

Resurrection R. C. Church



5th Sunday Easter

May 2, 2021
John 15:1-8

MASS SCHEDULE

M-F: 8:30 AM
First Saturday of Month 8:30 AM
Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM and 12 Noon

DEVOTIONS

Rosary: M-F 8:10 AM, Sunday 8:40 AM
Divine Mercy Chaplet after daily Mass M-F
Sacred Heart Novena after First Friday Mass
Adoration: 9:00 to 12 Noon (First Fridays)

RECONCILIATION

M-F 8:05-8:20
Saturday 3:15-3:45
First Friday's 8:00-8:20

ENCOURAGING ALL TO CHECK THEIR TEMPERATURES. PLEASE CONTINUE TO WEAR MASK AND KEEP SPACING ESPECIALLY NOW IN FLU SEASON.

PARISH PHONE
716-683-3712

BASKET RAFFLE

Basket raffle postponed from December 6, 2020 will occur on Sunday, May 16, 2021.

103 Themed Baskets, restaurant cards, lottery tickets, bath products, and a variety of seasonal baskets. Lottery & Big Prize: \$200 overnight package to Russell's Steak House. \$50 Wegmans Card.

18 Baskets with \$50 worth of lottery tickets.

TICKETS ARE SOLD IN SHEETS OF 25.

1 SHEET FOR \$5, 3 SHEETS FOR \$10 AND 7 SHEETS FOR \$20.
STOP BY PARISH CENTER AFTER WEEKEND MASSES TO VIEW BASKETS AND PURCHASE TICKETS.

VIRTUAL MEAT RAFFLE, Sunday, June 26, 2021. Prizes include \$550 in certificates from Camillo's Sloan Supermarket. \$10 tickets are available for purchase before and after all weekend masses or by email at ResCheekEvents@gmail.com.

Mass Intentions



- Monday** **May 3, Sts. Philip and James**
8:30 AM + **For Parishioners Intentions**
 (Fr Mike)

- Tuesday** **May 4, Easter Weekday**
8:30 AM + **Michael Mikolajczak**
 (Dorothy Skrok)

- Wednesday** **May 5, Easter Weekday**
8:30 AM + **Chester, Michael, Celia Szalecki**
 (Family)

- Thursday** **May 6, Easter Weekday**
8:30 AM + **Kevin Lis**
 (Diane Lis)

- Friday** **May 7, Easter Weekday**
8:30 AM + **Anne Kida**
 (Wozniak Family)

- Saturday** **May 8, 6th Sunday Vigil**
4:00 PM + **Mother's Day Intentions**
 (Parish)

- Sunday** **May 9, 6th Sunday Easter**
9:00 AM + **Mother's Day Intentions**
 (Parish)

- 12:00 PM** + **Mother's Day Intentions**
 (Parish)

****PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK****

Bernadette Coyner, David Borgioli, Sr., Helen Walkowiak, Diane Wasielewski, Rita Ross, James Wojcik, Sr., Justine Janora, Kenneth Gerspach, Chet Ross, Renee Hernandez, Vic Burgio, Doreen Radzikowski, George Bretl, Michele Sisti, Joe Pace, Sarah Hencinski.

SANCTUARY LAMP

Our sanctuary lamp this week is lit for the intention of our children, by Mom & Dad. Please pray for their intentions.

COLLECTION

Our weekly operating expenses \$7,300.
\$5033.

We Thank You For Your Generous Giving.
Please remember Resurrection Parish in your will.

Remember on-line giving as an option.
See parish web-site.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Betty Taylor who passed away this week.

My dear parish family:

This week we are reminded that God is the vine-grower, Jesus is the vine and we are the branches. As we are united with our Lord, we need to bear good fruit. Jesus says the branches that don't bear good fruit are pruned, bundled and burned. Each of us, myself included, are sinners. When we stumble and fall, we turn to the Lord in reconciliation, seeking his forgiveness and mercy. We get up and try again. Let's all continue to keep striving to get better each day of our lives.

This is the month of May, dedicated our Mother Mary. Please make effort to say your rosary daily, as Mary has asked of all of us.

Know of my continued daily prayers for all of you and my thanks to all the parishioners who continue to support our parish. Your continued support is greatly appreciated by me and I am sure your fellow family members in the family at Resurrection.

God's Best to all of you.
Love and prayers,
Fr Mike

EASTER DUTY
CONFESSION

A precept of the church is to go to confession at least once a year, especially during the Easter season. Confessions will be heard Tuesday evenings, May 4 and May 11th, beginning at 545 PM—7 PM.

