All Saints Roman Catholic Church

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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

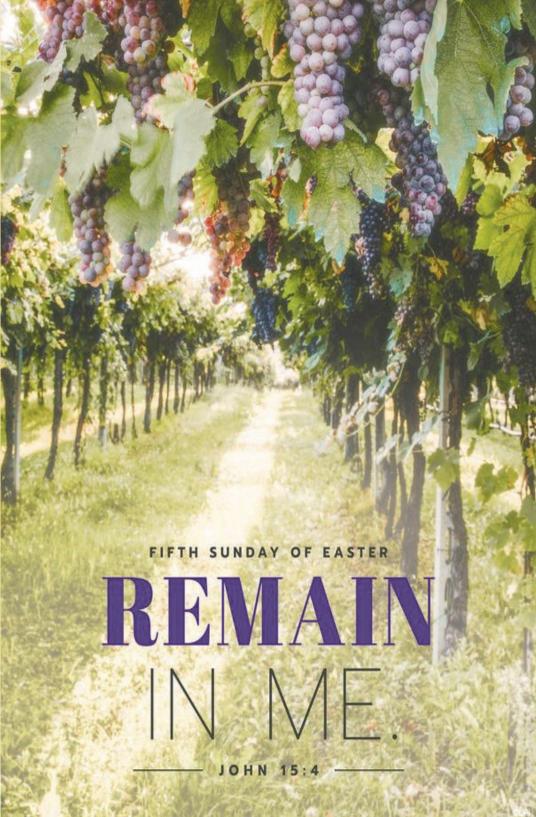
Office Hours: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

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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WATERFORD, PA



April 27, 2024 – May 5, 2024

Sat.	04/27	4:30 PM	For the People
Sun.	04/28	9:00 AM	of All Saints Parish Marlene Kuzma
Mon.	04/29	8:00 AM	(Joe and Roberta Kuzma) A Special Intention for
Tues.	04/30	8:00 AM	Cindy Welka For Vocations in the
Wed.	05/01	No Mass	Diocese of Erie
Thur.	05/02	8:00 AM	Mark Borowy (Borowy Family)
Fri.	05/03	8:00 AM	Virginia Kuhn
Sat.	05/04	4:30 PM	(Mark and Val Rose) For the People
Sun.	05/05	9:00 AM	of All Saints Parish Jerry Damond (Sharon Siciliano)



Matt H., Erin Peters, David S., Betty J., Sandy, Mary L., Patty Stebick, Christine Beers, Joe Mazur, Mr. G., Cindy Welka, Donna Welka, Janet M., Dave P., Betty Jones, Casen Hall, Sue B., Dean Haupt, Sandy Williams, Fr. John Moineau, Margaret, Jeannette Briggs, Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Deacon Bill Spinks, Dan McAraw, for peace for the people experiencing war in our world (To add or remove from the list call the parish office)

And for those serving our country: SPC E-4 Riley Schack, National Guard; Cadet Alexis Johnson, Army; PFC Matthew R. Johnson, USMC; 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; CPL Luke Davis, Army National Guard (Call Pam McAraw, 814-397-1490)

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

FIRST READING ACTS 9:26-31 The disciples were unwilling to trust that Saul (Paul) was a true believer until Barnabas offered support for Saul. How easily do you trust people you don't know well?

SECOND READING 1 JN 3:18-24 John speaks of the importance of know -ing in your heart that you believe in Jesus and truly love others. How does anyone know what is in their heart?

GOSPEL READING JN 15:1-8 Using the metaphor of a vine and branches, Jesus speaks of the importance of staying connected to him and the Father. When do you feel close to Jesus?



LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Every Christian is a vine awaiting the loving attention of our gardener to prune and perfect us, to remove the parts of ourselves that are dead so that the fruitful parts burst forth with life. Trust the wisdom of the gardener. He alone can make us bloom. ^{©LPi}



NEXT WEEKEND! "Spring in the Country" Luncheon and Gift Auction Sunday, May 5, 2024 1:00 to 4:00 PM (doors open 12:30)

Tickets will be available before and after Mass this weekend, and at the door. You can also order tickets online by clicking the link on our website. 50/50 tickets are also available!

