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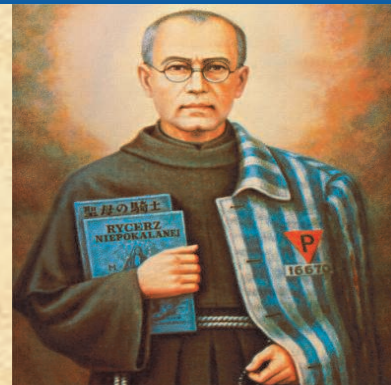
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Mass Schedule: St. Max: Weekday 9:00 a.m. - Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:15 & 10:30 a.m. St. Agnes: Tuesday-Thursday 6:45 a.m.,  
Friday 8:15 a.m. - Sunday 8:00 & 11:45 a.m.

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.



### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Simone Miller (St. Max)

### ORGANIZATIONS

St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Max  
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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.

**MAY 28, 2017**

**SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**Memorial Day** - Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. at St. Max. Mass will be celebrated in the Church that day. This is a wonderful way to come to pray for those who have served and are serving in our military, for the sacrifice that they make for our freedom that we often take for granted. It is also a wonderful day to go to visit the cemetery and pray for those who have died. We must always remember our deceased loved ones and say a prayer for those who have no one to pray for them. Please note the Parish Office will be closed for Memorial Day.

**Rosary** - Please note that the Rosary will be prayed on **Tuesday, May 30th** at 7:00 p.m. because of Memorial Day.

**St. Max Seniors** - will meet on **Thursday, June 1st** beginning with Mass at 11:00 a.m. followed by lunch and meeting. All are welcome!

**Pentecost** - will be celebrated on **June 3rd and 4th**. It is the birthday of the Church. So, be sure to wear something red to Church to honor the Holy Spirit.

**Beef Stroganoff Dinner** - Holy Trinity Men's Club will have a Beef Stroganoff Dinner on **Sunday, June 4th** from noon until 5:00 p.m. in Holy Trinity Social Hall. Adults \$8 - Child \$4. They will also be selling Stuffed Peppers before and after the 9:30 a.m. Mass this Sunday in Holy Trinity Social Hall.

**Mass Time Changes for the Summer** - Since school is out for the summer, **beginning June 5th**, daily Mass will be celebrated at the new times: St. Agnes - Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 7:00 a.m., St. Max - Monday through Friday at 9:00 a.m.

**Appalachia Work Camp** - **Monday, June 5th** at 7:00 p.m., all those who are going to Kentucky should be present for a meeting at St. Maximilian Kolbe parish hall.

**Ephesians IV Prayer and Praise** - will meet on **Monday, June 5th** at 7:30 p.m. in St. Agnes Social Hall. All are welcome!

**Disney Goers** - **Thursday, June 8th** at 7:00 p.m., all of those who are going to Disney must be present at a meeting at St. Max Hall to pick up your luggage tags, airline information, departure information and itinerary for the week of June 20th.

**Mission Appeal** - Please note that a Mission Appeal will take place at St. Agnes and St. Max on **June 10th and 11th**. A second collection will be taken up at all the weekend Masses at both Churches. More information regarding the Mission will be in next week's bulletin.

**Cemetery Collection** - Please consider making a donation for the maintenance of the cemetery. Due to the fact that we do very few burials in our cemeteries, our cash flow is very limited. If the cemetery would run out of cash, then it would be up to the parish to subsidize the cemetery. We are keeping our head above water and want to continue to do so. Please be generous with your donation to the cemetery. Donations can be marked "Cemetery" and placed in the collection basket or dropped off or mailed to the parish office.

**Appalachia Collection** - A second collection will be taken up for the Appalachia Work Camp at St. Agnes and St. Max the weekend of **June 17th and 18th**. We have a total of 165 adults and youth coming from St. Agnes, St. Max, St. Therese, Our Lady of Fatima, St. Joan of Arc and Sacred Heart Parishes. Our people have worked very hard to raise money throughout the year. We are asking for your kind and generous support as we head to the hills of Appalachia, Kentucky. Please be as generous as possible. In next week's bulletin, we will have a description of the projects that are lined up for this coming year.

#### [St. Max Ladies Guild News](#)

The Father's Day flower forms are included in this week's bulletin. The forms will be available in the back of the Church and in the Parish Office for a couple of weeks. The deadline to return forms is **Sunday, June 11th**. Thank you!

#### [On Mission for the Church Alive](#)

**On Mission: A New Pentecost** - Come, Holy Spirit and fill us with your gifts of Knowledge and Reverence. Give us knowledge so that we may think and act confidently in the ways that will inspire faith and grow the Church. Give us reverence so that whatever may come we might rely on God with unwavering humility, trust and love and honor Him through worship, deed and word. As we journey *On Mission for The Church Alive!* inspire us to be open and trusting to the changes that await us and strengthen us to live our baptismal call of building up the Kingdom of God on earth. Visit **[onmissionchurchalive.org](http://onmissionchurchalive.org)** to stay informed.

