

Jb 38:1,8-11: God recalls for Job that He is the Lord of creation. He has the power to do things which humans can't not explain.

2 Cor 5:14-17: In Christ everyone is a new creation. A new world is already born.

Mk 4:35-41: Jesus is truly "God-with-us", and we should turn to Him in faithful prayer.

Today's Message - In the midst of adversity, we need to trust in the saving presence of God who triumphs over the waters of the sea. In the midst of distress, let us turn to the Lord with faith, to Him whom even the wind and sea obey. He died and rose for our sake that we might live and not perish.

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Bishop John O. Barres will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Tuesday, December 1st at 4:30 p.m.

A position has become available on the Parish Council.

Please consider nominating yourself or someone you respect to serve within this important ministry. Nomination and Application forms are located in the center gathering areas of the Church and Chapel as well as on our Parish web site www.scsreading.org/scsparish. The deadline to submit nominations is Monday July 6th 2015.

THE PARISH CENTER WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, JULY 3RD.

In the second collection today, we are supporting Pope Francis in his charitable works.

The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. This is an opportunity to join with our Holy Father, Pope Francis, and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous in today's collection.

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.



Save the dates of September 22-27, 2015 for the historic visit of Pope Francis to the United States to attend the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia. Since the family is the subject of the New Evangelization, we want to share our faith with other families. It is through living our lives as Catholic families devoted to our faith, to each other, and to helping those in need that we best evangelize in a world that often seems reluctant to hear this good news. Jesus, Mary, and Joseph watch over our families. Registration for volunteers is now open at the World Meeting of Families 2015 website: www.worldmeeting2015.org/.



God Bless You
This Father's Day
Dear Father in Heaven,
May we Remember
That Children Need:
Time and Attention,
Love and Patience,
Discipline and Guidance,
Caring and Affection,
Trusting and Security,
Laughter and Play.

Like Joseph, Father of Jesus, May we also be a good role model and set the best example for our children.

Amen

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

BAPTISMS- 1 p.m. - Church

TEEN BIBLE STUDY – 6 p.m. – Liturgy Rm.

MONDAY, JUNE 22

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION –after 7:15 a.m. Mass until 9 p.m.

GRIEFSHARE MTG.- 7 p.m. – Parish Center

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

LEGION OF MARY MTG. – 6:30 p.m. – Parish Center

THURSDAY, JUNE 25

PARISH COUNCIL MTG.- 7 p.m. – Parish Center

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

TEEN BIBLE STUDY – 6 p.m. – Liturgy Rm.

Please inform the parish office if you have a change in name, address, telephone number or any other change that may effect your Church registration. We are trying very hard to keep our data base current. Thanks for your help! Any time you do not receive your Church envelopes in the mail, please call Diane Sitler at the Parish Center at 610-779-4005 or email dsitler@comcast.net.

As of today, our parishioners have raised \$106,733 from 470 parishioners representing 17% 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.2015baa.org.

Ministry to Traveling Catholics- For nationwide Mass time and locations: Call 1-858-207-6277 (not toll-free) or internet www.masstimes.org

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

June 14, 2015

| | Actual | Budget |
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| This Year | \$ 21,912 | \$ 23,421 |
| Year to date | \$ 1,050,214 | \$ 1,147,449 |
| Year to date deficit | | \$ 97,235 |
| Last Year | \$ 20,957 | |

A sincere "THANK YOU" to our parishioners and visitors who choose to contribute to St. Catharine's. Your contributions are deeply appreciated.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, JUNE 22

7:15 Rundle-Rodolff Family

TUESDAY, JUNE 23

7:15 Dominica Miller

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

7:15 Frederick Didyoung & Harry Wright

THURSDAY, JUNE 25

7:15 Antonio Aiuto (3rd Ann.)

FRIDAY, JUNE 26

7:15 Norma Sneeringer

SATURDAY, JUNE 27

8:00 Diane Scollick

4:00 Toro Family

6:00 Armando Durinzi, Sr. (1st Ann.)

