

# Saint Januarius Parish

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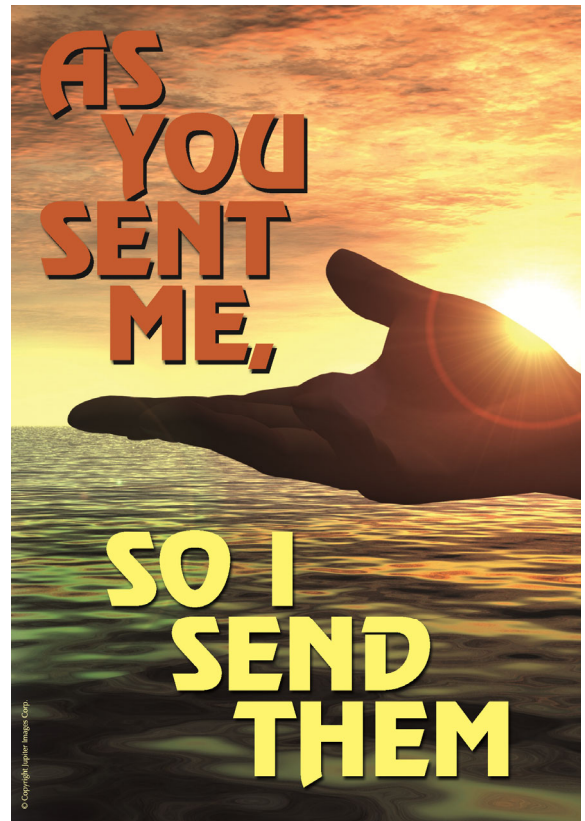
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May 17, 2015  
Seventh Sunday of Easter

## OUR PRAYER FOR UNITY

Last Sunday, we heard the final words Jesus spoke before his ascension into heaven, words recorded by Saint Mark. Today we listen to a portion of what has become known as Jesus' "final discourse" from John's Gospel. Once again, the Lord's words contain a commissioning of his disciples for ministry to the world. One important part of this discourse is Jesus' prayer for unity: "Keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are one." As the Easter season comes to an end, a season that has seen us deepening our awareness of the Paschal Mystery, it is fitting that today we hear this prayer for unity among the Lord's followers. Let us celebrate the unity we have with other Christians and work together to heed the Lord's great commission to bring the Good News to our weary world.

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## Worship Schedules

### • Mass Schedule

Saturday - 4:00 PM, Sunday - 10:00 AM  
Monday - Friday - 8:00 AM

### • Confession

Saturday - 3:30 PM  
Sunday - 9:30 AM  
Or by appointment

### • Sacraments

**BAPTISM** - By Appointment  
**MARRIAGE** - Arrangements are to be made  
six months in advance.



## Parish Staff and Other Contacts

**Pastor:** Fr. Kenneth Sparks  
**Church Secretary:** Betsy Yaklich  
**Pastoral Council Presidents:** Bud Joyce  
Steve Bullick  
**Finance Council President:** George Carabin  
**Women's Guild President:** Arlene Miller  
**C.C.D. Coordinators:** Diana Bullick  
Helen Feledik  
**Prayer Chain Contact:** Tracy Zanaglio  
412-793-8377

Church and Hall are Handicap Accessible

## Saint Januarius Parish Mission Statement

St. Januarius is a Roman Catholic community of faith focused on the life and teachings of Jesus Christ. We are grateful to those who have built up St. Januarius to be a welcoming, active, and spiritual parish. With the Eucharist and through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we strive to use the gifts and talents given to us by the Father to support the lives of parishioners at all age levels and stages of life. We also pledge to live our lives so that through our words and actions all may feel the presence of Jesus Christ in the world today.

# From the Pastor's Desk

Thank you for all your prayers and best wishes while I was in the hospital. I appreciate your thoughtfulness and kindness.

Pentecost Sunday is May 24, please remember to wear your red!

Additionally, after Mass on May 24, the Ministry Fair will be held downstairs in the church hall. Various tables will be downstairs where you can meet and talk with someone for a particular ministry you may be interested in .

