



Our Lady of the Assumption

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OFFICE HOURS

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri
9:00 am - 1:30 pm
Afternoon—by appointment only
Closed Wednesday

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 4:00 pm - Lucernemines
Sunday 8:00 am - Coral

Schedule for daily Masses, Holy Days, & other services can be found inside.

Catholic Communication Campaign Collection

The Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) collection will be taken at Masses on May 18-19. Half of the proceeds from the collection stays in the diocese to support local communications efforts. The other half is sent to the USCCB to support national and international communications projects. For more information about the CCC and its projects, visit www.usccb.org/cc.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism:

All arrangements, including confirmation of the date, must be made with the parish office.

Sponsors must provide proof of eligibility by a letter from their respective pastors, must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion and Confirmation. Sponsors, if married, must either be married in the Church or with the Church's permission. Parents must attend Baptismal Preparation, which is regularly scheduled throughout the year.

Marriage:

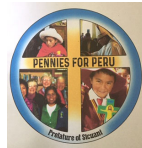
Arrangements must be made directly with the pastor at least 6 months before the date of the wedding. Marriage preparation is required and couples are asked to speak to the priest first before setting a date. Couples, rather than parents, should contact the priest. If either party was previously married, an annulment must be granted prior to the selection of a future wedding date.

Mother's Day

This year the annual celebration of Mother's Day occurs on the Fourth Sunday of Easter. What a wonderful day to celebrate those women in our lives who cooperated with God to create new life and those in our lives who have nurtured our lives with love and compassion. Yes, we believe that when we are open to children we have cooperated with God in creation. In addition, those women who have said yes should be recognized. The "Book of Blessings" has a profound blessing of mothers that recognizes that all blessings come from God.

The most recognized date for the first Mother's Day in our country was in 1908. It was created by Anna Jarvis. She worked tirelessly to make this day a national day in the United States. She even incorporated herself as "Mother's Day International Association" and worked for the rest of her life against the commercialism that had taken over her commemorative day. There are many instances of marking certain days for mothers in world history. However, for us it has deeper meaning because it falls during the Marian month of May. We hold our earthly mothers in high esteem and hold our heavenly mother, the Virgin Mary, in high esteem also.

This Mother's Day take some real time and thank your Mom with more than just a box of candy.



Pennies for Peru

What is Pennies for Peru? Pennies for Peru is a fundraiser for the people of Sicuani, Peru, located in the Andes Mountains. As a US citizen, sometimes we become blind to the hardships that are occurring in other countries, but that is why Pennies for Peru is such a good idea. The people of Sicuani are suffering and very few people knew about it until 1964, when Bishop William G. Connare began a partnership with the diocese in South America and started to make visits there. At that time, he decided they needed our help to meet their needs. Although that helps, they still have many hardships from things they can't control. The sun is a big issue. Children and adults are severely sunburned. The Andes mountains are at such a high altitudes, that the sun easily penetrates through the atmosphere. They don't have sunscreen which leads to a high occurrence of skin cancer. Despite the hardships the people of Sicuani face, they still manage to keep the Catholic faith alive. Out of the 274,000 people there, 85% are Catholic but since the villages are so remote and the conditions of the roads are bad, it is hard for them to make it to Mass more than once a year but that is what shows the deep faith they have for the Catholic religion. We all share the same faith, so why not help others help themselves by donating to the people of Sicuani today.

Sincerely,
6-8 grade faith formation



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Attention High School Seniors

We are in the process of planning our graduation Mass. If you are graduating from high school this year, please contact Michelle Dodge in the parish office ext. 15 or email mdodge@dioceseofgreensburg.org. Light refreshments will be served after the Mass and we need to get an approximate number of people attending. Please RSVP by Friday, May 24.



The Rosary will be recited at the Grotto at the Lucerne site on Monday, May 13 at 7 p.m. (weather permitting). Altar Rosary Society members are urged to attend; but **all** are welcome to participate. The rosary will be recited the 13th of each month beginning in May and continuing through October.



Golden Apple teacher award nomination

The Diocese of Greensburg will celebrate excellence in teaching in its Catholic schools with the Golden Apple Awards, which will be presented at the annual A Celebration of Catholic Schools Breakfast in October.

Awards honor educators who exhibit excellence in and out of the classroom, are committed to Catholic values and are devoted to teaching in a Catholic school. Nomination forms are at www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/celebration and can be mailed or emailed. **The nomination deadline is May 14.** For questions, contact Amanda Iwinski in the Office of Catholic Schools, aiwinski@dioceseofgreensburg.org.



