

MASSES THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

(†) (DENOTES DECEASED)

Sunday, September 7 23rd Sunday, Ordinary Time8:00 a.m. In honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary
*Janet E. Miller*10:00 a.m. John Hannan † (Anniv) *Patricia Doherty*12:00 p.m. Albert Larkin † *Helene Larkin*5:00 p.m. Tom Zaiden † (B/Day) *Hilda V. Zaiden***Monday, September 8 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin**7:00a.m. Giuseppe Battaglia † (B/Day) *Lena Zagorski*12:05 p.m. Bishop John B. McDowell (Spl Int) (Anniv)
*Mildred Keenan*5:15 p.m. Janet Luvara † *Janet E. Miller***Tuesday, September 9 St. Peter Claver**7:00 a.m. Bertha Kotwica † *M/M Randel Kotwica*12:05 p.m. Nick Dlacich † (Anniv) *Myrna Dlacich*5:15 p.m. George Ross, Jr. † (B/Day)
*Nancy Lynn Davis***Wednesday, September 10**

7:00 a.m. Mass for the people of Epiphany

12:05 p.m. Elizabeth Vitti † *Louis P. Vitti*5:15 p.m. Craig & Sue Luhanik (Spl. Int) *by Family***Thursday, September 11**7:00 a.m. Mary Ann Brozich † *Robert Vukich*12:05 p.m. Victims of September 11, 2001 Disaster
*Patricia Morra*5:15 p.m. Alfred A. & Helen L. Walsh †
*Thomas P. Walsh***Friday, September 12 Holy Name of Mary**7:00 a.m. Stanley & Mary Kirkavitch † *by Children*12:05 p.m. Elizabeth Chiappetta † (B.Day)
*M/M John Chiappetta*5:15 p.m. George C. & Amelia Mazur †
*Georgemann Foerster***Saturday, September 13 St. John Chrysostom**12:05 p.m. Raphael & Phil Schatzel † (B/Day)
*Catharine Schatzel*4:00 p.m. *Wedding, Ogbeide ~ Igbineweka*6:00 p.m. Fr. Richard P. Scherer † *Dino Ciabattoni***Sunday, September 14 Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

8:00 a.m. Robert P. Horgos (Spl Int) Robert P. Horgos

10:00 a.m. D'Alessio Family & Eugene & Ernest †
*M/M Pat Gaito*12:00 p.m. Luvara Family (Deceased) † *Victor Luvara*5:00 p.m. Helena Gawlowski † (Anniv)
Robert G. & Sophia Anisko

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**SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY**, September 14,  
 is the **Bishop's Education Fund** Collection. Please be  
 as generous as your means allow. Thank you.  
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A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

The key word in today's gospel is "listen". We cannot change
 another person; not alone, not with others and not with a whole
 church. All we can do is state our position and "if he/she listens
 to you" then he/she can take the steps necessary to change
 themselves.

CELEBRANTS THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

Fr. D'Amico 5:15 Fri; 12:05 Sat.

Fr. Sparacino 7:00 Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri.

Fr. Utz 12:05 Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri.

Fr. Walsh 5:15 Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs.

Saturday, September 13 (Vigil) 6 p.m. Fr. Sparacino &
 Deacon Reynold

Sunday, September 14 8 a.m. Fr. Utz
 10 a.m. Fr. Walsh
 12 p.m. Fr. Sparacino &
 Deacon Reynold
 5 p.m. Fr. D'Amico &
 Deacon Reynold

SANCTUARY LAMP ~ A 14-day candle burns at the Blessed
 Sacrament altar daily to signify the presence of the Blessed
 Sacrament in the church. During the weeks of **September 7**
and 14, this candle will burn for **family intentions** requested
 by a member of the family.

MONTHLY REMEMBRANCE ~ The altar wine and hosts to
 be consecrated during the Masses for the month of
September will be offered in honor of the **39th Wedding**
Anniversary of Pat & Armand Massicci requested by **Julie,**
Rich & Paige Westbrook and Cara, Carl, & Gino Satira. If
 you are interested in donating this memorial in honor of a
 loved one or for other intentions, please call the office or make
 it known through the offertory basket. The donation for a
 month is \$100.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION ~ (RCIA) ~ Are you
 baptized but never have been confirmed? Have you ever
 given some thought of joining the Roman Catholic Church?
 Then the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process for
 you. Beginning on Tuesday, September 9th from 7:00—8:30
 p.m. the first part of the RCIA process (evangelization) will
 take place in the church offices of St. Benedict the Moor
 Church. This will be a ten (10) week study of the Gospel of
 John. The class will continue every Tuesday until November
 18th. If you are interested or need more information, call
 Deacon Reynold Wilmer at 412-281-3141 ext. 15

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK AND HOSPITALIZED IN
OUR COMMUNITY: Ann Albrecht, Mary Barry, Damien Brown,
 Patricia Conte, Michael Delaney, Jimmy Dietrich, Dory
 Dominguez, Chrystil Dougherty, John Easterday, Joe Esia,
 Mary Florian, Mary Gaita, Gordon Gladden, Tara Hilliard-
 Sposito, Mary Hoover, Madeline Nobile, Nicole Jenkins, Cassie
 Karwonski, Bobbie Klette, Michael Lavezoli, Antoinette Libonati,
 James Marraway, Virginia Lee Sweeney McCarthy, Nancy
 Meinert, John and Thomas G. and Elizabeth, Michael
 Pendleton, Donald and Steve Pezich, , Catharine A. Rihn, Sue
 Rush, Jason Spade, Jodi Stebler, Ethel Thomas, Joyce
 Thompson, Anthony Zucco

Pray for the service men and women in Iraq.

