

**Saint Mary's News**

**Next Weekends Mass Schedule**

Saturday, July 13th - 3:30 p.m. - Deceased  
of Wulkiewicz Family

Sunday, July 14th - 10:30 a.m. - Chester,  
Jean & Michael Dziedzic

There will be a Latin Mass next Sunday, July  
14th at 12:30 p.m. in the Church.  
Reconciliation at noon; social after Mass.



**Mission Co-op Sunday has  
changed: Father Paul Agyei will  
be speaking at all Masses on July  
13th & 14th. Please use your  
Mission Co-op envelopes dated:  
August 17th & 18th.**

*A Joyful  
Welcome  
to Our Parish*



**KNIGHTLY NEWS &  
EVENTS**

***GOLFERS & EVENT  
SPONSORS***

On the afternoon of **Friday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019**, the St  
Catharine of Siena Knights are hosting their **9<sup>th</sup>**  
**ANNUAL AFTERNOON OF GOLF WITH THE**  
**KNIGHTS** charity golf outing at the Reading Country  
Club. Dinner will be catered by the SCS Knights and  
will follow at the Church's social hall.

The event's net proceeds will be utilized to support  
and promote Catholic education, the St. Catharine of  
Siena community, our seminarians, the John Paul II  
Center, Lifeline, Mary's Shelter, and other  
community charitable endeavors promoted and  
supported by the SCS Knights of Columbus council.  
**Because of you**, since the outing's inception in 2010,  
we have been able to secure over \$75,000 to provide to  
these charities for use in their respective missions.  
Thank you.

Registration forms can be found at the Church and  
Chapel entrances. Also, on the back of the form,  
there is an area to prepare and submit details to be  
an event sponsor. We have several different types of  
sponsorships to accommodate varying budgets. **We  
look forward to seeing you as a golfer, a sponsor, or  
both !**

**Contacts :**

Tom Trainer @ 484-333-4312  
Bob Pauley @ 610-779-6548  
Tom Rochowicz @ 484-269-4601

*Thanks for your continued support !*

## FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Is 66:10-14c:** We may apply this reading to the Church. The Church is Jerusalem, a loving, protecting mother, who receives the blessing of God.

**Gal 6:14-18:** Through the cross of Christ we are created anew. This is all that really matters.

**Lk 10:1-12, 17-20:** Even though our good works may be fruitful, we rejoice not in them but in our perseverance in grace.

**Today's Message** - Let us boast of nothing but the cross of Christ. Through it His grace and power are made known to His servants. Tremendous deeds shall be performed in His name: the Reign of God is proclaimed, peace is given as gift, and the forces of sin are overcome.

### WEEK IN OUR PARISH

#### SUNDAY, JULY 7

BAPTISMS - After the noon Mass - Church

#### MONDAY, JULY 8

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - After 8 a.m. Mass until 8 p.m.

GRIEF SHARE - 7:00 p.m. - Parish Center

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

LEGION OF MARY - 6:30 p.m. - Parish Center

#### SATURDAY, JULY 13

BAPTISMAL WORKSHOP - 10:00a.m. - Parish Center

**Parish Nurse News** - Snack selectively over the summer months! Stay cool and hydrated with fresh vegetables, cucumbers, carrots, and tomatoes! Tasty additions of cranberries and nuts will make your salads scrumptious!

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



### Adult Basketball (Ages 21 up)

Come join us for some fellowship and fun at the school's gym. We are planning to play some pickup games of basketball from 6:00pm-7:30pm every Sunday night throughout the summer. Anyone over the age of 21 is welcome to come and play. If you are interested please contact Tom Nerney at 610-574-9679 or [tvnerney@gmail.com](mailto:tvnerney@gmail.com).

