THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 28, 2020

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Sat.	6/27	4:00 PM	James Eisenhart, Sr. by Michalene and Jim Eisenhart
Sun.	6/28	11:00 AM	Gloria, Ginger, Jeanie, and George Matisak by Adam, Rosey, AJ, and Ryan
Mon.	6/29	7:00 PM	John B. and Helen E. Capozzelli by the Capozzelli Family
Tue.	6/30	7:00 AM	Veronica Monkoski by Louise, Dan, and Gene
Wed	7/1	7:00 AM	Lillian Martincek by Frank and Sharon Halko Family
Thur.	7/2	7:00 AM	Ann Louise Ceriani by Her Husband Julius and Family
Fri.	7/3	7:00 AM	Gertrude Wenner by Donald and Joanne Brown
Sat.	7/4	4:00 PM	Mary Jane Mischissin by Her Sister Joan and Joseph Laganosky
Sun.	7/5	11:00 AM	Eugene Zynel, sr. by His Wife JoAnn and Children

Last Weekend:

Sunday \$3,654.00; Loose \$47.05; Dues \$1,293.00; Care and Education of Priests \$126.00; Ash Wednesday \$3.00; Holy Thursday \$11.00; Good Friday

\$11.00; Easter \$80.00; Easter Flowers \$10.00; Ascension \$6.00; Catholic Relief \$10.00; Holy Father \$55.00; Catholic Home Missions \$20.00; Catholic Communications \$5.00; Holy Land \$10.00; Poor Box \$34.00

CANDLES ON THE ALTAR are in Memory of Stephen G. Korol by JoAnne





SANCTUARY CANDLE is burning in Memory of Veronica Monkoski by Louise, Danny, and Gene.

MASS INTENTION REQUESTS FOR 2021 - Mass intention request forms are included in the this week's online bulletin. They are also available for pick up in our parish office during regular hours (Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - Noon) beginning this week. Please note that no masses will be scheduled over the telephone to avoid errors. No mass intention forms will be accepted until Wednesday. July 1st. All mass requ



intention forms will be accepted until Wednesday, July 1st. All mass requests must be completed in writing on the forms that are provided.



JUST A REMINDER: Reservations to attend mass are REQUIRED. Just call the parish office at 570-636-3035 on Tuesday evenings from 5:30 - 7:00 PM or Wednesday and Thursday during regular office hours.

ALSO, you can now call Good Shepherd Parish Office (570-788-3141) on Wednesday or Thursday and request a reservation for their 6:00 PM Saturday mass or their 9:30 AM Sunday mass. If there is room, you are welcome to attend.



"....and whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me." I've been thinking quite a bit about sacrifice. Over the past almost 4 months we've been asked to sacrifice in ways we never expected. Like many of you, I too have a relative in a health facility. Since this pandemic began I have not been able to see my sister

Eileen. I'm also feeling a little guilty now. I want to visit her. These are my feelings. I cannot begin to imagine what my sister is feeling and going through. On a daily basis she carries her cross, albeit a walker. She is confined to her facility and has not has a chance to go shopping - she loves shopping. She suffered a traumatic brain injury from a simple fall, but she got up and is surviving and thriving. We've all had our crosses to carry and been asked to sacrifice. Eileen, you are my hero!



It's easy to be overwhelmed today with a 24-7 news cycle, violence and unrest in our streets, a pandemic that is still a problem and top it all off a highly charged presidential election is on the horizon. Seems

like there's no escape. "Ships don't sink because of the water around them; ships sink because of the water that gets in them. Don't let what's happening around you get inside you and weigh you down." Anonymous. Maybe it's time to disconnect and reconnect with our faith.



WHAT TO DO WITH YOUR CHURCH ENVELOPES - If you are attending mass in person, you should drop your envelopes in the basket provided. No collections will be taken up. If you are not attending mass in person, you can still drop them off in the parish office Monday - Thursday from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. There is a box right inside the

door. You can also drop them in the mailbox right outside the office door. Or you can mail them to our address at 898 Centre St. We sincerely thank you all for continuing to support your parish during these difficult days.

PARISH CEMETARIES - Volunteers for the parish cemeteries ask parishioners to please remove all Christmas and Easter decorations as soon as possible from family plots in order to prepare for the upcoming summer season. You are also asked not to dump your trash along the fences. The volunteers are working hard to beautify our cemeteries, and some people are creating trash piles by the fences, which is upsetting to the families of loved ones buried nearby. Thank you for your cooperation.