

October 14, 2018



THE DIOCESE OF SCRANTON PENNSYLVANIA

Parish of St. Barbara

Our Worship Sites Saint Anthony of Padua Saint Cecilia

Parish Information

Weekend Mass

Saturday
4:00 p.m. St. Anthony

Sunday
8:00 a.m. St. Cecilia
10:30 a.m. St. Anthony

Weekdays
Monday 12:10 p.m.
Tuesday 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday 7:00 a.m.
Thursday 8:00 a.m.
Friday 7:00 a.m.

Confessions
Confessions are heard each Saturday from 3:00 - 3:40 pm in the Church. Father is also available for the sacrament by appointment.

Parish Staff

Fr. Michael E. Finn	Pastor
Rev. Mr. Walter Janoski	Deacon
Rev. Mr. William Dervinis	Deacon Emeritus
Maureen Capitano	Secretary
Sylvia Appel	Secretary/Webmaster
Loretta Semenza	Director of Rel. Ed.
Ann Manganiello	Director of Music/Choir
Robert Borzell	Property Manager

Contact Information

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Parish Website:	www.stbarbaraexeter.com

Office Hours

(Week of October 15 - October 19)

Monday: 8am - 2pm	Tuesday: 8am - 2pm
Wednesday: 8am - 2pm	Thursday: 8am - 2pm
Friday: 8am - 2pm	

Sacramental Information

Baptism: is celebrated after the 10:30 Mass on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Arrangements must be made with the office.

Weddings: must be booked six months in advance so that we can take care of the paperwork and pre-Cana.

Anointing of the Sick: is celebrated at any time it is needed. If you are having surgery or going into the hospital just stop and see Father after Sunday Mass or call the Parish Office to let him know.

Sponsor Card: will be provided for registered parishioners who attend Mass on a regular basis - ONLY.

Pastoral Appointments:

Father Finn books his own appointments so call the office to connect with him. Sometimes it may take a couple of calls.

Weekend Music

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Entrance Hymn

#34 (pg. 40) W&S "This Day God Gives Me"

Preparation Hymn

#646 W&S "Blest Are We"

Mass Setting: #248 People's Mass

Communion Hymn

#533 W&S "Wisdom's Feast"

Recessional Hymn

#789 W&S "For the Beauty of the Earth"

Social Concerns & Outreach

Contact Josephine Hatrak at 570-693-0826 or the Parish Office at 570-654-2103.



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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Lord, send out Your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.”



MASS INTENTIONS
October 13, 2018 to October 21, 2018



~ **Saturday, October 13** ~

4:00PM - (St. Anthony) William Paoloni by Wife & Children

~ **Sunday, October 14** ~

8:00AM - (St. Cecilia) All Parishioners

10:30AM - (St. Anthony) Sandy (Farrell) Waskiewicz by
Joan Ascani

~ **Monday, October 15** ~

12:10PM - Sally Finn by Family

~ **Tuesday, October 16** ~

8:00AM - Daniel J. Pace by Fed & Anita Mecadon

~ **Wednesday, October 17** ~

7:00AM - Al Semenza by Mary & Loretta

~ **Thursday, October 18** ~

8:00AM - Robert Santarelli by Michelle Orlando

~ **Friday, October 19** ~

7:00AM - Robert Kepich & Merle Pace by Mary

~ **Saturday, October 20** ~

4:00PM - (St. Anthony) Brian Powers by Family

~ **Sunday, October 21** ~

8:00AM - (St. Cecilia) Mr. & Mrs. George J. Maffei & Elaine
Gager by Mr. & Mrs. Dave Nygren & Mr. George T. Maffei

10:30AM - (St. Anthony) All Parishioners



FORMED

FORMED is an online communication portal for evangelization. In this site, which is FREE to all St. Barbara's parishioners, you will have access to and unlimited use of; feature films, videos, books and small articles for understanding our faith. To log into FORMED first go to the St. Barbara Parish website at: www.stbarbaraexeter.com. Next click on Faith Formation then click Evangelization Communication Portal. Once there, select REGISTER NOW you will then have to enter your first & last name, zip code, your email address, and then create your own password. (These will be used when you log into Formed on any internet capable device so write them down.) Then select "I Agree and Understand the Terms of Service." After that select create an account and you should be into the Formed website. Please call the office at(570)654-2103 if you have any questions.

Altar Servers

October 20 4:00 P.M. - A. Kolessar

October 21 8:00 A.M. - L. Skronski
10:30 A.M. - A. Wisniewski

Lectors

October 20 4:00 P.M. - T. Sabatini & T. Kuzma

October 21 8:00 A.M. - R. Yanora
10:30 A.M. - J. Wisniewski & D. Bruno

Eucharistic Ministers

October 20 4:00 P.M. - MJ. Anzalone, M. Smith &
M. & B. Walter

October 21 8:00 A.M. - D. Keeler & G. VanScoy
10:30 A.M. - MB. & C. Bolin, J. DeAngelo
& B. Pazdziorko



Sanctuary Light - October 14 - October 20

In Memory of: **Charles Cheskiewicz**

By: Cheskiewicz Family

Second Collection Next Weekend

Sunday, October 21st is World Mission Sunday. There will be a second collection the weekend of October 20 & 21.

Automated External Defibrillator (AED)

Thanks to a very thoughtful and generous parishioner; the AED has been paid for!

