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St. Maximilian Kolbe Church
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Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule: St. Max: Weekday 9:00 a.m. - Saturday 4:00 p.m.
 Sunday 9:15 & 10:30 a.m. St. Agnes: Tuesday-Thursday 6:45 a.m.,
 Friday 8:15 a.m. - Sunday 8:00 & 11:45 a.m.

Reconciliation: St. Max Saturday 3:15-3:45 p.m. or by appointment

Baptism: by appointment

Matrimony: Couples must contact Father Dan before a date can be set.

SPIRITUAL AND PASTORAL LIFE

Miraculous Medal Novena: Mondays after the 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Max

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Wednesdays after the 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Max

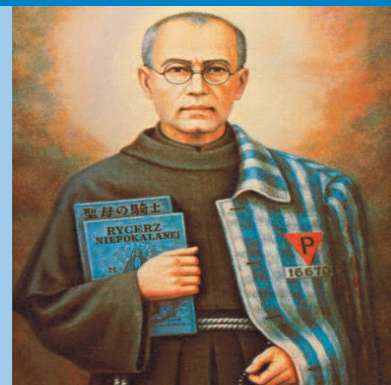
Adoration: Every Friday Noon - 4:00 p.m. with Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 p.m. at St. Max

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Meets the Second Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at St. Max

Seniors Mass: Meets the First Thursday of the month at 11:00 a.m. for Mass and meeting afterward in the Kolbe Room at St. Max.

Ephesians IV - Prayer & Praise - Resumes September 12th at St. Agnes - Everyone welcome

Diocesan Victim Assistance Hotline: 1-888-808-1235



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Simone Miller (St. Max)

ORGANIZATIONS

St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Max
 Paul Lockard, President

St. Maximilian Kolbe Seniors
 Colleen Zuger, President

St. Agnes Seniors
 Ed Ferchak, President

St. Maximilian Kolbe Ladies Guild
 Mary Stibrik, President

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 Jo Stevens

St. Maximilian Kolbe Fish Fry
 Dennis Moyle

PHONE NUMBERS

Rectory	412-461-1054
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St. Agnes Cafeteria	412-466-5500
Social Hall St. Agnes	412-466-5500
Social Hall St. Max	412-462-1743
St. Agnes Convent	412-466-3554

Mission Statement of St. Agnes: St. Agnes Parish, established in West Mifflin, PA in 1867, is a viable Catholic community that witnesses the message of Jesus through the talents of its members who are nurtured by the Holy Spirit. Our mission is to invite people to know and become one with Jesus Christ reaching out in service to all.

Mission Statement of St. Maximilian Kolbe: St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish has a proud ethnic and faith-filled history. Our goal is to live the Gospel each day, to welcome everyone, to reach out to the churched and unchurched, and to be a living presence of Christ to the community through prayer and activities. All that we do is centered around the Eucharistic table of the Lord.

Labor Day - Mass will be celebrated on **Monday, September 5th** at 9:00 a.m. at St. Max Church. Come and pray for those looking for a fair job or come and pray for the job you have. Please note that the parish office will be closed on Labor Day.

St. Max Fish Fry - Our fish fry is up and running every Friday from 11:00 a.m. until 6:30 p.m. Eat in or take out. We will be serving fried/baked fish sandwiches and dinners, mac and cheese, haluski, potato pancakes, jumbo and popcorn shrimp, pizza, etc.. Our special this week will be meatloaf, mashed potato, vegetable and roll for \$7. To reach our kitchen, please call 412-462-1743.

Looking for Bakers - We are in need of baked goods for the Fish Fry. Please bring your goodies to St. Max Hall by Friday morning.

St. Max 25th Anniversary - A meeting has been set for **Wednesday, September 7th** at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Want to be on a committee? Want to lend a hand? Come on down! We need a Chairperson, Program Committee, Fundraising Committee, Dinner Committee, Liturgy Committee, Memorabilia Committee. These are just a few things. Come and share your ideas.

