



Holy Ghost Catholic Church

Founded in 1871 as a German Ethnic Parish

The Traditional Latin Mass Parish in
the Diocese of Allentown.

Holy Ghost Parish is an Apostolate of the
Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter.



9th Sunday after Pentecost ❖ ❖ ❖ July 30th 2023



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The Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter is a Clerical Society of Apostolic Life
of Pontifical Right.

All Masses, Liturgies, and Sacraments are offered according to the
traditional Roman Rite of the Catholic Church.

**Holy Mother Church celebrates the feast of
St. Dominic Guzman on August 4.**

St. Dominic, born in Spain and well-known for his love of learning, charity, and our Lady, was ordained a priest at age twenty-five and lived according to the rule of St. Augustine. However, during a journey through France, Dominic saw the lack of Faith among the common people, with the Albigensian heresy gaining popularity, and the great need to convert them to the Truth. From that moment St. Dominic understood God's will for him was preaching in the world, thus he founded the Order of Preachers, or Dominicans.

St. Dominic worked tirelessly to combat the spread of heresy, imploring heaven in this task. Tradition holds that Mary appeared to St. Dominic, telling him that he would only conquer the enemies of the Church with her Rosary. She encouraged him to pray the Rosary and spread its use throughout the world. It was by following our Lady's command that St. Dominic was able to overcome the Albigensians, and the use of the Holy Rosary continued to increase among the faithful.



May we remember to pray our Lady's psalter, her Rosary, imploring heaven, as did St. Dominic, for grace and virtue for ourselves and the entire world. Through Mary's Rosary as our "weapon" we may also transform souls and bring them to the Truth, following the holy St. Dominic Guzman. Through the following prayer to St. Dominic, we seek his intercession in obtaining an increase of virtues, to aid us in living a holy life, filled with love of God, prayer, and kindness toward all.

A Prayer to Saint Dominic

O glorious Saint Dominic, thou who wast a model of mortification and purity, by punishing thy innocent body with scourges, with fastings, and with watchings, and by keeping inviolate the lily of thy virginity, obtain for us the grace to practice penance with a generous heart and to keep unspotted the purity of our bodies and our hearts.



***** Recite 1 Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory be. O great Saint, who, inflamed with divine love, didst find thy delight in prayer and intimate union with God, obtain for us to be faithful in our daily prayers, to love Our Lord ardently, and to observe His commandments with ever-increasing fidelity.**



***** Recite 1 Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory be. O glorious Saint Dominic, who, being filled with zeal for the salvation of souls, didst preach the Gospel in season and out of season and didst establish the Order of Friars Preachers to labor for the conversion of heretics and poor sinners, pray thou to God for us, that He may grant us to love all our brethren sincerely and to cooperate always, by our prayers and good works, in their sanctification and eternal salvation.**



***** Recite 1 Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory be. V. Pray for us, Saint Dominic; R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ. Let us pray. Grant, we beseech Thee, Almighty God, that we who are weighed down by the burden of our sins may be raised up by the patronage of blessed Dominic Thy Confessor. Through Christ our Lord. Amen**



SUNDAY, July 30th 2023
Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30am ✕Bernadine & Don Knoblick, Sr.
by Margot & Don Knoblick, Jr.

10:30am ✕Missa Pro Populo

Mon., July 31st—St. Ignatius Loyola, Confessor

8:00am ✕Rose Mary McFadden

**Tues., Aug. 1st — Feria—Holy Machabees— Martyrs—
St. Peter in Chains**

8:00am ✕Mary Hennigh

**Wed., Aug. 2nd —St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop,
Doctor of the Church— St. Stephen I Pope & Martyr**

8:00am ✕Edward Judd Jr. by Wife Dolores & Sons

**Thurs., Aug. 3rd – Feria- Jesus Christ the High
Priest,- Finding of the body of St. Stephen Proto-
martyr**

8:00am ✕Manus Curran by Maureen Dresen

**Fri., Aug. 4th– St. Dominic the Confessor—
Sacred Heart of Jesus**

8:00am ✕Catherine & Raymond
Ortwein by John & Carol Ortwein



**SAT., Aug. 5th — Dedication of the
Basilica of St. Mary Major
Mother of Sorrows**

8:00am ✕Deceased Robello & Correia Families by the
Family

SUNDAY, August 6th 2023
**Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus
Christ**
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30am ✕Joseph Horwath Family by Daughter in Law
"Boots" & Family

10:30am ✕Missa Pro Populo

**MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS,
HAVE MERCY ON US.**

✕ **DEVOTIONAL LAMPS** ✕

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the RECTORY to reserve yours

Sanctuary

In Memory of ✕Edward Judd Jr. by Wife Dolores

St. Joseph Altar

For the vocation of Conor Jensen

B.V.M Altar

For the vocation of Zoe Jensen

Sacred Heart

For the vocation of Luke Jensen

St. Theresa

For the vocation of Olivia Jensen

St. John the Hermit (San Giovanni Eremita)

In Memory of Living & Deceased Foiano Descendants

St. (Padre) Pio - Our Lady of Pompeii

For the vocation of Andrew Jensen

Infant of Prague - St. John Capistrano

For the vocation of Thomas Jensen

Our Lady of Fatima

In Memory of ✕George & Concetta Petito,
Rosemarie Petito Hare & Joanne Petito

Reminder!!!

