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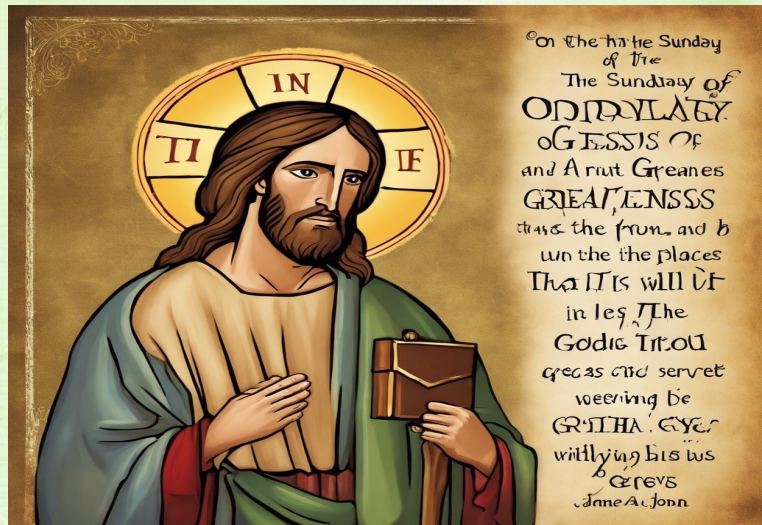
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**VOLUNTEER
NEEDED**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
MEETINGS 2nd Monday 7:00pm
EDWARD LUCAS
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29TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
OCT. 19 & 20, 2024
Year B



On the 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Jesus teaches us about true greatness. In the Gospel, James and John ask for places of honor beside Jesus in His glory. Jesus reminds them that greatness in God's eyes is not about power or status, but about serving others. He says, "Whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant." As we reflect on this message, let's strive to put others first in our daily lives, following Jesus' example of love and humility.

Let's serve humbly!

Fr. Rod

Stewardship Corner

October 12 & 13, 2024

Offertory:	\$3,222
Online:	\$1,491
Monthly Operating Expenses	\$175
Loose:	\$168
Children:	\$13
Candles	\$109
All Saints	\$30
Catholic Accent	\$7
All Souls	\$95

Diocesan Collections

Thank you all who made a gift last week to the:
World Missions \$40
 Those who have not done so can make a gift by returning the envelope in your packet.

**Best choice to Donate to Holy Cross
 Is Online go to
holycrossyoungwood.org
 Click on "Donate" and follow the prompts**

Or scan the QR code below to begin



Contributions by **Check** are preferred over **cash** when possible



Weekly Budget Need: \$7,700
Actual Weekly Offering: \$5,310
Difference This Week: (\$2,390)

Year To Date Budget Need: \$315,700
Year To Date Actual Offering: \$234,385
Year To Date Difference: (\$81,315)

This Week

Families Receiving Envelopes::	357
Families Using Envelopes:	85
Families Using Online Giving:	36

Mass Attendance Last Weekend

Sat 5PM	-	90
Sun 8AM	-	54
Sun 10AM	-	<u>122</u>
Total		266

MONEY COUNTERS FOR OCTOBER 26 & 27 **SHUGARTS, NEMEC, CARBISIERO**

IMPORTANT DATES

FINANCE COUNCIL— OCTOBER 28 @ 7PM
 ALL SAINTS—NOVEMBER 1
 ALL SOULS—NOVEMBER 2
 ALL SOULS CANDLELIGHT SVC—Nov 2 5PM
 PASTORAL COUNCIL—NOVEMBER 4 @ 7PM
 THANKSGIVING—NOVEMBER 28

ALTAR FLOWERS OR SANCTUARY CANDLE



If you would like to purchase altar flowers or a sanctuary candle in honor of or in memory of a loved one, please call the parish office. Please keep in mind that altar flowers and sanctuary candles may be purchased to honor the living as well as the deceased. They may also convey thanksgiving for prayers answered or to celebrate occasions such as anniversaries and birthdays. The suggested donation for flowers is \$75; candle is \$25.

Wednesday, October 23
 The parish office will be closed to attend an important meeting at the Diocese.

Parish Military Board

The Pastoral Council is asking if anyone has family members and/or loved ones that would like to be included on the Military Board in the rear of the Church. They would like to update the board with more people.

MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY	Vigil	5:00PM	SUNDAY	8:00AM & 10:00AM
HOLY DAY	Vigil	6:00PM eve. prior day		8:00AM on Holy Day
WEEKDAY		8:00AM Mon. thru Thurs.		No Mass on Friday
CONFESSIONS		Saturday 4:00PM		
WEDDINGS		Please call Father at least 6 Months Prior		
BAPTISMS		Please call Father to schedule.		
ANOINTING OF THE SICK		Please call parish office.		

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Mon., Wed, Thurs.: 8:00AM—4:00PM Tuesday 2:00—5:00PM
Friday: 8:00AM—Noon

MASS INTENTIONS



TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SAT	OCT 19	5:00PM	+CAROL KALICH (KIRSHNER FAMILY)
SUN	OCT 20	8:00AM	+GEORGE & ANNE RINIER (RINIER FAMILY)
		10:00AM	+ROBERT P HARTZELL (JO & GEORGE HARTZELL)
MON	OCT 21	8:00AM	LIVING & DECEASED PARISHIONERS
TUE	OCT 22	8:00AM	+BERTHA ALFERY (JOE & MARGIE ALTSCHAFFL)
WED	OCT 23	8:00AM	+BEN POLICASTRO, SR. (FAMILY)
THU	OCT 24	8:00AM	+DAVID PERRUQUET (FAMILY)
FRI	OCT 25		*****NO MASS*****

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SAT	OCT 26	5:00PM	+THOMAS FERREE (FAMILY)
SUN	OCT 27	8:00AM	IN HONOR OF JIM AUJAY'S BIRTHDAY (CHUCK GLORIOSO)
		10:00AM	+DONALD FLANDERS (FAMILY)

Greensburg Area Sunday Evening Regional Mass

**Our Lady of Grace Church,
1011 Mount Pleasant Road, Greensburg, PA
6:00 PM Sunday Evening**

Become a Member of Holy Cross Church

Welcome! It is a blessing to welcome new members to our parish.. Please register as soon as possible in order to participate in our various programs, ministries and activities. Drop this form in the collection basket and we will send you a detailed registration form or go to our website: www.holycrossyoungwood.org

If you are already a member and have changed any of your personal information please call the Parish Office or return the changes on the form below.



Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Register Moving Change Address/Email or Phone

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B—October 20, 2024
Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you. Psalm 33: 4-5, 18-19, 20, 22

THE WORD

FIRST READING: ISAIAH 53: 10-11

**...THE WILL OF THE LORD
SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED...**

SECOND READING: HEBREWS 4: 14-16

**...CONFIDENTLY APPROACH
THE THRONE OF GRACE.**

GOSPEL: MARK 9: 10: 35-45

CAN YOU DRINK THE CUP THAT I DRINK...



Daily Mass Readings: www.usccb.org
Daily Mass Schedules: www.dioceseofgreensburg.org

If a loved one has passed away and is a member of Holy Cross Church, please notify the parish office. We must update our records.

When you are admitted to a hospital or nursing home, please tell the admissions staff and nurses that you are Roman Catholic and would like a visit from the facility's Catholic Chaplain.

This is due to HIPAA privacy laws. The Chaplain is often able to see you and administer the sacraments during times when the pastor is not available.

If you experience any personal injury on church property, please call the office or speak to Fr. Rodriguez

IF YOU HAVE ANY SUSPICION about the sexual abuse (or any other type of abuse) of a minor child by anyone, please contact PA Childline immediately at 1-800-932-0313. If the alleged abuser is functioning in a parish, school or diocesan position as clergy, religious, paid staff or volunteer, you are also requested to contact the Bishop's Delegate for Matters of Sexual Misconduct after you have called the Childline number and made the report. The Bishop's Delegate may be reached at 724-837-0901, Ext. 1221.

Holy Cross Prayer Chain

We are currently seeking a volunteer to lead the prayer chain.

If you, a loved one or friend are in need of extra prayers, no matter what the need is, large or small, we are here to pray for that need.



