

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 14th



Holy Ghost Church

**A Roman Catholic Parish of the
Diocese of Allentown**

*Founded in 1871 as a
German Ethnic Parish*

—150th Anniversary—

—1871—2021—

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Incarnation of Our Lord

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*Founded in 2008 as a merger of Slovak,
Hungarian, Windish, Polish and
Italian Parishes.*

“Many Pasts, ONE United Future.”

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Year of Real
PRESENCE
CENTERED IN THE HOLY EUCHARIST



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

*My dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, Many people lament the state of our world...and of the Church. Things seem to be spinning out of control and in the words of a great poet, "the center that kept us together is not holding." Lack of unity, polarization and conflict seem to rule the day. Today's scripture readings seem to be a description of such a world. God assures us with a hopeful message; no matter how badly things are going, His plan is unfolding as He wills and it will result in a better world. Michael, the captain of the heavenly army is assured victory. We invoke his help at every Mass. There is a force of evil, that is struggling to block the plan of salvation, but we are assured of victory. Our fears and apprehension should NOT indicate a lack of trust in the power of God's love to overcome the evil present in our world. Jesus, through His Cross and Resurrection has achieved ultimate victory over sin and death. That seems hard to believe when we examine the state of the Church. "The gates of Hell will not prevail!" We have Jesus' word for it. It is necessary to believe in His Divine Mercy and remain faithful to its shepherds and servant leaders. Even though the powers of this world seem filled with deceit, injustice and disregard for the truth; Christ is our Highest Authority and King. "Give to God the things of God, and give to Caesar (of any party) what belongs to Caesar." That is the basic truth to retain when the world seems to be spinning out of control. More on that next week as we celebrate the Solemnity of Jesus Christ King of the Universe. There are many messages that need to be studied and lived as our Liturgical Year draws to a close. Take time and pray for our Church and the world. Asking God's blessing for you who live in the world, but do not share all the values of this world,
I am your pastor and friend,*

Father David J. Kozak

OUR PARISHES Need You!

OUR Parishes have multiple stewardship opportunities, there are a few areas of serious need. Altar Servers – Assist the priests and deacon by serving at the altar during Masses or other liturgical celebrations. Lectors – Proclaim readings at Mass and other liturgical celebrations. Training (written and in person) will be provided, along with yearly lector workbooks that have interpretations, pronunciation guides, etc. Choir – Enhances liturgical texts and inspires the congregation to more fully participate via song. The choir sings for weekend Masses, some funerals, etc. Training is provided.

(HG) THANKSGIVING

FILLING SALE

2 pound container of Home Made RAW stuffing which you can bake in your Thanksgiving Bird or oven. Pickup Tuesday November 23rd from 4 -7pm in Msgr. Billinger Hall. Cost is \$5.00 for a two pound container. Filling will be made fresh that day in our Billinger Hall Kitchen! You may also call the Rectory for more info. Deadline Friday Nov. 18th Order forms are next to the Church Bulletins

Incarnation Parish Senior Group

New members are invited to join our group. Meetings are held on the 1st Wed. of the month at 12 noon. Finger foods are served and bingo is played. Next meeting Wed., Dec. 1st. Any questions contact any officer. Pres. Rosemarie Csaszar 610-866-7927. Vice Pres. Barbara Raykos 610-867-0774. Sec. Jo Zavec 610-867-0260. Tres. Mike Vidumsky 610-530-1528.

Offering Envelope Use

We ask if you receive parish envelopes, that you use them rather than putting loose cash offerings in the collection basket. This will enable us to give you an annual contribution statement that can be used for income tax purposes. It also shows that you have attended Mass. If you give online and feel a bit awkward when the collection basket comes by, you can write on your envelope that you gave online and drop your empty envelope in the basket.

R.C.I.A. *meetings for both Incarnation of Our Lord and Holy Ghost Parishes are held on Wednesdays at 7:30 PM, in the Newman Center. The classes are intended for anyone who would like to be received into the Catholic Faith, whether baptized or not, a Catholic who needs to be confirmed, or if you are just want to learn more about the Catholic faith. If interested, please join us.*

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC, Direct Telephone Number: 1-800-791-9209

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To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, visit www.allentowndiocese.org and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner.

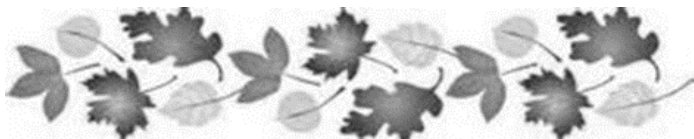
COURAGE – Diocesan Help Line: 610-217-5557

CATHOLIC BISHOP ABUSE REPORTING SERVICE If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 800-276-1562.

