

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 21, 2015



Statue of
St. Joseph at
St. Patrick
Church

Saint Patrick Parish

Saint Hedwig Parish

Serving the East Bayfront of Erie since 1837

Daily Mass 8 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass 5 PM

Sunday 8 AM & 10:30 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass 4 PM

Monsignor Henry Kriegel, Pastor

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From the Pastor's Desk.....

Today is the Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time and we read from the Book of Job. In ancient Israel, there were three people who could speak with authority: the priest whose main duty was to instruct in the law; the prophet whose main duty was to convey God's word; and the sage whose function was to provide wise advice. The author of the Book of Job is unknown but would fall into the category of a sage. The Book of Job is the best known of the OT's "wisdom books." Long before Israel came into existence, Egypt, Mesopotamia and Phoenicia had produced wisdom literature. Israelite authors borrowed and adapted this but brought a unique element to the table: monotheism, belief in one God. Today's excerpt is near the end of the book when Job and his friends discuss why the innocent suffer. Prior to today's reading Job has expressed his outrage to God over suffering. Today God answers. The entire response from God can be summarized this way: the wise person finds meaning in suffering and trusts that the Lord governs the universe with purpose and fidelity.

When Paul wrote his Second Letter to the Corinthians in 55 AD, conditions had deteriorated from when he wrote the first letter a few months earlier. Paul had to defend himself against teachers who were telling the Corinthians not to listen to Paul who points to unity in Christ which can transcend their current divisions.

Mark alone gives us this account of Jesus calming the seas which he intends to show his divinity. As we heard in the first reading, God alone controls the sea. Then Jesus' question to them asking why they are afraid ("Do you not yet have faith?") reinforces one of the major themes of Mark's gospel: without faith, you are blind to Jesus' identity as Messiah and Son of God. By the time this scene plays out, the disciples have

witnessed many of Jesus' deeds, his teachings and his private lessons to them. That the disciples are still uncertain about Jesus' identity is intended by Mark to point the long process involved for many of us in coming to faith. Remember, in Mark, Jesus is endlessly frustrated by the lack of understanding and faith in his disciples.

We had an incident recently at St. Patrick's when a homeless man came into church and was lighting tapers and trying to set fire to the money box which is in the back of church for donations. Fortunately, we saw him on the security camera in the office and were able to get the police who caught him based on the security cameras. We're going to remove those money boxes. We simply don't need them.

As I mentioned recently, we received a check from our insurance company for \$43,000 toward the cost of replacing the boiler in St. Patrick's Church. Several people very generously gave gifts to help toward that cost and that money enables us to cover the deductible on the insurance as well as clean up other areas in the boiler room. There are more cut off and plugged pipes down there than you can imagine, and thanks to your generosity, the area is now first class.

As frightening as the explosion of the boiler was in February, we now end up with the church having a new air conditioning system, new heating system, all new wiring and new plumbing. There is always something good that comes out of the darkness.

The St. Patrick Food Pantry distributed 14,399 pounds of food during the month of May to a total of 656 families. The cost to the parish was \$1,546.92. Thanks to your ongoing generosity, we are able to provide this service to people who, in many ways, would not have adequate food. Of the people served in May, 401 were elderly and

From the Pastor's Desk continued.....

901 were children.

We have to replace one of the freezers in the Food Pantry at a cost of approximately \$20,000. We have applied to the Erie Community Foundation for at least a partial grant toward the freezer. And thanks to your generosity, it appears that we will have enough in the Food Pantry account to cover the difference.

To date, 191 families in the parish have pledged \$93,000 toward the Catholic Services Appeal this year. This enables us to pay down \$47,000 on our restoration debt and pay the assessment to the diocese of \$46,000. That only leaves \$7,000 toward our goal of \$100,000. Almost 600 families in the parish have not responded. If you are one of them, would you consider a gift of any size?

A happy Father's Day to all of the fathers in both parishes. I will remember them at Mass today and will include any of your deceased fathers.

The Finance Councils of both parishes will meet this week to review and discuss the recommendations from the recent audit of the parishes by the diocese. When I came here six years ago I requested an audit of both parishes so that I could start off with a clean record. The parishes had been audited just two years earlier, but I still held my ground that I wanted an audit to mark the beginning of my term as pastor and that was done. There are finally a multitude of safeguards in place throughout the diocese for financial responsibility.

