

Saint Mary's News

Mass Schedule

Saturday, June 10th - 3:30 p.m. - Andrew Glutz

Sunday, - June 11th - 10:30 a.m. - Irene Kozlowski

A Polish Language Class is being organized for 2-3 Saturdays/month, to be held in the Meeting Room under the Church. The entrance is on the right side of the Church through the gray door. The classes are for all ages men, women and children. If interested, please call Marianne ("Marysia") Gawel at 610-223-1987.

There will be a Latin Mass next Sunday, June 11th at 12:30 p.m. in the Church. Reconciliation at noon; Social after Mass.

We pray for the Gift of Peace in the world and the safety of those working for peace through the military services, especially: Private First Class David Ermentrout, Major Brian Maurelli, Second Lt. Morgan Hissick, Lt. Anthony Bennett, Tom Bristol, Danny Bristol, Spc. Erin Pawlik, Commander Daniel M. Simon, Senior Airman Michael Porcaro, Staff Sgt. Zak Ribble, Staff Sgt. John V. Nowotarski, III, Peter Hinsey, Corporal Matthew Pawlik, Thomas Bristol, Col. Patrick Sullivan, Second Lt. Joshua Kline, Captain Kevin Madary, Sgt. First Class Andrew Spies, Major Jeffrey Brizek, Warrant Officer Gregory Van Horn, Major 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, Lt. Col. 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.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - We are in need of volunteers to help clean the Church on the 3rd and 4th Saturday of the month at 9 a.m. It is a great opportunity for families to participate in this service. Please call the Parish Center (610-779-4005) if you are interested.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: DAILY MASS TIME-SUMMER HOURS - During the summer starting Monday, June 12th, 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 28th.

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

Prayer and Care Day for Caregivers... on June 24, 2017, a Prayer and Care Day for Caregivers will be held at St. Joseph Center for Special Learning, Pottsville. The morning will be devoted to talks given by Sr. Christen Shukwit, OSF on the Spirituality of Caregiving. After lunch a variety of activities for pampering the caregiver will be available. There is no charge to the caregiver for this day. If you are or know someone who is a Caregiver for a loved one who is ill or has a disability and is English speaking this day is for you. To receive an invitation, please contact Sr. Janice Marie Johnson, RSM at jjohnson@allentowndiocese.org or 610-657-9624.

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Acts 2:1-11: As promised by Jesus, the Holy Spirit fills the faithful and inspired, they proclaim the Good News.

1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13: The gifts of the Spirit are not exclusive but for all. The Spirit brings a radical uniting that overcomes all destructions.

Jn 20:19-23: Jesus gives the blessing of peace, and bestows His authority on the disciples as He confers on them the Holy Spirit.

Today's Message - All of us have been baptized into one and the same Spirit, the Advocate, our comfort and refreshment, was given as gift to the disciples to strengthen them to go forth in the name of the Lord, "to renew the face of the earth."

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

- SUNDAY, JUNE 4**
8TH GRADE GRADUATION- 12 Noon Mass
- MONDAY, JUNE 5**
EUCHARISTIC ADORATION-after the 8 a.m. Mass until 9 p.m.
SERRA MTG. – 7 p.m.- Parish Center
GUITAR CHOIR – 7 p.m.- Church
- TUESDAY, JUNE 6**
50+BOARD MTG. – 10 a.m. – Parish Center
- WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7**
50+GENERAL MTG. – 1 p.m. –JPTSMITH Social Hall
LEGION OF MARY – 6:30 p.m. – Parish Center
- THURSDAY, JUNE 8**
CLOSING OF SCHOOL MASS – 9 a.m.
- FRIDAY, JUNE 9**
CYO GOLF TOURNAMENT- 1 p.m.- Reading Country Club
- SATURDAY, JUNE 10**
BAPTISM WORKSHOP – 10 a.m. – Parish Center

HGA SCHOOL POSITIONS AVAILABLE - Holy Guardian Angels Regional Catholic School is accepting applications for part-time nurse and teacher openings for the 2017-2018 school year. Teacher candidates must hold or be eligible for PA certification. Please send letter of intent, resume, copies of certification and transcripts, along with your clearances and references to Mrs. Maureen Wallin, 3125 Kutztown Road, Reading, PA 19605.

