

# North American Martyrs Parish

Two Churches ~ One Community ~ A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust

May 8, 2016, Seventh Sunday of Easter

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

North American Martyrs is a vibrant parish, built on multi-generational and cultural traditions blended through the grace of the Holy Spirit. Reflecting the unconditional mercy of Jesus Christ, we as a faith community sharing God's love with all people, enthusiastically reach out to embrace everyone, especially the poor, broken, suffering and lost. We draw our strength through prayer, listening to and acting upon God's Word and celebrating the Eucharist, to foster a closer relationship with Christ as humble and faithful members of His Universal Church.



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### MASS SCHEDULE & STAFF

Saturday Vigil .....	4:00 PM
Sundays .....	8:00 AM, 11:00 AM
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 11:00 AM Mass	
<b>Weekday: Monday, &amp; Wednesday .....</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>
Friday .....	9:00 AM

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Find us on Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/NAMPParish>

Office Hours Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Diocesan Victim Assistance Hotline 1-888-808-1235

Gambling assistance 1-877-565-2112

### MASS SCHEDULE & SACRAMENTS

Sundays .....	9:30 AM
Tuesday & Thursday .....	8:00 AM
St. Anthony Novena begins 13 Tuesdays before June 13 <sup>th</sup> when Tuesday's Mass will be at 7:00 PM	
<b>Pastor .....</b>	<b>412-373-0330 X11</b>
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<b>Office Fax, (NAM) .....</b>	<b>412-380-1306</b>
<b>Office Fax, (St. Michael) .....</b>	<b>412-373-2031</b>

**Rite of Reconciliation: 12:00-1:00 PM:** At Saint Michael Church the second Saturday of the month. All other Saturdays confessions will be at NAM.

**Baptisms:** By appointment only. Second Sundays during 11:00 Mass and fourth Sundays after 11:00 Mass at NAM. Baptisms at St. Michael Church will be on the third Sunday of the month during the 9:30 Mass. A Pre-Baptism Seminar is required for first-time parents. Call Charlotte to make arrangements.

**Marriages:** Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Call Fr. Joe.

For post-abortion healing contact Rachel's Vineyard.org  
Pregnancy Counseling: Genesis 412-766-2693 or  
Birthright 412-621-1988

*IN PRAISE OF MOM, THINGS OUR MOTHERS TAUGHT US, THANK YOU!  
HOLY HOUR, HEALING MASS*



*IN PRAISE OF MOM*

*God hugs you through your mother,  
The arms of the mystery of God encircle you.*

*Mothers teach both their sons and daughters the importance of relationship, connection, embodiment, touching, integrity and self-esteem.*

*A mother's love is the fuel that enables a normal human being to do the impossible.*

*An old Arab proverb says: God cannot be everywhere, so He made mothers.*

*Mother is food; she is love, she is warmth, she is Earth. To be loved by your mother calls us to life; helps us to be alive, and to be at home with oneself and others.*

**THINGS OUR MOTHERS TAUGHT US**

My Mother taught me LOGIC . . . “If you fall off that swing and break your neck, you can’t go to the store with me.”

My Mother taught me MEDICINE . . . “If you don’t stop crossing your eyes, they’re going to freeze that way.”

My Mother taught me TO THINK AHEAD . . . “If you don’t pass your spelling test, you’ll never get a good job!”

My Mother taught me ESP . . . “Put your sweater on; don’t you think that I know when you get cold?”

My Mother taught me TO MEET A CHALLENGE . . . “What were you thinking? Answer me when I talk to you. . . Don’t talk back to me!”

My Mother taught me HUMOR . . . “When that lawn mower cuts off your toes, don’t come running to me.”

My Mother taught me how to BECOME AN ADULT . . . “If you don’t eat your vegetables, you’ll never grow up.”

My Mother taught me ABOUT SEX . . . “How do you think you got here?”

My Mother taught me about GENETICS . . . “You are just like your father!”

My Mother taught me about my ROOTS . . . “Do you think you were born in a barn?”

