



**Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Parish
Parroquia de Nuestra Señora de la Medalla Milagrosa**

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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY
5 pm — Vigil

SUNDAY
8 am & 11 am
La Misa en español — 2:30 pm

MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY
10 am

WEDNESDAY
6 pm

HOLY DAYS
Check Bulletin

PARISH CONTACTS

CLERGY

CARMEN A. D'AMICO
Pastor

ANTON V. MOBLEY
Permanent Deacon

PARISH STAFF

ROSALIE ECKELS
Religious Education Director

JENNIFER DERRICK
Music Director & Organist

RACHEL KROFCHECK
Youth Pastor

ELENA ALARCON
Coordinator of Hispanic Ministry

MARY ANN LECCI
Parish Secretary

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Coordinator of Ministries

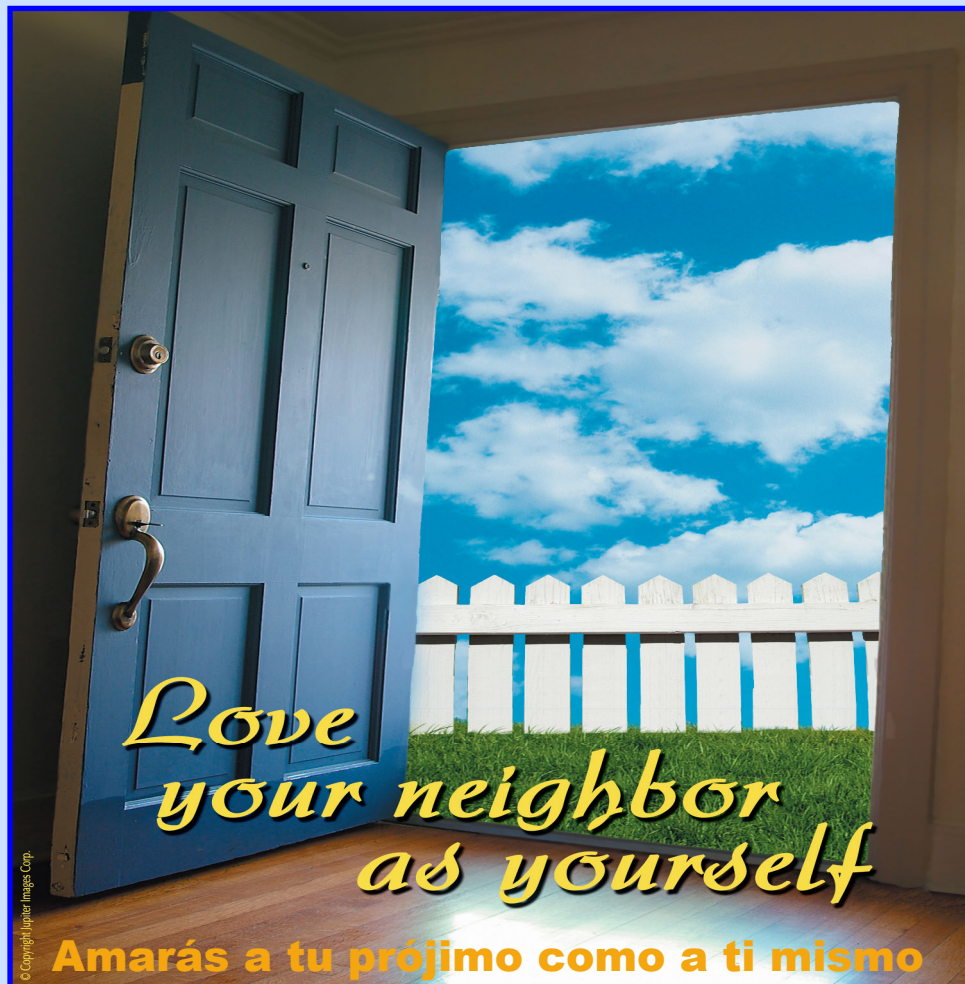
ANDREW JAMES
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THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY

On **Sunday, November 12, 2017** at the 8 am Mass, we will be honoring **Jack Curran** for his faithful service to the Holy Name, *Christian Mothers and Guild*.

HEALING MASS

On **November 29, 2017** at 6 pm. **Fr. Bill Kiel** will be at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Parish for a **Healing Mass**. All are welcome.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA, TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL

Join us...Saturday November 11th 2017

Annual Holiday Extravaganza, Trinity High School Cafeteria
10 am – 3 pm, Santa arrives @ 1pm

Picture opportunities will be available with Trudy Rooney Photography

Afternoon will include, face paint, lots of vendors and crafts, and a concession stand. All proceeds from the event benefit the High school Life skills, Autistic and emotional support students!

