

Saint Mary's News

Mass Schedule

Wednesday, February 14th - 8:00 a.m. - Anna Fura
Saturday, February 17th 3:30 p.m. - Helena & Olga Choborova
Sunday, February 18th - 10:30 a.m. - Richard Zaorski

ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE- There will be an 8:00 a.m. Mass on Wednesday, February 14, 2018 .

The Lenten Pierogi Society will continue its labors from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and will meet each Monday & Tuesday through Lent. Pierogies will be made in the kitchen under the Church. Please use parking lot Chapel entrance. New members are always welcome.

Pierogi Sale: Pierogi will be on sale every Friday in Lent through and including March 23rd from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Pierogis will be sold in the Church Basement. Please use the side entrance from the Parking Lot. Potato, Sauerkraut & Cheese Pierogis will sell for \$8.00 per dozen. Haluski will be available in limited amounts for \$4.00 per cup. (Weather permitting) Volunteers are needed to help sell Pierogis on Fridays.

There will be a **Second Collection** next weekend for the **Black & Indian Missions**.

Februarys 14th – Saint Catharine's **ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE-2018**

Chapel: 6:30 am., 8:00 a.m.
& 9:30 a.m.

Church: 12 Noon* & 7 p.m.

*Because of the parking situation at the Chapel, the Noon Mass will be at the Church.

Ashes that are blessed and distributed on Ash Wednesday are processed by burning the palm distributed on Palm Sunday last year and displayed in homes throughout the year.

We invite you to bring any palm you may have in your home to Church and deposit it in the containers marked "Palm" which will be located in the Church vestibule and Chapel on Ash Wednesday.

OUR LENTEN OBLIGATION

Church law considers every Friday and the season of Lent as penitential days and times. The practice of penance is part of our faith and Christian life. When we do penance, we imitate Jesus, who himself recommended it as necessary to His Followers, and gave them the example of His prayer and fasting.

The Lenten obligation, as determined for Catholics in the United States by our bishops, requires that fasting be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. The law of abstinence is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent.

Who must fast? - All Catholics who are between the ages of 18 and 59. The obligation ceases when one begins his/her 60th year on his/her 59th birthday.

Who must abstain? - All Catholics who are 14 years and older.

What does fasting mean? - The observance of fasting means that those obliged may take only one full meal on the day of the fast. Two lighter meals (not equal to another full meal) may be taken to maintain strength according to one's needs.

What does abstinence mean? - The law of abstinence forbids the eating of meat. Voluntary abstinence refers to refraining from lawful pleasures in a spirit of penance.

Can anyone be dispensed or excused from fast and/ or abstinence? - Individuals for a just cause may be dispensed by their pastor or by a priest with the faculty to do so. In our Diocese all priests may dispense individuals who are committed to their pastoral care. Those who are ill or have a similar serious reason are excused from the observance of fast and abstinence. Catholics are reminded that they should not lightly excuse themselves from this obligation.

Are there other obligations which we should fulfill? - Catholics are obliged to fulfill what has been called their "Easter Duty." They are required to receive Holy Communion during Easter time. In the United States this obligation can be fulfilled from the First Sunday of Lent until Trinity Sunday (March 9 to June 15, 2003.) Those conscious of serious sin are reminded of the obligation to confess their sins once a year. **Catholics are encouraged to make Lent a time of more intense prayer and to practice almsgiving and other works of charity**

Save the Date!

A Parish Mission is coming to
St. Catharine of Siena
Monday, February 26, through
Wednesday, February 28th
The Mission will be conducted by Father
Vinny Fortunato, a priest with the Capuchin
Franciscan Friars

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lv 13:1-2,44-46: The Lord instructs Moses and Aaron on the legal prescriptions that are to be followed by those who have leprosy.

1 Cor 10:31-11:1: Paul directs that whatever is done should be for the glory of God. Since he is acting in imitation of Christ, the people should follow his example.

Mk 1:40-45: Upon request, Jesus cured a leper, reminding him to follow the directions of the Mosaic law and tell no one. Since the cured leper spread the news of his cure, Jesus could no longer openly enter a town.

