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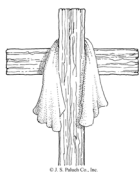
parish maintenance man, Bob Shelek, for arranging plumbers, electricians and painters to do work on the bathrooms in the church vestibule. We now have hot water in both restrooms.

Yahn Electric recently put in new dusk to dawn lights at Our Lady of Seven Dolors Church. They were kind enough to give us a discount on labor. Thank You to Gary Yahn and Yahn Electric.

I appreciate the positive feedback that I received after my homily last week on parish finances and the parish debt. Many people said they appreciated the disclosure of the information. Many parishes in West Virginia face similar debts. Talking about these debts will bring up many important issues: How do we relate to the leadership of the diocese? How are we called to be a vibrant, active community? What type of Christians is the Lord calling us to be at this moment? What level of commitment are we called to in our membership to St. Vincent Parish? How do we share our faith with our family, friends and neighbors? Discussing these questions will not always be easy, but this is chance for us to learn from each other. My hope is that the Holy Spirit will guide us. — Msgr. Paul Hudock

**BEST LENT EVER** **DON'T GIVE UP CHOCOLATE FOR LENT!** Are you searching for a deeper sense of purpose? A clearer understanding of God's plan for your life? What matters most and what matters least? Then it's time to rediscover Jesus. Based on Matthew Kelly's new bestseller *Rediscover Jesus*, Dynamic Catholic's free Best Lent Ever email program will take you on a 40-day spiritual journey to encounter Jesus—and yourself—in a deeply personal way, and begin (or nourish) a habit of daily prayer. The program is free!

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**PARISH LENTEN MISSION**  
**“On the Way to Jesus Christ”**

Our Parish Mission will be held on February 23, 24, and 25. Schedule is as follows:

**Tuesday, February 23**

- 8:00 am Mass** (Fr. Czaja, homilist)
- 5:00—6:00 pm** Holy Hour in the Church
- 6:00 pm Mass** (Msgr. Hudock, homilist)
- 6:30 pm** Presentation—Fr. Czaja
- 7:30 pm** Light Refreshments—Vestibule

**Wednesday, February 24**

- 12:00 pm Mass** with Anointing of the Sick—Fr. Czaja
- 5:00—6:00 pm** Holy Hour in the Church
- 6:00 pm Mass** (Msgr. Hudock homilist)
- 6:30 pm** Presentation - Fr. Czaja
- 7:30 pm** Light Refreshments—Vestibule

**Thursday, February 25**

- 8:00 am Mass** (Fr. Czaja, homilist)
- 5:00—6:00 pm** Holy Hour in the Church
- 6:00 pm** Mass (Msgr. Hudock homilist)
- 6:30 pm** Communal Reconciliation Service—led by Fr. Czaja

**PURSUIT FAMILY NIGHT!**

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2016,**

**in Marist Centre, St. Vincent de Paul**



Parish will host a special Family Night—which is specifically

designed for families with middle school and high school aged students. This Family Night is an opportunity for teenagers and their parents to experience a fun and faith-filled evening. The theme for this evening is **“How does your family pursue Christ and His Mercy?”** This special family night is presented by the young adult missionaries who are based at the Bishop Hodges Pastoral Center in Huttonsville, WV. Family Night will be held in the Marist Hall beginning at 7:00 p.m. There is no cost for this evening. Please contact the parish office and let us know you plan to attend.

**Parish Sacrificial Giving**

**February 7, 2016**

<b>Regular Collection:</b>	\$10,792.00
<b>Second Collection:</b> (School Support):	\$2,061.00
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<b>Estimated Weekly Expenses for February:</b>	\$15,000
<b>Weekly school subsidy:</b>	\$2,500.

Thank you!

**ST. VINCENT'S TOWN HALL MEETING:** Don't forget our parish Town Hall Meeting on Sunday, February 14, at 1:00 pm in the Main Hall of the Parish Center.

