Saint Mary's News Mass Schedule

Wednesday, June 1st - 8:00 a.m. – Francis Skoraszewski Saturday, June 4th - 3:30 p.m. - Stanley Soja

Sunday, June 5th Francis & Victoria Schwenk -10:30 a.m. -

There will be no Monday 8:00AM Mass on May 30, Memorial Day.

There will be an additional <u>Latin Mass</u> on Sunday, June 12th at 12:30p.m. Father Edward Connelly will be the celebrant.

The St. Mary Rectory will be open on Wednesdays from 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM. Ann Nachurski will be at the rectory during that time period to handle the business of St. Mary parishioners who cannot make it down to St. Catharine's. Otherwise, all of St. Mary's business will be handled out of St. Catharine's Parish Center. Their phone number is 610-779-4005.

Please note: Our email has changed: Please email to stmarypolishrcc@gmail.com

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL - We are grateful to all who pledged their support this weekend to the 2016 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL. Your gift will allow our diocese to meet the many and varied needs of the people of this diocese. Remember, every gift counts, no matter how small. If you did not take the opportunity to make your gift, you may do so at any time over the next few weeks by placing your pledge form in the collection basket or visiting the Appeal online at FaithHopeCharityGives.org. <u>Our goal is \$16,053</u>. Thank you for your support!

The Polish American Heritage Association will be hosting a reception on Sunday, June 12 from 1-3 PM at the Polish-American Cultural Center, Room 509, at the Goggle Works with the opening of their exhibit focusing on the art of local Polish-American artists. Come and meet some of the artists. The Serra Clubs of the Allentown Diocese invite all the faithful to join in celebrating our 2 newly ordained Priests, Fathers David Anthony and Stephan Issac, with a reception and dinner on Monday evening June 20th at the Holiday Inn Conference Center in Fogelsville from 5:30 to 8 PM. Please join Bishop Barres in affirming our new Priests as well as thanking our Pastors, Parochial Vicars, resident and retired Priests, Deacons and Sisters who will be joining us! Our keynote speaker this Year is Father Bernard Ezaki. Father taught theology at Becahi for 24 years and is currently Parochial Vicar at the Cathedral-he is an entertaining and enthralling presenter! Tickets are \$35 each; please contact Joe Zawalv at 610-944-7313 or email to probablyis@verizon.net by June 12th. Please take this opportunity to honor our priests- let's show our gratitude for the gift of their Vocation and for bringing Jesus to us in the Eucharist!"

THE PARISH CENTER WILL BE CLOSED ON MEMORIAL DAY. THERE WILL BE ONLY ONE MASS AT 9 A.M. AND NO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION.

Bishop John O. Barres will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, November 3rd at 4:30 p.m.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: DAILY MASS TIME-SUMMER HOURS - During the summer starting Monday, June 13th, the daily Mass (Monday-Friday) will be changed to **7:15 A.M.** There will only be **one** daily Mass. The Saturday morning Mass will remain at 8 A.M. The regular schedule will resume the week of August 29th.



McGlinn Conference Center (adjacent to Alvernia University)

October 1, 2016

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

<u>**Gn 14:18-20**</u>: Sharing bread and wine, a foreshadowing of the Eucharist elements, Abram is blessed and God is praised.

<u>1 Cor 11:23-26</u>: When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your glory, Lord Jesus, until you come again.

Lk 9:11b-17: Jesus feeds the people through the apostles. It all foreshadows the Eucharist.