My Mother taught me about the WISDOM OF AGE . . . “When you get to be my age, you will understand.”

My Mother taught me about ANTICIPATION . . . “Just wait until your father gets home!”

My Mother taught me about RECEIVING . . . “You are going to get it when we get home!”

And my all-time favorite thing—JUSTICE . . . “One day you will have kids, and I hope that they turn out just like YOU . . . then you’ll see what it’s like.” (*Source Unknown*)

**THANK YOU!:** Last week I reported that I had received \$1,290.00 for the school for the annual Blue & Gold Walk-a-Thon. Since that time more of you have donated so the total amount that I gave to the school was \$1,665.00. Thank you for supporting me, our principals, teachers, parents and students as we walked our laps around the school and church. We had fun!

Thanks also to Olive (Mitzi) Hodges for the final distribution of her estate to our school. Formerly we had received \$20,000 for our school. Now we have received a final check of \$6,324.03 for a total of \$26,324.02 as a gift to our school. To Mitzi from Earth to Heaven; Thank you!

Thanks to the Women’s Guild/Christian Mothers for their gift of \$500 for the school and \$500 for the CCD Programl. God Bless you, ladies!

**HOLY HOUR:** Since next Monday is the second Sunday of the month, we will have all day Eucharistic adoration beginning at 8:30 am at NAM Church and I will lead a holy hour from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Please spend some extra time with the Lord next Monday as you open your heart to Him and receive the fullness of His love.

**HEALING MASS:** The monthly Fraternity of Priest Healing Mass will be on Wednesday, May 11 at 7:00 pm at Holy Family Church in Latrobe. Come and join us!

*Fr. Joe*

**SECOND COLLECTIONS**

A second collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend of **May 7 & 8** for the Building and Grounds Maintenance. However, there was a printing error in your May 2016 envelope package. The **May 8** envelope labeled, "Extraordinary Expenses" is incorrect and should instead read, "Buildings and Grounds." Please use the yellow Extraordinary Expenses envelope in place of the Buildings and Grounds envelope for this collection. If you forgot your envelope this week, you may deposit it in the regular collection next week. Thank you for your generosity in order that we may keep our surroundings beautiful.

Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. This collection supports six Catholic agencies that touch more than 100 million lives around the world. The funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and Christ's love and respect to all people. Next week, please give generously to The Catholic Relief Services Collection and help Jesus in disguise.

**MEETINGS**

**THE MEMBERS** of the Altar Rosary Society will meet on Tuesday, **May 10**, at 11:00 AM in the Rectory Conference Room. The agenda for this very important meeting includes the election of new officers and the scheduling of assignments.

**THE ST. VINCENT DePAUL SOCIETY** will meet on Wednesday, **May 11** at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Conference Room.



*The staff and I wish the mothers of the parish a very happy and healthy Mothers Day!*

*Fr. Joe*



**BACCALAUREATE**

The Class of 2016 Baccalaureate Mass will be celebrated at North American Martyrs Church on Sunday, **May 22** at the 11:00 AM Mass. All high school graduating seniors and their families are invited to attend the Mass and the reception in DeLuca Hall immediately following Mass. Invitations have been mailed. However, if you did not receive one and you are a 2016 graduating senior, please call Laura Nicolazzo at 412-302-5389. Also, please call Laura to RSVP to this event. Thank you.



**STITCHING ANGELS**

The Stitching Angels will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, **May 10** at 7:00 PM in DeLuca Hall. We are currently working on Baby Items for Catholic Charities. This year we are concentrating on the following hand-made items: Booties, baby sweaters (6 mos-1yr), blankets and bibs. For the sake of convenience, monthly deliveries will be made to Catholic Charities. (The actual Baby Shower will be held the weekend of August 20/21.) Please try to attend this meeting as we will be discussing our plans for this summer. There will always be time for 'show & tell' and please bring all completed items as another delivery will be made to Catholic Charities this month. Instructions are always available. For more information, please contact Mary Harrill at 412-372-3181 or at meh227@aol.com.



**FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS**

The NAM Festival is right around the corner and we are starting to promote our biggest fundraiser for our festival. The Raffle Tickets are now available for parishioners to pick up after Masses in the St. Michael church vestibule. If you do not find your envelope, please contact Ellen Kajder by email at [ekajder@verizon.net](mailto:ekajder@verizon.net) or by phone at 412-373-7148. Each family is receiving 10 tickets to sell. If you can sell more, please contact Ellen. Our first festival sold over \$35,000 worth of raffle tickets. Last year we sold \$24,000 worth of raffle tickets. Please help us get back to where we started. This is the best fundraiser we have for the church and its sole success relies on all of us. The tickets are \$5 each and the grand prize is \$3000. We will also be picking tickets every hour of the festival for a chance to win \$100 every drawing. These tickets make great gifts and every ticket sold helps our church.

**FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMMING**

North American Martyrs Parish is dedicated to providing quality faith formation programming to those in the parish, school and the community. We would appreciate your time in filling out this short survey (2-3 minutes) so that we may better serve you. This survey will help us to better understand the needs of individuals and families. Please go to the following link to fill out the NAM Faith Formation Survey. Thank you so much for your time and thoughtfulness. Any questions can be directed to Elizabeth Trexler, Pastoral Associate: 412-374-3980 or [pastoralassoc@gmail.com](mailto:pastoralassoc@gmail.com). The link to the survey is <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CPCZ6CJ>

**ADORATION****MONDAY, May 9****8:30 AM-Exposition & Adoration****7:00 PM Holy Hour**

*In addition to the organizations' member visitation  
Schedule below, all parishioners are encouraged  
to come to spend time with Our Lord.*

The schedule is as follows:

- 8:30-9:30 AM, Altar Rosary Society;
- 9:30-10:30 AM, Stitiching Angels
- 10:30-11:30 AM, Ladies of Charity;
- 11:30 AM-12:30 PM, St. Vincent dePaul Society;
- 12:30-1:30 PM, Holy Name Society;
- 1:30-2:30 PM, School;
- 2:30-3:30 PM, Women's Guild;
- 3:30-4:30 PM, Infant Jesus Respect Life Group;
- 4:30-5:30 PM, Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers;
- 5:30-6:30 PM, CCD; and
- 6:30-8:00 PM, Youth Group.

**STITCHING ANGELS**

**A ROSARY WORKSHOP** will be held on Wednesday, **May 18** at 10:00 AM in the Rectory Conference Room. We will not be making the rosaries only the rosary kits. We need at least 6 volunteers. This is an easy task and all are welcome to help. Please contact Mary Harrill at 412-372-3181 or at [meh227@aol.com](mailto:meh227@aol.com).

**CALLING ALL THOSE** who knit, crochet, work in counted cross stitch, and/or sew. The Stitching Angels of North American Martyrs Parish will hold their Annual Baby Shower the weekend of August 20/21 this year. We will soon begin work on this project. All the handmade items will be donated to Catholic Charities Women In Need. If you like to knit, crochet or sew and are interested in making a few items, please let me know. There is never any requirement as to what you would make or even how many. We are happy for all items. Usually we make baby blankets, sweaters, hats, burp cloths, bibs, receiving blankets, etc. So if you are interested in helping out this year, please call Mary Harrill at 412-372-3181 or contact her at [meh227@aol.com](mailto:meh227@aol.com).

**MOTHERS' DAY COLLECTION**

A collection for Genesis of Pittsburgh will be held this weekend, Mothers Day weekend, **May 7 & 8**, at St. Michael. This nonprofit social service agency helps provide new beginnings for young girls and women, in our community, facing the challenges of an unexpected pregnancy. Genesis offers many free services including counseling, infant needs, temporary shelter, prenatal & parenting classes, and adoption services. As a token of our gratitude, a red rose applique symbolizing your support will be given for each donation.

The annual Birthright Red Rose Collection will also be taken after Masses at NAM this Mothers Day weekend, **May 7 & 8**. Birthright is committed to helping pregnant girls and women with unexpected pregnancies. Please be as generous as possible as you help support this pro-life cause!

**ARE YOU REGISTERED?**

If you have attended here for any length of time and consider this your parish, we would like you to know that in order to become a member, you must register. Those who have grown up in the parish and who are now adults must also register. Unless you are receiving envelopes each month or unless you are a registered on-line giver, you can not receive a tax statement of your donations, nor be eligible for a sponsor's certificate for baptism, confirmation or as a witness to a wedding. To avoid disappointment, fill out the coupon on page 7 in the bulletin or call the secretary at either church to ask for a membership package.

**Volunteer drivers are needed for  
Monroeville Meals on Wheels.  
If you can help, please call  
412-856-0311.**

**GIANT EAGLE SCRIP CARDS ARE AVAILABLE  
AFTER ALL MASSES.  
\$25 AND \$100 INCREMENTS.  
Stop by and help support our school!**

**SCHOOL NEWS**

**SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADE** students will take a field trip to The University of Pittsburgh Cathedral of Learning Nationality Rooms On Monday, **May 9**.

**GRADES K-6** will take part in "Jump Rope for Heart" on Tuesday, **May 10** in DeLuca Hall.

**GRADES K-3** will attend the Officer Phil program at 2:30 PM, also on Tuesday, **May 10**.

The Diocesan Spelling Bee takes place on Wednesday, **May 11**, and we wish our school representative lots of Luck!

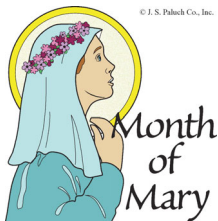
**PTG WILL MEET** in DeLuca Hall on Wednesday, **May 11**, at 6:30 PM. This is a voting meeting and votes will be taken on amending the bylaws concerning board member term limits and use of remaining funds from the year.

**THE DRAMA CLUB** will perform "Stone Soup" at 7:00 PM in DeLuca Hall on Thursday, **May 12**. Admission at the door will be \$2 for Adults and \$1 for Children under 12. Come enjoy the performance!

**EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS** will visit St. Mary's on Friday, **May 13**.

**YOUTH GROUP**

**ALL YOUTH ARE WELCOME** to our Youth Group fellowship gatherings each Sunday afternoon after the 11:00 AM Mass in DeLuca Hall!

**MONTH OF MARY**

One of the most beautiful devotional traditions in the church is that of observing the month of May as the Month of Mary. The Rosary is still a very popular prayer and we urge you to say the Rosary as often as you can. It is recited in North American Mar-

tyrs Church after the 8:00 AM weekday Mass.

**CHURCH ALIVE**

There is a natural human tendency to talk a lot but not to do a lot after talking. This will not be the case with our diocesan-wide program "On Mission for The Church Alive!" We will be doing and accomplishing great things together that will touch every parish, every institution and every lay person, priest and religious in the Church of Pittsburgh. To find out what's involved with "On Mission for The Church Alive!" *get* involved. Talk to your pastor and parish leaders about what you can do to further Jesus' mission in your community. To read more, check out "On Mission for The Church Alive!" on page 5 of this week's Pittsburgh Catholic and visit [www.OnMissionChurchAlive.org](http://www.OnMissionChurchAlive.org). Follow On Mission for The Church Alive on Twitter at @PghChurchAlive. Have something to share about how your parish is "On Mission"? Use the hashtags #ChurchAlive and #OnMissionPgh.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

**DONNA LEW-BUECHEL,**

**DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION, 412-349-0942**



**CONFIRMATION** will take place at 7:00 PM on Monday, **May 23** with a reception in DeLuca Hall afterward.

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT**

**Donna Lew-Buechel, Safe Environment Coordinator,**  
[northamericasec@gmail.com](mailto:northamericasec@gmail.com)

In accordance with the Diocese of Pittsburgh Safe Environment Policy ALL volunteers must be compliant in order to volunteer in ANY capacity within ANY group in the parish. If you missed the flyer in last week's bulletin, please contact Donna at the email address above for the new State requirements. As always, we are so very blessed to have such dedicated and wonderful volunteers here at North American Martyrs Parish, and we appreciate you sharing your faith, time and talents to make our Parish Community strong and vibrant.