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### MONDAY, JULY 8

7:15 Curtin, Gantert, Kroener & Wagner Families

#### TUESDAY, JULY 9

7:15 George & Dolores Spainer

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

7:15 Joseph McCullough (5th Anniversary)

#### THURSDAY, JULY 11

9:00 Rita Leier

#### FRIDAY, JULY 12

7:15 Vito Fuoco (1st Anniversary)

#### SATURDAY, JULY 13

8:00 Maria Hart

4:30 Margaret Gombar

#### SUNDAY, JULY 14

7:30 Stanley Lubas

9:00 Ronnie Edgerly

10:30 Joseph Klick

12:00 Mary Ryan

### Readings for the Week of July 7, 2019

#### Sunday

#### Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 66:10-14c; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20;

Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or Lk 10:1-9

#### Monday

Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab;

Mt 9:18-26

#### Tuesday

#### Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15;

Mt 9:32-38

#### Wednesday

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11,

18-19; Mt 10:1-7

#### Thursday

#### Memorial of Saint Benedict, Abbot

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-17,

18-19, 20-21; Mt 10:7-15

#### Friday

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28,

39-40; Mt 10:16-23

#### Saturday

#### Saint Henry

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7;

Mt 10:24-33

#### Sunday

#### Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37

or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37



**We are awesome!** Come join our team of dedicated professionals! Saint Catharine of Siena is accepting applications for the following positions:

- Substitutes, per Diem
- Early Childhood Instructional Aides, part time

Middle School Instructional Aides, part time

Please send resume to Mrs. Marcella Kraycik, Principal at [Mkraycik@scsreading.org](mailto:Mkraycik@scsreading.org) or call 610-

**Saint Catharine of Siena School** office hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 9-1 pm. Office will be closed July 11, 15-19.

**We're having a BABY SHOWER!!!** -Catholic Charities is in urgent need of infant SUMMER clothing! Boys' and girls' infant clothing sizes newborn to 12 months. Clothing may be dropped off or mailed to:

Catholic Charities:  
234 Grace Street  
Reading, PA 19611

### **Please note: Only new clothing!**

**St. Peter the Apostle Church, Reading - Please join us Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>**, at our annual **Parish Festival**. The Festival will be held at St. Benedict's Picnic Grove – Route 10 & Chestnut Hill Road, Mohnton, PA 19540 from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. There will be live music, games for children, tournaments, dominos, soccer and ethnic foods. Tickets are on sale now for the Festival Raffle with cash prizes totaling \$4,050. The Festival Raffle proceeds go to the Operational Fund of the Church. For more information or to purchase raffle tickets please contact the Parish Office at 610-372-9652 or email [stpeterbusmng@comcast.net](mailto:stpeterbusmng@comcast.net).

**Help Needed** - If there is anyone in the parish who owns a backhoe and could dig 12 holes for the parish, please call the Parish Center at 610-779-4005.

**FLEA MARKET:** St. Mary Church, 94 Walnut Rd., Hamburg, Saturday, July 13, 7:30 AM to 12 Noon. Shop for bargains in AIR CONDITIONED comfort! Breakfast, Lunch and snacks available from our kitchen. Questions, call the parish office at 610-562-7657.

**Attention former students of Cabrini Academy, Holy Rosary CCD students and faculty.** Please join us for an afternoon of social and light refreshments on July 10, 2019 from 4 to 7pm at Hannibal House, 1526 Hill Road, Reading PA 19602. R.S.V.P. is encouraged by July 8<sup>th</sup> to Lisa Ayala at [LMAYALA2004@GMAIL.COM](mailto:LMAYALA2004@GMAIL.COM) or 610-775-9037. The Sisters are looking forward to seeing everyone!

**HELP WANTED** - St. Peter The Apostle Church, Reading, PA, seeks a full-time Parish Maintenance Manager. The position reports to the Pastor and requires a person with excellent interpersonal and communication skills along with maintaining a high level of confidentiality. Must possess the ability to perform repairs. The successful candidate will have the ability to interact professionally with all levels of clergy, religious, parishioners, parish and school employees, volunteers, vendors, diocesan contactors, etc. Great opportunity to work in a friendly environment and become part of a parish community. If interested, please email [stpeterbusmng@comcast.net](mailto:stpeterbusmng@comcast.net) for a detailed job description. No phone calls, please. EOE M/F/D/V

### **Next Weekend's Mass Schedule**

#### **July 13th - 4:30 p.m. Mass**

Lector - Mary King  
Cantor – not available at press time  
Organist - Dave Kostival  
Altar Servers - S. McDevitt - V. McDevitt - M. McDevitt  
Eucharistic Ministers - Mark Abramowicz & Michele Boucher

#### **July 14th - 7:30 a.m. Mass**

Lector– Jim Keane  
Altar Servers - M. Partsch & N. Barbera  
Eucharistic Ministers - Joanne Loeper & Mike Balla

