

SUNDAY, MAY 27, 2018 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Masses for the Week

Monday, May 28th. Memorial Day

7:30 a.m. +Rita Redick
[Dan & Lisa Robinson & Family]

Tuesday, May 29th

9:00 a.m. +Mickey Necaster [Renee Kocis & Family]

Wednesday, May 30th

7:30 a.m. **Scripture & Communion Service*
7:00 p.m. Hickory Baccalaureate

Thursday, May 31st

9:00 a.m. +Mary Brestelli [Paula Dillon]

Friday, June 1st

9:00 a.m. +Liz & Jack Schmidt
[Marge Toner & Family]

Saturday, June 2nd

9:00 a.m. +Doris Kloos [Diana DeMasy & Robert]

Sunday, June 3rd The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass +George Tyillian [Wife, Mary]
8:15 a.m. + Dr. Leonard & Florence Pleban
[Rose & Bob Belder]
11:00 a.m. *Mass for the People

5:30 p.m. June 2nd	
Lectors	J Feeney, T Bain
Eucharistic Ministers	K & M Borsa, O Mehler, M Petrillo, E Pierce P & P Polesnak, P Thornburg
Altar Servers	S Osborne, A Stephenson, L Wallace
8:15 a.m. June 3rd	
Lectors	F & J Fetsko
Eucharistic Ministers	R Antos, B & G Beaulieu, T Brandenstein, F Fornelli, J Heutsche, A Nicolls, J Trenga
Altar Servers	A Svirbly, A Zahniser
11 a.m. June 3rd	
Lectors	F Hannah, C St. John
Eucharistic Ministers	P Dinger, C Hannah, A Orndorff, B & T Ryhal, R Supel, K Wilcox, O Yoursh
Altar Servers	K Fleis, E Slezak, L Villegas, M Winslow

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Monday, May 28th 1 Pt 1: 3-9/ Mk 10: 17-27
Tuesday, May 29th 1Pt 1: 10-16/ Mk 10: 28-31
Wednesday, May 30th 1Pt 1: 18-25/ Mk 10: 32-45
Thursday, May 31st Zep 3: 14-18a/ Lk 1: 39-56
Friday, June 1st 1Pt 4: 7-13/ Mk 11: 11-26
Saturday, June 2nd Jude 17: 20b-25/ Mk 11: 27-33
Sunday, June 3rd Ex 24: 3-8/ Heb 9: 11-15/ Mk 14: 19-26

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER AND LECTORS

There will be a training session for New Eucharistic Ministers on Tuesday, June 12th at 6:30 p.m. If you would like to become a Eucharistic Minister please call the office to sign up (724-981-5566).

We will also have a refresher course for current Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors on Wednesday, June 13th at 6:30 p.m.

GRADUATION SEASON

This week begins the season of Graduations. We congratulate our own High School Seniors from Kennedy Catholic High School, who will celebrate Commencement this week. Likewise congratulations to our Graduates from Hickory High School, Sharon, Sharpsville, West Middlesex, Farrell, Greenville and Reynolds who will celebrate their graduations in the days and weeks to come. We are proud of you and wish you the best in your future endeavors. Keep the faith!

We also offer our congratulations to College and Graduate School students who complete their educations and celebrate commencements. May the Lord bless you as you move on, being work, or continue education.

Likewise important are the milestone steps of some of our younger students, who move on from Kindergarten, Elementary School, and Middle School, having completed phases of their education and life. It is a joy to celebrate with you.

COOKIES FOR HICKORY'S BACCALAUREATE

We are asking for the bakers of the parish to help us and bake cookies for the social being held after Hickory High School's Baccalaureate which will take place here at Notre Dame on Wednesday, May 30th. Cookies may be dropped off in the Parish office on Tuesday, May 29th between the hours of 9 a.m. – noon and 1-3 p.m. Thank you.



On this Memorial Day, we pray for those who courageously laid down their lives for the cause of freedom. May the examples of their sacrifice inspire in us the selfless love of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Bless the families of our fallen troops, and fill their homes and their lives with Your strength and peace.

In union with people of goodwill of every nation, embolden us to answer the call to work for peace and justice, and thus, seek an end to violence and conflict around the globe.

