

Seven Dolors Church

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
November 4, 2018

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Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 10:30 A.M.

Regional Mass at St. Barbara Church:
6:00 P.M.

Baptisms: By arrangement with Pastor.

Marriages: By arrangement with Pastor.
Arrangements must be at least 6 months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the Parish Office / Pastoral Care Minister to arrange a visit by the priest.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

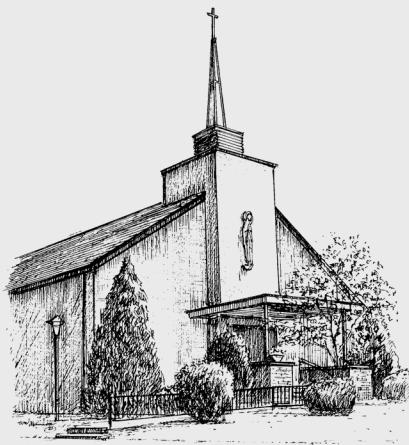
Saturday: **4:00 P.M.**
.....and by appointment

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We, the Catholic faithful of Yukon and the surrounding areas, comprise Seven Dolors Parish. We have a rich immigrant ancestry and a diverse ethnic heritage where Christian charity prevails. We are committed to the Eucharist, the Good News of Jesus Christ and all teachings of the Catholic Church. We strive to minister to the needs of those we encounter on a daily basis by centering ourselves in worship, participating in the sacramental life of the Church, and performing works of mercy. We seek to build-up the Kingdom of God through stewardship and service under the guidance of our patroness, Mary, the Mother of God.

MASSACRE AT TREE OF LIFE SYNAGOGUE

As news of the shocking events at the Tree of Life Synagogue spread through the region, all of us were touched by the deep sadness of the situation. Lovely people were gathered together for prayer in the security of their beloved place of worship. What we saw was the way in which violence and hatred show themselves. In a surprising twist, I actually knew one of the victims, Cecil Rosenthal. He was a special needs person and a great soul. I met him at a summer camp where I worked summers during high school and college. The news says that he was a greeter at the synagogue. From his pictures and from that description, I can say that he grew into an adult exactly like the young person he was. Our hearts go out to all those who are mourning the loss of loved ones at this time. Violence and hatred kill real human beings – people who are loved, people who contribute to society, people who are sunshine and light.

Brothers and sisters, let us try to keep our hearts and lives free of violence and hatred. Let us watch our hearts, minds and tongues.

If you see someone who is acting in a dangerous way, threatening others with violence or isolating themselves from the community – say something to the authorities. You may be helping that person and keeping the entire community safe.

It is very important to emphasize Anti-Semitism is unacceptable in any form. Sometimes, Christians take the words of Jesus out of context or give them incorrect interpretations which make the Jewish People as a whole look bad. **Most of the time when Jesus refers to “the Jews” he is referring to a mindset that can be held by anyone.** A hardhearted mindset that places ideas or issues above human beings.

His words criticize religious authorities (of all religions) who are more interested in their position and power than in **doing God’s work for the people.** Therefore, as Christians we understand this and completely reject hatred directed at the Jewish people for any purpose.

Fr. Richard, O.S.B.

Dear Seven Dolors Parishioners,

Living a double life.

Yes, shocking as it may be, I am living a double life!!!

I’m split between Seven Dolors and St. Edward’s!

This past Sunday was the first time I was able to stay for a moment after the 9 o’clock Mass at St.

Edwards. It was very nice to greet the parishioners. I also was able to visit the Religious Education classes. The teachers and students were doing a great job! Cheryl was meeting with the First Communion class parents and I got to see them for a moment too.

Usually I am running to “the other church” immediately after the 4:30 PM Mass at Seven Dolors, or the 9:00 AM Mass at St. Edwards. This means that those Masses have to be a bit briefer in order for me to arrive on **time at “the other church”.** So there is less singing, preaching, etc. unless one of the Benedictines is taking **the Mass at “the other church”.** The schedule was set up for the priest to be going from West Newton to Herminie – the Masses are scheduled 2 hours apart. Not so at the present moment. There is only 1 hour **and a half between them.... And on Saturday afternoon there are confessions at St. Edward’s at 5:30 PM.** It can be a very tight fit.