MASS INTENTIONS

- MONDAY, JUNE 5**
6:30 Kathleen Jurasinski
8:00 Peg & Bob Bollendorf
- TUESDAY, JUNE 6**
6:30 June O'Donnell
8:00 Katherine & John Pisanick
- WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7**
6:30 Joseph D. Vega
8:00 Peg Cappel
- THURSDAY, JUNE 8**
6:30 Edward R. Domin
8:00 Grace Thompson (2nd Ann.)
9:00 Faculty & Students of St. Catharine's
- FRIDAY, JUNE 9**
6:30 James Borst
8:30 Beth Morelli
- SATURDAY, JUNE 10**
8:00 Theresia Makosch
4:30 George Auchter
- SUNDAY, JUNE 11**
7:30 Timothy Kohl
9:00 Casey Zielinski
10:30 Joseph & Janet Dolan
12:00 Dorothy Milstead

Readings for the Week of June 4, 2017

- Sunday Pentecost Sunday**
Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34;
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23
- Monday Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr**
Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8; Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6; Mk 12:1-12
- Tuesday Saint Norbert, Bishop**
Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9; Mk 12:13-17
- Wednesday**
Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9; Mk 12:18-27
- Thursday**
Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Mk 12:28-34
- Friday Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church**
Tb 11:5-17; Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10;
Mk 12:35-37
- Saturday**
Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Tb 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8;
Mk 12:38-44
- Sunday The Most Holy Trinity**
Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55;
2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

Grieving together
is
growing together.

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.

PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

Monday 6/5	Father William Campion
Tuesday 6/6	Father Thomas Carney
Wednesday 6/7	Msgr. Michael Chaback
Thursday 6/8	Msgr. John Chizmar
Friday 6/9	Father Donald Cieniewicz
Saturday 6/10	Father Richard Clement
Sunday 6/11	Msgr. Robert Coll

Parish Nurse News - Just 30 minutes of modest activity on most days of the week can lessen the occurrence of heart disease (bcbsil.com.May.2017). Talk to your doctor about the best exercise plan for you!

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 contact Diane Sitler at dsitler@comcast.net or call the Parish Center at 610-779-4005.**



Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage!! -

Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Have

you thought about separation or divorce? Retrouaille may be the **LIFELINE that you need! It is not just a social gathering or series of seminars, but rather a way to discover and rekindle the loving relationship in your marriage. Ten of thousands of couples have successfully saved their marriages by attending a Retrouaille weekend and the six post sessions that follow it. The next program begins, the weekend of August 11-13 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. For more information or to register, please visit our web site at: www.HelpOurMarriage.com or call 1-800-470-2230. All inquires are kept strictly confidential.**

Weekend Mass Schedule

June 10th - 4:30 p.m. (Church)

Lector - Dorothy Bixler
Cantor - Unavailable
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - C. Kominick - J. Konopelski - D. O'Hara

June 11th - 7:30 a.m. Mass (Church)

Lector- Kathy Lavanga
Altar Servers - A. Renninger - H. Paris - M. Pawlik

June 11th - 9:00 a.m. Mass (Church)

Lector - Cris Marabella
Cantor - Unavailable
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - A. Nguyen - E. Miller - J. Miller

June 11th - 10:30 a.m. Mass (Church)

Lector - Vince McDevitt
Cantor- Unavailable
Organist- Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - A. McElderry - E. McElderry - G. McElderry

June 11th - 12:00 p.m. Mass (Church)

Lector - Todd Tomczyk
Cantor - Unavailable
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - A. Kline - E. Oscar - M. Ream

ALTAR SERVERS LIST - WEEKDAYS

Week of June 5th - 10th

8:00 a.m. - L. Formando & J. Miller - (Monday - Wednesday)

8:00 a.m.- S. Robinson & S. Wright - (Thursday - Saturday)

8:30 a.m.- S. Robinson & S. Wright - (Friday)

"Lord send out your spirit, and renew the face of the Earth . . ." exclaims Psalm 104 for this Pentecost Sunday. **ALLOW THE SPIRIT TO RENEW YOUR MARRIAGE** on a **WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER** weekend. For information call 1-732-904-9636 or visit .

