

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES
AND SERVICES FOR THE WEEK**

MAY 23—SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

- 4:30 pm **Sat.** (Anniv) Victoria Barnot—Son, John
Sacrament of First Eucharist
- 9:00 am Deceased of Cupper, Matuga, Vicheck& Welshams
Families—M/M Robert Cupper
- 11:00 am For All the People of Saint Sebastian Parish
Sacrament of First Eucharist

MONDAY, MAY 24

- 8:00 am Michael Kobaly—Wife, Martha
After Mass: Miraculous Medal Novena & Rosary

TUESDAY, MAY 25—ST. BEDE THE VENERABLE

No Morning Mass Today

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26—ST. PHILIP NERI

- 8:00 am Catherine Marlatt—Nancy Gigliotti & James
Thompson

THURSDAY, MAY 27

- 8:00 am Ernest Ehlers—M/M Angelo Tollari

FRIDAY, MAY 28

- 10:00 am Intention of 8th Grade Graduates of Saint Sebastian
Regional School

SATURDAY, MAY 29

- 11:30 am Sacrament of Penance

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

- 4:30 pm (Anniv) Bill Moody—Jack & Jeannie Timlin

SUNDAY, MAY 30

- 9:00 am Baccalaureate Mass: Intention of High School/College
Graduates
For All the People of Saint Sebastian Parish
- 11:00 am (Anniv) Mary Ann Lenio—Don, Gina, Spencer & Parker
Lynn

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS—SERVERS &
MASTER OF CEREMONIES**

- Weekdays, May 24,26,27,28 8:00 am S. & J. Pokol
- Saturday, May 29 4:30 pm M. Lowe—J. Hartman
(MC) J. Hartman
- Sunday, May 30 9:00 am L. Galiszewski—J. Rabe
(MC) E. Russell
- 11:00 am J. & S. Pokol
(MC) K. Pokol

LECTORS

COORDINATOR

MINISTERS

Saturday, May 29

- 4:30 M. Patterson S. Rygiel M. Moody, C. Farrier, K. Rygiel
T. Rodriguez, S. Waldbaum, S. Wawro

Sunday, May 30

- 9:00 T. Verin D. Seman J. Krossoff, J. Russell, E. Niehaus
S. Battaglia, C. Peterson, D. Atkinson
- 11:00 C. Rhodes T. Betters J. Morris, L. Keene, D. Koury
J. Cannizzaro, J. Frederick, M. Strickland

Second Collection this Weekend is for the **CATHOLIC ACCENT**, our diocesan newspaper.

SUNDAY COUNTERS

- May 23—M. & K. Ramsier, T. Sebetich, B. & S. Monro
- May 30—B. & K. Bury, J. & R. Ciferno

SAINT SEBASTIAN WEB SITE

Don't forget to check our web site for the latest information, forms and pictures of parish events. The Web address is:
<http://www.saintsebastianchurch.org>

PASCHAL CANDLE FLOWERS this weekend are given to the glory of God and in memory of **CATHERINE & JOSEPH McGAUGHEY** by their daughter, Sandy Gaudio.

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS Please remember in your prayers those who died last week: **ALEX DANYI** and **HELEN KRIVDA**, our parishioners; **CLARA ROCCHINO**, former parishioner; and **LENA ROTOLO**, sister of Eleanor Davis, our parishioner.. We extend our sympathy to their families. May they rest in peace.

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

- Monday - Junque Sale collection, Parish Garage, 10:00 am—12 Noon and 6:00—8:00 pm
- Valley of Hope, Church/Hall, 7:30 pm
- Wednesday - Junque Sale collection, Parish Garage, 10:00 am—12 Noon and 6:00—8:00 pm
- Sunday - Reception for 2010 High School/College Graduates, Parish Hall, following 9:00 am Mass

Stewardship of Treasure

	Sunday Stewardship	Needed for Budget	Over/Under + / -
May 15/16	\$8,881.91	\$9,800.00	-\$915.09
Fiscal Year to Date	\$407,469.39	\$450,800.00	-\$43,303.61

