

# Saint Benedict Church

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## Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
and Friday:  
9 am to 12 pm and 1 pm to 4 pm  
Office closed on Thursday

Parish Office .....344-6548  
Parish Fax .....344-8656  
School Office .....344-6512  
School Fax .....344-8530  
Church Hall .....344-8770

## Pastoral Staff

*Father Jude W. Brady, O.S.B.*..... *Pastor*  
*Father Alfred Patterson, O.S.B.* 814-421-6607 *Hospital Ministry*  
*Lois Bridgman*..... *Secretary*  
*Brother Michael J. Miller, O.S.B.*  
*Suzanne M. Bills*..... *Director of Religious Education and*  
*Christian Initiation*  
*Jeannine M. Cymbor* ..... *Business Manager*  
*Denise N. Bailey*..... *Choir Director and Organist*  
*Jim Mohler*..... *Maintenance*  
*Jeffrey Maucieri*..... *Principal*

## Mission Statement

We, the members of Saint Benedict Parish, in union with our Pastoral staff, our Bishop, and our Holy Father, and together with the Church of Altoona-Johnstown, commit ourselves to the building up of the Kingdom of God in our personal lives, within our families, within our Faith Community, and in society as a whole. We join with one another in prayer and public worship, in the practice of gracious hospitality, and in works of charity and mutual support. Mindful of the Lord's care and loving concern for our common welfare, and with profound Faith and great hope, we strive to accomplish the tasks at hand and to meet the challenges of the future so that in all things God may be glorified.

**The first parish in the United States established by the Benedictine Order**



## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, July 14, Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Living and Deceased Members of the Holy Name Society  
10:00 a.m. For our Parish Family

### Monday, July 15, St. Bonaventure

8:00 a.m. +Dorothy Westrick

### Tuesday, July 16, Weekday

8:00 a.m. Living and Deceased Members of the John F. Kelly Family

### Wednesday, July 17, Weekday

8:00 a.m. +Mario Ceschini

### Thursday, July 18, Weekday

8:00 a.m. +Paul Kelly

### Friday, July 19, Weekday

8:00 a.m. +Anthony Vescovi

### Saturday, July 20, Weekday

4:00 p.m. Living and Deceased Members of the Simon and Stella Niebauer Family

### Sunday, July 21, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. +Leonard and Corrine Cymbor  
10:00 a.m. For our Parish Family



Altar Servers



Eucharistic Ministers



Lectors

### Monday, July 15, 8:00 a.m.

S. Cunningham R. Cunningham C.L. Bills  
E. Cunningham

### Tuesday, July 16, 8:00 a.m.

E. Behe J. Farabaugh M. Lieb  
E. Behe

### Wednesday, July 17, 8:00 a.m.

E. Lamb R. Hoover M.C. Hoover  
C. Lamb

### Thursday, July 18, 8:00 a.m.

J. Gaul S. Cronan M. Ryan  
C. Serafin

### Friday, July 19, 8:00 a.m.

C. Serafin P. Kelly M. Farabaugh  
J. Gaul

### Saturday, July 20, 4:00 p.m.

L. Lamb J. Kline R. Cunningham J. Stevens  
C. Lamb B. Shockley P. Kelly M. Lieb  
E. Lamb B.A. Bensor S. Boyle

### Sunday, July 21, 8:00 a.m.

M.J. Farabaugh C. Schall J.R. Schall S. Gregory  
G. Farabaugh Ke. Schall M.A. Schall J. Yahner  
B.T. Farabaugh M. Farabaugh

### 10:00 a.m.

K. Duman R. Boland C. Farabaugh M. Ryan  
M. Hayes F. Sutton R. Hoover B. Fox  
E. Hayes L. Bridgman R. McGowan



## In Sympathy

Please remember in your prayers the soul of our Parishioner Norma Jeannne Frederick, mother of our Parishioners Nikki Shank and Danielle Abrams; the soul of our Parishioner Joseph "Jody" Onderko III, husband of our

Parishioner Christine and father of Derek, Carson, and Dylan; and the soul of William Wholaver Sr, father of our Parishioner Wayne Wholaver. May the angels lead you into paradise, may the martyrs come to welcome you, and take you to the holy city, the new and eternal Jerusalem.



## Wedding Congratulations

We congratulate Caleb Vescovi and Marina Pecora, who were united in the Sacrament of Marriage on July 6. We pray that the Lord will bless them with the courage and the strength it takes to remain in His love, and that, in love, they will find happiness grow deeper each day.

## Outdoor Mass for Married Couples

The Altoona-Johnstown Diocesan Family is invited to participate and to pray for those living the Sacrament of Marriage at an Outdoor Mass honoring Married Couples on Sunday evening, July 14 at 7:00 p.m. at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. Bring a lawn chair. Mass will be indoors if it rains. Bishop Mark is the celebrant and homilist. This is a wonderful way to celebrate, encourage and support married couples!