A relaxed performance of 'The Ice Princess' will be held Saturday, June 10 at 10 a.m. at the Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival. A relaxed performance is a sensory-friendly show which creates a judgement-free and inclusive environment for patrons with a wide range of sensory and communication differences, including individuals on the autism spectrum, young children and families who would benefit from a relaxed theater-going experience. For relaxed performance pricing and information call 610-282-WILL or contact psf@Pashakespeare.org.

Post Abortion Healing Retreat

Hurting from a past abortion? Plan to attend the Rachel's Vineyard Retreat Weekend, June 23-25, 2017 (English) through Catholic Charities. Within a safe, confidential, non-judgmental environment, experience God's healing love, and forgiveness. For more information or to register call Sr. Meg at 610-332-0442 Ext. 19, toll free at 1-866-3 Rachel, or projectrachel@allentowndiocese.org For a complete listing of Retreat dates and locations visit the national Rachel's Vineyard website at www.rachelsvineyard.org

PENTECOST SUNDAY

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

"a time to be born..."

Recently Baptized:

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

Paula Abel, Anita Adamo, Stella Albrecht, Jeannine Ambrosi, Sue Ambruch, Tony Angello, Anthony Antonucci, Barbara Ash, Beverly Bansner, Kathy Barnes, Kailee Baxter, Melanie Bechtel, Debi Bennett, Harrison Bergstresser, Jan Bertolet, Sandy Bibbo, Stella Bickleman, Nicky Biondo, Karen Bird, Christine Blair, Kim & Michael Blair, Catherine Blanchard, Christina Boehning, Agnes Bohner, Edward Boris, Susan Brennan, Maria Briand, Robin Briand, Frank Broga, Kathryn Brubaker, Robert Bryden, Renee Brzostek, Emily Buelow, Marvin Bush, Jeannine Caffrey, Rosemary Caffrey, Ronald Calabrese, Neil Carroll, Nancy Cassidy, Bob & Patty Cavallino, Brianna Chery, Mark Christ, Marilyn Clifford, Nancy Ciccone, Donna Cocchia, Michael Conrad, Lisa Costello, Jeannie Crass, Audrey Crilley, Joan Cronan, Alexa Cupitt, Ryan Curley, Larry Curtin, Robin Cuzner, Yvania Dawson, Tony DeAngelis, John De Frees, Julie Denunzio, Melissa DeWees, Gretchen Dialectus, Paula DiBuilda, Arthur Dietrich, Jr, Carmela Donato, Mildred Donnelly, Kate Doughton, James Dowling, Kathy Doyle, Becky Drennen, Father Michael Drury, Dick Dunn, Gina Ebright, Dorothy Eisenhart, Lu Ann Eyre, Peter Fanticone, Jack Farrell, Josie Farrell, Jared Fenstemacher, Chris Ferguson, Pearl Fillman, Devonna Fisher, Jennifer Flook, Laurie Flynn, Frances Ford, Jane Fordyce, John Fordyce, Al Franckowiak, Margaret Frisbee, Kim Furtow, Anna Mae Gantert, Donna Gentry, Grace Gerace, Pat Gerace, Joseph Gierschick, Jr, Frank Gill, Kathy Glaser, Larry Glaser, Johanna Goheen, Albert Gombar, Claire Griffith, Ruth Guyah, Tom Hafer, Warren Haggerty, Jeanne Goodwin Hall, Beverly Hannahoe, Richelle Harbst, Eva Hare, Maria Harp, Leann Harris, Debbie Heberling, Jason Heckman, William Hedl, Robyn Hefferan, Diane Herbein, Wayne Hedrick, Emory Hilton, Melissa Himmelberger, Ethan Himonitis, William Hinkle, Mark Holtzman, Deacon Richard Horst, Siegfried Hosey, Robert Hough, Allison Howard, John Hull, Genevieve