

All Saints Roman Catholic Church

AUGUST 27, 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

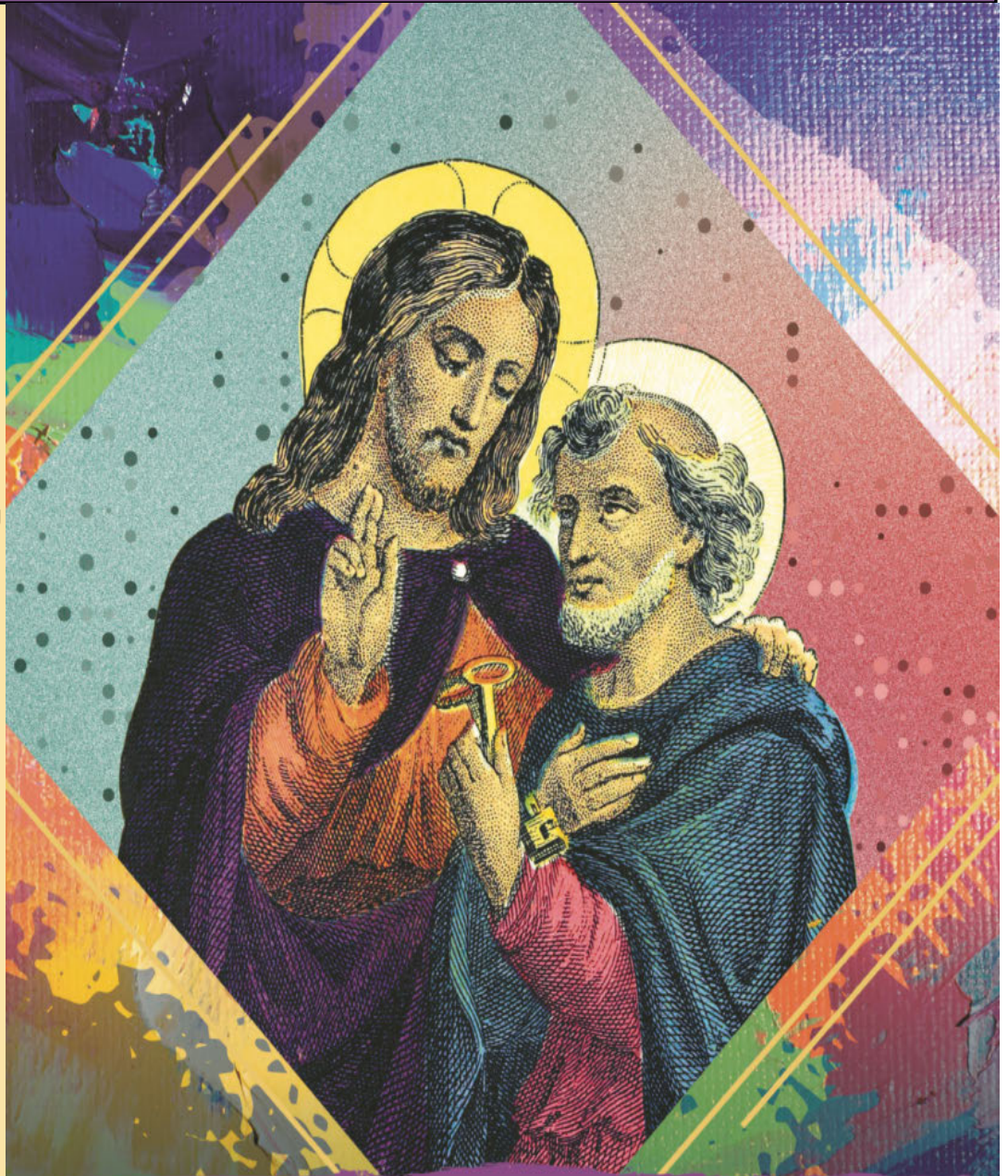
Office Hours:
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

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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21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?"
Simon Peter said in reply, "You are the Christ,
the Son of the living God." - Mt 16:15-16

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August 26, 2023 – September 3, 2023

