

Easter Sunday *March 31, 2024*

Monday, April 1

9:00am **Mass at St. Anthony of Padua**
Arthur LaMonaca (Family)
Anthony Capatch (A Friend)

Tuesday, April 2

12:00noon **Mass at St. Anthony of Padua**
Walter and Phyllis Soha (Family)
Audrey Bafile (Teena, Donovan and
Veronica Petrus)

Wednesday, April 3

9:00am **Mass at SS Cyril & Methodius**
Louis, Sr & Elizabeth Paulovich (Son, John)
Paul Mayket (Family)

Thursday, April 4

12:00noon **Mass at SS Cyril & Methodius**
John and Mary Pipon (Family)
Linda (Stoy)Thompson (Aunt Jackie)

Friday, April 5

9:00am **Anointing Mass at SSCM**
Nick Somonick (Pat Mikulsky)
Gary Beuke (Pat Mikulsky)

Saturday, April 6

Vigil Divine Mercy

4:00pm **Mass at St. Anthony of Padua**
Richard and Elizabeth Sciotti (Daughter,
Barbara Lee)

Sunday, April 7

Divine Mercy Sunday

8:00am(**SEAS**) Leonard Naylor (Mikula Family)
David A Mihalko (Wife, Mary Alice)
10:00am(**SA**) Mae Stiffler and Joseph
Tantorno (Niece, Ann and Todd Moyer)
12:00noon(**SSCM**) Lawhead Family (Maria
Lawhead and Family)

Last Week's Collection

Candles	\$78.00
Easter Flowers	\$465.00
Regular	\$4,406.50

St. Anthony of Padua Cemetery

Our cemetery has plots available for purchase. Plots for Church members are \$650 and non-members are \$800, which includes perpetual care. We also have 9 crypts available in the Mausoleum from \$2,155 - \$5,170. **Also available** are Columbaria Cremain Niches for \$900. This does not include inscription or opening fees. If interested, call the parish office.

Bella Coupons

The United Churches of the Windber Area is selling \$10 Bella Pizza coupons that are good on any menu item. The coupons do not expire and can be purchased at the parish office.

Stewardship Reflection

Today, we celebrate the Resurrection of Christ! This event is the greatest event in our Catholic faith. It is through the resurrection that Christ defeated sin and death and opened for us the gates to eternal life. All of God's promises are fulfilled through this glorious event. We have been preparing for 40 long days, through prayer and penance, so that we might be better prepared to receive Christ this day, and to better prepare our hearts to one day rise with Christ in eternal life. Today, we do not fast, but rather, celebrate and rejoice because of our great and merciful God!

The meaning and joy of Easter is not just a "one-day" affair but is an essential element of our Catholic faith. We are called to live out the joy of Easter all year long.

Let us celebrate this glorious day with prayer and feasting, for Christ is risen! And let us strive to carry this Easter joy with us all year long by the way we live our lives and how we respond to Christ each day. Happy Easter!

Lottery Tickets

We are selling Lottery Tickets for Mother's Day. The ticket runs from May 11 through May 19. Each ticket has 4 - three digit numbers, only 250 tickets available.

May 11	\$300	May 16	\$150
May 12	\$500	May 17	\$150
May 13	\$150	May 18	\$300
May 14	\$150	May 19	\$500
May 15	\$150		

Tickets are \$20 each and are available at the parish office.

Families and the Gospel

John 20:1-9

That first Easter morning was confusing. Jesus was missing and Mary Magdalene, Peter and John "did not know" what to do. In family life there are confusing moments when "we don't know" what to do. Like the apostles we are Easter people when we believe and trust in each other even when all seems lost.



Please pray for the sick listed below. Pray for all those not listed who need our prayers.

Louise Angelo, Mike DeBiase, Pauline and Tony Yarosh, Bob Klotz, Antonette Sadvari, Jessica Harclerode, Philip Flori, Sue Flori Bunce, Peg Reitz, Ann Moyer, Sandy and John Hunsinger, Rodger Berkey, Dolores Spinos, Philip Bafile, Patricia Lake, Paula Robinson, Barbara Tomchik, Dolores Hobba, Jodi Gahagen, Dave and Lynn Lubinsky, Alan and Connie Gahagen Hudspetch, Lorenzo Andrews, Thomas Sala Family, Henry Renaldi, Janie Delgross, Todd Youngblood, Rod Eckenrode, Parker Matchik, Mary Jane Zimmerman, Jerry Kochinski, Joe Cannoni, Tom Marfizo, Karen Fluder, Kriste Burkett, Maresa Griffin, Jay Shaffer, Ken and Roxann Newcomer, Christina and Baby, Mike Starchok, Walt Leitenberger, Marge Bahorik, Jeanne Thompson, Agnes Mihalko, Ann Cononie, Paul Turcato and Jerry Berkey. If someone has made a full recovery, please notify us.

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday Adoration will be held from 9:30-11:00am, Friday, April 5, at SS Cyril & Methodius.

The Glory of Easter

Upon this day long years ago
The tomb wherein Christ lay,
Was opened and the stone that sealed
The door was rolled away.
Upon the Cross of Calvary
He suffered and He bled,
And then on resurrection day
Ascended from the dead.
We break the bread and take the cup
As He bid us to do,
And take communion with our Lord
And inner faith renew.
We do this in remembrance
Of Christ the Lord above,
Who gave His life upon the cross
And showed for us His love.
Harold F Mohn

Divine Mercy Sunday

Next Sunday, April 7, is Divine Mercy Sunday. In 1931, a young Polish nun, Sr. Maria Faustina, saw a vision of Jesus with rays of mercy streaming from the area of his heart. He told her to paint an image of what she saw. Pope John Paul II canonized St. Faustina and approved the devotions of Divine Mercy. We will be praying the Chaplet of Mercy after Mass next weekend.

Public Rosaries

A Public Rosary to Pray for Peace in our Country and our World will be held on Thursday, April 11, at 6:30pm at St. Clement Church and Saturday, April 20, at noon at Central Park, Johnstown. All are invited!



Italian Chicken Dinner

We will have a Take-out Italian Chicken Dinner on Saturday, April 20, 3-6pm and Sunday, April 21, 11am-2pm. Meals are \$12 and includes Italian chicken, parsley potatoes, green beans and salad.

Electronic Recycling Event

Just in time for Spring cleaning, the Windber Public Library will have Recycling Event on Saturday, April 20, 10am – 2pm. They will take TVs, monitors, computers, laptops, cell phones, printers. Donations are appreciated to support the library!



The Sacrament of Anointing

will be celebrated Friday, April 5, during the 9:00am Mass at SSCM. All those parishioners who are suffering from chronic illness, old age or about to undergo surgery are invited.

Bus Trip

Spend a beautiful spring day with the Franciscan Friars, TOR at the Franciscan Monastery in Washington, DC on Wednesday, April 24. The trip will include Mass, tours of the upper and lower Church and the beautiful outdoor garden. Part of the tour includes replicas of the Holy Lands that are throughout the campus. The cost is \$120 and includes lunch, dinner, a donation to the DC Monastery and all tips. The bus departs from St Bernardine Monastery, Hollidaysburg at 7am and returns at approximately 8pm. To register, call 814-695-3802 by April 14.