Catholic Charities

– Giving Tree

Christmas serves as a wonderful reminder of the precious gift of all life. We hope that you will consider supporting our work to Respect Life by donating during the Advent season. All items collected will be distributed to pregnant or parenting families throughout the diocese. Specific items needed include diapers, wipes, new clothing, towels, blankets, other baby items and gift cards to places that sell baby items (i.e.: Walmart, Target, grocery stores). This year because of ongoing restrictions and efforts to socially distance, gift cards may be the better option for all concerned, but as always, we are grateful for any and all donations received.



YEAR OF THE REAL PRESENCE

2021—2022 Added times of Adoration of Blessed

Sacrament at Holy Ghost Parish

Saturdays 3:00pm—3:55pm preceding the Saturday 4pm Mass during Confessions and First Fridays, from the end of the 8am Mass to 12 noon, and 7pm Holy Hour for Vocations

And at Incarnation of Our Lord Parish

Saturdays 3:00pm—3:55pm

preceding the Saturday 4pm Mass during Confessions ADORATION TIMES are In EFFECT now UNTIL Solemnity of Corpus Christi 2022

COUNTDOWN TO GERMAN HOLIDAY MARKET

The correct dates for the Market are Saturday, December 11th, 9 AM to 5 PM and Sunday, December 12th, 9 AM to 12 Noon. The dates in the parish newsletter were incorrect.

Please consider making a donation for a Tricky Tray basket or gift card. Please deliver baskets and/or gift cards by Monday, November 28th. If you would like us to create your basket, please make your donation by November 21st. Checks should be payable to Holy Ghost Church Social Committee.

As with any event, we need volunteers. If you can give us a few hours on either Saturday or Sunday, please call Boots (610-867-4839) or Maureen (610-866-8351). If you have a high school student who needs volunteer hours, ask them if they are available and have them call. We will complete the necessary paperwork on their behalf.



Respect
Life

Abortion has never been about "choice". It's always been about escaping the consequences of your choice by taking all choices away from another human being.

(INC) P.A.G. NEWS.....

Monthly 50/50 Drawing – Reminder – \$5 per entry, and since this drawing takes place electronically, just make your donation in multiples of \$5. Donation envelopes must be received by the last day of the month. Thank you for your support. Congratulations to our October winners -

Ignatius Rzeznik (\$110.00),
Dorothy Bickel (\$66.00),
and Margaret Carnihan (\$44.00).

Dan Schantz “Monthly Madness” Fundraiser Cards are still available! They make great gifts! For \$20, you get a different floral item each month for one year, to be picked up at the Greenhouse & Flower Outlet on Lehigh Street, and they don’t expire. Please contact Bonnie Zsilavec (484-892-0464; mobile) to purchase or for more information.

Save the date and stay tuned for more information about these other upcoming PAG activities/events (all dates tentative):

- Homemade Bread at Thanksgiving Mass – Thursday, 11/25/21
- Church Christmas Decorating – Saturday, 11/27/21
- PAG Meeting – Monday, 1/24/22
- Lenten Soup Supper – Friday, 3/18/22
- Movie & Pizza Night – Saturday, 4/2/22
- Children’s Egg Hunt – Saturday, 4/16/22
- Parish Breakfast – Sunday, 5/15/22
- Iron Pigs Group Outing – Sunday, 6/26/22
- Bingo Buffet – Saturday, 7/23/22

Incarnation Financials

Weekly collection for 11 / 7 = \$ 3,307.00
Online Giving = \$ 298.00
Total = \$ 3,605.00 THANK YOU!
Can you do more for your Parish?



(HG) “Using your noodle”

“Oodles of Noodles” will be made Monday, November 22nd ! WE NEED VOLUNTEERS No experience needed. Any assistance will be greatly appreciated. Any questions contact Steph Lee 610-248-5303. Donations of Flour and Eggs are ALWAYS welcome!!!

Holy Ghost “ GRAB N GO ONLY” DINNER SERIES

**On Saturday night after 4pm Mass til 6:00 ONLY
MUST BE PRE ORDERED**

**PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY ORDER
MOST DINNERS \$12-**

Order DEADLINE MON. Dec. 27th

Sat. Januray 1st-Pork N Kraut Dinner \$12.00

**Order Forms are around the Church, call the rectory
610-867-9382 #3 for Ron or Lisa if you
would like to place an order or volunteer.**

Future SATURDAY “GRAB N GO”

Saturday, Feb. 5th Roasted Chicken, Filling, Veg. \$12

Holy Ghost Financials

**Weekly collection for 11/ 7 = \$ 3,115.00
plus Online Giving = \$ 235.00**

Total = \$ 3,350.00 THANK YOU!
Can you do more for your Parish?