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS—\$670.30

Today's Challenge, Tomorrow's Hope

Goal: \$720,000.00

	This Week	To Date
No. Families	0	366
Pledged	\$ 0	\$697,880.00
Paid	\$ 0	\$ 72,825.00

DIOCESAN LENTEN APPEAL

Goal: \$57,337.00

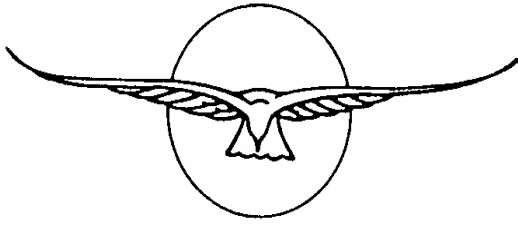
	This Week	To Date
No. Families	25	374
Pledged	\$ 3,030.00	\$ 49,035.00
Paid	\$ 3,030.00	\$ 44,560.00

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER THE SICK OF OUR PARISH especially

Leda Arrigoni, Paula Baker, Sister Mary Vera Bartley, Joseph Beresik, Donna Biagini, Muffy Blevins, Adam Canigiani, Jr., Peter Carrozza, James Coda, Jr., Jenna Christner, Irene Colborn, Ann Dorcan, Darlene Engle, Joan Eversburg, Thomas W. Galley, Jr., Madison Marie Gardner, Rudy Halgas, Betty Jean Henderson, Janice Hill, Ann Husovitz, Philomena Iacovangelo, Marie Kolisak, Ann Krossoff, Barbara Kubik, Debbie Kurtis, Stanley Lubinski, Kenneth Mathianas, Fr. Leonard McAlpin, Kathleen McCullough, Nicole Mendicino, William Molnar, Sr., Mary B. Nagy, Chris Naylor, Joseph Naylor, Karen O'Neil, Stella Povlish, Stanley Ravish, George Rue, Mary Ann Rocco, Mathew Russell, Barbara Sedlak, Steve Semancik, Guido Simboli, Joseph Smith, Darla Staff, Frank Stancato, Donna Sweitzer, Jim Webb. Lord, we ask that you bless your friends who are sick. Give them strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience in pain. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

**SAINT SEBASTIAN PARISH WILL HOLD A
COMTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN MUSIC MASS**

On Saturday, June 12, parishioner Greg Capozzi, along with Matt Kibe and Josh Gallo of Saint John the Baptist Parish, Perryopolis, will be providing contemporary Christian music for the 4:30 p.m. Mass (keyboard & guitars). The songs used for this Mass are a mix of cover songs and original written songs. Please join in the praise and worship of Mass with contemporary Christian music (CMM).



COME HOLY SPIRIT and fill the hearts of your faithful, we who are the parishioners of St. Sebastian. Move us to love our spouses, and children and parents, and brothers and sisters and move us to show that love. Enable us to see how useless it is to be cold and unforgiving to each other. Lead us through a world that has so many enticing gadgets to occupy first place in our lives; teach us that all these things are good when they become the instrument of peace in

our lives and for all the people of our Father's world. Move our teen-agers and young adults to see Jesus as their Brother and Savior, and His church as their family; move them to love life, their own and others. Give courage to those who are weighed down with guilt and depression, with addiction to chemicals, to really believe in themselves because Jesus Christ does. Open the eyes of those who participate so little, or not at all, in the Sacraments and life of our Catholic family. Help them to see the need for the direction and meaning that comes through contact with our Lord and His Church. Help mothers to be mothers and dads to be dads, priests to be priests, and teachers to be teachers. Help all members of our Parish to be disciples of Jesus Christ. Let us fully know and feel to the depths of our lives what we hear in your Word today: "The body is one and has many members, but all the members, many though they are, are one body; and so it is with Christ. It was in one Spirit that all of us, whether Jew or Greek, slave or free, were baptized into one body. All of us have been given to drink of one Spirit." (1Cor. 12:12-13).