WORLD DAY of
PRAYER for
VOCATIONS

Today the Church throughout the world prays for vocations. Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for more vocations to the priesthood and religious life? Pray for the priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead. Pray also for our seminarians: Mark Dunmire, Christopher Pujol, Andrew Hamilton, David Slusarick, Craig

Alexander, Aidan Kerlin and Jeremy Zawelensky
-Encourage your children, grandchildren, or other young people to consider a vocation as a priest or religious brother or sister.
-Pray a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THRIFT STORE



Manager's Special Sale A Different Sale Each Day

Also find household goods,
collectibles, books, puzzles, toys, etc.

Located in the Bi Lo Plaza on N. 4th St. (Indiana)
Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri., 10am—4pm; **Tues. 10am-5pm**,
Sat. 10am—3pm



Sacred Heart of Jesus Council 10960 / Knights of Columbus

The next scheduled meeting will be on May 15, 2019 in the church hall of the Lucerne Worship Site. Rosary at 7:15 pm followed by the business meeting at 7:30 pm

St. Bernard Regional Catholic School News

Spring Concert

St. Bernard Regional Catholic School, 300 Clairvaux Dr. will hold their spring concert, Thursday, May 23, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.

Art & Science Fair

The St. Bernard Regional Catholic School will hold their annual Art & Science Fair on Tuesday, May 21, 2019 from 3:00-6:00 p.m. Come and see the awesome display of art and science project that the students have been working on all year

FamilyFest at Christ Our Shepherd Center

You are invited to a day of fun, games, food and faith at the diocese's second annual FamilyFest on Sunday, June 9, at the Christ Our Shepherd Center. The day will include parish food vendors, an evangelization project #FindJesusRocks, and activities for people of all ages, including an Indoor Bingo. The day begins with an outdoor Mass celebrated by Bishop Malesic at 11 a.m. with music provided by a Diocesan Youth Honors Choir. We look forward to seeing you and your family there! For information and to register your child, go to FamilyFestGreensburg.org.

Faith Formation

Catechists Needed

Catechists are needed for all grade levels (K-8) in our Faith Formation program . If interested in becoming a part of a team that is committed to bringing our faith to the children of our parish contact Michelle Dodge at 724-479-9542, ext. 15 or by emailing mdodge@dioceseofgreensburg.org.

Baptismal Preparation –First Time expecting Parents

Baptismal Preparation Sessions are offered at our parish quarterly.

Please call Michelle Dodge in the parish office at 724-479-9542, ext. 15 or email mdodge@dioceseofgreensburg.org to register.

Please note that we cannot schedule your child's baptism until the session has been completed.



Diocesan Lenten Appeal as of 05/06/2019

Goal	Received	Percent
\$47,578.00	\$45,933.00	96% 232 donors

MAY 4/5, 2019	OFFERTORY
Adult Offertory	\$4,133.00
Loose Offertory	\$315.00
Children's Offertory	\$6.00
Total Ordinary Income	\$4,454.00
Votive Candles	\$104.50
Maintenance	\$60.00
Ascension	\$30.00
Holy Thursday	\$5.00
Good Friday	\$5.00
Easter	\$62.00
Catholic Comm. Campaign	\$25.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$10.00
WeShare April 1 to April 30	\$2,007.00
Cemetery	\$25.00

MASS INTENTIONS*For May 11 to May 19, 2019***SATURDAY, MAY 11**– Lucernemines

3:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

3:30 pm Rosary for Peace

Anticipated Mass-*Fourth Sunday of Easter*4:00 pm Mass - +Antonian Ferrent
(Nieces)**SUNDAY, MAY 12** - Coral*Fourth Sunday of Easter*8:00 am - Grimes & Kormanec Families
(Mike & Irene Grimes)**MONDAY, MAY 13**- Coral8:00 am - +Josephine Mucci
(Bob & Cookie Choma)**TUESDAY, MAY 14** - Coral8:00 am - +Judith Buterbaugh
(Gloria Kanick)**WEDNESDAY, MAY 15**– Coral8:00 am - +Michele Kelly
(Mike & Pat Buzi)**THURSDAY, MAY 16** - Coral8:00 am - +Deceased of the Scribe Family
(Peg)**FRIDAY, MAY 17**- NO MASS**SATURDAY, MAY 18** - Lucernemines

3:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

3:30 pm Rosary for Peace

Anticipated Mass-*Fifth Sunday of Easter*4:00 pm Mass - +Rita Gaspari Barger
(Family)**SUNDAY, MAY 19** - Coral*Fifth Sunday of Easter*

8:00am - Pro populo

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—MAY 18/19, 2019

	Sat, May 18 4:00 pm - Lucerne	Sun, May 19 8:00 am - Coral
Altar Servers	Beth S., Nicholas T.	Jonah A., Kevin P.
Lector	Brenda A.	Mary Ann C.
E.M.H.C.	Joseph A., Jenny F., Mimi Y.	Barbara & Terry C., George H.
Ushers	Robert B., Mary P.	Rosalie A., Greg M.