

St. Malachy Catholic Church

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May 23, 2010



Parish Mission Statement

We, the Parish Family of St. Malachy, guided by the Holy Spirit are committed to continuing the works for Jesus Christ through worship, education and service thereby building the Body of Christ as a community of compassion and love.

REV. MICHAEL J. MARANOWSKI
Pastor

REV. RUSSELL J. MAURER
In Residence

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS:

Monday thru Friday - 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

SR. JOLENTA SREDINSKI, SHS
Pastoral Associate

JOANNE SWANK
Coordinator of Religious Education

CCD OFFICE HOURS:

Monday thru Friday - 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

JANET ESCOVITZ
School Principal

STEVEN SWANK
Youth Minister

CCD TIMES:

Sunday K-6 9:15 am - 10:30 am

Sunday 7-8 6:00 pm - 7:15 pm

Monday K-6 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm

LAURIE LANZ
Director of Music

CAROL PFEUFFER
Religious Education Secretary

ADULT CHOIR:

Wednesday - 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

SHIRLEY DAILEY
School Secretary

HOLY SACRAMENTS

EUCCHARIST:

Mass Schedule:

Monday - Friday 7:15 am Mass

Saturday 4:00 pm (Saturday Evening Vigil)

Sunday 8:00 am and 11:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration (3rd Tuesday) - 7:15 am Mass until 7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION: Saturday - 3:00 - 3:45 pm and the
First Friday of the Month after 7:15 am Mass.

BAPTISM:

Second and Fourth Sunday each month - 12:30 pm

INFANTS:

Please contact the Parish Office three (3) months before the expected birth. First time parents are required to attend Pre-Baptismal instructions.

ADULTS:

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
Those adults desiring to become a Catholic who have never been baptized or were baptized in another faith are invited to the sessions on Mondays in Parish Office Meeting Room from 7:00 to 8:30 pm.

MARRIAGE:

Family must be registered members of the Parish. Saturday Wedding times: 12:00 pm; 2:00 pm; 5:45 pm. Pre Cana-Pre Marriage Instructions will be offered at Church.

PARISH OFFICE - 412-771-5483
Monday thru Friday - 8:00 am to 8:00 pm
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PARISH WEBSITE: www.saintmalachypgh.org
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RELIGIOUS ED. OFFICE..... 412-771-7480
MUSIC DIRECTOR..... 412-331-4664
CAFETERIA 412-771-0848
CHURCH HALL..... 412-331-9037

Mass Schedule

Sunday, May 23 - Pentecost

4:00 pm Stavish & Obusek Families by Hildia & Don Obusek
 8:00 am Ellen O'Toole by Diane Pontice
 11:00 am People of the Parish

Monday, May 24 - Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

7:15 am Mike Gimon by Jack & Peg Collins

Tuesday, May 25 - Sts. Bede, Gregory, & Mary Magdalene

7:15 am Arthur Wolf by Cheryl Lesko

Wednesday, May 26 - St. Philip Neri

7:15 am Regis J. Uram by Bob & Steffie Orlich

Thursday, May 27 - St. Augustine of Canterbury

7:15 am Giuseppe Deiuliis by Conrado & Lucy Pollice

Friday, May 28

7:15 am Elizabeth Keil by Family
 8:45 am Mary Rizzo by Daughter, Gloria Meehan

Saturday, May 29

4:00 pm People of the Parish

Sunday, May 30 - The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 am 50th Wedding Anniversary - Linda & Bernie Hoffman
 11:00 am Bernice & Walter Masilunas by Children

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Please pray for: Brian Breland, Brad Drake, Eric M. Dudash, Steven Duffy, William Duffy, Lewis Hess, Jacob Mammay, Jeremiah Murphy, Kevin Murphy, Michael Murphy, Mark Roberts, Sean Ruane, Nicholas Rymniak, Rich Spanard, Michelle & Darin Tibbetts, Chris Wasek, John Wasek, Joseph Wasek III, Joe Yeager III

Heavenly Father, please bless and protect our military men and women for their unselfishness in protecting us. We pray this in Jesus' Name with the Holy Spirit. AMEN.

