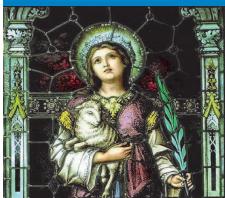
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<u>Mass Schedule</u>: St. Max: Weekday 9:00 a.m. - Saturday 4:00 p.m. Sunday 9:15 & 10:30 a.m. St. Agnes: Tuesday-Thursday 6:45 a.m., Friday 8:15 a.m. - Sunday 8:00 & 11:45 a.m.

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

<u>Matrimony</u>: Couples must contact Father Dan before a date can be set.

#### SPIRITUAL AND PASTORAL LIFE

<u>Miraculous Medal Novena</u>: 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

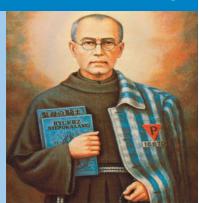
Adoration: Every Friday Noon - 4:00 p.m. with Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 p.m. at St. Max

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

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

<u>Ephesians IV - Prayer & Praise</u> - November 7th at 7:30 p.m. 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. Maximilian Kolbe Ladies Guild Mary Stibrik, President
- St. Maximilian Kolbe Catering Jo Stevens
- St. Maximilian Kolbe Fish Fry Dennis Moyle

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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.

#### Thank you, Katie Leckenby, the organist at St. Agnes.

Katie has done a great job for many years, from the time of her youth days to present. But with the responsibility of children and traveling to get here, plus maintaining a teaching job, it has become too much for Katie to keep up with. I want to thank Katie publicly myself. Even though I only knew her for a short amount of time, she has been a joy to work with. Katie, you will be missed as the organist. On behalf of the people of St. Agnes, thank you!

Return Performance - With the departure of Katie, it is necessary to find another parish organist. Since St. Agnes and St. Max are sharing a priest and a secretary, why not the organist? And so, we welcome back Tom Coyne, who several years ago played at St. Agnes. Sister Janelle and George will continue to play the second Sunday of each month.

Clothing Drive - The last day to drop off clothing for Appalachia is Monday, October 24th. Clothing can be dropped off at St. Max in the back of the school, or at St. Agnes at the garage behind the Church.

**Money Counters of St. Agnes** - are asked to come to a meeting on **October 25th** at 7:30 p.m. at St. Agnes to discuss the new tally sheets.

Mass Schedule - There will NOT be a morning Mass at St. Agnes on October 26th and 27th at 6:45 a.m. There will be a Communion Service. Father Dan will be heading to Appalachia with the clothing.

St. Max Fish Fry - Our special this week is grilled pork chops, baked potato, vegetable and roll for \$8. This week we will also have Cream of Potato Soup. We also have our usual menu items. Hours are 11:00 a.m. until 6:30 p.m. Eat in or take out. To reach our kitchen, please call 412-462-1743.

All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation - Our Mass schedule will be as follows: St. Max - October 31st at 4:00 p.m. and November 1st at 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Masses at St. Agnes will be on November 1st at 8:15 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Please note that the office will be closed for the Holy Day.

Remembrance Services - All Souls Prayer Services will be held at St. Agnes on November 2nd at 7:00 p.m. and at St. Max on November 3rd at 7:00 p.m. At this time, we will remember the people from our parishes who have died this past year. This service is open to all others as well who would like to come. If you have a picture of your loved one, please bring it and place it on the altar before the service. The names of those who have died this past year will be read at the service, at which time a candle will be lit. There will be extra candles on the table for those who wish to come forward and light one for someone you are remembering.

Designer Bingo - Saturday, November 5th at. St. Agnes. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased after Masses at St. Agnes or through the school office. Doors open at 12:00, early birds begin at 12:25 and regular bingo begins at 1:00. Our wonderful kitchen will be open beginning at 12:00 and throughout the Bingo. Come and enjoy the afternoon! We had many compliments last year and we want to top it!

Free Flu Shots - St. Agnes Social Hall on Sunday, November 6th, from 9:00 am until 11:15 am. Administered by Baldwin EMS. Everyone is welcome. You do not need to be a parishioner, but must be at least 18 to receive the vaccine. Please note November 6th is the newly corrected date.

On Mission for the Church Alive! As we journey ON MISSION FOR THE CHURCH ALIVE! may we be inspired to use our God-given gifts to build up the Church, which is The Body of Christ. The parish meetings are a chance to learn about the current realities facing our diocese and how we can best align our resources to provide ministry and outreach to everyone. The parish consultation session for St. Max will be held on November 7th at 7:00 p.m. The parish consultation session for St. Agnes will be held on November 15th at 7:00 p.m. Your attendance and feedback are critical to the success of this diocesanwide planning initiative and the future of the Church of Pittsburgh. Please plan to attend one of the two sessions, and pray for the continued guidance of the Holy Spirit. After our parish meetings are held, the draft models will be available at OnMissionChurchAlive.org.

