

SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

JUNE 6—SOLEMNITY OF THE BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST
 4:30 pm **Sat.** (Anniv) John J. Barnot—Daughter, Jackie Koliscak
 9:00 am For All the People of Saint Sebastian Parish
 11:00 am (Anniv) Butch Forbeck—Bill Kubin
Sacrament of Baptism

MONDAY, JUNE 7
 8:00 am (Birth) Norman Foglia—Wife and Family
 After Mass: Miraculous Medal Novena & Rosary

TUESDAY, JUNE 8
No Morning Mass Today

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9—ST. EPHREM
 8:00 am Deceased of the Povrzanich Family—Peter
 6:30 pm *Evening Prayer and Benediction in Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus*

THURSDAY, JUNE 10
 8:00 am (Birth) Joseph Turcheck—Brother, Louis

FRIDAY, JUNE 11—THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS
 8:00 am (Anniv) Helen Sellaro—Son, Lou & Carol and Daughters

SATURDAY, JUNE 12—IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
 11:30 am Sacrament of Penance

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:30 pm Deceased of the Metrosky Family—Patricia Morris

SUNDAY, JUNE 13
 9:00 am For All the People of Saint Sebastian Parish
 11:00 am (Anniv) Elva Kraft—Son, Dan & Family
 Liturgy of the Word for Children

LITURGICAL MINISTERS—SERVERS & MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Weekdays, June 7,9,10,11 8:00 am J. & D. Columbus
 Saturday, June 12 4:30 pm C. Sabolek—S. Buza
 (MC) T. McCullough
 Sunday, June 13 9:00 am N. Ryckman—D. Columbus
 (MC) J. Columbus
 11:00 am J. & J. Hartman
 (MC) J. Hartman

LECTORS COORDINATOR MINISTERS

Saturday, June 12
 4:30 C. Gorski S. Wawro C. Farrier, S.& K. Rygiel
 M. Moody, M. Grados, T. Rodriguez

Sunday, June 13
 9:00 C. Terravecchia M. Nogy D. Koury, D. Seman, K. Keene
 D. Atkinson, E. Niehaus, S. Battaglia
 11:00 M. Patterson M. Druciak D. Cooper, C. Simboli, J. Morris
 J. Frederick, J. Cannizzaro, S. Waldbaum

Second Collection next Weekend is the monthly UTILITIES & MAINTENANCE collection.

SUNDAY COUNTERS

June 6—D. Lisovich, R. Nandor, M.A. & A. Cialone
 June 13—C. Shernisky, F. Fundy, S. Schussler, M. & D. Free

ALTAR FLOWERS this weekend are given to the glory of God and in memory of DECEASED OF THE TOTEDA FAMILY by Joseph Toteda.

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS Please remember in your prayers those who died last week: BETTY MISENKO, our parishioner. We extend our sympathy to her family. May she 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, Parish Hall, 7:30 pm
 Wednesday - Junque Sale collection, Parish Garage, 10:00 am—12 Noon and 6:00—8:00 pm
 Thursday - Y.E.S. trip to Cedar Point
 Friday - Lifeline Screening, Parish Hall, 9:00 am

Stewardship of Treasure

	Sunday Stewardship	Needed for Budget	Over/Under + / -
May 29/30	\$8,003.26	\$9,800.00	-\$1,796.74
Fiscal Year to Date	\$424,420.96	\$470,400.00	-\$45,979.04

Today's Challenge, Tomorrow's Hope

Goal: \$720,000.00

	This Week	To Date
No. Families	0	370
Pledged	\$ 0	\$698,605.00
Paid	\$ 0	\$ 73,550.00

DIOCESAN LENTEN APPEAL

Goal: \$57,337.00

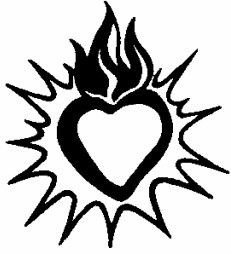
	This Week	To Date
No. Families	0	380
Pledged	\$ 0	\$ 50,160.00
Paid	\$ 0	\$ 45,635.00

BAKE SALE TODAY so stop in the Parish Hall following the 9:00 am Mass and continuing until before the 11:00 am Mass. Have cup of coffee and/or a glass of juice, enjoy fellowship with other parishioners, and help our 2 young parishioners, Erin & Kate Pokol, go to MADRID, SPAIN in August 2011 for World Youth Day.



ST. 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 pm 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).

SOLEMNITY OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS



Join us for Evening Prayer and
Benediction
this Wednesday, June 9, 6:30
p.m.

The Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is this Friday, June 11. We are commemorating Jesus' Sacred Heart with Evening Prayer and Benediction on Wednesday, June 9 at 6:30 pm. The Sacred Heart of Jesus is a symbol of God's love for us revealed in His Son. A lector and altar server are needed for this evening. Please call the parish office to volunteer.

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. From 9:00 am until 12-Noon.* 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 year's 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."

THE 7TH ANNUAL CHRIS WILLIAMS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP GOLF SCRAMBLE will take place on Monday, June 14, at Cedarbrook Golf Course. The cost is \$85 and includes Dinner, Prizes, Awards, Chinese Auction, Raffles and 18 holes of golf w/cart, sandwich and drinks during play. Become a Tee Sign sponsor or donate an item for the Chinese Auction/Raffle; for more information call 724-930-9626.

The Body of Christ by Paul Turner

The distribution of communion has seldom changed. In the earliest Christian centuries, the faithful simply took the bread and cup in hand as at any meal. The Church in the middle ages reserved the communion cup for the clergy. The laity, if they received communion at all, were limited to the reception of the host on the tongue. Now, for the first time in history, the church formally offers the option of taking communion on the tongue or in the hand.



