

Wis 2:12, 17-20: The wicked detest the just one because the person of God disturbs their conscience. They are anxious to do away with the good, saying God will care for them if they are really his.

Jas 3:16-4:3: Wisdom begets innocence. It is peace-loving, kind, docile, impartial, and sincere. The inner cravings of human beings lead to murder, envy and squandering.

Mk 9:30-37: Jesus tells His trusted disciples of His forthcoming sufferings, death and resurrection. Then He tells the Twelve about humility. To rank first, one must remain the last and be the servant of all.

Today's Message - Jesus speaks of His own rejection, torture, and shameful death. True discipleship, He says, is concerned not with status but with service to the poor, with justice and peace.

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.

WALK-A-THON - Msgr. Ed and Father Brian will be collecting for the Walk-a-Thon after all the Masses this weekend.

We are in need of Lectors. If you are interested, have any experience, and your schedule is flexible please call Edrie Watson at 610-779-3804 for an interview. High school students 16 or older are invited if you are available on Saturday afternoon or Sunday.

Are you unable to attend the Papal Mass on the Ben Franklin Parkway? Come join the Diocese of Allentown on September 27, 2015, as we celebrate Pope Francis' visit to Philadelphia. The day will begin with an outdoor Mass at NOON at the Levitt Pavilion at SteelStacks followed by an afternoon of games/activities, musical entertainment and plenty of food for purchase provided by our parishes and ArtsQuest. 4 PM will begin the live streaming of the Papal Mass on three jumbotron screens. Come join our Diocesan family for a fun-filled afternoon! In case of inclement weather, the event in its entirety will be held indoors.

Today's Catholic Sisters: Who They Are, Why We Need Them - Join us on Saturday, October 10th at Immaculata University, from 1 PM – 4 PM, to learn about the newest generation of Catholic Sisters and why we need them now more than ever. This event will feature several young sisters, along with the authors of *New Generations of Catholic Sisters: The Challenge of Diversity*. There will be a Q & A session and raffle after the main presentation. Refreshments will be served. Mass will follow at 4:15 PM. This event is sponsored by the National Religious Vocation Conference. This is an excellent chance to generate support for Catholic sisters now and in the future. Please join us... and bring friends! This event is free and open to the public. RSVP at www.immaculata.edu/todays-sisters.

Once again, this FALL, we have the opportunity for daily Eucharistic Adoration in our Sister's Convent Chapel.

Visitation with Our Lord in His Most Blessed Sacrament will begin October 5th and continue through Sunday, October 30th, concluding with the Solemn Closing of the Forty Hour Devotion. Jesus will be waiting for your visit daily from 7AM to 9PM. (Monday -Friday) **Sign-ups have begun. There are commitment areas in the back of the Church and Chapel.**

What is Eucharistic Adoration? Eucharistic adoration is the act of worshipping God as He is present in the consecrated Eucharist. **"Of all devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the greatest after the sacraments, the one dearest to God and the one most helpful to us."** St. Alphonsus Liguori For more information, please call Lori Bortz at 610-401-0863.

CHOIR MEMBERS NEEDED! Our traditional parish choir sings at the 10:30 Mass every Sunday from October through May and leads the parish in the principal liturgical celebrations throughout the year. We are looking to add new voices to this important group in order to keep it viable in future years. For additional information contact David Kostival at 610-376-0755 or 484-332-8695 or dkostival@comcast.net.

St. Catharine's Fall Blood Drive Sunday September 27th 8:30 to 1:30 pm. Logon at www.giveapint.org or call 8002236667 to schedule an appointment.

It is not easy to explain Cursillo, not because it is a secret organization, but because behind the mystery is God. Come and experience the mystery for yourself. Men's Weekend Oct. 1- 4, Women's weekend Oct. 8-11. For more information call Kathy Green at (610) 698-4089 or Lisa Ianni at (610) 223-2123.

I will honor Christmas, in my heart, and try to keep it all year." *Charles Dickens* Can we keep the Spirit of gifting with those in mind who need a little help? A little can go a long way!\$

\$3.00 one day bus pass _____ job interview!

\$5.00 two one day bus pass _____ first week at work

\$10.00 _____ help with medication

\$15.00 _____
to invest in work boots

\$20.00 _____ Keep lights on and water flowing! (utilities)

\$30.00 _____ 10 one day bus passes
- first pay check - WOW!

