



PLEASE JOIN

FATHER TYLER DAVIS

FOR HIS

FIRST MASS

at

ST. CATHARINE'S CHURCH



*"I can do all
things through
Christ
who strengthens me."*

— Philippians 4:13 —

SUNDAY, JUNE 14
11:30 A.M.

ST. CATHARINE'S CHURCH

*Light refreshments will follow
in the Social Hall.*

*All are welcome to attend the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass
with Father Davis as he begins his priestly ministry.*

St. Mary's Masses

Saturday, June 6th - 3:30 p.m. - Todd & Diane Sitler (40th Wedding Anniversary)

Sunday, June 7th - 10:30 a.m. - Kochmanski, Janiszewski, Szot, Kostrubiec & Niedzwiecki Families

Saturday, June 13th - 3:30 p.m. - Dorothy LaSota (8th Anniversary)

Sunday, June 7th - 10:30 a.m. - Helen Nachurski



Msgr Domin thanks everyone for the get-well wishes. Please continue to pray for him.

THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Friday, June 12th, 2026 is the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The promises made by Our Lord to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque are the foundation of the Feast and the devotion of the First Fridays.

THE TWELVE PROMISES OF THE SACRED HEART

1. I will give them all the graces necessary for their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their homes.
3. I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
4. I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
5. I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
6. Sinners shall find in My Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall quickly rise to great perfection.
9. I will bless every place where an image of My Heart is exposed and honored.
10. I will give priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who promote this devotion shall have their names written in My Heart, never to be blotted out.
12. In the excess of the mercy of My Heart, I promise you that My all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Friday of nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance. They shall not die under My displeasure nor without receiving the Sacraments. My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in their last moments.

Sacred Heart of Jesus, burning with love for us, make our hearts like unto Thine.

SACRED HEART OF JESUS
HAVE MERCY ON US

Congratulations, GRADUATES!

O Lord our God,
you are our strength in adversity,
our health in weakness,
and our comfort in sorrow.

We praise and thank you for the many gifts you have bestowed upon our graduates and for bringing them to this important milestone in their lives.

Bless them, Lord, and keep their faith strong. Remain with them always. Wherever they go next, guide them with your wisdom, strengthen them with your grace, and help them to use their education generously, honestly, and for the good of others.

We ask this through Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

Amen.

CLASS OF 2026

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a: Moses reminds the Israelites that although God let them hunger, still He fed them with manna, a food unknown. He brought them out of the slavery of Egypt and cared for them.

1 Cor 10:16-17: In the one bread and sharing the one cup, we are united in the Body and Blood of Jesus. We, though many, are still one body in Jesus.

Jn 6:51-58: Jesus speaks of His Body and Blood in the Holy Eucharist. Whoever receives the Holy Eucharist will be raised up on the last day; whoever eats this bread will live forever.

Today's Message: The cup we share, is it not the blood of Christ? And the bread we break, is it not His body? Just as God fed the Israelites with manna from heaven, so too do we feed on the best of wheat, the bread of angels, food for the pilgrim journey.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

REV. JEFFREY S. TOMCZYK FIRST MASS – 3:00 p.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 8

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – following the 7:15 a.m. Mass

CONFESSIONS – 7:00-8:00 p.m. – Church

LIFE AFTER LOSS – 7:00 p.m. – Meeting Room

TUESDAY, JUNE 9

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING – 7:00 p.m. – Meeting Room

THURSDAY, JUNE 11

PRAY THE ROSARY – 6:45 a.m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 13

BAPTISMAL WORKSHOP - 10:00 a.m. – Meeting Room

PRAY THE ROSARY – 7:30 a.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 14

YOUNG SAINTS MINISTRY – 3:30-5:00 p.m. – Social Hall

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, JUNE 6

8:00 Edward Burns

4:30 Deceased of the Lomnychuk & Soltys Families

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

7:30 Theresa Stelmach

9:30 Deceased Members of the Akins & Willing Families

11:30 Richard & Virginia Musser

MONDAY, JUNE 8

7:15 Annetta & Robert Wilson

TUESDAY, JUNE 9

7:15 James L. Heimbach (2nd Anniversary)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10