MEAT RAFFLE
Resurrection Parish

A virtual meat raffle will be held on Sat. June 26th at 7 PM. Prizes include \$550 in certificates from Camillo's Sloan Super Market. \$10 tickets available before/after weekend masses or by email:
ResCheekEvents@gmail.com.

POST-PONED BASKET RAFFLE
MAY 16, 2021

After all the weekend Masses, please consider going to the parish center to look at all the beautiful baskets. You may purchase tickets for the drawing. Tickets are by the sheet, with each sheet having 25 tickets. \$5 per sheet, 3 sheets for \$10 and 7 sheets for \$20. Thanks to all who donated baskets and for purchasing tickets. Thanks to Judy & Charlie Glinski who housed the baskets and are taking care of the raffle. Good luck.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Spring is a time of HOPE. If you or someone you know is struggling with addiction, we can help. Catholic Charities Chemical Dependency Treatment Program in Buffalo has immediate openings. The outpatient program is New York State OASAS licensed and aims to treat addiction with a combination of therapy and medicine. More information on the program can be found at www.ccwny.org/addiction. To begin the referral process, call Central Intake at 716-895-1033. Also, counseling for individuals and families is always available at our neighborhood offices across WNY. Appeal 2021 is ongoing through June 30. To make a secure online donation, visit www.ccwny.org/donation. HOPE for all seasons.

Polish American Program

Saturdays, 11 AM to 12:30 AM
Sundays, 4 PM to 5:30 PM

HERE ARE ALL THE WAYS YOU CAN HEAR THE PROGRAM:

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Previous programs available 24/7, at: <https://soundcloud.com/webrradio/sets/the-polish-american-program>
Facebook.com/PolishAmericanRadioProgram

ST JOSEPH WORKER AWARD

Congratulations to Dave Hencinski who is awarded the St Joseph Worker of the Year Award by Bishop Fisher on May 2, 2021 at St Joseph's Cathedral. Thanks Dave for all your help. I wish there were multiple awards to give, as so many of you deserve an award to say thanks. Know of my appreciation for all the help that each of gives to the parish. Without you, things would not be done. Congrats and thanks Dave, Thanks to all parishioners.

Mary's Day

Will be celebrated on Sunday, May 2 at 3 pm at Our Lady of Fatima Shrine, 1023 Swann Rd. (off Rt. 18), Lewiston. The traditional start of the Marian Season at Fatima Shrine, the day will include an outdoor Rosary Procession, crowning of the procession statue, homily and Benediction with the Blessed Sacrament. Covid-19 restrictions still in place: masks, sanitizing of hands upon entry, and social distancing are required. All are welcome. For more information, call 716-754-7489.

St. Gabriel's HNS Spring Raffle

Sunday, May 16th, at 1:30 PM to be held in the parish center located at 5271 Clinton St, Elma. Tickets are \$50 each or buy two \$50 tickets get third ticket free. A total of \$21,000 in cash prizes will be given away. The grand prize is \$10,000 cash followed by a 1st prize of \$5,000 cash and 2nd prize of \$2,000. Social distancing and masks required.

WORDS OF LIFE

"Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect."

SUMMER JOB

Looking for a summer job with meaning? Come use your powers for good as a Camp Counselor at Camp Turner. Employment begins June 27 and ends August 15 with time off on weekends. Earn a salary (plus room and board) while making a difference. Camp Counselors develop skills that employers are looking for: leadership, decision-making, interdependence, empathy, and much more. We have openings for cabin counselors, horse corral, nature studies, outdoor living skills, and low ropes. Counselors must be 18. We also need Activity Assistants (minimum age 17). Applications are available at www.CampTurnerOLV.com

FIRST FRIDAY

First Friday in May 7, 2021. Following Morning Mass there is adoration of the Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Please consider spending some time with the Lord in adoration. We have so much to pray for, to name a couple, an end to the pandemic, an end to the senseless shootings that continue on almost a daily basis in our nation. Let's put our trust in the Lord.

"Songs of the Soul"

A live religious concert by musician and songwriter Rev. Bill Quinlivan, on Monday, May 17 from 7-8 pm at Our Lady of Pompeii Church, 129 Laverack Ave., Lancaster. You are invited to experience how the glory of God can sing out through our lives. Due to social distancing restrictions, reservations are required. Call 716-683-6522 to make a reservation or for more information.

PRAY for our Confirmation Candidates and for our first Penance and Holy Communion Candidate.

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