We ask this through your name.

OUR NOTRE DAME FAMILY – Please pray for those who are hospitalized, ill, homebound, and in nursing facilities, as well as those who care for them. Please pray, too, for those in the military and those who serve us in various service careers.

PRINCE OF PEACE CENTER

Next Sunday’s “Pantry Shower” items are quart and gallon storage bags. Thank you all for your care and concern for God’s poor.

Prayers and Sympathy of the parish is extended to the family of **Joseph Polesnak**. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

OFFICE HOURS

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 28th, Memorial Day. Our staff will be enjoying time with their families.

WELCOME

We welcome Brandon Feikles, a First Year Seminarian, to Notre Dame. He will be here beginning June 1st and will be spending a year with us. His home parish is St. James in Erie. If you see him please make him feel at home here at Notre Dame.

NOTRE DAME BOOK CLUB

The Notre Dame Book Club will meet Thursday, June 21st at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room. We will be reading “*The Rosie Project by Graeme Simsion*.” Books are available in the parish office. Everyone is welcome.

MISSIONARY COOPERATION PLAN

On the weekend of June 9th & 10th our parish will host a speaker for the Alliance for International Monasticism. (AIM USA).

Once a year, as part of the Missionary Cooperation Plan, each parish in the diocese welcomes a member or an associate of a religious community involved in missionary.

Sister Teresa Zoky, OSB, from the Benedictine Sisters of Erie is this year’s representative who will share with you some of the work of AIM USA and the 450 English-speaking Benedictine and Cistercian monasteries in Africa, Asia, Center and South America in alliance with AIM USA. These Benedictine and Cistercian women and men form centers of prayer, education, health and agriculture in some of the poorest regions of the world.

Please respond to this appeal with openness and generosity.

CALLING ALL CURSILLISTAS!

We will be having an Ultreya Mass here at Notre Dame on Tuesday, May 29th, at 6 p.m. Please come join us and help us welcome our newest Cursillistas.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 a.m. Midnight

For further information call:

Emory Beal – 724-981-2645 or Mike Ballish – 724-342-3508

SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH – MEET AND GREET

Come and join the Sisters of St. Joseph for lunch and conversation on Thursday, June 14th at noon in the Notre Dame Social Center (St. John Paul II School multipurpose room).

The communities of the Sisters of St. Joseph were instrumental in the beginnings of both Notre Dame Parish School and the CCD (Religious Education) program of the Shenango Valley. Our school opened its doors on September 11, 1961 with the religious sisters as faculty with Sr. Marie Corde as Principal. Sr. Margaret Pellerite has been teaching and is in charge of Campus Ministry at Kennedy Catholic High School. Sr. Ann Herman, Sr. Mary Drexler, and Sr. Joyce Lowry taught here at Notre Dame and are hoping to return to Hermitage to be with us on the 14th.

We say thank you to the Sisters of St. Joseph for their many sacrifices and efforts in teaching our children for many years. **Reservations must be made by June 6th by calling 814-836-4198.**

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

In today’s gospel Jesus says, “Teach them to observe everything I have commanded you.” For parents, this is both mission and ministry as all children form their foundation of faith from their parents. Jesus commands all parents to teach their children “all that I have commanded you.”

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

The 2018 Diocesan Anniversary Celebration Liturgies for couples celebrating 25, 50, 60 or more years of marriage will be held at two locations in the diocese: Sunday, August 5, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. at St. George in Erie and Sunday, August 19, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. at Ss. Cosmas and Damian in Punxsutawney. To register, please go online to <https://www.eriercd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html> or contact your parish office (724-981-5566) or the Family Life Office at Catholic Charities (814)824-1250 or (800)374-3723 ext. 250.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

“The time I spend at Eucharistic Adoration is a special time. It is a quiet contemplative time I spend with Jesus during a usual hectic week. It is a one-on-one time spent in prayer and thanksgiving. I share “lists” with Jesus. I pray for my petitions and give thanks for the many blessings HE has given me.” *Linda Daigneault Notre Dame Parish*

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION FORM

NAME _____
STREET _____
CITY & ZIP _____
PHONE _____
E-Mail _____

Please check one:

I am new in the parish & wish to register

Change of Address Moving out of Parish