Please notify the Parish Office if you would like to add a name to our Military Prayer list.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please pray for: Bill Alex, Dolores Bayer, C.J. Bick, Betty Bjalobok, Charles Campbell, Josephine Carroll, Lucia Catanza, Ann Chieffe, Bev Cummins, Alice Curtolo, Nick & Stella Cusano, Judy Deczkowski, Almeda Diana, Gil Dieteman, Mildred DiFonso, Connie Dovich, Marge Ferraro, Helena Ferro, Jim Finn, Taylor Finn, Bernadette Fischer, Lizzie Guzman, Daniel Hemphill, Barbara Henry, Robert Hodgkiss, Justine Hudak, Joanie, Ann Kane, Helen Kane, Wasil Karlobski, Casimir Karpinski, Joe Kendra, James Komer, Sr., Dominic Lamone, Patricia Leyda, Irene List, Patricia Lucek, John Martonik, William Mudryk, Patrick Murphy, Thecla Mysliwiec, Margaret Nalesnick, Tim Nolan, Susan O'Connor, Mali Olivani, Carolyn Paczan, Dick Phillips, Anna Podnar, LaVerne Porta, Darlene Powers, Judith Powers, Elsie Schneider, Florence Shaginaw, Jim Schubert, Adeline Sicilia, Joseph Sobeck, Helen Sporcic, Shirley Stephenson, William Stephenson, Tom Trapuzzano, Ron Uram, Theresa Vasselo, Marilyn Vith, Bill Vito, Marge Wadowski, Marci Williams, William Yakubik, Bob Yeager, and Frank Zombeck

Continue to pray for those who are in the hospitals, nursing homes, and are homebound. May they continue to receive the Lord's blessings.

ST. MALACHY PRAY FOR US!

THIS WEEK AT ST. MALACHY

MONDAY, MAY 24

6:30 pm Emmanuel Prayer Group - Church
 7:00 pm Bingo - Weirauch Hall

TUESDAY, MAY 25

10:30 am Bible Study - Church
 7:00 pm Bible Study - Parish Office

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26

Noon Card Party - Weirauch Hall

THURSDAY, MAY 27

6:30 pm Widows in Deed - School Library

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Mon., May 31 6:30 pm - Emmanuel Prayer Group - Church
 Mon., May 31 **NO** - Bingo
 Tues., June 1 10:30 am - Bible Study - Church
 Tues., June 1 4:30 pm - Market Day Pickup - Cafeteria
 Tues., June 1 7:00 pm Bible Study - Parish Office
 Tues., June 1 7:15 pm - St. Vincent de Paul Society - Parish Office
 Wed., June 2 Noon - Card Party - Weirauch Hall
 Wed., June 2 7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus - Parish Office

YEAR OF THE PRIEST

Pray for our priests ordained in 1968

<i>Rev. Pierre Sodini</i>	<i>Rev. Peter Murphy</i>
<i>Rev. Richard Ward</i>	<i>Rev. William Schwartz</i>
<i>Rev. John Gallagher</i>	<i>Rev. John Suhoza</i>
<i>Rev. John Marcucci</i>	<i>Rev. Kenneth White</i>
<i>Rev. Frank Mitolo</i>	

Pray for our priests ordained in 1967

<i>Rev. Howard Bleichner</i>	<i>Rev. Albert Semler</i>
<i>Rev. John Oesterle</i>	<i>Rev. Walter Sobon</i>
<i>Rev. John O'Toole</i>	<i>Rev. Phillip Pribonic</i>
<i>Rev. Robert Schweitzer</i>	<i>Rev. John Geinzer</i>