Today's Message - Jesus manifests the powerful, healing love of God by curing the leper who was forced to live under severe restrictions by Jewish legislation. He turned to Jesus in his need and was filled with joy. We are called to imitate the healing and compassionate Jesus.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

VOICES IN PRAISE REHEARSAL -9 a.m.- Knights' Rm
CHILDREN'S LITURGY- during the 10:30 Mass - Social Hall

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION-after 8 a.m. Mass until 8 p.m.
GRIEF SHARE - 7:00 p.m. - Parish Center

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

NO RCIA

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 - Ash Wednesday

Mass Schedule

6:30, 8, 9:30 a.m. – Chapel
12 Noon & 7 p.m. – Church

PREP –Attend 7 p.m. – Mass- Church

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

SIENA STITCHERS - 10:00 a.m. - Gathering Area
YOUTH CHOIR - 5:30 p.m. - Church
KNIGHTS OF CO LUMBUS MTG - 7:30 Knights Room

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

FISH FRY - 5:00 - 7:00 P.M. - Social Hall
STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 7:00 p.m. - Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

VOICES IN PRAISE REHEARSAL -9 a.m.- Knights' Rm
CHILDREN'S LITURGY- during the 10:30 Mass - Social Hall
BAPTISMS - 1:00 p.m. - Church

**PLEASE!
NOTE**

Save the date!!!
St. Catharine's Men's Retreat
April 27,28 & 29th
Spiritual Director -
Father John Rother

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

6:30 Messer & Schultz Family

8:00 Mae Metelli

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

6:30 Ricky Ricketts

8:00 Eileen Eberle Debilzen (1st Anniversary)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, ASH WEDNESDAY

6:30 Peggy McDevitt

8:00 Virginia O'Brien

9:30 Father James Burdess

12:00 Elena Kostival

7:00 Tom Franey

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

6:30 Living & Deceased Members of the Parish

8:00 Joseph Calabrese

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

6:30 William & Irene Frey

8:30 Dr. Edgar Lloyd

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

8:00 Intentions of Charles & Dolores Wettstein

4:30 Kathleen Jablonski (4th Anniversary)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

7:30 Deborah Krafczek (3rd Anniversary)

9:00 Betty Seward (1st Anniversary)

10:30 Michael Fura

12:00 Elias Cuesta

Readings for the Week of February 11, 2018

| Sunday | Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time |
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| | Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 Cor 10:31—11:1; Mk 1:40-45 |
| Monday | Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76; Mk 8:11-13 |
| Tuesday | Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21 |
| Wednesday | Ash Wednesday Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 |
| Thursday | Thursday after Ash Wednesday Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 9:22-25 |
| Friday | Friday after Ash Wednesday Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15 |
| Saturday | The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 5:27-32 |
| Sunday | First Sunday of Lent Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15 |

We pray for the Gift of Peace in the world and the safety of those working for peace through the military services, especially: Staff Sgt. Brian Perrotto, LCPL David Ermentrout, 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, Tech. Sgt. John V. Nowotarski, III, Peter Hinsey, 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, Command Master Chief Marie Rosati France, 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.

PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

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| Monday 2/12 | Father E. Michael Camilli |
| Tuesday 2/13 | Msgr. John Campbell |
| Wednesday 2/14 | Father William Campion |
| Thursday 2/15 | Deceased priests |
| Friday 2/16 | Father Thomas Carney |
| Saturday 2/17 | Msgr. Michael Chaback |
| Sunday 2/18 | Msgr. John Chizmar |

Thursday, February 15 @ 7 pm at DeSales University

THE SHACK will be the feature film being shown on Thursday, February 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the **Gambet Center Auditorium at DeSales University**. The Salesian Center for Faith & Culture hosts these special movie events to generate discussions on a particular topic of interest. This event is FREE and open to the public. No tickets are required. Free popcorn too!! A brief Q&A will follow the movie. Questions? Contact the director of programs, Lore McFadden at 610.282.1100 x 1244 or lore.mcfadden@desales.edu

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.

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.

Berks Catholic High School Football Recognition Night at the Reading Royals- Come out on Feb 18th @ 4pm to celebrate Berks Catholic High School Football's District 3 Championship win! Tickets are at the discounted rate of \$16. A portion of the ticket cost will be donated back to the High School. For any questions please contact Chris @ 610-898-7293 or chazel@royalshockey.com or go to: <https://royals.isportstix.com/order/seats/931/>



SCRIP NEWS - Please see the information at the SCRIP table regarding news and changes in our SCRIP program. **ALL SCRIP** is now available at the Parish Center, in addition to the Church and school. Please

contact scripprogramscs@gmail.com with any questions.