***Please Pray For...*** Abby McGowan, Cindy

Botizan, Juliana Hatgy, Betty Petri, David Hamm, Carol Orlofsky, Nick Stephan, Kay and Mark McGee, Patty Johnston, Mary Ann Fowler, Barbara Kubiszak, Mary Fisher, Brian Cox, Kathleen Benedetto, Joan Bliss, Jean Lauffer, Stryker Jaquay, Susie Beazel, Maddox Marti, Patricia Millward, Russell Knight, Mark Slater, Grace Neidert, Christine Edge, Betty Zinn, Linda Galloway, Fr. Joe Wilhelm, Ruth Yuhase, Will Nickerson, Patricia Bock, Blanche Naegele, Lynn McCloskey, Agnes DiChiazza, Sylvia Trenton, Tom Weishar, Caleb Hlebiczi, John Voscautch, Charles Vanyo, Jayne Benson, Julianne Stewart, Bernadine Elias, Patty Glanding, George Bridges, Bonnie Starkey, Louis Havel, Daniel Bauer, Patricia Boyd, Vincent Parisi, Shirley Seamon, Josephine Wilson, Shawna Warner, John Ullom, Michael Frank, Kevin Gallaway, Matt Koval, Megan Herschell, Jack Savage, Joyce Peluchette Donnellan, Fred Chipkar, Lori Plants, Laura Ryan, Benjamin Elswick, Kathy Wagner, Mark Bungard, Betty Allen, Martha Hohman Carpenter, Thomas Ricker, Phyllis Allen, Rick Terry, Mary Plants, Chuck Delbrugge, Judy Glatz, Michalene Munas, Lou Frasnelli, Jamie Orth, Tamara Luff, John Prascik, Mary Ciripompa



**WOMEN'S FAITH SHARING GROUP:**

Due to the Parish Retreat and Holy Week, the Women's Faith Sharing group will next meet on Tuesday, March 29 at 7:00 in the Caveney Room. We will begin the book *Twelve Extraordinary Women*, discussing Chapter I, Eve. For more information or to order a book, call Barb Napple at 304-242-8628.

**SAVE THE DATE:** The 6th Annual Gala "Impressions of Hope" will be held Saturday, February 27, 2016. For more information, check out CatholicCharitiesWV.org

**Please Call the Church Office When...**

- A family member is in the hospital so visits can be made and the name added to the prayer list.
- You learn of a death in the church family.
- Your phone number or address has changed so that the church records can be updated.
- You learn of someone who may be interested in learning more about our church/religion.
- You feel the church can assist you in any way.

**Events this Week**

**Tuesday—February 16**

Eucharistic Adoration	8:30 am—2 pm	Daily Chapel
RCIA	6:00 pm	Caveney Rm A
Society of St. Vincent de Paul	6:30 pm	Caveney Rm B

**Thursday—February 18**

SVS School Board	6:30 pm	Caveney Rm
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**Friday—February 19**

OLSD Fish Fry	11 am	OLSD
Stations of the Cross	7:00 pm	Church

**Events Next Week**

**Monday—February 22**

Pursuit Family Night	7:00 pm	Main Hall
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**Tuesday—February 23**

Eucharistic Adoration	8:30 am—2 pm	Daily Chapel
Parish Mission Begins:		
Mass at 8:00 am and 6:00 pm		Church

**Wednesday—February 24**

Mass at 8:00 am and 6:00 pm		
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**Thursday—February 25**

Mass at 8:00 am and 6:00 pm		
Communal Penance Service	6:30 pm	Church

**Friday—February 26**

OLSD Fish Fry	11 am	OLSD
Stations of the Cross	7:00 pm	Church

**UPCOMING LENTEN EVENTS**

- **March 3 (Thursday): Soup Supper**— sponsored by the Confirmation students — in the Marist Hall from 5:30—7:00 pm
- **March 9 (Wednesday), Diocesan Pilgrimage** at St. Joseph Cathedral starting at 6:00 pm. Fr. Jim Flemming, President of Wheeling Jesuit University will be the homilist



