

**St. Agnes Church**  
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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

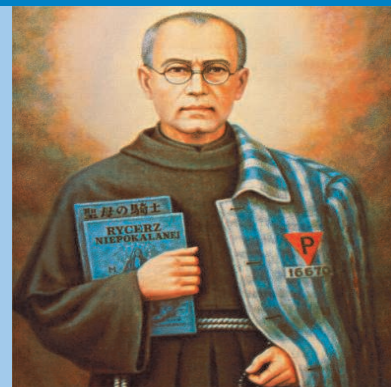
**Adoration:** Every Friday Noon - 4:00 p.m. with Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 p.m. at St. Max

**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** - 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

**PHONE NUMBERS**

Rectory	412-461-1054
St. Agnes School	412-466-6238
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.

**A Special Note of Thanks** - to those who took the time to come out to hear about the *On Mission for the Church Alive!* plan. Many people were very supportive of the need for change to take place. If you were unable to attend, extra packets are here in the office of St. Max. There were roughly 275 people from St. Max and 15 people from St. Agnes who attended the meeting. If anyone from St. Max was unable to attend the meeting, you are welcome to attend the meeting on **Tuesday, November 15th** at 7:00 p.m. at St. Agnes Church.

**Turkey Bingo** - will take place at St. Max on **Sunday, November 13th**. Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Early birds begin at 12:30 p.m. and regular games begin at 1:00 p.m. All paper bingo, 20 regular games, 9 cards per game for \$10. Five specials will be played at 3 for \$1, pays \$100 to \$200. Jackpot \$1 each or 7 for \$5, pays \$500. Twenty turkeys will be given away as door prizes as well, plus other surprises.

**Joint Meeting** will be held at St. Max on **Monday, November 14th** at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Members of St. Max and St. Agnes Pastoral and Finance Councils are asked to attend this meeting. At this time, the plan for the parish cemeteries will be revealed. This is a diocesan effort that effects 116 cemeteries, and since both parishes have cemeteries, it is important to understand how things will be handled in the future. Please make every effort to be present for this meeting.

**St. Agnes Parishioners** - are reminded that your meeting for the *On Mission for the Church Alive!* will take place on **Tuesday, November 15th** at 7:00 p.m. in St. Agnes Church. I cannot stress enough the importance of your presence at this meeting. Please make every effort to attend.

**Mass** - will be celebrated **Wednesday, November 16th** at 10:00 a.m. at the Munhall Apartments and on **Sunday, November 20th** at 12:15 p.m. at Riverview Towers.

**St. Max Fish Fry** - Our special this week, **Friday, November 18th**, is stuffed cabbage, mashed potato, vegetable and roll for \$8. 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.

**It's Bobalky Time!** St. Max Ladies' Guild is taking orders for Bobalky until **Sunday, November 20th**. The cost is \$8 per pound. Bobalky order forms are available in the back of the Church and in the Parish Office for the next several weeks. Thank you!

**Homemade Pierogies** - are on sale at St. Max on Fridays at St. Max Fish Fry. Potato and Cheese and Sauerkraut and Potato are \$8/dozen. Prune pierogies are \$9/dozen. Be sure to get yours for the holidays while supplies last.

**Thanksgiving Mass** - All are welcome! We invite everyone from the highways to the byways. A special Mass is celebrated on **Wednesday, November 23rd** at 7:00 p.m. After our special Mass, a dinner will be served in the parish hall (stuffed chicken breast, roast beef, scalloped potatoes, pasta with meat sauce, salad, dessert and a variety of beverages). The more the merrier! **Thanksgiving Day Mass** will take place at St. Agnes at 8:00 a.m. and at St. Max at 9:30 a.m. No matter what Mass you attend, at the offertory you will be asked to bring your gifts to the altar. Please bring either a bag of groceries, a food gift card or cash to place in the basket. The proceeds will benefit those in the Steel Valley who need assistance.

**St. Max Seniors** - The St. Max Seniors Group Christmas Party will be held on **Thursday, December 1st** at 12:00 noon in St. Max Hall. Members are asked to send their reservations and payment to the parish office marked "St. Max Seniors Party." Also, please select your menu option of stuffed pork chop, stuffed chicken breast or baked fish. Deadline for reservations is **November 19th**. The cost is \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members. For more information, please call 412-462-6566.

**Brunch with Santa** - will be held at St. Max on **Saturday, December 3rd** from 9:30 -11:00 a.m. Come play games, meet Santa, have lunch, get a present from Santa. Children up to age 12 are invited. Call 412-461-1054 to make reservations and include the age of the child and whether it is a boy or girl.

**Electronics Bash - Saturday, December 3rd**. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are \$25 per person and include dinner, full bar and three numbers on each ticket for drawings every 15 minutes. Prizes include a 40" television, a 60" television, power tools, Ipad, Smart Watch, Keurig, just to name a few. There will also be side raffles, Chinese Auction, 50/50 and Instant Bingo. Tickets are available by calling 412-461-1054.

