

Saint Joseph O'Hara/Fox Chapel

- part of the Lower Allegheny Valley grouping of parishes -

Saint Joseph Parish

O'Hara/Fox Chapel
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Pittsburgh, PA 15215
412-963-8885
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Saint Juan Diego Parish

Sharpsburg
Saint John Cantius Church
Madonna of Jerusalem Church
Saint Mary Church
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Pittsburgh, PA 15215
412-784-8700
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Saint Pio of Pietrelcina Parish

Blawnox/Harmar
Saint Edward Church
Saint Francis of Assisi Church
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Pittsburgh, PA 15238
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Saint Scholastica Parish

Aspinwall/Fox Chapel/O'Hara
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**Lower Allegheny Valley
Mass Schedule**

Saturday Vigil Masses

4:00 pm	Saint Joseph Church
4:30 pm	Madonna of Jerusalem Church
5:00 pm	Saint Scholastica Church

Sunday Masses

8:00 am	Saint Francis of Assisi Church
9:00 am	Saint Joseph Church
9:30 am	Saint Scholastica Church
10:00 am	Saint Edward Church
11:00 am	Saint Joseph Church
11:00 am	Saint John Cantius Church <i>(Korean Mass)</i>
11:30 am	Saint Mary Church
12:00 Noon	Saint Scholastica Church

Weekday Masses

8:00 am	Saint Joseph Church <i>Monday thru Friday</i>
9:00 am	Madonna of Jerusalem Church <i>Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday</i> Saint Edward Church <i>Thursday, Friday & Saturday</i>
10:00 am	Saint Scholastica Church <i>Monday thru Friday</i>

Weekly Confession - Days and Times

Wednesday	6:30-7:15 pm	Saint Scholastica
Saturday	9:30-10:15 am	Saint Edward
Saturday	3:30-4:15 pm	Madonna

PARISH PERSONNEL

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Live Streamed Masses - www.stjosephohara.com/
index.php/mass-videos

Daily Mass

Week of October 29

8:00 am	Saint Joseph	Fr. Paul Merkovsky
9:00 am	Madonna of Jerusalem	Fr. Dale DeNinno
10:00 am	Saint Scholastica	Fr. Michael Decewicz

Weekend of November 3-4

4:00 pm	Saint Joseph	Fr. Dale DeNinno
4:30 pm	Madonna of Jerusalem	Fr. Michael Decewicz
5:00 pm	Saint Scholastica	Fr. Paul Merkovsky
8:00 am	Saint Francis of Assisi	Fr. Paul Merkovsky
9:00 am	Saint Joseph	Fr. Dale DeNinno
9:30 am	Saint Scholastica	Fr. Michael Decewicz
10:00 am	Saint Edward	Fr. Paul Merkovsky
11:00 am	Saint Joseph	Fr. Dale DeNinno
11:30 am	Saint Mary	Fr. Michael Decewicz
12:00 Noon	Saint Scholastica	Fr. Paul Merkovsky

A Message



Dear Parishioners of Saint Joseph, Saint Juan Diego, Saint Scholastica and Saint Padre Pio,

That greeting is certainly a mouth-full and I've been practicing saying it ever since March 13, 2018 when I received a phone call from the Director of Clergy Personnel in the Diocese of Pittsburgh informing me of my new assignment. My reaction to the news was one of gratitude in the awareness that I would be living and working in an area of Allegheny County that is well familiar to me and not far from the place where I was born and raised - Lincoln Avenue in the East End where I attended Corpus Christi Grade School and then Central Catholic High School from which I graduated in 1968. My seminary education began immediately thereafter at Saint Fidelis College in Butler County (operated by the Capuchin Friars) and continued in Washington, DC at the Washington Theological Union. Upon completion of my studies and formation I was ordained a priest on January 28, 1978 in Saint Augustine Church in Lawrenceville. The 40 years since have been wonderful in the variety of ministerial assignments, including:

- 1977-1981 Vocation Director for the Capuchin Friars
- 1981-1984 Chaplain at Saint Margaret Hospital in Aspinwall
- 1984-1989 Parochial Vicar at Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Parish in Pleasant Hills
- 1989-1996 Chaplain at Mercy Hospital
- 1996-2005 Pastor of Immaculate Conception-Saint Joseph Parish in Bloomfield
- 2005-2018 Pastor of Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Parish in Pleasant Hills

And that brings me to the present. God is so good and I am genuinely happy to now be a part of the Lower Allegheny Valley grouping of parishes.

