



*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*  
[dre@stjvp.org](mailto:dre@stjvp.org)  
Heather Clendenning: *Director of Music Ministry*  
[music@stjvp.org](mailto:music@stjvp.org)  
Tina Bjork: *Secretary*  
[ccrc402@comcast.net](mailto:ccrc402@comcast.net)

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: [ppc@stjvp.org](mailto:ppc@stjvp.org)

Lisa Anzelmi	Frank Plominski
Jan Corbett	Mary Retzbach
<i>Vice-Chairperson</i>	Steve Takach
Ed Facciani	Rick Toth
Suzanne McCoy	<i>Chairperson</i>
Mary Ann Paulukonis	Lynn Volk
	<i>Secretary</i>

### FINANCE COUNCIL: [finance@stjvp.org](mailto:finance@stjvp.org)

### MASSES OF THE WEEK

		<u>Location</u>	<u>Mass Intention:</u>	<u>Requested by:</u>
Saturday	10-10	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Inez Galvin	Family
Sunday	10-11	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
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Josephine M. Koruszko	Genevieve Bosak
Monday	10-12	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Josephine Cacossa	Joseph Surace
Tuesday	10-13	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Marie Borgna	Tom, Patti and Gina
Wednesday	10-14	8:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living and Deceased Members of	St. John Vianney Parish
Thursday	10-15	8:30 a.m. (C.C.)	Julius Burden, Sr.	Family
Friday	10-16	8:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Charles J. Boyarsky	Alice Paulick
Saturday	10-17	5:00 p.m. (C.C.)	Thomas and Genevieve Bosak	Tom, Patti and Gina
Sunday	10-18	8:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Ellen Krzan	Betty Krzan
		9:30 a.m. (S.P.)	Living and Deceased Members of	St. John Vianney Parish
		11:00 a.m. (C.C.)	Richard Westlake	Angela Page & Mary Joy Oakley



**Catholic Education  
In Our Schools and Parishes:  
"Educating the future generations  
of the faithful."**

Shaping the next generation of the faithful through a Catholic education in our schools and parishes is an essential mission of the Diocese of Scranton. Last year, more than 5,000 elementary, middle and high school students benefitted from the academic programs and spiritual guidance offered by our Catholic Schools. More than 18,000 children received religious education in parish-based programs, instilling in them an intimate knowledge of the faith and the love of God, and fostering a desire to serve one another.

**Help needed with our  
RELIGIOUS ED PROGRAM**

Substitutes are needed to help with our Religious Education Program. If you have any interest, please contact JoAnn Wilbur at 254-9502, ext. 3.

**GET CONNECTED WITH  
ST. JOHN VIANNEY**



**Like us on Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/stjvp>  
**Check out our website:** We update and add new things to our website often, check it out: [www.stjvp.org](http://www.stjvp.org)  
**Follow us on Twitter** (see our website [www.stjvp.org](http://www.stjvp.org))  
**Give us your email address:** Occasionally we have events that need to get to parishioners in a

more timely manner. Please write your email on your weekly offering envelope. We promise not to share your e-mail with anyone and won't bombard you about every happening.

**E-giving:** [e-giving.org/stjohnvianneyparish](http://e-giving.org/stjohnvianneyparish) or our parish website: [www.stjvp.org](http://www.stjvp.org)

**YOUTH RELIGIOUS AWARD**

Any girls (even if not a Scout), Girl Scouts or Boy Scouts that would like to earn the Catholic Religious Award, please call JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3. There are different awards for the various age levels. Groups are starting immediately.

**BUILDING AND GROUNDS  
COMMITTEE MEETING**  
Monday, Oct. 12,  
6:30p at Corpus Christi

**JOIN THE CHILDREN'S CHOIR**

All children interested in joining the children's choir, practices are Saturdays before the children's liturgies. We will review music to be sung at children's liturgy as well as **Christmas music!**



Or contact Heather at 570-947-2040

**Children's Choir Practices:**

- Saturday, October 24  
11 AM at Corpus Christi      2 PM at Pius
- Saturday, November 21  
11 AM at Corpus Christi      2 PM at Pius
- Saturday, December 12  
11 AM at Corpus Christi      2 PM at Pius

**CALLING ALL SINGERS & CANTORS!**

Please consider sharing your voice by joining our choir! Practices are now **Thursdays at 7 PM** at the Corpus Christi location. Any one interested in becoming a cantor, please contact Heather at 570-947-2040



**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**



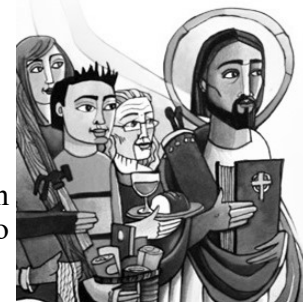
The RCIA process is an opportunity for instruction and spiritual transformation for any adult seeking a deeper understanding of the Catholic tradition or full incorporation into the Catholic Church. Are you interested in becoming a Catholic or completing the Sacraments of Initiation--Baptism/Confirmation/Eucharist? 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](mailto:Jwilbursjv@comcast.net).



