



Building God's Community: As disciples of Jesus Christ, we the members of **St. John Vianney Parish** join together to proclaim God's Word, celebrate the sacraments, and serve others with compassion and generosity.

JOINING OUR PARISH

We welcome all who seek a spiritual home in our Catholic community. Introduce yourself to the pastor and he will help you join our parish.

If you are not baptized, or are baptized in another Christian tradition and seek full communion with the Catholic Church, consider the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults process. It begins with inquiry sessions in which you can ask questions and discuss issues with other seekers. The process continues with opportunities for learning and spiritual transformation. The RCIA also serves baptized Catholics who did not have the opportunity to receive Holy Communion and Confirmation. The Director of Religious Education will help you start.

BAPTISM

If you are parents seeking baptism for your child, please introduce yourself to the pastor after Mass. He wishes to meet you in person before making an appointment for baptism preparation.

MARRIAGE

Our pastor invites engaged couples to make an appointment with him at least six months prior to marriage, before setting a wedding date. Couples are welcome to call as soon as you decide to marry or even while you are still considering whether to go forward toward marriage.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday at Corpus Christi Church: 4:15-4:45 PM
Sunday at St Pius X Church: 9:10-9:25 AM
or by appointment.

PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Michael J. Kirwin, Ph.D.: *Pastor*
Deacon Edwin L. Salva, Sr.: *Permanent Deacon*
JoAnn Wilbur: *Director of Religious Education*
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Heather Clendenning: *Director of Music Ministry*
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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: ppc@stjvp.org

Lisa Anzelmi	Suzanne McCoy
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Gloria Konzman	Rick Toth

FINANCE COUNCIL: finance@stjvp.org

MASSES OF THE WEEK

		<u>Location</u>	<u>Mass Intention:</u>	<u>Requested by:</u>
Saturday	5-09	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Mother's Day Intentions	
Sunday	5-10	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Mother's Day Intentions	
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Mother's Day Intentions	
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Mother's Day Intentions	
Monday	5-11	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	George Edward, Jr and Robert Hlavaty	Ed and Barbara Bock
Tuesday	5-12	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Florence Mancuso	
Wednesday	5-13	6:30 p.m. (S.P.)	Barry J. Figured and Mary A. Figured	Joseph Figured Jr. and Sr.
Thursday	5-14	12:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Bernard and Emily Kazmierski	Alice Sokoloski
		7:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	
Friday	5-15	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Ken Beemer	Ginger Cavalier
Saturday	5-16	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Mother's Day Intentions	
Sunday	5-17	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Mother's Day Intentions	
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Mother's Day Intentions	

ASCENSION THURSDAY



Ascension Thursday, May 14 marks the fortieth day of the Easter Season. "Ascension is a day that unfolds the promise that Jesus will return... [On this day] we do not observe a departure. We celebrate a presence.

MASS SCHEDULE

Wed., May 13 at 6:30p.m. at St. Pius X
 Thur., May 14 at 12:00p.m. at Corpus Christi
 Thur. May 14 at 7:00p.m. at Corpus Christi

BUILDING AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, May 11 at 6:30 in the Rectory

CHILDREN'S LITURGIES/MUSIC

The next Children's Masses will be **May 17th at the 9:30am and 11:00am masses. Kids practice is Saturday May 16 at 11am at Corpus Christi, and 2pm at St. Pius.** Any children interested in auditioning for cantors are asked to call Heather Clendenning at (570)947-2040 to schedule an appointment.



St. Pius Chicken BBQ - August 8th
 Meeting on May 12,
 at 6:30p.m.
 at St. Pius Rectory.
 All are welcome !



St. John Vianney Rummage Sale July 10, 11, 12

Spring is here! Now is the time to clean out your homes and garages, and fill up our basement! You can donate clothes, toys, decorations, tools, electronics, furniture... all your unwanted items! **Beginning May 18th, items can be dropped off** at Corpus Christi Monday through Friday, 9am-1pm. Saturdays 3:30pm-5:00pm and after Mass. On Sundays items can be dropped off before and after the Masses. Please use the elevator and carts to bring your donations down to the basement. For more information, or to volunteer to help, please call Patti Dennis at 687-3842 or Sue Mazzoni at 468-7739. If you are unable to deliver furniture or large items, please call Tina at the Parish Office 254-9502, ext. 1. Arrangements will be made for pick up.



St Pius X Altar & Rosary Bake Sale
 May 25, 2015 at 9:30 am Mass

Summer Catholic Kidz Camp SET SAIL with the HOLY TRINITY featuring Saint Patrick

STAFF MEETING: HELP NEEDED!!!! All kinds of help is needed for our Summer Program. You can pick what you like to do! Help with crafts, music, food, teacher aide... **Tuesday, May 12th in Parish office – 7PM.** Those (6th grade and up to our Senior Citizens and everyone in-between) are invited to come and have fun helping the kids. Kidz Camp is June 29-July 3 from 9-12:30PM.

NCYC - National Catholic Youth Conference Diocesan Pilgrimage November 18 -21, in Indianapolis, IN

FEATURING...

20,000+ Young People Praising God together!

Powerful Prayer and liturgy experiences by and for young people

Christian Musicians, bands and concerts each day and evening

Nationally Recognized Speakers and Performers offering keynotes and concurrent sessions covering topics for Catholic youth and adults

Interactive Park – a HUGE festival village inside the convention center. Visit the vocations center, check out a Catholic college or university, surf the internet, participate in games, eat and hang out, listen to different musicians, review the latest publisher's material on youth ministry/youth culture and much more!!

