



Corpus Christi Parish

Immaculate Conception Church
 Holy Redeemer Church
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WEEKEND CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Sat 4:00PM Immaculate Conception
 Sat 5:30PM Holy Redeemer
 Sun 7:30AM Immaculate Conception
 Sun 9:00AM Holy Redeemer
 Sun 10:30AM Immaculate Conception

WEEKDAY CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

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

CONFESSION

Saturday 3:00PM - 3:30PM
 Immaculate Conception

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays 9:00AM - 10:00AM
 Holy Redeemer

July 17, 2016

Follow the readings in Gather #1139
 Gathering #777 Here I Am, Lord
 Responsorial Psalm #1139
 Offertory #588 I Have Loved You
 Communion #681 We Remember
 Recessional #689 Though the
 Mountains May Fall

Weekly Collection
 July 10, 2016

\$9,637.54

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Mission Statement

We as members of the Body of Christ, through our thoughts, words and deeds, celebrate the presence of God in all people. As a community of believers, we answer Christ's call to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless and love one another.

July 17, 2016

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Another Successful Bazaar

It was the best year ever for the bazaar! Everyone who participated had a great time, Monsignor finally delivered great weather, and we raised **\$37,543** to help meet our parish expenses. We want to thank everyone, especially our volunteers, our sponsors, those that donated baskets, and all who were able to join us for great food, great games, great entertainment, and most importantly, great fellowship. We hope to see you next year! Jerry Wall, Bazaar Chairman

Corpus Christi Parish 5th Annual Car Show

Sunday, August 14, 2016

Holy Redeemer Church grounds

■The event will begin with registration from 11:00AM to 12 noon and will wrap up with the presentation of awards at 3:00PM. In addition to the car competition, the event will include music, food and merchandise vendors, raffles, and a chicken barbeque dinner. Local radio personality The Big Kahuna will serve as emcee. Admission is free.

■**Car Registration.....**Antiques, classics, low riders, motorcycles, etc...If you would like to enter your vehicle, pick up a registration form, which can be found in the vestibules of the churches. For further information contact **Mike Flynn at 570-760-5704**.

■**Vendors.....**We welcome vendors of all kinds...crafts, food, etc to participate in our annual car show. Setup is in the church basement at 9:00AM...Doors open 11am to 4pm. If you are a vendor, pick up a registration form, which can be found in the vestibules of the churches or contact **Mary Flynn at 570-885-2972**.

■**Car Show Volunteers.....**A lot of volunteers doing a variety of jobs will be needed on the grounds of Holy Redeemer Church to help with the car show. For more information and/or to volunteer, contact **Deb Altavilla at 570-574-4360**.

■**Chicken Barbeque.....**This year, in conjunction with the car show, we will have a chicken barbeque. Tickets, which are \$10.00 include 1/2 BBQ chicken, baked potato w butter/sour cream, baked beans, coleslaw, Italian bread and butter. Tickets will be available after Masses or to reserve your ticket, stop by or call the rectory. As a courtesy, Social Concerns members will be delivering a chicken barbeque dinner to our parishioners who are homebound. Help will be needed to serve the dinners and to deliver dinners to our homebound. If you can help, please contact **Margaret Rogo at 570-237-5339**.

Mass Intentions for 2017

Our Mass Intention Book for 2017 is now open. To request a Mass, please call Dorothy at the rectory (570-654-2753) Tuesday, Thursday or Friday between 10:00AM and 2:00PM. Or you can mail or drop in the collection a note with the following information: who the mass is

intended for, who it is requested by and a phone number we can call to confirm the request. The stipend for a mass is \$10.00.

Social Concerns Meeting

A meeting will be held in the rectory on **Tuesday, July 19th at 6:30PM.** At this meeting we will plan our fall calendar and discuss the following: back to school, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Bereavement Mass & Social, Designer Bingo and nursing home & homebound parishioners. All are welcome to join us.