What tomorrow holds for all of us is yet unknown. We move into the future with some measure of trepidation, but confident and trusting in the Lord's guidance.

Working with my brother priests, Father Michael Decewicz and Father Paul Merkovsky, as well as Deacon Robert Wertz, there is much listening and learning that we must do. I hope that you will be patient with us.

Now...let us begin. It is a new day for everyone as we commit ourselves in faith, hope and love to the work of the Lord and the Church. I pledge to you my energy, enthusiasm and zeal. In turn, let us promise to pray for each other.

Your new Pastor/Administrator,
Father Dale DeNinno

ALL SAINTS DAY is Thursday, November 1. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times are as follows:

Wednesday, October 31 (Vigil)


4:30 p.m. Madonna of Jerusalem Church
7:00 p.m. Saint Joseph Church

Thursday, November 1

8:00 a.m. Saint Joseph Church
10:00 a.m. Saint Scholastica Church
12:00 p.m. Saint Mary Church
6:00 p.m. Saint Edward Church
7:00 p.m. Saint Scholastica Church

THE WEEK AHEAD

- Oct. 28 **All Saints Celebration (K-5th grade)**
10:00 a.m. Mass/Parade/Activities
St. Edward Church (Blawnox)
- Oct. 29 **CCD 4:30 p.m. & 6:15 p.m. - Building**
- Oct. 30 **CCD 5:45 p.m. - Building**

 **JOIN US NEXT SUNDAY, November 4** in the St. John Paul II Hall following the 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Masses for our donut social. All are welcome.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ends next **Sunday, November 4th**. Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour before going to bed Saturday.


ALL SOULS' DAY REMEMBRANCE MASS for the deceased will be celebrated on **Friday, November 2 at 7:00 p.m.** We will remember in a special way all those buried from our Parish this past year. All are welcome to attend. Following the Liturgy there will be refreshments in the St. John Paul II Hall for the families of those deceased.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE will be available in front of the Church beginning November 1st. You may enter the names of deceased loved ones to be remembered at all Masses during the month of November.

Congratulations to the following couples who are celebrating a November Wedding Anniversary (5, 10, 15, etc. and 50+ years)

- ♥ *Mr. & Mrs. Guido (Rosemarie) Mariani (64 yrs.)*
- ♥ *Mr. & Mrs. Stephen (Barbara) Bukovac (64 yrs.)*
- ♥ *Mr. & Mrs. Emilio (Caterina) Posa (54 yrs.)*
- ♥ *Mr. & Mrs. Robert (Carol) DeGusipe (45 yrs.)*
- ♥ *Mr. & Mrs. Thomas (Tina) Taylor (30 yrs.)*
- ♥ *Mr. & Mrs. James (Rena) Gaghan III (15 yrs.)*
- ♥ *Mr. & Mrs. Charles (Jennifer) Banachoski (15 yrs.)*

WE WELCOME THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS to St. Joseph Parish: **John, Meaghan and Claire Kirkpatrick;** and **Philip, Theresa, Zachary and Gwendolyn Jackson.** May you be blessed with peace, happiness, and new friends. Welcome!

 **BREAKFAST WITH SANTA - Winter Wonderland** will be held on **Saturday, December 8.** Tickets are \$7.00 per person; babes in arms - free. **Tickets go on sale November 10/11.**

2018 MASS REQUEST FORMS are on the book rack in the gathering space. A Mass stipend is \$10. There are many dates still available for 2018. Consider having a Mass said to remember your deceased loved one - it is a beautiful tribute. Candle and flower requests are on the flip side of the form.

HELP THE HUNGRY: We are collecting **Stuffing Mix (and any other non-perishable food items)** for the month of October. Please place your donations in the food collection drawers located in the gathering space.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

FALL BREAK - NO CCD CLASSES this week, November 4, 5 and 6. Classes will resume November 11, 12 and 13.

Ministries Schedule for October 31/November 1 & November 3/4, 2018

Mass	Altar Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Video Volunteers
All Saints (Vigil) Wed. 7PM	A. Kieffer, N. Kisslinger	J. Smerdell	M/M Orringer, C. Wilhelm	
All Saints Thurs. 8AM	Volunteers	Volunteer	K. Cassidy, M. Kitay, R. Hidek	
Saturday 4PM	A. Greenawalt, A. Marous	B. Drennen	R. Rothert, T. Tesauero, E. Van Dyke, M. DeStout, R. Ference	B. Olzewski, C. Wilhelm (S)
Sunday 9AM	W. & E. Fera	A. Zgurzynski	P. Osan, L. Wagner, N. Weissert, S. Wirth-Pontier, D. Bookwalter	S. Shaw
Sunday 11AM	C. Dietz, C. Gambotto	Children's Mass	M/M Kelly, J. Shaw, J. Smerdell, H. Voss	F. Bork



