



HOLY GHOST PARISH

Roman Catholic Church of the Tridentine Rite

Sunday, March 3, 2024 A.D.



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CONFESSION

Confessions are heard for 30 minutes before all Masses. There are an additional 30 minutes of Confession heard before the 10:30AM Mass every Sunday.

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Sunday, March 3rd

8:30AM

10:30AM

Monday, March 4th

8:00AM

Tuesday, March 5th

8:00AM

Wednesday, March 6th

8:00AM

Thursday, March 7th

8:00AM

Friday, March 8th

8:00AM

Saturday, March 9th

8:00AM

Sunday, March 10th

8:30AM

10:30AM

3rd Sunday of Lent

† Repose of the soul of Richard J. Walsh

Pro Populo

Feria of Lent

Rose Dunlap

Feria of Lent

Gabriel & Julian Shine

Feria of Lent

Seana Isaac

Feria of Lent

† Repose of the souls of George & Casimira Chlebowski

Feria of Lent

Intentions of the St. Monica Association

Feria of Lent

† Repose of the souls of Martin & Helen Lynn

4th Sunday of Lent (Laetare)

Pro Populo

Intentions of the Mitchell Family

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Each week on Sundays there is a **coffee social** after the 8:30AM Mass and a **potluck and catechism** after the 10:30AM Mass in the church hall downstairs. Visitors are invited to join us.

Stations of the Cross is held on **Fridays during Lent** after the 8AM Mass and at 7PM. There is a **game night after Stations in the evening**. All are invited.

On **Saturday, March 9th** at 6:30PM there will be a **Dinner Theater Night Out for the adults of the parish** in the church hall presenting the show *It Happened in Manhattan*. It is a bring-your-own-dinner event. Admission is free.

Next Sunday, March 10th, both the 8:30AM and the 10:30AM Masses will be a Missa Cantata (Sung Mass).

St. Francis Classical Catholic Academy in Bally, PA is now enrolling new students. Parents interested can find out more information on their website: saintfrancisclassical.com

The **40 Days for Life Vigil to End Abortion** is taking place from Feb. 14th - March 24th. Full information is on page 4 of this bulletin.

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Holy Mother Church honors Pope St. Gregory the Great with a feast on March 12. Well-educated and pious, St. Gregory worked tirelessly for the Church. He was chosen Pope in 590 and reigned until 604. During that time he fought against heresies, sent missionaries to convert pagans, including to England, and took care of the poor and sick. He watched over the priests and the sacred traditions of the Church, and he was also well-known for his influence over the Church's music with Gregorian Chant. From the words from an antiphon in his office, he was called, "the Father of the City, the joy of the World."

The following prayer, penned by St. Gregory the Great, was a well-known medieval prayer often found in prayer books containing the Hours. Pious tradition holds that one day while St. Gregory was celebrating Mass, Christ Himself appeared during the Consecration as a sign of His True Presence in the Eucharist. Thus, often accompanying the prayer in these prayer books was a picture of St. Gregory, genuflecting at the Consecration, with Christ appearing on the Crucifix in front of the Altar.

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Seven Prayers of St. Gregory on the Passion of the Lord

I. O Lord Jesus, I adore Thee hanging on the Cross, wearing a crown of thorns upon Thy head. I beg Thee that Thy Cross may free me from the deceiving Angel. Amen. 1 Our Father. 1 Hail Mary.

II. O Lord Jesus, I adore Thee hanging wounded on the Cross, given vinegar and gall to drink. I beg Thee that Thy wounds may be the remedy of my soul. Amen. 1 Our Father. 1 Hail Mary.

III. O Lord Jesus, I ask by the bitterness of Thy Passion, which Thou didst undergo in the hour of Thy death, so much so when Thy most holy soul left Thy blessed body, have mercy upon my soul when it leaves my body, and lead it to eternal life. Amen. 1 Our Father. 1 Hail Mary.

IV. O Lord Jesus, I adore Thee placed in Thy tomb, anointed with myrrh and aromatic spices. I beg Thee that Thy death may be my life. Amen. 1 Our Father. 1 Hail Mary.

V. O Lord Jesus, I adore Thee descending into hell and freeing the captives from there. I beg Thee, that Thou mayest never permit me to enter there. Amen. 1 Our Father. 1 Hail Mary.

VI. O Lord Jesus, I adore Thee rising from the dead, ascending into heaven, and sitting at the right hand of the Father. I beg Thee that I may be worthy to follow Thee and be with Thee. Amen. 1 Our Father. 1 Hail Mary.

