

# North American Martyrs Parish

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April 16, 2017, Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

## 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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412-373-2610

### 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  
**Weekday:** Monday, & Wednesday .....8:00 AM  
Friday .....9:00 AM

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

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

**Pastor** .....412-373-0330 X11

**Office/Rector (NAM)** .....412-373-0330 X10

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**School** .....412 373-0889

**School Advancement Office** .....412-373-0330 X24

**School Fax** .....412-349-0175

**Religious Education** .....412-349-0942

**Youth Ministry** .....412-373-0330 X12

**Office Fax, (NAM)** .....412-380-1306

**Office Fax, (St. Michael)** .....412-373-2031

**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'sVineyard.org](http://Rachel'sVineyard.org)  
Pregnancy Counseling: Genesis 412-766-2693 or  
Birthright 412-621-1988



**CONGRATULATIONS ELECT & CANDIDATES! THANK YOU! DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY,  
EASTER COMMUNION CALLS, ST. VINCENT SCHOLARSHIP**

**CONGRATULATIONS ELECT & CANDIDATES!:** I am happy to announce congratulations to the three members of the RCIA who were baptized at our Easter Vigil namely: **Sharaya Dunson, George Marshall and Jarlot Spicer**. They also received their First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Congratulations also to the five candidates who had already been baptized Christians but who were received into the Catholic Church, received Holy Communion and Confirmation. They are: **Michele Gebhardt, Richard Giannocora, Rose Marshall, Lisa Shearer and Brian Wyke**. Thanks also to their sponsors and my fellow RCIA team members: **Tony Costa, John Kearns and Jennifer Blythe**. We are proud of the eight new fully initiated members of our Church. Please congratulate them and welcome them into our faith community.

**THANK YOU!:** Thanks to all of our servers, Eucharistic ministers, lectors, ushers, greeters, our music ministers, cantors and choir members for adding so much to our liturgy during this past Holy Week and on Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday. Thanks to the members of the **Altar Rosary Society** and other **volunteers** for decorating NAM Church and for **Cris D'Ascenzo** and **volunteers** for decorating St. Michael Church so beautifully. Thanks to **John Kearns** for helping me to train the altar servers for the Holy Week Services and for serving as emcee at our different liturgies. Thanks to **Mary Ellen Samek, Joan O'Toole and Lynn Marie** in preparing our rectory banquet table for the celebration of our neophytes following the Easter Vigil Celebration. Thanks to all of you who donated money for Easter Flowers. Thanks to the Parish Ministry Fellowship for their sponsorship for the annual Easter Egg Hunt for our children. Thanks to **George Haslett** for arranging the Seven Church Walk and to **Ray/Verna Mae Castner and George/Mary Ann Haslett** for preparing the Meager Meal on Good Friday. I would like to offer a huge thank you to all the **school staff, school parents and children parish staff and other volunteers** who faithfully worked our Lenten Fish Fry under the co-chairpersons of **Jennifer Speranza and Jennifer O'Connor**. I don't have any totals at this time, but based upon the amount of people who came during lunch, dinner, and for take-outs, it was a record-breaking Lenten Fish Fry Season! Thanks to everyone for your continual support!

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY:** Next Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday. Throughout Easter Week we will continue with the Divine Mercy Novena that began on Good Friday up until and including April 22. Check the bulletin on page 7 under Mass intentions for our schedule of Eucharistic Exposition, Confessions, Holy Hour and Benediction on Divine Mercy Sunday.

**EASTER COMMUNION CALLS:** Easter Sunday begins the fifty days of the Easter Season. During these fifty days, **Tony Costa** and I will be visiting our homebound parishioners to bring them the Eucharist. I will also be able to provide the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Sacrament of Anointing as needed.

**ST. VINCENT SCHOLARSHIP:** A \$2,000 grant, renewable for four years, is awarded to students who are registered members of parishes staffed by Benedictine monks of St. Vincent, or at which monks from the Archabbey assist regularly. This includes North American Martyrs Parish. A student must be registered at our parish. That student must notify me as soon as possible since each pastor must submit a letter attesting that the student has been an active member of the parish for at least one year and mail before May 1 to the St. Vincent College Admission Office. I prefer to be notified **by phone** at 412-373-0330 ext. 11. Annual re-application is not necessary.

