



Saint Mary's News

Next Weeks Mass Schedule

Saturday, July 16th - 3:30 p.m. - Anna Filipek

Sunday, July 17th - 10:30 a.m. - Maria & Wlodzimierz Sobol

The Polish American Cultural Center, Room 509, at the GoggleWorks Center for the Arts, 201 Washington St., Reading, has an exhibit of Polish folk costumes on display from now until mid-November. We are open weekends from Noon-4:00PM.



PLEASE JOIN US IN PRAYING THE ROSARY

YOU ARE INVITED TO PRAY THE ROSARY ON
THURSDAY MORNINGS AT 6:45 A.M. &
SATURDAY MORNINGS AT 7:30 A.M. IN THE
CHAPEL. EVERYONE IS WELCOME!



SCS KNIGHTLY NEWS & EVENTS **GOLFERS & EVENT SPONSORS**

On the afternoon of Friday, July 29th, 2022, the St Catharine of Siena Knights will be resuming their annual golf outing and hosting their 11th 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, the John Paul II Center, Lifeline, Mary's Shelter, and other community charitable endeavors promoted and supported by the SCS Knights of Columbus council.

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 !

Thanks for your continued support !

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dt 30:10-14: We heed the word of the Lord by living his commandments. His word is not foreign to us.

Col 1:15-20: The glory of Christ is proclaimed for all to know.

Lk 10:25-37: A man is mugged. Who cares? How do we love others as we love ourselves?

Today's Message: The law of the Lord, the great commandment of love is not something "mysterious" or "remote." Indeed, it is "very near" to us. Yet how difficult it is to fulfill, being neighbor to whoever is in need. But if we seek God, we must "go ahead and do the same" for we have been created in, for, and through Christ.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MONDAY JULY 11

ADORATION – following the 7:15 a.m. Mass
LIFE AFTER LOSS – 7:00 p.m. – Parish Center Basement
THURSDAY, JULY 14

PRAY THE ROSARY - 6:45 a.m. - Chapel

SATURDAY JULY 16

PRAY THE ROSARY - 7:15 a.m. - Chapel
ULTREYA – 9:45 a.m. – Knights' Room

Healing Mass with Father George Winne - All are invited to join Father Winne at Saint Ambrose Parish (201 Randel Street, Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972) on Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 7:00 PM for a healing mass including praise and worship music beginning at 6:30pm. Questions? Contact 610-217-1739.

Mid-Life Living for Christ is a once a month gathering for those who are aged 40+ and are interested in growing in their relationship with Jesus and His Church through community building, prayer, and Scripture reflection
Who: ages 40 to not-quite-retired-full-time
When: 2nd Thursday of the Month, starting August 11th at 6:30pm
Where: St. Christopher Catholic Newman Center: 15207 Kutztown Rd, Kutztown, PA
Refreshments will be provided // No RSVP required.
Questions? Contact Maggie at mriggins@allentowndiocese.org

Because We Are Catholic Mass with Bishop Schlert - Various Dates - Bishop Schlert will be celebrating Mass throughout the Diocese in gratitude for the support of all who embody the spirit of generosity. All are invited to attend Mass at one of the upcoming dates and times:
August 24, 2022 | 8:00 AM - St. Peter the Apostle, Reading
September 15, 2022 | 8:00 AM - St. Peter, Coplay

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 11

7:15 George & Dolores Spainer

TUESDAY, JUNE 12

7:15 Rose Yorck

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13

7:15 James & Terry Curtin

THURSDAY, JULY 14

7:15 Deceased Members of the Laskiewicz Family

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

7:15 George Ashton

SATURDAY, JULY 16

8:00 Lana Worrall

4:30 Domenic Martino, Jr.

SUNDAY, JULY 17

7:30 Veronica Stoss

9:30 Judy Henry **and**

Jay Yohn

11:30 Melania Simkulic

Scripture Readings

For the Week of July 10, 2022

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; Lk10:25-37

Monday

Memorial of Saint Benedict, Abbot

Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23; Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday

Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday

Memorial of Saint Henry

Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27

Thursday

Memorial of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab & 15, 16-18, 19-21; Mt 11:28-30

Friday

Memorial of Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday

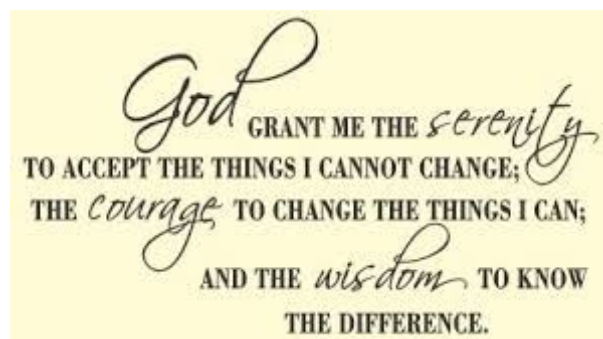
Memorial of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21