The Halloween Sock Hop is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Corpus Christi Council #12573, on Saturday, October 31st at Corpus Christi in the Parish Center (basement). Doors open at 6p.m., music by Sarah Marie and Joseph 6:30p.m.—9:30p.m. BYOB, soft drinks/ bottled water and light snacks provided. Costumes are optional. \$5 per person.

# GOOD NEWS PEOPLE KICK OFF SUNDAY

Next Sunday at 11:00a.m. Mass  
Please come and join us!



The blessing of the *GoodNewsPeople* program is scheduled for the 11:00 Mass on Sunday, October 18th. All participants and facilitators in this program are invited to a luncheon in the basement of the church directly following the Mass.

Please call Carol Salva (570-254-6090 or 570-955-9105) or the below facilitators to join a small group:

<u>Facilitator</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Time/place (or possible times)</u>	<u>Location</u>
Amy Marcho	570-650-0559	Sunday, day or evening	St. Pius X
Carol Salva	570-254-6090	Sunday, 9:45a.m. (during CCD)	Rectory
JoAnn Wilbur (youth)	570-254-9502	Sunday, 5:00p.m.	Chapel
Juliana Piccini	570-282-0909	Mon., Wed. or Fri. 9:00a.m. or 1:00p.m.	Office Building
Ed & Carol Salva	570-254-6090	Monday, 6:30p.m.	In home
JoAnn Wilbur (adults)	570-254-9502	Monday, 6:30p.m.	Chapel
Lisa & John Anzelmi	570-563-3714	Tuesday, 7:00p.m.	In home
Mary Ann & Jay Paulukonis	570-586-5981	Wed., Thur. 9:00a.m. or Tue. 7 p.m.	Office Building
Marianne Belcastro	570-604-1961	Thursday, 7:15p.m.	In home (Clifford)

## Come join us in holding a "TRUNK OR TREAT" Event for the children!

WHEN: Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:55 A.M.  
WHERE: Parking lot at Corpus Christi Location  
WHAT IS A TRUNK OR TREAT?



IT IS A FUN EVENT WHERE YOU WEAR COSTUMES AND DECORATE YOUR CAR TRUNKS (optional) AND FILL IT WITH CANDY. THE CHILDREN GO CAR-TO-CAR TO GET TREATS.

Kids may wear their Halloween costumes to class AND to Children's Masses that day. KIDS and adults, are encouraged to dress as SAINTS! Call JoAnn Wilbur if you want to dress as a SAINT and need clothes. (Clothing is available)! After all, Halloween IS all about being the EVE of ALL SAINT'S DAY!

## ATTENTION FAMILIES AND TEENS

All 9th-12th Graders are invited to join our Religious Education program called CHOSEN. We meet monthly and the next session will be Sunday, October 18 in the Office Building from 3:30-5PM (call or look in bulletin for monthly session). JoAnn at 254-9502 ext. 3 for more information.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING  
Thursday, October 15, 7:00p.m.

## WHAT CAN WE DO TO STEM THE TIDE OF VIOLENCE IN AMERICA?

Please join us to pray the Rosary and Divine Chaplet of Mercy every Tuesday in the Chapel after the 8:30 am. Mass.



## Liturgical Ministers' Schedule October 17-18, 2015

5:00p	K. Bailey H. Bailey	B. Cassaro	J. Cassaro C. Salva Deacon Ed
8:00a	J. Dunstone M. Dunstone	L. Volk	G. Hallesky F. Tancredo R. Good
9:30a	E. Komora (St. Pius) N. Baker	R. Totten	Deacon Ed L. Hayes
11:00a	N. Lowry M. Ziobro M. Ziobro	J. R. Salva	D. Sashko R. Stracham A. Swarts

## COLLECTION

September 26-27, 2015

Weekly Adults	\$ 4,725.00	250/674
Weekly Children	\$ 57.00	48/264
Loose	\$ 696.45	
Other (Dues, Etc.)	\$ 756.00	
Total Collection	\$ 6,234.45	

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish Community

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