

Bulletin # 910038

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Attn: Bee

MESSAGES:

WELCOME, FR. ARNOLD

The Parish Family of St. Mary of the Assumption opens its doors and its heart to Father Rodger Arnold, SVD, A Divine Word Missionary, who is with us for the weekend for Missionary Cooperation Sunday. Father Arnold will speak to us of the needs of the people served by the Divine Word Missionaries throughout the world. Father has worked extensively in the Philippines as he brings the message of the Lord Jesus to the people of that area. Father Arnold will present an overview of his religious community and will request both prayers and financial support for his Community.

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY

In conjunction with our Parish Family's celebration of "Missionary Cooperation Sunday," we will have a second collection to be taken up at all the liturgies today. There is no envelope in our packet for this collection, so we are asked to give freely from our own resources. This is one of the 10 designated "second collections" scheduled for every parish in the Diocese of Pittsburgh. We ask all parishioners to be as generous as possible in helping the needs of the Divine Word Missionaries.

CARE OF OUR OWN CEMETERY

As the days of summer now begin to roll by, our Maintenance Department spends much of its time manuring our cemetery grounds to maintain its beauty. We take pride in being one of the few parishes in the Diocese who has a sacred burial ground adjacent to its Church building. We ask all those who have a concern for their loved ones buried in our cemetery to be aware of the regulations that are posted throughout the cemetery. It is imperative that we all adhere to these regulations so our Crew may be able to do their work in an efficient way and maintain the beauty of our cemetery.

OUTDOOR BASKETBALL COURTS

As the members of the Temporalities Commission complete the work of the OUTDOOR Basketball Courts, we remind all those groups who wish to use them that they need permission to do so. These courts are becoming quite attractive to many different groups and the courts must be "signed out" like all the other facilities of our Parish Family before anyone may presume to use them for their group.

"CATCH THE VIBE"

Each member of our Capital Campaign Committee (CCC) is still in the process of contacting parishioners personally to enlist their support in contributing financially to the Pledge Campaign. Other members of the Parish Family who would to help in this process are cordially welcome to contact one of the members of the Committee, or simply call the rectory during regular office hours to leave your name. Meanwhile, we are hoping that ALL parishioners will take an active role in the Campaign by making a pledge at this time.

PARISH LIFE COLLABORATOR (part 1)

As the Diocese of Pittsburgh continues to experience the shortage of ordained priests, a rather new "PARISH LEADER" is being developed with which all of us should have a familiarity. This person will be called a *Parish Life Collaborator* --- a deacon or a professional minister appointed by the diocesan bishop to share in the exercise of the pastoral care of a Parish Family. Those parishes with a Parish Life Collaborator will no longer have a priest as a pastor, but the Life Collaborator will be accountable to a Priest Director who ensures that sacramental ministry is reserved only to the ordained priest.

BULLETIN ADVERTISERS

Have you ever taken a peek at all the advertisers who use our bulletin to remind us of their commitment to our Parish Family? It is their payment to our bulletin company that allows us to have the bulletin printed each week without cost to us. We would encourage all parishioners to patronize those companies advertised on the back of the bulletin. When we use their services, we should remind them that we saw their advertisement on the back of our bulletin. If these companies realize this, they are more likely to renew their contract with our bulletin company when the present contract expires!

OUR PAROCHIAL SCHOOL

Our Parish Catholic School is open to the children of families besides those who belong to St. Mary of the Assumption. Those who know of parents looking for a value-filled education process for their children are encouraged to contact our School Community for details.

Masses for the Week

Sunday, July 16 - Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 4:00 p.m. Colleen Doyle (Dad, Mum, Megan & Patrick)
- 6:00 pm Frank Pugliese (Brother- Anthony)
- 7:30 a.m. Living & Deceased of our Parish
- 9:00 a.m. Tony Vivaldi (Vivaldi Family)
- 11:00 a.m. Ray DiPasquale (Family)

Monday, July 17

- 7:00 a.m. Francesco Gullo (Angela Rondinelli)
- 10:00 a.m. Anna Kasunich (Magnolia Drive Neighbors)

Tuesday, July 18 - St. Camillus de Lellis

- 7:00 a.m. Rita Benko (Sandy & Mary Ann Ondriezek)
- 10:00 a.m. Craig Lanzino (Joan Hulbert)

Wednesday, July 19

- 7:00 a.m. Bernard Mittereder (Sister-Anne Riley)
- 10:00 a.m. Vincent Golobic (Wife Veronica & Sons)

Thursday, July 20 - St. Apollinarus

- 7:00 a.m. George Duffy (Family)
- 10:00 a.m. John Caldone, Sr. (Family)

Friday, July 21 - St. Lawrence of Brindisi

- 7:00 a.m. Helen Kukla (Lisa & Brian O'Malley)
- 10:00 a.m. Frederick R. Rihn (Berardi Family)