Your patience is appreciated. I am grateful for all the cooperation on the part of the parishioners. After the holidays, or upon the resolution of the situation at St. Edwards, more permanent arrangements will have to be decided upon.

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Faith Formation
Faith Formation meets on Monday, November 5, from 6:15 PM-7:30 PM, in the social hall.

Novena to Our Lady
The parish prays a continuous novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help at 11:45 AM before the Monday 12 Noon Mass.

Christian Mothers & Ladies
Will meet for:

- Rosary at 10 AM in the church Sunday, November 4
- Corporate Communion at the 10:30 AM Mass November 4
- Rosary at 6:30 PM on Tuesday, November 6 in the social hall
- Regular Monthly Meeting at 7 PM November 6 in the social hall

Choir Practice
Choir practice Wednesday, November 7, at 7 PM.

Scripture Study
Will begin Friday, November 9 at 7 PM in the social hall

Poultry Bingo & Pie Social
(Paper Bingo)
The Christian Mothers & Ladies will have their annual Poultry Bingo & Pie Social Sunday, November 18, in the social hall. Doors open at 12 Noon and the bingo begins at 1 PM.

Donation: \$7 (Includes 1 Paper Bingo Packet, Pie and Coffee) and \$1 for extra sets.

Featured are a 50/50 and a basket raffle. Additional food available for purchase.

The First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association Matching Funds Program will donate matching funds from the bingo.

The fraternal will have a table set up at the bingo if anyone is interested in life insurance or annuities.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Book of Remembrance
During the month of November, all are invited to remember our loved ones who have died by writing their names in the *Book of Remembrance* which is located near the Eucharistic Chapel.

Call of Admission to Candidacy for Holy Orders for Mr. Christopher J. Pujol
With joy and thanksgiving to God, the Diocese of Greensburg announces that Bishop Edward C. Malesic has called Mr. Christopher J. Pujol to be admitted to Candidacy to Holy Orders. Archbishop Charles J. Chaput will confer the Rite of Admission to Candidacy within Mass at 12:00 Noon on Sunday, November 4, 2018, in the Saint Martin Chapel at Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary, Wynnewood, Pennsylvania.

Presentation on the Holy Land
Saint James Parish, New Alexandria

The Saint James Parish Rosary Altar Society invites all ladies to a presentation on the Holy Land on Thursday, November 8 at 6:30 PM. The evening will begin with the Rosary and Litany for Priests, followed by refreshments. Mrs. Denise Pencola, President of the Greensburg DCCW will give a presentation on her Holy Land Pilgrimage with Bishop Malesic.

Sponsor of the Week!

Our parish family is most appreciative of the businesses and individuals who sponsor our parish bulletin. This week we recognize:

"Joseph W. Nickels Funeral Home, Inc."

for its generous support to Seven Dolours Church.

Please remember in your prayers those men and women who serve in the Armed Forces, their families and their loved ones.

Prayer Chain
For special prayer intentions this week, please call:
Barbara King at (724) 722-3806.

STEWARDSHIP			
<u>10/28/2018</u>			
Adult	\$2388.00	Cemetery	10.00
Loose	107.00	Mission Sunday	105.00
All Saints' Day	10.00	BUDGET: To maintain the budget for Ordinary Assessable	
All Souls' Day	125.00	Income (OAI), the parish needs	
Total	\$2630.00	at least \$3,805.00 each week.	
Envelopes Used	64	After the 16th week, the parish	
Donuts	25.00	has a current budgetary <i>deficit</i>	
Votive Candles	23.25	in OAI of <i>\$14,188.35</i> .	

