



**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*

**ANDREW JAMES**  
*Maintenance, Mon-Fri*

**DEAN GINDLESPERGER**  
*Maintenance, Sat.-Sun.*

**PARISH PHONE NUMBERS**

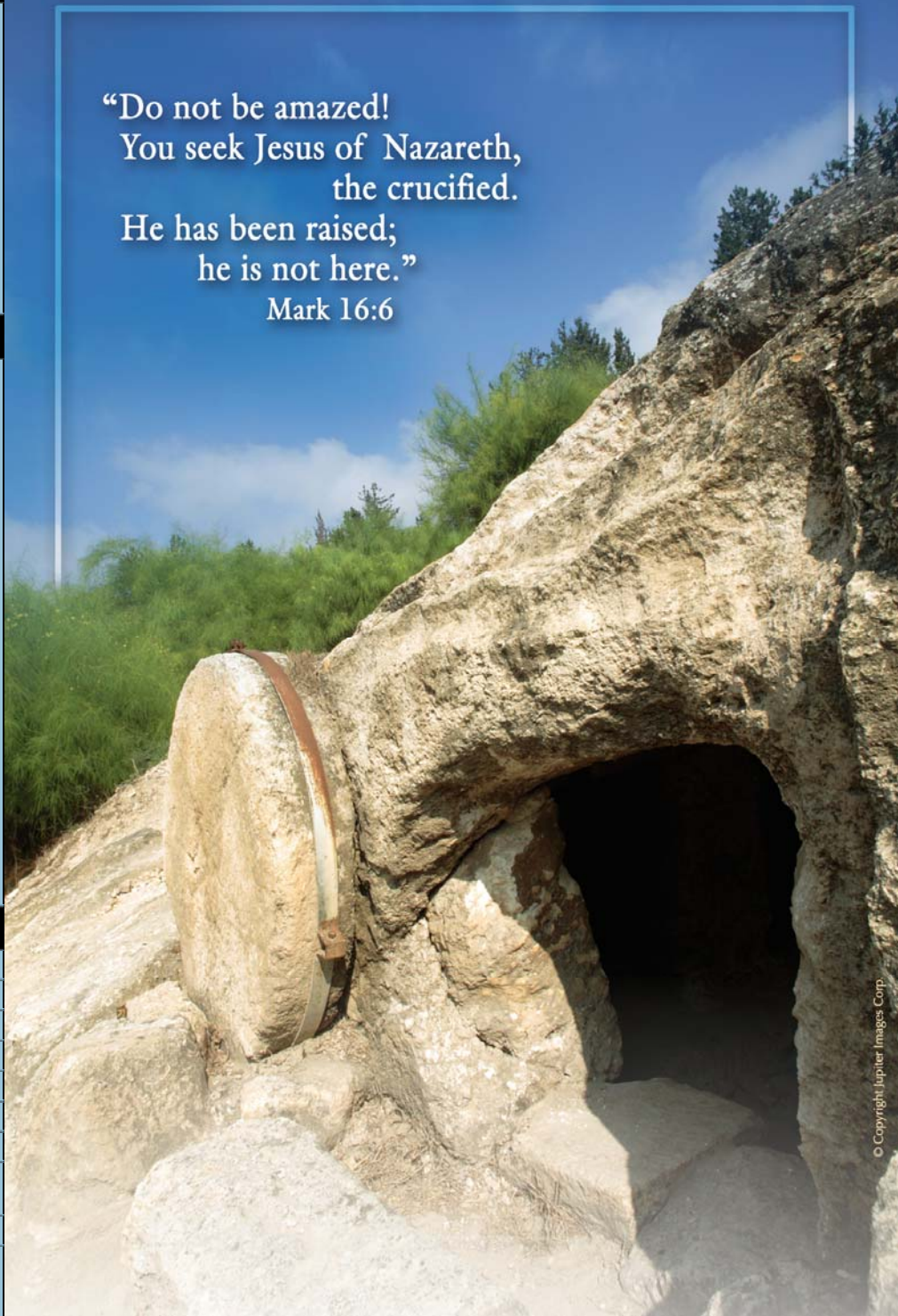
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Baptism and Marriage (Contact Rectory)	724-222-1911
Diocesan Abuse Hotline	1-888-808-1235

Safe Environment Coordinator  
**ED HOLMES** 724-886-1484  
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“Do not be amazed!  
You seek Jesus of Nazareth,  
the crucified.