DAY / TIME	CONFESSIONS / EVENTS	OBSERVANCES / MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS
<u>SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28</u>		<u>SS. SIMON AND JUDE</u>	
9:00 am—11:00 am 2:00 pm 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Miraculous Medal Food Pantry Wedding Danielle Bieniek & Zachary Johnson Confessions Mass	Sharon Giehl +, req. by A Friend from Strabane Trails	Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16
<u>SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29</u>		<u>THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u> <u>WORLD YOUTH DAY</u> <u>PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY</u>	
8:00 am 9:00 am—10:30 am 11:00 am 1:00 pm—2:00 pm 1:30 pm—2:30 pm 2:30 pm 6:00 pm	Mass CCD, CCD Center Mass Youth Group Trunk or Treat Spanish CCD, CCD Center Spanish Mass Patriotic Rosary	Joe Testa + (Anniversary), req. Wife, Debbie Mary Homer, req. Joan Calabro PARISHIONERS, Pilgrim Virgin	Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-4, 47,51; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40
<u>MONDAY, OCTOBER 30</u>			
10:00 am 10:00 am—12 Noon 10:45 am 4:30 pm—6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Mass ESL Class, Church Hall Miraculous Medal Novena ESL Class, Church Hall Bereavement, Deacon Barry Krofcheck	Ann Orbin +, req. Alyce Stelzer	Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Lk 13:10-17
<u>TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31</u>		<u>HALLOWEEN</u>	
10:00 am 6:00 pm—8:15 pm 6:30 pm	Mass Alpha V, CCD Center Welcome Ministry Meeting, Church Hall	Gene Yoest (Birthday), req. Debbie	Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 13:18-21
<u>WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1</u>		<u>ALL SAINTS</u>	
6:00 pm 6:30 pm	Mass RCIA, Rectory Basement	PARISHIONERS	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
<u>THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2</u>		<u>THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL (DEPARTED (ALL SOULS' DAY))</u>	
10:00 am 6:30 pm—8:30 pm	Mass ESL Class, CCD Center	PARISHIONERS	Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5 -11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40
<u>FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3</u>		<u>ST. MARTIN DE PORRES</u> <u>FIRST FRIDAY</u>	
10:00 am 10:45 am 6:45 pm—7:00 pm	Mass Adoration Benediction	Kenneth Scouvar +, req. Bud & Carol Hunkel	Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6
<u>SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4</u>		<u>ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO</u> <u>FIRST SATURDAY</u>	
4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Confessions Mass	Dan Moroco +, req. Susan Rybacki	Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11
<u>SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5</u>		<u>THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u>	
8:00 am 11:00 am 2:30 pm	Mass Mass Spanish Mass	Joan Buehler +, req. Paul Buehler & Family Paul Checonsky +, req. Wife, Gerrie PARISHIONERS	Mal 1:14b — 2:2b, 8-10; Ps 131:1-3; 1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13; Mt 23:1-12

RETREAT WITH DR. ANTHONY GITTINS, CSSP

Join us at Villa Maria Education and Spirituality Center in Villa Maria, Pa. for a **retreat** entitled **Bringing Forth the Realm of God**. The retreat will be held November 12-17, 2017 from 7 p.m. Sunday to noon on Friday. The retreat will be presented by Dr. Anthony Gittins, CSSp, noted presenter and author. **For more information go to vmesc.org or call 724-964-8886.**

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

OS CUMPLEAÑOS DE ESTA SEMANA



Rita Liebegott, Autumn Boskovich, Rebecca Klug, Roman A. Lombardi, Jenifer Martincic, Martin Alderson, Nicholas Brown, Lucy Hauser, Renee Thomas, Mark Williamson, Kelli J. Dufresne, Karen Hoffman, Sandy Landock, Amy L. Stevens, Jacob A. Bier, Sandra Likar, Debra Moss, Gene Yoest, Lauren Bowman, Lindsey Bowman, Carol Keffer, Hunter Krugh, Lydia Lombardi and Kim Strimel.