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| Sat. 8/26 | 4:30 PM | Jerry Damond (Beth and Joe Fischer) |
| Sun. 8/27 | 9:00 AM | Daniel J. and Virginia Kuhn (Natalie Kuhn) |
| Mon. 8/28 | 8:00 AM | For the People of All Saints Parish |
| Tues. 8/29 | NO Mass | |
| Wed. 8/30 | 8:00 AM | Chuck Reinsel († Chris DeGeorge) |
| Thur. 8/31 | NO Mass | |
| Fri. 9/01 | 8:00 AM | Father's Day Remembrance |
| Sat. 9/02 | 4:30 PM | Chris DeGeorge (Vince Vargo) |
| Sun. 9/03 | 9:00 AM | For the People of All Saints Parish |



*The Sanctuary Candle burns this week
In loving memory of Virginia Kuhn
(From Natalie Kuhn)*



Angelia, Grecia Cuellar, Cindy Welka, Xavier Dombkowski, Janet M., 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 McArar, people of Ukraine, people of Maui (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. McArar; 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 McArar, 814-397-1490)

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

FIRST READING IS 22:19-23

The Lord condemns Shebna (the master of King Hezekiah's palace) for ignoring Isaiah's prophetic warning and gives to Eliakim the authority and honor that belonged to Shebna. What helps you stay focused on following God's commandments?

SECOND READING ROM 11:33-36

Paul celebrates the wisdom and knowledge — the mystery — of God. If you could ask God one question, what would it be?

GOSPEL READING MT 16:13-20

In Peter confessing Jesus as "the Messiah, the Son of the living God," Jesus gives him the authority to hold the keys to the kingdom of heaven. How do you use authority in your life? ©LPI

**LIVE THE LITURGY
INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

Isn't it a bit weird that Catholics call the Pope "papa," father? This Sunday provides us with essential Scriptural background on the papacy, the petrine office. Jesus gives Peter the "keys to the kingdom of heaven," after witnessing to the special grace Peter has to know Jesus' true identity. Many have pointed out that the "keys" refer back to the figure of Eliakim, King David's prime minister. True enough. But notice this is not mere authority or power. It's a family relationship. The Lord says to Eliakim, "He shall be a father to the inhabitants of Jerusalem" (Isaiah 22:21). David's prime minister was a spiritual father to the family of Israel. Peter, and his successors, will be spiritual fathers in the family of the Church.



This means we have a serious obligation to not only recognize the Pope's authority, but also to love him with the affection of children for their papa.

We should never speak about him with disrespect or rancor. We should listen to him with trusting hearts, and ignore the slander thrown at him in various media. When we show the world we are loving and obedient to our Holy Papa, perhaps they'll see more clearly that the Church is indeed God's beloved family.— Father John Muir ©LPI

Pittsburgh offers Men's Conference September 23

The 15th Gathering of Pittsburgh's Catholic Men's Conference has adopted *The Light of the World* as its theme, reminding men they don't need to go far for answers: Jesus Christ is the Light and leads to the way, the truth, and the life. At this September 23rd gathering, speakers will equip men to respond to the call. Presenters include:

We Have to Do the Works: Battle for the Family (Chris Stefanick) *Night is Coming:* Restore Healing: (Ennie Hickman) *While it's Day:* Dignify Life (Mark Houck) *I Am the Light of the World:* Disciples for Today's Times (Bishop David Zubik)

The doors will open at 11:30 am on Saturday, Sept. 23, with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 12:30 pm. The program will begin at 1 pm with the closing Mass at 4:00 pm. Confessions will be available during the conference. Worship music will be provided by songwriter John Paul Von Ark and Dan Bozek. Register online at www.cmfwpa.org. The \$25 cost will increase after August. The event will be held at the Duquesne University Power Center Ballroom, 1015 Forbes Avenue in Pittsburgh, within walking distance of a nearby parking garage.

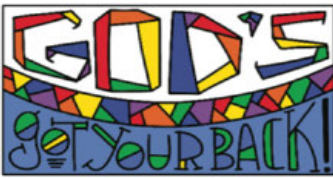


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Have you registered your children for Faith Formation?