George bought a new Porsche and was sailing down the highway at 85 mph when he heard a siren behind him. Knowing that the policeman could not catch his sports car, he accelerated up to 90 and then 100 mph. Finally, realizing the futility of it, he pulled over. The cop took his information and said to him, "It's been a long day, this is the end of my shift and it's Friday the 13th. I don't feel like more paperwork so if you can give me an excuse that I've never heard before, I'll let you go." George thought for a second and said, "Last week my wife ran off with a cop, and I was afraid you were trying to give her back." "Have a nice weekend," said the officer.

Saint Hedwig News



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY



Our Sanctuary Lamp burns this week in loving memory of **Ted Mielnik** requested by Irene and family.

Our Lady's Shrine Lamp burns in loving memory **Chester Juchno** requested by the Juchno family.

St. Joseph Shrine Lamp burns in loving memory of **All Fathers Living and Deceased.**

Please remember in your prayers those in the hospital, nursing care, the military and the home-

Our offertory for last week was **\$552.00**; Catholic Services Appeal Update: **\$12,660**; Nepal collection update **\$195.00**. Thank you and God bless.

Memorials to St. Hedwig Church

In memory of **Mark Kutz** from George and Gail Torbic, In memory of **Charlotte Niewolak** from Mary Lou Scottino.

Summer Festival Collection

St. Hedwig's does not have a Festival, instead, we depend on your generosity to give as if you were buying raffle tickets or playing games of chance. The proceeds of this collection go directly to and stay with St. Hedwig and are used to help cover our regular operating expenses. Because of the one weekend Mass, we are showing a deficit in our regular offertory collection. Your contributions are needed.

Made 2 Worship

7pm at St. George Church, confessions begin at 6:30pm. Join us the first Wednesday of the month (July thru November). Uplifting evenings of story, song and Eucharistic Adoration.

"Go on your way, behold, I am sending you like lambs among wolves."

Luke 10:3

St. Hedwig Ministry Schedule

June 27

Saturday

4:00 PM

Lector

Tom Kurpiewski

PRAY THE

Eucharist

Judy Pentz

ROSARY

Ushers

Tom Kurpiewski

DAILY

Art Blum

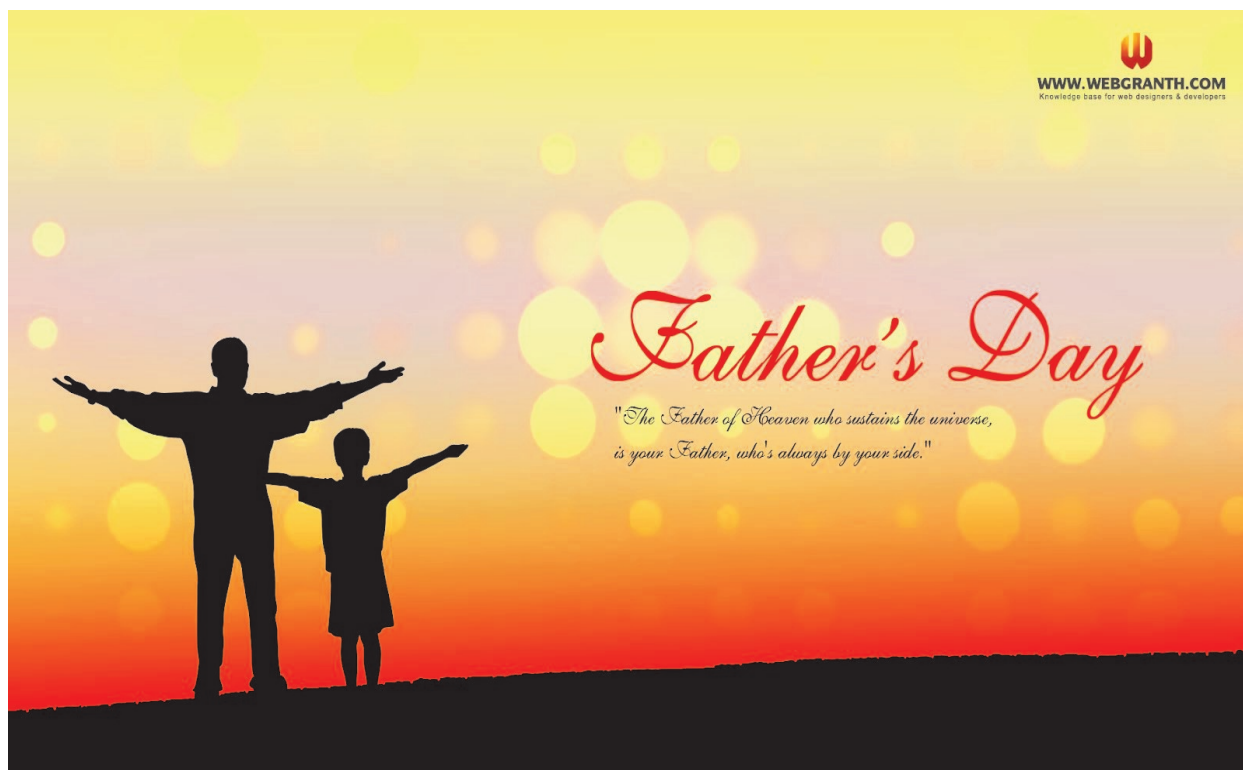
St. Hedwig Father's Day Intentions

Requested By

In Memory Of (IMO) / In Honor Of (IHO)

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| Larry & Dolly Bargielski..... | MO Casimir Bargielski, Emil Waida |
| Sandra Belczyk (Daughter) | IMO Robert A. Belczyk |
| Art & Marge Blum | IMO Stanley Kurpiewski |
| David Borowy | IMO Joseph Borowy |
| Chris Buszek | IMO Frank Buszek |
| Corrine J. (Byrne) Cassa | IMO Thomas P. Byrne |
| Dolores Dombkowski..... | IMO Richard Dombkowski, Clarence Zielinski, Boleslaw Tyczkowski, Stanley Dombkowski |
| Helen Dombrowski | IMO Alexander Dombrowski |
| Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Domowicz | IMO Stanley Domowicz Sr. |
| Peggy Gausman..... | IMO Eugene Cieri |
| Jim Gorski | IMO John Gorski |
| Jeanne & Roland Henderson | IMO Joseph Kowalewski, Howard Henderson, Edward Szewczyk, Henry Konkowski, Stanley Szewczyk, Frank, John and Stanley Kowalewski |
| Angie & Joe Hoderny..... | IMO Norbert Bargielski, Ignatius Hoderny |
| Catherine Jankowski | IMO Ignacy Szymula, Walter Jankowski |
| Daniel & Diane Jarzomski | IMO Stanley Rock, Alphonse Jarzomski |
| Barbara Juchno..... | IMO Chester Juchno |
| Theresa Juchno | IMO Chester Juchno, George Juchno, Anthony Kantorowski, Ray Kantorowski |
| Dr. John C. Kalata Jr | IMO John Kalata, Sr. (Father) |
| Betty Krysiak | IMO Thomas Krysiak |
| Katie Kurpiewski | IHO Thomas Kurpiewski |
| Tom Kurpiewski | IMO Stanley Kurpiewski, Albert Skibicki |
| Lipinski family | IMO Stanley S. Lipinski |
| Charlotte Mabie..... | IMO Maurice Foley, Rome Mabie |
| Alexis & Jenna Mabie..... | IMO Albert (Micky) Mabie |
| Dorothy Mielnik..... | IMO George Mielnik |
| Irene Mielnik | IMO Thaddeus Mielnik, Stanley Wieczorek, George Mielnik |
| Mr. & Mrs. Richard Mielnik | IMO Mr. George Mielnik, Mr. Stephen Pawlak |
| Don Moehler | IMO John T. Moehler |
| Janice Moskel..... | IMO Stanley Flowers, Metro Moskel, Richard Moskel IHO Doug Russell |
| Rose Niedzwiecki..... | IMO Joseph Stawniak, Robert Niedzwiecki, Robert T. Niedzwiecki |
| Dan Nowosielski | IMO Family |
| Lou Ann Nowosielski & family | IMO Edward C. Miller, Daniel J. Nowosielski |
| Ray, Gemma, Portia & Yvonne | IMO Daniel Nowosielski, Norberto Jagoren |
| Portia & Yvonne Nowosielski | IHO Raymond Nowosielski |

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| Pauline Osmer (Daughter)..... | IMO I. Paul Malinowski |
| Theresa Paluh | IMO Walter Bubrzyk |
| Judy & Peter Pentz | IMO Matt Plizga, Bernard Donikowski |
| Harriet Purzycki, daughter | IMO My Dad, Mieczyslaw Purzycki |
| Rod Showers | IHO Andrew Affrica |
| Dino and Emily Sorbara | IMO William Sorbara |
| Mary Jo & Robert Sulecki..... | IMO Father Chester Loncki, George Mielnik, |
| ..... | Robert Sulecki, Frank Loncki |
| Bobby J. Sulecki..... | IMO Grandfathers Chester Loncki and Robert Sulecki, |
| ..... | George Mielnik and Frank Loncki |
| The Torbic family..... | IMO Bernard Kutz, George J. Torbic, Adam Nowosielski, |
| ..... | Frank Chesny, Mark Kutz |
| Del Trambley..... | IMO Ed J. Respecki, "Red" Respecki |
| Patricia Wernicki..... | IMO Joseph J. Wernicki |
| David & Nancy Widomski..... | IMO Ted Widomski, Vittorio Snidarich |
| Tom & Sharon Zielinski..... | IMO Peter J. Zielinski, Raymond E. Ruffley, Sr. |





Saint Patrick News



Stewardship

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| Offertory Collection | \$ 7,092.26 |
| Online Giving | <u>886.00</u> |
| Total Income | \$ 7,978.26 |

Thank you for your generosity!

Sr. Mary Pascal Food Pantry

We continue to thank those who make special donations to our parish and we pray for those people in whose honor the donations were made:

The **Food Pantry Truck** is sponsored this week by **Kathleen Alessi**

Donations to the Food Pantry:

- ♦ In memory of **Genny Chizewick** from Dr. & Mrs. Jim Mraz, Gary & Pearl Goss, David & Darcie Oliver, T.M. Welsh & M. A. Welsh, Rita Demers & Family, Marjorie Tesore and the North East High School Learning Support Team: Jessie Russell, Lauren Christy, Jil Davis, Cindy Olson, Leslie Shickler, Joyce Fioretti.
- ♦ In memory of **Chester Giermak** from Patricia Schmidt.
- ♦ In memory of **R.P. Yochim and Lu Yochim** from Nancy Yochim.
- ♦ In memory of **Father John "Ted" Carter** from Ray & Patty Fiorelli
- ♦ In memory of **Our Fathers, Robert Wenstran & Joseph Vitron** from Mr. & Mrs. Robert Vitron.
- ♦ In memory of **George Garfield** from Marilyn Garfield

Also donations from:

Leonard Andrzejewski, Dr. Carla Orlando & Laith Wardi and Mr. & Mrs. Robert Schenker



Let Us **Welcome**
Leo Anthony Rotella

son of

Brian & Kathryn (Stiles) Rotella
who will be baptized after the
10:30 AM Mass

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, June 27, 2015 at 5:00 pm

Lector: Angie Kontur

Eucharistic Ministers:

HOST: Shirley Winschel, Patty Dailey, Chris Sanner

CUP: Lynne Long, Yvonne Gersims

Greeters: Angie Kontur

Altar Servers: Dominick Kierzek

Ushers: Chris Lampe, Rob Oligeri, Phil Rewers

Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 10:30 am

Lector: Drew Ulrich

Eucharistic Ministers:

HOST: Tim Scully, Michelle Tortorelli,
Colleen Welch

CUP: Dario Cipriani, Cyndi Pristello

Greeters: Mary Alice Hartwell, Marlene Golab

Altar Servers: Juliette Morales, Sarah Pristello

Ushers: Dave Taccone, Tom Welch, Jim Wehan,
Paul Balczun

Offertory Counters: Bill Welsh, Cindy Welsh,
Tim Donlin

With the summer vacation season here, please let us know of your availability. Please call the office at 454-8085 or email the office at stpats@neo.rr.com.

Thank you!

The 2015 Diocesan Anniversary Celebrations



for couples celebrating 25, 50, or 60+ years of marriage will be held at two locations in the diocese: Sunday, August 9, 2015 at 2 pm at Saint Tobias Church, Brockway and Sunday, August 23, 2015 at 2 pm at Blessed Sacrament

Church, Erie. To register, please contact the Family Life Office at Catholic Charities at (814) 824-1265 or (800) 374-3723 ext. 265; or online at <http://www.eriercd.org/anniv.asp>. Forms are also available at the back of the church.

A Family Perspective

It is interesting we call the first person of the Trinity, Father. Our dads help us understand in the way they love, protect, teach, discipline and spend time with us. What an awesome responsibility, to be the window through which children view God.



Families Always Matter

Visit the Diocese of Erie Family Life page at:
<http://www.eriercd.org/>

[fam_communityresources.htm](http://www.eriercd.org/fam_communityresources.htm) to find great links to helpful family resources and websites, including events in our community.

Father's Day Spiritual Remembrance – St. Patrick's

Received from...

In Memory/Honor Of...

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| <i>Atty. Charles D. Agresti & Kathleen Agresti Brown</i> | <i>IMO Our Father, Atty. Joseph V. Agresti</i> |
| <i>Frank Andrzejewski</i> | <i>George (Sam) Irwin</i> |
| <i>Andrzejewski Family</i> | <i>Stanley Andrzejewski</i> |
| <i>Wallace Ardery</i> | |
| <i>Joe Armour</i> | <i>IHO Thomas Toale</i> |
| <i>Jeanne Baker</i> | <i>IMO Leo Baker</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Robert Biebel</i> | <i>IMO Peter Biebel Sr.</i> |
| <i>Bob & Diane Boeh</i> | <i>IMO Albert J. Boeh, Robert F. Dudenhofer</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Calabrese</i> | <i>IMO John Calabrese, Carl Dietz</i> |
| <i>Ryan Carey & Maureen Barber-Carey</i> | <i>IMO Atty. Joseph Barber</i> |
| <i>The Carlow Sisters, Sally, Judy, Mary Pat</i> | <i>IMO Sylvester J. Carlow</i> |
| <i>Jane Carney</i> | <i>IMO William J. Carney</i> |
| <i>William J. Carney</i> | <i>IMO William J. Carney, Capt. William McDonald,</i> |
| ..... | <i>James John Ward</i> |
| <i>Laura Chandley</i> | <i>IHO Donald Chandley</i> |
| ..... | <i>IMO Patrick Chandley, Kenneth Chandley</i> |
| <i>Carol Cicero</i> | <i>IMO Raymond F. Cicero</i> |
| <i>Christine Cicero</i> | <i>IMO Joseph J. Cicero</i> |
| <i>Julianna Cicero</i> | <i>IMO John Custer, Joseph Cicero</i> |
| <i>Dario & Donna Cipriani</i> | <i>IMO Alfred J. Sokolowski</i> |
| ..... | <i>IHO Peter Cipriani</i> |
| <i>Kevin & Margaret Ann Cohick</i> | <i>IMO John DeBias</i> |
| <i>Donna Cummings and</i> | |
| <i>Matthew, Alyson & Conor Cummings</i> | <i>IMO Michael James Cummings</i> |
| <i>Donna Cummings & Family</i> | <i>IMO Donald J. Andrews, John C. Cummings</i> |
| <i>Kevin & Mary Cuneo and Theresa Rotunda</i> | <i>IMO Victor Rotunda, John Aloiz Jr., Gene Cuneo</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Michael Dailey</i> | <i>IMO Anthony DeBello Sr.</i> |
| <i>Mary Ellen Demyanovich</i> | <i>IMO Dr. Donald D. Williams</i> |
| <i>Patricia Donnelly</i> | <i>IHO James Donnelly</i> |
| <i>Son, James and Daughter, Mary Duncan</i> | <i>IMO James G. Duncan</i> |
| <i>Dr. Joanne Finn</i> | <i>IMO Walter Kozlowski</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Ray Fiorelli</i> | <i>IMO Raymond Fiorelli, John Maloney</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. John M Fiorenzo</i> | <i>IMO Frank S. Brodict</i> |
| <i>Dr. & Mrs. Leo Fitzgibbon</i> | <i>IHO Jack Perry</i> |
| ..... | <i>IMO William Lacy, James Fitzgibbon</i> |
| <i>Thomas Fontecchio</i> | <i>IMO Joseph Fontecchio</i> |
| <i>Yvonne Gersims</i> | <i>IMO Howard John Gersims</i> |
| <i>Barbara Gingenbach</i> | <i>IMO Melvin Gingenbach</i> |
| <i>Elisa Guida & Ed Saloum</i> | <i>Emilio Guida & Edward E. Saloum</i> |
| <i>Jay & Carol Habas</i> | <i>IMO Bill Whiple</i> |
| ..... | <i>IHO Joseph Habas</i> |
| <i>Donna & Courtney Haskins</i> | <i>IMO Alan Haskins</i> |
| <i>Thomas & Sheila Higgins</i> | <i>IMO Joseph C. Higgins, Joseph D. Sullivan</i> |
| <i>Patty & Bill Jackson</i> | <i>IMO John C. Jackson</i> |
| <i>Stephen Katchur & Jon Kozesky</i> | <i>IHO Thomas E. Kozesky</i> |
| <i>Stephen Katchur</i> | <i>IHO Timothy Katchur</i> |
| <i>Kearney Family</i> | <i>IMO Hugh Kearney</i> |
| ..... | <i>IHO Patrick Kearney, Don Trapp, Sr.</i> |
| <i>Ann Kolodziejczak</i> | <i>IMO Max & Antoni Kolodziejczak, Mitchell, Max Jr. &</i> |
| ..... | <i>Anthony Kolodziejczak, John Majczyk, Richard, Shawn,</i> |
| ..... | <i>& Ted Wilson, Terry Gradler, Edward Polaski,</i> |
| ..... | <i>Ralph Maloney, Joe Krauchen also deceased Uncles</i> |
| | <i>of the Kolodziejczak & Majczyk Families</i> |

Received from...**In Memory/Honor Of...**

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| Tom & Darlene Kozesky..... | IMO Robert J. Weiland, Walter E. Kozesky |
| Lynne Long | IMO Vincent A. Wegner |
| Kathleen MacMurdy | IMO George MacMurdy |
| Mr. & Mrs. William Masek..... | IHO Bill Masek, Donald Sonntag |
| ..... | IMO Edward Masek |
| The Mannino Family..... | IMO Antonio Mannino, M. Joseph O'Connor, |
| ..... | Joseph J. Mannino, John P. Mannino, Dwayne Trautman |
| Phyllis & Fred Marchinetti | IMO Frank Baniszewski, Ruben J. Spinks, |
| ..... | Louis Marchinetti |
| ..... | IHO Jim Gillespie, Timothy G. Mannino, Brian Dunnigan |
| Rosemarie McMahon..... | IMO Paul McMahon Sr. |
| Dr. & Mrs. Forrest Mischler..... | IMO Donald Eaton, J. Lockwood Mischler |
| Melissa, Katie, Michelle, Joe & Kelly | IHO Michael Mischler |
| Mr. & Mrs. John Nemergut | IMO Edward Winiarczyk, Steve Nemergut |
| Caitlin & Kiernan Nies..... | IHO Mike Nies |
| Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Nies..... | IMO John A. Nies, Edward Kreidinger |
| Mike & Lynn Nies | IHO Joe Nies, Jeff Hardner, |
| Don & Maryann Nucerino..... | IMO John Reiser, Lucian Nucerino |
| Mr. & Mrs. Q Gregory Orlando..... | IMO Dr. Quentin Orlando |
| Luigi & Sue Ellen Pasquale..... | IMO Oreste Pasquale |
| ..... | IHO Jim Hunkele |
| Tom & Pat Pianta..... | IMO Louis Pianta, William Lasko |
| Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Polaski..... | IMO Ed Wright, Lawrence Polaski |
| Cyndi & Randy Pristello..... | IMO James Boris, Fred Pristello |
| Barbara Reitinger..... | IMO Chester Sowizral, Ralph Reitinger Sr. |
| Dorothy Rennie..... | IMO Firman A. Shoff |
| Tom & Jeannette Schaaf..... | IMO Joseph Kozik Sr., Richard Schaaf |
| Carolyn & Robert Schenker..... | IMO Joseph Novotny, Henry Schenker |
| Marie Scrimente & Children | IMO Santo J. Scrimenti |
| Mrs. Frances Sokolowski..... | IMO John A. Black |
| Mr. & Mrs. J. Michael Stephany | IMO John Francis Stephany |
| ..... | IHO Virgil Kerr |
| Mr. & Mrs. Mark Sullivan | IMO Ray Sullivan, Jack Wilson |
| Bill & Barbara Thompson | IMO John Krauchen |
| Tim Torrey | IMO Rodney James Torrey |
| Gerry Valahovic | IHO Fred Vickey |
| ..... | IMO Martin Mikrut, F.J. Vickey, Frank Valahovic, Joseph Vickey |
| Bobbie & Rob Vitron | IMO Robert Wenstran, Joseph Vitron |
| Danielle M. Ward | IMO Edward T. Gouldsbarry, |
| ..... | IHO Robert J. Ward Sr., Robert J. Ward Jr. |
| Colleen & Thomas Welch | IMO Anthony Spenik, Thomas L. Welch |
| Mr. & Mrs. Robert Wheeler..... | IMO Paul M. Causgrove, M. James Wheeler |
| Mary & Peter Wier | IMO Joseph Wier, Frank Messina |



LITURGY INTENTIONS**June 20** *Saturday, Vigil: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time*4:00 PM HELEN KURPIEWSKI, ANNIV. - ST.H
(TOM KURPIEWSKI & FAMILY)

5:00 PM KEN KOWALSKI (BARB & MIKE CROSS) - ST.P

June 21 *Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00 AM MARIAN PLOTT (DEBIE DRAGOVAN) - ST.P

10:30 AM MICHAEL CUMMINGS (GERRY RYAN) - ST.P

June 22 *Monday, Weekday*

8:00 AM COMMUNION SERVICE

June 23 *Tuesday, Weekday*

8:00 AM MARY ANN FESSLER (JUDY ALSTADT)

June 24 *Wednesday, The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist*8:00 AM MERCEDES KALATA
(PATRICIA & RICHARD DUNFORD)**June 25** *Thursday, Weekday*

8:00 AM CHESTER LONCKI (THERESA JUCHNO)

June 26 *Friday, Weekday*8:00 AM JOHN LOREI, ANNIV. OF BIRTH
(DAN & MARIANNE LEVSTEK)**June 27** *Saturday, Vigil: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

4:00 PM TED MIELNIK (IRENE & FAMILY) - ST.H

5:00 PM WILLIAM RENNIE (WIFE & FAMILY) - ST.P

June 28 *Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00 AM RUTH WRIGHT (JIM VALAHOVIC)

10:30 AM JAMES MCCARTHY, WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
(WIFE, MARY) - ST.P**DATES TO REMEMBER**St.H=St. Hedwig, St.P=St. Patrick, HR=Holy Rosary
CP=Chapel, PF=Polish Falcons
PR=Pascal Room, R=Rector, CV=Convent**06/20** 3:30 PM Confessions - St.H

4:30 PM Confessions - St.P

06/23 11:00 AM Food Pantry - PR**06/27** 3:30 PM Confessions - St.H

4:30 PM Confessions - St.P

EASTSIDE CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION MINISTRY :**ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS/SENIORS –**

If you are entering the 11th or 12th grade in 2015-2016 and wish to celebrate the ***Sacrament of Confirmation***, you are asked to register as a Candidate as soon as possible. Please contact the Eastside Catholic Faith Formation Office: 454-6322 or through e-mail:

hr-faith@verizon.net to register.**REGISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH –**

KDG – GR 10 – If you have not registered for the **2015-2016** Catechetical year, you are asked to do so as soon as possible. New registrations are also welcome at this time. Your early registration helps facilitate the ordering of materials for our program.

Special Note to students entering Gr 9 & 10 – You *must* be enrolled in faith formation session for two years (9th & 10th grades) prior to registering as a Candidate for the *Sacrament of Confirmation*.

Transitions: A Peer Support Group

Are you Widowed, Separated or divorced? Consider attending Transitions, a peer support group offered monthly at St. Mark Catholic Center, 429 East Grandview Blvd. Call 814-824-1265 or email: familylife@erieRCD.org for more information. The next meeting is Sunday, June 28th from 2-4p.m. This month's topic is: "Finances—Helpful Hints". Visit our website at: www.erieRCD.org/transitions.asp

Rally for Religious Freedom

Join other people for religious freedom June 22nd from 1-2 p.m. in front of the Federal Courthouse, 7th and State Streets, Erie, PA. Another rally will be held on July 2nd same time and place.

