

**MASS INTENTIONS**

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**Saturday, March 7**

8:00am Violet Smolock  
5:30pm Carrie & Marshall Mirarchi

**Sunday, March 8**

8:30am People of the Parish  
10:30am Louis Papp

**Monday, March 9**

8:00am Rita Buckwash  
6:20pm Children's Stations of the Cross

**Tuesday, March 10**

8:00am Joseph Poploski

**Wednesday, March 11**

8:00am Peter Paul Bartos

**Thursday, March 12**

6:30pm Charlene Ziv

**Friday, March 13**

8:00am Evelyn Momery

**Saturday, March 14**

8:00am Andrew Yelenosky  
5:30pm Margaret Lutz

**Sunday, March 15**

8:30am Roseann Nagy  
10:30am People of the Parish

*Of Your Charity*, please pray for the repose of the soul of **Julia Staniszewski**, a member of Holy Angels Parish Family. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.

**"A Dime at a Time"**

Current Debt (adjusted)	\$242,386.06
Dime at a Time	\$22.38
Plus 1 (+1) Contributions	\$54.00
Balance	\$242,309.68



## **BINGO**

Bingo will be held Tuesday, March 10, 2015. Doors open 4:30PM. Game begins 6:00PM.

### **Bingo Workers & Bakers**

Cakes or pies are always needed for Bingo on Tuesday evenings. Drop off your baked goods at the Activity Center during the day on any Tuesday. Men are most welcome to assist with working the floor!

### **Baptism Classes**

Expectant parents are required to attend one Pre-Baptismal Class prior to the Baptism (preferably before the birth of their child.) Classes will be held on the second Sunday of each month at 11:45AM. Pre-register by contacting the office at 373-1221 at least 2 weeks prior to scheduled class.

### **Presentation of the Gifts**

If a Mass is being offered for your loved one, and family members would like to present the gifts at that Mass, we ask that you please call the rectory ahead of time to let us know of your intentions. 373-1221.

### **The Greatest Prayer-The Mass**

Please remember that the greatest prayer that our Lord has given to us is the Mass. When a loved one departs from his or her earthly home and begins a new life with our Lord, let us consider celebrating this new life with a Mass of Christian Burial.

### **Holy Angels Parish Pool Winner**

February 24, 2015, Bob York \$100.00

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Come to the Adoration Chapel at the St Pauline Center on Friday from noon until 10 PM and Sat from 5 AM to 7 PM. Jesus awaits you! The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed in the chapel on Fridays at 3 PM.

### **Bernardine Franciscan Associates**

Meeting Sunday, March 15, 2015 at 2:30PM  
in the rectory.

### **Finance Council**

Meeting will be held on Thursday, March 12 at 7:15PM in the rectory.

### **Parish Council**

Meeting date will be announced  
in future bulletin

### **PREP Classes**

Classes will be held on Sundays, March 8 for Grade 6, 7, 8.  
Classes will be held on Mondays, March 9, 16, 30 for Grades 1 thru 5.

### **Adult Choir**

Practice for Adult Choir will be held on Wednesday, March 11, 2015 at 7:00PM. If school is cancelled due to inclement weather, or if there is an early dismissal because of weather, practice is cancelled.

### **Holy Name Society Spaghetti Dinner**

Sunday, March 29, 2015

11:00AM-3:00PM

Holy Angels Activity Center

Adults \$8.00, Children 12 & under \$4.00

Dinner included: Wedding soup, spaghetti with homemade sauce & meatballs, salad & dessert.  
Tickets available at the parish office or call 570-373-1698.

### **Potato Cake Batter Sale**

The Holy Name Society will be selling their famous Potato Cake Batter available on March 21. Pre-orders only with payment due at the time of order. Forms are available in the back of the church. Batter will sold by the quart. Containers will be provided. Donation \$5.00 per quart. Order forms with payment are due by March 15. Orders may be dropped off at the parish office or thru the Sunday Collection. Those ordering may pick up their batter on Saturday, March 21, 12:00noon-1:30pm in the Activity Center.

