



Mass Intentions

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 11, 2015

Saturday – Oct 10th – St Francis Borgia

4:00PM – Joseph Geiger (A)
by Wife, Evelyn

7:00PM – Sally Masluk
by Louisa Levine

Sunday – Oct 11th – 28th Sunday/Ordinary Time

8:30AM – Mamie Dougherty
by Joe and Kathleen Billie

10:30AM – Ann and Glen Oswald
by Louise Oswald

Monday – Oct 12th – St Wilfrid

8:00AM – Rev James R Brady
by Rev Eric J Gruber

Tuesday – Oct 13th – St Edward the Confessor

8:00AM – Donald N Knarr
by Ferenchak Family

Miraculous Medal Novena after Mass

Wednesday – Oct 14th – St Callistus I

6:00PM – Richard Fedor
by Wife, Roma

Thursday – Oct 15th – St Teresa of Jesus

8:00AM – Margaret Skvoretz
by David Skvoretz

Friday – Oct 16th – St Hedwig

8:00AM – Bob Spengler and Bernardine Wehr
by Ann and Dale

Saturday – Oct 17th – St Ignatius of Antioch

8:00AM – All St John Fisher Parishioners
4:00PM – James and Vilma Koncz
by Gene and Jeanette Koncz
7:00PM – The Poor Souls in Purgatory
by Irene Vomero

Sunday – Oct 18th – 29th Sunday/Ordinary Time

8:30AM – Ruth A Wuchter
by Cub Pack 99
10:30AM – Hilda K Geosits
by MaryAnn Fatzinger

PRAY



Sunday

8:15AM and 10:15AM

PASTOR'S CORNER

Praying Thanks

Dearest God, Merciful Father,
Thank You for everything and for each thing.

Thank You for the people of St. John Fisher Parish and the community of North Catty, Northampton, Coplay, Whitehall, Catty, and Hokey. Thank You for bridges firm and infirmed, closed and open, that provide a way to connect with one another. Thank You for construction crews, road crews, roofers, siders, glaziers, and street sweepers. Thank You fire-fighters, police, emt's, and servicemen and women who help to keep us safe. Thank You for moms and dads who take on the challenges of their roles with conviction and trust in You. Thank You for children and youth who inspire us to have hope in the future – theirs' and ours'. Thank You for grandparents, aunts and uncles, nephews and nieces, and grandchildren. Thank You for pets. Thank You for teachers and administrators, for teachers' aides and cafeteria workers, for coaches and custodians. Thank You for healthcare workers, accountants, lawyers, tax-collectors, and funeral directors. Thank You for grave-diggers, exterminators, landscapers, grocers, farmers, and truckers. Thank You for everyone and for each one. God, thank You.

Amen.

Fr. Eric.



BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study begins **Monday, October 19th**, in the Parish Hall **from 7:00pm to 8:30pm**. Please bring your own Bible. The lower entrance to the hall will be open for those who wish to only descend a short set of stairs. We hope to see you there.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION



Plate Collection \$ 4,071.00
Cemetery Collection \$ 2,177.00

The Second Collection next weekend, **October 17th**, and **18th**, will be the **World Mission Sunday Collection**.



NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

	Servers	Lectors	E.Ministers
4:00PM	A.Gorr D.Gorr	K.McCloskey	E.Ferenchak
7:00PM	D.Sullivan N.Ruda	J.Yanek	P.McCarty
8:30AM	S.Popovic D.Popovic	J.Strohl	Deacon Jack
10:30AM	C.Gair D.Gair	J.DeLong	Deacon Jack



Altar Flowers

Flowers were placed on the altar this past week in memory of **Lawrence and Rose Marie Schmidt** by their children.



Please remember in your prayers **Louis A. Yurasits, Sr.**, who passed away this past week. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

PUMPKIN ROLLS

Due to the success of last year's sale, we are again selling homemade pumpkin rolls for Thanksgiving! A 10" roll is only \$10.00. Below form and money, placed in the Sunday collection, must be received by **November 8th**. Pick up is **Monday, November 23rd**, between **5:30pm and 7:00pm**. Any questions, call Mary Beth, 610-264-4494 or Peggy, 610-264-0307.

NAME: _____ #ROLLS: _____
 PHONE: _____ AMT: \$ _____

2016 MASS BOOK HAS ARRIVED



If you are in need of a special date for 2016, call the rectory, 610-264-1972, to reserve your date. There are only so many masses to go around, so please call soon for your date.

DONUT SUNDAY

Next Sunday, **October 18th**, is **Donut Sunday**. Thank



you to **Andrea and Stanley Zdanowicz** who are sponsoring this month's event. Please stop by after the **8:30AM and 10:30AM Masses** for some coffee, tea, and donuts!

BLESSING OF GRAVES

The annual **Blessing of Graves** will be held **Sunday, November 1st** at **1:00pm** beginning with a **Prayer Service** at the Cross in St Andrew Cemetery, followed by the blessing of graves at St Andrew and St Lawrence cemeteries, weather permitting.

