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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 25, 2018

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness,
the firstborn of the dead
and ruler of the kings of the earth.

— Revelation 1:5

THE BETHLEHEM PROJECT A ministry of Blessed Sacrament Cathedral (BSC), will hold a “Home for the Holidays” Raffle on Sunday, December 16, 2018. The Bethlehem Project helps those facing homelessness in Central Westmoreland County. Two types of tickets are available: a Sports and Leisure raffle ticket with a chance to win Penguins Tickets, Steeler Tickets or a wine and liquor basket; and a Basket Raffle ticket with a chance to win one of many prizes. A \$10 donation is suggested. For tickets or more information on the raffle or Bethlehem Project contact Katie Zuzik, at BSC at 724-834-3710 ext. 11 or zkuzik@dioceseofgreensburg.org

RETREAT AT MOUNT ST. MACRINA HOUSE OF PRAYER DEC. 16 A Christmas preparation retreat featuring Benedictine Father Cyprian Constantine will be held at Mount St. Macrina House of Prayer, Uniontown, Dec. 16 from 1:15-5:30 p.m. (includes dinner). Offering is \$35, and the registration deadline is Dec. 12. To register for either retreat, call 724-438-7149 or email hpsm@verizon.net.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH, 306 ST. JOHN DR., LATROBE, PA 15650 Swiss Steak Dinner in the parish hall from on December 2nd at 11 am to 3 pm or until all dinners are sold. Dinners include: swiss steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, vegetable, coleslaw, roll, dessert and drink. Price: Adults \$10.00 - children under 10 years of age \$5.00. Also, for your enjoyment a festival style BINGO, basket raffle, 50/50, bake sale and a Christmas item flea market.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY As the winter draws near, the need for food, personal care items, Diapers and cleaning supplies does not end. As we strive to respond to the call to serve one another and assist those less fortunate, we invite you to join in donating to our monthly collection which will take place next weekend, December 1 and 2. Canned goods, pasta, peanut butter and jelly, cereal, along with diapers, paper products, cleaning supplies, and personal care items are always greatly appreciated. Please place your donated items in the Madonna Room or the breezeway of the rectory.



SCRIPTURE STUDY Scripture Study will take place on Wednesday, November 28th at 7:00 PM Marian Hall. Readings will be for the First Sunday of Advent, Year C.

THE GIVING TREE For Christmas, the parish will once again sponsor gifts for the HEAD START children in the area. There is a Christmas Tree with children’s tags on the tree that has the child’s first name and suggestions of what they would like. **PLEASE** bring the gifts (wrapped with the tag attached to the outside of each package) **to the church by Sunday, December 16th**. If you have more than one package, please make sure the name and number are on all the packages in case they get separated. If you have any question, call Mary Joyce at the parish office, 724-834-0709. **Suggestion:** You might want to make a copy of your tag in case you loose it, you will still have a copy of the information you need! We do not have a list of the tags here at the church office.



REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR WORLD YOUTH DAY EVENT IN WASHINGTON, D.C., IS JAN. 3 The Diocese of Greensburg is sponsoring a trip for young adults (ages 18-39) to a one-day Catholic festival at The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., Jan. 26, 2019, in conjunction with World Youth Day in Panama. The event will include a livestream of Pope Francis’ Mass in Panama. Cost, including overnight accommodation, is \$160 per person, \$95 per person for double occupancy. Visit www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/WYD for information. The registration deadline is Jan. 3, 2019.

THE ORDER OF SONS OF ITALY LODGE #2831 OF CRABTREE will hold an "Accordian Festa" on Friday, November 30, 7 p.m. at Rizzo's Banquet Room. Music by Mickey Dee with all the old Italian favorites. Food includes appetizers, salad, pizza, pasta and meatballs, dessert and more. Cost is \$30.00 per person. For more information call Gloria Urbani at 724-527-2747 or Dr. Clem Guarlotti's office at 724-834-0480 Send reservation/check to the office at 401 S. Maple Ave, Greensburg, PA 15601

ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING Will be held on Saturday, December 1st at 11:30 AM in the Church. Anyone who has made their First Communion in grades 3 to 12 are welcome to become an altar server! Please contact Beth Lechman, 724-493-7545 with questions.