Weekend Mass Schedule

February 17th - 4:30 p.m. (Church)

Lector - Elizabeth Edmunds
Cantor - Michele Feeney
Organist - Dave Kostival
Altar Servers - J. Howard - G. Reed - A. Gillner

February 18th - 7:30 a.m. Mass (Church)

Lector- Kathy Lavanga
Altar Servers - K. Hodgson - R. Hodgson - S. Hodgson

February 18th - 9:00 a.m. Mass (Church)

Lector - Mike McCarthy

Guitar Choir

Altar Servers - D. Gombar - C. Griffith - N. Griffith

February 18th - 10:30 a.m. Mass (Church)

Lector - Ed Smith

Voices in Praise

Organist- Dave Kostival

Altar Servers - N. Krepps - H. Keperling - T. Keperling

February 18th - 12:00 p.m. Mass (Church)

Lector - Mary King

Cantor- Kim Kostival

Organist - Dave Kostival

Altar Servers - A. Kline - C. Kominick - J. Konopelski

ALTAR SERVERS LIST - WEEKDAYS

Week of February 12th - 17th

8:00 a.m.- J. Dempster & E. Oscar - (Mon - Wed.)
8:00 a.m. - A. Renninger & S. Robinson - (Thurs-Sat)
8:30 a.m. - A. Renninger & S. Robinson - (Friday Only)



**Knights of Columbus
St. Catharine of Siena Council #14880**

The Annual Fish Fry Dates are:

February 16, 2018

March 2, 2018

March 16, 2018

March 23, 2018

**Tickets for adults are
\$12.50 & 5.00 for children**

**Tickets will be available after all Masses
& at the Parish Center. Time is from
5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Church Social
Hall . All are invited to join the Knights in
support of our charitable mission.**

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“a time to be born...”

Recently Baptized:

Please pray for our sick :

Recently added : Rosalie Sandell, Michelle Ray , Paul Kletzel, Jr. & Roger B.

& our soldiers in harm's way:

Paula Abel, Anita Adamo, Stella Albrecht, Jeannine Ambrosi, Sue Ambruch, Tony Angello, Anthony Antonucci, Tara Arnold, 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, Linda Brent, Susan Brennan, Maria Briand, Robin Briand, Frank Broga, Kathryn Brubaker, Robert Bryden, Renee Brzostek, Emily Buelow, Renee Burns, Marvin Bush, Jeannine Caffrey, Ronald Calabrese, Neil Carroll, Nancy Cassidy, Bob & Patty Cavallino, Fiorentino P. Cerullo (Patrick), 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, Charles De Naples, Julie Denunzio, Jennifer Devlin, Melissa DeWees, Gretchen Dialectus, Paula DiBuilda, Arthur Dietrich, Jr, Carmela Donato, Mildred Donnelly, Kate Doughton, Becky and Chuck Drennen, Father Michael Drury, Dick Dunn, Gina Ebright, Dorothy Eisenhart, Lu Ann Eyre, Peter Fanticone, Jack Farrell, Josie Farrell, Jared Fenstermacher, Pearl Fillman, Devonna Fisher, Jennifer Flook, Laurie Flynn, Frances Ford, Jane Fordyce, John Fordyce, Al Frankowiak, Margaret Frisbee, Kim Furtow, Shelley Fox, Anna Mae Gantert, Donna Gentry, Grace Gerace, Pat Gerace, Joseph Gierschick, Jr, Frank Gill, Wayne Gillmor, Margo Girardi, Kathy Glaser, Larry Glaser, Johanna Goheen, Albert Gombar, Claire Griffith, Ruth Guyah, Jacob Hafer, 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, Emory Hilton, Melissa Himmelberger, Ethan Himonitis, William Hinkle, Donna Hofmann, Mark Holtzman, Siegfried Hosey, Robert Hough, Allison Howard, John Hull, Genevieve Iswalt, Catharine Jagielski, Erick Jefferson, Steven Julian, Brian K, Dorothy Kaisoglus, Blake Kauffman, Andrew Kazmierczak, Alex Kelso, John Kiedeisch, Carolyn Kilyk, John Kirsch, Marilla Kleinsasser, Mary Klick, Barry Kline, Sr, Benjamin Kline, Jean Kline, Ginny Koch, Helen Koehler, John Kogut, Mary Kolakowski, Mary Konopelski, Jack Kuhn, Dolores Lamp, Jeffrey Lamp, Darryl Larish, Tracy Larish, Mike LaScala, Vanessa Leaizer, Harry Logan, Helen Long, Stephen & Genevieve Luskie, Kelly Lynch & family, Julia Marason, Megan Marino, Dale Martino, Angela Marroccoli, Anna Mastandrea, Charles Mathews, Mary Ann Matthews, Jim McGinnis, Chris McCarron, Coral McConnell, Jacob McCue, Teagan McDonnell, Rita McHale, Dorothy McGill, Ainsley McLain, Edward McKeaney, Abbie McKinney, Rosemary McNish, Arthur Mengel, Susan Mertz, James Minner, Jacob Mower, Goup Toy Moy, Gertrude Moyer, Thomas Muchanic, Gordon Newmoyer, Bill Norquist, Bernie Nowotarski, Evelyn Oquendo, Anna Ospina, Anna Paone, Gabriella Paone, Landon Paul, Melly Pimentel, Pat Pinto, Donald Pisker, James Pisker, Anne Poserina, Potts Family, Sharon Prechtl, Mary Price, Kathleen Rainey, Thomas Joseph Rainey, Thomas Rathman, Lori Rears, Roger A. Reto, Rosemary Rice, Agnes Roach, Lynn Roberts, Barbara Rowe, Catherine Rudy, Mary Ryan, Elizabeth Fassig, Joann Sacco, Anne Schaeffer, Mary Schalk, 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, Mike Spear, Mark Speece, Julie Staber, Christopher Starr, Maureen Steimetz, Pam Stribbling, Maria Stubblebine, Annabelle Stump, Ken Styer, Earl Suchomelly, Cullen Sullivan, Carolyn Taraba, Hilda Thomas, John Tittle, Joe Tomalis, Wendy Tustin, Donald Ulrich, Jane Valeriano, Alan Wachowicz, Sherry Wainwright, Patty Wagner, Mark Walter, Marie Weber, Charles Wettstein, Amber White, Frank White, Annetta Wilson, Leo Woelkers, Ann Marie Zawislak, Bob Zeiler, Sr. & Bob Zeiler, Jr.

...and a time for peace ...a time to die: *Dennis Bastian*, (husband of Patricia Bastian & father of Jeffrey Bastian); *Dorothy LaSota*, (wife of Walter LaSota & mother of Cynthia LaSota) & *Joyce Kleckner*, (sister of Jim Bradley) **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.



A sincere and most grateful Thank You to the Priests and faithful community of St. Catharine's for the outpouring of love, prayers and Masses in the celebration of Marge. Her family deeply appreciates your kindness.

God Bless All!

SECOND COLLECTION – “ALMSGIVING”

– “...When you give alms, do not let your left hand know what your right is doing, so that your almsgiving may be secret.” (Ash Wednesday’s Reading) - During the Season of Lent, there will be a second collection each weekend for special needs : February 18th - Catholic Home Missions Appeal (which includes Black & Indian Mission); February 25th - St. Peter’s; March 4th - Kennedy House; March 11th, St. Francis Home ; March 18th, Mary’s Shelter March 25th - Rice Bowl. *Please be generous during this season of almsgiving.*

50 Plus News

The monthly meeting for the 50+ Club will be held on **March 7, 2018**. The board meeting will be held on **March 6, 2018** at 10:00 am. Please call Carol Buddell, President of the 50+ club at 610-401-0600, with any questions or concerns.

MEETINGS

March 7, 2018: St. Patrick Day Celebration, wear your Green. Cake and coffee. Entertainment: Harold Graeff from Timeframe – 4 Men to sing for us, Irish songs & other music

APRIL 4, 2018: SPECIAL EVENT - Everybody's Birthday Celebration. Victor Emmanuel's restaurant, great menu, more information to follow.