2018 Shoe Box Santa Project



*For Adults & Disabled Persons of West Virginia
Sponsored by the St. Vincent de Paul Society*

Would you like to help those less fortunate - the poorest of the poor? You can! Simply purchase the items listed below at a dollar store or store of your choice. **Put them in a shoe box, wrap in Christmas paper, and mark 'L' for Ladies or 'M' For Men.** If you wish, a signed Christmas card inside the shoe box would add to the recipient's holiday cheer.

No ribbons or bows on the outside, please - and NO CASH or GIFT CARDS. Thank you!

Priority Items:

- Disposable Razors
- Calendars
- Shaving Cream
- Bar Soap
- Shampoo
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Wash Cloth
- Purse-size tissues
- Comb or Hairbrush
- Q-Tips/Cotton Balls
- Band Aids
- Gloves (one size fits all)
- Hats (one size fits all)
- Note Pads/Pencils/Pens



Optional Items:

- Stamps/Envelopes
- Lip Balm/Vaseline
- First Aid Cream
- Magnifying Glass
- Socks
- Knee Highs
- Hand Lotion
- Hand Sanitizer
- Nail Clippers/Tweezers
- Jar Grip/Pot Scratcher
- Small Puzzle Book
- Greeting/Note Cards
- Dominoes/Checkers
- Playing Cards
- Denture Cleanser

Please drop your boxes off in the gathering space by SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Thank you for your participation in this project!
Questions? Call Mary Kelly - 412-952-5638

Bulletin Information Deadline: All information must be submitted in writing and received at the parish office by **Tuesday, 12:00 Noon**. Material will be published on a space available basis and may be edited.

✝ *Please Pray For:*

Joseph Mertz, Ruth Yester, Esther Costanzo, Frank Vertosick, Yvonne Hicks, Zorka Grubic, Douglas Hicks, Mary Jane Moore, Joyce Gamer, Larry Tyjewski, Betty Merti, John Beck, Ruth Szalc, Joe Bursick, Elizabeth Peterman, Pauline Iurlano, Karen Jankowski, Frank Iusi, Mary Miketic, Joyce Miketic, Chuck Duffy, Mary Fidducia, Paul Leo, Mary Jane Furar, Sally Cassetti, Betty Jonnet, Johann Poppe & Kevin Miller, Jr.

Prayers are also requested for those serving in the military.

Names will remain on the prayer list for one month; military names for 6 months. To add or update information contact the parish office.



Saturday/Sunday, October 27/28, 2018
THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

- 4:00 PM *Vigil Mass -*
 Patricia Miller (Louise Domon & Donna Dupree)
- 8:30 AM *Rosary*
- 9:00 AM Jack Furar (Family)
Baptism
- 11:00 AM Richard H. Miller (Friends)

Monday, October 29, Weekday

- 8:00 AM Donald McKinniss (McKinniss Family)

Tuesday, October 30, Weekday

- 8:00 AM Kermith Sonnier, Jr. (Kermith Sonnier)

Wednesday, October 31, All Saints (Vigil)

- 8:00 AM Deceased Family Members
- 7:00 PM The People of St. Joseph Parish

Thursday, November 1, All Saints

Holy Day of Obligation

- 8:00 AM Gary DeNinno (Family)

Friday, November 2, All Souls' Day

- 8:00 AM The Deceased Priests Who Served the Parish
- 7:00 PM All Deceased Parishioners of St. Joseph
All Souls' Day Reception

Saturday/Sunday, November 3/4, 2018
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

- 4:00 PM *Vigil Mass -*
 Lois Idzakovich (Gert Maranowski)
- 9:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of the
 Seibert Family (Family)
- 11:00 AM Catherine McKinniss (McKinniss Family)
Baptism
Children's Liturgy of the Word

OUR FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

	October 21, 2018	FISCAL YTD
Weekly Offertory	\$8,342.50	\$177,678.80
Votives	\$91.20	\$3,254.87
St. Vincent de Paul/Poor	\$50.00	\$7,372.62
World Mission Sunday	\$1,550.80	\$1,570.80
Parish Share 2018	\$180.00	

Attendance: 4PM 312 9AM 255 11AM 286
 Envelopes Mailed: 854 Envelopes Used: 247

Thank you for supporting your parish programs.
Please remember your parish in your will.