

JUNE 20, 2010

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday, June 21/Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, religious

6:30 AM Mary T. Solomon

8:00 AM Paul Bonenberger

Tuesday, June 22/Saint Paulinus of Nola, bishop; Saint John Fisher, bishop and martyr, and Saint Thomas More, martyr

6:30 AM Jacqueline Tenore-Kehoe

8:00 AM Georgia Cuppari

Wednesday, June 23

6:30 AM Robert Dolan

8:00 AM Mothers Day Intentions

Thursday, June 24/The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

6:30 AM NO MASS

8:00 AM Walter Bowski

Friday, June 25

6:30 AM William Speicher

8:00 AM Frank Gutman

Saturday, June 26

9:00 AM Frank Mayernik

Vigil: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 PM Mr. & Mrs. Julius Meyers

Sunday, June 27

7:30 AM Living & Deceased Members
of our Parish Family

9:00 AM Anthony & Alverna Daddona

10:30 AM Mary C. Legath

12:00 PM Joseph & Rosemary Macaluso's
40th Wedding Anniversary

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Please remember to ask God's blessing and the gift of good health for members of our parish family and friends who are in nursing homes, or in the hospital. Also, those confined to their homes with an illness or disability, sick or in the hospital: Dominic Bellucci, Sr., Rose Bellucci, Carol Crugnale, Paula Gallo, Ryan Glose, Andrew Hein, John Klusarits, Lucy Lentini, Robert Marzano, Bruno Masucci, Frieda Mertz, Betty Porter, Daniel Porter, Carol Reed, Luke Ronco, John Schedler, Howard Sweeney, Colleen Tomline and William Wolfer.

NURSERY SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Registrations are being accepted for the 2010-2011 school year. Classes are Mon., Wed & Fri, 9:00-11:30 and 12:30-3:00 for 4 year olds; Tues. & Thurs. 9:00-11:30 and 12:30-3:00 for 3 year olds. If you are interested in registering please call 610-266-0450 between 8:30 and 3:00 PM.

GIFT CARDS

Gift Cards make great gifts for the special occasions coming up in the next several weeks. Kohl's, JCPenney, Olive Garden/Red Lobster and the variety of store gift cards sold at Giant, Weis, and Redners can be just right for Father's Day, graduations and wedding gifts. Stop after Mass or stop in at the Rectory or School and pick up your grocery card(s) this week.

ST. ELIZABETH GOLDEN AGERS

There is no meeting in July and the annual picnic is Friday, August 6th, more information to follow.

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of today, our parishioners have raised \$37,003 from 311 parishioners representing 25% of the total number of registered families in our parish. If you have not made your pledge of support, you may return your pledge form to the parish office or make your gift online. We need the support of all of our parish families to reach our goal. If you have any questions, or would like to make a gift, please call the parish office or visit the Appeal website at www.adbaa.org.

PRO-LIFE

Using brain scans an international team of scientists has taken a look inside the brains of patients diagnosed as being in a "vegetative state." These patients, the images clearly showed, were living silently—their minds apparently active, the scans showing brain activity like that in any healthy conscious person. (New York Times, 2/4/10) this counteracts the arguments that such patients are "in a vegetative state," and can be starved to death as Terry Schiavo was in 2005.

ST. ELIZABETH REGIONAL SCHOOL

Please continue to save Boxtops for Education, Campbells labels, Ink cartridges, Redner's tapes and cancelled stamps for our school. Thank you for your support in all of our fundraising efforts. Check out the school website for more information about the school: www.sercc.org/school. Anyone interested in registering their child for K-8 for 2009-2010 school year should call the school at 610-264-0143 for more information.

PARISH NURSING NEWS

Share Care Ministry-If you need transportation for a doctor's appointment, a lab. study, or grocery shopping for care receiver, please contact Rose Balliet, Coordinator @610-266-9763. Please try to give at least 48hr.-1week notice when possible. Simple household chores/repairs needed to be done can also be directed to Friends of the Carpenter by contacting Rose. We encourage available family or friend contacts as "first called volunteers" since this specific pool is limited. Anyone interested in joining these rewarding ministries is encouraged to call Rose. Training is provided. Thank You!