Iswalt, Catharine Jagielski, Frank Jagielski, Erick Jefferson, Steven Julian, Brian K, Blake Kauffman, Andrew Kazmierczak, Elizabeth Kehler, Tammy Kegaris, John Kiedeisch, Carolyn Kilyk, Joyce Kleckner, Marilla Kleinsasser, Mary Klick, Barry Kline, Sr, Benjamin Kline, Jean Kline, Ginny Koch, Helen Koehler, John Kogut, Mary Kolakowski, Mary Konopelski, Jim Kowalczyk, Jack Kuhn, Mary Kusek, Jeffrey Lamp, Tracy Larish, Mike LaScala, Vanessa Leaizer, Harry Logan, Stephen & Genevieve Luskie, Kelly Lynch & family, Julia Marason, Megan Marino, Angela Marroccoli, Anna Mastandrea, Charles Mathews, Mary Ann Matthews, Chris McCarron, Coral McConnell, Jacob McCue, Rita McHale, Dorothy McGill, Ainsley McLain, Edward McKeane, Abbie McKinney, Rosemary McNish, Arthur Mengel, Susan Mertz, Rick Mims, James Minner, Jacob Mower, Goup Toy Moy, Gertrude Moyer, Thomas Muchanic, Gordon Newmoyer, Bill Norquist, Bernie Nowotarski, Virginia O'Brien, Evelyn Oquendo, Anna Ospina, Anna Paone, Gabriella Paone, Landon Paul, Melly Pimentel, Pat Pinto, Donald Pisker, James Pisker, Anne Poserina, Potts Family, Sharon Precht, Mary Price, Kathleen Rainey, Thomas Joseph Rainey, Richie Rickers, Agnes Roach, Lynn Roberts, Barbara Rowe, Catherine Rudy, Mary Ryan, Elizabeth Fassig, Joann Sacco, Anne Schaeffer, Gladys Schell, Ann Schweitzer, Robert Senick, Beth Serafin, Tom Shaaber, Garth Shannon, David Sharpley, Sr., Earl Sheetz, Dawn Siderowicz, Janet Smith, Patricia Smoyer, Tyson Snader, Susan Sneddon, Mark Speece, Julie Staber, Christopher Starr, Maureen Steimetz, Pam Stribbling, Maria Stubblebine, Annabelle Stump, Ken Styer, Earl Suchomelley, Cullen Sullivan, Gerry & Marie Sullivan, Carolyn Taraba, Paul Teske, Hilda Thomas, John Tittle, Joe Tomalis, Wendy Tustin, Donald Ulrich, Jane Valeriano, Johnathon Velez, Alan Wachowicz, Sherry Wainwright, Patty Wagner, Mark Walter, Marie Weber, Charles Wettstein, Amber White, Annetta Wilson, Leo Woelkers, John Yankovich, Gerald Young, Ann Marie Zawislak, Bob Zeiler, Sr. & Bob Zeiler, Jr.

...and a time for peace ...a time to die: ... *John O'Brien, III*, (son of Virginia O'Brien & brother of Colleen Porcaro) & *Beverly Nadu*, (mother of Beverly Pergola, (grandmother of Emily, Lauryn & Victoria Pergola) **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 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.

Holy Guardian Angels Parish, 3121 Kutztown Road, Reading, PA will have its Angel Fest Parish Festival on Friday, June 16th & Saturday, June 17th from 5:00 to 10 p.m. The festival will include good food, live entertainment, fun games and rides. For more information, please call 610-921-2729.

The Office for Vocations, in conjunction with the Saint Andrew Committee, will be conducting its Fifth Annual Quo Vadis Vocation Camp and Third Annual Fiat Days Vocation Camp, from Sunday, July 16 to Thursday, July 20, 2017 on the campus of DeSales University. Both camps are open to young men and women from ages 14 to 18 (including the newly graduated). Registration is now open. There are a limited number of spaces available. For more details and registration material, please see our webpage at www.allentowndiocese.org. Registrations must be received by Friday, June 30, 2017.