Blessed Sacrament - Beginning **Friday, September 9th**, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed every Friday from noon until 4:00 p.m. at St. Max. Why not stop in to make a visit?

Scrip Program is coming to St. Max - Next weekend and the second weekend of each month, Scrip will be on sale in the back of the Church after all Masses. You shop and eat out anyhow, so why not support St. Agnes School. It doesn't cost you any more and you don't lose anything, so it becomes a win-win for all. St. Agnes folks are reminded that Scrip is available every week in your Church after Mass.

Candy Sale - St. Agnes will be selling candy bars next weekend after the Masses at St. Agnes and St. Max. Proceeds benefit the school.

St. Vincent de Paul Truck - will be at St. Max parking lot on **September 10th and 11th**. Be sure to search your closets so that you can put unused things to good use. Furniture is accepted, but please, no computers or TVs.

Bereavement Support Session - George Irvin Green Funeral Home is offering a bereavement support session on **Tuesday, September 13th** from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the funeral home, 3511 Main Street, Munhall, PA 15120. Dr. A. Barbara Coyne, a professional bereavement counselor, will lead the discussion while offering help and encouragement to all in attendance. This support session is designed to help teach individuals about the mourning process, exchange ideas and explore feelings within a small group atmosphere. For more information, please call 412-461-6394.

Mass - will be celebrated on **Sunday, September 11th** at 12:15 p.m. at Riverview Towers and on **Wednesday, September 14th** at 10:00 a.m. at Munhall Apartments.

Mass in Honor of Our Lady of Sorrows - A Slovak-English Mass in Honor of Our Lady of Sorrows will take place on **Thursday, September 15th** at Holy Trinity Church, 529 Grant Avenue Extension, West Mifflin. A Prelude of Slovak Hymns in honor of Mary will be sung at 7:00 p.m. preceding the Mass. A reception will follow in the church social hall. Further information may be obtained by calling Len Potemra at 412-672-6265.

Sister Cynthia is celebrating her Golden Jubilee with a special Mass on **September 24th** at 5:00 p.m. at St. Agnes. After the Mass of Thanksgiving, a dinner reception will follow at St. Max. You must make reservations by calling the parish office no later than September 16th. All are welcome to come and celebrate with Sister. We just want to know how many are coming. The more, the merrier! Say thank you to Sister Cynthia by your presence.

ON MISSION FOR THE CHURCH ALIVE! Invites all Catholics to envision how our parishes, schools and ministries can best respond to the changes in our communities so that they can become vital centers of worship and service. Bishop Zubik needs YOUR INPUT during consultation sessions here at St. Max, which will be held **Monday, November 7th and November 14th** from 7-9 p.m. More information will be shared in our parish bulletin over the next few weeks. Also, be sure to visit www.OnMissionChurchAlive.org.

Welcome back! Father Martin has returned and will be helping us out while attending classes. We are glad to have him back!

Thank you! A special note of thanks to Anna Zenchu who remembered St. Max in her will. She left the parish \$10,000. May God grant her eternal rest.

Thank you! The Pregnancy Resource Center would like to thank all of those from St. Max who contributed to their baby bottle campaign. St. Max raised \$619.86 for the center.

Please pray - Last week, Father Stephen Chervenak passed away. Father was a Honestead boy who grew up on Sylvan Avenue and attended St. Anne's Parish as a child. Father served the Diocese of Pittsburgh for 50 years. May God grant him eternal rest.

Please pray - for the repose of the soul of John Brekosky, who was buried from St. Max this past week. May God grant him eternal rest.

Congratulations - to Laura Marie Kanczes, Logan Ryan Soyke, Averie Leigh Henschel, Alec Palmer and Kylie Smith who were recently baptized and St. Agnes and St. Max.

Altar Candles at St. Max

Gladys Borsch req. by Steve and Stephanie

- The sanctuary candle is lit this week for Jess Komorosky requested by Charles and Louise.