### **The Holy Season of Lent**

A reminder that the Lenten Bible Study will be held on Sundays, at 6:00PM in the Church Hall for those who have registered. The Study will be held on Sundays throughout the season of Lent.

Stations of the Cross are prayed on Fridays of Lent at 2:00 & 7:00PM.

Lenten Fish Dinners are held on Fridays 4:00-6:00PM in the Activity Center. Donation \$8.00, children 12 & under \$5.00. Dinner includes Soup & Salad Bar, Baked Fish, potato, vegetable, cole slaw, bread & butter, dessert & beverage.

### **Mid-Week Lenten Services**

#### **Soup and Sermon**

All are invited to attend the mid-week Lenten Services which will be held throughout the area. The services are held on Wednesday evenings at 6:00PM throughout the Lenten Season. Location of the services are:

March 11, First United Methodist Church, Kulpmont

March 18, Grace Lutheran Church, Mt. Carmel

March 25, First United Methodist Church, Mt. Carmel

### **VERA BRADLEY/ COACH BINGO**

Sunday March 8, 2015

Lourdes Regional Cafeteria

Sponsored by The Junior Class 2016

Doors Open 11:30 a.m. Games Start 1:00 p.m.

Donation \$20.00

Tickets Available @ the door

or call Kathy Holleran 570-373-1752

### **St. Patrick's Day Vigil Mass**

Holy Angels Parish will be hosting a vigil Mass for the Feast of St. Patrick. The Mass will be celebrated on Monday, March 16, 2015 at 7:00PM. All are invited to attend, please inform family members and friends of the Mass also. Following the Mass, all are invited to the Activity Center for refreshments. Wear your green and join the Ancient Order of Hibernians on this special day!

**Holy Angels Parish presents**

**“Spring Fling”**

Saturday, April 11, 2015

Brady Fire Company Banquet Hall

Music by “Into the Spin”

Tickets \$30.00 food and beverages included  
no one under 21 admitted.

Doors open 6:30PM, music from 8:00-11:00PM

For tickets call the parish office at 570-373-1221, Betty Anne @570-373-3110, or Mary Teresa @570-339-0619.

**20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Planning Committee**

Meeting-Sunday, March 15, 2015

5:00PM in the rectory

**Easter Egg Sale**  
**Our Lady of Lourdes Regional School**

LOL will be selling the famous homemade Easter Eggs Peanut Butter, Coconut Cream and Butter Cream

\$10.00 Dozen or \$5.00 1/2 doz. Mix n match  
Call 570-644-0375 Ext 110 to place your order  
Last day to Order Monday March 30th

**Bethlehem Wood Carvings**

The weekend of March 21 & 22, our brothers and sisters representing the Land of Peace Mission-a nonprofit organization will be with us speaking about the Christian situation in the Holy Land and selling Crucifixes, religious art work, and rosaries-all made of olive wood which is native to Israel and Bethlehem. Since tourism has greatly depleted, Christian families in the holy land, who depend on tourists, have been greatly affected. The goal of this mission is to build a Charitable Hospital in Bethlehem and help the poor and needy families in Bethlehem and Jerusalem. Sale of these goods will help them very much and also give you the opportunity to have "something" authentic from the holy lands. Please browse and buy some articles. It is for a good cause and also a help to your personal devotion. For information go to [www.landofpeace.org](http://www.landofpeace.org)

**Reserve the Dates!**

Palm Sunday, March 29, Diocesan World Youth Day 3:00-7:00PM. Pre-liturgy music and singing on the Capitol steps, procession to Mass at St. Patrick Cathedral, fun dinner and concert at Strawberry Square. If you are interested in attending, please let Father Andrew know!

Holy Angels Day at Brewser's, Sunday, April 12, 2015. Coupons are available in the back of the church. You must have a coupon to present to your server in order for Holy Angels to receive credit.

Holy Angels 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass & Celebration, Sunday, June 28, 2015.