#### **July 14th - 9:00 a.m. Mass**

Lector - Barry Hannahoe  
Cantor - not available at press time  
Organist - Dave Kostival  
Altar Servers - P. McCullough - R. Stoudt - C. Kominick  
Eucharistic Ministers – Mary Murphy, Mary Anne & Mike McCarthy

#### **July 14th - 10:30 a.m. Mass**

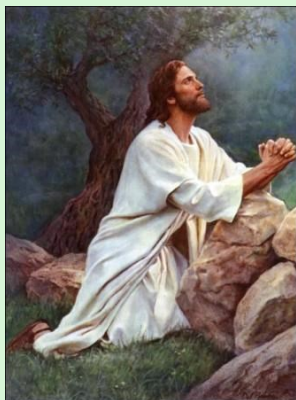
Lector - Amanda Drinker  
Cantor - not available at press time  
Organist - Dave Kostival  
Altar Servers - K. Nguyen - A. Renninger - N. Lamp  
Eucharistic Ministers - Judy McMahon & Myra & Bill Headen

#### **July 14th - 12:00 p.m. Mass**

Lector - Jim Snyder  
Cantor - not available at press time  
Organist - Dave Kostival  
Altar Servers - B. Davis - J. Davis - E. Simms  
Eucharistic Ministers - Milton Vincente, Cassie Sedlack & Helen Veet

**We pray for the Gift of Peace** in the world and the safety of those working for peace through the military services, especially: SPC Specialist Mackenzie Adame, Private First Class Connor A. Soja, Lance Corporal Kadan C. Soja, Staff Sgt. Brian Perrotto, LCPL David Ermentrout, Lt. Morgan Hissick, Captain Anthony Bennett, Tom Bristol, Danny Bristol, Spc. Erin Pawlik, Commander Daniel M. Simon, Staff Sgt. Michael Porcaro, Staff Sgt. Zak Ribble, Tech. Sgt. John V. Nowotarski, III, Senior Airman Timothy Hinsey, Thomas Bristol, Col. Patrick Sullivan, Second Lt. Joshua Kline, Captain Kevin Madary, Sgt. First Class Andrew Spies, Lt. Col. Jeffrey Brizek, Warrant Officer Gregory Van Horn, Major Jeffrey Van Horn, Lt. Cdr. Allison Rosati Martin, 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](mailto:dsitler@comcast.net). Please call with addresses of military to Terri Mueller at 610-779-1766.

**MILITARY RECOGNITION:** In an effort to continue to recognize our military troops, changes are underway. The present military board will be removed, and a new display is being created. If you would like any of the pictures on the present board, please let us know. Also, please review the list of names in this announcement and let us know of any updates. If you would like a picture displayed, please drop it off at the parish center. For any questions or concerns please call Beth Pawlik 610-781-2935, David Pawlik 610-781-3093 or Terri Mueller 484-269-7282.4



Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen "a time to be born..."

**Recently Baptized:**

**Please pray for our sick :** Stella Albrecht, Anthony Antonucci, Jim Auchter, Beverly Bansner, Melody Bechtel, MaryAnn Beeman, Debbie Bennett, Daniel Berg, Agnes Bohner, Paul A. Bomba, Joseph Brahler, Mike Bristol, Frank Broga, Sophia Broga, Marvin Bush, Mary Christ, Lisa Cole, Larry Curtin, Charles DeNaples, Jennifer Devlin, Arthur Dietrich Jr., Susan Dolinski, Roseanne Dougherty, Gina Ebright, Charles Elchlepp, Joseph Gierschick, Jr., David J. Gulati II,, Wayne Hedrick, Robyn Hefferan, Brian Heim, Patricia Herber, Christine Jenkins, Dorothy Kaisoglus, Winnie Kerns, Louise Knoeller, Mary Kolakowski, Dorothy Kosikowski, Mary Leddy, Greg Leinweber, Albert Lellig, Daniel Lonergan, Rosemary Ludwig, Donald Ludwig, Charles E. Mathews, Cindy McConnell, Jeff McCoy, Jacob McCue, Dolores Miravich, Rodney Moyer, Anthony Myers, Patrick Nelis, Jerome Nigh, Stella Pingitore, Patricia Pinto, Donald Pisker, Angelo Porcaro, Sharon Prectl, Lorraine Ransom, Nada Rathkey, Barry Allen Reitnour, David Samsel, John Sausen, Anne Schaeffer, Barry Scheirer, Mary Scheirer, Vincent Skimski, Tyler Skoczen, Eugene Sock, Chris Starr, Dean Soltzfus, Andy Strangarity, Kent Styer, Marie Sullivan, Sandy Sullivan, Paul Teske, Robert Vogel, Alan Wachowicz, Merritt Weidner, Frank White, Theresa White, Leo Woelkers, Noel Yapsuga, Susan Yapsuga, Ann Marie Zawislaka **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. 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.**