Please Pray for Our Beloved in the Military

—Sean J. Bowen - Grandson of Eileen Cochrane

—Timothy A. Oeler, AMN USAF - Grandson of Tom & Marguerite Oeler and Nephew of Tom and Peg Smith

Collection Report

August 28, 2016 (St. Max)

Offertory	\$2,940
Parish Share	\$ 838
Funeral	\$ 60
Candles	\$ 202
Priest Residency	\$ 170
TOTAL	\$4,210

August 28, 2016 (St. Agnes)

Offerings	\$3,933*
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*includes all monies for all purposes such as Angel Fund, candles, diocesan collections, hall rental, funerals, etc., unless otherwise noted.

Serving Our Parishes Next Week

September 10th (St. Max)

4:00 p.m.	Lector	Marie Langan
	Ministers	Cindy Graham Fran Kearns Denise Ondick

September 11th (St. Max)

9:15 a.m.	Lector	Max O'Malley
	Ministers	Mary Brekosky DeAnna Moore Connie Phillip

10:30 a.m.	Lector	Lisa Guckes
	Ministers	Mary Ann Frena Sylvia Vehc Fran Votedian

September 11th (St. Agnes)

8:00 a.m.	Lector	Michael Roper
	Ministers	Sam Smith Sister Cynthia Tom Smith

11:45 a.m.	Lector	Jack Walters
	Ministers	Rose Anne Needham Jack Funa Nancy Funa

Mass Intentions

St. Agnes

Sun., Sept. 4
8:00 a.m.
11:45 a.m.
Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
James Howard - Tom and Patty Klocko
Delena Bevan - Jim and Family

Mon., Sept. 5
Weekday - No Mass

Tue., Sept. 6
6:45 a.m.
Weekday
Alphonse and Ann Marie Leonzio - Family

Wed., Sept. 7
6:45 a.m.
Weekday
Donald Minchoff - Gerri Kallay

Thurs., Sept. 8
6:45 a.m.
The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Gerard and Corinne Schneider -
Nancy and Michael Lapinski

Fri., Sept. 9
8:15 a.m.
Weekday
Marguerite Beech - Donna Grzyb

Sat., Sept. 10
Weekday - No Mass

Sun., Sept. 11
8:00 a.m.
11:45 a.m.
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Thomas Stanicar (30A) - Family
Ralph and Rose Biagiarelli - Rose Ann and Phyllis

St. Maximilian Kolbe

Sat., Sept. 3
4:00 p.m.
St. Gregory the Great
Special Intention - Ray and Louise McKinney

Sun., Sept. 4
9:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Frank E. Shimko, Sr. - Frank and Roz Shimko
John Dindak, Sr. (Birthday) - Glenn & Lisa Guckes
Veterans State Home
Joseph and Anna Yesko - Grace Yesko

Mon., Sept. 5
9:00 a.m.
Weekday
Tom Anderson - Sister, Colleen
VA - Aspinwall
Michael "Mischa" Stahovich - Cookie Miller

Tue., Sept. 6
9:00 a.m.
Weekday
Vincent and Beatrice Rodgers -
Vincent and Dolly Rodgers

Wed., Sept. 7
9:00 a.m.
Weekday
Algerd S. Patterson - Vince and Dolly Rodgers

Thurs., Sept. 8
9:00 a.m.
The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mary Spellman - Sandy Kalla

Fri., Sept. 9
9:00 a.m.
Weekday
Marjorie Culbertson - Sandy Kalla
VA - Aspinwall
Special Intention - Cookie Miller

Sat., Sept. 10
4:00 p.m.
Weekday
Stephen Baran - Wife, Grace & Family

Sun., Sept. 11
9:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Larry Kindlin - Sister, Lee Ann
Alisha and Chad Metz (One Year Anniversary) -
Lisa and Glenn Guckes
Veterans State Home
Special Intention - Cookie Miller



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