*Pray for those who have been abused,
 and those who have given their lives in service*

AN INVITATION ~ OAKLAND CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL ~
 Bishop David A. Zubik and the Board of Directors of Oakland
 Catholic High School invite you to the ceremony for the Dedi-
 cation of the Renovation of the school, this **Thursday, Sep-**
tember 11 at 7:30 p.m. A reception will follow immediately.
 Please RSVP by calling 412-682-6797

SPAGHETTI DINNER IS HERE ~ THIS WEEKEND! ~ St. Vincent de Paul Society is sponsoring a spaghetti dinner in McDowell Hall at Epiphany Church, this weekend, **Sunday, September 7**, from noon to 6:30 p.m. Proceeds of this dinner will enable the Society to provide food, and financial assistance for rent and utility bills for the needy. The \$6.00 cost includes spaghetti, 2 meatballs, salad, garlic bread, dessert and coffee and tea. This is the first combined fundraising effort of the Downtown Cluster of Catholic Churches ~ St. Benedict the Moor, Epiphany, St. Mary of Mercy and St. Patrick/St. Stanislaus. Gather the family and make this a "family day"! Enjoy good company, good food while supporting a good cause.

ENJOY BOOKS ~ COME AND GET THEM! Purchase your enjoy book from the church. Books are being sold after all the Masses and at the weekly Fish Fry. You may also call and order books through the parish office. Price is only \$27.00. This is a real bargain ~ discounts are offered on dining, recreation, theatres ~ packed with more than 1,200 local offers. Thank you for your support!

TOUR OF FAITH ~ PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF TIME ~ A one day pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC, is being planned for Saturday, September 27, 2008. St. Benedict the Moor, St. Charles Lwanga, Epiphany and St. Mary of Mercy will share a 55 passenger bus. The cost of the trip is \$45.00 which includes a continental breakfast on the bus and a box lunch on the return trip. Join us for prayer, religious gift shopping, private visitations and devotions, and the concelebrated Mass in the Great Upper Church. The bus will leave from two locations only: **St. Benedict the Moor at 6:00 a.m.** and **St. Charles Lwanga at 6:30 a.m.** We ask everyone to be prompt! Call the St. Benedict Church office at 412-281-3141 or Marilyn Dunson at 412-471-9992 for reservations or further information.

64th ANNUAL ROSARY MARCH ~ The Annual Rosary March, in its 64th year will take place on Sunday, October 5, 2008, beginning with Mass at 12:00 at Epiphany Church. The living rosary march will begin at approximately 1:15 p.m. and proceed to St. Mary of Mercy Church on Stanwix St. At 2:00 p.m., a Holy Hour and Benediction will take place at St. Mary of Mercy with the crowning of Our Lady. Refreshments will be served in Lawless Hall. The Mass will be celebrated by Fr. Carmen D'Amico; The Rosary March will be led by Fr. Daniel Sweeney and the Holy Hour will be led by Fr. Daniel Vallecorsa. Make plans now to join us in honoring Mary.

"HEALING OF THE BODY, MIND AND SPIRIT FOR ALL AGES" **Saturday, October 18, 2008** will be a special day at Epiphany! From 9:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. an anointing and healing service will take place in the church, followed by a Health Information Fair for all ages, until 2:00 p.m. The day is free and includes health and social service information for children and adults, health screenings, flu shots, entertainment, prizes and lunch. This day is being sponsored by the Downtown Cluster of Catholic Churches Social Services. For more information, please call 412-471-0257 ext. 11

FATHER AND SON DAY OF RECOLLECTION ~ Dads, bring your son(s) to a Father and Son Day of Recollection at the Gilmory Center on Saturday, September 13. It will be a day that is relationship building, spiritually encouraging and fun. Registration by Tuesday, September 9 is required. Space is limited. Call 412-264-8400 for additional information or to register.

Come to the Fish Fry!

The regular menu is back and so are the "specials". The special for this Friday, September 12, at \$6.00, is Hot Pork Sandwich, Gravy, French Fries, Sliced Bread. Hours of service: 11:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. For take out orders call 412-471-1008.

SAVE THE DATE FOR BUNDLE UP! A clothing drive, "Bundle Project" to help people in need of clothing and small household goods is being initiated through the Downtown cluster and will take place on Saturday, September 27, 2008 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at St. Benedict the Moor parking lot entrance. You may want to clean your closets and storage areas, clearing out what is clean and usable and no longer of use to you. Bundle your items in an enclosed or box to be loaded into the St. Vincent de Paul truck. You receive a receipt for your items. Please hold this date in mind and begin to "bundle". Thank you for your support.

THE CHRIST CHILD SOCIETY OF PITTSBURGH will be distributing new winter jackets, hats and gloves to needy children 13 years of age and younger. If you know of any families in need, please call Lalla, the Parish Social Minister at 412-471-0257 ext. 11 from September 10 through November 5, 2008. She will give you more details.

RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND will be held at Gilmory Diocesan Center September 19-21. Retrouvaille is a program for troubled marriages, and assists couples who are experiencing conflict, frustration, anger or other situations that may divide relationships. For more information please contact 412-277-3434 or you may choose to go to the web: www.helpourmarriage.com.

FESTA ITALIANA will be held September 12, 13 and 14 at Riverplex (between Waterfront and Sandcastle) West Homestead. Celebrate the Italian heritage and culture through authentic foods, entertainment, dancing, marketplace, cultural demonstrations, tourneys and children activities. A special Mass will be celebrated in the Italian language Sunday at 10 a.m. with Bishop Anthony G. Bosco, Bishop Emeritus, Diocese of Greensburg. Call 412-462-6666 for more information.

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERTORY

1st Collection.....	\$2,348.00
2nd Collection.....	\$ 932.00
Total (Thank you)!	\$3,280.00

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