**St. Pauline Society Fruit & Nut Roll Sale**

An order form is available in the back of the church for anyone wishing to order fruit or nut rolls from the St. Pauline Society. All orders are due with payment by March 16 and orders can be picked up at Holy Angels Parish Office on April 1. Rolls are \$14.00 each for a 24oz roll. Proceeds benefit the St. Pauline Society.

**Fish Dinner Donations**

Any organizations or individuals who may be interested in donating the cost of the fish for our Fish Dinner is asked to contact Father Andrew. Also, cakes or desserts are always appreciated for the Fish Dinners.

**Hersheypark Discount Ticket Offer!**

Discount tickets to Hersheypark are available to the friends and families of our parish at a significant savings. Gate admission for Regular is \$62.80 (ages 9-54); our price is \$33.50- a savings of 47%. Gate admission for Juniors (ages 3-8) and Seniors (ages 55-69) is \$40.80; our price is \$28.50. Gate admission for Senior Plus (ages 70+) is \$25.80; our price is \$21.95. Add-on discount Hersheypark Meal Tickets at a savings of up to 30% off retail prices - \$14.00 each. New for the 2015 Summer Season: \$7.50 Pre-paid parking (50% off). Order forms are available in the back of the church. Deadline for ordering is Wednesday, April 29, 2015. Payment is due with order.

**Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal**

By this time all parish members should have received your Lenten Appeal pledge card. If you have not yet done so, please contact the parish office. Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Lenten

Appeal extends your generosity beyond your parish to reach those in our larger Catholic Family. Holy Angels Parish receives full credit for your gift. Once our goal of \$19,900.00 is reached, the parish receives all of the “over goal” gifts for our own essential needs. Returns can be mailed in, dropped off at the parish office or returned thru the Sunday Collection.

### **Parish Council Vacancies**

The Parish Pastoral Council currently has five seats that will become available in June. If you have a desire to become part of the spiritual leadership here at Holy Angels, please contact Father Andrew or Kathy Pupo for more information. All adult parishioners 18 years of age or older are asked to prayerfully give this some consideration. Former council members are also encouraged to consider this mission.

### **University of Notre Dame Sports Speaker coming to Mt. Carmel March 8, 2015**

Divine Redeemer Church, in partnership with the University of Notre Dame, will host a program Sunday, March 8, that promotes development of a more positive culture for youth sports. “Play Like a Champion, Character Education Through Sports,” is scheduled for 11:45 a.m.- 12:45p.m. at Divine Mercy Hall, 400 block of West Cherry Street. Designed for sports leaders, including coaches, parents and administrators, the program features a workshop by Lynn Kachmarik, University of Notre Dame Play Like a Champion director of national outreach. The program emphasizes presenting sport as a form of youth ministry and challenges us to view sports as a means of developing the whole person — physically, mentally and spiritually. Drawing on the expertise of members of the Notre Dame coaching staff and the research of psychologists, Play Like a Champion’s goal is to improve the culture of sports through a commitment to nurturing children’s personal and spiritual development while also encouraging athletic excellence. Cost of the workshop is \$10 for adults and \$5 for students. Pre-registration is required by March 6. Contact the parish office at 570-339-3450 with questions or to register

### **New Permanent Deacon Class Announced**

Bishop Ronald W. Gainer, of the Diocese of Harrisburg, has announced that he is opening enrollment for a formation class for the Permanent Diaconate in the Diocese of Harrisburg. The class will consist of a course of studies including theology as well as pastoral, spiritual and human formation.

Requirements for application include that the man must be a Catholic who has received all the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion), he should be spiritually devoted and active in the Church. He should be at least 30 and no more than 62 years old, healthy, educated, financially stable, registered in a diocesan parish and in a mature, valid and stable marriage.

Catholic men who wish to apply should approach their pastors. Applications will become available through pastors March 15, 2015. All applications must be complete no later than June 15, 2015.

Bishop Gainer remarked, “I am looking forward to this new class of Deacons and the impact that they can make and the assistance that they can provide to me and our local Church.” A Deacon is an ordained minister of the Catholic Church. They can perform a variety of roles in the Church.