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

7:30 Geraldine & Samuel Russo

9:00 Marie Palaferro

10:30 Jacob Bohner

12:00 Roger Lamp

Readings for the week of June 21, 2015

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| Sunday | Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jb 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41 |
| Monday | Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs Gn 12:1-9; Ps 33; Mt 7:1-5 |
| Tuesday | Gn 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15; Mt 7:6, 12-14 Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17 |
| Wednesday | The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist Is 49 1-6; Ps 139; Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66, 80 |
| Thursday | Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16; Ps 106; Mt 7:21-29 |
| Friday | Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128; Mt 8:1-4 |
| Saturday | Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Gn 18:1-15; Lk 1; Mt 8:5-17 |
| Sunday | Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; Ps 30; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43 |

THE BANS OF MARRIAGE are announced as follows:

II Melanie Shuhler & Chris Mitton

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PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

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| Monday 6/22 | Father James Lofton |
| Tuesday 6/23 | Father Kevin Lonergan |
| Wednesday 6/24 | Father Lucien Longtin |
| Thursday 6/25 | Father Stephen Maco |
| Friday 6/26 | Father Peter Mainza |
| Saturday 6/27 | Father Leo Maletz |
| Sunday 6/28 | Father Paul Marconi |

Our Lady's Missionaries of the Eucharist Invite You:

**Tuesday, July 14, 2015, Morning Session: 9 AM-Noon
and Evening Session: 7 PM**

Anthony Mullen, Conference Presenter: The Flame of Love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Come to one or both sessions. Two separate programs, if you miss one you are welcome to come to the other. *Morning Session* will include Conference, Exposition of the Eucharist, Sacrament of Reconciliation, and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. *Evening Session* will include Liturgy of the Hours and Conference.

In 2013 Tony Mullen was appointed by Cardinal Peter Erdo to be the United States Coordinator for the *Flame of Love Devotion and the Immaculate Heart of Mary*. Mullen is a member of *Legatus*, the *Militia of the Immaculata*, and the *Stewards of St. John Neumann*. In His Sign Radio Network awarded him the *St. Maximilian Kolbe Award* for outstanding evangelization. To register for an event contact: **Our Lady's Missionaries of the Eucharist, 640 E. Main St., Birdsboro, PA 19508. olme@olme.org è 610-582-3333 è www.olme.org.** All are Welcome! Bring a Friend! Your generous donation will be deeply appreciated.

DEFENDING THE FAITH CONFERENCE BUS TRIP

Franciscan Univ. Jul 24–26: “*Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason for your hope- 1 Peter 3: 15*”. This is a WONDERFUL opportunity to enhance the knowledge of your faith & spiritual growth with over 1,200 other attendees. The conference includes bestselling authors and renowned speakers who not only teach, but also motivate, including many EWTN personalities, such as, Scott & Kimberly Hahn, Dr. Peter Kreeft, Patrick Madrid, Mike Aquilina and other familiar Catholic Theologians and Apologists. Also includes: Daily Mass, confession and a joyful bus ride. More info on the conference can be found at: <http://www.steubenvilleconferences.com/adult/defending-the-faith-conference#>. Previous attendees found this conference to be a significant lift in their spiritual lives. Call Bruce & Alice Swist for information at (610) 468-9506 or b@swist.us.

Parish Nurse News: At the Health Fair, we were reminded to use sun screen and protect our skin from harmful sun rays (samples provided by Dr. T. Lawlor, Dermatology).

