All Saints Roman Catholic Church

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 11, 2019

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Mass Times:

Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled (See schedule on next page) Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM Sunday at 9:15 AM Holy Days at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

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Parish Registration Forms are available on the bulletin board in the gathering space.

Bulletin deadline: 10:00 AM Mondays, in writing, please.



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August 10, 2019 - August 18, 2019

Sat.	8/10	4:30 PM	Maryann Davis
			(Jennifer and Eric Suroviec)
Sun. 8	8/11	9:15 AM	For the People of
			All Saints Parish
Mon. 8	8/12	8:00 AM	For All Souls
Tues.	8/13	8:00 AM	Communion Service
Wed. 8	8/14	8:00 AM	Emma Passauer
			(The Passauer Family)
Thur. 8	8/15	The Assump	tion of the Blessed Virgin Mary
		8:00 AM	For All Mothers
		7:00 PM	For All Mothers
Fri. 8	8/16	8:00 AM	For All Fathers
Sat.	8/17	4:30 PM	Floyd & Patti Kuzdzal
Sun. 8	8/18	9:15 AM	For the People of
			All Saints Parish



The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week In Loving Memory of John Briggs (From the Canticles of the Son Secular Franciscan Fraternity)

The Regular Collection

for August 4th was \$2,356.00 with an additional \$1,050.00 from online giving for a total of \$3,406.00. Your continued support of our parish is appreciated.



Did you know? **SCRIP Cards** are an easy way to shop for groceries, gas, needed purchases, gifts and meals out. Through the SCRIP program, your purchase is at face value, while the

church is able to receive a percentage of the sale at no cost to you. Since many of the available cards are places where most of us shop, (Wegmans, Giant Eagle, Tops, Taco Bell, Panera, etc. – many stores are listed on the SCRIP sign) won't you consider a purchase and help make this fundraiser a success? Your support is greatly appreciated.

Companions on the Journey

brings women together to focus on personal health and well being through education, empowerment and encouragement.

Meetings are held on the first and third Thursday of the month at the church beginning at 1:00 PM. Topics vary according to the interest of the group. Please join us for our **next meeting on August 15** and invite a friend. All are welcome. For more information about the group, please contact Jennifer (864-4303) or Sandra (864-6850).

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Communion Service
7:00 PM Finance Council Meeting
8 AM & 7 PM Holy Day Masses
1:00 PM Companions on the Journey
9:00 AM Catechist Retreat and Training
4:30 Mass - Back to School Blessing

JUST SAYING -

Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.



Psalm 33:12

From Bishop Persico—Next week's second collection for The Church in Latin America

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

As you know, many of our southern neighbors are experiencing serious crises. Nearly every day we hear dramatic stories about the migrant crisis on our southern border. In recent months the news has also been filled with stories about the economic collapse of Venezuela. The annual collection for the Church in Latin America (CLA) allows us to help.

The CLA helps provide lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, as well as marriage and family life programs to the millions of Catholics in Latin America who would otherwise have no access to them.

Today I ask you to renew your support for our brothers and sisters in Latin America. I invite you to pray for them and to support this year's Church in Latin America Collection, which will be taken up in the parishes of the Diocese of Erie on the weekend of **August 17-18**. Together we can make a real difference in the lives of our fellow Catholics throughout Latin America. Please know my gratitude for your generosity and be assured of my prayers.

Sincerely yours in Christ, *The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, JCL* Bishop of Erie



Holy Day of Obligation— Thursday, August 15, 2019 Masses at All Saints Parish at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM



AUGUST 11, 2019

Religious Education

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IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN!!

As we are gearing up to see our children go back to school and trying to fit in all of the things that we want to do, I thought I should pass on some important dates.

On August 17, our catechists and volunteers will be attending a mini retreat and training from 9-2. Please keep us in your prayers as we prepare for the upcoming year.

Also on August 17 & 18, Father Greg will be offering a "back to school blessing" for all students and teachers as they take on the challenges and excitement of a new school year.

August 25 will be our confirmation meeting for all 11th graders and parents from 6-7:30.



September 8 will mark the beginning of our sessions! We will have a welcome meeting and breakfast following 9:15 mass for ALL of our faith formation families! This will be very informative as you will get all of the information you need going into the 19/20 year. But also, we will be conducting an "Escape to Jesus" activity which is similar to an escape room if you have been lucky enough to go to one.

Last, but maybe most important, two of our youth at All Saints have taken up the challenge of forming a youth group. I would like to get a few more adult volunteers in place to help them meet their goals to get our younger generation more involved in the parish as a group. If you are interested in helping them out, please contact me or leave your name in the office with Lia.

I look forward to passing on more information to you each week through the parish website, but please know that you can reach out to me any time with questions, concerns or ideas!

God Bless, Maria

A Family Perspective

In today's gospel a servant WAITED for the master to return. Waiting is a normal part of family life. We wait for a child's birth, then for small legs to catch up. Later we wait for teenagers to return home safely. Finally we wait alone anticipating a call or visit from an adult child. Waiting is sacred time, for even in the waiting we are connected.

THE WATERFORD COMMUNITY FAIR!



The Waterford Community Fair is less than one month away; Monday, September 2 through Saturday, September 7.

Do you have two hours to volunteer for the All Saints food booth?

With everyone's help we can have another successful year. Look for the sign up sheet in the gathering space. Three people per shift are required. We also need volunteers to make fudge, you may also sign up to donate. If you have any questions, *call Mike Twaroski*, 796-6981. Thank you.

Annual CROP Walk scheduled in September

"To feed the hungry" is a work of mercy. Millions of people are hungry in our world, our country, our city. You can help! Hundreds of Erie area residents will join in the annual CROP Walk Sept. 15 at Presque Isle State Park. Twenty-five percent of money raised remains in Erie. Several Catholic parishes and organizations regularly participate, and groups such as Emmaus Soup Kitchen, St. Patrick's Food Pantry and the SSJ Neighborhood Network reap benefits on a yearly basis. Go to https:// www.crophungerwalk.org/eriepa.

Look for more information next week from All Saints CROP Walk coordinator Cindy First. Plan to walk with us on Sept. 15!

Zabawa- Holy Trinity's three day celebration

of their Polish Heritage will be held Friday, August 23, 5-10pm; Saturday, August 24, noon-10pm and Sunday, August 25, noon-6pm on the Parish grounds at East 23rd & Reed Sts. Festivities include authentic Polish food, bakery items and beverages. Free admission. Church and festival grounds are handicapped accessible. Additional parking and free shuttle service from lot at East 34th & Ash Streets. Info: 456-0671 or holytrinityrc.org

St. George Parish, 5145 Peach St., Erie, is hosting an outdoor concert — "<u>An August Night Under the Stars"</u> — <u>honoring the deacons of the Diocese of Erie.</u> The event will be held **Aug. 24 beginning at 6:30 p.m**. with music from The Rooftop Project, Chris and Julie Moore and Tom O'Camb of Tennessee Backporch, and various inspirational speakers. Tickets are \$20 each and can be purchased at the St. George rectory office during regular business hours or online at www.stgeorgeerie.org.

Win This Mustang! (see bulletin board for picture) The Erie Catholic School System is raffling off a 1967 Ford Mustang Coupe. ONLY 4800 tickets will be sold. Tickets are \$20.00 each. Visit ecss-raffle.org or call the Erie Catholic office at 814-806-2423. Drawing for the Mustang will take place Saturday, September 14, at Erie Catholic School System's All-American Classic Car show.

Readings for next Sunday, August 18 JER 38:4-6, 8-10; PS 40:2, 3, 4, 18; HEB 12:1-4; LK 12:49-53