Pray for our priests ordained in 1966

<i>Rev. Augustus Taylor</i>	<i>Rev. Michael McDermott</i>
<i>Rev. Donald Chortos</i>	<i>Rev. Richard Mueller</i>
<i>Rev. James Graham</i>	<i>Rev. Kenneth Oldenski</i>
<i>Rev. Stan Gregorek</i>	<i>Rev. Richard Ragni</i>
<i>Rev. Ronald Lengwin</i>	<i>Rev. Regis Ryan</i>
<i>Rev. Cornelius McCaulley</i>	<i>Rev. John Harvey</i>

WEDDING BANNES

II Shawn P. Bryan & Christina R. Bilecky

REST IN PEACE

We remember our beloved dead who recently passed from the earthly life to eternal glory, especially -

Helen Desiderio
Eugenia Ptasznik
John Walizer

Brother of Fay Serkoch

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. AMEN.

Diocese Victim Assistance Hotline 1-888-808-1235
Heritage for the Blind 1-888-225-5542

REMEMBER ST. MALACHY IN YOUR WILL!

PENTECOST SUNDAY

MAY 23, 2010

WORDS FROM

FATHER MICHAEL

Veni Sancte Spiritus! Come Holy Spirit! For fifty days we have been waiting with great expectation for the coming of the Holy Spirit. Today we celebrate Pentecost and remember the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the apostles and how their lives were changed and how our Church began.



In today's Gospel, Jesus promises to ask the Father to give his disciples an Advocate to be with us always. That Advocate, the Holy Spirit, dwells in our hearts and unites us to Christ and to one another through our communion of love. Because of baptism, through which the Holy Spirit enters in, Christians everywhere are united in Christ. This union in Christ, brought about by the Holy Spirit, empowers the Christian people to be effective witnesses to Christ's love in the world. What witness can we give that testifies to the action of the Holy Spirit in our lives?

PRAYER FOR THE GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Spirit of Wisdom and Understanding enlighten our minds to perceive the mysteries of the universe in relation to eternity. *Spirit of Right Judgment and Courage*, guide us and make us firm in our baptismal decision to follow Jesus' way of love. *Spirit of Knowledge and Reverence*, help us to see the lasting value of justice and mercy in our everyday dealings with one another. May we respect life as we work to solve problems of family and nation, economy and ecology. *Spirit of God*, spark our faith, hope and love into new action each day. Fill our lives with *Wonder* and *Awe* in your presence which penetrates all creation. **AMEN.**

FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

We know parents are given the gift of the Holy Spirit. Could it be you are the Advocate mentioned in today's gospel; the Advocate who will teach and remind your children of all I told you? Christian parents are meant to be instruments of the Spirit to their children.

A **Special Thank You** is extended to Bill and Luann Richardson and all those who helped to make our Spring Blood Drive a success. (20 units of blood were given.)

CONGRATULATIONS!

Frank DeChellis, son of M/M Frank DeChellis, and Janelle Turcios, daughter of M/M Carlos Turcios, received the St. Timothy Award at Duquesne University on May 10th from Bishop David Zubik.

The St. Timothy Award is presented by the Bishop to youth who "exemplify the qualities of moral integrity, prayer, good works and Christian leadership." Four awards from each vicariate, and one from each Catholic high school were presented.

Frank DeChellis' a senior at O.L.S.H. High School, received the Catholic High School Award. (Frank's picture was featured on the front of the Pittsburgh Catholic). Janelle Turcios also a senior at O.L.S.H. High School received the vicariate award. The recipients of the St. Timothy Award are considered outstanding Catholic Christians by their peers and adult leaders. We are proud of Frank and Janelle. God bless you!

St. Malachy Parish is the only parish in our diocese that had two recipients of the St. Timothy Award.

MONTH OF MARY

This month is dedicated to the **honor** of our **Blessed Mother Mary**. *May is a time for us to renew our relationship with our Heavenly Mother.*

The **Holy Rosary** will be **recited daily** after the weekday Masses and **before** the Sunday Masses.

ALTAR SERVERS – KENNYWOOD TICKETS

Each year the parish treats the Altar Servers with a Kennywood ticket for the School Picnic. This year, the parish is asking those servers who would like a ticket to please come to the Parish Office.