Seniors Cookout

Tuesday, August 9th at 1:00PM

Immaculate Conception Church Hall

All are welcome to join us for an afternoon of good food, games and fun! We will supply the hotdogs, hamburgers, and all the fixins and only if you are able, bring your favorite covered dish (salad or dessert). Please call **Rosalie at 570-654-1356** to let her know if you are bringing something.

Parish Calendar

We are in the process of putting together a parish calendar which will run from September 2016 through August 2017. All parish and non parish groups/committees who use the parish facilities for meetings or events are asked to pick up a "blank calendar" at the rectory. Please fill in your requests for meetings or events, list a contact name, e-mail and phone number and return it to the rectory by August 15th. Once the parish calendar is assembled, you will receive confirmation of the dates you have chosen. If you have any questions, contact Joyce at jceconi50@gmail.com or 570-654-2753.

Weight Watchers

A new 8 week session of Weight Watchers will begin on Monday, July 25th at 5:00PM in the rectory dining room. The cost is \$80 for 8 weeks. All are invited to join us.

Summer Events

Church of St. Maria Goretti

Laflin Road, Laflin Friday thru Sunday July 22, 23, 24.....pony rides, traditional and ethnic foods, bake sale, great baskets, indoor air-conditioned bingo.

St. Joseph's Center, Scranton

This annual festival, located on the campus of Marywood University, will be held on Friday & Saturday, July 29th and 30th from 4pm to 10pm and Sunday, July 31st noon to 8pm.

Grandma's Attic

St Ignatius Parish, Kingston Thursday, July 28th 8am to 1pm and 6pm to 8pm; Friday July 29th 8am to 1pm and Saturday, July 30th (bag day) 8am to noon. Bake sale and lunch available.

"Summer Sizzle" Lottery Winners

7/07	No Winner	#452	\$50.00
7/08	Janet Kresge	#908	\$50.00
7/09	No Winner	#549	\$50.00
7/10	Cynthia Bialy	#060	\$100.00
7/11	No Winner	#390	\$50.00
7/12	Martha Ristagno	#667	\$50.00
7/13	Amy Rosencrance	#688	\$50.00

Special drawing winners include:

Denise/James Golden 7/7 \$50, Norine Lukasavage 7/9 \$50, Georgia Young 7/11 \$50.

Altar Candles at ICC

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Leo & Thomas Ford** are donated by wife & mother.

Holy Family Candle at ICC

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Charlotte Schaefer** is donated by a friend.

Sanctuary Candle at ICC

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Anita Fanti** is donated by Betty & Tony Luczak.

St Ann's Shrine Basilica

A Mass in Polish will be celebrated in honor of St. Ann on her Feast Day July 26th at 1:15PM at St. Ann's Shrine, Scranton. Polish hymns will precede the Mass. All are welcome.

Mass Intentions

July 18, thru July 24, 2016

Mon	7:30AM	Joseph Mikita by wife, Jasmine & family
	8:30AM	Mary & Clara Haymacher by M/M Anthony Luczak
Tues	7:30AM	Dec'd Members of Alexander & Josephine Parente Family by grandchildren
	8:30AM	Elizabeth Ramakus by Ann & Bill Longstreet
Wed	7:30AM	Ada Rostock by Angela & Narda Sperrazza
	8:30AM	Caroline Ciampi by William & Mary Beth Vassil
Thurs	7:30AM	Alesandra & Lucia Viti by Joanne & Melio Viti
	8:30AM	Irene White by Marguerite Dixon
Fri	7:30AM	In Honor of John & Nancy Ciampi "50th Wedding Anniversary" by Peggy Guilford
	8:30AM	Jennie F. Salus by Leonard & Linda Blandina
Sat	4:00PM	Patricia Yunkunis by Kate & Michael Corgan
	5:30PM	Alfons Rutkowski by family
Sun	7:30AM	Colleen Caprari by Thomas Caprari
	9:00AM	Ann Loechel by Elaine Pendleton
	10:30AM	Genevieve Rogo by family