Today's Message - Melchizedek, priest of God Most High, offers bread and wine as a blessing upon Abram. Jesus fulfills this offering, giving us His own body and blood under the forms of bread and wine. Thus is our hunger satisfied in abundance, as we make our pilgrim way to the heavenly banquet.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH MONDAY, MAY 30- MEMORIAL DAY NO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION PARISH CENTER CLOSED **TUESDAY, MAY 31** RCIA BIBLE STUDY - 7 p.m. - Parish Center 50+BOARD MTG. - 10 a.m. - Parish Center WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1 50+GEN. MTG. - 1p.m. - Pavilion UNEMPLOYMENT MTG. - 7:00 p.m.- Parish Center LEGION OF MARY MTG. - 7 p.m. - Parish Center **THURSDAY, JUNE 2** K OF C MTG. - 7:30 p.m. - Knights Rm. SIENA STITCHERS - 10:00 a.m. - Gathering Area SUNDAY, JUNE 5 8th GRADE GRADUATION – 12 Noon Mass

JUNE IS THE MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

FRIDAY, June 3rd is the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Promises made by the Lord to St. Margaret Mary are the reason for the Feast and First Friday devotions.

I will give them all the graces necessary to their state of life. I will establish peace in their homes.

I will comfort them in their afflictions.

I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all in death.

I will bestow a large blessing upon all their undertakings.

Sinners shall find in My heart the source and the infinite ocean of mercy.

Tepid souls shall grow fervent.

Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.

I will bless every place where a picture of My Heart shall be set up and honored.

I will give priests the gifts of touching the most hardened hearts. Those who promote this devotion shall have their names written in My Heart never to be blotted out.

I promise thee in the excessive mercy of My Heart that My allpowerful love will communicate on the First Friday in nine consecutive months the grace of final penitence; they shall not die in My disgrace nor without receiving their sacraments; My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in the last moments. MASS INTENTIONS MONDAY, MAY 30 NO 6:30 MASS 9:00 Ralph & Steward Mason **TUESDAY, MAY 31** 6:30 Marion Hermann (1st Ann.) 8:00 Kevin Boyer (16th Ann.) WEDNESDAY, JUNE1 6:30 Lourdes Rosendo 8:00 Cecila Grubb **THURSDAY, JUNE 2** 6:30 John & Eileen Anderson 8:00 Cyrial Pisanick FRIDAY, JUNE 3 6:30 Felix E. Carr. Sr. 8:30 Patricia Iezzi (4th Ann.) **SATURDAY, JUNE 4** 8:00 Donald Rathkey 4:30 Kathy Jablonski **SUNDAY, JUNE 5** 7:30 Joseph & Antoinette Lis & Family 9:00 Grace Thompson (1st Ann) 10:30 Shirley Nicholas 12:00 Intentions of the 8th Grade Graduates

Readings for the Week of May 29, 2016

Readings for the week of May 25, 2010		
	Sunday	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
		(Corpus Christi)
		Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; 1 Cor 11:23-26;
		Lk 9:11b-17
	Monday	2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16; Mk 12:1-12
	Tuesday	The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
		Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd,
		5-6; Lk 1:39-56
	Wednesday	Saint Justin, Martyr
		2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef;
		Mk 12:18-27
	Thursday	Saints Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs
		2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10, and 14;
		Mk 12:28-34
	Friday	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
		Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Rom 5:5b-11;
		Lk 15:3-7
	Saturday	The Immaculate Heart of the
		Blessed Virgin Mary
		2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71;8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22;
		Lk 2:41-51
	Sunday	Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		1 Kgs 17:17-24; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13;
		Gal 1:11-19; Lk 7:11-17

FOR THOSE WHO ARE GRIEVING . . . memory writes on every page of the calendar. A support group offering caring presence, strength, and wisdom meets two Mondays a month at St. Catharine's of Siena Church, Mt. Penn 19606, at 7 PM. To register call 610 370-1174.

HELP SUPPORT EXETER AREA FOOD PANTRY by donating hygiene products (shampoo, soap, toothpaste, deodorant etc.). This collection will be on an ongoing basis. A collection bin will be located in the back of the Church. INFO: Phil or Bonnie 610-779-6045.

PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

Monday 5/30	Father Thomas Prior
Tuesday 5/31	Msgr. Stephen Radocha
Wednesday 6/1	His Holiness Pope Francis
Thursday 6/2	Pope Emeritus Benedict
Friday 6/3	Bishop of Allentown John Barres
Saturday 6/4	Bishop Emeritus Edward Cullen
Sunday 6/5	Msgr. James Reichert

Discernment Retreat -June 10 -12, 2016 - Friday 6PM - Sunday 1PM

-Villa Maria House of Studies - Young women (18-35) are invited to join us for this retreat which focuses on the IHM Charism and the importance of listening to God's call and discovering the many ways that God speaks to us. Time will be included for personal and communal prayer as well as the opportunity to interact with the sisters in Formation. (Contact: ihmvoc@aol.com or 610-889-1553)

SAVE THE DATE !! The SCS Knights of Columbus annual golf outing will be held on Friday, July 29th at the Reading **Country Club**. Details to be released in the coming weeks.

NOCTURNAL ADORATION DEVOTIONS will be held in Sacred Heart Chapel in West Reading on First Friday, June 3rd from 8:00 -9:00 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Are you unemployed, underemployed, or know someone who is? The Berks County chapter of Joseph's People will feature a session on creative networking. The meeting will be held 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 1 at St. Catharine of Siena Parish Center, 2427 Perkiomen Ave. in Information: Reading. josephspeople.org or send e-mail to atticus0621@gmail.com

We pray for the Gift of Peace in the world and the safety of those working for peace through the military services, especially: Second Lt. Morgan Hissick, Second Lt. Anthony Bennett, Tom Bristol, Danny Bristol, Pvt. Erin Pawlik, Commander Daniel M. Simon, Airman First Class Michael Porcaro, Staff Sgt. Zak Ribble, Staff Sgt. John V. Nowotarski, III, Airman First Class Domenic Martino, Peter Hinsey, LC. Matthew Pawlik, Thomas Bristol, Col. Patrick Sullivan, Second Lt. Joshua Kline, Captain Kevin Madary, Sgt. First Class Andrew Spies, Sergeant Zachary Wendt, Major Jeffrey Brizek, Warrant Officer Gregory Van Horn, Captain Jeffrey Van Horn, Lt. Cdr. Allison Rosati Martin, Commander Master Chief Marie Rosati Clark, Lt. Brandon Daughtry, David L. Busch, Zachary Deissler, Amy & Gregory Boland, Major Adam Sawyer, Staff Sgt. Jeremiah Sola, Lt. Mathew Stuber, Sgt. Nathan Essig & Lt. Cdr. Brian Blair. Please contact the Parish Office with your prayer requests or email them to dsitler@comcast.net. Please call with addresses of military to Terri Mueller at 610-779-1766.

Parish Nurse News - Prepare your young teens for how to respond to unexpected situations and peer pressure. Talk with them about their natural body changes, family values and smart choices. Encourage them to ask you questions, too! (HealthyAdvice.com.April2012).

Parish Directories -- parish families/individuals who attended a portrait session for the church directory can pick up their free directory after all Masses in the main gathering area the this weekend. Directories may also be purchased for \$10 a piece at the Parish Center.

Weekend Mass Schedule June 4th - 4:30 p.m. (Church) Lector - Todd Tomczyk Cantor - Michele Feeney Organist - Dave Kostival Altar Servers - K. Swavely - H. Keperling - J. Ambramowicz June 5th - 7:30 a.m. Mass (Church) Lector- Madeline Mullen Altar Servers - C. Wasielevski - S. Wasielevski & Substitute June 5th - 9:00 a.m. Mass (Church) Cantor - Molly Ziemba Organist - Dave Kostival Altar Servers - B. Troung - R. Watts - M. Vagnoni - 10:30 a.m. Mass (Church) June 5th Mick McCarthy Lector -Summer Chorale & Organist - Dave Kostival Altar Servers - J. Wentling - R. Wentzel - E. Wright June 5th - 12:00 p.m. Mass (Church) Lector - 8th Grade Students Cantor - Kim Kostival Organist - Dave Kostival

Altar Servers - B. Kominick - S. Stratton - E. McElderry ALTAR SERVERS LIST - WEEKDAYS Week of May 30th - June 4th

9:00 a.m.- C. Smith & B. Troung (Monday) 8:00 a.m. - C. Smith & B. Troung - (Tuesday & Wednesday) 8:00 a.m.- M. Stratton & E. Simms - (Thursday - Saturday)

8:30 a.m. - M. Stratton & E. Simms - (Friday)

50 Plus News

The monthly meeting for the 50+ Club will be held on July 6, 2016. The board meeting will be held on **July 5, 2016** at 10:00 am. Please call Mike Mullen, President of the 50+ club at 610-370-1298, with any questions or concerns.