St. Agnes Parish Soup Sale - Various homemade soups will be available for sale during the elections on November 8th from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. All soups will be labeled and sold by the quart for take-out only. We are looking for volunteers to sell the soups in 2-hour shifts: 8-10, 10-12, 12-2, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8. We need one or two people per shift. If you are able to volunteer, please contact Sister Cynthia by November 4th. The profit will go to St. Agnes Parish.

Football Mania Winners - Our Week 6 winner of \$25 is Sue Polanowski (second time winner). Congratulations!

Football Pool - There are only 17 blocks left on the St. Max Superbowl Pool. Be sure to see Glenn Guckes after Mass or at the Fish Fry to reserve your spot. The cost is \$100 a block. Each quarter you have a different number. Each quarter pays \$1,000, the final pays \$2,000. Plus, you and a guest can come and watch the Superbowl and eat and drink for free. Payments can be made each month. We are hoping to have the pool filled by Thanksgiving, so please don't wait!

#### Altar Candles at St. Max

Gladys Borsch req. by Steve and Stephanie Tami Claire req. by Mom John Flynn req. by Daughter, Mary Flynn

Margit Dorr req. by Mary Stibrik

#### Please Pray for Our Beloved in the Military

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

Rosary - Consider coming to join us to pray the rosary. The rosary is prayed every Monday in October at 7:00 p.m. at St. Max. The rosary is prayed every Sunday at 7:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. at St. Agnes.

#### **Collection Report**

#### October 16, 2016 (St. Max)

Offertory	\$2,268
Parish Share	\$1,795
Candles	\$ 203
TOTAL	\$4,266

#### **October 16, 2016 (St. Agnes)**

\$3,248\* Offerings

\*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

# October 29th (St. Max)

4:00 p.m.	Lector	Alex Kocinski
	Ministers	Fran Kearns
		Denise Ondick
		Dave Soltez

#### October 20th (St. Max)

	October 30	<u>rn (St. Max)</u>
9:15 a.m.	Lector	Joe Smetana
	Ministers	Chuck Komorosky
		Connie Phillip
		Mary Stibrik
10:30 a.m.	Lector	Patty Vella
	Ministers	Helen Maksymowicz
		Sylvia Vehec

#### October 30th (St. Agnes)

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8:00 a.m.	Lector	George Krevy
11:45 a.m.	Lector	Cindy Silvio

#### **Mass Intentions**

#### St. Agnes

<b>Sun., Oct. 23</b> 8:00 a.m. 11:45 a.m.	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Rose Montalbano - Rose Anne Needham Charles Howell - Family
Mon., Oct. 24	Weekday - NO MASS
Tue., Oct. 25 6:45 a.m.	<b>Weekday</b> Haskins, McAuliffe, LaRosa Families - Family
<b>Wed., Oct. 26</b> 6:45 α.m.	Weekday - NO MASS Communion Service
Thurs., Oct. 27	Weekday - NO MASS Communion Service
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Fri., Oct. 28 8:15 a.m.	Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles Janice Rose McAuliffe - Family
Fri., Oct. 28	Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles

#### St. Maximilian Kolbe

Loretta Palen - Volosky Family

For the Intention of the Giver

Weekday

Sat., Oct. 22

4:00 p.m.

9:15 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

VA - Aspinwall

Sun., Oct. 23	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:15 a.m.	Vincent Ashoff - Al Ashoff
10:30 a.m.	Jean Kindlin - Sylvia Vehec
VA State Home	Anna Mihalcin - James and Lorraine
Mon., Oct. 24	<b>Weekday</b>
9:00 a.m.	Charles Duffy (11A) - Wife, Renee
Tue., Oct. 25	<b>Weekday</b>
9:00 a.m.	Flo Chiodo
<b>Wed., Oct. 26</b> 9:00 α.m.	<b>Weekday</b> Mary Margaret Ashoff - Al Ashoff
<b>Thurs., Oct. 27</b> 9:00 α.m.	<b>Weekday</b> Zachary Livesay
Fri., Oct. 28	Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles
9:00 a.m.	Sandra Kasper - Savolskis-Wasik-Glenn Funeral Home
VA - Aspinwall	Flo Chiodo
Sat., Oct. 29 4:00 p.m. VA - Aspinwall	<b>Weekday</b> Deceased Members of the Lazur Family - Family For the Intention of the Giver
Sun., Oct. 30	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Margaret Selis - Rozella and Maureen Beasock

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