



# Church of Saints Peter and Paul

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## *Pentecost Sunday* *June 4, 2017*

### *Welcome*

*To all who are tired and need rest; to all who mourn and need comfort;  
to all who are friendless and need friendship;  
to all who are discouraged and need hope;  
to all who are homeless and need sheltering love;  
and to all who sin and need a Savior;  
and to whomsoever will,  
the Parish of Saints Peter and Paul opens wide its doors  
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ!*

### **Mission Statement**

As members of Saints Peter and Paul,  
we have as our mission the sharing of our faith and our talents.  
We proclaim the Word of God through  
compassion for our community and sharing of our treasures as Disciples of Christ.

#### **Office Hours**

Monday 10AM – 4pm  
Tuesday through Friday 8am – 4pm  
Office closed daily Noon – 12:30pm  
Saturday by appointment

#### **Mass Schedule**

Monday – Communion Service – 7am  
Tuesday through Friday – 7am  
Saturday 4pm  
Sunday 8am & 11am

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

First Friday of every month – noon till 3pm

#### **Confession**

Daily 6:30AM – 6:45am  
Saturday 3PM – 3:30pm  
By appointment anytime

*Working Together to Build the Kingdom of God*



M	6-5	7am	<b>Communion Service</b>
T	6-6	7am	<b>Sarah &amp; James Gartley</b> by Liz Segeda
W	6-7	7am	<b>Mary Yench</b> by Myron & Mildred Yench
Th	6-8	7am	<b>Anthony Wilk (A)</b> by Mike & Carol Waschara
F	6-9	7am	<b>Frances Wanek</b> by Janine Kerestes
S	6-10	4pm	<b>Albert Guzinski (A)</b> by Mother & Family
S	6-11	8am	<b>Bert &amp; Fran DeSimone</b> by Ernest & Dolores Tressa
		11am	<b>Living and Deceased Parishioners</b>

## SEND OUT YOUR SPIRIT

Last week we heard that, following the Ascension, the disciples, Mary, and other followers of the Lord retreated to the upper room in prayer. This week we hear that, while praying in that room, the Holy Spirit comes upon them. Jesus' post-Resurrection promise, recounted in today's Gospel, is fulfilled: the power of the Holy Spirit comes upon Jesus' followers. Saint Paul tells us that all of us, in some way, are given gifts of the Holy Spirit, gifts that can be used to spread the Good News. Today is one of the Church's greatest festivals. Let us carry the refrain of the responsorial psalm with us throughout the coming week: "Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth!" (Psalm 104:30).

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## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Filled with the Holy Spirit, the apostles begin to speak in tongues (Acts 2:1-11).  
**Psalm** — Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth (Psalm 104).

**Second Reading** — In one Spirit we are baptized into one body and given to drink of one Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13).

**Gospel** — Jesus Christ appears to the disciples and sends them on their mission with the power to forgive or retain sins through the Holy Spirit (John 20:19-23).

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## THE GIFT

*Ask nothing of God, then, but this gift of divine Love, that is, the Holy Spirit.*

—Walter Hilton

*In Memory of  
Sanctuary Candle  
Joseph M & Joseph G. Oley*

*Our Lady of Lourdes Votive Candle  
Primo & Janet Sorbelli*

*Holy Family Votive Candle  
Matthew Koneski*

**June 28, 2017**

<b>Contributions</b>	<b>\$6,199</b>
<b>Dues</b>	<b>\$233</b>
<b>Air Conditioning</b>	<b>\$1,215</b>
<b>Holy Day</b>	<b>\$281</b>
<b>Insurance</b>	<b>\$21</b>
<b>Maintenance</b>	<b>\$105</b>
<b>Care of the Priest</b>	<b>\$25</b>
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	<b>\$1,043</b>
<b>Catholic Communication</b>	<b>\$950</b>