St. John Vianney Youth Ministry will accompany and chaperone any teens who want to go! Those in 9th thru 12th Grades in Fall 2015 are eligible to go! There are two buses chartered for Diocese of Scranton! For information contact JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3 or at jwilbursjv@comcast.net. **Don't miss the bus!!!**

PRAYER FOR PARISH LAY LEADERSHIP DISCERNMENT

Please join with those who are discerning their ability to serve through parish councils and commissions. In anticipation of our May 16 information and discernment session, you can pray daily:

Come, O Holy Spirit of the living God, and show us your ways. Guide our parish discernment of those who are called to the ministry of leadership in the work of our Parish Pastoral Council, Finance Council, and commissions. Grant us wisdom to know our gifts. Call us to put those gifts at the service of your people. Give us zeal and holy courage to respond generously to your invitation. And grant your grace to all in our parish as we seek to live out the mission of Jesus. We pray this in Jesus' name, who with you and the sustaining Father is one God, forever and ever. Amen.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Knight at the Races, May 16
 Baskets needed
 Call Ed Sokoloski at 587-3120
 Doors open at 6p, races start at 7p



YOUTH NEWS

The next meeting is **Sunday, May 17 from 5 to 7:30 PM (no meeting tonight)** in the Parish Office and continues every Sunday. All teens grade 6 through 12 are welcome to come and see what it's all about.



MAY CROWNING



May Crowning at St Pius X Church May 17th at 9:15am (before the 9:30a Mass). Please come early to honor Mary the Mother of Jesus.

SAVE THE DATE!!!

SIGHT AND SOUND - JOSEPH

(Coat of Many Colors) June 12. We sold out fast last year so don't hesitate if you want to go! Stops at Kitchen Kettle Village and Rockvale Outlets. Price includes show, bus transportation, smorgasbord at Shady Maple and all gratuities. Adults 13 and up: \$98 Children: 3-12 - \$59. Call JoAnn at 254-9502 ext.3 for reservation. Money due with reservation.



GET ON BOARD!

Liturgical Ministers' Schedule

May 13-14, 2015 (Ascension)

6:30p	M. Grecco	K. Shostek	L. Hayes
(St. Pius)	N. Baker		L. Drum
12:00p		L. Lastauskas	P. Griffiths
7:00p	M. Ziobro	G. Borosky	E. Piccini
	M. Ziobro		J. Piccini
			D. Sashko

May 16-17, 2015

5:00p	N. Lowry	C. Lubash	E. Piccini
	N. Ferraro		J. Piccini
			T. Bjork
8:00a	D. Beecroft	L. Volk	R. Good
	B. Good		G. Konzman
			J. Corbett
9:30a	E. Totten	R. Totten	S. McCoy
(St. Pius)	M. Salansky		M. Orazzi
11:00a	T. Dzwonczyk	M. A. Paulukonis	D. Sashko
	K. Dzwonczyk		J. Sczesniak
	K. Kolucki		R. Stracham

**MARYWOOD UNIVERSITY
 LIFE LONG LEARNERS**

The Marywood University Life Long Learners will have the following spring trips. May 14th the Brooklyn Museum & Botanic Gardens with lunch \$120 p/p and May 31st the World Yacht Brunch Cruise and Intrepid Museum in NY . \$125 p/p for reservations call 383-0544.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The RCIA process is an opportunity for instruction and spiritual transformation for any adult seeking a deeper understanding of the Catholic tradition or full incorporation into the Catholic Church. Are you interested in becoming a Catholic or completing the Sacraments of Initiation--Baptism/Confirmation/Eucharist? The RCIA group meets weekly. We also have the process for older children and teens who may have not received their sacraments, or who would like to enter the Catholic Church. Please give JoAnn a call if you have any questions or would like further information: **254-9502** or email at **Jwilbursjv@comcast.net**.

2016 HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

Travel with Father Thomas Petro, Pastor, Our Lady of the Abingtons Church, Dalton, PA and St. Patrick's, Nicholson, PA on a Holy Land Pilgrimage. Where: Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Galilee, Ein Karem, Jordan River, Capernaum, Cana. Trip Dates: April 6 – April 16, 2016. Cost: \$3,999.00 Airfare and ALL-inclusive. To register, please contact (855) 842-8001 or (508) 340-9370. You can also register online at www.proximotravel.com. For more information, e-mail Father Petro at : spolachurch@gmail.com or call 570-563-1622.

**HOMEBOUND, HOSPITAIZED
 OR IN A NURSING HOME**

If a parishioner is unable to attend Mass on a regular basis due to illness, hospitalization, or in a nursing home, please call the Parish Office (254-9502) and notify us. Please understand we can not rely on hospitals to inform us when our parishioners are hospitalized. We have several volunteers who bring Communion on a weekly basis to homebound parishioners. The Pastor visits with our homebound, hospitalized and those in nursing homes on an as-needed basis.

PARISH COLLECTION

April 25-26 2015

Weekly Adults	\$ 4,575.00	234/674
Weekly Children	\$ 60.40	61/264
Loose	\$ 455.05	
Other (Dues, Etc.)	\$ 398.00	
Total Collection	\$ 5,488.45	

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish Community

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Special Instructions: