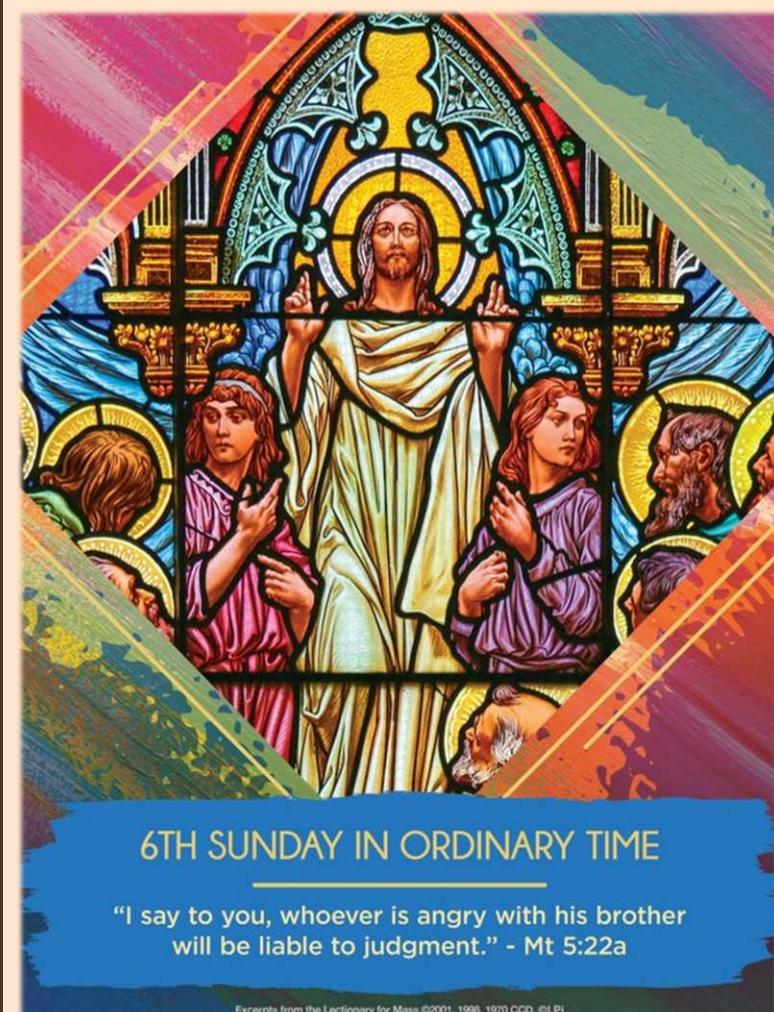


SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 15, 2026



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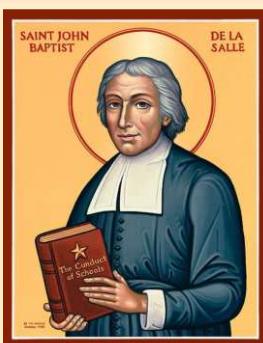
Baptism:
Please contact Ellen Mady at MOS or Joann Giuffre at St. John and St. Mary at the Parish Office four months before the birth of your child.

Reconciliation:
Saturdays at 12:00 NN at St. John;
Tuesdays at 5:00 PM at St. Mary;
OR by appointment.

Marriage:
Please contact Monsignor Michael Begolly in the Parish Office at least one year in advance for information and scheduling.

Holy Communion
for those who are homebound:
Please contact the Parish Office.

New members are always welcome.
Please call the Parish Office to register.



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Saturday anticipated Mass 4:00 PM
Sunday Mass 11:00 AM

Sunday Mass 9:00 AM

Saturday anticipated Mass 4:30 PM
Sunday Masses 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM & 6:00 PM

Sunday, Feb 15, 2026

Choose the right route

Breaking Bad, the highly acclaimed television series (2008-13) in which a desperate and dying chemistry teacher decides to become a producer of methamphetamine to make sure his family is cared for, is a modern morality tale that illustrates the destruction and death that are the consequences of making wrong choices, or “breaking bad,” as it were. With each ill-conceived decision it becomes easier to make the next until you become so turned around that you completely lose your moral compass. Take the time to map out your choices to see where they will lead—and then choose the path of righteousness.

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sirach 15:15-20; 1 Corinthians 2:6-10; Matthew 5:17-37 (76). “Whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do so will be called least in the kingdom of heaven.”

Monday, Feb 16, 2026

A sure sign

Generations still seek a sign. But often we look for signs in the wrong place and remain oblivious to the divine inklings all around us. “If there is anyone who is not enlightened by this sublime magnificence of created things,” says Saint Bonaventure, “he is blind. If there is anyone who, seeing all these works of God, does not praise Him, he is dumb; if there is anyone who, from so many signs, cannot perceive God, that man is foolish.” Open your eyes and look around. When the brokenhearted take heart and the hard-hearted show some mercy—those are signs that God has gotten through. Want to find other divine signs? Fix your gaze on love.

James 1:1-11; Mark 8:11-13 (335). “Why does this generation seek a sign?”

Tuesday, Feb 17, 2026

It's hard to keep it simple

Being “hard of heart” might be the biblical equivalent of having a thick skull. And most of the time the disciples, God bless them, are guilty as charged. At many points in the gospel accounts they misunderstand, misinterpret, or otherwise mismanage the Good News Jesus is trying to communicate to them. They are therefore the perfect role models for all who have followed Jesus since then. The simplicity and clarity of notions such as “love one another” and “do unto others” leaves us looking for an escape clause—it can’t be that simple, can it? Try to keep an open mind—and a heart.

James 1:12-18; Mark 8:14-21 (336). “Do you not yet understand or comprehend? Are your hearts hardened?”

Wednesday, Feb 18, 2026

Spring cleaning for the soul

It’s the beginning of a new season of Lent for those who believe. Lent traditionally takes on a penitential tone with somber purple color and the practice of fasting, prayer, and charitable giving. But we shouldn’t forget that Lent comes from the Old English word for “spring,” and in this sense it’s a sort of spiritual new year, a season of rebirth and renewal. “Lent is a time of grace, a time for conversion, a time to come home to God,” says Saint Maximilian Kolbe. During Lent we cultivate better habits for a healthy heart. What will you refrain from (fasting), how will you seek God

(prayer), and where will you share your love (almsgiving) these 40 days?

ASH WEDNESDAY; DAY OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE

Joel 2:12-18; 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2; Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18 (219). “When you fast, do not look gloomy like the hypocrites.”

Thursday, Feb 19, 2026

The pain is worth the gain

When Jesus asks us to take up our cross daily and follow him, he’s not saying we need to seek out maximum pain. But he is saying that we can and should embrace suffering that is inescapable or for a higher good, rather than trying to avoid it at all costs. “Nothing great is ever achieved without much enduring.” Saint Catherine of Siena reminds us. To take up our cross means to give our lives over to walking in the loving ways of God—a love which, as every Eucharist reminds us, is willing to sacrifice and suffer for others. May you find yourself at cross purposes today.

LENTEN WEEKDAY

Deuteronomy 30:15-20; Luke 9:22-25 (220). “If anyone wishes to come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily.”

Friday, Feb 20, 2026

Not by bread alone

Fasting and mercy go together, like meat and potatoes—or, because it’s the first Friday of Lent, coleslaw and deep-fried cod. “Mercy is to fasting as rain is to the Earth,” says Early Church Father Saint Peter Chrysologus. “However much you may cultivate your heart, clear the soil of your nature, root out vices, sow virtues, if you do not release the springs of mercy, your fasting will bear no fruit.” Who might benefit from your mercy during your Lenten fast? Perhaps someone who has wronged you. Or someone who comes to you with hand out. Keep this additional advice in mind from Saint Peter Chrysologus as you contemplate moments of mercy: “You will not be allowed to keep what you have refused to give to others.”

LENTEN WEEKDAY; DAY OF ABSTINENCE

Isaiah 58:1-9a; Matthew 9:14-15 (221). “This, rather, is the fasting that I wish: releasing those bound unjustly.”

Saturday, Feb 21, 2026

Offer one another a sign of peace

Adults try to help young people discern how to choose their friends wisely and be a good friend to others. We encourage them to associate with upstanding and trustworthy people. We pray that they will lead exemplary Christian lives, which—if they take Jesus’ words to heart—will mean that they’ll end up eating and drinking with sinners! But there’s a catch: Jesus neither joins in the sin nor judges the sinner. He merely extends an offer of peace to people who are leading sad and desperate lives. “Let the weakest, sinful soul have no fear to approach me,” says Jesus in a vision recorded by Saint Faustina, “for even if it had more sins than there are grains of sand in the world, all would be drowned in the unmeasurable depths of my mercy.” This boundless compassion is the very heart of Christian discipleship.

LENTEN WEEKDAY

Isaiah 58:9b-14; Luke 5:27-32 (222). “Why do you eat and drink with tax collectors and sinners?”

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time



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MOS, ST. JOHN AND ST. MARY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday	2/14	
12:00 NN SJ		Sacrament of Reconciliation
4:00 PM SJ	†	Deceased members of the John Lukacs Family & the Jean LaPlace Family <i>(Rege & Mary Lukacs)</i>
Sunday	2/15	Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 AM SM		For the Parish
9:00 AM SM		Special Intentions (<i>Karen Thomas</i>)
9:30 AM SJ	†	Trish Koval (<i>Ray Koval</i>)
11:30 AM SJ	†	John Kelly (<i>Hilda Kelly & Family</i>)
6:00 PM SJ	†	Dr. Paul & Adam Antalik (<i>Hoffman Family</i>)
Monday	2/16	
8:30 AM SM	†	Lou Rostand (<i>Mary Lou Rostand</i>)
Tuesday	2/17	
8:30 AM SJ	†	James R. McKay (<i>Jenny Janitor</i>)
12:00 NN SM		Eucharistic Adoration
5:00 PM SM		Sacrament of Reconciliation
6:00 PM SM		Benediction and Reposition
Wednesday	2/18	Ash Wednesday
7:30 AM SM		Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes
8:30 AM SJ		Mass with Distribution of Ashes
12:00 NN SM		Mass with Distribution of Ashes
4:00 PM MOS		Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes
5:30 PM MOS		Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes
7:00 PM SJ		Mass with Distribution of Ashes
Thursday	2/19	
8:30 AM SJ	†	Mark J. Drutch (<i>Kevin & Sherry Visbisky</i>)
7:00 PM SM		Taizé
Friday	2/20	
8:30 AM SM	†	June Kepple (<i>Kay Cargnel</i>) Roy & Jenny Ford (<i>Daughter, Kim & Mike Bair</i>)
12:00 NN SM		Stations of the Cross
7:00 PM SJ		Stations of the Cross
Saturday	2/21	
12:00 NN SJ		Sacrament of Reconciliation
4:00 PM SJ	†	Joseph McCormick (<i>Stephen Vinosky</i>)

Sunday 2/22

First Sunday in Lent

7:30 AM SM	Walker Family (<i>Mike & Anne Papinchak</i>)
9:00 AM SM	† Deceased members of the Kuchar Family (<i>Donna, Linda & Brian</i>)
9:30 AM SJ	For the Parish
11:30 AM SJ	† Chet Smolenski (<i>Anita Smolenski</i>)
6:00 PM SJ	† Martha Shimshock (<i>John & Marie Shimshock</i>)

PARISH OFFICES CLOSED

The Parish Offices are closed on **Monday, February 16** in observance of Presidents' Day.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY CANCELLED

Women's Bible Study will be **cancelled on Wednesday, February 25**, due to the construction at MOS. Women's Bible Study will resume at MOS on **Wednesday, March 4**.

FUNERAL MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our parishes are in need of volunteers to assist as greeters, lectors, altar servers, and sacristans for funerals. This is a low-commitment ministry, serving only when you are available. If you are able to help occasionally and would like more information, please contact Joann in the St. John and St. Mary Parish Office at 724-327-0647. For MOS, please call Brooke at 724-733-8870.

HOME MISSIONS APEAL

Next weekend our Diocese will conduct the Catholic Home Missions appeal. Today, nearly 40% of dioceses in the United States are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities need. Your support for this appeal helps them meet these faith formation and sacramental needs.

Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. Through our "Strengthening the Church at Home," this year's collection theme, we will assist the Home Mission Dioceses in meeting their basic pastoral needs.

MOS CONSTRUCTION PROJECT AND PARISH SCHEDULES

We will need to make a few modifications to our weekly schedule during the construction project in the church:

- Eucharistic Adoration continues at St. Mary Parish on Tuesdays from 12:00 NN – 6:00 PM
- Through March 27**, there will be **NO MASS** held at MOS. The weekend schedule for **all three parishes** will be as follows:

**St. John - Saturday 4:00 PM,
Sunday, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM**

St. Mary - Sunday 7:30 AM and 9:00 AM.

**Daily Masses will alternate between
St. Mary and St. John Churches at
8:30 AM.**

- FUNERALS** will be scheduled at either St. Mary and St. John Church through March 26.

- CONFESIONS** will be held at St. Mary Church on Tuesdays at 5:00 PM and at St. John Parish on Saturdays at 12:00 Noon.



We commend to your prayers Jamie Logan and Dr. Elizabeth Strenkowski, who died recently. May God welcome them to the joys of Paradise and bring comfort and peace to their families.

OUR WEEKLY NUMBERS

February 7 and 8

MOTHER OF SORROWS

Offertory \$ 40,026.86
Outreach \$ 2,088.00



Diocesan Assessments for the Accent and Technology, Catholic Education, Healthcare, Property Insurance and Diocesan Support: \$ 58,006.32

ST. JOHN

Attendance 966
Offertory \$ 8,922.25



ST. MARY

Attendance 381
Offertory \$ 7,685.00



STEWARDSHIP NOTES

“For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.” Matthew 5:20

The Pharisees lived according to the letter of the law, and they used this to elevate themselves above the other people. Jesus is clear – it's the love that you have in your heart, for God and others, that will get you to heaven. Simply following church rules to the letter and not out of love, does not necessarily put you on the path to heaven. Attending Sunday Mass and then gossiping about a fellow parishioner on the parking lot is an example of being a modern-day Pharisee.

A PEEK AT THE WEEK...

Sunday	February 15	
8:30 AM	MOS	Faith Formation for those with special needs, Ave Maria Room
10:30 AM	SJ	Service Project, St. John Social Hall
12:30 PM	SJ	Service Project, St. John Social Hall
3:30 PM	SJ	Middle School Youth Ministry, St. John Social Hall
4:30 PM	SJ	Theology of Ministry for Readers, St. John Church
7:00 PM	SJ	High School Youth Ministry, St. John Social Hall
Tuesday	February 17	
10:00 AM	MOS	Staff meeting, Conference Room
7:00 PM	SJ	Theology of Ministry for Readers, St. John Church
Wednesday	February 18	
9:30 AM	MOS	Women's Bible Study, Ave Maria Room
6:30 PM	MOS	Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
Friday	February 20	
9:00 AM	MOS	Centering Prayer, Ave Maria Room
Saturday	February 21	
7:00 AM	SM	Catholic Men's Fellowship, Social Hall
9:00 AM	MOS	Men's Renewal Group, Social Hall
12:00 NN	MOS	Rosary Rally, lower parking lot
Sunday	February 22	
8:30 AM	MOS	Faith Formation for those with special needs, Ave Maria Room
4:30 PM	SJ	Reconciliation Preparation for MOS, St. John Church
4:30 PM	SJ	Theology of Ministry for EMHC, St. John Church
4:30 PM	SJ	Becoming Catholic, St. John Social Hall
4:30 PM	SJ	Theology of Ministry for EMHC, St. John Church
7:00 PM	SJ	High School Youth Ministry, St. John Social Hall

Ash Wednesday Liturgy Schedule

7:30 AM St. Mary Parish

Liturgy of the Word with distribution of ashes

8:30 AM St. John Parish

Mass with distribution of ashes

12:00 NN St. Mary Parish

Mass with distribution of ashes

4:00 PM Mother of Sorrows Parish

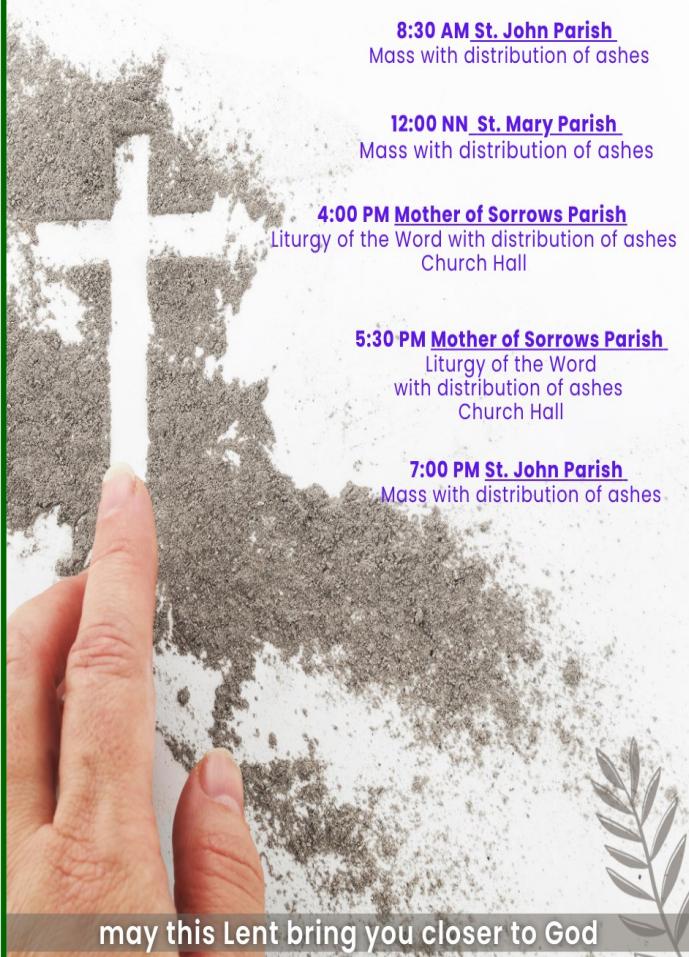
Liturgy of the Word with distribution of ashes
Church Hall

5:30 PM Mother of Sorrows Parish

Liturgy of the Word
with distribution of ashes
Church Hall

7:00 PM St. John Parish

Mass with distribution of ashes



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During the season of Lent, all are invited to journey with Jesus on his way to the cross. There will be several opportunities each week to pray the Stations of the Cross:

12:00 NN Fridays at St. Mary Parish
7:00 PM Fridays at St. John Parish

LENTEN TAIZÉ PRAYER

Taizé is a distinctive style of meditation prayer developed by an ecumenical community of monks in rural France. This quiet, moving reflective prayer combines elements of the Church's traditional Liturgy of the Hours with elements of contemplative meditation.

A typical Taizé prayer service incorporates periods of silence with meditative readings from Scripture, prayers of praise and intercession, and the frequent repetition of simple, contemporary chants based on the Psalms or other parts of Scripture. The result is to gradually move prayer from the head to the heart.

Join us for Taizé prayer in St. Mary Church on **Thursdays in Lent** at 7:00 PM.

THE THEOLOGY OF MINISTRY FOR LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Workshops for ALL readers, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, greeters and ushers from our three parishes are scheduled during the Lenten season. Two sessions are offered for each ministry, but you only need to attend one. We will spend some time in prayer reflecting on our call to liturgical ministry and then review some of the practical details for each of the ministries. Current ministers AND those who signed up at the recent Ministry EXPO are urged to attend. All sessions will be held at St. John Church.

Readers

Sunday, February 15 4:30PM - 5:30 PM or Tuesday, February 17 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Extraordinary Ministers

Sunday, February 22 4:30PM - 5:30 PM or Tuesday, February 24 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Ushers and Greeters

Sunday, March 8 4:30PM - 5:30 PM or Tuesday, March 3 7:00 - 8:00 PM

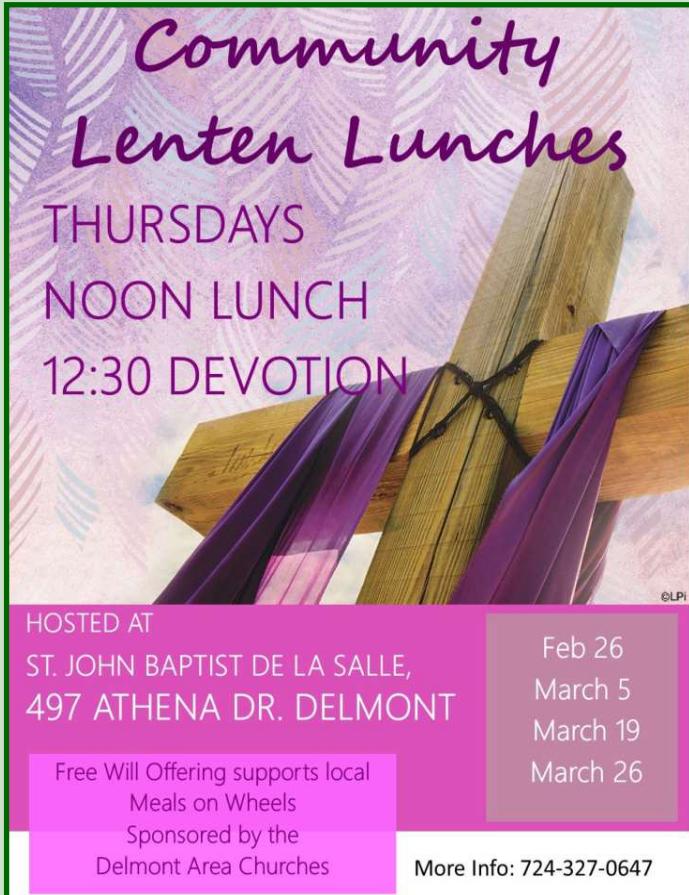
LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

All children 4 years old through 2nd grade are invited to join us for Liturgy of the Word with Children during the 9:00 AM Mass at St. Mary on **February 22**.

BLOOD DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus and the Red Cross will be hosting a Blood Drive at St. John Baptist de La Salle in the Social Hall on **Tuesday, February 24** from 12:00 NN to 5:00 PM.

To schedule an appointment, please call 1-800-733-2767 or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter SJDLDelmont.



Community Lenten Lunches
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Last week's server training mixed hands-on learning, an interactive game and even some sled riding fun! Missed it? No worries, you can still slide into the fun and become an altar server! Contact Joann at jgiuffre@dioceseofgreensburg.org for more information.



St John's & St Mary's Partner Parishes

SPAGHETTI

Dinner Fundraiser

Sunday March 15th 12-4pm*

(*or until sold out)

**Includes: Spaghetti,
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Drive Thru 1-4pm

Take out Available

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Volunteers are needed for the

SPAGHETTI

Dinner Fundraiser

Sunday March 15th 12-4pm*

*Sign up sheets are at the
back of the churches

*Two Hour Shifts 12-2 & 2-4

Contact Dina Colangelo
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or 410-3001244



Spaghetti Dinner Volunteer Inquiries:

Name _____

Phone number _____

Interested in: Dessert Table _____ Dessert Donation _____

Kitchen Help _____ Hostess _____ Raffle Sellers _____

Gift Baskets _____ Take Out _____ Clean Up _____

SPAGHETTI DINNER NEWS

We need YOU to help make the annual Spaghetti Dinner a success! Please consider donating your time and talent to one of these areas of need:

Baked Goods

We are looking for pies, cakes and cookies for the dessert offered with dinner. Baked Goods drop - off will be **Saturday, March 14** from 10:00 AM until noon in the St. John Social Hall. Please contact Dina Colangelo at dina.colangelo@gmail.com or 410-300-1244.

Gift Baskets

We are in need of gift basket donations for the raffle at the Spaghetti Dinner and are also looking for basket or container donations. Please watch for Sponsored Gift Basket information in the back of St. John and St. Mary churches, coming soon. Please contact Dina Colangelo with any questions.

Holy Rollers

Volunteers are needed to help make meatballs and sauce for the Spaghetti Dinner. We will be making meatballs on **February 28** and sauce on **March 7**. Please contact Rosann Barr at rlbarr@comcast.net or 724-575-0902. Sign-up sheets are also in the back of St. John and St. Mary churches.

CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to Matthew and Cristin Blinky who were united in the Sacrament of Matrimony at St. Mary.



Congratulations to the Martin Family on the baptism of Anthony Polans and Jacob Chakan. May God continue to bless them and may they grow strong in their faith with the guidance of their parents and godparents.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF ABORTION.



From Feb. 18th – Mar. 29th, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 933 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh, and to help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: Nikki Bruni, nbruni@40daysforlifepgh.com

• 26,144 babies saved • 275 abortion workers converted • 184 abortion centers closed!

Kick-off Mass at Divine Mercy Parish, Epiphany Church (184 Washington Pl, Pgh 15219), on Tuesday, Feb. 17th at 6 pm, followed by a Eucharistic Procession to Planned Parenthood All Christians are welcome!
(His Excellency, Bishop William Walterscheid presiding.)

Go to 40daysforlife.com/Pittsburgh for more info, or check out our blog at 40daysforlifepittsburgh.com



BAPTISM PREPARATION

If you are planning to have your baby baptized at MOS, St. John or St. Mary and have not attended a baptism preparation class within the last five years, please join us for one of our upcoming Baptism Preparation Sessions:

Wednesday, February 25,
7:00 PM at St. Mary Church
Thursday, April 16,
7:00 PM at St. Mary Church
Sunday, May 17,
10:30 AM at MOS



Our Ministry of Care visits and brings the Eucharist to over 40 individuals who are unable to

attend Mass. This is a vital part of our parish mission and ministry. These elderly individuals contributed to the vitality of our parish and have made it the strong community that it is today.

Please consider joining this ministry so that we can continue to stay connected to this essential part of our parish body. We receive referrals every week and need additional volunteers so we can keep up with the need. If you would like to accompany a minister on a visit to get a sense of the ministry, please contact Brooke Tognarina at tognarina@dioceseofgreensburg.org.

REMEMBER A LEAP OF FAITH AND COURAGE

Mother of Sorrows will be hosting the Red Bird Ministries *Remember* program from **February 22 through May 17, 2026.**

Remember is a guided, peer-based journey for families grieving the loss of a loved one to suicide. Participants will gather virtually weekly in a small-group setting rooted in Catholic faith, trauma-informed care and the deep understanding that suicide loss carries a unique and often isolating grief.

Meetings will be held virtually each Sunday beginning at 7:30 PM and will last 90 minutes. There will be no session on Easter Sunday, April 5.

You can sign up and learn more about Red Bird Ministries and **Remember** at www.RedBird.love. Please contact MOS parishioner Debbie O'Connor at 412-849-9429 or debiocconnor1@gmail.com with any questions.

BOOMERS AND BEYOND



Join us on **Tuesday, March 10** at 11:30 AM in the Mother of Sorrows Parish Social Hall for a presentation on “Highlights of the Italian American Collection: Western Pennsylvania Stories.”

Melissa E. Marinaro, Director of the Italian American Program at Heinz History Center, will offer insight into the Center’s Italian American Collection, one of the largest collections in the United States, of objects and archives documenting the Italian American experience. For more than three decades, the program has preserved and interpreted the history and culture of Southwestern Pennsylvania’s Italian American community. Copies of Ms. Marinaro’s book on the subject will be available for purchase.

Boomers and Beyond is a ministry serving the ‘baby boomers’ and all adults of Mother of Sorrows Parish and the surrounding communities. Lunch and learn sessions are held on the second Tuesday of each month. Topics are varied and reservations are not required. Participants gather at 11:30 AM and are encouraged to bring a ‘brown bag’ lunch and a friend. Presentations follow from 12:00 - 1:00 PM.

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Middle School Youth Ministry will meet **Sunday, February 15** from 3:30 to 5:30 PM in the **St. John Social Hall**.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

On **Sunday, February 15**, we will have our first Night of Encounter for the semester. The topic will be, "Healthy relationships and Breaking up."

Please note that because of the construction at Mother of Sorrows, we will meet **at ST. JOHN from 7:00 to 9:00 PM** for good conversation, Lenten preparation, and an opportunity for adoration, praise, and confession. Please come and bring a friend!

FIRST RECONCILIATION PREPARATION

First Reconciliation Preparation for MOS students will take place on **Sunday, February 22** at 4:30 PM at St. John.



Mother of Sorrows has a parish-wide subscription to Catholic Brain, an online Catechetical resource for children (K-8). Information about how to sign-up and use this resource is available at motherofsorrowschurch.org/religious-education.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Save the Date! Vacation Bible School will be held **June 15 through 19** at St. Barbara Parish. More details will be provided at a later date.

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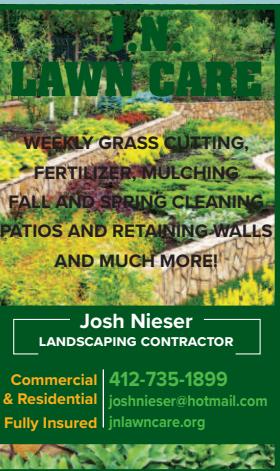
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