REDNER'S TAPES

We thank all our parishioners who faithfully do their food shopping at Redner's. By placing your tapes in the collection basket, we have received a check from Redner's in the amount of **\$143.84**. Thank you!

Young at Heart

The next meeting of St John Fisher's Young at Heart will be held on **Wednesday, October 28th**, at **1:00PM** in the Parish Hall.

The next Casino trip to Mount Airy will be on **Friday, October 30th**. The bus leaves the Church Parking Lot at **10:00AM**. The price is \$22.00 per person.

The next bus trip will be on **Tuesday, December 8th**, to the Brownstone, Ace in the Hole to see "**Bavarian Christmas**". The price is \$80.00 per person. For more information, call Bill at 610-264-0920.

Save the Dates!

Saturday, November 14, 2015 – School Hall Pierogies
Saturday, March 12, 2016 – Parish Retreat

LADIES' NIGHT OUT

Join us again for a **Ladies' Night Out** on **Friday, November 6th**, in the Parish Hall. Dinner will be served at **5:30pm**. A representative from Macy's will show and discuss fashion accessories which will be available for sale at a 25% discount on your Macy's charge, or by check. Artists at Heart will guide you in making a snowflake for an ornament or sun catcher. Price is \$25.00. Below form and money, placed in the Sunday collection, must be received by **November 1st**. Any questions, call Mary Beth at 610-264-4494 or Peggy at 610-264-0307.

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____
 # ATTENDING: _____ AMOUNT: _____

Men's Spirit Conference

There will be a Spirit Conference at DeSales University on **Saturday, November 21st, from 9:00am to 5:00pm.** The focus will be on what the needs of men are today. Among the speakers will be Bishop Edward P. Cullen. The day will end with Saturday's Vigil Mass celebrated by the Most Reverend John O. Barres, Bishop of Allentown. To register, visit <http://www.cmfd.org/spirit-conferences/>. This will be a great spiritual day. Any questions, please call Deacon Jack at 610-266-0689.



We Sing Chorus

North Catasauqua WE SING Community Chorus presents: "WE SING the Oldies" on **Sunday, October 18th, at 3:00pm** at Catasauqua High School, 2500 Bullshead Road, Northampton. Doors open 2:30pm. Free will offering benefits the Catasauqua Music Department. For more info: northcatawesing@aol.com

BASKET SOCIAL

St. Elizabeth's 6th Annual Basket Social will be held on **Saturday, October 10th, 10:00am to 7:00pm, and Sunday, October 11th, 8:00am to 2:00pm.** Delicious food, including a chicken and waffles supper on Saturday, and a scrumptious breakfast on Sunday morning is available. Hope to see you there!



The 40 Days for Life Campaign started on **Wednesday, September 23rd and will continue to Sunday, November 1st,** at the abortion facility at 31 S. Commerce Way in Bethlehem. You can pray for one hour, **from 8:00am to 6:00pm Mondays through Saturdays.** When prayer volunteers are praying, the no show rate for abortion can jump as high as 75%! For information, call Theresa, 610-704-6935.

OUR LADY'S 15 PROMISES FOR PRAYING THE ROSARY

1. Whoever shall faithfully serve me by the recitation of the Rosary, shall receive signal graces.
2. I promise my special protection and the greatest graces to all those who shall recite the Rosary.
3. The Rosary shall be a powerful armor against hell; it will destroy vice, decrease sin and defeat heresies.
4. The Rosary will cause virtue and good works to flourish; it will obtain for souls the abundant mercy of God; it will withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities, and will lift them to the desire for eternal things. Oh, that souls would sanctify themselves by this means.
5. The soul which recommends itself to me by the recitation of the Rosary shall not perish.
6. Whoever shall recite the Rosary devoutly, applying himself to the consideration of its sacred mysteries shall never be conquered by misfortune. God will not chastise him in His justice, he shall not perish by an unprovided death; if he be just he shall remain in the grace of God, and become worthy of eternal life.
7. Whoever shall have a true devotion for the Rosary shall not die without the sacraments of the Church.
8. Those who are faithful to recite the Rosary shall have during their life and at their death the light of God and the plenitude of His graces; at the moment of death they shall participate in the merits of the saints in paradise.
9. I shall deliver from Purgatory those who have been devoted to the Rosary.
10. The faithful children of the Rosary shall merit a high degree of glory in Heaven.
11. You shall obtain all you ask of me by the recitation of the Rosary.
12. All those who propagate the Holy Rosary shall be aided by me in their necessities.
13. I have obtained from my Divine Son that all the advocates of the Rosary shall have for intercessors the entire celestial court during their life and at the hour of death.
14. All who recite the Rosary are my sons and daughters, and brothers and sisters of my only Son Jesus Christ.
15. Devotion of my Rosary is a great sign of predestination.