**CANONIZATION OF MOTHER TERESA:**

Fr. Chuck McGinnis, Pastor of St. Peter Claver in Huntington, WV, will be the Spiritual Director for a 9 day pilgrimage to Italy from August 31—Sept. 7, for the Canonization of Mother Teresa of Calcutta. Includes 2 nights in Padua, 1 night in Siena, and 4 nights in Rome. Cost is \$3500 per person. Deposit of \$450 each. Final payment is due by June 1. For more information, contact John Tagnesi at 1-888-544-4461, or email: jtag1964@verizon.net



**ST. VINCENT'S PSR SCHEDULE**

<b>February</b>	<b>14</b>	Class
	<b>21</b>	Class
	<b>28</b>	Class

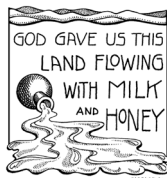
## School News



### 2016 AQUINAS MEDAL

**WINNER:** We are happy to announce that Daisy is our Aquinas Medal recipient. The Aquinas Medal was named for St. Thomas Aquinas, the patron saint of Catholic Schools and Students. St. Thomas combined his powerful

intellect with an all-embracing love of God, dedicating himself to sharing an awareness of God with all his students. The Aquinas Medal commemorates St. Thomas' dedication to learning and his love of God. It is presented each year to the one student from each school who best embodies the qualities of Catholic school education : excellence in learning, faithful discipleship, leadership, and service to school, parish and community. **Congratulations, Daisy!!**



**Follow us!** To stay apprised of happenings at CCHS, we invite you to follow us on social media. You can find us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/CCHSMaroonKnights](http://www.facebook.com/CCHSMaroonKnights) and on Twitter at [@CCHS\\_Knights](https://twitter.com/CCHS_Knights)

### **NEEDED: Director of Music and Organist: St.**

Vincent de Paul Parish is in need of a full-time organist and choir director. Duties include 4 Masses a weekend and weekday evening adult choir rehearsal, Holy Days, special liturgical parish celebrations (i.e. first communion, confirmation). Music Director will also teach weekday music classes with the students of parish grade school. Presumed familiarity with traditional and contemporary sacred music and an understanding of GIRM with good interpersonal skills for directing cantors and leading choirs. Salary will be dependent upon education and experience. Funerals and weddings are extra stipends. You may email Msgr. Paul Hudock at [phudock@dwc.org](mailto:phudock@dwc.org) — (submit cover letter and resume). Or mail information to: Rev. Msgr. Paul Hudock, St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church 2244 Marshall. Ave. Wheeling, WV 26003.

**GREENBACK SWEEPSTAKES:** Greenback raffle tickets are available by contacting the school or parish office. Our Greenback Sweepstakes and dinner will be held Saturday, March 12, 2016. Tickets for the dinner are also \$20. For tickets—either for the sweepstakes or the dinner, contact the School at 304-242-5844.

### **St. Vincent's Adopt A Student Program:**

For those of you who have so generously donated, we thank you for the gift of Catholic Education you are helping provide.

To date, St. Vincent de Paul Parish School has raised \$41,415 of the \$50,000 needed for the 2015-16 Adopt A Student campaign.



**IGNITE THE FLAME!** Confirmation Retreat and Middle School Youth Rally will be held Sunday, February 21, from 9 am—4 pm at St. Joseph Cathedral in Wheeling. Eighth grade Confirmation candidates, please return your forms for this retreat to Sister Rosella as soon as

possible!

**BDHS OPEN HOUSE:** Bishop Donahue High School's Open House for new students for the 2016-17 school year will be held Wednesday, February 17, at 7:00 pm in the Father Raymond Jablinske Gymnasium at the school. Registration will be held on February 23, from noon until 6 pm at the school. For more information, contact the school at 304-233-3850.



