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St. Mary and Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parishes

July 15, 2018 ~ 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Mary Parish

607 East Main Street Reynoldsville, Pennsylvania 15851 814-653-8586

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish

20 Shaffer Street (P.O. Box J) Sykesville, Pennsylvania 15865 814-894-2772 Social Hall 814-894-7981

Pastor - Father William R. Barron

Deacon – Daniel Satterlee

Shared contact information:

Web address: www.stmarysassumption.com

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Mass Intentions

Monday, July 16 (St. Mary) 8:00 AM Sonya Renee' Baranick by Mom & Dad

Tuesday, July 17 NO MASS

Holy Hour 6:30—7:30PM at Assumption

Wednesday, July 18 NO MASS

Thursday, July 19 NO MASS

Friday, July 20 (St. Mary) 8:00 AM Alex Smelko by Family

Saturday, July 21 (St. Mary) 4:30 PM Leslie Earley Osikowicz by Mom & Dad

Sunday, July 22 (Assumption) 8:30 AM
Marlene Murdock
by Sykesville Ambulance

Sunday, July 22 (St. Mary) 11:00 AM All Parishioners of Both Parishes

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening 4:30 PM

(Jan.-May – Assumption; June-Dec. St. Mary)

Sunday Morning 8:30 AM (Assumption) 11:00 AM (St. Mary)

Offertory Collection

St. Mary - July 8 - \$3,491.00 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary -July 8 - \$2,156.00 Thank you for your generosity!



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Ministers Schedule for July 21-22, 2018

	4:30pm (St. Mary)	8:30am (ABVM)	11:00am (St Mary)
Altar Servers	L Reiter	W. Bacha	M. King
	A. Reiter	E. Bacha	C. Uhl
Lector	L. Shadduck	P. Roman	M. Pothoven
Euchariste Ministers	W. Rupert	K. Roman	R. Hannah
	B. Stover	J. Pisarcik	D. Rupert
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Office Information

Prayer Chain:

St. Mary 653-2752

Assumption Church – 894-5659

Hospital Visits:

Call Fr. Barron 814-503-0028

Blue Army Prayer Cell:

Tuesday 3:00pm at Madelyn Tomasura's

home.

Office Hours: (office located at St. Mary Church)

Monday 7 AM - 2:00 PM
Tuesday 7 AM - 2:30 PM
Wednesday 8 AM - 2:30 PM
Thursday 8 AM - 2:30 PM
Office closed Friday - Sunday

Bingo: Sunday at 6:00pm at St. Mary

The Parish Spotlight ~ St. Mary Bingo ~ Barb Murray

BINGO!! This is the sound you hear every Sunday night if you attend bingo at St Mary's Church in Reynoldsville. Bingo starts every Sunday night at 6:05pm. Behind the counter, setting up cards for participants to play, you will find Barb Murray.

Barb Murray has been a big and active part of St Mary's bingo for the last 24 years! When Barb shared with me how long she'd been a part of St Mary's bingo, she also shared that bingo has been a big fund raiser for St Mary's church for the last 40 years, starting with Monsignor Mignot.

Twenty-four years ago, Msgr. Mignot asked Don Wojtaszek and Barb to help him out. At that time Barb shared: "we had an old machine and Msgr. called. Since then we have upgraded our machine." Don calls bingo, as do Sherry Carney and Billy Buskirk. We would also like to mention that we have floor workers, who help sell tickets, and our kitchen crews, who make and sell food to keep the bingo players well fed. "Many hands make light work".

Questions that Barb gets asked are: what is the bingo money used for? How does it benefit the church? Money made from bingo has been, and continues to be, used for many major projects at St Mary's parish. At one time, the King house was bought and torn down to make a much-needed parking lot. Then there was the Perry homestead, that was also purchased and torn down for further parking. There was also the nun's convent, a school, and the old rectory that were also torn down, and the church paid for the demolition in order to grown and renovate.

Furthermore, bingo funds helped eliminate all parents cost for religious education books, 4-5 air conditioning units were replaced over the years, and the same amount of furnace units replaced, as well as roof replacements and repairs. Food expenses from the Sunday dinners that our church used to host were paid by bingo, and St Mary's Rosary Society was given all the profit money from these dinners. There were bus trips to Pirates baseball games for the altar servers, where food and the Trailways buses were all paid for by bingo income.

Bingo has been and continues to be a large contribution to St Mary's parish budget. As mentioned above "Many hands make light work". We are always in need of help to make this possible. Right now, we are in great need of 2 more people to call bingo and at least one to two more crews for the kitchen. Please consider volunteering once a month. In addition to helping out our church, it is also a good way to fellowship with your parish family members.