7:15 Guy & Geraldine Lawrence

THURSDAY, JUNE 11

7:15 Richard Farrell (42nd Anniversary)

FRIDAY, JUNE 12

7:15 Kevin Michael Heck (8th Anniversary)

SATURDAY, JUNE 13

8:00 Theresa Makosch

4:30 Elena M. Kostival (9th Anniversary)

SUNDAY, JUNE 14

7:30 William R. & Margaret M. Bollendorf

9:30 Pat Wertz

11:30 Michael Poserina (2nd Anniversary)

Scripture Readings

For the Week of June 7, 2026

Sunday

Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58

Monday

1 Kgs 17:1-6; Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday

1 Kgs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8; Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday

1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday

Memorial of Saint Barnabas, Apostle

Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Mt 5:20-26

Friday

Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Dt 7:6-11; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30

Saturday

1 Kgs 19:19-21; Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10; Mt 5:33-37

Sunday

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

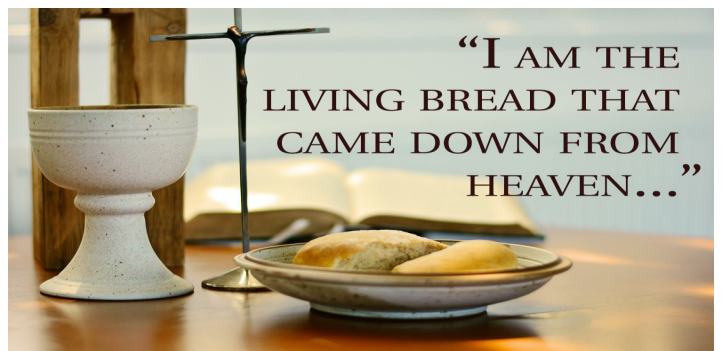
Ex 19:2-6a; Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5; Rm 5:6-11; Mt 9:36-10:8



For the week of June 7, 2026
The Sanctuary Candle
will burn in
Loving Memory of

St. Catharine's Church - 40th Wedding
Anniversary of Todd & Diane Sitler

St. Mary's - Wolfgang Licht



PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

Monday 6/8 Rev. Jonas Tandyu, M.S.C.
Tuesday 6/9 Rev. Jerome A. Tauber
Wednesday 6/10 Rev. James P. Thomas
Thursday 6/11 Rev. Joseph F. Tobias, M.S.C.
Friday 6/12 Rev. Eric N. Tolentino
Saturday 6/13 Rev. Andrew Torma, M.S.C.

FREE Protect Young Eyes Webinar! The digital world is changing faster than ever, and many parents feel overwhelmed trying to keep up. From smartphones and social media to AI and online exploitation, parents and children alike face challenges today that previous generations could have never even imagined. Join Protect Young Eyes and PA Family Institute for a practical, encouraging, and FREE webinar designed to help parents raise tech-ready kids who are also wise and confident in today's AI-driven culture. Visit pafamily.org/pro tectyouneyes to secure your seat TODAY!

Congratulations to Saint Catharine's

CLASS OF 2026

With gratitude to God and great pride, we celebrate this important milestone. May God continue to guide, bless, and shine His light on each of you as you begin the next chapter of your lives.

- Simrat Bajwa
- Maria Conte
- Alyvia Fretz
- Madilynn Gershen
- Sophya Hernandez
- Carrigan Johnson
- Emma Kieffer
- Emma Kozak
- Nora LaRosse
- Portia Lepore
- Emma Nerney
- Victoria Ritter
- Olivia Sneeringer
- Emma Wentzel
- Kellen Bowman
- Henry Florentin
- David Matos
- John McDevitt
- Preston McKoy
- Samuel Miller
- Lennox Negron
- Owen Trupp
- Khoa Vu

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

— Jeremiah 29:11



MAY GOD BLESS OUR GRADUATES AND
KEEP THEM ALWAYS IN HIS LOVING CARE.
Congratulations, Saint Catharine's Class of 2026!





