

Partner Parishes of

Saint John the Baptist Church

&

Saint Hedwig Church



Parishes in the Diocese of Greensburg

Pennsylvania Charitable Trusts

Pastor: Fr. Robert T. Lubic
Senior Priest Active: Fr. James F. Petrovsky



St. John the Baptist Church
PO Box 606 - Perryopolis, PA 15473

St. Hedwig Church
PO Box 251 - Smock, PA 15480

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. at St. John
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. at St. Hedwig
10:00 a.m. at St. John

Weekday Masses:

St. John: Monday - Friday (8:30 a.m.)
St. Hedwig: Monday, Wednesday, Friday (8:00 a.m.)
(Check bulletin for weekly variation)

Telephone: 724-736-4442 - St. John
724-736-0158 - Rel. Ed/Pre-School
724-677-2180 - St. Hedwig Office
724-677-2110 - St. Hedwig Rectory

Fax: 724-736-8403 - St. John
724-677-2180 - St. Hedwig

St. John Office Hours: Monday thru Friday
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

St. Hedwig Office Hours: Monday thru Wednesday
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & 12:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday, 9:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St. Hedwig: 1st, 3rd, 5th Saturday (noon-12:30 p.m.)
and before weekday Mass

St. John: Saturday: 3:45 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
Anytime by appointment.

Baptisms: By Appointment

Marriages: Six Month preparation. Please call office

Parish Meetings at St. John's:

Altar Society: Thursday after Third Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Pastoral Council: Third Monday, 7:00 p.m.

Director Faith Formation/Pastoral Minister - St. John
Sr. Loretta Topper S.C.

Grades K—8: Tuesday, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Youth Group, Grades 7-12: Second and Fourth Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

Director Religious Education/Formation - St. Hedwig
Mrs. Barbara Mehalov

Grades K - 6: Monday, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Adult Formation: R.C.I.A. Wednesday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Parish Website: www.sjbperry.org

Fr. Bob's Email: thepunkpriest@gmail.com

St. Hedwig Mass Intentions

Sunday May 16
Seventh Sunday of Easter
8:00 AM JOSEPH PINDROCK
(M/M David Pindrock & son)

Monday May 17
8:00 AM MARTIN HISNANICK, SR.
(Eleanor, Mary Beth & Henry)

Wednesday May 19
8:00 AM INTENTION OF
FR. JAMES F. PETROVSKY

Friday May 21
8:00 AM DONALD "Doc" DURATZ
(George & Marge Bozek)

Sunday May 23
Pentecost Sunday
8:00 AM VERA MORTICHESKY
(Richard Bossey)

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May 23 - St. Hedwig - 8:00 a.m.

LECTOR: B. Mortichesky
MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION:
R. Kilgore, D. Mortichesky
ACOLYTES: K. Hager, G. Tittnich

St. Hedwig Free Will & Tithe:	May 9, 2010
Sunday Adult Offertory:	\$ 1,829.00
Children:	0
Loose:	36.63
Catholic Accent:	7.00
Communication Media:	10.00
Ascension:	25.00
DLA Update:	\$ 11,295
TCTH Update:	\$ 123,920

Thanks for your generous support!

Election Day Bake Sale will be held on Tuesday, May 18th. St. Hedwig Christian Mothers/Rosary Confraternity will sell baked goods at the Smock Community Center. Parishioners are asked to donate baked goods, which may be delivered to the Community Center by 8:30 am on Tuesday. Proceeds from the sale will benefit St. Hedwig Church. For information, call Bernadine Link at 724-677-2786.

St. John Mass Intentions

Saturday May 15
Vigil: Seventh Sunday of Easter
4:30 PM ST. JOHN & ST. HEDWIG
PARISH FAMILIES

Sunday May 16
Seventh Sunday of Easter
10:00 AM DECEASED OF OSWALD FAMILY
(Joanne Oswald)

Monday May 17
8:30 AM WILLIAM PHILIPS (Family)

Tuesday May 18
8:30 AM INTENTION OF
FR. ROBERT T. LUBIC

Wednesday May 19
8:30 AM STEVE SMITH (Wife & Family)

Thursday May 20
8:30 AM ST. JOHN'S ALTAR SOCIETY

Friday May 21
8:30 AM SARAH HUDOCK
(Bernard & Leona Swetts)

Saturday May 22
Vigil: Pentecost
4:30 PM HELEN SABOL (Joseph Miklus)

Sunday May 23
Pentecost Sunday
10:00 AM ST. JOHN & ST. HEDWIG
PARISH FAMILIES

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High School & College Graduates!!!
Mark your Calendar

Graduates of St. John's Parish will be honored at the June 6 Mass (10:00 a.m.)

Graduates of St. Hedwig Parish will be honored at the June 13 Mass (8:00 a.m.)

Second Collection This Weekend:
Communication Media

Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 22/23

LECTORS:

4:30 PM C. Muccioli, D. Alekson
 10:00 AM M. Rudge, A. Hagerty

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

4:30 PM B. Barth* C. Toth, B. Kutska,
 P. Novobilsky, T. Matty, J. Salesi, J. Rosa
 10:00 AM Sr Loretta* M. Weiser, D. Spagnolo,
 C. Vargo, R. Vargo, A. Slebodnik, K. Katic

ACOLYTES:

4:30 PM S. Erdely, K. Humbert, B. Mahalko
 10:00 AM E. Weiser, K. Bongiorno, C. Katic

Money Counters:
This Sunday: Team V
Next Sunday: Team I

St. John Free Will & Tithe:	May 9, 2010
Sunday Adult Offertory:	\$5,682.00
Children:	24.00
Loose:	215.06
Utility Subsidy:	27.00
Cemetery:	215.00

DLA Update:	\$ 45,406.00
TCTH Update:	\$ 537,545.00

Thanks for your generous support!