## Needed for Festival

We are making an appeal to our Parishioners for powdered sugar and regular Oreo Cookies for our funnel cake booth. Please put in a bag and mark "Funnel Cakes-Festival". These items can be left at any entrance to the Church. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



## Parish Festival

We are appealing to all of our Parishioners to help make our Parish festival the most successful ever! The weekend affair will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 26, 27, and 28. Please keep your schedule free for these days and plan to volunteer to work at one

of our many booths or the Sunday dinner.

We will also need assistance with food preparation. If you are able to assist with making haluski and stuffed cabbage for the ethnic booth, please contact Martha Swarden at 344-8957; or with trimming chicken (on Friday July 26—please bring your own scissors) for the dinner, call Anna Mae Kelly at 344-8346.



Cucumbers will be needed the week of July 21 for the Festival dinner.

Anyone wishing to do a basket for the Basket Auction please call Norma Farabaugh at 344-6356.

Business owners and managers are also asked to sponsor a sign for one of the festival booths. The price for the three-day event cannot be beat — \$50-\$75. Sponsoring a booth at our Festival is very important to its success. If you are interested in off-setting the expense of our booths, and are not one of our regular sponsors, please contact the Parish Office at 344-6548.



There will be No Yard Sale this year.



**Car Cruise-In**, on Saturday, July 27th from Noon to 5 p.m. on Church Street.



*This week the votive candle will burn  
in front of the statue of  
Saint Joseph the Carpenter  
Requesting Special Prayers  
For Special Intentions*

## Pastor's Reflection

Today's Gospel is calling us to radical charity. The saying that "Charity covers a multitude of sins" is very true. When it is all said and done, we are called to become the same love that the Triune God has for us. Every day offers us the opportunity to grow in charity.

Peace,

Father Jude



## Families and the Gospel

**July 14, Lk 10:25-37** Children learn by watching us. Do they see you helping others like the Good Samaritan, or do they see you avoiding others like the Levite in today's gospel. Worry more about what your children see in YOUR LIFE than what they see on TV. (Used with permission from "A Family Perspective" by Bud Ozar)

## Stewardship Reflections

May we follow the example of the Good Samaritan by spontaneously showing compassion and mercy to others we meet on our journey of life. May we share our time and treasure with an abundance of generosity. Parish Life Office, 2019

## Saint Ann Novena

The Sisters of Saint Ann announces the annual Novena in honor of their Patroness Saint Ann. Starts on, **Thursday, July 18th till July 26th, the feast day**, at Mount Saint Ann 1120 North Center St, Ebensburg, at 7 p.m., at the outside shrine. **The Most Rev. Bishop Mark L. Bartchak will be the main celebrant for the closing of the Novena.**

**Ladies Retreat: August 9 to 11** at Mount Saint Ann *Retreat Center*, 1120 North Center St., Ebensburg. Spiritual Director, The Rev. Andrew Mazich, O.S.B. from the St. Vincent Archabbey, Latrobe. **The Retreat is open to commuters.** To reserve a place please call the Sisters of St. Ann, 814-472-9354 or email: sistersann35@gmail.com.

## Catholic Ministries Drive

Thank you to all parishioners who have responded to the 2019 Catholic Ministries Drive. 96 of our families have generously donated \$16,979.00 toward the Parish goal of \$38,128.00, leaving a balance of \$21,149.00. If you did not receive a pledge card in the mail, please use the envelopes available at the Church entrances.

## Folk Mass

Check out our Folk Mass on Saturday,  
July 20th at 4 p.m.!



## Sponsor of the Week

We wish to thank **Pagano Chiropractic Clinic, 814-344-8740**, for sponsoring an ad in our bulletin. Please patronize our advertisers; as they make the bulletin possible.

If interested in advertising in the bulletin call Rick Cortez at 412-292-0132.

*Flowers Adorning the Altar  
this weekend In Celebration  
of the Caleb Vescovi and  
Marina Pecora Marriage  
And Janet Kovach's 80th Birthday  
From the Vescovi Family*



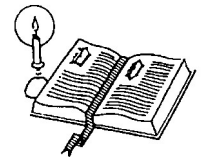
## Adult Catechesis

Adult catechesis promotes mature adult faith: the faith of the disciple who has been saved by Christ's redemptive love and who is being continually converted to him. Adult catechesis fosters this discipleship by providing "a comprehensive and systematic presentation and exploration of the core elements of Catholic faith and practice—a complete initiation into a Catholic way of life."