MEETINGS

JULY 6 2016 - Speaker: Cindy Kauffman - Historical Reading, PA-Italian Sandwiches from Esposito's - Wear: Red, White and Blue Games: if time allows

August 3, 2016 – Speaker: Kathy Holm, Service Dog tasks, specific to calm & help patients in all settings. Make Ice Cream Sundaes (will be a mess but fun).

2016 TRAVEL PLANS BUCKSCOUNTY PLAYHOUSE: Wednesday, June 29th. "The Buddy Holly Story", lunch at Marsha Brown's (a renovated church). Cost: \$113.00 per person Final payment due 6/1/16.

PADDLEBOAT TO OCEAN CITY, MD: July 19-21, Crab Buffet Cost: \$440.00 per person - \$50.00 deposit ASAP to hold reservation. Call Pat for further details.

BYERS CHOICE TOUR & DINNER: Thursday, August 11th on Moshulu Tall Ship (ship will be docked). Cost: \$110.00 per person Final payment due 6/30/16. Call Pat White 610-582-1437 for more information.

We are again selling Friends Helping Friends 25% Boscov's Shopping Passes. The date is **Tues Oct 18, 2016** & the cost is \$5.00. Call Pat White 610-582-1437 to purchase them.

We always welcome new members and encourage guests to join us at any of our meetings. Our meetings are held at 1:00 P.M. on the first Wednesday of every month at St. Catharine's Social Hall on Route 562 in Exeter Township, dues are \$5.00 per year. ALL ARE WELCOME

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven"

"a time to be born..."

Recently Baptized - Axel John Haas

Recently added: Mary Lomnyczuk

& Please pray for our sick & our soldiers in harm's way:

Paula Abel, Sara Abraham, Anita Adamo, Stella Albrecht, Mike Alfiero, Tony Angello, Anthony Antonucci, Tara Arnold, Barbara Ash, Beverly Bansner, Kathy Barnes, Bob Bates, Kailee Baxter, Melanie Bechtel, Rev. David Beebe, Harrison Bergstresser, Sandy Bibbo, Stella Bickleman, Val Billings, Karen Bird, Catherine Blanchard, Michael & Kim Blair, Christina Boehning, Adolph Bomba, Edward Boris, Thomas Brady, Susan Brennan, Robin Briand, Frank Broga, Kathryn Brubaker, Robert Bryden, Renee Brzostek, Emily Buelow, Frances Byrne, Jeannine Caffrey, Peg Cappel, Neil Carroll, Nancy Cassidy, Brianna Chery, Mark Christ, Richard Cibroski, Nancy Ciccone, Kevin Cleary, Donna Cocchia, Michael Conrad, Lisa Costello, Audrey Crilley, Joan Cronan, Alexa Cupitt, Ryan Curley, Robin Cuzner, Jean Czapka, Yvania Dawson, Kathy DeAngelo, Tony DeAngelis, John Demangone, Julie Denunzio, Jennifer Devlin, Melissa DeWees, Gretchen Dialectus, Paula DiBuilda, Arthur Dietrich, Jr, Carmela Donato, Henry Dolinski, Mildred Donnelly, Kate Doughton, Kathy Doyle, Father Michael Drury, Becky & Chuck Drennen, Dick Dunn, Gina Ebright, Lu Ann Eyre, Peter Fanticone, Jack Farrell, Josie Farrell, Pearl Fillman, Jennifer Flook, Laurie Flynn, Frances Ford, Jane Fordyce, John Fordyce, Margaret Frisbee, Kim Furtow, Adam Gajewski, Anna Mae Gantert, Helen Gaunt, Donna Gentry, Grace Gerace, Pat Gerace, Joseph Gierschick, Jr, Frank Gill, Kathy Glaser, Larry Glaser, Ken Goodman, Johanna Goheen, Albert Gombar, Robert Grauert, Sr., Claire Griffith, Ruth Guyah, Tom Hafer, Warren Haggerty, Jeanne Goodwin Hall, Beverly Hannahoe, Bob Hamer, Eva Hare, Debbie Heberling, Jason Heckman, William Hedl, Wayne Hedrick, Robyn Hefferan, Diane Herbein, Eugene Hilbert, Emory Hilton, Melissa Himmelberger, Ethan Himonitis, William Hinkle, Janice Hossler, Michael Hoover, Siegried Hosey, Robert Hough, Allison Howard, John Hull, Karen Irey, Genevieve Iswalt, Catharine Jagielski, Baby Jessica Jara, Erick Jefferson, Blake Kauffman, Beth Kase, Blaine Kegarise, Elizabeth Kehlor, John Kiedeisch, Carolyn Kilyk, Sharon Kirkpatrick, Joyce Kleckner, Marilla Kleinsasser, Mary Klick, Barry Kline, Sr, Jean Kline, Benjamin Kline, Ginny Koch, Judy Koch, Helen Koehler, John Kogut, Mary Konopelski, Jim Kowalczyk, Jack Kuhn, Mary Kusek, Tracy Larish, Mike LaScala, Vanessa Leaizer, Sandra Loden, Harry Logan, Stephen & Genevieve Luskie , Kelly Lynch & family, Harriet Madara, Eleanor Majka, Julia Marason, Megan Marino, Angela Marroccoli, Ron Marshman, Linda Martz, Anna Mastandrea, Charles Mathews, Mary Mathews, Chris McCarron, Thomas McCarthy, Coral McConnell, Jacob McCue, Rita McHale, Dorothy McGill, Edward McKeaney, Abbie McKinney, Charles McMenamin, Rosemarie McMenamin, Rosemary McNish, Arthur Mengel, Susan Mertz, Jacob Mower, Goup Toy Moy, Gertrude Moyer, Thomas Muchanic, Patrick & Louise Murtagh, Gordon Newmoyer, Joseph Nicholas, Bill Norquist, Bernie Nowotarski, Virginia O'Brien, , Molly Oliver, William Orth, Sr., Anna Ospina, Anna Paone, Gabriella Paone, Landon Paul, Peter Pietrzyk, Dolores Pikula, Melly Pimentel, Pat Pinto, Doreen Piscotty, Donald Pisker, James Pisker, Anne Poserina, Potts Family, Mary Price, Kathleen Rainey, Thomas Joseph Rainey, Ricky Ricketts, Agnes Roach, Lynn Roberts, Rita Rose, Barbara Rowe, Catherine Rudy, Mary Ryan, Anne Schaeffer, Gladys Schell, Ann Schweitzer, Beth Serafin, Tom Shaaber, Garth Shannon, David Sharpley, Sr., Earl Sheetz, Dawn Siderowicz, Janet Smith, Patricia Smoyer, Tyson Snader, Gene Sock, Julie Staber, Pam Stribbling, Helen Strohecker, Maria Stubblebine, Annabelle Stump, Earl Suchomelly, Cullen Sullivan, Carolyn Taraba, Paul Teske, Hilda Thomas, John Thorne, John Tittle, Bella Tomalis, Jan Tomalis, Michael Trivel, Wendy Tustin, Jane Valeriano, Shelia Violand, Alan Wachowicz, Mark Walter, Marie Weber, Leo Woelkers, Julia Wolff, Lana Worrall, Hana Yago, Sue Yapsuga, Ann Marie Zawislak, Bob Zeiler, Sr., Bob Zeiler, Jr. & Mary Zettlemoyer.

...and a time for peace."