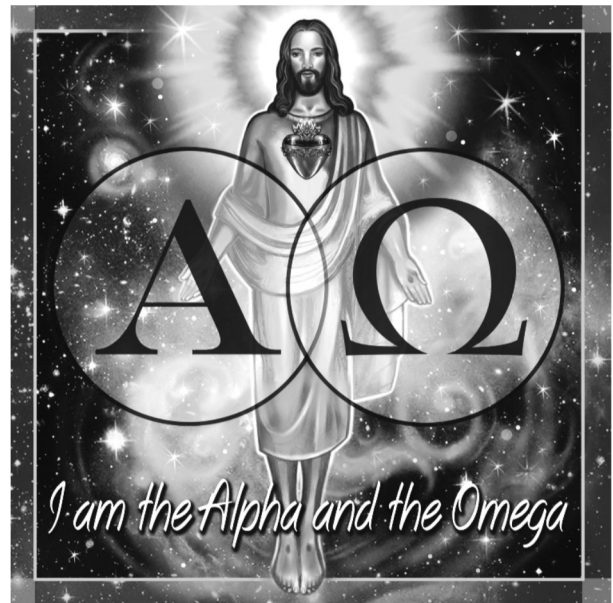
PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS THOSE ON SAINT BART’S SICK LIST: Betsy Austin, Ann Beggs, Amy Bovino, John Chulick, Luigi DaRold, Claude Dranzik, Marie D’Angelo, Ray Falbo, Celeste Flock, John Goettlicher, John O., Mary Hill, Terry Hovanec, Vince Kanala, Margaret Karazsia, Vlad Keaton, Ann Kocian, Nancy Laux, Catherine Micklow, Scott McNeeley, Parker Muto, Chuck Pinazza, Mary Jean Pirillo, Isaac Rager, Ethel Salandro, Robby Schlemmer, Martha Soich, Beth Ann Strickler, Jean Svetkovich, Barbara Swiencki.

SISTERS OF CHARITY RAFFLE FUNDRAISER The Sisters of Charity of Seton Hill will sponsor two Holiday Cash Raffle tickets in December based on the 1 and 7 p.m. three-digit Pennsylvania Lottery drawings, with 1,000 tickets available for each drawing. Cost is \$10 for a chance to win from \$100 to \$1,000. All tickets and money must be returned by Nov. 29. To order tickets, call Sister Agnes Steedle, 724-836-0406, ext. 6646. Proceeds benefit the Sisters of Charity.

SISTERS OF CHARITY COUPON BOOK FUNDRAISER “Enjoy 2019” coupon books are available from the Sisters of Charity of Seton Hill through Dec. 29 for \$30. For additional information or to reserve a book, call Sister of Charity Agnes Steedle in Greensburg at 724-836-0406, ext. 6646, or Sister Patrice Hughes in the Pittsburgh area, 412-343-1382.

MELCHIZEDEK PROJECT VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT SESSIONS FOR YOUNG MEN, ADULTS The Melchizedek Project evenings for young men to discern a vocation to the priesthood will be held November 25 and Dec. 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the rectory at Holy Family Parish, Latrobe. Contact Father Daniel Mahoney at dmahoney@dioceseofgreensburg.org to register. The Melchizedek Project days for young men in grades 9-12 will be held at Greensburg Central Catholic Junior-Senior High School from 6:30-8 p.m. Nov. 18, Dec. 9, Feb. 17, March 10, April 14 and May 12. Contact: vocations@dioceseofgreensburg.org to register.

JEREMIAH DAYS VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT EVENTS FOR BOYS IN GRADES 6-8 The Office for Priestly Vocations is hosting vocations discernment sessions, Jeremiah Days, for boys in grades 6-8 and their parents Feb. 9 and April 13 from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at St. Barbara Parish, Harrison City. Contact vocations@dioceseofgreensburg.org to register.