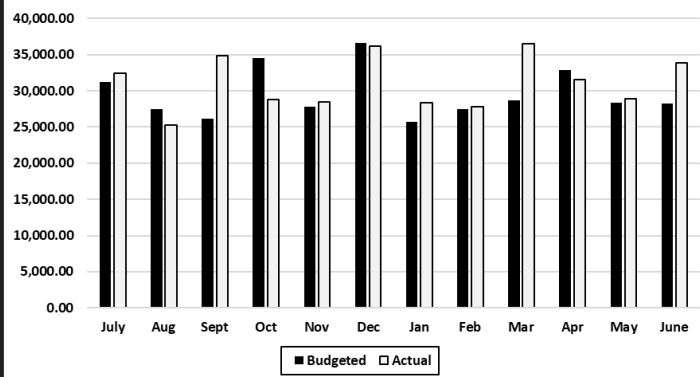
From the National Directory for Catechesis

**The Office of Adult Enrichment and Lay Ecclesial Ministry has announced classes for 2019-2020**

**which begin this fall.** For class information and registration forms please visit us online at [www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry/](http://www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclesial-ministry/) or contact us directly at (814) 361-2000 or by email at mheinze@dioceseaj.org. **All are welcome!**



Budgeted Monthly Collections



## Festival Grocery Store Raffle

- A-Be Foil, Wax Paper, Plastic Wrap, Garbage Bags, Storage Bags
- Bi-Bu Dry and Canned Soup, Broth, Gravy
- C Pasta, Spaghetti Sauce, Tomato Sauce/Paste
- D-E Canned Vegetables, Canned Fruit, Pickles, Olives
- F-Fe Drink Mixes
- Fi-G Flour, Shortening, Baking Powder, Baking Soda
- H Paper Products
- I-J-Ke Chips, Pretzels, Crackers, Cookies
- Ki-Ku Jelly, Peanut Butter
- L Ketchup, Mustard, Relish, Mayo
- M Sugars: White, Brown or Confection
- N-O-P-Q Gelatin, Pudding
- R-Se Oil, Vinegar, Salad Dressings
- Sh-Sp Baking Mixes, Frosting, Bisquick
- St-V Cereals, Pancake Mix, Syrup
- W-Z Cleaning Products

**Please mark "For Festival" on your donations when leaving them at the entrances of the Church**





## Prayer Chain

Prayer is an important part of our Catholic Faith. In an effort for our Parish Family to respond to the prayer requests of our members and friends, Parishioners have the opportunity to be part of a prayer chain. If you have a prayer request, please call the Parish Office at 344-6548. **Names will remain on the**

**prayer chain unless we hear otherwise from the one who requested the**

**prayer.** Our prayers have been requested for the following: Denise Bailey, Barry Barrett Sr., Tom Bender, James Campbell, Tim Caretti, David Ceschini, Jim Chirdon, Nixon Cicero, James Connors, Dave Contorchick, John Contorchick, Millie Cunningham, Cheryl Davidson, Jim Eckenrode, Harry & Neta Elder, Clare Falconi, Connor Farabaugh, Gitta Gagne, Thom Gagne, Mary Kay Gallagher, Beth Ann Gormish, Shaw Graffius, Janice Gray, Shirl Gray, Constance Griak, Charlotte Gwizdak, Cory Hall, Irene Haycisak, Marci Hite, Don Kline, Joanne Link, Charles Lutak, Kady Manifest, Dick and Pauline Maurer, Mary Miller, Chucky Mitchell, Paula Mitchell, Thelda Mulraney, George Penrod, Betty Perry, Dulcie Perry, Jere Perry, Jacob & Olivia Peterson, Connie Polisky, Kevin Polites, Norman & Pauline Polites, Maddox Raptosh, Michelle Romagna, Jim Ropp, Marcus SanGregorio, Lisa Schrift, Matthew Sclesky, Tim Semelsberger, Patricia Sever, Sandy Skupine, Nick & Mercy Smith, Special Intentions (16), Ronald Stevens, Dorothy Strittmatter, Esther Warner, Denny Weakland, Dean Weber, Sara Weber, Judy Westover, Pat Wojno, and Cliff Wolf.

## The Week Ahead

### **SUNDAY**

-SBS Scrip sold after all weekend Masses

### **MONDAY**

-SBS Office Closed

-SBS Summer AR Testing, 5-7 p.m.

### **TUESDAY**

-SBS Office Closed

-Eucharistic Adoration after Mass, Holy Hour 10:30 a.m.

-Mass, St. Benedict Manor, 10 a.m.

-Bingo, early birds, 6:30 p.m.

### **WEDNESDAY**

-SBS Office Closed

### **THURSDAY**

-SBS Office 8 a.m. to 12 Noon

-Card Party 7 p.m., Church Hall

### **FRIDAY**

-SBS Office Closed

-SBS Scrip sold in School Building, 9-11 a.m.