MAY 2, 2018 Speaker - Lydia Reber- Creative Energy/ Interprets Dreams - Snacks on tables, cake and coffee

2018 TRAVEL PLANS

April 18, 2018, Wednesday- Pottstown Carousel...Brookside Family Restaurant Lunch, Boyertown Museum of Historic Vehicles & Colebrookdale Rail Road Train Ride Cost: \$105.

May 31, 2018, Thursday - Hawley Silk Mill Tour, Shopping, Silver Birches Lunch. & Train Ride Through the Poconos Cost: \$95.

June 20, 2018, Wednesday - Mt Airy Casino with Matinee Show AN EVENING WITH THE STARS lunch buffet voucher & \$15 slot package. Cost: \$90.

July 12, 2018, Thursday -Wine making at Stone & Key Cellars. Bottle your own. Wine to take home. Lunch at Stove & Tap, then Asher's Chocolates & Entenmann's Bakery Outlet. Cost: \$110.

August 16, 2018, Thursday- Pines Dinner Theatre with meal & show THE RAT PACK Cost: \$85.

Call **Pat White 610-582-1437** for 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, 4975 Boyertown Pike in Exeter Township, dues are \$5.00 per year. ALL ARE WELCOME

Teens and adults invited to participate in planning meeting Tuesday 2/13, 7pm at the Old Convent for upcoming youth events, with emphasis on Holy Thurs-Good Fri program. Questions contact D Stratton 610-406-0452. All are welcome!

Parish Nurse News - Strive to be wise! Recognize that time is precious, so don't waste time or energy on things that don't matter. But, don't procrastinate on things that need to be done (Rose O. Sherman, 1/18/18, emerginrleader.com2018)!

SCS School News!

Now hiring substitute teachers for all grade levels (Pre-K through 8). Please submit a resume, letter of interest, and clearances to the attention of Mrs. Marcella Kraycik, Principal.

Thank you to all who had a hand in making our Catholic Schools Week a huge success! We are so grateful for our entire school and parish community!

Registration for all grade levels - Pre-K through 8th - is now OPEN. Transfer Grants available for Grades 1-7. Shadow days available. Come see what St. Catharine of Siena School can offer your family!

Congratulations to the 4th grade recipients of the IHM Scholarship Awards recognized in a ceremony during Catholic Schools Week!

2017 IHM Scholarship Recipients -

Elizabeth Crea & Graham Partsch

2018 IHM Scholarship Recipients -

Julianna Nerney & Jackson Kozik

Congratulations to the following winners of the Annual

GeoBee: Joyce Chan (8th grade)- Champion- Elizabeth Crea (5th grade) - Second place - Edward Oscar (7th grade) - Third place

Congratulations to the following winners of the Annual

Spelling Bee: Mollie Helstrom (8th grade) - Champion - Malena Schneider (6th grade) - Second place - Ava Decembrino (7th grade) - Third place

Youth News - Sunday 2/18 – Snow tubing open to all Junior and Senior high youth and friends. Back by popular demand! We will travel to Blue Mountain Ski Resort for an afternoon of Snowtubing. We will leave St. Catharine's Church after the 10:30am Mass and travel to Blue Mountain Ski Resort. A cost of \$30 will include: transportation, a pizza lunch, and three hours of snowtubing. (2pm – 5pm. We should return between 7:00pm – 7:30pm). Permission forms and money are due to the Parish Center no later than Monday, February 12. Forms can be found on the parish website (coming soon) or the youth group table at the back of the Church. Please also be sure to fill out a waiver form for Blue Mountain (below). We will need parent drivers with all diocesan clearances to help out for this awesome afternoon. Interested chaperones please contact Marci Zambito (610-223-7189) or mzambitoscs@gmail.com.

Friday 2/23 – Sunday 2/25 - Senior High School Retreat. Reservations going on now.

All current high school youth are welcome and invited to participate, however space is limited so do not delay. Held at beautiful Camp Manatawny, Douglasville and led by teens, like you, from St Catharine's & St Benedict's parishes. This year's theme is the "Beatitudes". It's not to be missed! \$50 non-refundable fee covers food, lodging & programming. Last year's participants are still talking about the fun they had and the memories they made. Do something for you and your relationship with the Lord this Lent. *Be a part of this year's retreat!* Permission slip online. Turn into the parish center in marked envelope.