Average Weekly Expense	\$ 7,100.00	Parish Share Goal 2017	\$ 79,162.00
Collection for Sunday October 8, 2017	\$ 4,790.50	Parish Share as of October 8, 2017	\$ 39,099.00
Deficit	\$ 2,309.50	E-Offering for September 2017	\$ 1,914.73

Anything collected over our Parish Share assessment will go into our savings.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PARISH INFORMATION

40 DAYS OF LIFE

The Respect Life Ministry will be going to the Planned Parenthood Center in Pittsburgh on October 30, 2017 from 11 am to 1 pm. To stand for the 40 Days of Life. If anyone is interested in going, please call Janice Chehovin at 724-344-1736.

CHRISTIAN MOTHERS AND GUILD

At the **October** meeting of the Christian Mothers and Guild, **Judith Zanolli** and **Toni Craig** were recognized and honored for **50 years of membership and dedication**. Thank you ladies for your support.

May God continue to bless and protect you.

NOVEMBER MEETING

Christian Mothers & Guild to meet Wednesday, **November 8th. in the CCD Center at 7:00 p.m.**

There will be a short business meeting, Divine Mercy Celebration, and scripture readings with Father Carmen. Reminder to bring a bible.

Social **Chairladies** are **Patti Barnes, Carol DeVitis, Tina Ryzak**

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER

It's almost time for our Annual Christmas Dinner: **December 6th -- 6:00 pm -- CCD Center**. This year's ticket will be \$17 for each person attending. The event will be catered by Diana James, and promises to be delicious. Chair Ladies, Julie Albright & Heather Daddea will be discussing more about the Christmas Dinner & Chinese Auction at the November 8th meeting. Committee Members will be contacted soon in regards to making this celebration a success.

Thank you all in advance for your cooperation.

THREE SAINTLY SPOUSES

Once again we will be preparing to celebrate the great Feast of All Saints on November 1st. by reflecting on the lives of some extraordinary saints.

If you recall, two years ago we looked at the lives of "Three Guys Named Frank", the stories of Saint Francis of Assisi, Saint Francis de Sales and Saint Francis Xavier.

Last year we looked at the lives of "Three Greats Named Kate", the stories of Saint Catherine of Siena, Saint Catherine Laboure and Saint Katherine Drexel.

This year we will be looking at the lives of three married couples, which we are calling "**Three Saintly Spouses**", the stories of Saints Louis and Marie-Azelie (Guerin) Martin,

Blessed Luigi and Maria (Corsini) Quattrocchi, and Saint Philip and Anne (Dacre) Howard. On each of the three Sundays before the Feast of All Saints we will celebrate the lives of these Saintly Spouses.

On October 14/15, we learned about Saints Louis & Marie (Guerin) Martin

October 21/22, LAST WEEKEND about Blessed Luigi & Maria (Corsini) Quattrocchi


THIS WEEKEND
October 28/29



Saint Philip Howard & Anne (Dacre) Howard

We hope you will enjoy and be inspired by these Saintly Spouses as we prepare ourselves for the Feast of All Saints

ELECTION DAY BBQ

 The Holy Name Society will be having an **Election Day BBQ on Tuesday, November 7, 2017** to benefit the **Good Samaritan Project** at the **Char 3 Polling place** at Miraculous Medal Church, from **11 am - 6 pm**.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS COURT WASHINGTON #1651

Catholic Daughters Court Washington #1651 will hold their annual Vendor/Craft Show on Saturday, November 4th. from 10 am until 3 pm at Senior Life, 2114 N. Franklin Dr. For more information please

call **Alice at 724-514-7467** or **Laraine 724-263-2161**.

KWAMA, SIERRA LEONE MISSION COLLECTION

Father John's African Mission Collection on the weekend of September 23 and 24 **amounted to \$6,140.00**.

WELCOME

We would like to welcome the newest members of our faith community:

Larry Yohe, Thomas and Charlotte Flanagan

We are grateful to God for you and proud to call you our brothers and sister in Christ.

THE 31 CLUB

As you know, the Diocese of Pittsburgh is facing a shortage of priests in the near future. How can you help? **Pray**. The Diocese has asked parishioners to participate in the **31 Club**, created by the Diocese for an increase in priestly vocations. Here's how: By becoming a **31 Club** member, you are promising to pray **ONE** rosary **ONE** day a month specifically for an increase of priestly vocations in the Pittsburgh Diocese. To join, visit: www.pghpriest.com

Cards explaining this ministry are in the literature rack in the back of the church. Thank you, *OLMM Prayer Ministry*.

PATRIOTIC ROSARY

The Patriotic Rosary will be prayed THIS SUNDAY, October 29 at 6 pm.

Please come and pray the rosary for our troops that are protecting us overseas and here at home.

We pray the Patriotic Rosary usually on the last Sunday of every month at 6 pm