



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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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: ppc@stjvp.org

Lisa Anzelmi	Suzanne McCoy
Terri Aschenbrenner	Mary Ann Paulukonis
Jan Corbett, <i>Secretary</i>	<i>Chairperson</i>
Ed Facciani	Frank Plominski
<i>Vice-chairperson</i>	Steve Takach
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	5-30	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Paris Family	Andrew & Lois Mallick
Sunday	5-31	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Charles J. Boyarsky	Ed and Cheryl Boyarsky
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	Carmela & Francesco Giordano
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Luigi Giordano	Friends
Monday	6-01	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Diane Muskey	
Tuesday	6-02	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	David Kovaleski	
Wednesday	6-03	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Walter Andrews	
Thursday	6-04	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Pat Callaway	Friends
Friday	6-05	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Charles J. Boyarsky	Jerry & Erin Boyarsky & Family
Saturday	6-06	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Patrick McAndrew	Lois and Andrew Mallick
Sunday	6-07	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Barry J. Figured & Mary A. Figured	Joseph Figured, Jr. & Sr.
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	Niece Lena & Ron Koruszko
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Andrea Montano	

FIRST FRIDAY HOLY HOUR



First Friday Masses will be held at 8:30a.m. in Corpus Christi Church. The one hour devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will begin with Eucharist and close with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Jesus appeared to St. Margaret Mary and revealed to us the wonder and beauty of God's love. We set Fridays aside as the day our

Lord offered Himself for us on the Cross to call to mind God's love, mercy and sacrifice. Please join us.

THE BACCALAUREATE LITURGY WILL BE CELEBRATED ON SUNDAY, JUNE 7th AT 11:00A.M.

The parish community will gather in prayer at Corpus Christi with all those members of our parish who will graduate this year. We will give thanks for these young women and men and ask God to continue to bless them throughout their lives. Any graduate that plans to attend is asked to return their reply form, call the Parish Office at 254-9502 or e-mail crc402@comcast.net **We ask that you let us know if you will be attending by Monday, June 1.**



HELP NEEDED

Please come help us organize the rummage sale donations! We have many jobs and welcome all help! We work every weekday from 9:00a.m. until 1 or 2:00p.m.

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! **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.

5 FUN-FILLED DAYS OF CATHOLIC KIDZ CAMP!

JUNE 29—JULY 3, 9-12:30P.M.

Each day, the children will read pages from *The Adventures of St. Patrick* storybook and learn something new about the Holy Trinity. The creative grade-appropriate lessons are based on Sacred Scripture and Catholic Tradition.



Every lesson includes a Bible Memory Verse, which compliments the theme of the day. We acknowledge children are full of energy and love games. We put the VACATION back in Vacation Bible School by providing a fun activity/game after every lesson. The children will also enjoy action-packed days, music, making crafts and a delicious lunch. Cost is \$20 which includes daily lunch, tee shirt and storybook.

YOUTH NEWS

Youth Group will continue to meet most weeks in the Summer, but we will adjust times/days according to schedules. Please check the parish website for planned meetings (stjvp.org) All teens grade 6 through 12 are welcome to come and see what it's all about.

THANKS

On behalf of the Knights of Columbus Council #12573, the Knights thank you for your support of our 15th Annual Knight at the Races. Everyone who purchased a horse, purchased an ad, donated items, and/or attended the event helped to make this a tremendous success. Special thanks go out to all who attend this "Hawaiian" theme even and Father Michael for allowing us to use the Parish Center. A great time was had by all who were part of this record attendance event. Hope you can join us next year!



NEW PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

Thank you for praying this spring with current parish council and commission members and those who were considering a leadership position. On May 16 three parishioners met with our pastor and PPC members for a discernment session—focused prayer and dialogue about roles on one of the councils or commissions. Subsequently Mary Retzbach and Lynn Volk agreed to begin three-year terms and Rick Toth agreed to commit to a second three-year term on the Parish Pastoral Council. Their terms will begin on July 1.

Liturgical Ministers' Schedule

June 6-7, 2015

5:00p	K. Bailey H. Bailey	C. Lubash	J. Golecki L. Golecki K. Cibik
8:00a	D. Beecroft B. Good	G. Borosky	F. Tancredo J. Corbett G. Konzman
9:30a (St. Pius)	A. Long K. Long	K. Shostek	S. McCoy L. Drum
11:00a	L. Holt N. Robinson, Alex Boyarsky E. Bevilacqua, Marissa Grecco	R. Koruszko	R. Stracham A. Swarts C. Giordano

Cathedral of Saint Peter to Present Innovative Brass Music Concert

Tim Zimmerman and The King's Brass will present a program of "The Best in Sacred Brass Music" at the Cathedral of Saint Peter, 315 Wyoming, Ave., Scranton, Friday, June 5, 2015 at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are available now for \$15 (discount for groups of 10 more; children 12 and under free) by calling the parish office at 570-344-7231 or visiting www.stpeterscathedral.org. Tickets will also be available at the door.

THANK YOU for the beautiful clothing and items St. John Vianney Parish has been giving for HAITI! It is so very wonderful of you to remember and help the people of Haiti. Fr. Rick Freschette C.P, and the St. Luke Foundation for Haiti thanks you from the bottom of our heart. Jesus sees all the good you have done. If you shop at Amazon.com, would you consider putting the St. Luke Foundation for Haiti down as your charity. **AT NO COST TO YOU, AMAZON** makes a donation with every purchase you buy. Just go to Smile.Amazon.com; choose your charity (St. Luke Foundation for Haiti), and every one of your purchases helps the work we are doing in Haiti. Always remember to put smile.amazon first and St. Luke will get a donation! Thanks for considering it!



Walking Toward Eternity Shame? Anger? Loneliness? Overcome your struggles with *Walking Toward Eternity: Engaging the Struggles of Your Heart* Bible Study

In our busy lives we are faced with obstacles that aggravate us, discourage us, and can even hinder our relationship with Christ. Finding the time to address them is often lost by the business of life. How do we overcome these obstacles, and hear God's voice in our lives? Engaging the Struggles of Your Heart, the second series in the Walking Toward Eternity program, is a challenging study that can open our eyes to obstacles in our Christian walk. Through prayer, reflection, guidance and the aid of the Holy Spirit, we begin to engage these difficulties in a positive way as we continue toward our goal of union with Christ. Join us for *Walking Toward Eternity: Engaging the Struggles of Your Heart* at Corpus Christi location in parish office beginning June 1 at 6:30pm and continuing every Monday for 8 weeks. For more information or to register for the study, call JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3 or via email: jwilbursjv@comcast.net.

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.

PARISH COLLECTIONS

May 13-14, 2015 (Ascension)

Adults	\$ 481.00	71/674
Children	3.00	3/264
Loose	65.00	
Total Collection	\$ 549.00	

May 16-17, 2015

Weekly Adults	\$ 3,786.50	242/674
Weekly Children	\$ 91.50	74/264
Loose	\$ 389.25	
Other (Dues, Etc.)	\$ 929.00	
Total Collection	\$ 5,196.25	

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish Community

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Special Instructions: