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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 22, 2020

“I was hungry and you gave me food,
I was thirsty and you gave me drink.”

— *Matthew 25:35*

LECTOR BOOKS You can find your lector books over in the church. Please pick them up at your earliest convenience.

ADVENT BOOKS Our little blue prayer books are back for the advent season. Please feel free to take one and use it through out this advent season. Also You can find these books in the back of Marian Hall or at either entrance of the Church.

2021 CALENDAR You can pick up your 2021 calendars in the church or in Marian Hall.

THE SECOND COLLECTION for the Diocesan Poverty relief Fund and Catholic Relief Services Appeal will take place this weekend, November 21 and 22. You can also make this collection electronically.

OUR PENANCE SERVICE Due to Covid-19. St. Bartholomew will not be having their advent penance service this year. Instead they will have a “Week of Grace.” This will give everyone an opportunity to go to confession before Christmas. Father Justin will be in the Church to hear confessions on Wednesday, December 16 from 5:00 PM –7:00 PM, Thursday, December 17 from 5:00 PM –7:00 PM, and on Friday, December 18 from 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Please take the time to pick up your new schedule for the months of December and January. They can be found over in the church.

ST RITA PARISH ANNOUNCES ANNUAL CHRISTMAS COOKIE SALE St. Rita Parish Christian Mothers will hold their annual Christmas Cookie Sale at 9:00 AM on December 5 beginning in Bucci Hall on First Street, Connellsville. Italian favorites will include knots, pizzelles and biscotti. Face masks will be required, and social distancing guidelines will be in effect.

OUR LADY, QUEEN OF PEACE TO HOLD RUMMAGE SALE A rummage sale will be held in the basement of Our Lady, Queen of Peace Parish, 420 McKinley Ave. East Vandergrift from 9:00 AM. to 1:00 PM on December 5 from Noon to 1:00 PM, on December 6. Mask wearing and social distancing practices will be observed.

If you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions about security at St. Barts we'd love to hear from you. Email the security team at StBartSecurity@dioceseofgreensburg.org.

See something, say something!

THE 2ND ANNUAL UGLY CHRISTMAS SWEATER 5K RUN & 2 MILE WALK will be held Saturday, December 12, 2020. Registration is open and parishioners can use coupon code “stbarts2020” for \$5 off registration on runsignup.com. Registration forms can also be found at the back of the Marian Hall or St. Bartholomew Church. We are also looking for sponsors for this year’s race. Contact Julie at julesann97@gmail.com for more information and any questions. We look forward to seeing you all there!

PRE-ORDER SLOVAK FOOD SALE AT ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST St John the Evangelist Parish Fundraising Committee, Connellsville, will have a pre-order Slovak food sale on December 5. Items available for order will be cabbage rolls (\$3.50 each) and frozen pierogies (\$10 a dozen), which will be available for pick up from 9-11 a.m. at St. John the Evangelist Morovak (Social) Hall. Orders must be placed by Nov. 23 by calling Liz at 724-628-7259.

THE GIVING TREE For Christmas, the parish will once again sponsor gifts for the HEAD START children in the area. There is a Christmas Tree with children’s tags on the tree that has the child’s first name and suggestions of what they would like. Please bring the gifts (wrapped with the tag attached to the outside of each package) **to Marian Hall by Sunday, December 13th**. If you have more than one package, please make sure the name and number are on all the packages in case they get separated. If you have any question, call Philomena at the parish office, at 724-834-0709. **Suggestion:** You might want to make a copy of your tag in case you lose it, you will still have a copy of the information you need! We do not have a list of the tags here at the church office.



RECENTLY DECEASED OF OUR PARISH Pasquelina Darold, Victor Foschia, Katherine Ray.

PARISH MISSION ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR ST. BRUNO'S PARISH AVAILABLE ON FACEBOOK "The Triumph: A Parish Mission," which had been scheduled for November 15-18 at St. Bruno's Parish, Greensburg, had to be cancelled due to concerns associated with the COVID-19 Pandemic. However, the program that was to be presented by Father David Gunter is available on the Facebook page of Immaculate Conception Church, Lonsdale, MN. Gunter is a member of the Congregation of the Marians for the Immaculate Conception from Stockbridge, MA.

GEIBEL CATHOLIC SEEKS PART-TIME CAFETERIA MONITOR Geibel Catholic has an opening for a part-time cafeteria monitor. The duties include monitoring student behavior during meal service, regulating that students are following proper COVID-19 protocols and ensuring a safe and healthy lunchroom environment. The hours are 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM. daily. The candidate will be required to obtain all necessary clearances. Please contact the school office at 724-628-5600 for more information.

DIOCESE OF GREENSBURG SCHOOLS SEEK SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS The Catholic schools of the Diocese of Greensburg are currently accepting applications for the position of substitute teacher. Qualified candidates will possess a bachelor's degree and obtain all necessary clearances. Submit a current resume to the Office of Catholic Schools at CatholicSchools@dioceseofgreensburg.org, phone: 724-552-2594.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS THOSE ON SAINT BART'S SICK LIST: Dottie Bacher, Mary Beth Cox, Raymond Falbo, Tommy Herman, David Howell, Ann Klimchock, Kathy King, Parker Muto, Chris Nemchik, Ralph Pagano, Ralph Penteck, Harriet Randy, Mary Ann Riebel, Nico Salvio, Casimir Tamoliunas, Autumn Zundel.

ALTERNATIVES.YES SCHEDULES 2021 ESSAY CONTEST Alternatives.Yes is taking submissions for its 2021 pro-life sixth-eighth grade essay contest. The theme is "Life, God's Most Precious Gift. Submissions must reflect the theme and be typed double-spaced, with name, grade, phone number, address and school name shown on a separate page or on the back of the essay. Essays must be 300-500 words. Prizes are: first place, \$100; second place, \$75; third place, \$50, and honorable mention, \$25. Submissions may be mailed to or dropped off at: Alternatives.Yes, 6 Frank Gallo Lane, Connellsville, Pa. 15425. Email submissions to pregnancysupport@zoominternet.net. They must be postmarked by January 22, 2021.

ARE YOU GETTING MARRIED?! Catholic Engagement encounter is an opportunity for Christian couples to prepare for a lifetime commitment. If you desire a loving, faithful, permanent and life-giving marriage, consider attending a Catholic Engagement Encounter weekend. This marriage preparation program presents a comprehensive, up-close and personal look at marriage. For more information, please call George and or Pat Ziringer at 724-335-4966 or ziringer@comcast.net or www.greensburgengagedencounter.com. The next scheduled weekends will be held in Greensburg on February 12-14 and June 4-6.

***Fiscal Year July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021
November 15, 2020***

Offertory Envelopes	\$	3616.00
Loose	\$	207.00
Children's	\$	1.00
Online	\$	1330.00
Total Offertory Collection Amount.....	\$	5404.00
Accent.....	\$	30.00
All Saints	\$	10.00
All Souls	\$	30.00
Poverty Relief.....	\$	40.00
Retired Religious	\$	30.00
Thanksgiving	\$	35.00

Envelopes Mailed 399 • Envelopes Returned 86

Watch Weekend Mass with St. Bartholomew Church!!!

Log into our website at www.stbartholomewcrabtree.org
We miss you all very much and hope you will join us in prayer together!



SANCTUARY CANDLE...burning in memory of Mary Massimo by Irene Kerila.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CANDLE ...burning in memory of Sam Vecchio and Kay by Louisa and Robert.

SACRED HEART CANDLE....burning in memory of John and Sandra Rosatti by Bernie Olsen.

Sunday, November 22– November 28, 2020

Sun.....Mass, 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM, Marian Hall
 CCD. 9:10 AM– 10:15 AM, Madonna Room
Thur.... Happy Thanksgiving!. Office is closed!
Sat.....Mass, 5:00 PM, Marian Hall

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION We ask for your continued support for the upcoming collection which will take place on Saturday/Sunday, December 5 and 6. Bring items to the Madonna Room of Marian Hall. Items that are in need include peanut butter and jelly, canned fruits and vegetables, pasta items, soap products, diapers, cereal, canned soups, stews, tuna, boxed meals and paper products. The food pantry also welcomes monetary donations. If you are going to write a check, please make payable to: “*St. Vincent de Paul*”.

Liturgical Roles

Mass Date & Time	Altar Servers	Ministers of Holy Communion	Lector
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CHECK YOUR SCHEDULES ON ST. BART’S WEBSITE
www.stbartholomewcrabtree.org

11/26/20 9:00 AM	B. Naeger L. Naeger	E. Kocian	T. Rusbosin
11/28/20 5:00 PM	E. Eckenrode S. Pigza	K. Jones	L. Wotus
11/29/20 8:00 AM	A/N Hardawar N. Hardaway	M. Shaffer	K. Dominick
11/29/20 10:30 AM	J. Sandorf B. Mayercheck	T. Rusbosin	K. Hayden

THE SHEPHERD KING

The job of shepherd and the job of king couldn’t be more different from each other. Shepherds are on the lowest rung of society, kings are at the top. But God says, through the prophet Ezekiel, that the Messiah will lead in a way very different from earthly authorities who lord it over their people and cause harm with their poor leadership.

Our King takes on the job himself. Christ, like a shepherd, will give rest, seek out the lost, bring back the strayed and scattered ones. He will heal the wounded and bind up the injured. He does not delegate, but will “shepherd them rightly.” We have a king who cares for us and who is not afraid to “judge between one sheep and another” (Ezekiel 34:17).

Mass Intentions

SAT 11/21– Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

5:00 PM + Eleanor Patrick Lenz and Carolyn
Patrick Pellis (Greg and Kathy Patrick)

SUN, 11/22 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:00 AM + Lillian and Amil Zuzik
(Amil, Jim and Bill Zuzik)

10:30 AM + Living and deceased members of our Parish

MON 11/23 - Weekday

8:00 AM + Philomenia Nebiolo (Nebiolo Family)

TUE 11/24 - St. Andrew Dung-Lac

8:00 AM + John Zacur (Grandchildren; Great
Grandchildren, and Great Great Grandchildren)

WED 11/25 - Weekday

8:00 AM + Michael Dorko Jr. (Sandy and Children)

THUR 11/26 - Thanksgiving

9:00 AM + Roxie Pagano (Joe Pagano)

FRI 11/27 - Weekday

8:00 AM + Lorene Pagano (Joe Pagano)

SAT 11/28– Vigil: First Sunday in Advent

5:00 PM + Dominic Sr. and Antoinette Bonanno
(Dom and Dana Bonanno Jr.)

SUN, 11/29 - First Sunday in Advent

8:00 AM + Robert Firment (Dick and Barbara Wissolik)

10:30 AM + Sally Messaros (John and Percy Sachs)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6;
Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps 100:1b-5;
Lk 21:20-28

Thanksgiving Day (suggested):

Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9;
Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11 — 21:2; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a;
Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7;
Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; 1 Cor 1:3-9;
Mk 13:33-37