FEED THE HUNGRY

Just a reminder, each month we help stock the Focus on Renewal's Food Pantry with non-perishable food items. The next collection will be the weekend of **June 5th and 6th**. Please help those in need. Thank You.

EASTER DUTY

All Catholics who have made their First Holy Communion, and are not otherwise impeded, are reminded of the **Easter Duty** to receive Holy Communion during the Easter season to **May 30th**, Trinity Sunday.

THE PRIESTHOOD OF JESUS CHRIST

The Priesthood is not an institution that exists alongside the laity or above it. The priesthood of bishops and priests, as well as the ministry of deacons, is for the laity, and precisely for this reason it possesses a ministerial character, that is to say, one of service.
Servant of God John Paul II

Only God can sustain a priest in his vocation, but Catholics can also provide everyday support and encouragement.

Here are five things you can do to help your parish priest:

1. Pray for your priest.

Encourage others to do the same. You might consider designating a daily chore or activity as a sacrificial offering for your priest.

2. Participate and Be Active.

The best thing you can do for your priest is to come to Mass every weekend and get involved in your parish. Use your gifts and talents to help the parish grow such as volunteer or support the parish financially.

3. Your Expectations.

It is important to remember that priests are people, too, with the same normal human limits. Priests need days off each week to be able to accomplish more. Accept your priests for the unique people they are.

4. Be Prepared to Believe the Best.

Sometimes negativity stems from a misunderstanding. A lot of what you hear from the parish grapevine is exaggerated - gossip. Gossip is dangerous and can hurt innocent people. Keep in mind Father might not be able to fully explain something he may have done because he is bound by confidentiality.

5. Show your appreciation.

Everyone needs affirmation. Thank Father for giving his life to the Lord and to you. Recognize how much work goes into making the parish run well. Tell Father when you like something that he did. You'd be surprised to learn that some gesture you consider "small" means the world to a man who spends so much time and energy seeing to others' needs.

Jesus makes himself present to us in a special way through his priests-so whatever you do for your parish priest, you also do for the Lord. And whatever you do for the Lord helps to build the Kingdom of God right here on earth.

"This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." John 13:35.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Peter 1:3-9; Mark 10:17-27
- Tuesday: 1 Peter 1:10-16; Mark 10:28-31
- Wednesday: 1 Peter 1:18-25; Mark 10:32-45
- Thursday: 1 Peter 2:2-5, 9-12; Mark 10:46-52
- Friday: 1 Peter 4:7-13; Mark 11:11-26
- Saturday: Jude 17:20-25; Mark 11:27-33
- Sunday: Proverbs 8:22-31; Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

BAPTISM

We wish to welcome into our Christian Community of Believers:
Dominic Jordan Mattarochia
 Son of Marc and Jennifer (Jasenak) Mattarochia

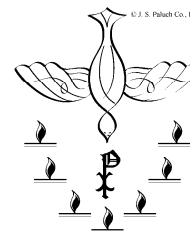
FLOWERS

The flowers at the Holy Family Niche this week are in honor of:
Stavish and Obusek Families

PRO LIFE

As this nation continues to tolerate the dehumanizing evil of abortion, what will history think of this era? Many history experts agree that abortion clinics will be noted in history with the same significance as Nazi concentration camps. A prediction worthy of reflection.

That the power of the Pentecost may renew our determination to defend the right of life of each human being, we pray.