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Knights of Columbus
Ft. Gilbert Straub Council No. 8452



Sept 28, 2024

Dear Business Proprietor:

The Knights of Columbus support many needy local families and organizations. We are seeking support for our Charities Fund by soliciting ads for our Nite at the Races Program Book. The Nite at the Races will be held on Saturday, November 16, 2024 at the Youngwood Fire Hall. The cost of an ad is \$50 for a half page and \$100 for a full page.

We average around 150 persons at our Races who will see your advertisement.

Listed here are just some of the Charities we supported this past year:

Life Choices, Make-A-Wish, Clelian Heights School, Christmas Angels, St Anne Home, Youngwood Food Bank, St. Vincent de Paul/St. Paul Foodbank and many others.

We are also soliciting gift cards, prizes and donations of food items or supplies to help defray the cost of putting on the Races.

Thank you for your kind consideration and for supporting our worthy causes. If you have questions, please call Charles Stack at 412-638-7500.

Fraternally yours,

Knights of Columbus
Youngwood, PA
Nite at the Races Committee

To buy a horse (\$25– includes admission for 2) or to buy admission tickets (\$20 per person in advance -\$25 at the door) call Ger Andrews 724-331-5416

*Please attach a copy of your ad or a business card along with your check payable to:
"Youngwood K of C"
Deadline for ads is October 30, 2024*



Youngwood Lions Semi-Annual



Pancake, Sausage

Eat-In
Or
Carry-Out

& Egg

Breakfast

Sat., Oct. 26th 8:00_{am} to 11:00_{am}

Christ Church of Youngwood
corner of Lincoln and Sherwood

Adults: \$8.00 Children (6-12): \$4.00

SPAGHETTI DINNER

October 20th

Sponsored By:

Altar Society of St. John's Byzantine Catholic Church

525 Porter Ave.

Scottsdale, PA

12 pm - 3 pm

Adults \$10

Children (12 and under) \$5

Dinner includes:

Spaghetti with meatballs, Salad, Roll, Dessert & Beverage



Take-Out Available!



Basket Raffle tickets available for purchase.



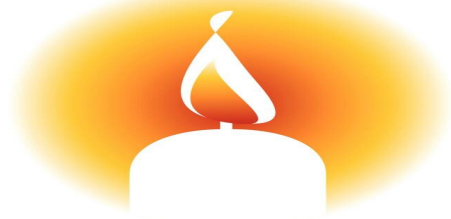
Knights of Columbus

The Youngwood Council of the Knights of Columbus will be selling the St. Anne Home Calendar Ticket after Masses next weekend, October 26 & 27 This benefits the Felician Sisters at St. Anne Home. The Calendars are \$30.00 each this year. If you would like to buy your Calendar Ticket ahead of time, call Ger Andrews at 724-331-5416.

MINISTRY OF CARE

CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

On Saturday, November 2, 2024, at 5:00 pm, we will remember those parishioners who have died and were buried from Holy Cross Church since Nov. 1, 2023 at the Ministry of Care Candlelight Memorial Service. The names of our beloved dead will be read, and a candle inscribed with their name will be placed near the altar. If you have a loved one who has died since Nov. 1, 2023, who was not buried from Holy Cross and you wish to attend and have them included in the service, please contact Joan Jones at 724-925-6064 or email at jones7942@comcast.net by Oct. 28, 2024.



THE SANCTUARY CANDLE

which acknowledges the Real Presence of Christ in the Tabernacle, is burning from

Oct 20th thru Oct 26th

IN REMEMBRANCE OF

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Magnificat Breakfast Oct. 26 at St. Bruno Parish, Greensburg

The Greensburg Chapter of Magnificat – A Ministry to Catholic Women will hold a breakfast Saturday, Oct. 26, from 9 a.m.-noon at St. Bruno Parish, Greensburg. Speaker will be Karen Jedrzejewski from Living Praise Worship Team, who will tell how God used horses and drumming to bring her to Him. To register, visit MagnificatGreensburg.com or call Brenda Concanon at 724-836-2094. Postmark deadline is Oct. 17 and online registration ends Oct. 19, but a waiting list is available.