*Fr. Joe*



### STITCHING ANGELS



The Stitching Angels will hold their next meeting on Wednesday, **April 19** at 1:30 PM in the Rectory Conference Room. You can bring all your completed items to this meeting. We have started making Baby Items for our Baby Shower to be held on **August 19/20**. We usually make the following items: Baby Blankets, Small Blankets, Bibs, Burps, Sweaters, Hats, Wash Cloths, Stuffed Baby Toys and the list goes on. If you are in need of yarn or patterns, please let me know. If you are interested in being a part of the Stitching Angels, please let me know. If you have comments or questions please contact me at 412-372-3181 or meh227@aol.com.

**THE ST. VINCENT DePAUL SOCIETY** will meet Wednesday, **April 26** at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Conference Room.

### PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

*There will be a session for Protecting God's Children on Thursday, April 27, 6:30-9:30 PM, DeLuca Hall*

### BINGO!

It's time for SPRING BINGO! Call your friends and family and invite them to play Bingo with you on Saturday, **April 29**. This event benefits NAM School. Tickets to the Bingo Night will be sold after all Masses at NAM & St. Michael **April 22-23**. Tickets will **not** be sold after the Masses on Easter weekend, **April 15-16**. Your \$20 ticket includes 6 cards for all 14 regular Bingo games, including the \$500 jackpot game. MAGIC Number, Early Birds, Specials, extra Bingo cards, and Pull-Tab games will also be available for purchase, as will hot foods, snacks and desserts. If you have any questions, please call Vanda Raszewski at [412-512-9863](tel:412-512-9863). Get your tickets early. Our Spring Bingo Night is always very popular!

### SPRING LUNCHEON



The North American Martyrs Women's Guild Spring Luncheon/Fashion Show will be held on Sunday, **April 30**, from 11:00 AM-3:00 PM at the Edgewood Country Club in their Main Ballroom. The cost for this gala event will be \$30.00 per person. Our entrees for this year will be: Chicken Romano, Roasted Pork Loin, or Italian Ravioli. All meals will include a salad, starch and vegetable and dessert. Our Fashion Show for this year will be presented by Dress Barn. Please mark your calendars and invite your family and friends to join you for this lovely afternoon. Reservation can be made by contacting Ellen Kajder at 412-373-7148 by Monday, April 17

**Bishop David Zubik, together with his brothers, Auxiliary Bishop William Waltersheid and Retired Auxiliary Bishop William Winter, will welcome families of the Diocese of Pittsburgh to the Annual Blessing of Families on Easter Sunday, April 16 at Saint Paul Cathedral in Oakland at 2:00 PM. All are welcome to the Cathedral to receive this special Blessing imparted by our bishops as they also take the opportunity to thank families for the beautiful witness of love and faith that they share with us.**

### BABY SHOWER

The Stitching Angels of North American Martyrs Parish will hold their annual Baby Shower the weekend of **August 19 & 20** this year. 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 meh227@aol.com.

### ARE YOU REALLY A MEMBER?

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.

### ON MISSION FOR CHURCH ALIVE!

OUR CAMPAIGN FOR  
**THE CHURCH ALIVE!**

**THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HAS MADE, LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD!** Christ is risen! When all hope seemed to be lost through the suffering and death of Jesus, He rose from the dead and transformed the sorrow and grief of loss to the glory and joy of new life. *On Mission for The Church Alive!* will bring us new life as we discover how to serve God and others in new and more effective ways. Let's not wait to reach out and grow the Church in Pittsburgh. Who can we share the joy and peace of the risen Lord with today as we are renewed in hope? Visit [onmissionchurchalive.org](http://onmissionchurchalive.org) to stay involved.

