## TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 19, 2021

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ı	Sat.	9/18	4:00 PM	60th Wedding Anniversary of John and Roseann Denion
	Sun.	9/19	11:00 AM	Michael and Anna Barna by Their Daughter Elsie Pshar
	Mon.	9/20	7:00 PM	Andrew Blasko, Jr. by Paula
	Tue.	9/21	7:00 AM	Mary Hanusek by Jackie Shearer
	Wed	9/22	7:00 AM	Kathleen Carr by Leo and Jane Decowski
	Thur.	9/23	7:00 AM	Joyce Hrabovecky by Trish Holden
	Fri.	9/24	7:00 AM	Edward and Mary Harvilla by Sally and Les
	Sat.	9/25	4:00 PM	Mary Beth Kopczynskie by Her Husband Raymond and Twin
				Daughters Pamela & Jennifer, & Sons-in-Law Tommy and Glen
	Sun.	9/26	11:00 AM	Helen E. Capozzelli by the Feissner Family



## Last Weekend:

Sunday \$2,796.00; Loose \$108.00; Dues \$440.00; Care and Education of Priests \$129.00; Other \$2.00; Poor Box \$97.15

Happy 60th Wedding Anniversary to John and Roseann Denion.

May God continue to bless you with good health, peace, and joy!

Our parish family remembers you in their prayers and the

Candles on the Altar are in Celebration of this beautiful Anniversary.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS: Welcome Back! Attention, Parents and Guardians: (1) classes begin on Sunday, September 19th. If you have not yet received your Handbook and Letter, please see Marianne or Donna for this important information; (2)



be sure to check the new Mass Attendance Card procedure; (3) please return the Student Contract for Faith Formation found on page 12 of the handbook; (4) Perfect Attendance for last year's classes will be acknowledged at the 11:00 AM mass; and (5) Confirmation Parents and Guardians, there is a meeting at 10:30 AM in the rectory.

**Second Grade Parents and Guardians**, please mark your calendars for the meeting on October 3rd at 10:15 AM in the church.

TUESDAY NIGHT BINGO AT GOOD SHEPHERD IS BACK! Bingo at Good Shepherd Church. The kitchen opens at 5:00PM and our Early Bird game begins at 6:00PM.





## A Message from Father Mike...

I remember as a child many of those "let's-pick-sides" playground games. "I'll take Schmidty, I'll take Jones, I'll take Kowalski," and so on. Finally, I heard the name Kloton! I so desperately did not want to be last, but I was. It was a sinking feeling. Bet many of you have been in that "last place." It wasn't until much later

in life that I learned the meaning and value of "last place." I remember John W. who was never even in the lineup to be picked because he had one leg shorter than the other. I also remember Walter S. who was picked on because he wore old clothes. He, too, never made it in the lineup. I may have been called last, but at least I was called. Looking back, it was kids like John and Walter who were first. They were the real heroes. They were inspirations to me. I only wish I could tell them now. Who wants to play stick ball?



## A VIEW FROM THE PEW, SAINTLY ADVICE IN THE KITCHEN.

I thought the following quotes from St. Teresa of Avila were interesting if you love or dread cooking. "Know that even in the kitchen, our Lord moves amidst the pots and pans." The next one is often true of any cook or chef, "One who makes no mistakes, makes nothing." Hope you enjoy the "Picnic in the Park". Bon appétit!



**BINGO AT ST. PATRICK'S** on the second Wednesday of every month. Parish center doors open and food is available at 5:00 PM. Games start at 6:00 PM. Continuous jackpot capped at \$1000.00. October jackpot is at \$700.00.



LET'S GO TO ALASKA! There will be a meeting for <u>new bookings</u> only for anyone interested in traveling as a group from our parishes to Alaska for the summer of 2022. The meeting will take place in the Good Shepherd parish hall on Wednesday, September 22nd, at 6:00 PM. If you have already booked your trip, you need not attend this meeting.





HALLOWEEN DANCE: Good Shepherd and Immaculate Conception parishes will host a joint Halloween Dance on Saturday, October 30th, in the Good Shepherd parish hall. Doors open at 6:30 PM with music by Fr. Mike and His Heavenly Delights until 9:30 PM. This is the first joint social gathering for the two parishes. Tickets are \$20 per person.

Although the event is "BYOB," the

ticket price includes chili, pizza, and other food items as well as door prize tickets. Raffle tickets for your chance to win a 50" flat screen TV or gas grill will be on sale at the event (3 tickets for \$5). Costumes are optional, but prizes will be awarded. Tickets can be purchased by calling either parish office at 570-788-3141 or 570-636-3035. Table reservations will also be accepted. The deadline for reservations is Sunday, October 17th.



If you had purchased tickets for the Oldies Dance which was cancelled due to the pandemic, please contact the parish office for replacement tickets for our upcoming dance.

