

2017 Parish events

JUNE 24 Our Lady of Lourdes

Old-Fashioned Strawberry Social

251 S. Franklin St., Cochranton;
4-7 pm. Ice cream, cake and strawberries
\$3.50. Also chicken sandwiches,
sloppy joes, hot dogs and homemade
macaroni salad; 814-789-2022.

JUNE 25 St. Boniface

Old-Fashioned Country Festival

Air-conditioned Coleman Center,
9363 Wattsburg Road, Erie (Route 8,
3 miles south of I-90); 11:30 am-4 pm.
**Homestyle chicken dinner and home-
made pies. Cost: adults \$9, children \$5,
families \$25 (2 adults, 2 children, dine-in
only). Outdoor games, hay rides, live
music, basket auction, bake sale and
country cupboard. Chances to win
cash awards up to \$1,000, gift cards,
handcrafted items and tickets to the
Alan Jackson concert at Erie Insurance
Arena on Sept. 23, 2017. Proceeds
benefit St. Boniface Catholic School and
Music for Veterans. 814-825-4439.**

JULY 1 Pre-Festival Kickoff!

St. Joseph's Liberty 5K Run/Walk

9 am; Lucinda Train Station,
1040 Lander Drive, Lucinda.
www.st-joseph-lucinda.org; 814-226-7288.
More info on facebook!

JULY 4 St. Joseph 78th Annual 4th of July Celebration

St. Joseph Parish grounds, 112 Rectory
Lane, Lucinda (along Route 66);
11 am-4 pm. Rain or shine.
Handicap accessible and parking shuttle
available. **All-you-can-eat chicken and
ham dinners, soup with homemade
noodles and homemade pies. Dinner
tickets on sale at 10 am; dinner 11 am-
3 pm; takeouts 11 am-2 pm. Cost: adults
\$9, children 6-12 \$4.50, under 5 free.**
Games of skill and chance, live entertain-
ment, bingo and more than \$40,000 in
cash and prizes, including a \$5,000
grand prize and over 15 handmade quilts.
814-226-7288, st-joseph-lucinda.org.

**Squeeze in time for
these great events!**

**Look for this listing
on www.ErieRCD.org
and on Facebook.**

JULY 8 Our Lady of Mercy

5K Chicken Run and Chicken Little Run

8:30 am; \$15 if you pre-register,
\$20 on race day. **Chicken Little Run is
free for ages 10 and under.** Begins and
ends at Our Lady of Mercy, 837 Bartlett
Road, Harborcreek. Applications in the
Gathering Space at OLM. Questions?
Contact Peggy Jacquet at 814-725-9869.
www.ourladyofmercychurch.org.

JULY 9 Our Lady of Mercy BBQ Chicken Dinner and Summer Festival

837 Bartlett Road, Harborcreek;
noon-5 pm. BBQ chicken dinner in
air-conditioned dining room in Sperry
Hall; takeouts available. Bake sale, gift
auction, bingo, kids area; \$1,000 grand
prize raffle and more! **Cost: adults \$10,
children 6-12 \$5, 5 and under free.** 814-
899-5342.

JULY 27 St. Teresa of Avila Lawn Festival

9 Third Ave., Union City; 5-9:30 pm.
Rain or shine; Games, food, raffles,
prizes, gift auction, pony rides, bake
sale, crafts and music. **\$500 grand prize
drawing and other prizes awarded at 9
pm (need not be present to win).**
814-438-2000.

JULY 30 121st Annual Frenchtown Ham or Chicken Dinner

St. Hippolyte, 26012 N. Frenchtown
Road (Route 27), Frenchtown.
**Dinners served noon-6pm (or until
sold out): 1/2 chicken or ham, home-
made pies. noon to 7 pm: games, bingo,
gift auction, quilt/afghan raffle and kids
area. Shuttle service to parking areas;
takeouts available. Cost: adults \$10,
senior citizens \$9, children \$7.**
814-789-2022.

AUGUST 4-6

St. James Annual Summer Festival

School grounds/St. James Place
2602/2622 Buffalo Road, Erie.
(Air-conditioned hall, handicap
accessible and security on the grounds.)
**Money mania drawing: six cash
drawings ranging from \$500-\$10,000.**
**Friday: 5 pm pasta dinner (featuring
Chuck and Ginny's famous sauce).**
**Cost: adults \$8, children 12 and under
\$4. Sunday: Polka Mass at 11:30 am;
Full-course turkey dinner, noon-6 pm.**
**Cost: adults \$9, children 6-12 \$6, under
6 \$3. Bean bag toss tournament, games
of chance, casino tent, pony rides
and bingo.**

AUGUST 25-27 24th Annual Zabawa Polish Heritage Festival

Holy Trinity, E. 23rd and Reed streets,
Erie. Free admission.
**Friday 5-10 pm, Saturday noon-10 pm,
Sunday noon-6 pm. Polka Masses:
Saturday 5 pm with Bishop Lawrence
Persico; Sunday 11 am. Live national-
ly known bands: Friday: Dyna Brass
(Detroit). Saturday: Lil John & the ATM
Band (Latrobe), Mar-Vels (Erie), and The
Boys (Baltimore). Sunday: Henny and
the Versa J's (Pittsburgh) and DJ Ken
Olowin as MC. Authentic Polish foods,
bakery and drinks daily. Drawings,
games, kids area. Handicap accessible;
more parking and free shuttle service at
E. 34th and Ash streets.
814-456-0671; holylotrinityrc.org.**

SEPTEMBER 8-10

Immaculate Conception Annual Fall Festival

129 Graham Ave., Brookville;
**Friday and Saturday 8 am-8 pm,
Sunday 10 am-3 pm. Huge flea
market, crafts, theme baskets, kids
games, \$2,500 cash raffle on
Saturday, cornhole tournament,
BBQ chicken and roast beef dinner
on Sunday. 814-849-8697.**

SEPTEMBER 17 Blessed Sacrament School Fall Festival 2017

Geiger Hall, 1626 W. 26th St., Erie.
**noon-5 pm. Cash drawings:
\$500 drawing every half-hour from
12:30-3 pm; \$1,500 at 3:30 pm;
\$2,500 at 4 pm; \$3,000 at 4:30 pm.
\$5,000 grand prize drawing at 5 pm.**
**Additional \$50 prize if winner is
present. 814-454-0171.**

OCTOBER 1 Sacred Heart Fall Festival

Sacred Heart Church Auditorium,
W. 25th and Liberty streets, Erie.
**11 am-6 pm. Delicious pulled pork or
sausage sandwiches. Games, prizes
and amazing theme baskets.**
All day fun for the whole family!
814-456-6256.

OCTOBER 6-8 Oktoberfest

St. Joseph/Bread of Life Community
W. 24th and Sassafras streets, Erie.
**Friday 5-11 pm; Saturday 1-11 pm;
Sunday 12-6 pm. Live music daily.**
**\$25,000 cash raffle! Smaller cash raffles,
basket raffles, and vendors. Authentic
German cuisine: dinners, a la carte and
desserts. Takeouts available.**
814-452-2982, www.stjoesbol.org.