Saturday, July 22 - St. Mary Magdalene

- 8:00 a.m. Cynda Patton (Gostowski Family)
- 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Jackie Carolan (Ronald & Doe Herr)
- 6:00 p.m. Sally Molnar (Family)

Sunday, July 23 - Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 a.m. Paul Barbieri (M/M Antonio Fusca)
- 9:00 a.m. Living & Deceased of our Parish
- 11:00 a.m. Rosa Mantella (Joseph Mantella Family)

A VOCATION VIEW

God will provide for you on your journey. Trust that you will receive the grace to carry out the mission (Mark 6: 7-13)

PRAYERFUL BEST WISHES: to Brother Nathanael

Polinski who professed first vows and to **Brother Michael Miller**, who renewed his vows in a ceremony recently held at St. Vincent Archabbey. Eight members of our Parish Family Vocation Council along with Father Ed, traveled to Latrobe for this event. Please continue to pray for these men as they journey to final profession as Benedictine monks.

R.I.P. Please pray for the repose of the souls of Wilbur Bliss and Bill Vistein, father of Marge Wesolek.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

II. Abbey C. Nilson - Nicholas Didomenico (St. Mary's)

I & II. Amelia DeAngelis (St. Mary) - Christopher Russell



July 2, 2006	Envelopes	Contributions
Offertory	743	\$15,305.55
Cash/Loose Cks.	—	1,324.00
Children's Offer.	50	49.02
Peter's Pence	17	195.00
Bishop's Relief	1	1.00
Parish Share	46	2,709.97
Parish Needy	31	506.00
TOTAL	888	\$20,090.54

DAILY



READINGS

July 17: Is 1:10-17; Mt 10: 34--11:1
July 18: Is 7:1-9; Mt 11: 20-24
July 19: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11: 25-27
July 20: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11: 28-30
July 21: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8
July 22: Mi 2: 1-5; Jn 20: 1-2, 11-18
July 23: Jer 23: 1-6; Ps23; Eph 2: 13-18; Mk 6: 30-34

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

BAPTISMS: Born again of water and the Spirit here at St. Mary's were:

Abigail Mari Ondos Keegan James McGrath
We congratulate them, their parents, godparents and grandparents!

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF

ADULTS: Adults interested in information about becoming a Catholic or preparing to receive First Holy Communion or Confirmation in the Spring of 2007, are invited to contact Father Ed or Jim Finn at the rectory (412) 486-4100.

INFORMATION on "ROMAN CATHOLIC WOMEN

PRIESTS" is available in the Pittsburgh Catholic. According to an organization called "Roman Catholic Womenpriests," a ceremony will take place on the rivers of Pittsburgh on July 31st, 2006, that is represented to be an "ordination" to the priesthood. The Roman Catholic Church and the Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh does not and cannot recognize this ceremony. As this unfortunate ceremony will take place outside the Church and undermines the unity of the Church, those attempting to confer Holy Orders have, by their own actions, removed themselves from the Church, as have those who present themselves for such an invalid ritual. Additionally, those who by their presence give witness and encouragement to this fundamental break with the unity of the People of God place themselves outside the Church. Additionally, if those present as witnesses to the event share in ministry to the Church, as teachers, administrators, catechists, chaplains, etc. - they will be deemed to be in violation of the Cardinal's Clause and/or the Code of Pastoral Conduct. As such, the most serious consequence would be dismissal from ministry and/or loss of employment. If you have questions, feel free to call Father Ed or Jim Finn at the rectory (412) 486-4100.



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RELIGIOUS FORMATION

FAITH SHARING - 15th Week Ordinary Time

"Get ready, Get set, GO !! Jesus SENT the apostles with very specific instructions about how to travel and what to do . Re-read Mark 6:7-13 and ask HIM what does this message have to say to YOU today. What difficulties did those first missionaries encounter? How do YOU help others come to know Jesus? What difficulties do people encounter today when trying to spread the GOOD NEWS of God's love and mercy?

CATECHISTS are adults or older youth who enjoy working with children, love Jesus Christ, and are willing to share that love with younger members of the parish family. Opportunities are NOW available to prepare to be a catechist or assisting as an aide with specific age-level children or youth. Contact the Faith Formation office for details, 412-486-5521 or ccdof-fice@stmaryglenshaw.org.

Sports Coaches, Scout Leaders, All Church volunteers who work with children are required to participate in the Protecting God's Children Workshop. Two opportunities will be offered here at St. Mary's in Marian Hall at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2nd and Tuesday, August 8th. Call now to register (412) 486-5521.

WOMEN OF FAITH celebrate Mary of Magdala this Saturday, July 22. Our parish library has books to loan about this first missionary, woman disciple of Jesus. Call 412-486-5521 to arrange to borrow a copy, or at www.americancatholic.org.