VII. O Lord Jesus, O good Shepherd, preserver of the just, justifier of sinners, have mercy upon all the faithful and be gracious to me, a wretched and unworthy sinner. Amen. 1 Our Father. 1 Hail Mary.

Prayer: I beseech Thee, Lord Jesus Christ, that Thy Passion may be a strength to me by which I may be strengthened, protected and defended. May Thy wounds be to me food and drink by which I may be nourished, inebriated, and delighted. May the sprinkling of Thy Blood be to me an ablution for all my sins. May Thy death be eternal glory to me. In these may my refreshment, joy, health, zeal, delight, and desire of my body and soul, now and forever. Amen.

Prayer: O Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, place Thy Passion, Cross, and Death between Thy judgment and my soul, now and in the hour of my death. Deign to grant me grace and mercy, pardon to the living, eternal rest to the dead, peace to Thy Church, and life and eternal glory to all sinners. Thou who livest and reignest forever and ever. Amen

--from the *Paradisus Animae* (1670)

Proprium Missae Dominicalis (Proper of the Sunday Mass)

Introit (Psalm 24 : 15 - 16)

Óculi mei semper ad Dóminum, quia ipse evéllit de láqueo pedes meos: réspice in me, et miserére mei, quóniam únicus et pauper sum ego.

Ps. Ad te, Dómine, levávi ánimam meam: Deus meus, in te confído, non erubéscam.

Ÿ. Glória Patri, et Fílio, et Spirítui Sancto. Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. — Óculi mei ...

Collect

Quæsumus, omnípotens Deus, vota humílium réspice: atque ad defensiónem nostram, dèxteram tuæ majestátis exténde. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

Epistle (Ephesians 5 : 1 - 9)

Fratres: Estóte imitatóres Dei, sicut filii caríssimi: et ambuláte in dilectióne, sicut et Christus diléxit nos, et trádidit semetípsum pro nobis oblatiónem et hóstiam Deo in odórem suavitátis. Fornicátio autem et omnis immundítia aut avarítia nec nominétur in vobis, sicut decet sanctos: aut turpítudo aut stultilóquium aut scurrilitas quae ad rem non pértinet: sed magis gratiárum áctio. Hoc enim scitóte intelligéntes, quod omnis fornicátor aut immúndus aut avárus, quod est idolórum sérvitus, non habet hereditátem in regno Christi et Dei. Nemo vos sedúcat inánibus verbis: propter hæc enim venit ira Dei in filios diffidéntiæ. Nolíte ergo éffici partícipes eórum. Erátis enim aliquándo ténebræ: nunc autem lux in Dómino. Ut filii lucis ambuláte: fructus enim lucis est in omni bonitáte et justítia, et veritáte.

Gradual (Psalm 9 : 20, 4)

Exsúrge, Dómine, non præváleat homo: judicéntur gentes in conspéctu tuo.

Ÿ. In converténdo inimícum meum retrórsus, infirmabúntur, et períbunt a fácie tua.

Tract (Psalm 105 : 1 - 4)

Ad te levávi óculos meos, qui hábitas in cœlis.

Ÿ. Ecce sicut óculi servórum in mánibus dominórum suórum.

Ÿ. Et sicut óculi ancillæ in mánibus dómínæ suæ: ita óculi nostri ad Dóminum Deum nostrum, donec misereátur nostri.

Ÿ. Miserére nobis, Dómine, miserére nobis.

Gospel (St. Luke 11 : 14 - 28)

In illo témpore: Erat Jesus ejíciens dæmónium, et illud erat mutum. Et cum ejecísset dæmónium, locútus est mutus, et admirátæ sunt turbæ. Quidam autem ex eis dixerunt: In Beélzebul príncipe dæmoniórum ejicit

Mine eyes are ever towards the Lord: for He shall pluck my feet out of the snare: look Thou upon me, and have mercy on me; for I am alone and poor.

Ps. To Thee, O Lord, have I lifted up my soul: in Thee, O my God, I put my trust: let me not be ashamed.

Ÿ. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. — Mine eyes ...

We beseech Thee, O almighty God, look upon the desires of the humble: and stretch forth the right hand of Thy Majesty to be our defense. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen.

