# All Saints Roman Catholic Church

APRIL 23, 2023

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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

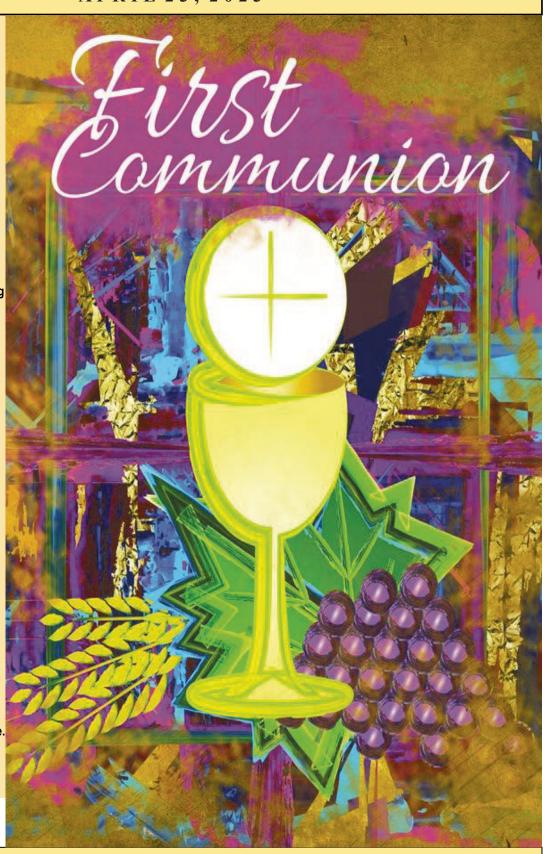
Confessions: Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM or by appointment

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.





ALL SAINTS PARISH WATERFORD, PA



## April 22, 2023 – April 30, 2023

4:30 PM	Dianne D'Annibale (Her Husband and Family)
9:00 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish
8:00 AM	For our Confirmation Candidates
8:00 AM	Mother's Day Remembrance
8:00 AM	Father's Day Remembrance
NO Mass	-
8:00 AM	Chris DeGeorge
	(Lorraine Bucklin)
4:30 PM	Mary Dee Piccirillo
	(Lavant and Mary Lou Johnson)
9:00 AM	For the People
	of All Saints Parish
	9:00 AM 8:00 AM 8:00 AM 8:00 AM NO Mass 8:00 AM 4:30 PM



The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week In loving memory of Dianne D'Annibale (From Her Husband and Family)



For those who need our prayer: Janet M., Ed Miseta, Betty Jones, Casen Hull, Marlene Kuzma, Carol Gradler, Christine Walsh, Dean Haupt, Sandy Williams, Fr. John Moineau, David S., Margaret, Albert B., Bob Fontanese, Jeannette Briggs, Rick Krol, Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Megan Spinks, Dan McAraw, people of Ukraine, (Call Denise Weigert, 814-464-6148, or the parish office)

For those who have died... Lord, hear our prayer...

For those serving our country: Garrett Dahn, Navy; Paul Scott, Army; Rebeckah DelSignore, Airforce; Anthony DelSignore; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena, Army; Commander Michael T. McAraw; Violet Brashier, Coast Guard; Ben Krumpe, Air Force; Sam Riley, Army; Keith Riley, Army; Autumn and Jason Ayers; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins, Army; Zane Loggins, Army (Call Pam McAraw, 814-397-1490, to add to the list)

GET YOUR TICKETS! "Spring in the Country" Luncheon and Gift Auction is on Sunday, May 21, 2023 sponsored by the All Saints Ladies Society.

Tickets are \$10 each and will be sold after Mass in the gathering space.

**50/50 tickets** will also be sold. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Proceeds will fund the new landscaping on each side of the entrance to the church happening this spring!

Please consider a donation of a gift basket or single items for the Gift Auction (Chinese auction) for the Ladies Society Donations can be left in the box in the gathering space or you may drop them off during the week in the office. Thank you!

# LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

It wasn't until Christ spoke the words of blessing over the bread that the eyes of the disciples were opened, and they saw him for who he was — God in flesh and blood before them. The Eucharist makes real what we otherwise would fail to see. GLIFI

#### REFLECT ON TODAY'S READINGS

#### FIRST READING ACTS 2:14, 22-33

Peter's first public speech in Jerusalem focuses on Jesus' connection to King David. In other words, Peter spoke of God's fidelity to Israel in Jesus' resurrection from the dead. What would you like to know about Jesus' Jewish roots?

#### SECOND READING 1 PT 1:17-21

Peter encourages his community to "conduct yourselves with reverence during the time of your sojourning" (life on earth). How might you show respect to others this week?

#### GOSPEL READING LK 24:13-35

We hear how the two disciples on the road to Emmaus finally recognized the risen Jesus in the blessing and breaking of the bread. What helps you recognize the presence of Jesus in your life? ©LPi

Bishop Lawrence Persico has written an introductory letter to the clergy, women and men religious and lay faithful in order to inform them about the ongoing pastoral planning efforts in the Diocese of Erie.

