

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

Monday May 24
8:00 AM BECKY CONSTANTINE (Mom)

Wednesday May 26
8:00 AM ETHEL ZIMCOSKY
(John & Martha Medved)

Friday May 28
8:00 AM ERNIE FARINA
(Eleanor, Mary Beth & Henry)

Sunday May 30
The Most Holy Trinity
8:00 AM DOROTHY HOVANIC
(Eleanor Vrabec)

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May 30 - St. Hedwig - 8:00 a.m.
LECTOR: E. Vrabec
MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION:
P. Kilgore, N. Sethman
ACOLYTES: A. Rafter, R. Rafter

St. Hedwig Free Will & Tithe:	May 16, 2010
Sunday Adult Offertory:	\$ 1,725.00
Children:	11.00
Loose:	19.00
Catholic Accent:	12.00
Communication Media:	76.00
Ascension:	363.00
DLA Update:	\$ 11,360.00
TCTH Update:	\$ 123,920

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PRIEST: On Sunday, June 6 (the Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ) Eucharistic Adoration will begin immediately following the 8:00 am Mass at **St. Hedwig Church** and conclude at 3:00 pm with a Holy Hour and Benediction, followed by refreshments in the Parish Center. A sign-up sheet for Adoration will be located in back of St. Hedwig Church. Please sign up for an Adoration time. *Everyone is welcome and encouraged to participate.*

St. John Mass Intentions

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

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

Monday May 24
8:30 AM JOY LYNN SABOLECK
(Husband & Family)

Tuesday May 25
8:30 AM GABOR FAMILY (Family)

Wednesday May 26
8:30 AM MARY PERSELLO (Lena & Joe Garcher)

Thursday May 27
8:30 AM HELEN SZELC (Rex Kapolka)

Friday May 28
8:30 AM ANNA KETO
(Troy & Heather Pellick & Family)

Saturday May 29
Vigil: The Most Holy Trinity
4:30 PM ST. JOHN & ST. HEDWIG
PARISH FAMILIES

Sunday May 30
The Most Holy Trinity
10:00 AM DOROTHY WOZNIAK (Robert Uhrin)
(Attendance of Knights of Columbus)

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Roast Beef Dinner at St. Hedwig on this 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.

The Smock Historical Society Museum will be open for free tours during the dinner.

Pentecost Sunday

May 29/30

LECTORS:

4:30 PM K. Humbert, AJ Boni
 10:00 AM J. Hagerty, P. Novobilsky

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

4:30 PM P. Marshall* M. Molnar, T. Babyak,
 T. Sivak, H. Stefanick, P. Stefanick, J. Sivak
 10:00 AM Sr Loretta* S. Novobilsky, T. McCulloch,
 D. Wilson, C. Coldren, D. Rebish, C. Gallo

ACOLYTES:

4:30 PM D. Babyak, C. Babyak, I. Stefanick
 10:00 AM J. Novobilsky, C. Maurer, M. Ott



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).

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

St. John Free Will & Tithe:	May 16, 2010
Sunday Adult Offertory:	\$3,973.00
Children:	26.75
Loose:	212.00
Catholic Accent:	12.25
Utility Subsidy:	2.00
Cemetery:	161.00
Communication Media:	378.57
Ascension:	155.00
Ascension Thursday:	684.00
DLA Update:	\$ 46,076.00
TCTH Update:	\$ 638,360.00

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St. John Graduates will be honored at the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, June 6 followed by a luncheon in the social center. If planning to attend **please return your response by May 31.**

St. Hedwig Graduates will be honored at the 8:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, June 13 followed by refreshments in the Parish Center. If you wish to be included, **please call Barbara Mehalov at 724-677-2194 by Monday, June 7.**

All high school, college, business and vocational school graduates are encouraged to participate.

St. John's Preschool Graduation Program will be held on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the social center.

Recycling at St. John's this Saturday in the church basement from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Breakfast at St. Nick's

****Perryopolis Lions Leo Club** will sponsor a breakfast at St. Nick's Pavilion on Sunday, May 30 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Menu includes: pancakes, sausage and beverage at a cost of \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children.

****Knights of Columbus will attend Mass at St. John's** on Sunday, May 30 at 10:00 a.m. Members and their family are encouraged to attend and support the Lions Leo Club Pancake Breakfast after Mass.



*Flowers adorning the altar at St. Hedwig's
 "In Memory of MSgt. Ernest J. Farina, USA Ret.,
 and all Veterans"
 by Eleanor, Mary Beth and Henry*

*Flowers adorning the altar at St. John's
 "In Honor of the 58th Wedding Anniversary of
 Joseph & Alice Dominiak"*

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, Heather Evon, Anne Gearing, Rose Giocondi, Mary Gustafson, Rosemary Hako, Fr. Bob Halus, Tony Hawranko, 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, Joan Toth, Lena Travis, Sarah Uhall, Irene Uhrin, Heath Vernet, Justin Young, Bob Zahorchak

Choose Life . . . We pray that the power of Pentecost may renew our determination to defend the right to life of each human being.

We Pray for those who have died, may they be welcomed into God's heavenly Kingdom, especially, **Gloria Bonucci and Barbara (Nagy) Stolikar.**

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

Catholic Engaged Encounter is an opportunity for Christian couples to prepare for a lifetime commitment. If you desire a loving, faithful, permanent and life-giving marriage, consider attending a Catholic Engaged Encounter weekend. This marriage preparation program presents a comprehensive, up-close and personal look at marriage. Next scheduled weekends will be held in Greensburg on June 26-28 and November 6-8. Contact # 724-335-4966.



Pray the Rosary

As declared by Pope Benedict XVI

The Year of the Priest

will be a time to encourage "spiritual perfection" among priests, as well as time to support and thank them for their service to the Church



Pentecost Sunday
May 23, 2010

[I]n one Spirit we were all baptized into one body.

— 1 Corinthians 12:13a

COME, HOLY SPIRIT

When we hear "Come, Holy Spirit" we think of today's story from Acts. But the truth is that today's scene is but one moment from the Spirit's long presence in salvation. The spirit of God (*ruach*) is present at the dawn of creation, blowing over the chaotic waters as God commands light to be. That same spirit of God filled the prophets of Israel. "The spirit of the Lord came upon me" fills their witness, as they guided Israel in their quest to be faithful to the loving, merciful God of their covenant. We hear that the Spirit overshadowed Mary's womb so that the very Word of God would take on our human flesh. And Jesus begins his ministry in Luke's Gospel by saying the Spirit is upon him. On the cross, according to John, he gives up his spirit.

Today Paul tells us that this Holy Spirit is from God, who raised Christ from the dead. We also hear John's account of the Spirit as the very breath of the risen Christ on his disciples. That same Spirit of all these biblical accounts was there at our baptism and continues to live in us. We are temples of that Spirit, witnesses to the Spirit's grace. And it is in the Holy Spirit that we will continue to live in the gospel's light, and to pursue our life of eternal glory in Christ.

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A PRAYER TO THE SPIRIT

Spirit of Jesus, poured out in flames of fire upon your disciples on the day of Pentecost, we pray to you:

Set afire the hearts of your faithful so that they will announce in all the languages of the world the wonders of the salvation of God.

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