All Saints Roman Catholic Church

SEPTEMBER 24, 2023

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Mass Times:

Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled (See schedule on next page) Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM Sunday at 9:00 AM Holy Days at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

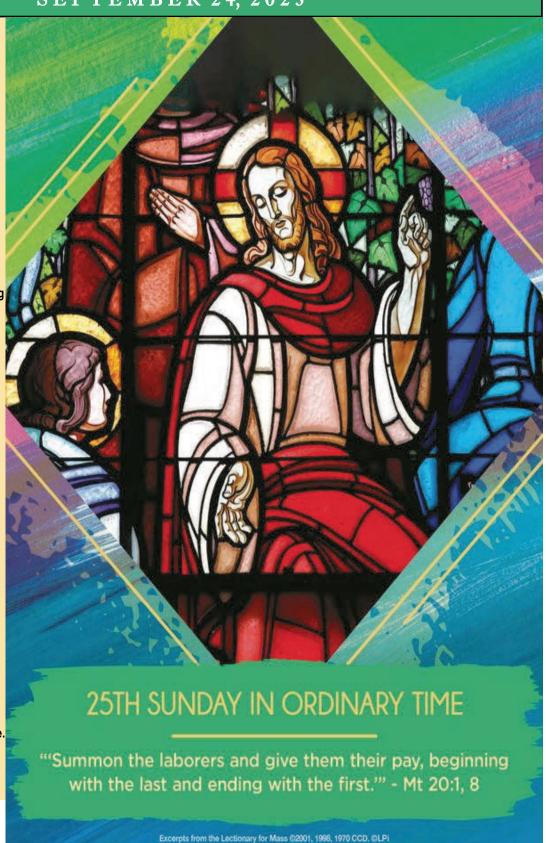
Confessions: Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM or by appointment

Office Hours: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

Parish Registration Forms are available on the bulletin board in the gathering space or on the website.

Bulletin deadline: 10:00 AM Mondays, in writing, please.





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ALL SAINTS PARISH WATERFORD, PA



September 23, 2023 – October 1, 2023

Sat.	9/23	4:30 PM	Jerry Damond
			(Peggy Gall)
Sun.	9/24	9:00 AM	For the People
			of All Saints Parish
Mon.	9/25	8:00 AM	For the people of Libya
Tues.	9/26	8:00 AM	Peter Gostomski
			(Helena Eckels)
Wed.	9/27	NO Mass	
Thur.	9/28	8:00 AM	Amy Farnen
			(Farnen Family)
Fri.	9/29	8:00 AM	Father's Day Remembrance
Sat.	9/30	4:30 PM	Larry Fox
			(Rose Fox)
Sun.	10/01	9:00 AM	Sandra Vogt
			(Farnen Family)

MASS INTENTIONS ARE NEEDED FOR WEEKDAYS. THE SUGGESTED STIPEND IS \$10.00. PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE OR SEND AN EMAIL TO REQUEST A MASS FOR A LOVED ONE OR A SPECIAL INTENTION.



Angelia, Grecia Cuellar, Cindy Welka, Xavier Dombkowski, Janet M., Angelia, Grecia Gueriar, Girio, Troma, Asia. Dave P., Betty Jones, Casen Hall, Marlene Kuzma, Carol Gradler, Christine Walsh, Dean Haupt, Sandy Williams, Fr. John Moineau,

David S., Margaret, Bob Fontanese, Jeannette Briggs, Rick Krol, Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Deacon Bill & Debbie Spinks, Dan McAraw, people of Ukraine, people of Libva (To add or delete from the list you may call the parish office 814-796-3023)

For those serving our country:

PFC Matthew R. Johnson, USMC; Garrett Dahn, Navy; Paul Scott, Army; Rebeckah DelSignore, Airforce: Anthony DelSignore: AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard: AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard: Cortlen Surrena, Army, Commander Michael T. McAraw, Violet Brashier, Coast Guard; Ben Krumpe, Air Force; Sam Riley, Army; Keith Riley, Army; Autumn and Jason Ayers; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins, Army; Zane Loggins, Army; SPC Luke Davis, Army National Guard (Call Pam McAraw, 814-397-1490)

OUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

FIRST READING IS 55:6-9

Isaiah urged his fellow Israelites who were in exile to seek the Lord who is near, merciful, and forgiving. When have you sought the Lord's presence in dark times of your life?

SECOND READING PHIL 1:20c-24, 27a

Paul writes the letter to the Philippians from prison, facing a spiritual dilemma of feeling "caught between" life and death. Have you ever helped someone going through a spiritual problem?

GOSPEL READING MT 20:1-16a

The parable of the workers in the vineyard speaks to God's generosity. In what ways do you think God has been generous to you and your family? ©LPi

PA March for Life Bus Trip—Oct. 16—seats \$30. Join People for Life for a one-day trip to Harrisburg. Contact peopleforlife.org or (814)882-1333.

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Let us never make the grave mistake of assuming we earn our salvation in the same way we earn a wage. It is a gift lavished upon us by a God who does not count the hours of our labor or measure the amount of our output.

SURVEY RESPONSES DUE BY SEPTEMBER 29

The *preliminary* parish reconfiguration plan proposes All Saints Parish is to be partnered with St. Boniface Parish in the summer of 2024.

Parishioners are encouraged to read the plan along with the bishop's letters, statistics, and more on the pastoral planning process at www.ErieRCD.org/planning.html. This is the final week to offer feedback from parishioners at this link. You may also fill out a paper survey that can be found on the bulletin board in the gathering space. You may leave the paper survey with the parish office TODAY and we will mail them to the diocese.