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: Warren & Olivia Klein, Ava Hauck & Harper Emkey

Please pray for our sick & soldiers in harm's way: Karin Acuna, Richard Abelt, Carl Andrzejewski, Anthony Antonucci, David Austin, Baby Lanzo, Mike Bailey, Joe & Patty Barker, Melody Bechtel, Gene Bellus, Dolores Bertoti, Joseph Bezak, Jason Beshore, JoAnne Biscanti, Jodi Bixler, Susan Bolognese, Jim Boris, Michele Boucher, Joanne Bowman, Katie Briggs, Sandra Brobst, Frank Broga, Sophia Broga, Paul Brooke, Maria Bunch, Connie Burkhart, Jennifer Burrell, Marvin Bush, John Callaghan, Pauline Cappel, Richard Cunnius, Cyril Danko, Tamara Danko, Alivia, Jennifer & Thomas Devlin, George Dietrich, **Msgr. Edward R. Domin**, Roseanne Dougherty, Cory Doyen, Andy Dykie, Gina Ebright, Charles Elchlepp, Ann Entzminger, Marian Ertel, Joe Essig, Bob Finley, Robert Flipping, Deane & Ann Foster, Jocelyn Franek, Chris Fry, Geraldine Gamby, Michael

Gantert, Charles Gierschick, Todd Gladfelder, Theresa Grabowski, Lillianna Greenberg, Joe Grippe, Charlotte Grauf, David J. Gubernot, Doris Harner, Clara Hartline, Marie Hartranft, Terry Hayward, William M. Hedl, Wayne & Mary Hedrick, Robyn Hefferan, John Heft, Theresa Heltzinger, Patricia Herber, Carole Hess, Jesse Hill, Roger Hilton, Michael Hivner, Margaret Iuso, Michael & Dorothy Jurasinski, Katelynn Solecki Kajunski, Lesley Kaminski, Krissy Kelly, Maryanne Kenton, Mary Klick, Cindy Kohl, **Rev. David Kohut, OFM**, Rosemarie Kovacs, Dorothy Kulak, Christine T. Kuzio, William Lawson, Pat Lenich, Ann Lewandowski, Melanie Lintz, Jane Lubas, Joan Lubas, Aleigha Manderbach, Peter Manolakis, Angela Marroccoli, Rocco Martinozzi, Greg & Kevin Masters, Daniel Matz, Cindy McConnell, Peggy McConnell, Mary Rita McFadden, Tim McNeil, Katherine Miceli, Lannie Milillo, Kyle Moore, Christine Motley, Madeline Mullen, William Nelson, Jerome Nigh, Maddie Nordhoy, Trudy Oliver, Angela Biscanti Ondik, Louise Orlando, Luis Osorio, Peggy Pacharis, Frank Pingitore, Donald Pisker, Chris Plue, David Plumley, Chuck Rackie, Antonio Mark Ramos, Lorraine Ransom, Phyliss Rathman, Rich Readinger, Peggy Reid, Dave Rickert, Virginia Rivera, Dave Robertshaw, Raven Robinson, Gloria Lynn Romanski, David Samsel, Barbara Santoro, Anne Schaeffer, Barbara Schock, Melvin Schucker, Edward Senkowski, Mark Serino, Bob Shardin, Earl Sheetz, Gabbie Sierra, Shaun Sisk, Joan Skoczen, Anne Smith, Patricia Soto, Louise Souders, Barbara Spatz, **Father Leo Stajkowski**, Andy Strangarity, Jerry Stricker, Marty Strunk, Earl Suchomelly, Thomas Sword, Sean Tipping, Kimberly Trigstead, Tom Testa, Danielle Trout, Richard Uliasz, Janet Ustaszewski, Rex Voelker, Chad Vogel, John Vogel, Alexandra Wachowicz, Mark Walter, Pam Weber, Lyn Weidenhammer, Pat White, Frank White, Marcia Willman, Walter Yourkavitch, Ann Marie Zawislak, Mary Ann Zerkowski, Dan Zielinski, Mollie Ziemba, Mary Ann Zimmerman

A Time to die: Lina Cefaratti & Officer Kristen Yeager & 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.



QUO VADIS

1961-2026

YOUNG MEN'S DISCERNMENT RETREAT 2026

A Year of Grace—Through Mary, to Jesus in the Eucharist, for Holy Vocations

JUNE 28 - JULY 1

Join us for a joyful and prayerful vocations retreat for young men!