**Please remember to silence
or shut off your cell phones
when coming into church.**

Parish Financials

Weekly Collection for 7/23 \$ 985.00 +

Online Giving = \$ 515.00

Total \$ 1,500.00 THANK YOU!!!

CAN YOU DO MORE FOR YOUR PARISH???

**Coffee after 8:30am Mass,
Potluck after 10:30am Mass**
Everyone is invited!

**Father Pendergraft encour-
ages everyone to attend
catechism including those
who attend an earlier Mass.
When Father begins Cate-
chism, those who wish to
converse, play and socialize
are asked to exit the
parish hall to do so.**

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: *“THE MISSION OF HOLY GHOST PARISH IS TO SHARE THE GOSPEL OF JESUS AND TO LIVE HIS MESSAGE OF FAITH, LOVE AND FORGIVENESS, WE SHARE THIS NOT ONLY WITHIN OUR PARISH FAMILY BUT ALSO IN THE LIVES OF ALL WE TOUCH. TO THIS END WE PLACE OURSELVES UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT AND PRAY FOR GUIDANCE TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY.”*

DO YOU ATTEND MASS HERE—BUT HAVEN'T REGISTERED YET? IT'S VERY EASY..... AND YOU ARE MOST WELCOME HERE WITH US!

We encourage all Catholics to become active participants in the life of our Holy Ghost Parish Family. Please call the Rectory 867-9382 EXT. #3 for more information.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP- “All Are Welcome”

Is Usually determined in Our Parish by these five things :

- 1. You have completed the official parish registration form,*
- 2. You attend liturgies regularly on Sunday as well as Holydays.*
- 3. You support our parish family with prayer.*
- 4. You show an interest in the life and activities of our parish community, sharing time and talent when able to do so.*
- 5. You support the parish financially as best you can through the use of contribution envelopes. Etc. ON LINE GIVING PLEASE GO TO THE PARISH WEBSITE FOR MORE INFO.*

This is why there are problems at the time of Baptisms, Weddings, Other Sacramental events, Letters of Eligibility for the Sacraments, Parochial Schools and Belonging to various Groups and Organizations of the Parish.

Baptisms — *For infant Baptism, parents must be registered and active members of the parish for at least six months. Parents need to call their Parish Offices to make an appointment to arrange for Baptisms. All Catholic godparents must be practicing their faith. (Non-Catholic godparents must be Christians, actively practicing their faith.) Please call the Rectory for additional information.*

RCIA — *Any adult interested in becoming a Roman Catholic must go through the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, when available. Please call the Rectory for additional information.*

Marriages — *Diocesan Policies for Marriage Couples should inform the parish of their plans to wed, and schedule a meeting with the priest as soon as they are engaged.*

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

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prusso@allentowndiocese.org 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.

Latin Prayers.....

In nomine Patris, et Filii, et Spiritus Sancti. Amen.

[In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.]

Pater Noster [Our Father]

Pater noster, qui es in caelis, sanctificetur nomen tuum. Adveniat regnum tuum. Fiat voluntas tua, sicut in caelo et in terra. Panem nostrum quotidianum da nobis hodie, et dimitte nobis debita nostra sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris. Et ne nos inducas in tentationem, sed libera nos a malo. Amen.

[Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.]

Ave Maria [Hail Mary]

Ave Maria, gratia plena, Dominus tecum. Benedicta tu in mulieribus, et benedictus fructus ventris tui, Iesus. Sancta Maria, Mater Dei, ora pro nobis peccatoribus, nunc, et in hora mortis nostrae. Amen.

[Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now, and in the hour of our death. Amen.]

Gloria Patri [Glory Be]

Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.
(Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.)

Prime Time Seniors Group

Dues are \$10 per year.

The 2023 officers are:

Carol Barron, President;

Sue Grady, Vice President;

Phyllis Haqeter, Secretary and

Jean Blaukovitch, Treasurer.

Refreshments are served at each meeting.

MONDAY, August 21st Indoor PICNIC

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WED., OCT. 18TH

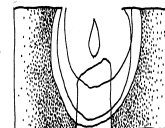
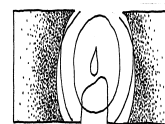
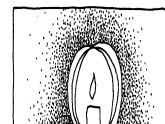
ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SHOW

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15TH

New Members Welcome

Holy Ghost Prime Time Seniors is open to anyone 55 years of age and older. Meetings are held in Msgr. Billinger Social Hall on the first and third Mondays each month starting at 1 PM. We hope that our new, eligible parishioners will join Seniors. We invite you to attend our annual indoor picnic on Monday, August 21st at 1 PM.

There will be plenty of good food and fun. If you would like to attend the picnic, please contact Carol Barron at 610-428-0617 or by email: abvmprak@yahoo.com reservations no later than August 14th. If you have any general questions about Prime Time Seniors, you can also contact Carol.



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40th Anniversary of Ordination

Of Fr. David Kozak

Mass will be celebrated on Sat, Sept. 16th at 4pm at Immaculate Conception Church, 501 Ridge Ave., Allentown, A reception will follow at The Polish American Citizens Society, 446 N. Front St., Tickets-Adults \$45 Children aged 5-12 \$15 Please RSVP to Agata at (201) 214-8853 by August 15th.

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