### **SATURDAY**

-Confessions 2 p.m.

### **SUNDAY**

-SBS Scrip sold after all weekend Masses

**Mount Aloysius Summer Admissions Events: Open House**, Friday, July 19, come and tour campus. You will hear from Admissions and Financial Aid and have an opportunity to speak with a professor from the academic division of your choice. **Summer Visit Days**—Every Wednesday during the summer with visit times at 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m., and 3 p.m. If you come during one of the designated time slots, you will be eligible to receive a gift card. **Individual Visit**, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. If none of the Admissions events fit your schedule, you can schedule an individual visit to meet with Admissions and Financial Aid counselors and tour the campus. Schedule your visit today: 814-886-6383; admissions@mtaloy.edu; www.mtaloy.edu/event-registration.

**Basket Raffle**, Sunday, July 21 at Holy Family Church, 562 5th Street, Colver. Doors open at 4 p.m. and drawing begins at 6 p.m. 50/50 tickets and "Big Ticket" items available. Refreshments available.

**Dorothy Day Outreach Center** will hold its bi-annual TAG Sale from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday July 27 at the DDOC parking lot @ our new address of 115 St. Mary Street, Loretto (former Franciscan Mission Store).

## Church Support — July 7, 2019

Offertory	7915.00
Church Improvements	138.00
School Support	115.00
Peter's Pence	60.00
Adopt-A-Student	27.50
St. Vincent de Paul	22.50

## Bingo on Tuesday

Doors Open @ 5 p.m.; Kitchen opens @ 5:30 p.m.  
Early Birds @ 6:30 p.m.; Regular Games to follow



- Admission \$15 — Includes 20 Regular Games
  - Kitty—\$0+
  - Circle 7 — 29 numbers for \$200
  - Jackpot - Straight line only
  - Full Card — 55 numbers \$625
  - Instant tickets
  - All Nighter - \$500 and \$5+
  - \$50 end of the month drawing (Must be present to win)
  - Refreshments (hamburgers, hot dogs, pizza, homemade goodies)
- The more that play — the more we pay. Extras are available.  
Regular games starting at \$30 a game and up.

## Card Party Thursday July 18th



Mr. Adam Biter, Ms. Danielle Biter, M/M Brian Bodek, M/M Ron Boland, Mrs. Patricia Bollinger, Mrs. Linda Bonfanti, M/M David Fisanick, Mrs. Beverly Bopp, M/M Christopher Bopp, Mr. George Born, M/M Gerald Brant, Mr. John Brawley, Mr. Paul Brawley, Mrs. James Burkey, Jr., Mrs. Mary Ann Burkhart, M/M Christopher Ramsey

## From other parishes and organizations...

**Yard Sale**, Table Rentals/Space available at Bishop Carroll Cafeteria Saturday July 27 during the Ebensburg town wide Yard Sale event. \$15 each. Call 472-7500 ext. 101 or email sfreidhof@bishopcarroll.org to reserve a spot!

**St. Joan of Arc Festival**, Route 53, Frugality, PA, Sunday July 21 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Turkey and Noodle Dinner with all the trimmings, served Family Style from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Adults-\$10, Children 5 to 12-\$5, children under 5-free. Take-outs available. Music Entertainment, Basket Auction at 4 p.m., games, bingo, bake sale, refreshments and more.

**Hastings Borough Police Donut Dash**, Saturday, July 20, registration begins at 7 a.m. in front of the Fire Hall/Borough Office. Event begins at 8:30 a.m. Age groups for men & women. \$25 pre-registration (includes t-shirt) deadline is June 30. \$30 after June 30 & day of race. Registration forms available at Fowler's Pharmacy, Hastings Borough Office & Beaver Street Café; or on runsignup.com. Followed by **Hastings Summer Pool Party** from 1-6 p.m. Small basket auction to benefit Hastings Police Department. **Evening Pool Party** with an adult beverage tent. Questions for these events, please call/text 814-322-5611.

### **Bishop to Celebrate Outdoor Mass for Newly Graduated**

The annual outdoor Mass for students entering or returning to college will be celebrated on August 4 at 7:00 p.m. at the Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine in Loretto. Bishop Mark L. Bartchak will be the celebrant and homilist. All college students, as well as 2019 high school graduates who are entering the military or workforce, are invited with their family. The Bishop will offer a special blessing to the students, words of wisdom, and a small gift. Bring your own lawn chair. If it rains, the Liturgy will be celebrated inside the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel next to the Shrine.

**St. Nicholas Parish Breakfast**, Sunday, July 21 from 6:30 a.m. to 12 Noon (or until sold out), Church Hall, 203 St. Henry Street, Nicktown. Price for adults is \$8; children ages 5-12, \$4; Children under 4 are free.