

ST. ALPHONSUS CHURCH BULLETIN

FOR

SUNDAY, APRIL 4, 2010

EASTER SUNDAY — APRIL 4, 2010

Saint Alphonsus

Roman Catholic Church

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Parish Established September 9, 1901

Church Dedicated September 5, 1926

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY MASS: Sat. 5:00 P.M. and Sun. Morn. at 8:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

WEEKDAY: Mass held in Chapel next to Church. See bulletin each week or call Rectory for schedule of the 8:00 A.M. Mass which is not held every day (never on Sat morn).

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: these days vary in time and obligation from year to year. See bulletin or call Rectory each time for details.

CONFESSIONS: Sat. from 3:30 to 4:30, and anytime by appointment.

MARRIAGE, BAPTISM: call parish office (six months before marriage).

COMMUNION CALLS AND OTHER SERVICES: call office for information.

PARISH OFFICES & STAFF

ADMINISTRATIVE CENTER (RECTORY: former Convent building)

(724) 274-5084

Marsha Etzrodt, Secretary

Office Hours: Mon. - Thur.: 8 to 4, Fri.: 8 to Noon

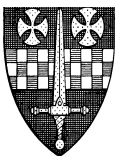
LIGUORI CENTER OFFICES (school building side entrance)

(724) 274-2547

CCD & Youth Min. - Karen Mueller

Social Services - Cathy Moxie

Music Director/Organist – Vickie Roof



New Parishioners: We welcome new parishioners whether newly moved into the area or those who have fallen off through inactivity. Welcome! Register by calling or coming to the parish office. Become an active, attending and supporting member of the parish. And please let us know if you move away or have your telephone or address changed. Thank you.

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After the Sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene came with the other Mary to inspect the tomb. Suddenly there was a mighty earthquake, as the angel of the Lord descended from heaven. He came to the stone, rolled it back, and sat on it. In appearance he resembled a flash of lightning while his garments were as dazzling as snow. The guards grew paralyzed with fear of him and fell down like dead men. Then the angel spoke, addressing the women, "Do not be frightened. I know you are looking for Jesus the crucified, but he is not here. He has been raised, exactly as he promised. Come and see the spot where he was laid. Then go quickly and tell his disciples: 'He has been raised from the dead and now goes ahead of you to Galilee, where you will see him.' That is the message I have for you."

They hurried away from the tomb half-overjoyed, half-fearful, and ran to carry the good news to his disciples. Suddenly, without warning, Jesus stood before them and said, "Peace!" The women came up and embraced his feet and did him homage. At this Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid! Go and carry the news to my brothers that they are to go to Galilee, where they will see me."

Matthew 28, 1-10

**A BLESSED AND HAPPY EASTER
TO ONE AND ALL!**

from

Fathers Saladna, M^cDonough, and the Staff of Saint Alphonius Parish

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES
FOR THIS WEEK
(The Octave of Easter)**

MONDAY, APRIL 5 – In the Octave of Easter

8:00 AM Fr. Joseph Kopecky

TUESDAY, APRIL 6 – In the Octave of Easter

8:00 AM Andrew Oravec

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7 – In the Octave of Easter

8:00 AM Mary Pulliam

THURSDAY, APRIL 8 -- No Mass scheduled for today

FRIDAY, APRIL 9 – In the Octave of Easter

8:00 AM Bob Meyers

SATURDAY, APRIL 10 – No Mass on Saturday morning

5:00 PM [For Sunday] Andrew Makinak

NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 11 – Second Sunday of Easter

8:00 AM Sophie M. Dzik

11:00 AM First Communion Mass -- For the Children, and all Parishioners, Liv. & Dec., and all in the Memorial Booklet.

NO BABY JESUS SCHOOL TODAY, EASTER SUNDAY.

THE EASTER EGG HUNT today will be held on the Liguori lawn after the 9:00 AM Mass. In case of bad weather the event will be moved inside the classroom and halls of the Liguori Center. Must be under age 95 to participate.

EASTER BLESSING OF FAMILIES – Today, Easter Sunday, April 4, Bishops David Zubik and William Winter will welcome families of the Diocese to their Annual Blessing of Families at St. Paul Cathedral, Oakland, beginning at 2:00 PM. As they greet and bless your family personally, they affirm and support you as a household of love and witnesses to your faith. All families, single parent, blended, extended, etc. are invited to come and experience the Bishops' expression of appreciation for the gift that you are and the gifts that you bring to our Diocese. Each family attending will receive a special memento to take home and the children will receive a sweet treat.

THE MONTH OF APRIL is the month when our parishioners are called on to volunteer at the VA Hospital in Aspinwall to help patients get to Sunday Mass. Call Liz Yanni at 724-274-6860 for more information.

CONGRATULATIONS

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CONGRATULATIONS TO Ian Farley, of our Boy Scout Troop #504, who will receive the Ad Altare Dei medal, Part II, from Bishop Zubik at a Mass in St. Paul Cathedral on Sunday, April 25, at 2 PM, at the Annual Scout Convocation.

CONGRATULATIONS TO James Kropelac who was baptized, confirmed and received into the Church at the Easter Vigil, Saturday evening (April 3).

CONGRATULATIONS TO Mary Kennedy and James Berry who will be married in our Church on Friday afternoon, April 9.

APPEAL FROM MEALS ON WHEELS – From now through April 30, 2010, Lower Allegheny Valley Meals on Wheels has an opportunity to have monetary donations proportionately matched by the Feinstein Foundation which serves to end world hunger.

Donations are tax-free and checks should be made out to L.A.V. Meals on Wheels with a note in the lower left space "Feinstein Challenge". The contributions may be placed in the collection basket or mailed directly to Meals on Wheels, 600 Pittsburgh St., Springdale, PA 15144.

LADIES OF CHARITY MEETING will be held this Monday evening, April 5, at 7 PM.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING this Thursday, April 8, at 7 PM.

THE SPECIAL SECOND COLLECTION TODAY, EASTER SUNDAY, is for your special Easter Gift to your parish (and will include the monthly collection for capital improvements to our parish, taken up on the first Sunday of every month).