Sunday

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 18:1-10a; Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42



PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

Monday 7/11	Rev. Stanley M. Moczydowski
Tuesday 7/12	Rev. Anthony P. Mongiello
Wednesday 7/13	Rev. Msgr. David J. Morrison
Thursday 7/14	Rev. Joseph T. Muller, M.S.C.
Friday 7/15	Rev. Michael E. Mullins
Saturday 7/16	Rev. Elias D. Munyaneza, A.J.

The Saint Catharine of Siena School Advisory Board is looking for parishioners (21 and older) willing to serve a 3 year term beginning in September 2022. Applicants with a background in finance or facilities would be helpful, but not necessary. If you are looking for a way to give back and are passionate about Catholic Education, we encourage you to apply. Please email Mrs. Marcella Kraycik (mkraycik@scsreading.org) for an application. Questions about this ministry? Email Mrs. Julianne Smith (juliannejs@gmail.com).

PREP Registration for the 2022-2023 year is open.

The Parish Religious Education Program is open to all students in grades 1 – 8. All levels will meet in person on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm. Registration forms are available in the back of church or online at www.scsyouth.weebly.com

We are in need of volunteers to help teach or aide PREP classes. All materials and training will be provided. Please look inside your heart and see if you would be able to volunteer your time for the kids of our parish. As it was once sung, "I believe that children are our future. Teach them well and let them lead the way." For more information please contact Marci Zambito at mzambito@scsreading.org.

Kennedy House. Want to volunteer and help those struggling? It is St. Catharine's turn to run the Kennedy House in Reading. We would love to have you come and help out either Saturday, July 9th and or Sunday, July 10th or both days! Times are from 9-2 each day. Please call, text, or email if you can help - Sara Miller 484-459-0270 or sk1699@hotmail.com. Hope to see you there.

Also if you are unable to help but would be willing to donate food or other supplies we would need, please contact me as well.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0848ACA823A4FA7-kennedy4>



SCS Happenings

Looking to return to the classroom after being home on family leave? Looking to return to the classroom from retirement? Then Saint Catharine of Siena is the place for you! Join our excellent team of faith-filled, dedicated, and professional educators.

Saint Catharine of Siena is accepting applications for:
Full Time Contracted Teacher 6-8,
English/Language Arts
General Music Teacher, experience preferred

Please send resume, all clearances, references, and certifications to Mkraycik@scsreading.org or mail to 2330 Perkiomen Avenue, Reading PA 19606



Saint Catharine School is in need of some items to enhance and replenish consumables for our STEAM curriculum: various sizes of flower pots (cleaned and with drainage holes, please), bags of indoor potting soil large solo cups, red, "pinchy" clothes pins, dollar store chess/checker boards, playing cards, dominoes, baking soda, vinegar, salt, pool ph strips, legos, tin foil, tongue depressors/popsicle sticks, straws, glue, hot glue guns/ glue sticks, k'nex We thank you in advance!

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: Karin Acuna, Anthony Antonucci, Elizabeth Ashton, Baby Lanzo, Marie Bassler, Melody Bechtel, Gene Bellus, Michele Boucher, Jacques Briand, Katie Briggs, Frank Broga, Sophia Broga, Paul Brooke, Marvin Bush, Pauline Cappel, Della Chmielewski, Larry Curtin, Cyril Danko, Tamara Danko, Charles DeNaples, Roseanne Dougherty, Andy Dykie, Gina Ebright, Martin Eisenhower, Charles Elchlepp, Donald Entzminger, Robert Flipping, Coleen Foltin, Chris Fry, Geraldine Gamby, Michael Gantert, Todd Gladfelter, Theresa Grabowski, David J. Gulati II, Mary Hedrick, Wayne Hedrick, Robyn Hefferan, John Heft, Theresa Heltzinger, Patricia Herber, Cuirtis S. Hill, Jesse Hill, Roger Hilton, Michael Hivner, Margaret Iuso, Nikki Lyn Kells, Rev. David Kohut, OFM, John Kompa, Rosemarie Kovacs, Dorothy Kulak, Darryl Larish, Melanie Lintz, Alma Lonergan, Daniel Lonergan, Joan Lubas, Joanne Marnell, Mindy Mattes, Daniel Matz, Cindy McConnell, Mary Rita McFadden, Bernie McGuirk, Katherine Miceli, Lannie Milillo, Cynthia Mitchell, Carol Moore, Charles Mountz, Ruth Mountz, Madeline Mullen, Jerome Nigh, Jane O'Malley, James O'Malley, Frank Pingitore, Patricia Pinto, Donald Pisker, Michael Poserina, Sharon Precht, Chuck Rackie, Lorraine Ransom, Warren C. Readinger, Peggy Reid, Aneliese Robinson, David Samsel, Barbara Santoro, John C. Sauer, Jr., Anne Schaeffer, Barry Scheirer, Carolyn Schott, Vincent Skimski, Joan Skoczen, Tyler Skoczen, Mary Jane Skowron, Harvey Snyder, Barbara Spatz, Andy Strangarity, Jan Tomalis, Kimberly Trigstead, Betty Vilardo, Alan Wachowicz, Aiden Watkins, Frank White, Leo Woelkers, Bernette Wrobel, Noel Yapsuga, Susan Yapsuga, Ann Marie Zawislak, John Ziemba, Dan Zielinski, Mary Ann Zimmerman **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. 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.