Memorial Day Mass will be at 9:00 am.

All graduating Seniors, both high school and college, there will be a Baccalaureate Mass on Sunday, June 7. Please reserve this date. Contact the office to provide the information such as high school/college graduating from and also for high school seniors, what college/trade/or what will do you following graduation.

**FOOD FOR THOUGHT:** The Ascension of Jesus into heaven acquaints us with this deeply consoling reality on our journey: In Christ, true God and true man, our humanity was taken to God. Christ opened the path to us. He is like a roped guide climbing a mountain who, on reaching the summit, pulls us up to him and leads us to God. If we entrust our life to him, if we let ourselves be guided by him, we are certain to be in safe hands, in the hands of our Savior, of our Advocate.

~ General Audience, April 17, 2013

*May God's perfect peace and love remain with you always! ~ Fr. Ken*

## Sick and Homebound

Please pray for the following:

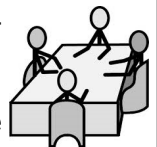


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| Larry Cybach         | Helen Kosnac     | Ida Sobr       |
| Kevin D.             | Farah Marshal    | Phil Stango    |
| Audrey D'Incau       | Donnalee McCloy  | Jack Tolan     |
| Helen Feledik        | Chuck McKinley   | Haley Ucman    |
| Mary Graf            | Kathy Miller     | George Walcutt |
| William Griffith III | Patsy Montanaro  | Tom Woods      |
| Fredrick Heinz       | Msgr. Ogradowski | Angie Zucco    |
| Mary Kathryn         | Sandy Novak      | Elmer Zucco    |
| Heinz                | Phyllis Pierce   |                |
| Sandy Keller         | Mary Pivik       |                |
| Jacob Knighton       | Kay Silvio       |                |
| Ursula Koontz        | Emily Snow       |                |

Please : We ask those who have requested prayers to give us another "update" call when your loved one is better.

## MEETINGS COMING UP

**Overeaters Anonymous** - Tuesday, May 19 Contact Sherry @ 412-795-4897



All meetings are held at 7:00 pm in the Church Hall.



## **BAPTISM**

We welcome into our faith community with great joy the newly baptized:

Saphia Edena Daugherty, granddaughter of Marcy Davis.

Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 17, 2015

## Baccalaureate Sunday June 7th

Mark your calendars!!! We will honor our graduating college and high school seniors after 10:00 AM Mass in the church hall. *Seniors: please wear your cap and gown!*



Donuts and coffee will be served!

## Ministry Fair/Pentecost Celebration

Sunday, May 24th



Please join us in the church hall after 10:00 AM mass to learn about ways you, too, can grow in our faith and help others, as well! Display areas will be set up with volunteer opportunities for all ages! Come see where the Holy Spirit is calling you! *In honor of Pentecost Sunday, a birthday cake and beverages will be served.*

**PLEASE NOTE!** The deadline for information to be included in the bulletin is NOON on MONDAYS. Anything received later than that will be included in the following week's bulletin.

## Ministry Schedule

<u>DATE</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>OFFERTORY</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>	<u>MONEY COUNTERS</u>
SATURDAY MAY 16	Zachary End Marley Lewis	Linda Stukus	Mary Kay Sneider	Mary Graf Cheryl George Jack George	
SUNDAY MAY 17	Erin Hanes Kyle Hanes	Alexandra Greenburg	Helen, Jim & Stephanie Hayes	Jeannie Rabik Judy Rogers Barb Waruszewski	Pat Staudt Janet DiLonardo Carol Carabin Tom O'Connell
SATURDAY MAY 23	Abby DiLonardo Alani DiLonardo	Adele Trerice	Helen, Jim & Stephanie Hayes	Bud Joyce Michelle Joyce Mary Ann Kaiser	
SUNDAY MAY 24	Megan Christman Maria Czura	Loretta White	Ray & Mary Ann LaBertew	Barb Waruszewski Carol Carabin George Carabin	Jim End Gloria Mulholland Mike Waruszewski Donna Miller



