



St. Catherine Church

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SATURDAY, September 28: VIGIL OF TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Carlton Peduzzi by Mary Lou

SUNDAY, September 29: TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 a.m. MASS – † Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

Monday, September 30: Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. – † Health & Welfare of John C. Renninger by Joan Renninger

Tuesday, October 1: Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. – † Nicholas and Bernardine Witychak by Bob and Ann Gilliland

Wednesday, October 2: The Holy Guardian Angels

8:00 a.m. – † **NO MASS**

Thursday, October 3: Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † Pauline Cullen by Don and Martha Cullen

Friday, October 4: Saint Francis of Assisi

8:00 a.m. – † Anniversary William E. Fleming by Fr. Joe

SATURDAY, October 5: VIGIL OF TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Edith and Allen Welch by Maggie

SUNDAY, October 6: TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 a.m. MASS Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

The Padre Pio Assembly is sponsoring a “free” community movie at the **Clifton Theater**. The 2019 version of **Dumbo** starring Danny Devito, Colin Farrell, Michael Keaton, and Eva Green will be shown on **Saturday, October 12th at 4:00 p.m.** Admission is a can of non-perishable food to be donated to the food banks at **Most Holy Trinity and Saint Catherine Church food banks.**

ONE LIFE ONE ROSE

The Pilgrimage of the Silver Rose, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, is making a stop in Altoona. The Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament will host a prayer service on Monday, September 30 at 7:00 p.m. The service will include the Rosary and a series of prayers intended to honor ALL LIFE. The Silver Rose is traveling from Canada through the United States to its final destination of Mexico City. There, a service will be held at the Cathedral in Mexico City to honor Our Lady of Guadalupe on her Feast Day, December 12.

ORGAN CONCERT AT MT. CARMEL, ALTOONA

There will be an Organ Concert at Mount Carmel Church, Altoona, 8th Avenue & 11 Street, on Sunday, October 6th, at 3:00 p.m. The Guest Organist is Gail Archer. Ms. Archer is Professor of Organ at

Manhattan School of Music and Adjunct Artist in Music at Vassar College. A free will offering will be taken to benefit the Mt. Carmel Pipe Organ Campaign.

Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for October 5/6 2019

MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Ed McGarvey	Jerry Norris	Janet Daschbach	Kathy Lantz Mary Lyons Maria Danish
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Cathy Wilson Suzanne Brown	Ian Brodbeck Abigail Brodbeck Sarah Varner	Alison Roddy	Mary Secrest Will Crouse Marcia Slates

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION Our culture makes it easy to be like the rich man. It is easy to “walk by” those asking for a handout. On our electronic devices, it is easy to watch the basest human tendencies play out as entertainment. Charity begins by seeing others through God’s eyes, as persons made in God’s image and worthy of our love and care. (*At Home With the Word* 2019. L.T.P., 2018.)

We are called to live as stewards in our homes, our neighborhoods, and our community. Our gifts are needed by those around us. Our acts of sharing are our witness of our belief in Jesus.

A Prayer for Life

Loving God, Creator of all, we recognize that life is a gift from you. Open our hearts to your Holy Spirit and renew in us a deep respect for all persons: the family, the unborn, the young, the adult, the sick, the disabled, the dying, the homeless, the unemployed, and the oppressed in any way. Bless all of us in our diocese and instill in us a deep love for your gift of life. Through the intercession of Mary, Mother and Virgin, may all our words and actions foster reverence for human life. May we be true witnesses to the truth that all life is precious and has sublime dignity. Lead our nation and our world to this understanding so that we may be a people dedication to the protection of all your sons and daughters. We ask this through your son Jesus Christ, the Word who became flesh and lived among us.



SANCTUARY CANDLE:
The Sanctuary Candle acknowledging The Real Presence of Christ in the tabernacle is burning this week in loving memory of **Poor Souls**



GIFT BEARERS for:
Saturday, October 5, 2019: Maggie
Sunday, October 6, 2019: Ushers

COLLECTION COUNTING SCHEDULE for:
Sunday, September 29, 2019: Dennis Drake
Sunday, October 6, 2019: Kathy Lantz

Gospel: Lk 16 19-31

The rich man in today’s gospel was condemned to a “place of torment” because he never noticed poor Lazarus starving at his door. When he asked that an angel go and warn his five brothers to change their ways, it is clear that the whole family was going through life insensitive to others’ needs. It was a family disease. Is your family learning to be sensitive to poor and less fortunate? Today’s gospel is a warning!



Birthdays Max Gaisior, Michael Komir, Logan Yakymac, Zillia Clemens, Janet Shugarts, Joe Danish, Sean Brodbeck.