

Summer Choir Underway

During the summer months, the Parish Choir ceases Wednesday Choir School rehearsals and 9 a.m. adult/teen rehearsals and shifts to “summer choir” mode, whereby a hymn is sung rather than an anthem at the Offertory, and all parishioners entering grade 2 through adult are welcome in the loft to help lead the congregational singing, whether once, occasionally, or all summer. No previous experience is required, nor is any obligation implied to serve in the Parish Choir come fall. Simply arrive by 9:30 a.m. in the loft. Please join us!

Solemn Masses Wednesday, & August 14

Solemn Masses in observance of important upcoming dates on the liturgical calendar will be celebrated for the **Vigil of Sts. Peter & Paul (this Wednesday, June 28 at 5:30 p.m.)**, and the **Vigil of the Assumption of Mary (Monday, August 14 at 5:30 p.m.)**. The latter will be followed by potluck supper, a talk by Fr. Bergman, and the film “**Spotlight [R]**,” grappling with the clergy sexual abuse scandal that has rocked the Church in recent decades.

First Friday Activities July 7

Our next “First Friday” evening of activities is **Friday, July 7** including Holy Hour at 4:30, Evening Prayer & Benediction at 5:30, and **24-hour adoration** until 4:30 p.m. Saturday. Please sign up for adoration on the back table, even if you typically adore during the same time slot every month.

Parish Picnic August 12

The annual Parish Picnic will be held at **Lackawanna State Park** on **Saturday, August 12**. Please plan for a full day of food, play, fellowship, games, swimming, boating, and fishing!

Bishop Robert Morlino to Visit September 6

Bishop Robert Morlino of the Diocese of Madison, Wisconsin, a Dunmore native, will speak at our parish on **Wednesday evening, September 6** about how beautiful liturgy is a tool for evangelization. Planning is well underway; **please clear your calendar and hold the date for this important parish event.**

Bishop’s Appeal

God bless all of you who have so generously responded in support of the 2017 Bishop’s Appeal. If you have not yet responded, please do so today. Pick up a pledge card or visit ordinariate.net/bishops-appeal to give.

Upcoming Pilgrimages to the Holy Land

Two opportunities for pilgrimage to the Holy Land – both with strong connections to the Ordinariate – have been announced. **Fr. John Vidal** (recently appointed Pastor of St. Luke’s Parish, Washington, D.C.), will lead an 11-day trip **January 17-17, 2018**, \$3,300 from anywhere in the U.S., all-inclusive excepting lunch. Access our announcements from our website for online details [here](#). And, **Bishop Steven Lopes** will lead an Ordinariate pilgrimage to the Holy Land (limited to 100 pilgrims) **October 2-12, 2018**. More details will be available online [here](#) in the coming weeks.