THE GIFTS OF THE SPIRIT

WISDOM To see clearly the source and goal of all things

COURAGE To strengthen us and remove fear

UNDERSTANDING To know God and His people

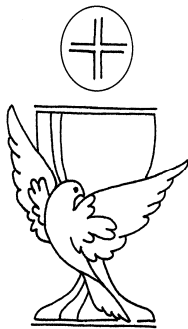
KNOWLEDGE To see our part in God's creation

RIGHT JUDGMENT To make morally right decisions

REVERENCE To build respect for God and His people

WONDER To be in awe at the marvels of God and the beauty of His world

SECOND GRADE PARISHIONERS RECEIVE FIRST EUCHARIST



This weekend is our final weekend for 2nd grade parishioners to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion during this Easter Season. This weekend, May 22 and May 23, the following students will receive Jesus in the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist for the first time. Please keep our young parishioners in your prayers as they prepare to receive this outward sign of God's gift of grace.

Saturday, May 22—4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, May 23—11:00 a.m. Mass

ELIZABETH BRECKENRIDGE

MIA DiCIANNA

LOGAN DIMPEL

IAN MALONEY

MIKAELA RYAN

HAYDEN BARON

PATRICK BREWER

JAIDEN DURANTI

JARED HARTMAN

EMMA-JEAN MOLESKY

ANTHONY SAURITCH

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2010

Supplies are Needed!



This year's theme is **WHAT HAPPENED IN EGYPT?**

This year VBS is centering on biblical events which took place in that land...Joseph in

and out of Egypt, Moses in and out of Egypt, the Holy Family in and out of Egypt, etc. *This year VBS will take place Tuesday, June 15 thru Saturday, June 19 at Epiphany of Our Lord Chapel Hall.* Registration forms can be found in the church pamphlet racks. Please fill out and return to the Faith Formation Office. We are most grateful to all who have donated to this years VBS. We are still collecting the following items if you wish to donate:

- poster board
- removable poster tape
- removable double-sided tape
- black, broad tipped markers
- color sharpies
- flat white cloth sheets
- paper plates
- cups
- napkins

and of course, monetary donations are always welcome. Items may be brought to the Parish Faith Formation Office in the Parish Center. Monetary donations can be placed in the Sunday collection marked "VBS."

ALTAR SERVERS—Our New and our Faithful Servers...this year in

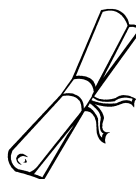


place of the Annual Altar Server Picnic...we are offering a free ticket to Kennywood for Belle Vernon Day, July 13. Any server who would like a ticket, please fill out the form below and return it to the Parish Office. A ticket will be purchased from the North Belle Vernon Fire Department and given to you. If you are not able to go to Kennywood on July 13, the ticket is good for the remainder of the Summer.

KENNYWOOD DAY—July 13, 2010

SERVER'S NAME _____

Phone _____



2010 GRADUATES

Next Sunday, May 30, 2010, all Seniors of the Class of 2010, who are members of Saint Sebastian Parish, are invited to participate at the 9:00 am. Mass. This will provide our Parish with the opportunity to pray with you and to ask God's blessing on you as you pursue your future endeavors.

This year we will continue to include in our celebration members of Saint Sebastian Parish who are graduating from College, along with Parishioners who are receiving Post-Graduate degrees.

A social for you and your family will follow in the Parish Hall. Graduates are asked to wear cap and gown (College Grads, too, if possible), and to meet in the Parish Hall at 8:30 am.

Please fill out the form below and return it to the Parish Office by Tuesday, May 25. May God continue to bless you.

HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE GRADUATION
MASS - MAY 30, 2010

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS:

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2010 PARISH FESTIVAL— SUNDAY, JUNE 27

We need your help. If you are able to help please fill out the form below and bring it to the Parish Office.

