary Manganello** is donated by Catherine & Gene.

**WEEKLY COLLECTION**

**August 18-19, 2012**      \$7,167.25  
**Feast of the Ascension**      \$1,055.00

**Total**      **\$8,222.25**

*Reminders.....Please send in your census forms and take home a new ministry schedule, which can be found in the sacristy or vestibule of the churches.*

Check out the latest

Parish News

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**"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.