# St. Agnes and St. Maximilian Kolbe

## June 2017

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Sat

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|    |  |  |  | <b>1</b><br>11 a.m. St. Max Seniors Mass<br>12 p.m. Seniors Meeting<br>1-3 pm Priest Meeting | <b>2</b>   | <b>3</b>   |
| <b>4</b> <i>Pentecost</i><br><br>Wear Red to Church   | <b>5</b><br><br>7 p.m. Meeting for Appalachia Goers at St. Max | <b>6</b><br><br>New daily Mass Schedule begins   | <b>7</b><br><br>Clergy Question and Answer Day   | <b>8</b><br><br>7 p.m. Disney World Meeting at St. Max                                       | <b>9</b><br><br>St. Agnes White Elephant Sale            | <b>10</b><br><br>St. Agnes White Elephant Sale<br><br>Mission Appeal |
| <b>11</b><br><i>The Most Holy Trinity</i><br><br>St. Agnes White Elephant Sale<br><br>Mission Appeal                      | <b>12</b>  | <b>13</b><br><br>9:30 am Cookie Baking Day at St. Max  |   | <b>15</b><br><br>11:30 am-1:30 pm Priest Mtg.<br>2-8 pm Focus Meeting                        | <b>16</b>  | <b>17</b><br><br>Appalachia Collection                               |
| <b>18</b><br><br>Appalachia Collection | <b>19</b>  | <b>20</b> No Mass<br>Communion Service<br><br>Depart for Disney | <b>21</b><br>7 a.m. St. Agnes Communion Service<br> | <b>22</b><br><br>7 a.m. St. Agnes Communion Service  | <b>23</b><br><br>Communion Service St. Agnes and St. Max | <b>24</b>  |
| <b>25</b>   | <b>26</b><br><br>9 a.m. St. Max Communion Service              | <b>27</b><br><br>Communion Service St. Agnes and St. Max   | <b>28</b>  | <b>29</b>  | <b>30</b>  |  |



### St. Agnes School News

**Inflatables - Wrist Bands for St. Agnes Festival** - We will pre-sell wrist bands for the Bounce House and the Obstacle Courses. We will keep the wrist bands and have them in an envelope for you the day/s of the fair. The pre-sell prices are \$7 a day (specify what day - Friday, Saturday or Sunday) \$15 for 3 days. Regular price at the Festival is \$2/ticket, \$10/day, \$20/3 days. Please put money in an envelope marked Wrist Bands for Inflatables along with your name. Put it in the collection basket or give it to Sister Cynthia. Presale of wrist bands will end July 16th.

**Benediction** - On May 22, the students had the opportunity to experience Benediction. During the school year, we held Eucharistic Adoration several times; however not Benediction. We thank Father Dan for this opportunity so that our students could have this experience. The students were asked to pray for all our benefactors at this special time. We hope in some way you experienced those prayers that afternoon!

**Last Day of School** - The last day of school for students is May 31st. We will end the school day at 11:00 a.m. At this time, we would like to thank everyone for all of their support during the 2016-2017 school year. God bless everyone.

**Spring Cleaning - White Elephant Sale** - While you are spring cleaning, start gathering your items for the White Elephant Sale. We will be collecting items on **May 31st** from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., and from **June 1st through June 5th** from 8:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. in St. Agnes Social Hall. Our White Elephant Sale will be Friday and Saturday, **June 9th and 10th**, and after the 11:45 a.m. Mass on **June 11th**. More information will be coming in the next several weeks.

### St. Agnes Collection Report

#### May 21, 2017

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Offertory           | \$2,561.00        |
| Parish Share        | \$ 345.00         |
| Diocesan Collection | \$ 574.00         |
| Angel Fund          | \$ 115.00         |
| Candles             | \$ 51.00          |
| Funeral             | \$ 50.00          |
| <b>Total</b>        | <b>\$3,696.00</b> |

### St. Maximilian Kolbe Collection Report

#### May 21, 2017

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Offertory           | \$2,838.00        |
| Parish Share        | \$ 908.00         |
| Diocesan Collection | \$ 306.00         |
| Candles             | \$ 226.00         |
| Fundraising         | \$ 160.00         |
| <b>Total</b>        | <b>\$4,509.00</b> |

### St. Agnes Festival News

If the festival is going to be a success, we need the total support of the parish. Now is the chance for you to get involved by talking it up. Save the dates! **July 28-29-30.**

The parish raffle tickets will be available for pick up for the next three weeks after Mass in the social hall. Help us by picking up your tickets so that we don't have to mail them out. If you could return your stubs and money early, that would be great because we can use the funds as the seed money for expenses that we are already incurring with the festival.

This is what is happening:

**Friday, July 28th** - The Fish Fry begins at 3:00 p.m. Food booths open at 5:00 p.m. and game booths open at 6:00 p.m. Entertainment at 7:00 p.m. with Dallas Marks.

**Saturday, July 29th** - Roast Beef dinner from 3:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Food booths open at 5:00 p.m. and game booths open at 6:00 p.m. Entertainment at 7:00 p.m. with Mansfield 5.

**Sunday, July 30th** - Stuffed Pork Chop dinner at 1:00 p.m. Food booths open at 4:00 p.m. and game booths open at 5:00 p.m. Chinese Auction drawings at 8:00 p.m. Parish Raffle at 9:15 p.m. Fireworks at 9:30 p.m.

We are looking for Chairpeople for the following food booths: German and Polish. A Chairperson does not have to cook the food for your booth. The Chairperson tries to find three people for each night, or the same three can work all three nights serving food in your booth. At the end of the evening, return the food to the cafeteria and clean the utensils you use in your booth and return them for the next day. We are also in need of a Bingo Chairperson or people to run the Bingo from 6:00 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. each night.

If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Jason Bevan, Sister Cynthia or Father Dan.

### Candles on the Altar at St. Max

Gladys Borsch requested by Steve and Stephanie  
Tami Claire requested by Mom, Cathy Rochford  
Anna Stibrik requested by Mary Stibrik  
John Stibrik requested by Mary Stibrik  
Eugene Grzyb requested by Mary Stibrik  
Eugene Grzyb requested by Wife, Irene and Family  
Eugene Grzyb requested by Circle of Friends  
Georgean Lucas requested by Circle of Friends

The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week for Stanley and Mary Sinchak requested by Teresa Sinchak.





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