### **MEDITATION FOR THE**

### **EXTRAORDINARY JUBILEE OF MERCY:**

During Lent we purposely make ourselves 'hungry'. Not to make it easier for Satan to tempt us, but to give ourselves the opportunity to train our hearts to turn to God in our time of need. To learn that it is not about testing God, but growing our own strength. And, we are able to offer our first fruits back to him in thanksgiving. Let us not put our Lord to the test. Instead, whenever we are being tempted, we have to fight! That fight is done by first turning back to God and asking for His help! Then we get filled with the grace and mercy to continue this fight. This week, let us proclaim His mercy to the world, give him our hunger so that he can fill us with his life, and offer ourselves to him and his kingdom.

## Mass Intentions

## Liturgical Minister Schedule for Next Weekend (February 20/21 2016)

### Masses This Weekend

**Saturday Feb. 13 (1st Sunday of Lent/Vigil )**  
5:00 pm Esther Pinto Sonnefeld  
**Sunday Feb. 14 (1st Sunday of Lent)**  
8:00 am Angela Gaynor (Anniv)  
9:30 am For the People of our Parish  
11:30 am Josephine Ammirante  
10:30 am (OLSD) Hope Wagenhoffer

### Masses This Week

**Monday Feb. 15**  
7:50 am Francis Fisher  
**Tuesday Feb. 16**  
No Morning Mass  
(Miraculous Medal Novena and Rosary before 7 pm Mass)  
7:00 pm Robert Bianco  
**Wednesday Feb. 17**  
7:50 am Leona Pietro  
**Thursday Feb. 18**  
7:50 am Rita Morgan  
**Friday Feb. 19**  
9:00 am Dorothy Bischof  
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

### Masses Next Weekend

**Saturday Feb. 20 (2nd Sunday of Lent/Vigil )**  
5:00 pm Helen and Bernard Murphy  
**Sunday Feb. 21 (2nd Sunday of Lent)**  
8:00 am Albert Kreitzer, Sr. (Anniv)  
9:30 am Catherine Moore (B)  
11:30 am Andy Kalo  
10:30 am (OLSD) James Bennington

### Saturday—5:00 pm

**Servers:** Katelyn Bailer, Abigail Hall  
**Greeters:** Paul and Susie Newmeyer, Janet Ullom  
**Lector/Announcer:** Cindy Perring  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Cindy and Mike Perring, Jim and Barbara Roberts, Need Someone

### Sunday 8:00 Mass

**Servers:** Daisy, Ellie, and Max Reasbeck  
**Greeters:** Dorothy and Lee Merinar  
**Lector/Announcer:** Paul Dimmey  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Katie Kreitzer, Gary McGlumphy, Cindi Dimmey, Libby Reasbeck, Tea Shook

### 9:30 Mass

**Servers:** Mary Derrow, Charlie and Isabella DiSaia  
**Greeters:** Michelle Bole, Mary Cook, Becky DiSaia  
**Lector/Announcer:** Bill Gibson  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Bill and Mary Gibson, Lynn Hetzel, Jeanne McKeets, Bev Vanaman, Amy Bishop, Need Someone

### 11:30 Mass

**Servers:** Harrison and Hayden Leech  
**Greeters:** Nancy Freeman, Jean Hohman, Janice and Andrea Kalo  
**Lector/Announcer:** David Soloninka  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Janie Fox, Janice Kalo, Mary Lou Kent, Need 2 ministers

### 10:30 Mass

**Servers:** Judy Goudy and Jim Sengewalt  
**Greeters:** Charlotte McConlogue and Joe Tankovits  
**Lector/Announcer:** Heidi Hohman  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Dave Taylor, Margaret Thomas, Need Someone

### Scrip Sellers

Date	Day	Time	Scrip Seller
2/20/2016	Saturday	5:00 pm	Bailer
2/21/2016	Sunday	8:00 am	Reasbeck
2/21/2016	Sunday	9:30 am	Derrow
2/21/2016	Sunday	11:30 am	Leech

## Second Collections

**This Week (February 14):** Catholic Missions/Black and Native Americans  
**Next Week (February 21):** Parish Energy Needs