WEEKLY OFFERING:

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2018: \$5,120.99
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2017: \$4,451.13

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2018: \$5,934.64
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2017: \$4,431.50

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 2018: \$4,447.00
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 2017: \$4,467.29

Stories for All Seasons

Twenty-Eighth Sunday: Rich Young Man

Theme: Jesus asks for total commitment.

Robert Schuller once asked Coretta Scott King where she got the dream that kept her going. Mrs. King responded, "It was while I was attending Antioch College . . . I heard a quotation that deeply motivated me. Horace Mann said to his first graduation class at Antioch in the late 1850's, 'Be ashamed to die until you've won some victory for humanity.'"

Application: What is the central motivating factor in our life?

October 2018 Calendar

Social Concerns	10/16	7:00PM	Parish Center
Holy Name	10/18	7:00PM	Parish Center
Finance Council	10/23	7:00PM	Rectory

There will be **Choir practice** next Wednesday, October 17th at 6:30pm.

GRIEF SUPPORT: The Parish will sponsor a five week support program on "Grief." Deacon Walter & Norma Janoski will host the program each Wednesday at 6:00PM in the Parish Center. The group will meet on Wednesday, October 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st & November 7th. The sessions should run less than 90 minutes. If you would like to join them, please call the office (570-654-2103) to register. Space is limited to 12.

The next VIRTUS: Protecting God's Children for Adults Program. Will be held on **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2018, 6 PM** at **Holy Rosary School, 125 Stephenson Street, Duryea.**

Session is being held in Nativity of Our Lord Parish-Holy Rosary Church Hall To register, please contact the school office at **570.457.2553**. This training session is required for all adult employees and volunteers who have direct contact or routine interaction with children.

Faithful Citizenship

As Catholics, we are called to be active participants in public life. However, we also face a serious challenge when it comes to voting our conscience. Our Catholic Social Teachings challenge us to promote a consistent ethic of life that is not always supported by the culture of our nation. How do we discern our own role in protecting the sanctity of human life, from conception until natural death? How can we fight to defend the dignity of the unborn, the struggling family, the immigrant, and the elderly? How can we speak about our moral values in an increasingly secular world? The Office for Parish Life will be hosting information sessions and discussions on Voting with a Catholic Conscience, using the USCCB's 2018 "Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship." Dates for upcoming events are as listed:

October 23, 6:30-8 PM
Mary Mother of God Parish, Scranton

October 25, 6:30-8 PM
St. John Neumann Parish, Lords Valley

October 30, 6:30-8 PM
St. Joseph the Worker Parish, Williamsport

The **Cosmopolitan Senior Citizens** will hold their next meeting on Tuesday, October 16th at 1:00pm in the Parish Center.

Exeter Lions White Cane Day Project: The Exeter Lions Club will be collection donations for their White Cane Day Project, after every Mass the weekend of October 27th & 28th, held at St. Anthony's Church and St. Cecilia's Church. All donations will be used to assist the blind.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious education for Elementary grades (1st through 6th) will continue this Sunday, October 14th from 9:00AM until 10:15AM. Classes are held in the classrooms of our Parish Center.

Current 7th & 8th grade (Confirmation candidates) will meet again today, Sunday, October 14th from 6:00PM to 7:30PM. The Confirmation classes are held in the library in our Parish Center.

For your convenience, the class schedule is on the Parish website, www.stbarbaraexeter.com, under Faith Formation.

Teachers, aides and substitutes are needed for the 2018-2019 school year. High School students are welcome to volunteer to help as a teacher's aide. For more information please call Loretta at (570) 654-0936. Even if you are not able to help every week, please consider contacting us.

The **61st Annual St. Jude Novena** will be held at Our Lady of the Eucharist Parish, Pittston. The Novena will be celebrated from Friday, October 19 through Sunday, October 28. Services will be held at Noon and 7PM on Mondays through Fridays, Noon and 4PM on Saturdays and 11AM and 5PM on Sundays. The following clergy have committed to be with us for the Novena: Msgr. John Bendik, Father Joseph Verespy, Father James Alco, Father Michael Drevitch, Father Ryan Glenn, Father Seth Wasnock, Father Thomas Maloney, Father Louis Grippe, and Father Jeffrey Walsh. For additional Information, call the parish office at 570-654-0263.

OPEN HOUSES:

Holy Redeemer High School, 159 S. Pennsylvania Blvd. Wilkes-Barre will hold an open house on Sunday, October 21 from 1:00 to 3:00 PM. For more information call 570-829-2424 or visit www.holyredeemerhs.org. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Scranton Prep, 1000 Wyoming Ave. Scranton will have an open house today, October 14th from 1:00 to 4:00 PM. For more information call 570-941-7737 or visit www.scrantonprep.com.

Job Opening: Mount Olivet Cemetery

Due to career advancement, we are looking to fill immediately an additional full time laborer position at Mount Olivet Cemetery in Carverton. Job duties include handling of funerals, grass cutting, installing markers and foundations, snow removal, and general maintenance. Hours are Monday thru Friday 7:30 am to 4:00 pm, and Saturdays 8:00 am to 12:00 pm. Benefits include medical insurance, paid vacation, sick time, personal time and 15+ holidays. Please contact Mount Olivet at (570) 696-3636 or email us at mtolivet-cem@dioceseofscranton.org.