Please indicate the first name of family member volunteering for any of the following:

_____ Food preparation, Parish Hall, Saturday, June 26 at 9:30 a.m.

_____ Set up Booths/Tents on Saturday, June 26, 11:00 a.m.

_____ Set-up Games/Food in Booths, Sunday, June 27, 9:30 a.m.

_____ Cook/Serve of Indoor Food, Sunday, June 27, 12:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

Please specify time available _____

_____ Working Outdoor Food Booth, Sunday, June 27

Please specify time available _____

_____ Work Beer Cart, Sunday, June 27, 5:00-8:00 p.m.

Please specify time available _____

_____ Runner for Outdoor Food Booth (bring supplies from kitchen to outdoor booth)

_____ Cook BBQ Chicken on, Sunday, June 27, 3:00-8:00 p.m.

Please specify time available _____

_____ Working Game Booth on Sunday, June 27 (Circle Time Available)

11:30-2:30 pm 2:30-5:30 pm 5:30-8:00 pm

_____ Assist with Bake Sale, Sunday, June 27

Please specify time available _____

_____ Clean-up Sunday, June 27

_____ Inventory of Remaining Prizes on Monday, June 28 (Counting & Repackaging)

_____ Tear Down Booths/Tents on Monday, June 28, 7:00 a.m. (Removal of chairs/tables)

FAMILY NAME _____

PHONE _____



ANNUAL JUNQUE SALE UNIQUE, ANTIQUE, JUNQUE

will be featured **Friday & Saturday, July 30 & 31**
9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

Donations will be accepted Mondays and Wednesdays from 10:00 am until 12 Noon and 6:00 pm—8:00 pm in the church garage behind the Parish Center. We are always looking for volunteers, so please feel free to call Bonnie to sign up to help. For more information or to volunteer call 724-322-0355.

GREENSBURG DCCW “Honors Our Priests” @ St. Vincent Play Greensburg DCCW will be sponsoring their annual fundraising event at St. Vincent Summer Theatre on Thursday, June 10, 1020. “Forever Plaid” will begin at 8:10 p.m. Cost is \$15.00. The night includes: 50/50 & Basket Raffles; Cabaret with Hot Dogs, Popcorn, Beer & Lemonade. For tickets or information call 724-537-2064 or 724-668-7426.

Bishop Brandt for Catholic Youth Day at Idlewild Park & Soak Zone The Office for Evangelization and Faith Formation will be hosting Catholic Youth Day at Idlewild Park and Soak Zone in Ligonier, Pennsylvania on Friday, July 23, 2010. Youth in sixth through twelfth grades along with their family and friends are invited to join Bishop Brandt and youth from across the diocese for this day of fun. The cost of the event is \$30.00 and includes a Park FunDay Pass and Catered Picnic Dinner served in Pavilion D-2 from 5:00-7:00 PM. More information and the registration form is available at www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/youthministry or contact your parish faith formation office.

Monsignor Mondello to celebrate his Golden Jubilee

All are welcome to join Monsignor Donald J. Mondello on Friday, May 28 as he celebrates his 50th anniversary of ordination as a priest of the Diocese of Greensburg. Monsignor Mondello will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving at 6 p.m. in the St. Joseph Chapel, at the Bishop Connare Center, located off of Route 30 East of Greensburg. The Mass will be followed by a hors d'oeuvres reception. Congratulatory messages may also be sent in his name to his current residence: St. Anne Home, 685 Angela Dr., Greensburg PA 15601.

MISSION STATEMENT We the Parish Family of Saint Sebastian, Belle Vernon, serve people in Westmoreland and Fayette Counties. We are Roman Catholics of various ethnic backgrounds with strong family values demonstrating a variety of skills, trades and professions. The purpose of the parish is to glorify God by assisting the community on the “Journey of a Lifetime” through the Liturgy and Sacraments, teaching and preaching the Word of God, and witnessing to our faith. As a community of faith, we are committed to love of God and neighbor through worshiping together and serving others in caring for their spiritual, emotional and physical needs. Each of us is called to strengthen and reach beyond our parish through being responsible stewards of our time, talent and treasure in the spirit of our patron, Saint Sebastian.