Brethren: Be ye followers of God, as most dear children: and walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us and hath delivered Himself for us, an oblation and a sacrifice to God for an odor of sweetness. But fornication, and all uncleanness or covetousness, let it not so much as be named among you, as becometh saints: or obscenity, or foolish talking, or scurrility, which is to no purpose: but rather giving of thanks. For know you this, and understand, that no fornicator, or unclean, or covetous person, which is a serving of idols, hath inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God. Let no man deceive you with vain words: for because of these things cometh the anger of God upon the children of unbelief. Be ye not therefore partakers with them. For you were heretofore darkness: but now light in the Lord. Walk then as children of the light: for the fruit of the light is in all goodness and justice, and truth.

Arise, O Lord, and let not man be strengthened; let the gentiles be judged in Thy sight.

Ÿ. When mine enemy shall be turned back, they shall be weakened and perish before Thy face.

To Thee have I lifted up mine eyes, who dwellest in heaven.

Ÿ. Behold as the eyes of servants are on the hands of their masters.

Ÿ. And as the eyes of the handmaid are on the hands of her mistress: so are our eyes unto the Lord our God, until He have mercy on us.

Ÿ. Have mercy on us, O Lord, have mercy on us.

At that time Jesus was casting out a devil, and the same was dumb. And when He had cast out the devil, the dumb spoke, and the multitudes were in admiration at it. But some of them said: He casteth out devils by Beelzebub, the prince of devils. And others, tempting, asked of Him a sign from heaven. But He, seeing their thoughts, said to them: Every kingdom divided against

dæmónia. Et álii tentántes, signum de cœlo quærébant ab eo. Ipse autem ut vidit cogitatiónes eórum, dixit eis: Omne regnum in seípsum divisum desolábitur, et domus supra domum cadet. Si autem et sátanas in seípsum divisus est, quómodo stabit regnum ejus? Quia dícitis in Beélzebub me ejícere dæmónia. Si autem ego in Beélzebub ejício dæmónia, filii vestri in quo ejíciunt? Ideo ipsi júdices vestri erunt. Porro si in dígito Dei ejício dæmónia: profécto pervénit in vos regnum Dei. Cum fortis armátus custódit átrium suum, in pace sunt ea quæ póssidet. Si autem fórtior eo supervéniens vícerit eum, unívrsa arma ejus áuferet, in quibus confidébat, et spólia ejus dístríbuet. Qui non est mecum, contra me est: et qui non cólligit mecum, dispérgit. Cum immúndus spíritus exíerit de hómine, ámbulat per loca inaquósa, quærens réquiem: et non invéniens, dicit: Revértar in domum meam unde exívi. Et cum vénerit, ínvenit eam scopis mundátam, et ornátam. Tunc vadit, et assúmit septem álios spíritus secum nequióres se, et ingrési hábitant ibi. Et fiunt novíssima hómínis illíus pejóra prióribus. Factum est autem, cum hæc díceret: extóllens vocem quædam múlíer de turba, dixit illi: Beátus venter qui te portávit, et úbera quæ suxísti. At ille dixit: Quínímmo beáti qui áudiunt verbum Dei, et custódiunt illud.

Offertory (Psalm 18 : 9, 11, 12)

Justitiæ Dómini rectæ, lætificántes corda, et judícia ejus dulcióra super mel et favum: nam et servus tuus custódit ea.

Communion (Psalm 83 : 4 - 5)

Passer invénit sibi domum, et turtur nidum, ubi repónat pullos suos: altária tua, Dómine virtútum, Rex meus, et Deus meus: beáti qui hábitant in domo tua, in sæcúlum sæcúli laudábunt te.

itself shall be brought to desolation, and house upon house shall fall. And if Satan also be divided against himself, how shall his kingdom stand? because you say that through Beelzebub I cast out devils. Now if I cast out devils by Beelzebub, by whom do your children cast them out? Therefore, they shall be your judges. But if I by the finger of God cast out devils, doubtless the kingdom of God is come upon you. When a strong man armed keepeth his court, those things are in peace which he possesseth. But if a stronger one than he is come upon him and overcome him, he will take away all his armor wherein he trusted, and will distribute his spoils. He that is not with Me is against Me: and he that gathereth not with Me scattereth. When the unclean spirit is gone out of a man, he walketh through places without water, seeking rest: and not finding, he saith: I will return into my house whence I came out. And when he is come, he findeth it swept and garnished. Then he goeth and taketh with him seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and entering in they dwell there. And the last state of that man becomes worse than the first. And it came to pass, as He spoke these things, a certain woman from the crowd, lifting up her voice, said to Him: Blessed is the womb that bore Thee, and the paps that gave Thee suck. But he said: Yea rather, blessed are they who hear the word of God, and keep it.