Remembering Those Who Serve Our Country

MSGT John Barker	Army - Newton Falls, OH
LCDR Ken Barnhart	Navy - NAS Norfolk, VA
LCDR Tim Barnhart	Navy - NAS San Diego, CA
CPT Jedd Ferris	Army - Ft. Hood, TX
SFC Lori Garrett	Army - Ft. Knox, KY
CPR2PO Joshua Harshman	Navy - Hawaii
MAJ Frank E. Kostik Jr.	Army - Arlington, VA
PVT Bailey Kulik	Army-Ft. Lee, VA
CPT Jason Levine	Army National Guard
BU1 Martin Riddle	Navy Seabees - Gulfport, MS
GYSGT Jeremy Ritz	Marines - Okinawa
SPEC Nicole Stricek	Army - Reserves

Please check the updated minister schedules.

<p style="text-align: center;">MINISTERS' SCHEDULE: Week of November 10-11, 2018</p>

LECTORS:

4:30 P.M. Linda Leghart
10:30 A.M. Amber Blanish

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:

4:30 P.M. Bob & Lori Urick / Cheryl McClain
10:30 A.M. Jodie Levine / Bill Knack & Rene Knack /
Cody Blanish / Dianna Blanish

USHERS:

4:30 P.M. Bob Yemc / Michele Margie
10:30 A.M. Frank Liptak / George Horvath

ALTAR SERVERS:

4:30 P.M. Tommy Smith
10:30 A.M. Ava Levine / Abigail Levine

COUNTERS:

10:30 A.M. Helen Shott / Coleen Bahr / Linda Leghart

Nominations for Distinguished
Centurion Awards

Nominations are being sought for the 2019 Greensburg Central Catholic Distinguished Centurion Awards. Awards are given in four categories: achievement, community, service and young alumnus. Awards will be presented at the annual Auction Gala February 22 at Stratigos Banquet Centre, North Huntingdon. Go to www.gcchs.org/alumni/Pages/award for more information and nomination materials. Send completed materials to Dennis Cremonese at dcremonese@gcchs.org by November 20.

Workshop About Youth and
Young People for Leaders in Ministry
The diocese's Office of Faith, Family and Discipleship and the Center for Ministry Development will present **a workshop with Tom East, "Accompanying Youth and Young People on their Journey of Faith and Discernment."** The workshop is for leaders in faith formation and youth ministry, including catechists, volunteers and Catholic school principals and teachers. It will be held November 16 from 8:30 AM-2:30 PM at the Christ Our Shepherd Center on Route 30 east of Greensburg. The workshop will be guided by the Synod on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment. The cost is \$10 and includes resources and lunch. Register at www.dioceseofgreensburg.org.

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, November 3-St. Martin de Porres

4:00 P.M. Confessions
4:30 P.M. Jay & Patsy Capretti
(Children)

Sunday, November 4-31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 A.M. For the Living & Deceased
Parishioners of Seven Dolors
Church
National Vocation Awareness Week

Monday, November 5

11:45 A.M. Novena to Our Lady of
Perpetual Help
12:00 P.M. Jack Christian Jessel
(Ron & Toni Cosalter)

Tuesday, November 6

9:00 A.M. John & Margaret Hegedus
(Valerie Good, Butch & Family)

Wednesday, November 7

9:00 A.M. Emma Urick
(Bob & Lori Urick)

Thursday, November 8

9:00 A.M. Tony "Chuppy" Krance
(Children & Grandchildren)

Friday, November 9-NO MASS

Saturday, November 10-St. Leo the Great

4:00 P.M. Confessions
4:30 P.M. For the Living & Deceased
Parishioners of Seven Dolors
Church

Sunday, November 11-32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 A.M. Deceased Members: Christian
Mothers & Ladies
(Christian Mothers & Ladies)

Retirement Fund for Religious
and Diocesan Priests

The second collection today is for the annual appeal for the Retirement Fund for Religious and Diocesan Priests. Your gift to the Retirement Fund for Religious supports necessities such as medications and nursing and more for thousands of senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests. Please be generous!

Disaster Relief Collection

Next weekend, November 10-11, the second collection is for Disaster Relief to aid those local areas recently hit by a storm on September 10, destroying over 100 homes and many others were significantly damaged. Please respond generously.