**FOR ALL WOMEN**

A Royal Invitation is extended to all women to a retreat led by lay women, **April 28-30**, 6:00 PM Friday through 6:00 PM Sunday at Kearns Spirituality Center, Allison Park. This retreat offers an opportunity to encounter or rediscover Jesus in our lives. It is not required that you be Catholic, Christian or a member of any parish. Come spend the weekend being pampered and loved while you discover real faith for real life. The cost is \$ 195.00 per person. Register early to secure your space as there is limited availability. Should you need additional information, have questions, or if applications are unavailable in your church, please email [emmauspgh@yahoo.com](mailto:emmauspgh@yahoo.com) or call Karla at 412-758-1296 or Clare at 412-298-8252.

**SINGLE CATHOLICS OF ALL AGES**

Join hundreds of single Catholics of all ages at the National Catholic Singles Conference on Friday-Sunday, **May 19-21 to be held** at the DoubleTree Pittsburgh-Green Tree in Pittsburgh. The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers, music, social events, prayer, food, fellowship and more. Space is limited so register now! To register visit [www.NationalCatholicSingles.com](http://www.NationalCatholicSingles.com). Use promo code NCSCPA to receive a special discount. Can't find your question answered on the website? Call 888.267.8885 x43.

**FORTY DAYS FOR LIFE**

Christians throughout Pittsburgh are invited to take part in the International 40 Days for Life campaign. The mission of 40 Days for Life is to unite the Body of Christ in the spiritual battle to end abortion. Through 40 Days for Life, 12,668 lives have been spared from abortion, 141 abortion workers converted and 75 abortion facilities have closed! Join us for 40 days of prayer & fasting and a peaceful vigil held every day from 7:00 AM-7:00 PM in front of Planned Parenthood at 933 Liberty Avenue. To find out more about how you can be involved, go to [www.40daysforlifepittsburgh.com](http://www.40daysforlifepittsburgh.com) or go to the website at [www.40daysforlife.com/pittsburgh](http://www.40daysforlife.com/pittsburgh) or contact Nikki Bruni at 412-926-9413, or at [nbruni@40daysforlifepgh.com](mailto:nbruni@40daysforlifepgh.com).

**INFANT JESUS RESPECT LIFE**

The Infant Jesus Respect Life Group, Eastern Area, will meet Tuesday, **April 18**, at North American Martyrs Parish Conference Room at 7:00 PM. Our guest speaker will be Vanda Raszewski. For more information contact Donna Roney at 412-37-3257 or at [Madonna.roney09@gmail.com](mailto:Madonna.roney09@gmail.com).

**CONFERENCE AT FRANCISCAN UNIVERSITY**

"The Catholic Church in World Affairs" conference will be held at Franciscan University of Steubenville, Friday & Saturday, **April 28-29**. The conference brings together some of today's preeminent Catholic social scientists, including author Dr. Paul Kengor, author William Kilpatrick, and Center for Family and Human Rights President Austin Ruse. For a schedule of events, including talk titles and speaker biographies, please visit <http://www.franciscan.edu/church-in-world-affairs> or call 740-283-6447. Registration for the general public is \$50. You can follow us on [www.franciscan.edu](http://www.franciscan.edu), Facebook.com/FranciscanUniversity, Twitter.com/FranciscanU or YouTube.com/FranciscanUSteubie

**CALLED BY NAME**

The Vocations Office is hosting *Called by Name*, a night for high school men and women to explore the universal call to holiness. It will take place on Sunday, **April 30** from 4:00-8:30 PM at St. Paul Seminary. We would be grateful if you could advertise this event in any way you can through your parish bulletin and in your parish. If interested go to [PGHPriest.com](http://PGHPriest.com) to register.

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD**

Rachel's Vineyard, a weekend retreat designed to heal the emotional and spiritual wounds of abortion, will be held on Friday-Sunday, **May 5-7** at Tabor House in Millvale. In a confidential and supportive atmosphere, Rachel's Vineyard demonstrates God's love, forgiveness, and compassion to women (and men) struggling with abortion's aftermath. To register or for more information, call Toni Jester at 412-352-5348 or email: [tonia-fjl@comcast.net](mailto:tonia-fjl@comcast.net)

In a troubled marriage? Retrouvaille can help. <http://www.retrouvailleofpittsburghinc.org/>

**BEREAVEMENT HELP**

The Bereavement Ministry of Our Lady of Joy Catholic Church in Plum will have a seven week grief support series beginning Wednesday, **April 19** from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. We will meet in classroom 2 downstairs. Our support group is for those who have lost a loved one and are seeking the company of others in their time of need. We will meet every Wednesday through **May 31**. All are welcome. If interested please call Liz Bachtel at 724-337-0049 or the religious education office at 412-795-4389 for more information or to register.