REGISTRATIONS DUE at the Faith Formation office for families wishing to continue in one of the parish programs, Monday evenings, Saturday mornings, Sunday morning Pre-school, or Family Program Sundays. Return the form distributed in April or contact 412-486-5521. THANKS for your cooperation and consideration.

YOUTH MINISTRY
CONGRATULATIONS
CLASS OF 2006

ST. MARY SCHOOL

REGISTRATION: For students in Preschool (3 and 4 year olds), Kindergarten and Grades 1 through 8 for the 2006-2007, school year are still being accepted in the School Office. Children registering for Kindergarten **MUST** be 5 years of age by Sept. 1, 2006. Requirements for registration include your child's birth and baptismal certificates and the child's social security number. A \$100.00 non-refundable registration fee is also required at that time which will be applied to the next year's tuition.

SCRIP NEWS: The **ENJOY** book, rather than the Entertainment Book, will be sold for 2007 and will be available for sale from the first week of August through Christmas. The **ENJOY** book offers much the same, if not more, for the money. Cost is \$25.00 each and can be pre-ordered. Stop at the Scrip table or the Scrip Office with questions. **The Scrip Office in the School will be open on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. during the summer.**

PLEASE HELP: We are asking you to continue to save your Shop 'n Save receipts, Labels for Education from Campbell's products, old cell phones, empty ink cartridges, and one-sided paper over the summer months. Many thanks for your continued support!

SMAA GOLF OUTING: This years SMAA Golf Outing will be held on Monday, Sept. 11, 2006 at Deer Run Golf Course. The outing is open to ALL Parishioners, and the cost is **\$95.00**. 12:00 p.m. shotgun start. Included in the outing is 18 holes of golf, dinner and prizes. If you would like to sponsor a hole the cost is **\$125.00**. Please make checks payable to: **SMAA**. All proceeds go to fund St. Mary's Athletic Teams. For information call Kelly Cannon, 402 Scott Ave., Glenshaw, PA 15116 (412) 551-3150 or Geoff O'Connor, 2004 Verden Court, Allison Park, PA 15101 (412) 551-0034.

WIDOW/WIDOWERS GROUP: will meet on July 30th, at 5:00 p.m. at Hoss's Restaurant on Route 8. Everyone is welcome! Any questions, please call Barb at (412) 486-4209 or Marge at (412) 486-5621.

<u>High School Graduate</u>	<u>Future Plans</u>
Aluise, Lauren	Marine Corps Band
Deet, Mary	Duquesne University
DeVinney, Craig	Allegheny College
Franzer, Ryan	Ohio State
Furmanski, Dana	Pgh School of Culinary Arts
Garrett, Ellen	Carnegie Mellon University
Gaydosh, Lindsay	St. Joseph University, Phil.
Genser, Scott	U. of Pittsburgh, Johnstown
Goeller, Brandon	Allegheny College
Hennessey, Sean	Johns Hopkins
Janusz, Christopher	Kent State University
Kurkiewicz, Justin	Brown University
Klickovich, Adam	La Roche College
Loiselle, Bridgette	Virginia Tech
Loiselle, Kevin	Duquesne University
Mitsch, Brian	Pgh Business Institute
Paul, Marina	Johns Hopkins
Rugh, Susanne	U. of Pittsburgh, Johnstown
Slean, Jessica	St. Mary's College
Smith, Tom	CCAC
Soeder, Libby	Duquesne University
Stachelek, Nate	Bradford School of Business
Stampfle, Julie	Robert Morris University
Stokes, Brenden	Air Force at U. of Pittsburgh
Sugerman, Anthony	Duquesne University
Thimons, Jessica	Xavier University
Thomas, John	University of Pittsburgh
Wisser, Danni	University of North Carolina
Zeis, Andrew	Hocking College

<u>College Graduate</u>	<u>Future Plans</u>
Gentile, Justin	grad of Duquesne University
DeVinney, Kevin	grad of Allegheny
Marshall, Nettie	grad of Gannon University
Wisser, Michael. 2nd Lt.	grad of West Point

GENERAL PARISH NEWS

LET THE LITTLE CHILDREN COME TO ME: is a unique beyond baptism ministry to parents with children birth to age 5 and their older siblings. Each week the Core Team places a Family Perspective thought in the bulletin written by Bud Ozar. **Jesus told His disciples to "take nothing" on their journey. THINGS distract. "Things" play a major role in most families: we collect, argue about and protect our "things." We even ignore each other because we have "things" to do. Are "things" distracting your family from being all it can be?**

PRAY AND PLAY GROUP FOR MOMS AND CHILDREN:

Please join the Moms of the "Let the Little Children Come To Me" Ministry on Wednesday, July 19th at 9:30 a.m. Meet in the Children's Liturgy Room of the Church for child-friendly prayers and songs and then go to Middle Road Community Park for fun. Older siblings welcome! Call Jodee at (412) 267-3027 for specifics! All welcome!