Knights of Columbus News-2024 Baby Bottle Fundraiser

The Knights of Columbus in Erie and Crawford Counties are conducting our 3rd annual Baby Bottle Fundraiser. Your charitable donations thus far have enabled the Knights to purchase five state of the art Ultrasound Machines and a Mobile Ultrasound Clinic for the Women's Care Center of Erie. Since then, 661 babies have been born to women after they viewed their ultrasounds. They chose life for their babies even though they were originally abortion bound.

The Women's Care Center is now facing a difficult crisis. For the past thirty years, the State of PA allocated funds to organizations such as the Women's Care Center that promote childbirth as an option, rather than abortion by providing pregnancy and parenting support services. The current Governor of Pennsylvania made the decision to end this program. This has caused a significant loss of funding to our Women's Care Center's Erie locations that need our financial support more than ever.

Baby bottles will be distributed in May. Please take one home and fill it with spare change, cash, or checks. Envelopes will also be available as an option to the Baby Bottles. The bottles and envelopes should be returned the weekend of June 22-23. We thank you in advance for your kind generosity, and pray you will once again join us in our continuing efforts in saving the lives of the unborn.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



All Saints Parish Faith Formation Leader Maria Burkley (814)969-2868 (call or text) Email: mariaburkley@allsaintsrcc.org

<u>FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE</u> Sunday, April 28, 10:00 AM - Summer Kick Off



SUMMER FUN IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER!!

This Sunday is the last week for Preschool-5th grade! Parents are welcome to stay for coffee, donuts, and fellowship while the kids have some fun together!

While families usually travel during the summer, please watch your email and the bulletin for some events that we are planning. It would be great to get together at least once each month – more info will be coming soon!!

<u>Children's Liturgy of the Word</u> will conclude today for the summer months. See you in September!

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments Child Abuse Prevention Month: Recent statistics tell us one out of every ten children will be abused before they turn 18. 91% of sexual abuse is perpetrated by someone the child or the child's family knows. This means that on every Sunday in our congregation there are people who have been abused and may continue to experience the pain of that abuse. Reaching out to those who have suffered from abuse is critical in bringing hope and the love of Christ to them. Assistance is available for victims/survivors of clergy sexual abuse by contacting the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Dr. Gerard Tobin at 814-451-1521.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday 4/289:00 AM MassSunday 4/2810:00 AM Faith Formation Summer Kick OffWednesday 5/01NO MassThursday 5/021:00 PM Companions on the JourneyThursday 5/027:00 PM Parish CouncilSaturday 5/044:30 PM Mass



The quarterly collection for the Waterford and Summit Food Pantries is this weekend. Thank you for your generosity.

THANK YOU FROM PRIESTS

Last weekend, our parish took a special collection to support our retired diocesan priest fund. We appreciate your generous response to share in the care of those faithful priests who have ministered to your spiritual needs. Your priests truly appreciate your support.

If you would like to add your support to 2024 Good Shepherd Collection for Erie Diocesan Retired Priests, you may still return the special collection envelope for Good Shepherd in upcoming collections or mail to the Parish Office. You may also send to Office of Finance for the Diocese of Erie, please make notation for Good Shepherd Collection on the check or envelope. Online contributions can be made from the Diocesan webpage https://www.eriercd.org/Good-Shepherd-Collectionmaterials.html ACCEPTIVA is available for secure online giving with a credit or debit card.

The Catholic Foundation of the Diocese of Erie also has an Endowment for Clergy Health and Welfare if you would like to remember a special priest with a gift or bequest to this Diocesan Endowment to benefit our priests.

The MINISTRY SCHEDULE to sign up for lectors, altar servers, and Eucharistic ministers for May (including Ascension Thursday) can be found on the table in the gathering space. Please take a moment to look at the schedule and fill in a spot where you are available.

In the Mass Intentions last week, Thursday's Mass was for Dean and Nancy Haupt who celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary. (*The bulletin said it was their 50th.*) Blessings!

THURSDAY, MAY 2ND NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Readings for next Sunday, May 5, 2024 ACTS 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; PS 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 1 JN 4:7-10; JN 15:9-17