Weekend Mass Schedule

June 27th - 4:00 Mass (Church)
Lector– Todd Tomczyk
Cantor - Kate Bobb
Organist - Joe Schwartz
Altar Servers - W. McNish - B. McNish - M. McNish
June 27th - 6:00 Mass (Chapel)
Lector - Cassie Sedlack
Cantor– Vince Essig
Organist - Joe Schwartz
Altar Servers - A. Munter - K. Munter - M. Nally
June 28th - 7:30 a.m. Mass (Church)
Lector– Bernie Ryan
Altar Servers - M. Pawlik - D. O’Hara - S. O’Hara
June 28th - 9:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
Lector - Theresa Pauley
Cantor– Leah Rile
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - C. Paris - H. Paris - C. Nguyen
June 28th - 10:30 a.m. Mass (Church)
Lector - Vince McDevitt
Summer Chorale
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - G. Perilli - V. Pfeiffenberger - M. Ream
June 28th - 12:00 p.m. Mass (Church)
Lector – Rose Anne Uhrig
Contemporary Group
Altar Servers - G. Reed - E. Simms - A. Speck

We pray for the Gift of Peace in the world and the safety of those working for peace through the military services, especially: 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, Ltc. Grant Vaughan, 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.

Please note: In the back of Church parking lot there is a bin from the **Hope Rescue Mission**. The following items are allowed: **Clothing, Men's, Women's and children's, Shoes, Belts, Purses, Books, Book Bags, Totes, Linens & Blankets. These are the only things they will accept! Please do not leave anything else.**

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

“a time to be born...”

Recently Baptized: Julian Noah Martinez

Recently added: Gina Cady, John McHale, Joseph Gierschick, Jr., Rita Rose & Josie Farrell

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

Paula Abel, Sara Abraham, Anita Adamo, Mike Alfiero, Tony Angello, Anthony & Genevieve Antonucci, Tara Arnold, Barbara Ash, Kathy Barnes, Kailee Baxter, Diane Becker, Rev. David Beebe, Mario Belanger, Harrison Bergstresser, Stella Bickleman, Val Billings, Karen Bird, Catherine Blanchard, Michael & Kim Blair, Charles Bobb, Christina Boehning, Adolph Bomba, Edward Boris, Thomas Brady, Robin Briand, Frank Broga, Kathryn Brubaker, Robert Bruno, Robert Bryden, Emily Buelow, Glenn Burnish, Frances Byrne, Jeannine Caffrey, Peg Cappel, Neil Carroll, Nancy Cassidy, John Cavallino, Mark Christ, Nancy Ciccone, Kevin Cleary, Donna Cocchia, Michael Conrad, Anna Corso, Lisa Costello, Audrey Crilley, Joan Cronan, Alexa Cupitt, Robin Cuzner, Yvania Dawson, Kathy DeAngelo, Tony DeAngelis, Theresa De Georgio, John Demangone, Julie Denunzio, Melissa DeWees, Arthur Dietrich, Jr, Carmela Donato, Henry Dolinski, Mildred Donnelly, Kate Doughton, Father Michael Drury, Becky & Chuck Drennen, Lu Ann Eyre, Jack Farrell, Pearl Fillman, Jennifer Flook, Frances Ford, Jane Fordyce, John Fordyce, Jean Freeze, Margaret Frisbee, Donny Fry, Kim Furtow, Jeanne Goodwin, Hall, Ken G., Anna Mae Gantert, Helen Gaunt, Donna Gentry, Grace Gerace, Pat Gerace, Kathy Glaser, Larry Glaser, Johanna Goheen, Claire Griffith, Tom Hafer, Warren Haggerty, Beverly Hannahoe, Bob Hamer, Eva Hare, Jason Heckman, Debbie Heberling, William Hedl, Robyn Hefferan, Diane Herbein, Dolores Hildebrand, Melissa Himmelberger, Ethan Himonitis, William Hinkle, Michael Hoover, Siegfried Hosey, Allison Howard, John Hull, Jim & Joan Hunsburger, Karen Irely, Genevieve Iswalt, Catharine Jagielski, Erick Jefferson, Blake Kauffman, Brad Kegaris, Elizabeth Kehlor, Trey Kelly, John Kiedeisch, Carolyn Kilyk, Sharon Kirkpatrick, Joyce Kleckner, Dolores Klein, Marilla Kleinsasser, Mary Klick, Barry Kline, Sr, Benjamin Kline, Ginny Koch, Judy Koch, Helen Koehler, John Kogut, Mary Konopelski, Jim Kowalczyk, Jack Kuhn, Tracy Larish, Mike LaScala, Louis & Madeline LeBlanc, Kathleen Light, Sandra Loden, Olivia & Liam Lynch & family, Harriet Madara, Francis Madl, Eleanor Majka, Petrina Mangino, Julia Marason, Bill March, Megan Marino, Tony Marino, Angela Marroccoli, Anna Mastandrea, Charles Mathews, Mary Mathews, Mark May, Coral McConnell, Jacob McCue, Rita McHale, Dorothy McGill, Edward McKeane, Charles McMenamin, Rosemarie McMenamin, Abbie McKinney, Arthur Mengel, Susan Mertz, Nicholas Messica, Joseph W. Miller, Kate Mims, Jacob Mower, Goup Toy Moy, Gertrude Moyer, Thomas Muchanic, Cora Nacar, Gordon Newmoyer, Joseph Nicholas, Bill Norquist, Bernie Nowotarski, Virginia O’Brien, Jean Olsefsky, Grace Oliver, William Orth, Sr., Anna Ospina, Anna Paone, Gabriella Paone, Landon Paul, Shirley Perdoch, Peter Pietrzyk, Dolores Pikula, Pat Pinto, Doreen Piscotty, Donald Pisker, James Pisker, Ursula Pledger, Anne Poserina, Potts Family, Mary Price, Kathleen Rainey, Thomas Joseph Rainey, Ricky Ricketts, Jack Ritz, Agnes Roach, Lynn Roberts, Barbara Rowe, Catherine Rudy, Anne Schaeffer, Gladys Schell, Ann Schweitzer, Beth Serafin, Tom Shaaber, Garth Shannon, David Sharpley, Sr., Rosemary Shollenberger, 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, Hilda Thomas, Mary Thorne, John Tittle, Bella Tomalis, Jan Tomalis, Robin Trate, Michael Trivel, Wendy Tustin, Luanna Uhler, Jane Valeriano, Henry Von Spreckelsen, Alan Wachowicz, Mark Walter, Marie Weber, Christine Wendt, Dave Wentling, Vera & Warren Wert, Leo Woelkers, Hana Yago, Ann Marie Zawislak, Bob Zeiler, Sr., Bob Zeiler, Jr. & Mary Zettlemoyer.