Please contact Barb Murray at 653-8648 for any additional questions or if you would be able to volunteer once a month to help.

Cheryl Hannah



PLEASE SAVE THE DATE.... SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

PARTNERED PARISH PICNIC

SYKESVILLE FAIRGROUNDS BEGINNING AT 12:00pm; LUNCH AT 1:00pm Please bring a covered dish to share –hot dogs, hamburgers and drinks provided.

This year we will be having a "white elephant" raffle and 50/50 drawing.

More information to follow in upcoming bulletins.

ST. MARY'S / ASSUMPTION'S NEWSLETTER, JULY 15, 2018

PARTNER PARISH NEWS

SWIMMING POOL PARTY will be held on Tuesday, July 17th at the Reynoldsville Pool from 6-8 p.m. **ALL ARE INVITED!** Please sign your name on the sheet on the bulletin board as you enter the church so we know how much pizza to order. Any snacks, fruit, veggies, or dessert will be appreciated! Rain date is Thursday, July 19th.

LCPL. JOSH MARTINO GOLF MEMORIAL Fundraiser on August 12th. Registration at 8 a.m. Four person scramble- \$75 per person. Lunch, Dinner, Awards, Prizes, Chinese Auction & 50/50. All proceeds benefit the funding of scholarships given yearly at DAHS. Donations & baskets are appreciated for the Chinese Auction. For more info, call Karen Perry at 591-0493.Respond by August 1st.

HEALING SERVICE There will be an Interdenominational Healing service at 'The Cross on the Hill', 2041 Mt. Zion Rd. Weedville PA 15868 on Sunday July 29 at 3 PM. Pastor Melissa 'Missy' Smith of the Benezette/Weedville United Methodist Churches and Father Bill Kiel, A retired priest of Greensburg, PA diocese will preside. The Music Ministry will be provided by Shalom. There are benches available, but you may want to bring a folding chair. In the event of rain, the service will be moved to St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Force. All are welcome to join us in prayer for all prayer petitions presented. You are welcome to stand in proxy for someone who is not able be there in person. No donations required or accepted.

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 or the Family Life Office at Catholic Charities (814)824-1250 or (800)374-3723 ext. 250.

<u>WE ARE PLEASED</u> to announce that the parishes of the Dubois area are hiring a full-time youth minister. The job description can be found on our parish website. The address is on the front of the bulletin. Please help us to find qualified, dynamic candidates for this important position.

FR. BILL BARRON and Fr. Marc Solomon will be leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Rome, October 15-26, 2018. Visit www.stmarysassumption.com for more information, or call the parish office to talk to Fr. Bill.

ST. MARY'S NEWS

<u>FLOWERS IN FRONT OF THE ALTAR</u> are in memory of Santo J. & Dorothy T. Perry by Doug & Darla.

ANNUAL DIAPER DRIVE sponsored by Catholic Charities Counseling and Adoption Services, will be held through the month of July ending on "Diaper Sunday July 29th. Disposable diapers (any size, any brand), baby shampoo, baby wash, ointment, wipes, and gently used and new clothing up to 24 months. Donations may be placed in the box as you enter the church. Monetary donations should be made payable to CATHOLIC CHARITIES and sealed in an envelope marked Catholic Charities Diaper Drive and placed in the collection basket at any weekend Mass until July 29th. This year's donations have increased, however, "need" in our area remains high and difficult to support!

ASSUMPTION'S NEWS

HOLY HOUR will take place on Tuesday evenings from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. at Assumption Church.

<u>A.B.V.M. GOLF TOURNAMENT</u> – The 14th Annual A.B.V.M. Golf Tournament will take place this year on Sunday, July 29th at the Sliverwoods Golf Course, Treasure Lake. The cost this year will be \$65.00 per golfer. This tournament is for our church maintenance and obligations that need to me met every year. To register, please call the rectory office (894-2272) if no one answers, please leave a message and I will call you back. Thank you for your support to our parish fundraiser.

<u>A.B.V.M. GOLF TOURNAMENT</u> – In the past your generosity in sponsoring a hole in <u>"Memory of"</u> or <u>"In Honor of"</u> a Loved One has done very well for the tourament. Please fill out the form provided for you and drop it in the collection basket now through July 22nd if you wish to do a memorial. Thank You!!

<u>CEMETERY UPDATE</u> – For those who are taking care of the graves for loved ones the grass cutters would appreciate if you are going to place ornaments around the headstones if you could please provide some kind of protection especially around the wire ornaments so when they are weed eating they don't hit the ornaments and break them. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.