**SCHOOL NEWS**

ON BEHALF OF NAM FACULTY AND STAFF, we would like to wish everyone a blessed and Happy Easter! SCHOOL WILL RESUME after Easter Break on Tuesday, April 18.

WE WISH TO GIVE a huge thank you to all of our parish and school families who made this year's Fish Fry such a success. A special thank you to Mrs. Jen O'Connor and Mrs. Jenn Speranza, our wonderful co-chairs of this event. Their countless hours of behind the scene preparation as well as their leadership in the kitchen on Fridays made this event run as smoothly as it did. Yet again, this year has exceeded expectations! Without everyone's hard work this major accomplishment would not be possible. Your dedication to this event was truly in the Lenten spirit!

**Purchase Giant Eagle Scrip Cards**

in denominations of \$25.00 or \$100.00  
at weekend Masses.



**FR. JOE AND THE NORTH AMERICAN  
MARTYRS/ST. MICHAEL STAFF  
WISH YOU A VERY SAFE, HAPPY AND  
BLESSED EASTER**

**BAM! BECAUSE ACADEMICS MATTER**

Join us at Oakland Catholic High School and Central Catholic High School for an academic summer enrichment program offered **June 19-30** for girls and boys entering 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades. For information and registration visit [BAM-PGH.COM](http://BAM-PGH.COM).

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

**DONNA LEW-BUECHEL,  
DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION, 412-349-0942**

CCD classes are every Wednesday 6:45-8:00 PM for grades 1-8. If you have not registered your child(ren) please contact the Religious Education Office. It is NOT too late!!

Also, High School Aides are always in demand for all grade levels. This is a great way to help share with the child(ren) of our Parish and gain Service Hours. If interested contact Donna Lew-Buechel.

We are always in need of Substitute teachers throughout the year. Lessons will be provided. Contact the Religious Education office if you are interested.

**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. 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.

**YOUTH GROUP**

**WE WILL SPEND** the month of May helping with various church events including communion, confirmation and baccalaureate. Please try to be around to help with these activities.

**REMEMBER** that messages are on Remind. If you want to sign up to get these please contact me at 412-780-4630 or [chuff1571@comcast.net](mailto:chuff1571@comcast.net).

**Bishop Zubik on Twitter**

**In addition to brief reflections on scripture or saints, our bishop draws lessons from his favorite pop culture figures, such as @ArethaFranklin. If you like it, retweet it!**

**OPEN HOUSE**

You are invited to an open House for Prospective Theology Graduate Students at Duquesne University's Theology Department. The department offers Master's degrees for people interested in learning their faith more deeply and growing in ability to serve in their parishes and beyond. Join us on Thursday, **April 27** at 5:00-7:00 PM on Duquesne's campus. For more information and to RSVP, please contact [obrien@duq.edu](mailto:obrien@duq.edu) or 412-396-6528.

## SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY NEWS

## NEIGHBORHOOD 1, ST. ISAAC JOGUES

Today is the day of Easter joy! This is the morning on which the Lord appeared to men who had begun to lose their hope and opened their eyes to what the scriptures foretold...that first He must die, and then He would rise and ascend into His Father's glorious presence. May the risen Lord always be on our minds. We celebrate Him by the breaking of bread and the drinking of wine, and follow Him in His risen life. Celebrate and enjoy this holy day!

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

## NEIGHBORHOOD 2, ST. RENE GOUPIL

“Do not abandon yourself to despair. We are the Easter people and hallelujah is our song.” St. Pope John Paul II. A blessed Easter to you. Our neighborhood would like to congratulate those who were initiated into the faith at the Easter Vigil this weekend. We welcome them into our Parish Family.