HARTWOOD BUBBLE VISIT: Join the Moms and Tots at Hartwood Personal Care Home on Monday, July 17th at 9:45 a.m. to spread some summer joy! Call Monica at (412) 492-0242 and let her know you are coming!

CORE TEAM MEETING: Saturday, July 22nd after the 8:00 a.m. Mass in the Rectory. The members of the **Let The Little Children Come To Me** post-baptism ministry will meet. Call Cindy Shadle at (412) 487-5272 for more information.

PARISH DIRECTORY AND FAMILY PORTRAIT. St. Mary of the Assumption Parish Directory is a great opportunity to get your family or individual photo taken. All families/parishioners are urged to get their picture taken for the directory and in return you will receive a FREE 8" X 10" photo and a copy of the directory. Additional photos are available for purchase as well, without any obligations. The online registering is very simple and user friendly so please schedule your family for that well needed family photo. To make an online reservation go to stmaryglenshaw.org/directory and follow the instructions. If you choose not to sign up for your session online or need assistance in making your reservation feel free to call **Marianne Germinaro at (412) 487-9242, Ray Jones at (412) 486-9118 or Laurie Exler at (412) 661-9696.** We are also in need of volunteers to host/hostess the 3 hour time slots during the photo sessions in Marion Hall. If you can help with host/hostess times please call Ruth at (412) 486-0614. Thank you in advance for making our parish directory a success.

MARKET DAY will continue in September; watch for order forms in the foyer during August. Proceeds from the MD sales will be used to keep updating the equipment in our parish kitchen.

If YOU will like to assist on the Market Day team, contact Lee Holleran at 724-443-0673 or 724-272-6455.

MID-Summer MISSION POSSIBLE, Saturday, July 22, 7:00-11:00 PM in Marian Hall. An evening of live music and entertainment, silent auction, raffles, dancing, good food and refreshments. Also a short presentation by Father Vincent Stegman, CSSp about the growth of the Catholic Youth Hostel in Yabello, Ethiopia. \$25.00 adult/ \$10.00 child; proceeds to benefit the youth and ministry in Yabello. Call Rose Stegman at 412-781-2838 for details.

THANK YOU! To all who donated a basket for the Chinese Auction for the Festival. Whether you were a parishioner or a ministry, the baskets again this year were creative and outstanding. We so appreciate your support!

BIG CHANGES IN STORE...

What does weight loss, crafting, surprise auctions, covered dish dinners, flea market swap meet, magazine/book exchange, performers, plant sale and having fun meeting new or old friends have in common? Keep watching bulletins to see what's coming....CMWO.



July 9, 2006	Envelopes	Contribution
Offertory	775	\$15,237.90
Cash.Loose Cks.	—	1,009.00
Children's Offer.	33	38.58
Peter's Pence	5	45.00
Parish Share	30	1,501.66
Parish Needy	15	200.00
TOTAL	858	\$18,029.14

PASTORAL IMPRESSIONS by Father Ed

ENCOUNTER

Walking on Carson St., I was engaged by two sets of young women promoting a Jehovah Witness rally in Cleveland. There scripture quoting led to the encounter in that I offered additional passages and clarification to what they were saying. After about 10 minutes, the oldest said - "We don't have time for this, we have to pass out these flyers and walked away. Saying, "God Bless You", I touched her head, she ran her hand over the spot where I touched her, and said, she didn't believe in touching. Which further engaged the other two women, I said "Jesus touched in every miracle." Now the Scripture quoting became more intense as they explored miracles, starting with Cana. Of course that miracle has so much in it, it would take hours to explore. From Cana to the Cross and seven jugs of wine. At this point, they asked my faith. Saying Roman Catholic, they rocked back on their heels, stopped and uttered, "Oh my, Catholics aren't supposed to talk scripture and religion and we parted.

The encounter is - we must know our religion and faith and be prepared to share in an intelligent way every time it's necessary. Do Catholics know the Bible and the tenants of their religion, or do we give the opinion that...?

We at St. Mary's have an excellent opportunity to be in the know. Beginning September 10th, we begin a 26 week program open to all to explore every aspect of the Church. We meet after the 9 am Liturgy in the Rectory.

September 16 - Sr. Jackie Ketterer will be here 9 to noon presenting "Gospel Stories" Also - "The Mass in Slow Motion," an in depth exploration of our Liturgy - Beginning Sept. 19 to 26 and Oct. 3 - 17 - 24. Need more! The Family Program, Cluster Groups. Wednesday evening Men's discussion Group and Saturday morning too! Tuesday afternoon Bible Study. What else would you like? Let us know! Oh - I didn't tell them I was a priest, the shock of being Catholic was enough.

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