He has been raised;  
he is not here.”

Mark 16:6



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For suspected child abuse, call 1-888-808-1235 AND the State of Pennsylvania child abuse number: 1-800-932-0313

DAY / TIME	CONFESSIONS / EVENTS	OBSERVANCES / MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS
<b>SATURDAY, MARCH 31</b>		<b>HOLY SATURDAY— HOLY NIGHT OF EASTER</b>	
12:00 pm 8:30 pm	Blessing of Easter Food Easter Vigil		GN 1:1—2:2 OR 1:1, 26-31A, PS 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35, PS 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20 AND 22, GN 22:1-18 OR 22:1-2, 9A, 10-13, 15-18, PS 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11, EX 14:15—15:1, EX 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18, IS 54:5-14, PS 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13, IS 55:1-11, IS 12:2-3, 4, 5-6, BAR 3:9-15, 32C4:4, PS 19:8, 9, 10, 11, EZ 36:16-17A, 18-28, PS 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4, ROM 6:3-11, PS 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23, MK 16:1-7
<b>SUNDAY, APRIL 1</b>		<b>EASTER SUNDAY— THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD</b>	
8:00 am 11:00 am 2:30 pm	Mass Mass Spanish Mass	PARISHIONERS PARISHIONERS PARISHIONERS	ACTS 10:34A, 37-43, PS 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23, COL 3:1-4, I COR 5:6B-8, CF. 1 COR 5:7B-8A, JN 20:1-9, MK 16:1-7, LK 24:13-35
<b>MONDAY, APRIL 2</b>		<b>MONDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER</b>	
10:00 am 10:45 am	Mass Miraculous Medal Novena	Kenneth Scouvar +, req. Rick & Pat Mascari	ACTS 2:14, 22-33, PS 16:1-2A AND 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11, PS 118:24, MT 28:8-15
<b>TUESDAY, APRIL 3</b>		<b>TUESDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER</b>	
10:00 am 10:00 am-12:00 pm 6:00 pm	Mass ESL Class in Church Hall Alpha IV in CCD Center	Mary Ferrari +, req. Bruno & Rose Colussi	ACTS 2:36-41, PS 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 AND 22, PS 118:24, JN 20:11-18
<b>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4</b>		<b>WEDNESDAY IN THE OCTAVE ON EASTER</b>	
6:00 pm	Mass	Beverly Gilbert +, req. Marsha & John Blumen	ACTS 3:1-10, PS 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9, PS 118:24, LK 24:13-35
<b>THURSDAY, APRIL 5</b>		<b>THURSDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER</b>	
11:00 am	Mass	Anthony Vallone +, req. Rose & Doug DiNardo	ACTS 3:11-26, PS 8:2AB AND 5, 6-7, 8-9, PS 118:24, LK 24:35-48
<b>FRIDAY, APRIL 6</b>		<b>FRIDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER</b>	
10:00 am 10:45 am 6:45 pm-7:00 pm	Mass Adoration Benediction	Elmer Sobansky +, req. Joseph & Linda Quinn	ACTS 4:1-12, PS 118:1-2 AND 4, 22-24, 25-27A, PS 118:24, JN 21:1-14
<b>SATURDAY, APRIL 7</b>		<b>SATURDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER</b>	
4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Confessions Mass	Mary & Frank Mastrangelo +, req. Daughter, Rhonda Felton & Family	ACTS 4:13-21, PS 118:1 AND 14-15AB, 16-18, 19-21, PS 118:24, MK 16:9-15
<b>SUNDAY, APRIL 8</b>		<b>SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY</b>	
8:00 am 11:00 am 2:30 pm	Mass Mass Spanish Mass		ACTS 4:32-35, PS 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24, 1 JN 5:1-6, JN 20:29, JN 20:19-31

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**

**OS CUMPLEAÑOS DE ESTA SEMANA**



Betty Cargnello, Andrew Dindak, Brian Keegan, Terry F. Marth, Liam Porter, Lawrence Stecki, Calab R. Bradley, Melissa Zaragoza Cibrian, Mark A. Coen Jr., Bob Hoffman Jr., Ofelia Linan, Deacon Tony Mobley, Laurel Diana, Joel Haight, Jon Kelly, John Antanovich, Terri Elliott, Tanner Kirsch, Jeff Rifgon, Tom Ross, Bethany Diaz, Terri Hall, Aurora Navarro, R. Nicholas Presto, Stephen Sirakos, Kristen Stiles, Wendy Vincent, April Wojcuich, Michael Roytas, Sophia Sroka, Dean Wojcik, Melissa Zaragoza, Cody Cashdollar, James Craig, and Carolyn Wissenbach