Youth (Children's) Choir

The youth choir is calling for children, ages 7 to 16, to join the youth choir. The choir will perform on the first Saturday of every month at 4:30 p.m. mass. Practices will be held on Monday's at 6:00 p.m. - 7:15 p.m. For more information, please contact Matt at 724-984-0189, matt_kibe@yahoo.com or mary_stolarik@yahoo.com (use "youth choir" as subject).

Thank You to those parishioners who have brought items for the St. Vincent De Paul Food Pantry. Keeping paper and food products on hand is a big help to those in need. God bless you! - St. Vincent de Paul Society

Dinner at St. Hedwig

Roast Beef Dinner on Sunday, May 23 from 12 noon until 5:00 pm at the Smock Community Center in the Post Office Building on Main Street, Smock. The menu will include roast beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, salad, roll, dessert and beverage. Take-outs will be available by calling 724-677-4660 from 12 noon until 4:30 pm on the day of the dinner. Tickets will be available at the door. The cost is \$9.00 for adults, \$4.50 for children under 12, and free for children 3 and under. Contact # 724-677-2110 or 724-677-0379.

Youth Meeting this Sunday, at 11:00 a.m.

Pastoral Council will meet this Monday at 7:00 p.m. in the Religious Education Center.

Baptism Class will be held on Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Religious Education Center.

Base Community: (7:00 p.m.)
Jefferson Estates will meet at the Spagnolo's on Wednesday; **South Perry** will meet at the Bowser's home on Thursday.

Knights of Columbus will meet at St. Nick's Pavilion on Thursday at 8:00 p.m.

Come Praise & Worship with us at the next Youth Mass on Saturday, May 22 at 4:30 p.m.

Choose Life . . . We pray for all who have been called to preach the Gospel of Life, that they may rely on the Holy Spirit for guidance and inspiration.



"Church" in Greek means convocation, or assembly in Latin, because all are called to be members of it. —St. Isidore

Please remember the following members and friends of our parish faith family who are in need of our

prayers: Jennifer Addis, Josephine Angelo, Alma Antonini, Terry Babchak, Jennifer Bedner, Lena Boni, Suzanne Brown, Jan Calderone, Jean Carroll, Rose Casey, Kathy Coldren, Dolores Curcio, Joanne Cushman, Jack Daniels, Patty Dulay, Greg & Rita Evans, Amber Evon, Emmie Evon, Anne Gearing, Rose Giocondi, Mary Gustafson, Rosemary Hako, Fr. Bob Halus, Carol Hayley, Ed Herchko, Beverly Iulius, Mary Jankovic, Wayne Keebler, Ann Kirchner, Karolyn Kovalcik, (baby) Nadia Krukowsky, Carmella Lahti, Dolores Lerda, Vera Mahalko, Wanda Malinki, Martin McManus, Dori Mischick, William Molnar Sr., Sophia Murray, George Nadar, Jim Newmeyer, Scott Novobilsky, Domingo Ottonello, Dolores Palone, Irene Pradella, Jemma Premus, Marissa Primozic, Cassy Ragazini, Ida Rock, Michael Savko, Mary Schiffbauer, Dolores Sciore, Michael Sekel, Herb Shaffer, Jaime Shields, Diane Snowball, Helen Sobek, Philomena Stiffey, Mary Stolarik, Dave Szakel, Hannah Teslovich, Lena Travis, Sarah Uhall, Irene Uhrin, Heath Vernet, Justin Young, Bob Zahorchak

Flowers for the Altar: If you would like to have flowers placed on the altar for a special weekend and/or in memory of your loved one, please call in advance:

St. John: 736-8323 - St. Hedwig: 677-2180

SAINT RITA OF CASCIA (1381-1457) May 22

If you're ever in Philadelphia on May 22, forget parking anywhere near Saint Rita's shrine. Cars line streets and fill medians as throngs pack a candlelight vigil and six Masses, honoring this patroness of lost causes, hopeless situations, and—as her statue in countless churches built by twentieth-century immigrants testifies—difficult marriages, troubled homes, and alienated children. Wise people warn, be careful what you pray for. "Divine Savior," Rita prayed, "let me suffer like you!"

Obedient to parents who refused her wish to become a nun, Rita married a man who returned her devotion with twenty years of abuse. When enemies murdered him, Rita's two sons swore revenge. Paintings depict her pointing the angry boys toward Christ crucified, whom she begged to restrain them. Within the year, both sons died. Alone now, Rita went to the convent but was refused. The nuns feared violence, since one of them was related to the murderer. Rita arranged peace between the families, made vows, and became much sought after as a counselor and intercessor for forty years on earth—and ever since in heaven.

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Seventh Sunday of Easter May 16, 2010

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." — *Revelation 22:13*

A Prayer for Our Priests

Almighty God, in your love
you bless your Church with priests,
a sign of your faithfulness to your people.

May our prayerful encouragement,
during this year and years to come,
help them remain faithful to the calling
they have received from you.

As they tend your flock,
grant them a caring heart.
In them may we know the voice of Christ,
our Good Shepherd, who lives and reigns
with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God forever and ever. Amen.

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Congratulations On Your Anniversary in the Priesthood

*Fr. Bob
- ordained May 18, 1996*

*Fr. Jim
- ordained May 18, 1968*

May God Grant You Many Blessings

*From the Parishioners of
St. John Parish & St. Hedwig Parish*