	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion			Lectors	Altar Servers
Saturday May 29 4:00 PM	1. Mike Athanas 2. Patty Beasock 3. Ken Dorman -w	4. Mary Ann Fenio -w 5. Don Holmes 6. George Bayer	7. John Carney 8. Val Pietracatello 9. Sara Lyons	1. John Coppler 2. Joyce Soffa	1. Jaclyn Leto 2. Marisa Sparbanie 3. Lexus Sparbanie 4. Christian Ferraro
Sunday May 30 8:00 AM	1. Jean Formosa -w 2. Ken DeCimmo -w 3. Ann Kachmar	4. Carol Sinatra 5. Regina Mell 6. Janet Oakes	7. Pat Daly (E) 8. Don Murphy (W) 9. Jenni Haushalter (CH)	1. Susan Conlon 2. Marie Incorvati	1. Rebecca Snowden 2. Jacob Snowden 3. Kristen Walsh 4. Jason Walsh
Sunday May 30 11:00 AM	1. Rosemary Corsetti 2. Barbara Marshall 3. Terri Donovan	4. Carol Chambers 5. Bob Fazio -w 6. Karen Fiola -w	7. Ann Jozwiak 8. Kathy Keally 9. John Lester	1. Terry Neary 2. Caitlin Neary	1. Frank DeChellis 2. Steven Marshall 3. Leah Kehl 4. Lexus Sparbanie

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YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

The final gathering of the "ASP" (After School Program) for this school year will take place this **Wednesday, May 26 from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m.** in the **Upper Room**. High school teens are invited to join us for food, games, and fellowship. Also, teens in Grades 8-12 should mark their calendar for **Taco Tag** Tuesday on **June 15!** Details will be available in next week's bulletin....

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR MASS

High school seniors and their families are invited to the Graduate Appreciation Mass taking place on **Sunday, May 30 at 11:00** (*seniors are reminded to wear their graduation gown and meet in Weirauch Hall at 10:45 so we can line up to process into the church together*). Following the Mass, there will be a light reception in Weirauch Hall. Seniors should RSVP their attendance for both the mass and reception to the Youth Ministry Office **no later than Monday, May 24**. If you have any questions please contact Steven Swank, stmalachyyouth@yahoo.com or at 412-771-5483.

SPRING FLING

The Sisters of St. Francis of the Providence of God are having a Spring Fling on Saturday, June 5th from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Sister' lower campus, located at 3603 McRoberts Road/1401 Hamilton Road in Pittsburgh's South Hills. Over 65 craft, flea and specialty vendors will be at this event that includes a moonbounce, children's and family activities, raffles, a pet adoption, massages etc. For more information call 412-885-7232 or visit www.osfprov.org.

*VENI, SANCTE SPIRITUS!
COME HOLY SPIRIT, COME*

CHRISTIAN SHARING

Sunday Collection	5-9-10	\$13,412.00
Votive Candles	5-9-10	\$ 626.00

658 Envelopes Received

Thank You for your generosity!

ATTENTION: ALL PLANT LOVERS

Annual Kennedy Garden Club Plant and Bake Sale:
When: Saturday, May 29th
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Where: Kenmawr Plaza Shopping
(Center Pine Hollow Road - Kennedy Township)
Featuring Perennials, Annuals, Hanging Baskets, Herbs, Ground Covers, Gifts, Chinese Auction, etc.
BE THERE EARLY FOR THE BEST SELECTION!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The Council of Pittsburgh invites you to attend one of three very special mornings of reflection with our society's Spiritual Advisor, Father Scott Seethaler. Take a few hours out of your busy schedules and join us for a morning of joyful praises, spiritual nourishment and Vincentian fellowship. For more information visit at keithkondrich@svdpitt.org.

SCRIP

Are you looking for that great graduation gift? How about a gift card? **Scrip cards** are available after all Masses each weekend, and **will continue through the summer months**. The scrip table is located at the bulletin board located in the vestibule of the church. The scrip card is worth the full amount when used at any retailer or restaurant etc. Stop by and help support our parish family!

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE

Come with us on this spiritual journey of great grace to the Shrine of Our Lady Queen of Peace in Medjugorje on June 23 - July 6th. There will be time to attend daily Mass in St. James Church, adoration, healing prayers, visit Father Jozo, climb Apparition Hill and the Mountain of the Cross. The price of \$2,695.00 includes: roundtrip air from Pittsburgh; all transfers in luxury coach; breakfast and supper etc. The Spiritual Director is Rev. Daniel Vallecorsa. For more information call Bernadette at 412-563-3857

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