The letter will be followed by a series of letters designed to help people understand the situation more fully. Among the statistics included is the fact that Mass attendance in the diocese has declined by 78 percent since 1990. "We must think of ourselves as a diocese, mindful of the needs of all of our sisters and brothers, as we lay out a sustainable plan for the future," the bishop writes. "What needs to happen in order to care for all of the people in our diocese?" The full letter can be found at <a href="https://www.eriercd.org/planning.html">www.eriercd.org/planning.html</a>.

THE WINNERS OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BEEF RAFFLE WERE MIKE DOUGAN AND STEVE SHELTON. CONGRATULATIONS!

## Waterford Community Food Drive to benefit the Waterford Community Food Pantry

Saturday, May 13, 9:00 am-Noon

Drop off at Asbury Methodist, 27 West 2nd Street Food, cleaning supplies, hygiene items or monetary donations are needed. Items always needed include coffee, cake & brownie mix, breakfast bars, pop tarts, cereal, soups, spaghetti sauce & crackers, but all items are appreciated!

Can't make it that day? You can drop items off anytime to the bin on the porch of the food pantry- 140 West 6th Street, in Waterford.



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**Religious Education Class schedule:** Wednesday, Apr. 26, 6:00 PM Gr. 6-7-8 EDGE Sunday, Apr. 30, 10:00 AM Gr. PreK-5 Wednesday, May 3, 6:00 PM PURPOSE activity



Congratulations Nicodemus Kolash, Eyla Strimel, and Lauren Strobel as we celebrate the Sacrament of First Holy Communion with you!



Welcome, also, our Confirmation Candidates— Morgan Beer, Jacob Bennett, Allyson Blum, Carter Brown, Nathan Buerk, Kody Bukoski, Brendan Cihon-Schoenfeldt, Mason Friedman, Joseph Galbraith, Abigail Green, Gabriella Green, Rvan Haves, Isabella Johnson, Joshua Pennock, Christopher Pennock, Joseph Przybycien III, Lydia Reinsel, Alec Riazzi, Emily Samluk, Luca White— and their Sponsors who are joining us for Mass. All parishioners are invited to attend their celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation on Monday, April 24 at 7:00 PM.

#### A Family Perspective

In today's gospel the disciples were returning home so "downcast" they did not recognize Jesus walking with them. In our homes we can be so overwhelmed with responsibilities we don't see God with us, either. Today's gospel tells us to pause and open our eyes to "see Christ" in each other.

#### **Child Abuse Prevention Month:**

Throughout the Gospel, Christ calls upon His followers to care for the most vulnerable among us, especially children. Mandated Reporters in the Diocese of Erie are people who hold positions of trust in our schools, parishes, agencies, and institutions and are mandated by Pennsylvania law and the diocesan Policy for the Protection of Children to report suspected abuse of a minor. All employees and volunteers working/serving for the Diocese of Erie, in our parishes, schools or agencies are mandated reporters both legally and morally obligated to report any reasonable suspected or known child abuse to ChildLine, the local police, or other appropriate agency. Visit www.eriercd.org/childprotection/ to learn the specific reporting procedures required by the diocese.

#### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 4/23 9:00 AM Mass - First Communion Sunday, 4/23 After Mass—Celebration in the Social Hall Sunday, 4/23 Confirmation practice after the social Monday, 4/24 7:00 PM The Sacrament of Confirmation

Wednesday, 4/26 6:00 PM EDGE Thursday, 4/27 NO Mass

Thursday, 4/27 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting

Saturday, 4/29 4:30 PM Mass



The WEEKLY collection for April 16, 2023 was \$1,840 from envelopes and \$1,832 online for a total of \$3,672. Thank you.

The Quarterly Collection for the Waterford Food and Summit Food Pantries will be held this weekend, April 22 & 23.





Next Sunday, the Fourth Sunday of Easter, is known as "Good Shepherd" Sunday. We will have our annual collection for the retired priests of our diocese. Please prayerfully consider a financial gift to this collection to show your gratitude for the many years of dedication and faithful service these men have given to the people of the Diocese of Erie.

There are envelopes in your packet, this collection is available online, or you may use any envelope and mark it "Good Shepherd Collection." Our retired priests thank you.

This is the last weekend for the Catholic Relief Services "Rice Bowl" collection and the Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land. Thank you.

#### LOST AND FOUND:

Please take a look on the ledge of the window in the parish office at the collection of jewelry and determine if anything is yours or if you may know the owner. Also, please check the box by the bulletin board before those items are purged.

Readings for next Sunday, April 30, 2023 ACTS 2:14a, 36-41; PS 23: 1-3a, 3b4, 5, 6;

1 PT 2:20b-25; JN 10:1-10



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So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

Corinthians 4:18

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