



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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FINANCE COUNCIL: finance@stjvp.org

MASSES OF THE WEEK

		<u>Location</u>	<u>Mass Intention:</u>	<u>Requested by:</u>
Saturday	9-05	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Arlene Shea	Family
Sunday	9-06	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Charles L. Boyarsky	Family
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Henry P. Koruszko	Mary Guman
Monday	9-07	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Ann Boyko	Friend
Tuesday	9-08	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Albert Powell	Joan Marie Boyarsky
Wednesday	9-09	8:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Richard and Estelle Lane	Friends
Thursday	9-10	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Regina Boyarsky	Mary Ann Duchnik & Family
Friday	9-11	8:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Claude Granville	Family
Saturday	9-12	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Charlie & Catherine Fron	Family
Sunday	9-13	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Living and Deceased Members of St. John Vianney Parish	
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living & deceased family members of Ray & Elayne Totten	
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Helen & Edward Boyarsky	Family

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Our Religious Education Program starts on Sunday, September 13th. Families should have received information in the mail. **CHILDREN MUST ATTEND EVERY YEAR IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE AND READY TO RECEIVE SACRAMENTS.** If you are registering a child for the **FIRST** time, please call JoAnn Wilbur to register at 254-9502 ext.3. Registration fee is \$25 per student. Classes are held on Sundays:

8:15a.m.-9:15a.m. for 1st—8th Grade at St. Pius X
9:45a.m.—10:45a.m. for Kn-8th Grade at Corpus Christi

RELIGIOUS ED TEACHERS NEEDED

We need teachers and substitute teachers for our Religious Education Program in the Fall. If you have any interest, please contact JoAnn Wilbur at 254-9502, ext. 3.



ATTENTION FAMILIES AND TEENS:

All teens are invited to experience *CHOSEN*. We will currently offer this monthly. Join other teens, (Some are coming because they want to teach in our CCD Program), teens from youth group WANT to come, and we want YOU to come!

Comprehensive. Relevant. Effective.

Calls teens to a personal encounter with Jesus Christ. Visually stunning, fast-paced videos, filmed in more than fifty locations throughout the U.S. and internationally.

Featuring twelve top youth experts presenting the faith in new and unexpected ways.

Come! YOU are CHOSEN. Chosen by God. Say YES to His call. Don't say no! It's only once a month! This is fun and is our CHOSEN way to do a High School Program. PARENTS!!! Please encourage your sons and daughters to attend once a month. Please mail or put form in basket so we can be prepared for your teens!

When? Starting Sunday, September 20 from 3:30-5PM (Call or look in bulletin for monthly session)

Where? Parish Office Building Who? Grades 9-12 Call JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3 for more information

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WEEKDAY MASSES

Until further notice, weekday Masses will continue to be held at 8:30a.m. Masses on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday will be held in Corpus Christi Chapel, Wednesdays and Fridays Masses will be said at St. Pius X, with the exception of First Friday being held at Corpus Christi. If you have a Mass that you would like to schedule or re-schedule with this change, please call weekdays 9:30a.m.-1:30p.m. 254-9502 or you can email Tina at: crc402@comcast.net.

A SUCCESSFUL BLOOD DRIVE

Thank you to all who helped and came out to donate blood last Thursday. Thirty-seven people came to give blood and 39 units were collected. The blood collected will help 107 people. Thank you.



MOVIENIGHT "LITTLE BOY" AT ST PIUS X LOCATION 7PM ON SEPTEMBER 11

A powerful, moving, and heartwarming film about a little boy who is willing to do whatever it takes to bring his father home from World War II. *LITTLE BOY* will capture your heart and lift your spirits. From the executive producers of *Son of God* and *Touched by an Angel*, this instant cinematic classic captures the wonder of life through the eyes of a seven-year-old child and reminds us of the power of faith, hope and love in the face of adversity. "BEST FAMILY FILM OF THE YEAR". Pizza and refreshments will be served. PG-13



All parish families are asked to pick up their Harvest Festival tickets in the back of the Church. This is our main fund raiser and everyone's support is needed to make it a success. There are also sign up sheets for different areas of need. **Kitchen clean-up is this Wednesday!** Please sign up today!