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

June brings weddings! Remember how you felt about each other on your wedding day? Marriage Encounter can help re-ignite those romantic feelings. For information call 800-787-7679 or go online at www.wwme-nepa.org.

CHURCH FESTIVALS

St. Joseph the Worker – 1879 Applewood Dr, Allentown is having their parish festival on Friday, June 18 (6-10 pm) entertainment the oldies group *Crusin' Down Memory Lane* 7-10 pm, Saturday, June 19 (5-10 pm) entertainment the country band *Steel Creek* 6-10 pm and Saturday, June 20 (4-9 pm) entertainment *Patricia Bostick Dance Studio* 4-5 pm and the polka band *Joe Stanky & the Cadets* 6-9 pm (no coolers permitted). Rain or shine featuring ethnic foods, snack foods, adult and children's games, flea market, slurpies, smoked pulled pork, bingo, bake sale and more.

St. Mary's Church – 122 Union St, Catasauqua is having their Block Party on Friday, June 25 and Saturday, June 26 from 6-10 pm and Sunday, June 27 from Noon to 4 pm. This event offers delicious homemade food, bake sale, basket raffle, bingo and games for children and adults. For more information, please call the parish office at 610-264-0332.

SS. Simon and Jude Church – 730 W. Broad St, Bethlehem is having their 2nd Annual Treasures & Treats Day on Saturday, June 26 from 8:30 am to 4 pm. Used books and treasures can be purchased in the school hall; raffle baskets, chances, baked goods, crafts and food will be available in the parish hall.

SECOND COLLECTION

Today we support the Holy Father in his charitable works. The Peter's Pence collection is taken up worldwide in an effort of solidarity to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disaster and others in need of emergency assistance. Pope Benedict XVI has said, "God's love...gives us the courage to continue seeking and working for the benefit of all" (*Caritas in Veritate*, no. 78). Cast the love of Christ upon the world—please be generous in today's collection.

CYO COACHES CLINIC

There will be a CYO Coaches Certification Clinic on Wednesday, July 21, 2010 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish in Bethlehem. The clinic will begin with registration at 6 pm and the clinic at 6:30 pm. Any CYO coach in need of certification is asked to attend. Pre-registration is required no later than Wednesday, July 14. For more information, please contact Rick Wagner at 610-821-0912 or 610-434-4382.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

Hurting from a past abortion? Plan to attend the **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat Weekend, July 30, 31, August 1**, through the Office of Pro-Life Activities. Within a safe, confidential, non-judgmental environment, experience God's healing love, and forgiveness. For more information or to register call **1-866-3 Rachel** or mdunn@allentowndioocese.org. For a complete listing of Retreat dates and locations visit the national Rachel's Vineyard website at www.rachelsvineyard.org

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Allentown is accepting inquiries from married couples interested in **domestic infant and/or international adoption**. Please contact Patricia Reusch at 610-435-1541, ext. 334 or e-mail preusch@allentowndioocese.org. The **Catholic Charities, Diocese of Allentown** is also seeking candidates from throughout the Diocese of Allentown to serve on the agency's **Advisory Board**. Please call or e-mail Lynne Shampain, Development Administrator, at 610-791-3888, ext. 310 or Ishampain@allentowndioocese.org.

MEMORIAL FUND

The following have been enrolled in our Memorial Fund and will be remembered at Mass on the first Friday of every month:

Caldas Family

From: Theresa Zelinsky

Greghan Cuppari

From: Carol & Barry Stewart

Walter F. Davis

From: Margaret Martin

Robert LaFrankie

From: Kindergarten Class of Little Parish School

Frank Mayernik

From: Carol Mayernik

Harry Mellinger

From: Marsha Becker

From: Beverly Reinik

Robert Seng

From: Allentown Central Catholic High School Music Parents Association

From: Al Tauber Family

George Worman

From: David and Kaye Gola

Harry Wrixon

From: Kandy Crawford

Bernard and Vincent Zelinsky

From: Theresa Zelinsky

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

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