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Pentecost Sunday; Julian Calendar Pentecost
Monday:	Ninth Week in Ordinary Time; St. Boniface
Tuesday:	St. Norbert
Friday:	St. Ephrem
Saturday:	Blessed Virgin Mary

<b>Pastor</b> Rev. John C. Lambert	<b>Pastor Emeritus</b> Rev. Joseph Greskiewicz
<b>Liturgical/Musical Consultant and Choir Director</b> Joan Turel	
<b>Faith Formation</b> Sande Holena	<b>Custodians</b> Michael Lambert Michael Levandowski
<b>Extraordinary Ministers/Readers</b> David Loiacono	<b>Ushers</b> Paul Muczynski
<b>Organists</b> Christine Katsock & Charles Unice	<b>Altar Servers</b> Gloria Flynn
<b>Food Pantry</b> Pauline Makowski	<b>Youth Group</b> MaryAnn and Michael Quinn

### Weekly Activities

June 5 – June 11

<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Building</i>	<i>Location</i>
Mon.	5pm	Quilting	Parish Center	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
	5pm	Prayer Shawl	Parish Center	Dining Room
	6pm	Treasures	Parish Center	Back Porch
	6:30pm	Rosary	Parish Center	Prayer Room
	7pm	Faith Sharing	Parish Center	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
Tues.	9am	Quilting	Parish Center	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
Wed.	Noon	Plains Seniors	Faith Formation Center	Bernardine Hall
	2:15pm	Mass	Riverstreet Manor	
	6:30pm	Parish Life Event	Faith Formation Center	Bernardine Hall
Thurs.	9am	Quilting	Parish Center	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
Fri.	9am	Treasures	Parish Center	Back Porch

**The Women's Society** is sponsoring a bus trip to Sight and Sound in Lancaster to see "Jonah" on Wednesday, August 23. The cost of \$110 for adults and \$55 for children includes the bus, grand smorgasbord lunch at Hershey Farm Restaurant, ticket for 3pm show and tip for the bus driver. There will be time for shopping at the Hershey Farm Boutiques. Reservations may be made by calling BJ Hession at 570-822-9448 or Irene Martin at 570-825-4464. Payment is required at the time of reservation. No reservation will be accepted after July 15<sup>th</sup>.

### Marriage Moments

"There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit." (1Cor. 12:4) What is one of your beloved's strengths? OK, so we all have different sacred strengths, BUT do you have the "same Spirit"? Unite yourselves in the spirit of Forgiveness. Is there anything you find difficult to forgive?

- Susan Vogt

### Parenting Pointers

The 1<sup>st</sup> week in June is National Barefoot Week. Go barefoot with your child this weekend for an hour or a day. Feel the grass, dirt, stones, or pavement under your feet and delight in it together. Remember those who don't have shoes. Soles 4 Souls (<https://soles4souls.org/>) can help you help others.

### Lottery Tickets

Tickets for Summer Lottery are in the printing process and will soon be available. Awards will begin July 1<sup>st</sup> through September 30<sup>th</sup> – follow the daily number. Prizes are \$25 Monday through Saturday, \$100 on Sunday and \$300 on July 4<sup>th</sup>, Independence Day, August 15<sup>th</sup>, The Assumption of Mary and September 5<sup>th</sup>, Labor Day. Cost of the ticket is \$10. Anyone selling 25 or more will be entered into the \$50 Sellers drawing and 10 or more into the \$10 Sellers drawing. Reserve your numbers using the form below or calling the Rectory during Office Hours. We honor on first come first serve basis, so get your request in soon. Together we can make it another great fundraiser.

