

## Ascension of Our Lord Catholic Church

### Parish Events & Synod Activities Calendar

#### July – December 2018

### July

- 7/14 AOL Summer Movie Night-The Greatest Showman, 7 pm in Don Bosco Hall
- 7/22 – 7/28 Natural Family Planning Awareness Week
- 7/25 Hope & Faith Cancer Support Ministry Gathering, 6:30 pm PPH
- 7/29 Blood Drive

### August

- 8/11 – 8/12 Backpack Blessings
- 8/11 Alpha Host & Helper Training
- 8/15 *Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
- 8/16 Serra Club for the River Parishes, 7 pm, St. Charles Borromeo
- 8/18 AOL Parish Retreat at Rosaryville from 8 am until 1 pm
- 8/19 Children's Liturgies return during 10:30 am Mass [3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday]  
Social Sunday following 10:30 am Mass in Piovan Parish Hall
- 8/25 Alpha Host & Helper Training

### September

- 9/4 Alpha begins [2<sup>nd</sup> program]
- 9/10 – 9/11 Bible Study begins [8 part series ~ the Gospel of John]
- 9/12 Confession available in all parishes, 5 – 6:30 pm
- 9/15 – 9/16 Serra International Presentation at all Masses
- 9/20 Serra Club for the River Parishes, 7 pm, St. Charles Borromeo
- 9/22 – 9/23 Pro-Life Baby Diaper & Wipes Drive
- 9/29 – 9/30 40 Days for Life Signup Weekend
- 9/30 Blood Drive

## October

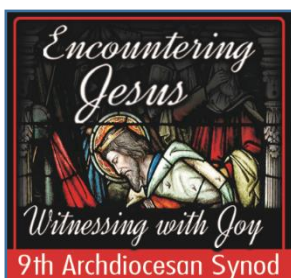
- 10/7                      Respect Life Sunday
- 10/13 – 10/14        Pro-Life Baby Bottle Campaign
- 10/14                      Bereavement ~ Fall Presentation, Noon in Church
- 10/28                      Priesthood Sunday
- 40 Days for Life Vigil

## November

- National Adoption Month*
- 11/1                      *All Saints Day*
- 11/4 – 11/10        National Vocations Awareness Week [*possible speaker*]
- 11/7                      Confirmation, 7 PM, reception follows in Don Bosco Hall
- 11/10 – 11/11        Coats for Kids Campaign
- 11/11                      Veterans Day ~ Stewardship Sunday & Fall Family Fest
- 11/24 – 11/25        Thanksgiving Baskets [pick-up / delivery days]
- 11/27                      #iGiveCatholic Online Giving Tuesday

## December

- 12/2                      Advent Begins
- 12/8                      *The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
- Following 4 PM Mass ~ *Parish Social in Piovan Parish Hall*
- 12/12                      Mass of Remembrance
- 12/22                      Christmas Giving Tree ~ delivery day
- 12/25                      Christmas Day
- 12/30                      Feast Day of the Holy Family
- Blood Drive



- ❖ *First Monday ~ 6:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet in Adoration Chapel*
- ❖ *Second Saturday ~ 8:00 AM Scriptural Rosary for Vocations in Adoration Chapel*
- ❖ *Second Sunday ~ Youth Mass, 7 PM*
- ❖ *On the 13<sup>th</sup> of each month at 11 AM ~ Adoration Chapel ~  
Gather to pray the rosary for peace.*

<i>Children's Liturgies</i> <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday</i> <i>10:30 am Mass</i>	<i>Hope &amp; Faith Cancer Support Ministry</i> <i>4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday</i> <i>6:30 PM - PPH</i>	<i>Thanksgiving Baskets</i>	<i>Giving Tree</i>
August 19	August 22	Each weekend in November donations will be accepted	Ornaments available December 1 and 2
September 16	September 26	Baskets pickup/delivery days November 24 and 25	Return gifts by December 16
October 21	October 24		Deliver gifts on December 22
November 18	November 28		
December 16	December 26 (?)		

<i>Respect Life Months</i>	<i>Topic for the month</i>
January	abortion
February	human trafficking
March	disabilities
April	fertility/infertility awareness
May	healing after abortion
June	end of life issues, assisted suicide, euthanasia
July	conscience protection
August	capital punishment/mercy behind bars
September	stem-cell research and human cloning awareness
October	Respect Life Month (theme determined annually by USCCB)
November	adoption
December	violence/peace on earth