\$ _____ Other .. For those in need

Make check out to Catholic Charities. Make a note on your check how you want it used, and we honor your gifting wishes. Mail to Catholic Charities, 400 Washington Street, Suite 100, Reading, PA 19601.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

BAPTISMS – 1 p.m. – Church

CUB SCOUT MTG. -6:30 p.m. -Pavilion

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION-after 8 a.m. Mass until 9 p.m.

PREP (LEVELS 6-8) 6:45 p.m. – School

ULTREYA- 7:30 p.m. –Pre-School Rm.

GUITAR CHOIR – 7 p.m. - Church

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

RCIA – 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

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

PREP (LEVELS 1-5) 6:45 p.m. - School

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

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

YOUTH CHOIR -5 p.m. - Church

K of C MTG. – 7:30 p.m. – Church

BIBLE STUDY - 7:15 p.m. - Church Conference Room

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

DINNER-MOVIE – 5 p.m. – Social Hall

CUB SCOUTS MTG. - 2p.m. - Pavilion

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

BLOOD DRIVE- 7:30 a.m.-1 p.m.-Social Hall

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

6:30 Joseph Nadol

8:00 Jack O'Reilly

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

6:30 Edmund Dolinski

8:00 Robert Kogut (5th Ann.)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

6:30 Richard Dyer (1st Ann.)

8:00 Ceceila Glebocki

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

6:30 Alois & Rosa Sager

8:00 Roy G. Monde, Jr.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

6:30 Joseph & Dorothy Majeski

8:30 Francis Madl

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

8:00 Grandparents of Mazurkiewicz Fam.

4:00 Anthony Gallagher

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

7:30 Antonio Cornista

9:00 Joseph McCullough, Jr.

10:30 Stofko Family

12:00 Bob Gallagher

The National 40 Days for Life Campaign and Prayer Vigil runs from September 23rd to November 1st.

We ask you to fast and pray for the end of abortion and for world peace. A daily prayer vigil will be held in front of Reading Planned Parenthood, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Bring a buddy to pray during these times. For more information call : Pro-Life Berks at 610-375-3395.

Berks Catholic High School Celebrates the Visit of Pope Francis:

Please join us by celebrating MASS for FAMILIES on Monday, September 21st at 7pm in the Franco- Post Auditorium. For your convenience, both the Main school entrance and Franco Post entrance will be open. Please contact Father Eugene Ritz with any questions or if you require special accommodations. 610.374.8361 ext. 233.

Institute for Catechesis and Formation Course Offering — ICF

105 —Christian Morality. This course provides an introduction to the fundamental teachings of Catholic morality and its foundations in Sacred Scripture, Tradition and Natural Law. Participants will examine virtue, conscience formation and make application to contemporary moral issues in the areas of health care, sexuality and social justice. One Great course — Three locations! Wednesdays, September 30, October 7, 14, & 21: 7 PM — 9 PM at Berks Catholic; or Thursdays, October 1, 8, 15 & 22: 7 PM — 9 PM at Bethlehem Catholic or Marian High School. Cost: \$30. To register visit www.allentowndiocese.org/icf.

Congratulations to Saint Catharine's Cross Country Team on their strong finish at this past weekend's St. Benedict's meet. Congratulations also to Morgan Gilbert, Grade 2 for finishing second in her age group!

Readings for the week of September 20, 2015

Sunday	Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54; Jas 3:16—4:3; Mk 9:30-37
Monday	Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19; Mt 9:9-13
Tuesday	Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122; Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday	Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs Ezr 9:5-9; Tb 131; Lk 9:1-6
Thursday	Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149; Lk 9:7-9
Friday	Hg 2:1-9; Ps 43; Lk 9:18-22
Saturday	Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31; Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday	Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Nm 11:25-29; Ps 19; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

We pray for the Gift of Peace in the world and the safety of

those working for peace through the military services, especially: 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.

PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

Monday 9/21	Father Charles Sperlak
Tuesday 9/22	Father Leo Stajkowski
Wednesday 9/23	Father Jason Stokes
Thursday 9/24	Father Michael Stone
Friday 9/25	Father Francis Straka
Saturday 9/26	Father Jerome Tauber
Sunday 9/27	Father James Thomas

Kennedy House. It is St. Catharine's turn to run the Kennedy House in Reading the weekend of October 24th/25th. Thanks to all those who volunteered. We still need 2 people for Saturday, October 24th and 3 people for Sunday, October 25th. We also could still use donations. If you would be willing to donate something we may need for the weekend please call or email. Please call or email Sara Miller @ 484-459-0270 or sk1699@hotmail if you can help.

Assistant Position - John Paul II Center has 2 positions open for a caring and dedicated assistant to work with adults and students with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Work 25 - 29 hours per week in a rewarding environment. Experience with special needs population and bilingual a plus. Email your resume to madams@johnpauliicenter.org.

PORTRAIT PICK UP -- Parishioners who are to receive their **free** portraits from Legacy Church Directories can pick them up in the designated area by the Scrip table. If your portrait is not there yet, check back subsequent weekends, as more portraits will be delivered and available for pick up every 3-4 weeks. Parishioners who made portrait **purchases** will receive their orders in the mail. To contact Legacy directly, call 1-888-227-6072 or email support@legacvinspiration.com. Email karin.36@live.com with other questions.

Parish Directory Update: Portrait sessions with Legacy Church Directories will take place at the Church on October 13-17 & 20-24, November 24-25 & 27-28, and December 1-5. Enter through the front door closest to the grotto. Each family who sits for a photo session will receive a complimentary portrait and copy of the new directory. Schedule your portrait session online at www.Church-Directories.com. Or, sign up after the 4 p.m. Saturday Mass and from 8:00 a.m. – noon on Sunday the weekend of October 4th. Photos of families unable to attend a portrait session can be emailed with name caption to support@legacvinspiration.com by October 15th. Except for military photos, all submitted photos must be nonprofessional. To change or cancel an existing appointment, call 1-888-227-6072 or email support@legacvinspiration.com. Email karin.36@live.com with other questions.

Weekend Mass Schedule

September 26th - 4:00 Mass (Church)
Lector– Todd Tomczyk
Cantor– Jay Yohn
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - E. Fries - I. Fries - E. Fries
September 27th - 7:30 a.m. Mass (Church)
Lector– Bernie Ryan
Altar Servers - D. Gombar - M. Gombar - J. Konopelski
September 27th - 9:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
Lector - Theresa Pauley
Guitar Group
Altar Servers - K. Hodgson - R. Hodgson - S. Hodgson
September 27th - 10:30 a.m. Mass (Church)
Lector - Vince McDevitt
Voice in Praise
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - J. Iswalt - O. Iswalt - M. Feeney
September 27th - 12:00 p.m. Mass (Church)
Lector – Rose Ann Uhrig
Cantor - Mollie Ziembra
Organist - Joe Schwartz
Altar Servers - C. Kominick - B. Kominick - N. Krepps

ALTAR SERVERS LIST - WEEKDAYS

Week of - Sept., 21st–26th

8:00 a.m.. - C. Nguyen & A. Speck - (Mon- Wed.)
8:00 a.m. –V. McDevitt & A. McElderry - (Thurs - Sat)
8:30 a.m. - V. McDevitt & A. McElderry - (Friday)

ST. FRANCIS HOSPICE HOME FUNDRAISER - Harvest Tea - Sunday, September 27, 2015 Crown Plaza, Wyomissing. 1:30-4pm. Speaker: Sister Kathleen Osbelt. Tickets \$35. Contact Kathy Goss 484-645-3981.

Dinner & A Movie – Irreplaceable -The parish invites you to come together for a showing of the movie, **Irreplaceable**, that seeks to address the fundamental questions: **What is family? Does “family” still matter in today’s society?** This movie will challenge you to take a closer look at your family and consider what can be done to make it stronger!
Saturday, September 26th, 5:00 in the social hall - Cost: FREE, dinner for your family included!! Childcare will be provided. Please contact Julie Wright with questions and to rsvp: prtyof10@ptd.net To watch the trailer go to irreplaceablethemovie.com This is a perfect way to participate in the celebration of the World Meeting of Families and Pope Francis’ visit!

CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE St. Catharine's annual craft show - known as the Christmas Boutique- is being held on Saturday, November 21st from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. We still have vendor spaces available for quality crafters who make their own items. Buy-sell vendors and direct sales vendors are not permitted in this show. For more information, or for an application, contact David Kostival at 610-376-0755 or 484-332-8695. If interested, please don't wait, as the remaining spaces will sell out quickly.

Harvest Fest 2015 : St. Mary Church, 94 Walnut Road, Hamburg will be held on Friday, October 2nd from 4-9 p.m. & Saturday, October 3rd from 12-9 p.m. For more information please call 610-562-7657.

TWENTY-FIFTH 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: Remington Mara Busch

Recently added: &

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, , Harrison Bergstresser, Stella Bickleman, Michael Billings, 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, Frances Byrne, Gina Cady, Jeannine Caffrey, Peg Cappel, Neil Carroll, Nancy Cassidy, Mark Christ, Nancy Ciccone, Kevin Cleary, Donna Cocchia, Michael Conrad, Anna Corso, Lisa Costello, Audrey Crilley, Joan Cronan, Alexa Cupitt, Robin Cuzner, Jean Czapka, 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, Anita & Dick Dunn, Lu Ann Eyre, Peter Fanticone, Jack Farrell, Josie Farrell, Pearl Fillman, Jennifer Flook, Laurie Flynn, Frances Ford, Jane Fordyce, John Fordyce, Jean Freeze, Margaret Frisbee, Kim Furtow, Adam Gajewski, Anna Mae Gantert, Helen Gaunt, Donna Gentry, Grace Gerace, Pat Gerace, Joseph Gierschick, Jr, Kathy Glaser, Larry Glaser, Ken Goodman, Johanna Goheen, Claire Griffith, Tom Hafer, Warren Haggerty, Jeanne Goodwin Hall, 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, Karen Irely, Genevieve Iswalt, Catharine Jagielski, Erick Jefferson, Randy Johns, Blake Kauffman, Beth Kase, Blaine Kegarise, Elizabeth Kehlor, Trey Kelly, 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, Madeline LeBlanc, Kathleen Light, Sandra Loden, Harry Logan, Olivia & Liam Lynch & family, Harriet Madara, 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, Abbie McKinney, Sarah Mc Mahon, Charles McMenamin, Rosemarie McMenamin, Rosemary McNish, Arthur Mengel, Susan Mertz, Nicholas Messina, Joseph W. Miller, Jacob Mower, Goup Toy Moy, Gertrude Moyer, Thomas Muchanic, Madeline Mullen, Cora Nacar, Gordon Newmoyer, Joseph Nicholas, Bill Norquist, Bernie Nowotarski, Virginia O’Brien, Jean Olsefsky, Molly Oliver, William Orth, Sr., Anna Ospina, Anna Paone, Gabriella Paone, Landon Paul, 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, Agnes Roach, Lynn Roberts, Rita Rose, 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, Rosalie Snyder, 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, Jane Valeriano, Henry Von Spreckelsen, Alan Wachowicz, Mark Walter, Marie Weber, Vera & Warren Wert, Leo Woelkers, Julia Wolff, Lana Worrall, Hana Yago, Ann Marie Zawislak, Bob Zeiler, Sr., Bob Zeiler, Jr. & Mary Zettlemoyer.

...and a time for peace.”

...a time to die: *Anna Corso*, (mother of Mary Jo Doyen, grandmother of Matthew & Samantha Doyen);

Lawrence Levy, (husband of Elizabeth Levy)

& 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.

Blessing of Animals/Pets

We will have the Blessing of the Animals on **Sunday, October 4th at 2:00 p.m.** at the Pavilion. There will be a short service and a blessing. We encourage you to bring your animals/pets for this special blessing. All pets should be contained with a leash for their own safety as well as the safety of the other people who will be present. **All pets are welcome!**

Parish Nurse News - New vaccines are produced for every flu season. Two types of flu vaccine are usually available- nasal spray and injectable. Immunization can reduce your risk of flu infection by up to 80% (www.patientedu.org, Harvard Medical School).

GROUP PHOTOS TO BE TAKEN FOR OUR PARISH DIRECTORY!