### Lottery Winners

5-22	#666	Saints Peter and Paul
5-23	#413	Anthony Jendrzewski
5-24	#739	Saints Peter and Paul
5-25	#596	Dorothy Condo
5-26	#271	Joseph Zawatski
5-27	#126	Rick Kline
5-28	#241	Mary Suchocki

*Congratulations to all!!!*



## Ready for the Adventure of a lifetime?

**Saints Peter and Paul** will hold Vacation Bible School from Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup> through Friday, June 30<sup>th</sup>. The theme will be **PandaMania, where God is wild about you!** At PandaMania children ages 4-11 will discover that God is *wild* about them -- a fact that will change them forever! PandaMania is filled with incredible Bible-learning experiences kids see, hear, touch, and even taste! Bible Point crafts, team-building games, cool bible songs, and tasty treats are just a few of the PandaMania activities that help faith flow into real life. Plus, we'll discover how to see evidence of God in everyday life - something we call God Sightings. VBS will open each day at 9:00 am, and our day will conclude at approximately noon. Registration Forms can be found in the Word section of the towers in the vestibule of the church. Register early (by 6-12<sup>th</sup>) in order to qualify for our early registration fee. This also helps with program planning. Questions??? Contact Sande Holena at 570-825-6663 ext. 3 then 1. Want to be part of all the fun? Join our Vacation Bible School Staff by calling Sande, you are guaranteed a wild time!!!

## Parish Life Event

Pastoral Council would like to invite you to attend a Parish Life Event on Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 PM, in Bernardine Hall. Guest speaker will be Catherine Butel from the Diocesan Office of Parish Life. Catherine will briefly describe Servant Leadership and what it means for us as a parish. Also, Coordinating Teams will begin to be formed. Please join us for this very important event. The success of the Pastoral Plan depends on all of us!

**Quo Vadis Days 2017** will be held June 25-28 at Misericordia University, Dallas. This camp is for young Catholic men in High School (9-12<sup>th</sup> grade) to deepen their faith, learn more about all vocations, and better discern God's call in their lives. The camp will feature dynamic talks, prayer, games, sports, activities, music and more. Participants will have the opportunity to meet priests and seminarians of the Diocese of Scranton. All participants are required to get a letter of recommendation from a priest, deacon, parish life coordinator, director of religious education, or youth minister to register. Online registration is now open at [www.scrantonvocations.org](http://www.scrantonvocations.org). For more information, call 570-207-1452.

## Join Us for Movie Night – Open to the public

Drive In Theater, 1911 Scranton Carbondale Highway in Dickson City, for Disney Pixar's CARS 3 on Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup>. Gates open at 7pm, movie begins at 8:45pm. Only \$10 per car. Each child receives a FREE popcorn. The concession stand will also be selling food.

**Rev. Richard A. Zavacki** is celebrating the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Sunday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, at 3 o'clock, at St. Ignatius Church, Kingston. An informal gathering will take place at Monsignor Conlon Hall following the Mass. All are welcome.

## Online Survey to Partner with Francis

The young church (16-35) and those who work with them are encouraged to let their voice be heard as the Diocese of Scranton '**partner with Francis**' in preparation for the 2018 Synod on the topic of *Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment*. Both those who identify as Catholic and those who do not, can complete an online survey at [www.partnerwithfrancis.org](http://www.partnerwithfrancis.org). The results of this survey will not only help Pope Francis and the Bishops as they prepare for the Synod, but also help shape programming for the young church here in our Diocese. For more information, please contact Dominick Costantino, program coordinator for the Diocesan vocation office, at 570-780-2996.

## Notice Regarding Reporting Sexual Abuse of a Minor

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (Childline) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically. It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska at 570-862-7551 or to Diocesan officials, including the Vicar General, Monsignor Thomas M. Muldowney, V. G., at 570-207-2269.

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## Gospel Today Pentecost Sunday | John 20:19-23

Jesus appeared to the disciples after His Resurrection and through the Holy Spirit, gave them the power to forgive sins. This was the beginning of our Sacrament of Penance / Reconciliation.

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### THE HOLY SPIRIT



#### BIBLE WORD SEARCH

Find all the words...  
left, right, up, down  
or diagonally.

**Appearance to the Disciples.** On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. [Jesus] said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

- John 20:19-23

*"Peace be with you."*

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Receive  
Holy  
Spirit  
Power  
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