GET TO KNOW OUR "PARTNERS"

Learn more about St. Boniface Parish by visiting their website https://stbonifaceparisherie.org and by reading their bulletins. St. Boniface will also share our information with their parishioners.

Oktoberfest

St. Boniface Parish in Erie will celebrate Oktoberfest on Oct. 6 beginning at 6 p.m. at the church, 9367 Wattsburg Rd., Erie. The adult-only event will feature craft beers brewed at St. Boniface parish. There will also be music, games and food provided by Brady's Chuckwagon food truck. Come and join our celebration of the harvest feast in German style.

The St. Mark Seminary Auxiliary, is inviting you to consider joining the auxiliary. Vocations are fundamental to our Catholic faith. Our main focus of membership is to provide spiritual support for our seminarians and to pray for an increase in vocations.

Our meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month Sept.- Dec, and Feb. - May. at St. Mark Center, 429 E. Grandview Blvd. We begin with Mass at 7pm in the Chapel, followed by a brief meeting and fellowship. The seminarians join us for the evening. We are blessed to have five young men returning and we welcome two first year candidates. Participation in the auxiliary is not demanding but our mission is most fulfilling. Hope you will consider joining. Further info: call Kathy Holland at 814-450-3406.

St. Lawrence Parish in Albion is hosting a restaurant-style roast beef dinner on Oct. 1 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the St. Lawrence Parish Center, 129 E. Pearl St., Albion. The dinner will also feature a gift auction, 50/50, bake sale and raffle. Tickets are \$14 per person, and take-out is available. The event is limited to 400 meals, so come early to ensure you don't miss out!

29th Annual ROSARY MARCH Sunday October 8, 2:00 PM at St. Peter Cathedral. The rosary will also be recited in the church.



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FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, Sept. 24, 10:00 AM Gr. Pre/K-5 CROP Walk Wednesday, Sept. 27, 6:30 PM Gr. 6-7-8 EDGE Wednesday, Sept. 27, 6:30 PM Gr. 9 PURPOSE Sunday, Oct. 1, 10:00 AM Gr. Pre/K-5



Mark your calendars for Sunday, 10/1 at 11:30 (end of Faith Formation class). Father Greg will offer

our Blessing of the Pets in the church parking lot. ALL PETS ARE WELCOME!!

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A Family Perspective

Today Jesus is saying to us: "Why are you idle? Go into my vineyard." Our family is the vineyard entrusted to us found in today's gospel. Successful families are constructed by "laborers," who work hard on family relationships, and not by spectators who only watch from a distance.



Children Pre/K through Gr. 4 are invited to join our adult leaders and helpers during the 9 AM Mass to share the Children's Liturgy of the Word.

Rosebuds faith formation

The Office of Faith Formation for the Diocese of Erie supports *Rosebuds*, a specialized religious education program designed for children with mental and physical challenges. Open to children from all parishes, the program focuses on sacramental preparation using the Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy curriculum and Adaptive Sacramental Preparation Kits. With over 20 years of proven success, many parents from St. Andrew Parish can attest to the positive impact *Rosebuds* has had on their child's spiritual development. Meetings are held at St. Andrew Parish, 1116 W. 7th St., Erie. For more information, contact Carol Hoffman at 814.455.5853 or email andrewssheep@msn.com.

Father-Son Day

Start the conversation on manhood and vocations at the Father-Son Day event on Oct. 7 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at St. Boniface Church, 9367 Wattsburg Rd., Erie. Hosted by the Virtue & Integrity Education Office of the Diocese of Erie, this event aims to educate fathers and their sons, ages 11-13, on the changes of puberty and the sacred values of life. \$30 registration fee includes two meals, activities, educational talks, and one-on-one time. Parents should use their own judgment to assess their son's readiness for the topics discussed. More info & signup at

https://www.eriercd.org/chastity/Father-Son-Day.html

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 9/24 9:00 AM Mass

Sunday, 9/24 After Mass—CROP Hunger Walk Sunday, 9/24 10:00 AM Faith Formation Pre/K—Gr.5

Wednesday, 9/27 NO Mass

Wednesday, 9/27 6:30 PM Faith Formation EDGE/PURPOSE

Thursday, 9/28 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus

Saturday, 9/30 4:30 PM Mass

The WEEKLY collection for September 17, 2023

was \$1,570 from envelopes and \$815 from online giving for a total of \$2,385. The weekly collection reported includes weekly envelopes, loose collection and building maintenance. Special collection totals are reported when they are sent to the diocese. Last week, All Saints sent \$323 for the Church in Latin America. Thank you for your generosity.

2023 Erie County CROP Walk

The Annual Eric County CROP Walk is set for Sunday, September 24 at Presque Isle. Walkers help to raise funds to feed our neighbors globally and locally; 25% of the money raised goes to our local food pantries including the Waterford and Summit Food Pantries. Our team All Saints is registered online for donations—https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2023/

Last weekend our youth and adult helpers raised \$302 by washing cars during Mass! Congratulations!



SHARE YOUR NATIVITIES!

The All Saints Ladies Society will host "No Room at the Inn" a collection of nativity scenes borrowed from the members of our parish and their families. This will take place on December 2 & 3. More information coming soon!

Readings for next Sunday, October 1, 2023 EZ 18:25-28; PS 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; PHIL 2:1-11; MT 21:28-32



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Corinthians 4:18

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