No matter which method we choose, reverence for the Eucharist should guide us. Those who choose communion in the mouth experience the gift of God unmediated by the touch of their own hand. Those who choose communion in the hand see God's gift in hands which serve others. Either way, we come to the table like beggars with open mouths and open hands, not taking the food ourselves but begging it from another human being.

Too often we rush this intimate moment. Sometimes we resemble fast food more than banquet.

Think of taking communion in five distinct parts: positioning, looking, proclaiming, responding and taking.

First the worshiper gets into position. If you're distributing communion, wait for the next person to stop walking. If you're receiving, take a moment to prepare.

Next, look at the bread or the cup. And look at each other. The two of you are the mystery you are about to proclaim.

Then the minister proclaims the mystery: The Body of Christ! The Blood of Christ! (Say it with an explanation point!) Christ who existed before existence, Christ the eternal Word who became flesh in Bethlehem, Christ whose flesh and blood were nailed to a cross, Christ whose body rose from the dead in a new form, Christ who left his body and blood in the Eucharist, Christ whose body we are—this is the Christ we proclaim.

Amen! Respond with faith, joy and hope. Imagine you're saying "Thank you" ("Eucharist") for the gift you've always wanted, saying "I love you" to the one you love the most, saying "I believe" to a world confused by sin.

Then, only then, take communion. Join in communion with the body of Christ, risen and present all around you.

The Body of Christ. Amen.

SAINT SEBASTIAN CHURCH

GIANT INDOOR FLEA MARKET The Benedictine Nuns of St. Emma Monastery, Greensburg announce their Giant Indoor Flea Market on Friday, June 18 (9:30 am—6:30 pm with Fish Dinner 3:30—6:30 pm) and Saturday, June 19 (10:00 am—3:00 pm). Air-conditioned and handicapped accessible. Items include quality china sets, collectors' items, house wares, crafts and much more. Also enjoy halupki, haluski, pierogies, egg drop soup, pizza and homemade cookies. Located on Rout 819 N, 2 miles from Sheetz.

For additional information visit www.stemma.org.

SAINT SEBASTIAN 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—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.

LIFE LINE SCREENING Our Parish is sponsoring a Life Line Screening on Friday, June 11 from 9:00 am until 5:00 pm. Life Line Screening's mission is to make people aware of an undetected health problem and encourage them to seek follow-up care with their physician. They are dedicated to providing the highest quality preventive screenings at an affordable rate. If you would like additional information about their services, please call 800-897-9177 or visit their website at www.lifelinescreening.com.

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 Carozza, James Coda, Jr., Jenna Christner, Irene Colborn, Mary Daugherty, 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 Koliscak, Ann Krosoff, 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, Natalie Pedder, 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 our friends who are sick. Give them strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience in pain. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

2010 PARISH FESTIVAL—JUNE 27

We need your 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 _____


PARISH FESTIVAL is still in need of volunteers for entertainment. Please call the Parish Office; your time and talent is needed. **Also** Baskets are needed to use to prepare prizes for the Gift Basket Booth.

ATTENTION CONTRACTORS The parish will be accepting bids for the following project:

- Replace roofing on the parish four-car garage.
- Install soffit and fascia, gutters and downspouts.
- Install four new garage doors with openers
- Repair damage to right side of garage (cracks between bricks).

Please contact the business manager, Tom Rodriguez, for further information by calling 724-929-9300.

WORLD YOUTH DAY IN MADRID In August of 2011, two of our young parishioners, ERIN & KATE POKOL will be traveling to Madrid Spain with a group of about 15 other young people from the Diocese of Greensburg. They will join Pope Benedict XVI and millions of Catholics from around the world for this life changing event.



Parishioners, we are asking your help to raise funds for ERIN & KATE to attend this event. The girls will be holding a BAKE SALE following the 9:00 am and continuing until before the 11:00 am. Masses on the **FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH**. Any parishioner who would like to donate a homemade baked “goodie” may bring it to the Parish Hall that morning or call the Parish Office for delivery instructions.

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 _____

SAINT SEBASTIAN REGIONAL SCHOOL



We have a very fine Catholic School. Much thanks and appreciation are extended to the school faculty and staff:

Mr. Steven Dorko, our Principal
Ms. Connie Simboli, our Administrative Assistant

and our teachers and aides:

- Mrs. Jamie Coyne
- Mrs. Judith Moody
- Mrs. Michele Erdely
- Mrs. Tammy Erdely
- Ms. Lisa Lucas
- Mrs. Carol Barrass
- Mrs. Maureen Bush
- Miss Tracy Plevel
- Mrs. Pam Allen
- Mrs. Amanda Wilt
- Mrs. Kathy Warfield
- Mrs. Deborah Antal
- Mrs. Michelle Stockey
- Mrs. Linda Antal
- Mr. Thomas Brose
- Mr. William Domiano
- Mrs. Michelene Kossol
- Mrs. Laure Kulik
- Mrs. Kristy Ochs
- Mrs. Amy Zakrzwski
- Mrs. Gina Stark
- Mrs. Roberta Vitale

and to our cafeteria staff,
Mrs. Bobbie Jo Fordanich, Mrs. Jill Gluscic and
Mrs. Jami Chywski

and to the PTG for all their fundraising efforts.
THANK YOU for another fine year of quality
Catholic Education.

END OF SCHOOL

Now that the school year has ended, we wish all students of the parish, along with teachers, administrators and parents, a safe, relaxing and enjoyable summer vacation.

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.