**The Youth Choir will practice**  
**Thursdays at 6:30-7:30 PM.**

**AN INVITATION**

Join St. Bernadette on a pilgrimage to Saint Anthony Chapel, Troy Hill, Sunday, **May 22**. The Chapel has been designated as another site in the Diocese to gain the Plenary Indulgence for the Year of Mercy, in addition to the Holy Door at the Cathedral. The Chapel houses 5,000 authentic relics of Saints and is the second largest collection outside of the Vatican. In addition to the relics, the Chapel houses life-size Stations of the Cross, hand carved from wood. There is only one other set like it in the World, St. Patrick's, Erie, and they are not identical. We will visit the museum and gift shop at 2:15 PM and at 3:00 we will begin the tour of the Chapel. The Chapel committee requests a \$3 donation per person for upkeep of the chapel. Call Dee Gallagher at 412-628-7132 to arrange carpools. Please note: We are unable to get into the Chapel earlier due to a Parish Mass with the Anointing of the Sick at 1:00 PM.



**TO CONTACT FR. STEVE:**

Rev. Stephen Chervenak,  
Vincentian Home, Building 5, Room 10,  
111 Perrymont Rd., Pittsburgh, PA 15237  
412-999-4301(c)

## SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY NEWS

## NEIGHBORHOOD 1, ST. ISAAC JOGUES

Sometimes, as in the case of St. Stephen from today's reading, the path that the Holy Spirit asks us to follow may not be well received by others. But this doesn't mean that we should reject the instructions of this gift. For by following the promptings of the Holy Spirit we can accomplish great things! Our term as Neighborhood Group leaders will be coming to an end soon, and we are asking each and every one of you to listen closely to the Holy Spirit and see if you are being called to take on the roll as a new Neighborhood 1 Leader. Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns you may have about the volunteer position. Have a great day and a blessed week! Jesus gave us the Holy Spirit so that He may guide our thoughts and our actions to do God's will.

John and Lauren Mizik, Team Leaders,  
724-454-8755 or 724-396-0420

## NEIGHBORHOOD 2, ST. RENE GOUPIL

"If angels could be jealous of men, they would be so for one reason: Holy Communion." St. Maximilian Kolbe. Neighborhood #2 wants to congratulate Blake Bonidie, John DeLuca, Logan Memije, and Brooklyn Morgan as they made their First Holy Communion last Sunday. We have the privilege of recalling our first time over and over again each time we receive the Holy Eucharist.

Cathie Snyder, Team Leader, 412-372-8951,  
Sue Vargo, Team Leader, 412-856-6198,  
Veronica Benson, Assistant Leader, 412-373-7853

## NEIGHBORHOOD 3, ST. JEAN DE LALANDE

Congratulations to Rollo and MaryAnn Vecchio who celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on May 7 and Happy Birthday to Ben Baklarz who turned 93 on May 5. May God grant them good health and happiness. Thank you to the parishioners who participated in the Pitcairn Church Fellowship's clean-up day on April 23. Pictures can be viewed on North American Martyr's Parish Facebook page. Over 30 people spent 2 hours picking up litter in Pitcairn. Camp B provided lunch. Hopefully, this can become an annual community outreach event. If you have a birthday, anniversary, or prayer request in May and would like it mentioned in a future article or have any other suggestion or request, please feel free to contact any team member or me at [galiarmarty@verizon.net](mailto:galiarmarty@verizon.net).

Team Leader: Marty Galia, 412-380-4681.

## NEIGHBORHOOD 4, ST. JEAN DE BREBEUF

St. John de Brebeuf was one of the first Jesuit missionaries to reach Canada. He was a hardy frontiersman and established the first mission in 1625 near Lake Ontario. He was the first of the martyrs to be killed while preaching Christianity. In 1649, the Iroquois captured the Huron village of Saint Ignatius and he was killed. His courage was admired by the young native Americans. See what is happening in your neighborhood or to get involved, Call Elizabeth at 412-374-3980.