...a time to die: *Mark Grosso*, (husband of Katie Grosso); *Illona Newmoyer*, (wife of Gordon Newmoyer & mother of Kristen Reto & grandmother of Dominic, Michael & Julianna Reto); *Nicholas Mesisca*, (husband of Betty Mesisca, father of Marybeth Werner & Debbie Saylor & grandfather of Jennifer Heebner, Jamie Saylor, Rachel & Brianne Werner & great grandfather of Robert, Macie, Alyssa, Jackson & Brayden Heebner & Mackenzie Higgins) & all victims of war, and the 4,100 daily abortions. Ecclesiastes 3:11

To have someone from your family enrolled on our prayer list, please call the Parish Center. <u>Names will be listed for one month unless the office is notified that the condition continues and prayers are still requested.</u> Parishioners who are sick or hospitalized, in a rehabilitation facility or at home wishing to receive the Holy Eucharist may call the Parish at 610-779-4005.

As of today, our parishioners have raised \$96,767 from 359 parishioners representing 13.12% of our total number of registered families in our parish. We need the support of all of our parish families to reach our financial goal and to reach the 100% participation goal. If you have not made your pledge of support, you may return your pledge form to the parish office or make your gift online. We need the support of all of our parish families to reach our goal. Remember, every gift counts, no gift is too small. Every dollar helps those in need. If you have any questions or would like to make a gift, please call the parish office or visit the Appeal website at www.2016baa.org.

<u>Catholic Charities</u> is accepting new clients in the Pregnancy and Parenting Support Services Program. No fee for service. To learn more contact our Berks Office at 610-376-7144.

Catholic Charities' Counseling Department specializes in marital, family and individual counseling to aide those through life's difficulties. Catholic Charities now accepts some insurance and offers a sliding fee scale for those needing assistance. Contact Teri Dakuginow at 610-435-1541 ext. 334 to make an appointment.

<u>Vacation Bible School - Deep Sea Discovery</u> - Get ready for a life changing adventure taking place right here at St. Catharine of Siena School; June 27th - July 1st. From 9:00 a.m. –11:30 a.m.

Each day begins at Celebration Reef, where kids will sing, shout, praise, pray and meet our puppet friend Cooper. All these fun activities connect to the Bible Story and the truth that God is with us wherever we go! We begin our adventure each morning in the school cafeteria. You won't want to miss this adventure! Space is limited. **Registrations forms can be picked up at the school, Church & Parish Center**. For more information, please call Connie Fry at 610-944-0732.

Confirmation Students who are need of hours and who would like to volunteer for the Bible Study, please call Connie Fry for more information at 610-944-0732.

First Holy Communion Class of 2016

Alivia Acuna **Trudence** Barbera **Dillon** Boyles Victoria Caccese Alex Carrasquillo **Bryce Cuesta** Aidan Dauble Cailin Dempster Leah Donato Kendell Druzba Michael Fisher *Teter George* **Audrey Gierlich** Ethan Gomez Jacob Hafer Lillian Holla Grace Impellizzeri Jeniya Jeanty Naelah King Jackson Kozik Sadie Lawlor Ella Lynch Maira McCartin Hannah Miller Caleb Newell **Tatrick Tayne** Carter Redding Eric Rodriguez Jared Santos Ethan Shore Monica Stratton John Talarico Ruan Tranovich **Amberlise** Velez Judah Weyant Benjamin Wright Stella Wright



Liam Atkins Sully Bowen Mackenzie Burkholder Gabriel Cambria Mason Cerra Christopher D'Angelo Roxanne Davis **Abigail** Dietrich Micah Drumheller Brenton Feathers Jakob Franek Molly Giering Morgan Gilbert Joshua Griffith Jackson Heebner Ryland Hollinger Gavin Isselmann **Lillie Keperling** Nathan Kleinfelter Hannah Laskawski Evan Loose Collin Marr Victor Mejia Juliana Nerney Joven Patton Jacob Phiambolis Christian Rivera Christian Santos **Teter Schmehl** Ryan Shuart Dylan Taffel Brandon Taveras Liam Trupp Jayden Weidner John Wisniewski Daniel Wright Gianna Wunsch

