All Saints Roman Catholic Church

A UGUST 21, 2022

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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 9:00 AM Holy Days at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

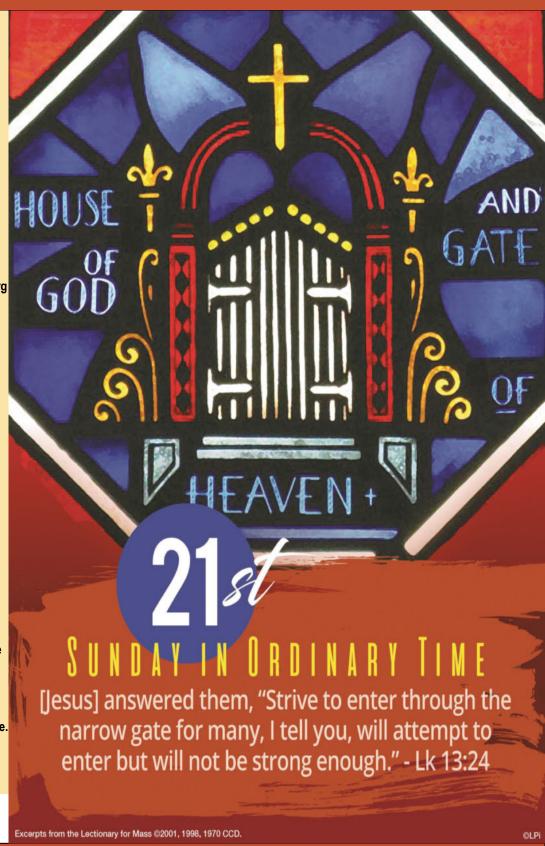
Confessions: Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM or by appointment

Office Hours: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

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

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





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ALL SAINTS PARISH WATERFORD, PA



August 20, 2022 – August 28, 2022

Sat.	8/20	4:30 PM	Dolores Garn
			(All Saints Ladies Society)
Sun.	8/21*	10:00 AM*	For the People
			Of All Saints Parish
			* NO MASS at 9:00 AM*
Mon.	8/22	8:00 AM	In Honor of our Grandchildren
			(Don and Lisa Chludzinski)
Tues.	8/23	8:00 AM	Mother's Day Remembrance
Wed.	8/24	NO Mass	
Thur.	8/25	NO Mass	
Fri.	8/26	8:00 AM	Willard Passauer
			(Judy Miculandra)
Sat.	8/27	4:30 PM	Norma Jean Dahlkemper
			(Jacklyn Gausman)
Sun.	8/28	9:00 AM	Rita Rose
			(Don Sonntag)

PRAYER REQUESTS



For those serving our country: Lt. Col. Sheila Day; Lt. Col. Matthew Day; Paul Scott, Army; Rebeckah Jackson, Airforce; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena, Army; Commander Michael T. McAraw; Violet Brashier, Coast Guard; Dell Krumpe, Coast Guard; Ben Krumpe, Air Force; Sam Riley, Army; Keith Riley, Army; Autumn Cornell; Nathan Cornell; Bryon Ripple; Brandon Ripple; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins, Army; Zane Loggins, Army (Call Pam McAraw, 814-397-1490, to add to the list)

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA is the informative and comfortable way for adults seeking answers in their lives to discover more about the Catholic Church and our faith. The RCIA provides an educational and spiritual opportunity to learn and discuss various aspects of the Catholic faith and its practices. This opportunity is for anyone:

- who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith
- who is baptized in another faith or not baptized and desires to become Catholic
- who has been worshipping with us but never officially took the step to become Catholic
- who has been away from the Church, has now returned and wants to know more
- who was not confirmed as a child or a teen and desires the sacrament of Confirmation

Please leave your name with Fr. Greg or call the parish office if you are interested or need more information. RCIA will begin in the fall for those interested.

Discipline is necessary for us to focus our attention and develop and refine our skills. A disciplined person has integrity and can make difficult but necessary choices. Most people do not like discipline, especially children. When we have to rise above our impulses and desires and do something challenging, it can appear as a punishment. The struggles of living a good and



effective Christian life, especially when we actively choose virtue over vice, are allowed by God and necessary for reaching spiritual maturity. God invites us to share in His Kingdom.

Hearing and accepting that invitation requires an active, conscious decision on our part. Reforming our lives and changing how we do things does not come easily. But it is precisely what is necessary for us to enter through the narrow gate that leads to life. Discipline is essential if we are going to discover our desire for union with our Creator and live in God's house. In this way we will not risk finding the door locked when we need it to be open.

REFLECT ON TODAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING IS 66:19-21

The final prophecy in the Book of Isaiah speaks about the end times when God will gather "all nations and tongues" and all the world will finally see the full "glory" of God. Why do you think this event has been revealed to us?

SECOND READING HEB 12:5-7, 11-13

Our author of Hebrews speaks of the trials and tribulations of our lives as a "discipline" from God meant to teach and train us. Can you think of a lesson learned from some difficult situations in your life?

GOSPEL READING LK 13:22-30

As Jesus continues on his journey to Jerusalem, he teaches the crowds about the urgency to accept his invitation for salvation. Why do you think so many people lack this sense of urgency for their own salvation?