**WELCOME TO ST. CATHARINE'S!**

If you are not receiving our offering envelopes or the AD Times in the mail, you may not be registered. To register, please see a priest after Mass.

You must be a registered parishioner for 3 months to:

- . serve as a Godparent for Baptism
- . serve as a Sponsor for Confirmation
- . begin Marriage Preparation
- . have your child/children Baptized



**ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...**

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. For information please contact St. Catharine's Parish Center at 610-779-4005.



### 50 Plus News

The annual picnic for the 50+ Club will be held on **August 7, 2019 at 12:00 pm**. The board meeting will be held on **August 6, 2019 at 10:00 am**. Please call Carol Buddell, President of the 50+ Club at 610-401-0600 with any questions or concerns. You can see us on **Facebook** for additional information.

### MEETINGS

**AUGUST 7, 2019:** **SPECIAL EVENT – Our Summer Picnic**—will be held in the Social Hall, starting at 12:00 noon, we have a great menu. Entertainment: Act I Productions, Debbie Wahl with Mystery Bingo. Contact Carol Searfoss for further information at 484-236-1016.  
Cost: \$18.00

**SEPTEMBER 4, 2019:** Mathew Dobb dresses like an engineer in period clothes, tell stories about the fascinating period of railroads in American history. Lasagna roll-ups along with cake and coffee.

**OCTOBER 2, 2019:** John Vogel, Medicare, celebrate Octoberfest with Hot Dogs & Sauerkraut along with cake and coffee

**NOVEMBER 6, 2019:** Robin Gillmore, a representative of the Veteran Coalition of PA, will present information about the nation's largest nonprofit organization assisting veterans.  
Cake & Coffee  
*Free will donations for the Veterans would be appreciated.*

### 2019 TRAVEL PLANS

**October 23, 2019** – Wednesday, Mystery Trip- Hint both Men & Women will enjoy this Cost: \$95.00

**November 20, 2019** - Wednesday, Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre, Irving Berlin's Holiday Inn "Christmas Show" Cost: \$85.00

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**

### MEMORIAL PLAQUES

From time to time, when someone dies the family suggests that, in lieu of flowers, donations be made to St. Catharine of Siena's Church Memorial Fund. When these donations amount to \$300 or more we put the name of the deceased on the plaque. We also memorialize those who have remembered St. Catharine's in their estates. The various categories are: **Willed Donations-Builders**- \$1,000-\$4,999; **Benefactors**=\$5,000-\$19,000; **Special Benefactors** - \$20,000-\$49,000; **Distinguished Benefactors** - over \$50,000. We invite you to remember each of these parish benefactors in your prayers as you enter the Church and the Chapel.

### FIVE REASONS TO PRAY

*If God knows what is in our hearts, why do we need to pray?*

1. Prayer makes us aware that God wants what's best for us. *"Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name; you are mine." (Isaiah 43:1)*
2. Prayer helps us to put our worries into words. Speaking our worries help helps us see that things aren't as bad as we thought. *"When cares increase within me, your comfort gives me joy." (Psalm 94:19)*
3. Prayer gives us something to do. Instead of being helpless, it's the first step we can take forward solving a problem. *"I was helpless, but God saved me." (Psalm 116:6)*
4. Prayer gives us courage. When we turn to God, we are strengthened. *"God indeed is my savior; I am confident and unafraid." (Isaiah 12:2)*
5. Prayer reminds us that we are not alone. Instead of feeling isolated, prayer reminds us that we are never alone. *"But I am not alone, because the Father is with me." (John 16:32)*

**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 the Parish Center at 610-779-4005.**