

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: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday (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

St. John Mass Intentions

Sunday August 1
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM JOSEPH A. WARCHOL, SR.
(Tom & Bernie Link)

Tuesday August 3
8:00 AM ADOLPH JOE PERONI
(M/M Lou Peroni)

Thursday August 5
8:00 AM SOPHIA TRYNOCK
(Niece, Louise)

Saturday August 7
8:00 AM MARTY HISNANICK
(Eleanor, Mary Beth & Henry)

2:00 PM FRANCIS & ROSALIE TOMKO
50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
(Family)

Sunday August 8
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM ST. HEDWIG & ST. JOHN
PARISH FAMILIES



August 8 - St. Hedwig - 8:00 a.m.
LECTOR: J. Guthrie
MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION:
P. Kilgore, N. Sethman
ACOLYTES: K. Hager

St. Hedwig Free Will & Tithe: July 25, 2010
Adult Offertory: \$ 1,523.00
Children: 22.00
Loose: 151.00

Thanks for your generous support!

Sanctuary Lamp at St. Hedwig
“In Memory of Joseph A. Warchol, Sr.”
by Tom & Bernie Link

Flowers at St. Hedwig for the weekend of August 7-8
“In Honor of Francis and Rosalie Tomko
50th Wedding Anniversary”
by the Tomko Family

Saturday July 31
Vigil: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:30 PM ST. JOHN & ST. HEDWIG
PARISH FAMILIES

Sunday August 1
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:00 AM EDWARD RAYMAN JR.
(Family)

Monday August 2
8:30 AM JAMES DiVIRGILIO
(Stephen Ciarrocchi)

Tuesday August 3
8:30 AM ROBERT POSVECH (Wife & Family)

Wednesday August 4
8:30 AM WILLIAM & MARY DOOLEY
(Colleen Budinsky)

Thursday August 5
8:30 AM MARTIN REBISH (Family)

Friday August 6 - First Friday
8:30 AM JOSEPH & JEANNINE SINAL
(Patty & Family)

Saturday August 7 - First Saturday
9:00 AM SALVATORE & MATILDE CONSALES
(Carmela Cordisco & Family)

Vigil: Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:30 PM FRED TYLKA (wife Connie, Fred & Darla)

Sunday August 8
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:00 AM JESSIE DiVIRGILIO
(Bob & Joanne Torruiso)



Bishop Brandt Invites All Couples
Celebrating Their 50th Wedding
Anniversary during the calendar year 2010 to participate in a special Golden Jubilee Mass to be held at Our Lady of Grace Parish on Sunday, September 26 at 3:00 p.m. Please contact *your parish office* to register for this celebration. Even though you may not be able to attend the Mass, you will receive a scroll signed by the Bishop commemorating your anniversary.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 7/8

LECTORS:

4:30 PM D. Alekson, C. Muccioli
 10:00 AM L. Ewing, D. Behana

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

4:30 PM D. Hagerty* B. Barth, T. Matty,
 A. Hagerty, B. Kutska, J. Vitale, A. Slebodnik
 10:00 AM D. Spagnolo* A. Spagnolo, P. Sinal,
 J. Salesi, Sr Loretta, R. Vargo, C. Vargo

ACOLYTES:

4:30 PM J. Hall, A. Ciliberti, K. Bongiorno
 10:00 AM S. Erdely, R. Erdely, C. Katic

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

St. John Free Will & Tithe: July 25, 2010
Adult Offertory: \$ 4,052.00
Children: 30.00
Loose: 238.25
Utility Subsidy: 25.00
Cemetery Care: 80.00

Thanks for your generous support!

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

Are You Getting Married?

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.

The next scheduled weekend will be held in Greensburg on November 6/8. For more information or to register, please call 724-335-4966.

Children's Choir will sing on Saturday, August 7 at the 4:30 p.m. Mass.

Change in Family Picnic !!!!!!!

St. John's Family Picnic has been rescheduled for Sunday, September 12.

More details about the picnic will be published in the bulletin in a few weeks.

Moms in Touch at St. John's every Thursday morning after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Marriage Encounter

Does your marriage need a vacation from the stresses of everyday life? Reconnect with your spouse. World Wide Marriage Encounter is scheduled on September 24-26 at the Four Points Sheraton Pittsburgh Airport. For more information or to register contact 1-412-635-7776 or visit the web at www.wwme-pittsburgh.org

Help is just a phone call away . . .

Catholic Charities offers counseling for individuals, couples and families who may be experiencing difficulty dealing with emotional upheavals in their lives. Licensed, professional staff specialize in faith-based assistance with anxiety, grief, loss, relationship, and many other personal and family issues. Contact # (724) 929-4699; 439-3531.

St. Aloysius' Food Booth will be open at the Fayette County Fair - thru Saturday, August 7 - great food variety and a dinner daily special are featured each day and evening

Holy Rosary Parish Street Fair/Republic

on August 7 (5:30-11:00 p.m.) and August 8 (4:00-10:00 p.m.). Homemade ethnic foods, bake sale, games of chance, live music and much more!!