## NEIGHBORHOOD 5, ST. CHARLES GARNIER

St. Charles Garnier arrived in Canada in 1636. He, like the other martyrs, preached the faith to the Native Americans. He did much of his work in the Ossernenon village. In 1649, while working with a group of followers, he was killed by the Iroquois. To see what is happening in your neighborhood or to get involved, Call Elizabeth at 412-374-3980.

## NEIGHBORHOOD 6, ST. GABRIEL LALAMANT

St. Gabriel Lalemant arrived in 1648 at Fort St. Mary in Canada. In 1649 he joined Fr. Brebeuf at St. Ignatius. They worked at the mission there attempting to convert the Native Americans to Christianity. The mission was captured by the Iroquois tribe and he was taken prisoner and killed. To see what is happening in your neighborhood or to get involved, call Elizabeth at 412-374-3980.

## NEIGHBORHOOD 7, ST. ANTOINE DANIEL

St. Antoine Daniel came to see and stay in Canada in 1632. He preached Christianity to the Native Americans and started the school of our Lady of Angels in Quebec for Native American boys. Many of the Native Americans disliked the idea of their young boys being taught Christianity and the idea of a peaceful existence. One day in 1648 while he was saying Mass in his frontier chapel he was killed.

For weekly faith sharing information call Kathy at 724-327-8966.

## NEIGHBORHOOD 8, ST. NOEL CHABANEL

St. Noel Chabanel came to Canada in 1643. He worked for 6 years among the Algonquin near Fort St. Mary. He disliked the cruel customs and tried to teach and show the Native Americans the Christian way. In 1649, he was killed out of hatred for the faith he was teaching to the Huron Indians.

For weekly faith sharing information call Kathy at 724-327-8966.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon: Acts 19:1-8; Jn 16:29-33  
 Tue: Acts 20:17-27; Jn 17:1-11a  
 Wed: Acts 20:28-38; Jn 17:11b-19  
 Thu: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Jn 17:20-26  
 Fri: Acts 25:13b-21; Jn 21:15-19  
 Sat: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Jn 15: 9-17  
 Sun: Acts 2:1-11; Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23



**SANCTUARY CANDLE**



*The sanctuary Candle burns this week at North American Martyrs for Paul & Paul M. Murray, requested by Marilyn Murray. The sanctuary Candle burns this week at St. Michael for Hannah Harrie, requested by Peg Yagatich.*

**CALENDAR LOTTERY WINNERS**

**Winners week of 4/15-4/21/16**

#700 M. Ayres, #048 No Winner, #816 A. Petrocelli, #238 No Winner, #874 W. Brammer, #926 C. Humbert, #264 Wyke

**LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS**

Low-gluten hosts are available at NAM and St. Michael Churches for anyone with wheat/gluten intolerance. *They are not gluten free;* they contain .01% of gluten/wheat. If you need this type of host, please let Father know before the Mass begins. If you have any questions, please call Elizabeth at 412-374-3980.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH**

Mary Ann Abbenante, R.A., Jim Barr, Jim Behe, Edith Botti, Gladys Bronick, Ray Caskey, Rosalie Cordasco, John DeCenzo, Jenny Detwiler, Theresa DeVito, Rachel Edwards, Tom Elko, Pat Emmick, Farren Family, Anita Farruggia, Doreen Franceschini, Leanne Genel, Bob Gojkovich, Karen Gribischer, Shirley Hanlon, Tom Kimicata, Lex, Bernard Matthews Sr., Lauren Mizik, Gert Mocadlo, Margaret Nebiolo, Jamie O'Grady, Celeste Peleggi, Gene Pilardi, Michelle Poydence, Jacob R., John Roney, Marie Rotella, Christine Samrok, James Sandala, Jr., Clara Sands, Kathy Smail, Andrew Smith, Sophie Stahl, Tom Steimer, Fr. Miro Stelmaszczyk, Patty & Kevin Toohill, Helen Toth, Clare Valansky, Theresa Ventresco, Renee Venturella, Marilyn White, Sherry Woods, John Yanniruberto, Wesley & Alexander, & Nancy Youthers.