We pray for the Gift of Peace in the world and the safety of those working for peace through the military services, especially: Cpl. Bruce Bogertey, Private 2 Alex Heintz, Captain Chelsea Pellicano, Airman Ethan Kosmoski, Ensign Nicholas Tomczyk, Captain Steffan Lis, MD, SPC, Dylan Einfalt, Airman 1st Class Kevin Hodgson, Sgt. Madison Straka, First Lt. Devon Schoonover, Sgt. Mackenzie Adame, Lance Corporal Connor A. Soja, Staff Sgt. Brian Perrotto, Captain Anthony Bennett, Tom Bristol, Danny Bristol, Sgt. Erin Pawlik, Commander Daniel M. Simon, Staff Sgt. Michael Porcaro, Staff Sgt. Zak Ribble, Staff Sgt. 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, Zachary Deissler, Amy & Gregory Boland, Lt. Col. Adam Sawyer, Staff Sgt. Jeremiah Sola, Lt. Cdr. Mathew Stuber, Sgt. Nathan Essig. **Please contact the Parish Office with your prayer requests or email them to dsitler@comcast.net**



Emergency Vehicle Access

We have been reminded to keep the driveway area immediately in front of the main Church free from parked vehicles. This includes the area under the portico as well as the driveway approaches to and from the portico. Of course, this area will remain available for pick up and drop off, but vehicles should proceed to designated spaces in the parking lot immediately thereafter. Thank you for your cooperation.



This ministry allows you to provide a complete ready-to-eat meal for our Parish Priests by bringing: a Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday evening meal as your schedule allows.

Through the grace of God our Priests are ordained so that they may bring us the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. As a service to them for these beautiful gifts they bring us, we are starting this new ministry, 'Feed the Priests'.

- *On the day you signed up to bring a meal to the Parish Center by 4:00 p.m.*
- **Meal will be for 2 priests.**
- Fully cooked ready-to-eat meal.
- We ask that you put the meal in a disposable container.
- Include heating instructions if necessary.
- Example of a full meal would include a salad, meat, starch, vegetable and possibly a dessert. Please call Diane at the Parish Center if you can help at 610-779-4005.

**THANKS YOU FOR ALL YOU DO FOR OUR
PARISH AND OUR PRIESTS!**

50 Plus News

Please call Maria Bunch, Vice President of the 50+ Club at **610-582-4632** with any questions or concerns. You can see us on Facebook for additional information. **Anyone attending the 50+ meeting will be asked to show proof of Covid Vaccination. If an attendee does not have proof of vaccination, he/she will be asked to wear a mask.**

August 3, 2022, meeting:

Summer Picnic with buffet lunch, by reservations **12 noon**. Call Kathleen Zagar for a reservation and more information, 610-698-3289.

TRIPS

Wednesday, August 24th, Mystery Trip, Hint-SCENIC CRUISE included \$150

September 19th - 24th Monday - Saturday Charleston & Savannah **double \$1645, per person.**

Friday, October 21st, American Treasure Tour, Tram ride through rooms of Memory Lane, along with a room full of Operating Musical Organs + Lunch + Colebrookdale Railroad, two hour train ride \$135

Wednesday, November 16th, Magic and Moments of Christmas at the National Christmas Center + Lunch on your own at Cracker Barrel + Christmas Show at American Music Center \$120

CONTACT: **Pat White 610-582-1437** for any information concerning the trips.

Please call **Rosalie Snyder at 610-779-6562** with the name of members who are sick or have died.

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 at 4975 Boyertown, Pike, Rt. 562, Reading, PA.