

The Parish Community of Saint Therese's ~ Shavertown, Pennsylvania



PENTECOST

All were filled with the
HOLY SPIRIT

Pentecost May 20, 2018

*Sunday in the Park with God...
and each other!*

“CARING FOR OUR COMMON HOME”

WHEN: Sunday, June 10, 2018, at 1:00 P.M.

WHERE: Frances Slocum State Park.
Pavilion 3 at the lake.

WHY: An opportunity to celebrate and
acknowledge our promise to care for the earth,
our common home.

WHAT: Outdoor Mass (satisfies your Sunday
obligation) with thoughtful reflections on
Laudato Si' (Pope Francis' Encyclical).

- Blessings of the land and water.
 - Refreshments.

**A FREE-WILL OFFERING WILL BE TAKEN
TO BENEFIT THE BACK MT. TRAIL**

**PLEASE RSVP TO TERRI AT 696-1144 (EXT. 10)
BY JUNE 1.**



The Altar & Rosary
Society will meet at **6
P.M. (please note new
time)** on Wednesday,

June 6th, in Fr. Sammons' Hall for a covered
dish supper. Bring your favorite dish to share
and your own place setting. A wonderful buffet
is always enjoyed by all. **All women of the
parish are welcome to attend!** Donations for
the Back Mountain Food Pantry are appreciat-
ed.

Note: July and August are a time to step
back from monthly meetings and enjoy the
blessings of the summer season. We will re-
sume again in September.



Calendar of Events

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| Tuesday | 5:00pm | Confirmation (C) |
| Friday | 6:30pm | Back Mt. Free Medical & Legal Clinic (65 Davis St.) |
| Saturday | 6:00pm | Ten Great Dates (H) |
| Sunday | 12:00pm | Baptisms (C) |

Community

**10 Great Dates to ENERGIZE your
Marriage** (A program to help spark
romance with memory making evenings)

Dates are held the fourth Saturday of each
month. Topics do not build on each other.
Therefore, you do not need to attend every
month to benefit and you do not need to com-
mit to all 10 dates. **Next session: Saturday,
May 26.**

Dates **start at 6:00 pm** in Father Sammons Hall.
The night begins with a 15 minute DVD, be-
fore you leave for your personal date. Date
ideas include dinner, taking a walk, taking a
drive, etc. Anything that will allow discussion
time with each other.

There is **no fee** to attend, and the Parish will
provide the accompanying book for free. Call
Terri to register NOW!



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Campaign**
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Thank you for your generosity to last week's
collection for the Catholic Communication
Campaign (CCC). Your support will help the
CCC connect millions of people with Christ and
spread the gospel message. If you missed the
collection, it's not too late to give! Visit
www.usccb.org/nationalcollections, and click on
the "How to Give" link on the left.

Registration is open for Up & Over, the diocesan middle school experience. This retreat focuses on problem solving through self-confidence and teamwork. Each student will encounter Christ in profound ways throughout the weekend and come away with a new understanding of what it means TO BE CHURCH and TO LIVE CHURCH.



**Up & Over Retreat
June 1-3, 2018
Camp Orchard Hill
Dallas, PA
Grades 6-8**

Register online at DioceseofScranton.org

Calling All Drivers!!!

Meals on Wheels Wyoming Valley is in serious need of people to make deliveries.
(Food pick up in Kingston.)

If you have 1 1/2 hours (9:30am — 11:00 am) and can help with this important work, please call Amy at [570-288-1023](tel:570-288-1023) today!!

Congratulations & Best Wishes to

Danielle Corgan & Connor Lenahan
who were recently married at St. Therese's.



May the Lord bless this union.

WE NEED YOUR HELP

Since Geisinger will no longer provide us with patient information when we call, we NEED YOU to contact Terri in the Parish Office (696-1144) when you or a loved one is hospitalized. Father Jim and the members of our Hospital Visitation Ministry will be happy to pay a visit. Please DO NOT hesitate to call us!

Eucharistic Wine: In Memoriam

The altar wine blessed at our weekend liturgies is being offered as a memoriam for a loved one. If you are interested in memorializing a family member or friend who has passed away, please call the rectory 570-696-1144 for information and details.

In Memoriam

The Eucharistic Wine consecrated at our masses on the weekend of May 19th & 20th is donated in loving memory of Cassie Kaleta by Family.

Worship

The Celebration of the Eucharist

- Mon. 9:00AM Edward J. Kupstas, Jr.; Patti Kupstas & Sons
- Tue. 9:00AM **NO 9:00AM MASS**
- Wed. 9:00AM Andrew Dominik (Anniv.);
Wife, Clare
- Thu. 9:00AM Theresa Michaels; Hoover & Phillips Families
- Fri. 9:00AM **For Our Living & Deceased Mothers**
- Sat. 5:00PM Sarah Sicurella; Neice, Sandra Touw
- Sun. 7:30AM Maria Therese Alexander; Mom, Dad & Scott
- 9:00AM Emilio & Anna Pedriani;
Frank Pedriani
- 11:00AM Carol Hinchey; Family

WEEKEND MASS CELEBRANTS

May 26-27, 2018

- Saturday **5:00PM**—Fr. Alco
- Sunday **7:30AM**—Fr. Paisley
- 9:00AM**—Fr. Paisley
- 11:00AM**—Fr. Paisley

"Spirit of Service" Day

Thanks to all those who volunteered for our "Spirit of Service" Day on June 9th. Someone from the Stewardship Committee will be contacting you this month with details concerning your project. We are most grateful for your SERVICE!

**Visit our web site at stthereses-shavertown.com and click on NEWS for more information and details.

Notice Regarding Reporting Sexual Abuse of a Minor

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator Mary Beth Pacuska at (570-862-7551) or to Diocesan officials, including the Vicar General, Monsignor Thomas M. Muldowney, V.G., at (570-207-2269).