Fiscal Year July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

November 11, 2018

Offertory Envelopes.....	\$	4,410.00
Loose.....	\$	278.25
Children’s.....	\$	10.75
Weekly Offertory, Automatic Withdrawal.....	\$	160.00
Total Offertory Collection Amount.....	\$	4,859.00
All Souls.....	\$	59.00
Catholic Accent.....	\$	428.00
Retired Religious.....	\$	81.00
Flood Relief.....	\$	782.00
World Mission.....	\$	20.00

Envelopes Mailed 442 • Envelopes Returned 171

Thank you for your generous contributions!

Due to the bulletin company's Thanksgiving holiday printing schedule, the Financial Report for November 18, 2018 Collection and Bingo will be in next week's bulletin.

Sunday Marian Hall Bingo 11/11/2018 105
 Income 2728 ♦ Avg. Expense 860 ♦ Profit 1868



SANCTUARY CANDLE...burning in memory of Mitzi Salandro by friends.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CANDLE...burning in memory of Mary Antinori Moff by Theresa and Mike Miscik.

SACRED HEART CANDLE...burning in memory of the deceased of the parish.

RELIGIOUS STAFF

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SCHOOL CONTACTS

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Christ the Divine Teacher School: 724 539-3558
Greensburg Central Catholic: 724 834-0310

Sunday, November 25 - Saturday, December 1, 2018

Sun...No CCD Classes
Tue... Choir Practice, 7:00 PM

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION We ask for your continued support for the upcoming collection which will take place on Saturday/Sunday, December 1 and 2. Bring items to the Madonna Room of Marian Hall. Items that are in need include peanut butter and jelly, canned fruits and vegetables, pasta items, soap products, diapers. cereal, canned soups, stews, tuna, boxed meals and paper products. The food pantry also welcomes monetary donations. If you are going to write a check, please make payable to: “*St. Vincent de Paul*”.

Liturgical Roles

Mass Date Altar Ministers of
& Time Servers Holy Communion Lector

CHECK YOUR SCHEDULES ON ST. BART’S WEBSITE

www.stbartholomewcrabtree.org

12/1/18 J. Vince B. Altimore
5:00 PM E. Eckenrode B. Bacan-Silvis B. Krajc
A. Deresh
12/2/18 A/N Hardaway P. Tenerowicz
8:00 AM N/P Heinnickel J. Pagano K. Dominick
M. Shafer
12/2/18 C. Tobin L. Brady
10:30 AM G. Salandro-Zilli T. Rusbosin Children’s
J. Ziegenfus Mass

Mass Intentions

SAT 11/24-Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

5:00 PM +Dom, Sr. and Antoinette Bonanno
(Dom and Dana Bonanno)

SUN, 11/25 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:00 AM +Frank Uliano (Joe and Barb Mignogna)

10:30 AM +Fred Stynchula (Ed Tenerowicz)

MON 11/26 - Weekday

8:00 AM +Rosary Altar Society (RAS)

TUE 11/27 - Weekday

8:00 AM +Michael Dorko, Jr.
(Wife, Sandy and children)

WED 11/28 - Weekday

8:00 AM +Frank and Rose Cassa; Dan Zilli
(Salandro Family)

THUR 11/29 - Weekday

8:00 AM +Mitzi Salandro (Mass Card)

6:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

6:50 PM Benediction

7:00 PM +Larry Franzi (Cindy Franzi)

FRI 11/30 - St. Andrew

8:00 AM +Roseanna Gillespie (Marlene Trathen)

SAT, 12/1 - First Saturday

8:00 AM +Richard Govora (Kathy and Dan Govora)

Vigil: First Sunday of Advent

5:00 PM +Joseph Trumbetta (Irene Trumbetta)

SUN, 12/2 - First Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM +Leila Zuzik (Jim Zuzik and Family)

10:30 AM +Roger Soles (Nicole Goman)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6;
Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps 100:1b-5;
Lk 21:20-28

Friday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday: Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14;
1 Thes 3:12 — 4:2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36