Cathie Snyder, Team Leader, 412-372-8951,  
Veronica Benson, Assistant Leader, 412-373-7853

## NEIGHBORHOOD 3, ST. JEAN DE LALANDE

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.

## 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.

## NEIGHBORHOOD 6, ST. GABRIEL LALEMANT

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.

## 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.

## 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.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

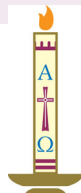
Mon: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Mt 28:8-15  
 Tue: Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18  
 Wed: Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35  
 Thu: Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48  
 Fri: Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14  
 Sat: Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15  
 Sun: Acts 2:42-47; 1 Pt 1:3-9; Jn 20:19-31



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday, April 16 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**  
 8:00 AM Dorothy & Charles Stevens-Daughter, Diane Kalina  
 9:30 AM **St. Michael**, People of Parish  
 11:00 AM Paul Viccaro-Rita & Dave Dolan  
**Monday, April 17**  
 8:00 AM Lorraine Pope-Bill & Lee McGraw  
**Tuesday, April 18**  
 8:00 AM **St. Michael**, No Mass  
 7:00 PM **St. Michael**, Benjamin Grado-Nick & Lorenza Grado & Family  
**Wednesday, April 19**  
 8:00 AM Jimmy Sandala-Friend  
**Thursday, April 20**  
 8:00 AM **St. Michael**, Ray Bair-Family  
**Friday, April 21**  
 9:00 AM Theresa & Anthony Venturella-Daughter, Renee Venturella  
**Saturday, April 22**  
 12:00 PM NAM, Confessions  
 4:00 PM Cindy Pugliano-Lorraine Demarest  
**Sunday, April 23 Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)**  
 8:00 AM Joanne Lobritz-John & Family  
 9:30 AM **St. Michael**, Andy & Irma DeBone-Donna DeBone  
 11:00 AM People of Parish  
 12:00 PM NAM, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
 1:00-3:00 PM NAM, Confessions  
 3:00 PM NAM, Holy Hour with Divine Mercy Chaplet  
 3:50 PM NAM, Benediction & Reposition

**SANCTUARY CANDLE**



*The Sanctuary Candle burns this week at NAM in memory of Randy Bilinsky, requested by daughter, Sarah.*  
*The Sanctuary Candle burns this week at St. Michael in memory of Helen Tartaglione requested by Marty & Dona Galia.*

**CALENDAR LOTTERY WINNERS**

**Due to earlier deadlines with the printer company for the holiday, winners will appear in a future bulletin.**

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

*Articles for the April 30th bulletin must be submitted to the Rectory Office before Tuesday, April 18. You may submit to office@namcatholicchurch.org*

**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.



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

Mary Ann Abbenante, Eugenie Antcich, Jim Barr, Edith Botti, Gladys Bronick, Ray Caskey, Rosalie Cordasco, John DeCenzo, Theresa DeVito, E. Family, Adrienne Ellis, Pat Emmick, Farren Family, Anita Farruggia, Doreen Franceschini, Leanne Genel, Bob Gojkovich, Karen Gribischer, Tom Kimicata, David Maola, Bernard Matthews, Sr., Lauren Mizik, Celeste Peleggi, Patsy Pizzuto, Michelle Poydence, Jacob R., John Roney, Christine Samrok, Clara Sands, Kathy Smail, Sophie Stahl, Fr. Miro Stelmaszczyk, Regina Schwaderer, Nicholas Travisano, Charlotte Trexler, Clare Valansky, Theresa Ventresca, Renee Venturella, Deborah Walker, Sherry Woods, Wesley & Alexander, John Yanniruberto, Nancy Youthers & Betty Yoxall.

**If you know someone who is ill and who would like their name put on this prayer list, please have them contact Patti Kemerer at 412-856-7294 or at pattiakem@gmail.com no later than Tuesday evening.**

**OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS**

**Due to earlier deadlines with the printer company for the holiday, totals will appear in a future bulletin.**

**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"/> Altar Rosary Soc.        | <input type="checkbox"/> Stitching Angels             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jr High Youth Group      | <input type="checkbox"/> HS Youth Group               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Senior Group | <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Altar Server           |
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