We Pray for those who have died, may they be welcomed into God's heavenly Kingdom, especially, Philomena Stiffey (sister of Gia Fields).

Pray the Rosary

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, Fritz Antonini, Terry Babchak, Lena Boni, Suzanne Brown, Jan Calderone, Jean Carroll, Rose Casey, Florence Claybaugh, Kathy Coldren, Dolores Curcio, Jack Daniels, Patty Dulay, John Emricko, Greg & Rita Evans, Amber Evon, Emmie Evon, Heather Evon, Bernie Farkus, Anne Gearing, Eleanor Gibson, Tiffany Giles, Rose Giocondi, Mary Gustafson, Rosemary Hako, Fr. Bob Halus, Carol Hayley, Beverly Iulius, Mary Jankovic, Ellen Kerber, Ann Kirchner, Karolyn Kovalcik, Nadi Krukowsky, Clara Kushnar, Michael Kutska, Carmella Lahti, Marcie Leonian, Dolores Lerda, Vera Mahalko, Wanda Malinki, Fr. Len McAlpin, Martin McManus, Rev. David Means, Dori Mischick, Sophia Murray, Jim Natale, Jim Newmeyer, Jeff Novak, Frank Novobilsky, Jr., Domingo Ottonello, Dolores Palone, Irene Pradella, Jemma Premus, Marissa Primozi, Cassy Ragazini, Linda Rebish, Dorothy Rebovich, Michael Savko, Mary Schiffbauer, Dolores Sciore, Michael Sekel, Herb Shaffer, Jaime Shields, Diane Snowball, Jan Sobek, Helen Sobek, Mary Stolarik, Dave Szakel, Hannah Teslovich, Joan Toth, Lena Travis, Sarah Uhall, Irene Uhrin, Heath Vernet, Justin Young, Bob Zahorchak

We Pray for all those blessed with abundant riches that they may share their blessings in support of the pro-life movement.

Community Campaign for Jeff Novak

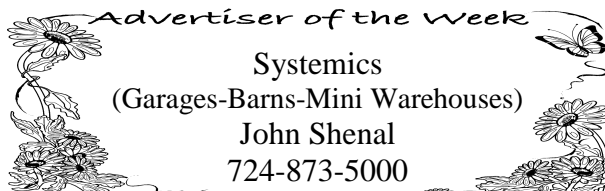
Jeff was seriously injured in the recent explosion at the Clairton Steel Mill. Presently he is in critical condition in the burn unit at Mercy Hospital in Pittsburgh.

Andrea Wingrove has undertaken the organization of a campaign to help Jeff's family in their time of need. If you would like to help support this campaign for Jeff and his family, please call Andrea at 724-322-3025 for more information.

Please keep Jeff and his family in your prayers.

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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 1, 2010

Teach us to number our days aright,
that we may gain wisdom of heart.

— Psalm 90:12

VALUES TO LIVE BY

Today's scriptures contain some catch phrases that are still quite familiar in our world: "All is vanity," and "Eat, drink, and be merry" are both scriptural in origin. In the same way that it is easy to pray last week's Lord's Prayer thoughtlessly, it is easy to let the potent passages of scripture that are built on these common sayings glide right off our slick ears.

Last week's scriptures instructed us to listen attentively to the Lord, so that we might pray carefully. Our listening and our prayer are intimately connected. In the same way, this week we learn that our values and our living are connected as well. It has become quite common to ask, "Do you own your possessions or do they own you?" Like the familiar maxims from today's readings, we might be tempted to quote this saying flippantly, and think that in the quoting of it we have truly considered it, perhaps lived it. Not true, Qoheleth, Paul, and Jesus tell us today. It is not wrong to treasure or cherish things of earth or of our own humanity; it is only wrong when those things we cherish are not of God, are not of the self-giving Christ.

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SAINT JOHN MARY VIANNEY (1786-1859) August 4

A busy pastor jokingly suggests the secret of John Vianney's holiness: "He died seventeen years before telephones!" Call they didn't, but visit they did, keeping Vianney eighteen hours a day in the confessional. Stories abound of reading hearts and exorcisms, but Vianney's first miracle was getting ordained. Difficulty with studies delayed him, prompting the rector's apology to the bishop, "So far to ordain just one, especially *this* one!" The bishop, who could not know he was ordaining the future patron saint of parish priests, replied, "No burden to ordain one good priest!" In Ars, only an elderly handful attended Mass, "praying," one told Vianney, "for a priest with brains." But he stayed forty-two years, fulfilling the promise he made the day he arrived. In a sculpture just outside the village Vianney points skyward: "Show me the way to Ars," he tells a boy, "and I'll show you the way to heaven." To someone who feared there was no heaven beyond the grave, Vianney smiled, "My child, it would have been heaven enough to have lived as Jesus' disciple on earth."

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