...and a time for peace.”

...a time to die: & 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. Names will be listed for one month unless the office is notified that the condition continues and prayers are still requested. 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.

HELP NEEDED: We are in need of more volunteers to help clean the Church on the **1st Saturday of each month at 9 a.m.** This is also a good opportunity for Junior High and Senior High Students to get service hours. Please call the Parish Center (610-779-4005) if you can help.

EXETER AREA FOOD PANTRY will continue to accept PERSONAL HYGEINE products and any non-perishable food item on an on-going basis. Bins are located in the back of the church. Thank you for your continued prayers and support. For more information, please contact Phil & Bonnie Blankenstein at 610-779-6045.

School Office Summer Office Hours - The school office will be open Monday to Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon from June 8 to August 14. For registration information call the school office at 610-779-5810.

PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY -- plans for a new parish directory are in progress. Photography sessions will take place from August to December. Stay tuned for more information in the coming weeks.

The Commission for Women Seeking New Members -

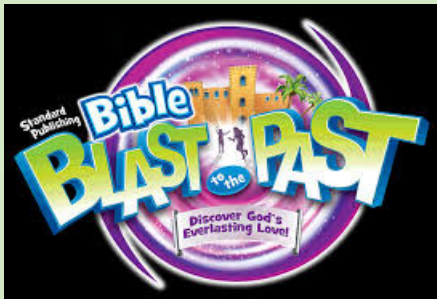
The Commission for Women is an advisory body to the Bishop of Allentown on issues of concern to women and the Church. To serve on the Commission, you must be a Catholic laywoman in good standing with the Church and her teaching. Members serve a three-year term and represent all geographic areas of the diocese. The Commission for Women meets four times a year. There are openings for new members from **Schuylkill, Lehigh and Berks Counties**, but applications from all interested candidates are being considered. If you would like to be considered for membership on the Commission for Women, please send a cover letter of intent, your resume and a letter of recommendation from your pastor by July 18, 2015 to: Commission for Women, 900 South Woodward Street, Allentown, PA 18103. For more information, please contact Mary Fran Hartigan 610-289-8900 ext. 226 or e-mail mhartigan@allentowndiocese.org.