Experience fellowship, Mass with Bishop Schlerf, Eucharistic Adoration, inspiring presentations, plus fun and games!

All rooted in prayer as you discern God's call for your life!

(AGES 14-18)



KUTZTOWN UNIVERSITY

Registration due June 17
Early-bird discount by June 5

Contact: **Christina Lopez,**
vocations@allentowndiocese.org



Scan here to register:

allentowndiocese.org/quo-vadis

Parish Nurse News - The Mediterranean diet can add healthy years to life! It is easy to build a good routine! Emphasize fruits, vegetables, nuts, olive and non-tropical plant oils, legumes, and fish! Include small amounts of yogurt and kefir, poultry, and meat. Limit the sweets! (Harvard Medical School, Health).

St. Joseph's People for Employment Help - Berks and Lehigh - If you are underemployed or unemployed or know someone who is, let Joseph's People help! Join us on Zoom on Tuesday, June 9th at 6 p.m. Our topic will be "Best places to Network." We have helped thousands of people over the years and there is never a fee for our services. Email Paul Licata for more info at pauljosephlicata@gmail.com and visit www.josephspeople.org.

BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC ANNUAL APPEAL

Many thanks to those who have made a pledge to the *Because We are Catholic Annual Appeal*. Making a six-month pledge to the Appeal allows you to maximize the amount that you may give by making monthly payments. For example, a \$120 gift to the Appeal may be set up with six \$20 installments. Remember, every gift counts, no matter how big or small. Your generosity supports children and families in our own community and throughout the Diocese of Allentown. You can make your gift online at BecauseWeAreCatholic.org.



St. Catharine of Siena School TOUR OUR SCHOOL & SEE WHAT MAKES US SPECIAL!



We pray for the Gift of Peace in the world and the safety of those working for peace through the military services, especially: Captain David J. Wentling, IV, First Lt. Nicholas A. Wentling, Cpts. Juliana & Sean Coleman, Petty Officer Matthew J. Dobroskey, Jr., Cpl. Bruce Bogertey, SPC, Alex Heintz, Captain Chelsea Pellicano, LT. Nicholas Tomczyk, Captain Steffan Lis, MD, SPC, Dylan Einfalt, Airman 1st Class Kevin Hodgson, Sgt. Madison Straka, First Lt. Devon Schoonover, Sgt. Mackenzie Adame, Staff Sgt. Brian Perrotto, Tom Bristol, Danny Bristol, Commander Daniel M. Simon, Staff Sgt. Michael Porcaro, Staff Sgt. Zak Ribble, TSgt. 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., 2nd Lt. Jorge Taveras, please contact the Parish Office with your prayer requests or email them to diane@scsreadingparish.org

50 Plus News

Please call, President Bev Gallo for any 50 Plus Club inquiries. Her phone number is 610-763-7058. You can see us on Facebook for additional information.

Meetings

July 1, 2026: Tara DeStefano, PennDOT, Community Traffic Safety Coordinator, will show and explain the Yellow Dot Program for Emergencies.

Trips

June 24, 2026: Real Diamond, Penn's Peak, \$95
 July 16, 2026: School of Rock, Pines Theater, \$108
 August 12-14: Island Hoppin in Ohio: single occupancy, \$845, double occupancy \$645
 September 23, 2026: Gettysburg Dine Around, \$167
 October 22, 2026: Medieval Times Baltimore, \$110
 November 12, 2026: The Christmas Rush, Bird-In-Hand - \$110
 Please call Bev Bard, 610-763-5654 for additional trip information.

Please call Maria Bunch at 610-914-7005 with the names of members who are sick or who 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 PM on the first Wednesday of most months at St Catharine Social Hall. There will be no meetings during the special events months of April, August, and December.

Hallow



Tips & Tricks

NEW GAME - Categories: Hallow just added a new game called Categories. You see 16 words and need to put them into groups of 4 based on what they have in common.

As an example: Queen; Mother; Virgin; and Lady are all words associated with the Blessed Virgin Mary. Categories is similar to games found online for some of the major newspapers, but the Hallow version has Catholic content to help us learn more about our faith in a fun way. We look forward to playing and praying with you on Hallow!!!