PLEASE GO TO THE "FAITH FORMATION" TAB ON OUR WEBSITE: www.allsaintsrcc.org where you will find our schedules, handbook and registration link.

Sunday 8/27 at Mass — BACKPACK BLESSING



During our 9am Mass, Father Greg will offer a backpack blessing for students of all ages and teachers also!

****DONUTS and beverages will be served!****

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Sunday, 9/10 10:00-12:00
PRESCHOOL THROUGH 5TH GRADE FAITH FORMATION: FAMILY PICNIC & KICK OFF

We will gather on the back lawn immediately following the 9am Mass.

A Family Perspective

Like Jesus in today's gospel, we are seen by others in different ways. But those who know us best are usually our own family. Who do they say you are?



*Dear Jesus,
Thank you for the gift of learning!
I want to grow closer to you
in everything I do at school.
In math and science, help me to see
your beautiful plan in the world.
Help me to discover new stories
and values as I read and write.
In arts and music, help me to be creative.
In sports, help me to treat my teammates
and my opponents fairly.
Help me to learn new skills in technology.
Jesus, you are the perfect teacher.
Help me to listen with open ears,
an open heart, and an open mind
to all my teachers at school.
Help me to treat my classmates
with care, kindness, and respect.
Thank you, Jesus, for school! Amen.*

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

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| Sunday, 8/27 | 9:00 AM Mass –Backpack Blessing |
| Sunday, 8/27 | After Mass—Refreshments in the social hall |
| Tuesday, 8/29 | NO Mass |
| Thursday, 8/31 | NO Mass |
| Saturday, 9/02 | 4:30 PM Mass |

The WEEKLY collection for August 20, 2023

was \$1,526 from envelopes and \$936 from online giving for a total of \$2,462. Thank you for your generosity.

GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY!

All Saints Parishioners are invited to help the Stancliff Hose Company at the Waterford Fair by volunteering to work at BINGO! Anyone 18 years of age or older can help by collecting money and verifying "Bingo's" in the Stancliff Bingo building at the Fair on Tuesday, September 5, and Thursday, September 7. There are two shifts each evening — 5 to 7 PM, and 7 to close Time slots are still available! **Sign up in the gathering space, or by calling the parish office, mornings.**

The All Saints Ladies Society provided Stancliff Hose with a pizza and wing dinner for their drill night at the beginning of August. The Stancliff members were very appreciative!

Blue Mass

Blessed Sacrament Parish in Erie will host a Blue Mass on Sept. 6 at 6 p.m. at the church, 1626 W. 26th St., Erie, to honor public safety personnel. The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico will preside. Mass is open to the public, and first responders are encouraged to attend in uniform. A reception will follow in the church's cafeteria. See flier on the bulletin board for details.

2023 Erie County CROP Walk

Time again for the Annual Erie County CROP Walk to help feed our neighbors in need. The walk is set for Sunday, September 24—registration is at 1:00 PM at Beach 1 at Presque Isle. Walkers are encouraged to bring a canned food item with them and a raffle will take place where one lucky local food pantry will win those donations! 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 those who would like to donate this way at www.cropwalkerie.org



Together we can make a difference! Contact Cindy at 814-881-3928 or email gfirst15@aol.com for more information. Tee shirts are for sale by ordering in the gathering space.

Readings for next Sunday, September 3, 2023
JER 20:7-9; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; ROM 12:1-2;
MT 16:21-27



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*So we fix our eyes not on what is
seen, but on what is unseen, since
what is seen is temporary,
but what is unseen is eternal.*

Corinthians 4:18

In memory of Robbie Heard (1988-2009)



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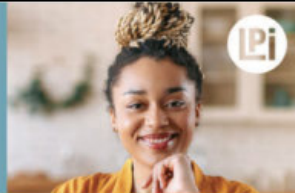
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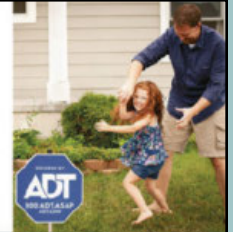


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