Mass Intentions

**Saturday, May 16 -  
Sunday May 24**

**SATURDAY – Easter Weekday 05/16**

4 PM Theresa Sneider - Mary Kay Sneider

**SUNDAY - Sixth Sunday of Easter-Mothers Day 05/17**

10 AM Chester Redzinak - Helen K., Jim & Stephanie Hayes

**MONDAY - Easter Weekday 05/18**

8 AM Caroline Keaton - Carol & Kerry Kelly

**TUESDAY - Easter Weekday 05/19**

8 AM Anthony DeLuca - St. Januarius Parish

**WEDNESDAY - Easter Weekday 05/20**

8 AM Jack Paustenbaugh - Denny & Estelle Flannigan

**THURSDAY - Easter Weekday 05/21**

8 AM Armand Dominick - Maria & Gregg Coury

**FRIDAY - Easter Weekday 05/22**

8 AM Grace Tudi - Bill & Linda Sullivan

**SATURDAY – Easter Weekday 05/23**

4 PM Rudy Kosnac - Helen K., Jim & Stephanie Hayes

**SUNDAY - Pentecost Sunday 05/24**

10 AM Zita Werley - Ray & Mary Ann LaBertew

We reserve the right to make unavoidable changes in the Mass schedule.

Readings for the Week of May 17

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33  
 Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a  
 Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19  
 Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26  
 Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19  
 Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25  
 Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Saints and Special Observances

**Monday: St. John I** - Was born in Tuscany, became pope in 523. He traveled to Constantinople as legate of King Theodoric to see Emperor Justin. When he returned, Theodoric was dissatisfied with the outcome of the mission and imprisoned him in Ravenna, where he died in 526. John introduced the Alexandrian system of computing the date for Easter into the West.

**Wednesday: St. Bernardine of Siena** - Was born at Massa, near Carrara in 1380. He entered the Order of Friars Minor, was ordained a priest and carried on a fruitful ministry of preaching throughout Italy. He spread devotion to the Holy Name of Jesus.

**Thursday: St. Christopher Magallanes and Companions** - Cristóbal and his 24 companion martyrs lived under a very anti-Catholic government in Mexico, one determined to weaken the Catholic faith of its people. Churches, schools and seminaries were closed; foreign clergy were expelled. Cristóbal established a clandestine seminary at Totatiche, Jalisco. Magallanes and the other priests were forced to minister secretly to Catholics during the presidency of Plutarco Calles (1924-28). These martyrs did not die as a single group but in eight Mexican states, with Jalisco and Zacatecas having the largest number. They were beatified in 1992 and canonized eight years later.

**Friday: St. Rita of Cascia** - Rita wanted to become a nun but was pressured at a young age into marrying a harsh and cruel man. During her 18-year marriage, she bore and raised two sons. After her husband was killed in a brawl and her sons had died, Rita tried to join the Augustinian nuns in Cascia. Unsuccessful at first because she was a widow, Rita eventually succeeded. Over the years, her austerity, prayerfulness and charity became legendary. When she developed wounds on her forehead, people quickly associated them with the wounds from Christ's crown of thorns. She meditated frequently on Christ's passion. Her care for the sick nuns was especially loving. She also counseled lay people who came to her monastery. Beatified in 1626, Rita was not canonized until 1900. She has acquired the reputation, together with St. Jude, as a saint of impossible cases. Many people visit her tomb each year.

**Weekly Collection - May 10**

Collection	Amount
Offertory	\$ 2,299
Monthly	\$ 175
Second Collection	\$ 275
PSP received 2015	\$11,240

Please remember St. Januarius in your will.

**MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE**

Having Mass offered for someone's benefit is as good as it comes - 2015 Book open, Please contact the office. The stipend for Masses is set by the Diocese of Pittsburgh and that amount is still \$10 each.