If you know someone who is ill and who would like their name put on this prayer list, please have them contact Linda Freytag at 412-856-7321 or at jimlyn2@verizon.net

>EMERGENCY FOOD, CLOTHING & MORE<  
 >IN MONROEVILLE & PITCAIRN<  
 >ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY CAN HELP<  
 >CALL 412-373-0330 X33<

If you or someone you know, particularly someone who is homebound or ill, would benefit from receiving a Prayer Shawl, please contact Mary Harrill at 412-372-3181 or at meh227@aol.com.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday, May 8 Seventh Sunday of Easter (Mothers Day)**

8:00 AM Our Mothers-Mary & Bob Harrill  
 9:30 AM St. Michael, People of the Parish  
 11:00 AM Mothers of the Parish-NAM Women's Guild

**Monday, May 9**

8:00 AM Thresa Petrucci Panichella-Family  
 8:30 AM Exposition & Adoration  
 7:00 PM NAM, Holy Hour

**Tuesday, May 10**

8:00 AM St. Michael, NO MASS  
 7:00 PM St. Michael, Doris & Frank Miller-Friends and Family

**Wednesday, May 11**

8:00 AM Mae Ryan-Kendi Family  
 1:00 PM Broadview Manor, Victoria Coronado-Grado Family

**Thursday, May 12**

8:00 AM St. Michael, Joseph Agostini-Carl, Barb & Family

**Friday, May 13**

9:00 AM Recipients of Prayer Shawls-Stitching Angels

**Saturday, May 14 St. Matthias**

9:00 AM NO MASS  
 12:00 PM St. Michael, Confessions  
 4:00 PM Maura Heiles-Corrine Malloy

**Sunday, May 15 Pentecost Sunday**

8:00 AM George Dopirak-M/M William Doperak  
 9:30 AM St. Michael, Stephen Statnick-Antimarino Family  
 11:00 AM People of the Parish

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

*Articles for the May 22<sup>nd</sup> bulletin must be submitted to the Rectory Office before May 10.*

*You may submit to office@namcatholicchurch.org*

Mass for the Living and Deceased Members of N.A.M.'s Altar Rosary Society is said at our twin parish, St. Paul's Catholic Church in Crownpointe, NM, the third Wednesday of each month.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS MAY 1, 2016**

Wkly Offertory Rec'd	\$9,757.00
On-Line Giving	1,528.00
Wkly Offertory Needed	10,160.00
Wkly Offertory Over/Short	1,125.00
YTD Offertory Rec'd	428,679.00
YTD Offertory Needed	447,040.00
YTD Offertory Over/Short	(18,361.00)
Fiscal Year Budget	\$528,320.00

**WELCOME TO NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS PARISH**

**In order that we may serve your needs better, please fill out this form, check any interests and drop it in the collection basket, mail or bring to the Rectory/Office. Thank you.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Home) (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

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| <input type="checkbox"/> New Parishioner          | <input type="checkbox"/> New Address or Phone         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Moving out of Parish     | <input type="checkbox"/> School information           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Returning to Parish      | <input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Catholicism/RCIA |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Entering Hospital        | <input type="checkbox"/> Shut in                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Returning Catholic       | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Guild                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons w/Disabilities   | <input type="checkbox"/> St. Vincent dePaul           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Holy Name Soc.           | <input type="checkbox"/> Ladies of Charity            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Altar Rosary Soc.        | <input type="checkbox"/> Stitching Angels             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jr High Youth Group      | <input type="checkbox"/> HS Youth Group               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Respect Life             | <input type="checkbox"/> Choir/Funeral Choir          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Senior Group | <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Altar Server           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usher                    |   |