Spaghetti dinner Nov. 3 at St. Edward Parish, Herminie

The Altar Rosary Society at St. Edward Parish, Herminie, will hold a spaghetti dinner Sunday, Nov. 3, from noon-5 p.m. in the church hall. Meals will include salad, bread, beverage and dessert, with wine available. Cost is \$13 for adults, \$5 for children 10 and under. A basket raffle will also be featured. For information, call 724-446-5197.

Christmas Shoppe planned at St. Emma Monastery, Greensburg

The Benedictine nuns at St. Emma Monastery, Greensburg, will host their Christmas Shoppe Thursday, Nov. 7, from 2-7 p.m. (early bird admission \$5), Friday, Nov. 8, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., and Saturday, Nov. 9, from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. (50% off most items after 1 p.m.). Food will be available. For information, visit www.stemma.org.

Craft show and soup sale Nov. 9 at St. James Parish, New Alexandria

St. James Parish, New Alexandria, will hold a craft show with a food and soup sale Saturday, Nov. 9, from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. For information, call 724-668-2829, option 3.

Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High School, Connellsville: Cafeteria worker

Part time (15-20 hours/week). Job description and responsibilities available upon request. For information or to submit a resume, email tzylka@geibelcatholic.org.

St. Rose Parish, Latrobe: Secretary

Part time (20 hours/week). Responsibilities: managing the office, providing customer service and clerical assistance, keeping sacramental records up to date, updating the parish website and compiling bulletins. Qualifications: strong computer (Word, Excel, Publisher), interpersonal and communication skills. Must have appropriate clearances. Send resume and cover letter to Father Ronald Maquignana, St. Rose Parish, 4969 PA-982, Latrobe, PA 15650.

Business Manager

Part time (5-10 hours per week). Responsibilities: bookkeeping, payroll, financial reporting, budgeting, compiling the annual report, ensuring compliance with civil and Diocesan laws, regulations and policies, serving as liaison for Diocesan financial matters, and participating in finance council meetings upon request. Qualifications: accounting background and/or experience, financial analysis skills, computer skills (including accounting software and Microsoft Office), and leadership and customer service skills.

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2nd Collection This Weekend Mission Sunday

Let us remember that we are participating in an effort of the entire Catholic Church to assist 1,150 mission territories that cannot sustain themselves because they are too young, poor, or actively persecuted. Let's reach out to every corner of the earth with His message of love and salvation. May the Holy Spirit invigorate our missionary zeal and deepen our commitment to sharing the joy of the Gospel with all. I thank you for your dedication to this cause and for your continued prayers and support for the Church's mission.

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

Bosnia and Herzegovina recently experienced some of the worst flooding in its history. USAID helped to build a local Red Cross operations center to support monitoring and coordination, and CRS has moved quickly to deliver vital relief supplies. Please visit www.crs.org for more information and to see how you can help! Thank you for your support!

"I express my solidarity to the people of Bosnia and Herzegovina affected by the floods. May the Lord receive the deceased into His embrace, comfort their families, and be support and assistance to those communities." ~ Pope Francis

"I would now like to say a special word to women who have had an abortion. The Church is aware of the many factors which may have influenced your decision, and she does not doubt that in many cases it was a painful and even shattering decision. The wound in your heart may not yet have healed. ...But do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope. ...The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and his peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation."

Pope Saint John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae*, no. 99. © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission. All rights reserved.

Kolache orders due Oct. 28 at St. Florian Parish, United

St. Florian Parish, United, is taking orders until Oct. 28 for nut, apricot, poppyseed and prune kolache. Cost is \$15 each. Pickup dates are Saturday, Nov. 9, from 4-6:30 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 10, from 10 a.m.-noon in the social hall. To place an order, call 724-423-5233, 401-257-9513 or 724-420-1648.

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HEMPFIELD GARDEN CLUB

Meets 1st Thursday monthly (except January)
Location: Christ Church of Youngwood, 100 Lincoln St, Youngwood @ 11:00 a.m.
Support community gardens at Youngwood Cemetery, Youngwood Post Office
& Youngwood Park & Pool Annual Dues: \$20
Participate in Youngwood Yard Sale, Light Up Night, parades
Learn about a variety of plants/gardening as well as sharing plants/tips
Local trips & bus trips
Interested? Contact Dorothy at 814-242-9591 or Susie at 724-925-9746.
Join us at our next meeting!

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By Julie Cape

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