Average Weekly Expense	\$ 7,100.00	Parish Share Goal 2018	\$ 70,800.00
Offertory Sunday, March 11, 2018	\$ 5,153.50	Parish Share as of March 18, 2018	\$ 11,424.00
<b>Deficit</b>	<b>\$ 1,946.50</b>		

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

## PARISH AND DIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Happy Easter!

We are a people who are changed by the dying and rising of our Lord Jesus Christ. This Paschal Mystery is reflected in the natural process of death to new life. We see this all around us and in our own lives. For example, we experience dying and rising each year in the change of seasons. Jesus' passion, death, resurrection, and ascension are the ultimate event of dying and rising, of death to new life. Jesus shows us that new life can come from death, that we can find meaning in difficult times of pain and suffering. Jesus' suffering, death, and new life has forever changed us and given us a different way of living. Death no longer has the last word. Easter is a time of joy and new life as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus and the gift of eternal life. This new life in Christ requires change in our lives and, while change is never easy, it opens the door to opportunity and growth.



### RCIA Candidates and Elect

Congratulations to our candidates and elect that have been fully initiated in the Church:

**LACY MILLIRON AND SARAH METZLER  
AND OUR ELECT, HANNAH PATTERSON.**

With great joy, we welcome you into our community of faith!

### Padre Pio Relics

On **Wednesday, April 4 and Thursday, April 5, 2018**, a number of relics of Saint Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio) will be at Saint Paul Cathedral in Oakland for veneration by the faithful. The relics will be on display beginning with the **12:05 pm. Mass** celebrated by Bishop Zubik on April 4th. and will conclude that day at 8:00 pm. The time of veneration will continue on April 5th. at 9:00 am. and will conclude that day at 8:00 pm. The Saint Pio Foundation, which is sponsoring this spiritual opportunity, will have an area where the faithful can purchase books and devotional items related to Saint Pio.

"Pray, hope, and  
don't worry.  
Worry is useless.  
God is merciful  
and will hear  
your prayer."

- Saint Padre Pio



### With Songs We Pray, at Holy Child Parish

All are welcome to attend a night of worship, in which we will sing contemporary Christian songs of praise to our God and risen Lord! Please join us from **7 pm. to 8:30 pm. on Thursday, April 19, 2018**. We'll worship in The Gathering Place (Religious Education Building) at **Holy Child Parish, 212 Station St. Bridgeville Pa.** The event is free and open to the public. For more information, call **Connie Robinson at 412-257-2679**. So, bring your voices and be ready to joyfully pray!!

### Grief & Loss Seminar

The loss of a loved one affects us physically, mentally and spiritually. People need to grieve in order to heal. Understanding the process helps in its progression. Grief entails a great deal of effort and energy, and the support gained from others who have had a similar loss is invaluable.

**2018 Grief & Loss Seminar, Wednesdays: April 18-May 23, 2018 McNary Center Canonsburg**

**Hospital 6:30-8:00 pm.** Rev. Cathy Peternel, Hospital Chaplain, will facilitate the group.

To make reservations, call **724-745-6100, Ext 4118 RSVP by Monday the 16th.**

There is no cost for the Seminar.



### Easter Blessing of Families

On **Easter Sunday, April 1, 2018**, Bishop David Zubik together with his brothers Auxiliary Bishop William Waltersheid and Retired Auxiliary Bishop William Winter will welcome families of the Diocese of Pittsburgh to the **Annual Blessing of Families at St. Paul Cathedral in Oakland at 2:00 pm.** All are welcome to the Cathedral to receive this special Blessing imparted by our bishops as they also take the opportunity to thank families for the beautiful witness of love and faith that they share with us.

### Christian Mothers & Guild

**Christian Mothers & Guild** will be meeting on **Wednesday, April 4, 2018 at 7pm. in the CCD Center.** Election for the offices of President and Secretary for the next two years will be held. Suggested donations for the Food Pantry - toilet tissue Kleenex, paper towels. Please bring a bible for the scripture readings led by Father Carmen, with discussion groups to follow. Social chairladies for the evening are Heather Daddea, Stacy Hall and Cathy Reck.