**MARRIAGES**

III Kimberly Hayes & Joseph Clemens



*Around Our District*

**AN EVENING IN THE CARRIBBEAN** - The Rhythm 'n' Steel Steelband will provide music at 5PM Mass, Saturday, May 30, at St. Bernadette Church. This will be followed at 6:30pm with a Caribbean Dinner Buffet in the Lourdes Center with the entertainment by the band. Cost is \$20 per ticket with children under 18 @ \$10. Beer and wine available for purchase. BYOB. Coffee, tea, and pop included. Tickets can be purchased

**DISCERNING AND USING YOUR CHARISMS** - *THE CALLED & GIFTED*™ is a three part discernment process intended to help lay Catholics discern their charisms. All three parts of the process are necessary to determine where you are gifted. Part one is the Called and Gifted workshop; this workshop lays the foundation for the *beginning* of discernment. Part two is the One Hour Gifts interview, this is an invaluable part of the process. Part three is the substance of the discernment process. These final steps will teach you how to develop charism experiments and how to evaluate your results. The last part of this process will teach you how to identify ways you learned to control life as a child that get in the way of using your charisms as an adult. 'Called & Gifted' will be presented at North American Martyrs Church on May 29<sup>th</sup> (7:00 pm to 9:00 pm) and on May 30<sup>th</sup> (9:00 am to 4:00 pm). The cost will be \$30.00. Two speakers are flying in from across the country to present this valuable workshop. Call 412-373-0330 X10 to register.

**GET ACQUAINTED DAY OPEN HOUSE AT ST. VINCENT COLLEGE**—For high school Juniors/Seniors, on Saturdays, June 20, July 18 or Aug. 15. Each Get Acquainted Day begins with buffet breakfast and registration from 8:30 to 9 a.m. The day will conclude at noon. Each day, the presentation will include an introduction to St. Vincent College and a student panel. Find out more about this top-ranked Catholic, Benedictine, liberal arts college. Listen to financial aid and admission presentations, meet faculty, administrators and coaches and take a campus tour. For information or reservations, phone 1-800-782-5549, e-mail [admission@stvincent.edu](mailto:admission@stvincent.edu), or register online at [www.stvincent.edu](http://www.stvincent.edu).

*Diocesan News*

**CO-ED SOFTBALL PLAYERS WANTED: SINGLES, 21 AND OVER.** Games are played in Blawnox. Looking for a new way to meet people, make friends, and share good times with others? Check out the Catholic Alumni Club. The group offers tennis, parties, picnics, dances, hiking, volleyball, dinners, scripture study, trips, and many other great events. For more information or an application, go to their website: [www.cacpittsburgh.org](http://www.cacpittsburgh.org), or contact Christine at 412-225-5077 or [cac.softball@yahoo.com](mailto:cac.softball@yahoo.com).



**FOR STUDENTS WHO LEARN DIFFERENTLY** – St. Vincent College and Landmark College are offering a high school summer program June 28 to July 18, to help rising high school juniors and seniors who learn differently become effective, independent learners. Learn more at an open house on Saturday, April 11 at 1:00 pm in the Fred M. Rogers Center on the campus of St. Vincent College, Latrobe. Information can be obtained at [landmark.edu/Latrobe](http://landmark.edu/Latrobe) or you can either call Don Orlando at 724-805-2010 or email [pr@stvincent.edu](mailto:pr@stvincent.edu).

**CATHOLIC CRUISE TO CARIBBEAN** - Come and sail away on a 7-night Catholic Caribbean Cruise (Priest to be Assigned by the Apostleship of Seas of the USA), September 27-October 4, 2015 on Carnival Dream out of New Orleans, LA. Ports of call: Mahogany Bay (Isla Roatan), Belize (Belize), Cozumel (Mexico) and back to New Orleans, LA. Prices begin at \$1,065 for two passengers. This includes all port fees and taxes. Daily Mass offered. Deposits of only \$300 per person will reserve your cabin. Space is limited. For further info or to register, contact Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785 or [Doug@CatholicCruisesandTours.com](mailto:Doug@CatholicCruisesandTours.com)



*St. Januarius Parish*  
Membership Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK ONE:

New Registration  Change of Address  Moving out of Parish  Want Envelopes

**PLEASE NOTE** the new membership form in the bulletin. If you are thinking about joining our Parish Community of Faith OR there is new or changed information that should be of record, please complete the form and put it in the collection basket or send it to the Parish Office; we will be happy to contact you. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

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**Attn: Betsy**

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