The justices of the Lord are right, rejoicing hearts, and His judgments are sweeter than honey and the honeycomb: for Thy servant keepeth them.

The sparrow hath found herself a house, and the turtle a nest, where she may lay her young ones: Thine altars, O Lord of hosts, my King, and my God: blessed are they that dwell in Thy house, they shall praise Thee for ever and ever.

✠ **VOTIVE CANDLES** ✠

\$10 donation per week. More than one votive candle may be lit per statue or altar. Please call the rectory to reserve.

Sanctuary Lamp:

Beatae Mariae Virginis Altar:

Madonna della Pietà Altar:

St. Joseph Altar: Dennis & Maria Mitchell

Sacred Heart Altar: †Repose of the soul of Jason Dunlap

St. Padre Pio: †Repose of the souls of Mr. & Mrs. Ronald S. Narzisi

San Giovanni Eremita:

St. Therese of Lisieux: The Mitchell Family

Our Lady of Pompeii:

Infant of Prague:

Please join the 40 DAYS FOR LIFE Vigil to End Abortion!

From February 14th to March 24th our local effort is being held at the Allentown Planned Parenthood, 29 N. 9th St. Holy Ghost Parish will pray on Thursdays (March 7th, 14th, and 21st). We are seeking to increase our coverage. Choose an hour between 9:00AM - 4:00PM, and come that time each week. **Please email the hours you plan to go to schedule40dfl@gmail.com.**

Parish Groups/Activities

Altar Server Guild

The Altar Server Guild meets on the 1st Saturday of each month after the 8AM Mass. Please speak to one of the priests for more details.

Friends of St. Dominic Savio

Boys & Girls aged 5-10 meet for a talk by Father and fun activities after the 8AM Mass on the 2nd Saturday of each month. Group contact: marycavoto82@gmail.com

Prime Time Seniors Group

Holy Ghost Prime Time Seniors is open to anyone 55 years of age and older. Meetings are held in the church hall downstairs on the first and third Mondays each month starting at 1PM. Refreshments are served at each meeting. Call Carol Barron at 610-428-0617 for more information.

Women's Rosary and Altar Society

The Women's Rosary and Altar Society is for ladies 18+ and meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month after 8AM Mass. The society prays the Rosary after Mass, enjoys coffee and refreshments while Father gives a talk.

Mary Immaculate Choir

The Mary Immaculate Choir (MIC) is the mixed-voice ensemble that sings at the 10:30AM Mass each Sunday. Contact director Eric McWhirter for more information: eric.mcwhirter@gmail.com

Parish Registration

If you wish to become a parishioner of Holy Ghost Parish, you must fill out and submit a registration form. These can be obtained by emailing the parish at: dhghostchurch@gmail.com

Additional Parking Options

There is a public parking garage located within walking distance of Holy Ghost for those looking for another parking option when attending Mass. The address is:

New Street Garage
324 S. New St., Bethlehem, PA
Rate: \$1/hr, Sundays are free.

Men's Group In Honor of the Chaste Heart of St. Joseph

The Men's Group In Honor of the Chaste Heart of St. Joseph meets at 7PM the 2nd Wednesday of each month for Eucharistic Adoration, a talk on virtue by Father, and fellowship.

Federation of North American Explorers

A Uniformed Catholic Scouting Group for ages 6-17, girls and boys, meets on Tuesdays at 6:30PM at various locations. Contact ststephenofhungaryfne@gmail.com for more information.

Pro-Life Apostolate

The Pro-Life apostolate meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6PM for a Holy Hour followed by the meeting. Contact Mary at schedule40dfl@gmail.com for more information.

Helping Hands

Helping Hands organizes meals for families welcoming the birth of a new child and other needs. For more information contact helpinghandsholyghost@gmail.com

Hospitality & Potluck

The weekly potluck socials after Mass are organized by our parish hospitality apostolate. Please contact Reuben & Tessa DeMaster to volunteer: temdem24@hotmail.com

St. Monica Society & Our Lady of Guadalupe Society

The St. Monica Society (SMS) and Our Lady of Guadalupe Society (OLGS) have Masses offered monthly to pray for the return to the practice of the Catholic Faith (SMS) and conversion to it (OLGS) of loved ones. Contact Wanda at wtansey@hotmail.com for more information.

Zelie's Workshop

Parishioners share their skills in areas such as cooking, gardening, sewing, drawing, and more. Meetings are on the 4th Saturday of each month. Contact Email: JulieMoser63@Outlook.com