VBS 2017 is a victory celebration! In *Mighty Fortress VBS*, your children learn that in Jesus the victory is won! They'll look into the Bible, God's Holy Word, and explore five Bible accounts about God, our Mighty Fortress, and the victory Jesus has won for us. Registration is open for ages 5-12 who will attend VBS from June 26th—30th. Come along with us as we sing fun songs, do crafts and more. Registration forms are available on the round tables in the gathering space at Church, and the Parish Center or the school office. Register now for Mighty Fortress Vacation Bible School.

Summer Vacation Bible School is in need of leaders for grades 3 and up. All materials provided. Vacation Bible School is the week of June 26th - 30th. All volunteers **must have all their clearances.** For more information, please call Connie Fry at 610-944-0732.



Congratulations to Joe & Nancy Rouse who celebrated their 50th Anniversary this weekend. Many more years of happiness!

VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR

The Diocese of Allentown provides assistance to anyone who, as a minor, was sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or employee/volunteer of the Diocese/Parish. Parents, guardians, children, and survivors of sexual abuse are invited and encouraged to contact the Diocese of Allentown for more information about this program. The fullness of compassion should be extended to these victims by the Church. Victim Assistance Coordinator
CONFIDENTIAL TELEPHONE NUMBER (800) 791-9209. To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, please visit www.allentowndiocese.org and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner of the page.

The Office of Youth, Young Adult and Family Ministry is hosting a Summer Theology on Tap Speaker Series, "Faith on the Job: Maintaining Values in the Workplace," throughout the summer. This series is open to young adults (ages 21 to 35) and will be held on the third Mondays of each month (June – August) from 7 to 9 pm at Allentown Brew Works (812 W. Hamilton Street, Allentown). For more information contact Alexa Doncsecz at adoncsecz@allentowndiocese.org.

50 Plus News

The yearly picnic for the 50+ Club will be held on **June 7, 2017**. The board meeting will be held on **June 6, 2017** at 10:00 am. Please call Carol Buddell, President of the 50+ club at 610-401-0600, with any questions or concerns.

MEETINGS

JUNE 7, 2017: PICNIC & BINGO – to be held in the Social Hall, Special Event 12:00 to????? Cost: \$18.00 for Members **TIME IS GETTING SHORT, PLEASE SEND YOUR CHECK TO:** Carol Searfoss, 29 Dusk Dr. Douglassville, PA 19518. **By May 31, 2017**

JULY 12, 2017: CHRISTMAS IN JULY –Chinese Auction, all members to bring a NEW \$5.00 or more gift (unwrapped to be auctioned off, only NEW gifts will be accepted. Cake & Coffee

AUGUST 2, 2017: Make your own Ice Cream Sundae **Entertainment:** Harold Graeff from Timeframe – 4 Men to sing for us. Cake & Coffee

2017 TRAVEL PLANS

June 16th, Friday – Hunterdon Hills Playhouse lunch and show, Mahoney Brothers Legends of Pop. Celebrating Elvis, the Beatles, Neil Diamond, Willie Nelson and more. Cost: \$100.00

July 17th to July 20th – Monday thru Thursday, Ocean City, MD Crab Feast lunch on Paddleboat & then stay at Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel on the boardwalk for your stay. Relax and enjoy yourself on your own. Cost: \$620.00 Double occupancy

August 9th, Wednesday – Marsha Brown's (renovated church) Lunch, Bucks Playhouse "Guys & Dolls" & 1 hour free time. Cost: \$115.00

September 18th to 22nd, Vermont Trip – **sold out** but taking names to put on cancellation list.

October 11th, Wednesday – Pines Dinner Theatre, Always Patsy Cline Cost: \$90.00

November 26th, Sunday – Cirque Dreams Holiday show at Sands Casino, trip includes the show + \$20.00 meal voucher + \$20.00 Casino Bonus. Cost: \$105.00

December 13th, Wednesday – Sight and Sound to see THE MIRACLE OF CHRISTMAS with lunch before at Golden Corral. Cost: \$105.00

Call **Pat White 610-582-1437** for more **trip** information

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