**Holy Trinity Church** - 529 Grant Avenue Ext., West Mifflin, will present an afternoon of Lessons and Carols on **Sunday, December 4th** at 4:00 p.m. All are invited to share this afternoon of prayer in anticipation of the coming of Jesus as a Babe in Bethlehem. A reception will follow in the church social hall.

**The planning initiative *ON MISSION FOR THE CHURCH ALIVE!*** continues in the essential phase of consultation. Parishioners are learning about changes taking place in our communities and the Church of Pittsburgh. They're also giving feedback on draft models of potential groupings of parishes that come together to form new parishes. As meetings are completed in each vicariate, the presentations are available at [OnMission-ChurchAlive.org](http://OnMission-ChurchAlive.org).

Altar Candles at St. Max

Gladys Borsch req. by Steve and Stephanie  
Robert Rochford req. by Wife, Cathy Rochford  
Walter Malutinok req. by Sandy Kalla  
John Davern req. by Wife, Denise Davern

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

Collection Report

**November 6, 2016 (St. Max)**

Offertory	\$2,697
Parish Share	\$ 983
Holy Day	\$ 962
Diocesan Collection	\$ 452
Candles	\$ 353
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$5,447</b>

**November 6, 2016 (St. Agnes)**

Offertory	\$3,300
Parish Share	\$1,365
Angel Fund	\$ 655
Diocesan Collection	\$ 50
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 25
Holy Day	\$ 710
Candles	\$ 95
Burial	\$1,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,197</b>

Serving Our Parishes Next Week

	<b>November 19th (St. Max)</b>
4:00 p.m.	Lector Cindy Graham Ministers Fran Kearns Jan Lenz Jo Stevens
	<b>November 20th (St. Max)</b>
9:15 a.m.	Lector Alma Chuba Ministers Mary Ann Frena DeAnna Moore Mary Stibrik
10:30 a.m.	Lector Fran Votedian Ministers Mary Brekosky Kathy Lockard Paul Lockard
	<b>November 20th (St. Agnes)</b>
8:00 a.m.	Lector Nancy Lapinski Ministers Connie Minchoff Natalie Schwoeble Chris Weir
11:45 a.m.	Lector JoAnne Krevy Ministers Bill Wess Joan Naccarato Deb Cochrane

Mass Intentions

St. Agnes

<b>Sun., Nov. 13</b>	<b>Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 8:00 a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dero - Tom and Patty Klocko 11:45 a.m. Joseph Stavor - Kathy Bowen and Bill Platt
<b>Mon., Nov. 14</b>	<b>Weekday - NO MASS</b>
<b>Tue., Nov. 15</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 6:45 a.m. Rogers, Checque and Haskins Families - Family
<b>Wed., Nov. 16</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 6:45 a.m. Micheline Alarie - Denis Hirkulich
<b>Thurs., Nov. 17</b>	<b>St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious</b> 6:45 a.m. Cecilia Chorbinko - Tom and Patty Klocko
<b>Fri., Nov. 18</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 8:15 a.m. Robert Gogo - St. Agnes Students and Staff
<b>Sat., Nov. 19</b>	<b>Weekday - NO MASS</b>
<b>Sun., Nov. 20</b>	<b>Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe</b> 8:00 a.m. Michael Kascak - Rob Hruska 11:45 a.m. Leo and Susanne Snyder - Family

St. Maximilian Kolbe

<b>Sat., Nov. 12</b>	<b>St. Josaphat, Bishop</b> 4:00 p.m. Betty Jane Dindak - Husband, John <b>VA - Aspinwall</b> For the Intention of the Giver
<b>Sun., Nov. 13</b>	<b>Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 9:15 a.m. Helen Deak - Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dalpiaz 10:30 a.m. Betty Jane Dindak - Lisa and Glenn Guckes <b>VA State Home</b> PFC Wesley A. Moyle "Silver Star" - Dennis Moyle
<b>Mon., Nov. 14</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 9:00 a.m. Robert Lazur - Savolskis-Wasik-Glenn Funeral Home
<b>Tue., Nov. 15</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 9:00 a.m. James Kopco - Louise Kopco and Family
<b>Wed., Nov. 16</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 9:00 a.m. Stephen Borsch, Sr. - Steve and Stephanie
<b>Thurs., Nov. 17</b>	<b>St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious</b> 9:00 a.m. Joseph Meleshenko - Family
<b>Fri., Nov. 18</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 9:00 a.m. Jean Mitrick - Family <b>VA - Aspinwall</b> Deceased Members of Dinh Family - Family
<b>Sat., Nov. 19</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 4:00 p.m. Dorothy Polak - Your Loving Family <b>VA - Aspinwall</b> Poor Souls - Dinh Family
<b>Sun., Nov. 20</b>	<b>Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe</b> 9:15 a.m. Helen Deak - Jim and Linda 10:30 a.m. Thomas E. Barrett - Barrett Family <b>VA State Home</b> Flo Chiodo

Masses for 2017 are being scheduled for St. Agnes and St. Max. Mass Intentions and payment can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to the rectory.



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