ST. CATHARINE'S TEEN STUDY 2015

Tonight June 21st from 6-7:30pm.

Ages 8th thru 12th grade. Come to St. Catharine's Church, Boyertown Road and play a game of dodgeball in the Social Hall. Next we will go to the Children's Liturgy Room for snacks and discussion regarding our faith. Bring a Bible and invite a friend. *Parents if you feel you have a 7th/8th grader who wants to engage in a more meaningful study of their faith prior to confirmation contact Jason Bingaman at bing1989@icloud.com. Please also contact Jason if you have a son or daughter interested in joining the group or with any questions about the teen study.



Summer Vacation Bible School will be held August 3rd - 7th from 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. at St. Catharine's School. The cost is \$15.00 per student. (Ages 5-12). Registrations forms can be picked up at the school, parish center or at Church.

Attention Confirmation Students— help is needed at Vacation Bible School but space is limited so act fast! For more information, or if you can help at Bible School please call Connie Fry at 610-944-0732.

Sent to Love: A Symposium on the Family with Dr. Mary Beth Yount: In preparation for the papal visit to Philadelphia for the World Meeting of Families this September, the Diocese of Allentown is offering a free symposium on the topic of the mission of the family. The evening will feature a discussion with Dr. Mary Beth Yount, the Director of Content and Programming for the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia, on "Love and Mission." The event will take place on Monday, July 13 from 7-9pm in the auditorium at Bethlehem Catholic HS. No registration is required. If you have any questions please email adultformation@allentowndiocese.org or call 610-289-8900 ext. 221.

Catholic Charities is accepting new clients in the Counseling Program. Service sites include Pottsville, Reading and Allentown. Sliding fee scale for those needing assistance. Contact Teri Dakuginow at 610-435-1541 ext. 334.

50 PLUS NEWS

The monthly meeting for the 50+ Club will be held on **July 1, 2015** at 1:00 pm. The board meeting will be held on **June 30, 2015** at 10:00 am.

JULY 1ST: Speaker: Cindy Kauffman, History of the Pagoda – enjoy Italian Sandwiches. Dress in Red, White & Blue to celebrate the July 4th holiday.

AUGUST 5TH: MEETING HAS BEEN CANCELLED

SEPTEMBER 2ND: Chill in the air, make your favorite **CHILI** recipe to share with all of us. Play Left, Right & Center

OCTOBER 7, 2015 - Italian Festival - Covered Dish, Italian music

FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS: Boscov's shopping passes are for sale. Shop on **October 20, 2015**, the pass will give you 25% off your purchases. Contact Pat White at 610-582-1437

2015 TRAVEL PLANS

HUNTERDON HILLS PLAYHOUSE: Wednesday, July 15, 2015. The show is "**Twist and Shout**". It will take you on a musical journey back in time with songs from Burt Bacharach, The Beatles, The Four Seasons to the Four Tops! Delicious food, a great show and wonderful people. Price is **\$95.00**. If interested, call parishoners - Nancy Hoy 610-779-5409 or Marniece Lepore 610-603-0923.

RIVER LADY LUNCH CRUISE: Tuesday, August 18, 2015
Tuckerton Seaport & Baymens Museum – \$100.00

LONG ISLAND – HAMPTON, NY: September 24, 25, 26, 2015. **Cost: \$455.00** - \$50.00 deposit required

All other trip information is available in the left sided of vestibule of the Church.

For reservations or trip information, please contact Nancy Hoy at 610-779-5409 or Marniece Lepore at 610-603-9023

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**