Help will be needed with:

Wed., Sept. 9, 9:30a Wash dishes & clean kitchen

Mon., Sept. 14, 6:00p-7:30p- Cut bread for stuffing

Wed., Sept. 16, 9:00a—Peel Potatoes

Wed., Sept. 16, 6:00pm—8:00pm - Make Stuffing

Mon., Sept. 28, 10:00am—Relish Making

Mon., Sept 28, 6:30pm—Booth Set up

Thur., Oct. 1, 6:00pm-8:30pm—Carve Turkeys

Fri., Oct 2, 9:00a.m-12:00p.m Make Potatoes

Sat., Oct 3, 9:00am-11:30am—Final Prep

Sun., Oct. 4, 10:00am-5:00pm—Final Prep & Festival

Sun., Oct. 4, 4:30pm-6:30pm—Cleanup (6th grade +)

Mon., Oct. 5, 9:00am—Cleanup

GOOD NEWS PEOPLE Starting this October

Come join us in a new enriching program called *GoodNewsPeople* starting this October. This program will help broaden our awareness of our Catholic faith so that we become "Good News People" in the world. Its focus is to more deeply understand the spiritual and corporal works of mercy. This will prepare our parish for the year of "Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy" declared by Pope Francis which begins at the end of this year. Participants will meet in small groups for two seasons of seven sessions. Currently we are currently looking for Facilitators. If you are interested or need more information about the program please contact Carol Salva at 570-254-6090.

CHOIR REHEARSAL TO BEGIN

Choir rehearsal will begin this Wednesday, September 9th at 7:00p.m. at Corpus Christi Church. We will practice every Wednesday at 7:00p.m. Everyone is welcome to join us. If you have any questions, or would like more information, please call Heather at 570-947-2040.



Walking Toward Eternity DARING TO WALK THE WALK

Eight-Part Bible Study Featuring Jeff Cavins
7 Key Virtues

Is it time for a change? *Walking Toward Eternity* is an inspiring series designed to help you live your faith more fully by developing and nurturing characteristics that are essential to the Christian life. Through daily prayer and meditation with Scripture, you will be drawn into an intimate and life-changing encounter with Christ. As you prayerfully reflect on God's Word, you will begin to hear the subtle ways God is speaking to you, and you will be challenged to set aside those things in your life that keep you from growing closer to him. The first series of *Walking Toward Eternity*, introduces seven key virtues and outlines practical steps for living them out in your life. Join us for *Walking Toward Eternity* at Parish Office on Mondays at 6:30PM. For more information or to register for the study, call JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3 or via email: jwilbursjv@comcast.net

Liturgical Ministers' Schedule September 12-13, 2015

5:00p	L. Osburn L. Osburn	J. R. Salva	Deacon Ed J. Golecki L. Golecki
8:00a	M. Boyarsky B. Bevilacqua	L. Lastauskas	G. Hallesky G. Konzman F. Tancredo
9:30a	M. Salansky (St. Pius) N. Baker	R. Totten	Deacon Ed K. Shostek
11:00a	M. Ziobro M. Ziobro K. Priest	B. Facciani	J. Sczesniak C. Giordano D. Sashko

Women's Preached Retreat

September 11-13 at St. Gabriel's Passionist Retreat Center, 631 Griffin Pond Road, Clarks Summit. Directed by Rev Vincent Boney CP, of Saint Ann's Monastery, Scranton, PA. Begins on Friday evening at 7:30 pm and end after the noon meal on Sunday. (No meals are served Friday) Preached retreats consist of conferences on the spiritual life, time for personal reflection, prayer service, opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and Liturgy. A deposit is required. For more information, please call the Retreat Office: 570 586-4957 or email kporter@epix.net.

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ CORPUS CHRISTI PARKING NOTICE

Notice #1 We have been notified that it is both **illegal and dangerous to park along the entrances that lead into our property**. There are very specific requirements by the Fire Department for public areas for emergency access. Fire trucks especially need a great deal of room. **Please do not park along our entrance areas. Parking is only permitted in the parking lots where parking lines are painted.**

Notice #2 The areas around our two parking lots which are covered by rock and/or grass overlay have plastic piping to carry water away. When one parks on top of these rocks or grass they crush the piping and our new drainage system directly below. **Please do not drive or park outside of the paved areas where stone is located.** We humbly offer these requests for your consideration. Thank you for listening.



FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

Non-perishable food items will be continuously collected. Please place your donations in the basket in the Church.

MONTDALE FOOD PANTRY

Hi everyone! This past Wednesday was the Food Pantry distribution. There were 63 families and 164 people served a box of groceries as well as hot dogs and buns. There were Boy Scouts, church members and other volunteers there to help carry. We are blessed to have such dedicated people to assist us every month. Next pantry will be September 16th.

Food chair, Marian Demming

COLLECTION: August 22-23, 2015

Weekly Adults	\$ 4,039.00	251/674
Weekly Children	\$ 49.00	40/264
Loose	\$ 683.50	
Other (Dues, Etc.)	\$ 469.00	
Total Collection	\$ 5,240.50	

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish.

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