Legacy photographers have kindly offered to take these scheduled group shots after the Sunday Masses this week. If you are a St. Catharine of Siena member of any of the following groups, please wait in the gathering area, by the designated signs, with your group, until the Legacy photographers have finished their sign-ups and can organize your 'crew' for a group shot.

Legion of Mary— 9/20 - after 7:30 Mass

Prep Teachers & Aides - 9/20 - after 9:00 Mass

Cursillo - 9/20 - after 9:00 Mass

Religious Store/Bill Wertz - 9/20 - after 9:00 Mass

Voices in Praise Choir - 9/20 - after 10:30 Mass

If you have any questions, please call Sharon at 610370-5572

Kick off youth and family picnic at the pavilion this Sunday 9/20 at 5:00-6:30pm. Help us celebrate the start of the *World Meeting of Families and Pope Francis's visit to the USA!* Every youth in the parish is invited no need to "join" anything! Free hotdog and beverages. Please bring a dish to share (A-M side dish & N-Z dessert). Fun activities after meal. Chance to win prizes! **Free raffle ticket just for coming.** Bring a friend or donated item and earn more tickets. Find out what we have planned for the rest of the year, catch up with old friends and make some new ones.

In the spirit of World Meeting of Families (Love is our Mission) help support families through Catholic Charities! Any of the following 'Baby Drive Wish List' items would be much appreciated, but are not required!! Bring your items to the event. WE thank YOU & God Bless our families!!! Diapers size Newborn to Size 5, Baby Wipes, Crib sheets, Receiving blankets, Socks, Snap t-shirt, Diaper cream, Bottles, Bibs, Towels and wash clothes, Baby wash/ lotion, Clothes size newborn to 5t, Formula (or gift cards for special formulas), ...also accepting gently used infant and toddler clothes (newborn to 5T). For more information or to see how you can help contact Deanna at 610-406-0452.

50 Plus News

The monthly meeting for the 50+ Club will be held on **October 7, 2015** at 1:00 pm. The board meeting will be held on **October 6, 2015** at 10:00 am.

OCTOBER 7, 2015 - Italian Festival - Covered Dish, Bryan Driebelbis will entertain us with 50 & 60 music. Please contact **Carol Buddell** at 610-582-2519 with a list of the food you are willing to donate for the Italian Festival.

NOVEMBER 4, 2015 - Chinese Auction & Gift Exchange

DECEMBER 2, 2015 - Christmas Party at the Reading Country Club

FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS: **Boscov's shopping passes** are for sale, **\$5.00**. Shop on **October 20, 2015**, the pass will give you 25% off your purchases. Contact Pat White at 610-582-1437.

2015 TRAVEL PLANS

SPLIT ROCK LODGE: Wednesday, October 14, 2015, Lake Harmony, PA **Cost: \$78.00**

Mount Airy Casino: Monday, November 9, 2015, Barbra and Frank Show **Cost: \$80.00**

Sands Casino: Wednesday, December 9, 2015 Tony Orlando Show **Cost: \$75.00**

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.

Inviting St. Joseph Alumni - St. Joseph's Church Fall Harvest Oldies Dance (Celebrating 125th Anniversary) Ticket includes: beer, soda, chips, pretzels & DJ, Date: Saturday, October 17th. Time: 7:30 PM – 10:30 PM, Place: **Holy Guardian Angel Parish Hall, 3121 Kutztown Road, Reading, PA 19605**, Cost: \$10.00. For info: contact Annmarie Dallao (Sullivan) at 610-781-8459 or the Parish Office at 610-376-2976.

Mast Farm Corn Maze Jr & Sr High Youth of St Catharine's

Come and join us for a lot of fun on October 3rd for Mass, pizza and the Mast Farm Corn Maze. Bring a friend starting with 4pm Mass. Meet in the back middle of the Church for car pooling. Eat pizza around 6pm at the Corn Maze. Go have fun with your friends. Pick-up by parents is 7:30pm at Mast Farms Corn Maze, 2715 Main St., Morgantown, PA 19543. Cost is \$5.00's/ youth 6th- 12th gr.

Permission forms located at the Youth Ministry table in the back of the Church and at the Parish Center. Hand them into the Parish Center office with money. Contact Heather Keperling at kerplin@ptd.net or Susan Kopecky at skjoyinhim4life@gmail.com /610-451-2194.