Prime Time Seniors Meetings

November 15th—Synod Talks

December 6th 12NOON Mass

1 pm Christmas Dinner

in Billinger Hall

BUS TRIP Christmas Show at

American Music Theatre

is scheduled for Wed., Dec. 1st. Cost is \$95 per person and includes bus, driver tip, show ticket and luncheon buffet at Bird-in-Hand Restaurant.

This is always a fun trip filled with holiday cheer, songs and treats. Call Boots Horwath 610-867-4839 to make your reservation.

**Money for the trip is due by THIS
Monday, November 15th.**

SATURDAY (HG) 4pm—✘ Living & Deceased
descendants of Foiano de val Fortore
(INC) 4pm ✘ Mary Szulborski & Theresa Thoder
by Patti Lou Danko & Kevin Fraser

SUNDAY November 14th

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(INC) 9am ✘ Deceased Members of the Novak, Ruyak &
Carbaugh Families

(HG) 10am ✘ Dennis Harbon & Loretta & Walter Elliott
by Wife Marilyn & Family

(INC) 11am—POLISH Mass ✘ Living & Deceased Mem-
bers of PNA Council #171 by Anne Lippincott

(HG) 4:00pm—Mass in the ANGLICAN Rite

LU— 12:10pm ✘ LU—9:10pm ✘

MON. Nov. 15th — St. Albert the Great

(HG) 8:00am ✘ All Souls Intentions

TUES. Nov. 16th—St. Margaret of Scotland St. Gertrude

(HG) 8:00am ✘ John Zavec by Brother, Charles Zavec

WED. Nov. 17th— St. Elizabeth of Hungary

(HG) 8:00am ✘ Joseph R. Murphy, Jr. by Wife Jane

THURS. Nov. 18th— St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

(HG) 8:00am ✘ Rev. Msgr. Francis X. Barrett

FRI. Nov. 19th— Ordinary Time Weekday

(HG) 8:00am ✘ Alice Friedman

Weekly Adoration follows Mass til 12 noon

SAT. Nov. 20th Anticipated Sunday Mass

(INC) (HG) Adoration 3-3:55pm Confessions (3-3:45pm)

(HG) 3:35pm Rosary

(HG) 4pm—✘ Dr. Robert L. Stull
by Wife Deborah, Children & Family

(INC) 4pm ✘ Joseph Mingora by
Thomas & Ruth Murphy

SUNDAY November 21st

Solemnity of Christ the King

(INC) 9am ✘ Eugene & Mary Demjan
by Jack & Mary Bendus

(HG) 10am ✘ Thomas J. Madl (Anniv)
by Wife Mary Ann & Children, Grandchildren

(INC) 11am—POLISH Mass ✘Bolek Gredys by Joseph
Janek

(HG) 4:00pm—Mass in the ANGLICAN Rite

LU— 12:10pm ✘ LU—9:10pm ✘

✘ **DEVOTIONAL LAMPS** ✘

\$10 PER WEEK

PLEASE CALL EITHER RECTORY

Devotional Lamps @ Holy Ghost Church

Sanctuary

Health & Blessings on R.J. Koach by a Friend

Tabernacle (2)

Health & Blessings on Charles "Butch" Krenos

St. Joseph

In Memory of ✘ Andrew Spevak by Wife Mariann

B.V.M

Health & Blessings on Jeff Cole

Sacred Heart

Health & Blessings on Rachel Horwath

St. Theresa

Health & Blessings on R.J. Koach by a Friend

St. John the Hermit

In Memory of ✘ Buragino, Corroda & Shunk Fams.

St. (Padre) Pio - Our Lady of Pompeii

In Memory of ✘ deceased Schiavone Family

Infant of Prague - St. John Capistrano

✘ Deceased Members Bechdolt / Boccardi Fams

Our Lady of Fatima

In Memory of ✘ Matthew J. Ragusa

Pieta

In Memory of ✘ Alexander & Elizabeth Trotsky

St. Vincent DePaul Chapel / Tabernacle Lamp

In Memory of ✘ George & Concetta Petit

Rosemarie Petit Hare & Joanne Petit

✘ Devotional Lamps ✘

@ Incarnation of Our Lord Church

Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of ✘

Marion B. Goodman

by Sister, Rosemarie Csaszar

BVM Lamp

In Memory of ✘ Mary Ann Vidumsky

by Steph Turek

St. Joseph Lamp—

In Memory of ✘ Living & Deceased of
Slovak Catholic Sokols #78



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