**Little Sisters of the Poor
to host Twelfth Annual Golf Tournament
on Saturday, June 9**

For more information, please contact Mrs. Jackie Galvin, M.S., director of development and communications, at (570) 343-4065 ext. 3144 or scdevelopment@littlesistersofthepoor.org. Golf registration is also available at www.littlesistersofthepoorscranton.org.

All proceeds will be used to support the ministry of the Little Sisters of the Poor.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Bridge: A Program of Catholic Social Services of the Diocese of Scranton—Volunteers needed to spend an hour or two a week with a child. Become a mentor to a child. Must be at least 16 years old and a Junior in High School. For more information go to: <http://www.bbbsnepa.org/>

Commitment of Treasure

"Give to the Most High God, as God has given to you, generously, according to your means, for the Lord is one who always repays, and God will give back to you seven-fold."
Sirach 35: 9-10

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| Collection Date: | Sunday, 05/11/2018 | | |
| Adult Offertory | \$12,431.00 | | |
| Children's Offertory | \$62.17 | | |
| Loose | \$552.00 | | |
| Adult Env. | 512/1,349 | Child Env. | 49/200 |

Stewardship of Faith

Share the gift of faith by inviting a family member or friend to Church!

Attendance weekend Eucharist (May 12-13, 2018)

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| 5:00pm | 237 | 7:30am | 188 | 9:00am | 275 |
| 11:00am | 292 | SFC | 75 | Total | 1,067 |

Neighborhood News

ANNUAL PICNIC SLATED AT ST. FRANCES X. CABRINI CHURCH

Monday, May 28, from 11:00 A.M. until 2:30 P.M. on the church grounds at 585 Mount Olivet Road (Carverton), Wyoming.

A vendor flea market will open on Monday, 8 :00am—2:30pm. A special Memorial Day mass will be celebrated at 11:00am in Church by the Reverend James J. Paisley, Pastor.

Featured this year will be a vendor flea market, bake sale, basket raffle, and a 50/50 drawing. Delicious homemade food items included at the picnic will be pork barbecue, sausage and peppers, wimpies, hot dogs, halushki, potato salad, baked beans and hot/cold refreshments. The bake sale and basket raffle will also be open on Sunday, May 27, from 9am to 11:30am.

The Parish Community of St. Frances X. Cabrini invites all in the area to join in this "rain or shine" community-building event. The church is located directly across from Mount Olivet Cemetery.

This is to honor the day of grace when



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| <i>Gabriel Allen</i> | <i>Emily Jackson</i> | <i>Cara Pocono</i> |
| <i>Francis Atherholt</i> | <i>Olivia Jorda</i> | <i>Olivia Podskoch</i> |
| <i>David Biscontini</i> | <i>Alexa Karlowicz</i> | <i>Jason Puza</i> |
| <i>Benjamin Bradley</i> | <i>Olivia Kandler</i> | <i>Gabriella Randazzo</i> |
| <i>Emma Brown</i> | <i>Kyle Kintz</i> | <i>Kalie Rizzo</i> |
| <i>Mitchell Burgess</i> | <i>Faith Knorr</i> | <i>Maggie Ropietski</i> |
| <i>Julia Buro</i> | <i>Olivia Kochan</i> | <i>Gabriele Ruggiero</i> |
| <i>Olivia Buro</i> | <i>Kyle Langan</i> | <i>Morgan Sakulich</i> |
| <i>Delaney Butler</i> | <i>James LeHane</i> | <i>Dominick Saracino</i> |
| <i>Sawyer Christman</i> | <i>Nicole Leo</i> | <i>Gabriella Schmolli</i> |
| <i>Ann Grace Clarke</i> | <i>Kate Lettieri</i> | <i>Sarah Sedeski</i> |
| <i>John Paul Clerico</i> | <i>Abigail Lusheski</i> | <i>Alivia Serkoski</i> |
| <i>Logan Dal Santo</i> | <i>Olivia Maniskas</i> | <i>Michael Sholtis</i> |
| <i>Audrey DelGaudio</i> | <i>Aidan Mateos</i> | <i>Victoria Smulowitz</i> |
| <i>Jake DelGaudio</i> | <i>Skyler May</i> | <i>John Sobocinski</i> |
| <i>Leah Dettore</i> | <i>Morgan McAndrew</i> | <i>Morgan Solano</i> |
| <i>Patrick Doran</i> | <i>Mallory McGeehan</i> | <i>Gabriella Spaciano</i> |
| <i>Claire Dougherty</i> | <i>Ashley Metz</i> | <i>Caroline Stallard</i> |
| <i>Ty Federici</i> | <i>Margaret Mihalick</i> | <i>Abbey Stokes</i> |
| <i>Austin Finarelli</i> | <i>Logan Miller</i> | <i>Jordon Wagner</i> |
| <i>Isabella Fitzgerald</i> | <i>Kyleigh Motley</i> | <i>Hunter Wesolowski</i> |
| <i>Adrian Flores</i> | <i>John Mulcahy</i> | <i>Matthew White</i> |
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| <i>Kaitlyn Hodakowski</i> | <i>Calli Ogurki</i> | <i>Kaylin Zelinski</i> |
| <i>Megan Hogan</i> | <i>Colleen O'Malley</i> | <i>McKenzie Zimmerman</i> |
| | <i>Bryan Osipower</i> | |

*members of the Churches of Saint Therese and St. Frances X. Cabrini will receive the
Sacrament of Confirmation - May 22, 2018*

Let us keep these children in our prayers as they make preparations for the Sacrament.

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