

If we plant seeds in our garden, we expect they will grow. If we invest our money, we expect a return on our investment. God also expects us to bear fruit. He has given us every blessing. He expects us to show a rich harvest by our lives of faithful service to Him and to His Church.

Holy Hour –5:00 to 6:00 today.

MISSIONARY COLLECTION

JULY 19th-20th

Sister Mary Ryan, Franciscan Missionary for Africa, will be here at all the Masses on the weekend of July 19-20. She will share with us some of her experiences as a missionary and make the Annual Mission Appeal. This gives you the opportunity to be active in the Mission of the Church in other lands by giving the support of your prayers and financial assistance.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Gate of Heaven Parish wishes to invite all new families to consider joining our parish family. If you would like more information about joining Gate of Heaven or have any questions about the parish, please call us at 675-2121, or fill out the form below and drop it off in the collection basket or parish office. We will contact you regarding the various aspects of parish membership.

GATE OF HEAVEN PARISH REGISTRATION

Name _____
 Address _____
 City/Zip _____
 Telephone _____ Cell _____

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NOTE

The Dallas Knights of Columbus Council is looking to recruit new members. We are active in many Church and community events. Take pride in showing and sharing your Christian beliefs. For more information call Jack Cacoza at 675-3944.

SUMMER YOUTH MUSIC CAMP

The Summer Youth Music Camp will take place at Gate of Heaven from 9:30 to 11:30 AM and will run from Monday, August 4 through Friday, August 8. All participants will take part in a Youth Liturgy on Sunday, August 10 at 11:00 AM. Students in grade 3 through 8 are invited.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

We recently received Memorial Donations

In memory of Evan Williams:

Matt, Catherine, Matt, Elizabeth Iwicki

In memory of William Dollard:

John & Ruth Clarke, Edward Zelinski, Ann Kruika, Our Gang Bowling League

In memory of Kevin Sult:

Employees of W-B Mark II, Theresa Clark, Bill & Jean Long, Peg & Joe Canfield, James & Patricia Smith, Mary Weeks, Elly & Murray Miller, Wilson Flock Insurance, Bill & Beverly Connolly, M/M James Semyon, M/M John Gillespie, Joann Mullery Coats, MaryClaire McCarthy, Brian & Sandra Hammond, Lyn Carey & DBA LYN Carey Entertainment, Irma Fischer, Lee & Norma Zurner.

CALLED TO HOLINESS AND MISSION

Our parish Core Committee working with the Core Committees in the cluster have submitted a Suggestion to the Diocesan Planning Commission on how the cluster might work together in the future. We suggest working on Model partnership which for our parish would mean sharing some of our resources and joining together on certain projects and activities such as RCIA, stewardship, and CCD for example.

The Planning Commission will consider our work and make a recommendation back to us. At that time we will be asked to respond to their recommendation.

CAMEL BEACH TICKETS

We will be offering CAMEL BEACH tickets for \$22.00 each—a savings of \$7.00 off regular admission. (Children under 2-free). These tickets are available in the Church office and can be used any day this season at Camel Beach.

MISSION STATEMENT

Gate of Heaven Parish is a faithful and holy community of Catholic believers who are baptized, and in union with the One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church. We worship God — Father, Son and Holy Spirit —through the celebration of the Mass and reception of the Church's Sacraments. We serve our community and the risen Lord by living the Gospel message and being Christ to others. As a welcoming community, we invite all to come and share their gifts with us and receive God's blessings.

THE OFFICE FOR PARISH LIFE AND RESOURCE CENTER

The Office for Parish Life/Resource Center, 400 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton, has a variety of resources and media for your spiritual development and catechetical needs. Topics such as Sacraments, Saints, Social Justice, Respect Life, Morality, Liturgy, Prayer, directed to all age levels. The center is available to parishioners during the hours of 9 AM to 5 PM, Monday through Friday, or call the Resource Center, 207-2284. We are always here to serve you.

A CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE

A Catholic Charismatic Conference focusing on the theme "There are Different Kinds of Gifts, but the Same Spirit" to be held at the University of Scranton during the weekend of August 1 thru August 3. Speakers are Maria Vadia, Fr. John Gordon, Fr. Celsus Auguiste, Walter Matthews, Bishop Sam Jacobs, Fr. Richard Loch, and Bob Valiante. The Conference includes a Youth Tract and a Children's Tract. Registration fee for the weekend before July 21 is \$40.00, after 7/21 is \$55.00. Commuting and brown bagging is encouraged. For registration forms please call 344-2214.

PLANNING YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISM?

Here are a few things to keep in mind: *Parents must participate in a Baptism Preparation Session before the Baptism date is set. At least one Godparent must be a practicing Roman Catholic verified by the Godparent's parish. Parents must be registered parishioners of Gate of Heaven for at least six months.* Please call the office, 675-2121, to schedule your Baptism.

www.gohchurch.org
All the latest news
Bazaar photos are up!

IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

*With summer in full swing, we would like to remind everyone that we should **dress and act appropriately in the presence of the Most Blessed Sacrament.** It is something which we often take for granted, but even the wording on some T-shirts can be inappropriate attire for the Eucharist. And while socializing after Mass is always a good thing, it is important that we retain a respectful mood and tone. Whenever walking directly past the Blessed Sacrament, it is proper to genuflect, except at Communion time when the Eucharist is within you. If you cannot genuflect, a simple bow is appropriate. Thank you for your respect in the presence of God in Church.*

SAINT ANN NOVENA AT GATE OF HEAVEN

The Novena to Saint Ann will begin on Friday, July 18 and will be said following the 7:30 AM daily Mass and conclude on Saturday, July 26.

FOUND— Left at the Bazaar Thursday night—a child's hooded, name-brand sweatshirt. Call Maureen Leahigh at 675-7822 to claim.

SUPPORT OUR LOCAL PARISHES

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Hunlock Creek, featuring delicious home-made food, games and prizes soft ice cream, theme baskets, huge air-conditioned flea market. Friday, July 18, Saturday, July 19 and Sunday, July 20, live entertainment.
Saint Nicholas Church, 226 S. Washington St., W-B, great ethnic foods, theme baskets, prizes and games. Raffle tickets for \$7200 in cash and prizes. Silent Auction, Flea Market. Live Entertainment.. Dates: Thursday, July 17, Friday, July 18 and Saturday, July 19.

OFFICE MANAGER/SECRETARY **HOLY CROSS HIGH SCHOOL—DUNMORE**

This full time position will provide supervision and general secretarial support at Holy Cross High School in Dunmore. The successful candidate must be detail oriented and will be expected to type, operate most standard office machines, file, handle telephone calls, prepare office mailings and manage a small office staff. A minimum of three years of demonstrated clerical experience, computer proficiency and strong written and communication skills are required. Applicants must possess a demonstrated knowledge of and commitment to the Catholic Church's teachings, mission, vision and values. Please send letter of interest, a complete resume, and salary requirement by July 18 to: James R. Burke, Diocesan Director of Human Resources, 300 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton, PA 18503.

Remembering...

Monday	July 14	7:30 AM	Communion Service	
		7:00 PM	Dec. mem. Kolankiewicz/Prushinski Fam.	Dorothy Koscielski
Tuesday	July 15	7:30 AM	Nicole Spencer	7:00 AM Mass Group
Wednesday	July 16	7:30 AM	Mary Jane Bythrow	Frank Donahoe
Thursday	July 17	7:30 AM	Communion Service	
Friday	July 18	7:30 AM	Kevin Sult	Joe/Mary Urban
Saturday	July 19	7:30 AM	Communion Service	
		5:00 PM	Monsignor Andrew J. McGowan	Father Kevin
Sunday	July 20	7:00 AM	Priest's Intention	
		9:00 AM	Harold Ruth	Frank/Marlene Rollman
		11:00 AM	Gertrude Higgins	Family

**Liturgical
Ministers
July 19-20**

**Altar
Servers**

Lectors

Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 PM	A.J. Limongelli Cortney O'Brien	Nancy Rowlands	Ruth Farris, Tonya Gannon, S. Gusher Judy Wallick, <i>Deacon Tom</i>
7:00 AM	Christie Cawley	M. Lamoreux	Bette/John Gillespie, Angie Murray Dorothy Kolankiewicz, Donna Supey
9:00 AM	Leah Benedetti Melissa Tucker	Marilyn Baluh	Marie Belasco, Renee Benedetti J. Gilbertson, L. Wallace, M. T. Yurko
11:00 AM	Anne Yanik Robbie Yanik	Glenn Yanik	Joe/Peg Canfield, Art Flanagan Arlene Murphy, Marianne Yanik

**The
Altar Flowers
this week were
given in
honor of
the 56th
Wedding
Anniversary
of
Frank & Alice
Summa.**

**The
Sanctuary
Light
this week
was given
in memory of
deceased
members of
Kolankiewicz
& Prushinski
Families
given by D.
Kolankiewicz
& D. Koscielski.**

FATIMA ROSARY/DEVOTION

The Fatima Rosary and Devotion will be held at Our Lady of Victory Church, Harveys Lake, on Sunday, July 13, at 7 PM. All are invited.

Last Sunday's Sacrificial Offering

302 families used their SUNDAY envelopes and offered \$7375.50 in last Sunday's Collection.

Children's Sunday—\$26.70.

Please encourage your children to use their offertory envelopes. It is a wonderful way to teach stewardship to them. Thank you for your generosity.

Who is a Christian Steward?

One who receives God's gifts gratefully, cherishes and tends them in a responsible and accountable manner, shares them in justice and love with others, and returns them with increase to the Lord.

Two percent of our Second Sunday of the month Collection is given to a charity.