NEED PRAYERS?

Please call **Mary Alice Hartwell at 454-5908** to have your prayer intentions placed on our joint parish prayer wheel. Please be assured that your prayer requests will be treated with respect and confidentiality.



Please
Turn off Your
Mobile Phones

CELL PHONE USAGE

As you know, Msgr. Kriegel's homilies are recorded and on-line for all to see and hear. Unfortunately, there has been increased interference and we are told it may be due to active cell phones. Please turn off all devices when you enter the church. Thank you!

MSGR. KRIEDEL'S HOMILIES ARE ON-LINE IN AUDIO AND VIDEO FORMAT.

Be sure to check out St. Patrick's web-page to listen to Msgr. Kriegel's homilies.

Go to **saintpatrickparisherie.org** Click on "homilies" on the bar to the right, For the audio version just click on the date of the homily you want to hear. The video homilies are available on "you tube" and can be watched by clicking on the bar that says "You Tube" on that page.



DIOCESAN EVENTS

Cathedral Prep offers retreat services

Cathedral Preparatory School in Erie offers retreat services for parish religious education programs, schools and/or parishes. The Cathedral Prep Retreat Team is comprised of students who offer retreat experiences for elementary-aged children and/or high schoolers. The team will accommodate any need or topic, but their availability is limited. Team members are eager to share their faith in a real and caring way. For information, contact Father Jason Feigh, campus minister, at 814-453-7737, ext. 2249, or email him at Jason.feigh@prep-villa.com.

Sportsman's Raffle at St. Luke Parish

If you enjoy the outdoors, attend the August 15th Sportsman Raffle at St. Luke Parish gymnasium, 421 E 38th St., Erie, PA from noon to 4 p.m. Msgr Goodill Knights of Columbus sponsors the event, which includes prizes for hunting, fishing, golf, kayaking and grilling. There will be free food and beverages, as well as a \$250 early bird drawing. All tickets returned before July 4th are eligible for the drawing. Doors open at 11 a.m. Several other "floor" raffles will be available and there will be a gift auction and a 50/50. Must be 21 years old to attend. Tickets are \$10 per person or \$25 for three. For more information, contact Don Lutz at 814-450-7501



Volunteer opportunities available to families



Get Connected Erie is kicking off its summer campaign for family volunteerism June 22-27. The Families Serve program is an opportunity for local families to get involved with service projects and learn more about local and nonprofit organizations, including many Catholic-related ministries. Many opportunities will be available throughout the summer, Volunteering as a family can be a great opportunity to spend quality time together, give back to the community and instill an ethic of service in children/youth. Additional information and current Families Serve opportunities can be found at <http://www.getconnectederie.org/familiesserve/>. Questions may be directed to Melissa Fenn at mfenn@thenonprofitpartnership.org, or by calling 814-454-8800, ext. 2.

The 2nd Annual 1:38 Women Conference, October 3, 2015

Price: \$40 includes lunch and free parking. Price for students is \$25.

Date: Saturday, October 3, 2015 at the Warner Theater, Erie, PA.

- Register at www.138women.com. Please note that registration fees are non-refundable, however, you can transfer it to another person.
- Looking to volunteer to help with the pre-conference planning, the conference itself or clean-up after? Please let us know on the registration form.

Golf Tournament Fundraiser



Erie DAWN invites golfers to its First Annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser on Monday, August 17. The event will be held at the Lake Shore Country Club located in Erie, PA. All proceeds will benefit the homeless women and children of Erie DAWN. The event's registration fee is \$125 per player which includes 18 holes of golf with cart, lunch, dinner, and beverages. There will be skill contests such as the \$10,000 Hole-in-one prize, silent auction items and raffle baskets.

Registration begins at 11:30 a.m., and Shotgun Start will be at 1:00 p.m.

For more information call (814) 453-5921



20th Anniversary Celebration Neighborhood Art House

The Inner-City Neighborhood Art House is celebrating its 20th Anniversary this year. The occasion will be marked –rain or shine– at the Art House, 201 E. 10th St., Erie, on Sunday, July 12, from noon to 3 p.m. There will be cake, ice cream, and entertainment by *Tennessee Back Porch*.

For more information call 814-455-5508 or visit neighborhoodarthouse.org

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