If you as a young adult are wrestling with big questions about your future, don't worry — you are not alone! The Samuel Group is for young adults ages 20-30 who seriously desire to discern God's will for their lives. The Samuel Group is a seven-month journey that includes: monthly gatherings at Saint Mark Catholic Center, spiritual direction, prayer, talks, small group discussion, and accompaniment. The goal of the Samuel Group is for each participate to grow in self-knowledge and to hear and respond to God's call with an open heart. Applications are due September 1. Please visit our website for our informational video and application details: https://www.eriercd.org/youth/samuelgroup.html For more information contact Director of Vocations, Fr. Scott Jabo, at SWJabo@eriercd.org or Jillian Zaczyk, Director of Young Adult & Youth Ministry, at jzaczyk@eriercd.org

Religious Education

Maria Burkley—(814)969-2868 (call or text) Email: mariaburkley@allsaintsrcc.org

RELIGIOUS ED will begin again in September!!



Grades Kindergarten through 5 will meet on Sundays following Mass until 11:30. Grades 6 – 8 will meet every Wednesday evening from 6-7:30 with a parent component the first Wednesday of every month.

Grades 9-11 will meet on the second and fourth Wednesday of every month (with a few exceptions) but there will also be some Saturday or Sunday events too. The full schedule has been emailed to families and is available by the Religious Ed office or on the website. We understand that this is a change, but it is a very positive, exciting change that we think you will find beneficial as it rolls out across the diocese!



Our Backpack Blessing will take place during Mass on Sunday 8/28. **All** those who are going to school this fall are welcome to bring your

backpack to church and join us (this includes all of our teachers)! For those up to grade 5, we have a special tag for you to put on your backpack.

Children in Preschool through grade 4 are welcome to join "Miss Carol" and "Miss Lia" and others during the 9:00 AM Mass on Sundays for the Children's Liturgy of the Word starting on Aug. 28.



50/50's are being sold after Mass. We will pull the winning ticket at the Parish Picnic! The funds will go towards the families who are attending NCYC this fall! Other things that the youth will do at the Parish Picnic will include a bake sale and the beginning of a shirt sale! The NCYC team of families appreciate your support and prayers!

A Family Perspective

The phrase in today's gospel, "I don't know where you come from," is often used by parents about children and children about parents. Change is so rapid one generation has little in common with another. We must depend on love, trust, and mutual respect to bridge this gap.

"...for whom the Lord loves, he disciplines." (Hebrews 12:6) What does discipline look like in your family? As a parent is it easy for you to find effective ways to correct a toddler or teen? As a child do you resent a punishment or get over it quickly. Are there any changes that any of you would like to make?

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 8/21 *10:00 AM* Mass

Sunday, 8/21 11:00 AM PARISH PICNIC begins

Wed.&Thur., 8/24&25 NO Mass Thursday, 8/25 6:30 PM Rosary

Thursday, 8/25 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting

Saturday, 8/27 4:30 PM Mass

Sun. 8/21 After Mass

If you need to visit the parish during office hours, please call first, 814-796-3023, to make sure the office is open. If you do not see a car in the parking lot the office may still be open. You may also email the parish at allsaint@allsaintsrcc.org for anything you may need or leave a voicemail for Fr. Greg. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

The WEEKLY collection for August 14, 2022,

was \$1,515.00 from envelopes and \$1,090.00 from online giving for a total of \$2,605.00. Thank you.

The Collection for the Church in Latin America, is TODAY. The proceeds are used in dioceses, parishes, religious congregations, seminaries and other Catholic institutions. The collection also assists in the formation of priests, religious, lay ministers, missionaries, catechists and youth ministers. For more information on the Church in Latin America, and the many projects funded by the collection, please visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.

FROM THE BROTHERS OF THE SACRED HEART

ERIE DIOCESAN MINISTRY COOPERATIVE PLAN "Thank you for welcoming Brother Lucien Blain, SC, to All Saints and for giving him the opportunity to speak about the missionary work of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart in English-speaking Africa. The members of our congregation are also grateful to your parishioners for their prayerful support and generous financial assistance. I ask that you continue to remember us in your prayers. Be assured you are gratefully remembered in the prayers and Eucharistic liturgies of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart."

All Saints Parish collected and sent \$781.00 through the Diocese's Missionary Cooperative Plan.

All men and women parishioners of the Diocese of Erie are welcome to **join the St. Mark Seminary Auxiliary**, an organization established in 1945 to provide spiritual support to young men who have chosen a life of sacred service. The first meeting of the auxiliary this year is Sept. 13 beginning with a Mass at 7 p.m. in the chapel of St. Mark Seminary, 429 E. Grandview Blvd., Erie, followed by a brief meeting. Meetings are generally held the second Tuesday of the month. Seminarians attend the meeting so that auxiliary members have a chance to meet and visit with them. Participation in the auxiliary is not demanding, but the mission is fulfilling. For information, contact Kathy Holland at 814-440-3406.



Readings for next Sunday, August 28, 2022 SIR 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; PS 68:4-7, 10-11; HEB 12:18-19, 22-24; LK 14:1, 7-14



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Corinthians 4:18

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