

October 3, 2021 | 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish

SERVING THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF
PENN HILLS AND MONROEVILLE



*Jesus said,
"Let the children come to me,
do not prevent them,
for the kingdom of God
belongs to such as these.*

Mark 10:14

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Monroeville

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Monroeville

9:00am

Penn Hills

11:00am

Monroeville

11:30am

Penn Hills

Mon. 9:30am

Monroeville

Tues. 9:30am

Penn Hills

Wed. 9:30am

Monroeville

Thurs. 9:30am

Penn Hills

Fri. 9:30am

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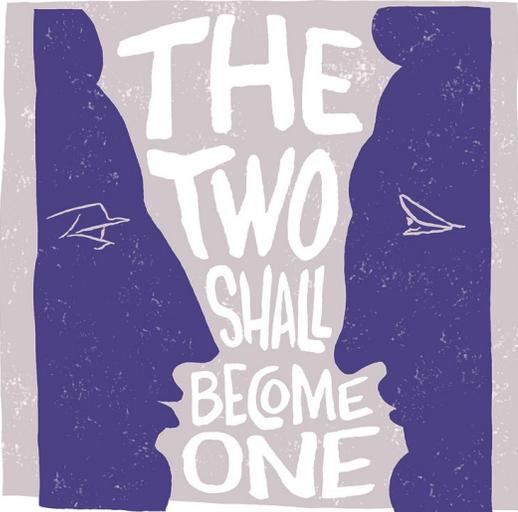
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911 immediately if a child is in danger.



THE BARRIERS THAT SEPARATE US

We live in a society that has many technological avenues for stimulation and entertainment, one in which the urban population exceeds the non-urban. It is curious that loneliness is a prevalent malady. It is easy to reach out and touch someone, we are told. But—in truth—it is not all that easy, and statistics from the mental health field will reinforce that opinion. Today's readings are about the ways in which we can authentically reach out: God touches Adam to create a mate and end his solitude; God-in-Jesus takes on human flesh and death in order that we might come to glory; Jesus reaches out to the children whom the disciples had tried to keep away, showing us the manner in which we must approach the loving embrace that awaits us in heaven. Until that day, however, we must remember that ours is a sacramental church, a church of signs of the love of God. And so we are called to reach out continually to ease the loneliness and the barriers that separate us from one another and, therefore, from the love of Christ.

From Father Larry



As you might have already heard, Bishop Zubik has asked me to join the diocesan central administration staff at the Diocese of Pittsburgh Pastoral Center in Carnegie. As a result, I'll be leaving Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish on October 15, and Fr Mike Conway will be joining our parish as Pastor. (Fr Thom will continue on in his role, but with the new title of "Senior Parochial Vicar.")

My official new title will be "Associate Secretary General", and I expect that my role will involve the coordination and management of various diocesan projects and initiatives. It should be an exciting role, and will provide the opportunity to participate in a wide variety of efforts. Please keep me in your prayers as I embark on this new role in ministry for our diocesan Church!

When a priest enters into ministry at the Pastoral Center, sometimes people think that he no longer ministers in a parish. Actually, that's not the case! While working in the Pastoral Center, I'll also be assigned in residence at a parish and participating in priestly ministry there (celebrating Masses, etc). I'll be ministering at St Philip Parish in Crafton/Ingram and living at a rectory in the parish. If you're ever in that part of town, please stop by and say 'hi'! My email address will be LAdams@diopitt.org, if you'd like to drop me an email! The address of the parish office is 114 Berry St, Pittsburgh PA 15205.



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From Father Larry

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It's been a challenging two years for us at Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish, but I think that together, we've done a great job positioning our parish for future stability and growth! I'd like to thank everyone who made my time here such a blessing – in particular, I'd like to thank Fr Thom, our parish staff, our pastoral and financial councils, and all of the volunteers who bring life and joy to our parish! I'll miss you all!

Please continue to support both our school and our parish through your prayers and generosity! Christ the Divine Shepherd, have mercy on us! St Bartholomew, St Bernadette, St Gerard Majella, St John de Brebeuf and companions (the North American martyrs), St Michael, and St Susanna, pray for us!

Blessings,

Fr Larry



Prayer for Priests

God, please give to your Church today many more priests after your own heart. May they be worthy representatives of Christ the Good Shepherd. May they wholeheartedly devote themselves to prayer and penance; be examples of humility and poverty; shining models of holiness; tireless and powerful preachers of the Word of God; zealous dispensers of your grace in the sacraments. May their loving devotion to your Son Jesus in the Eucharist and to Mary his Mother be the twin fountains of fruitfulness for their ministry. Amen.

Our Parish Family

Thank You!

The St. Vincent de Paul Society would like to thank our generous parishioners for your donations in the recent August collection. This collection provides the bulk of the resources needed for the outreach to help the poor in our neighborhoods of Penn Hills, Monroeville, and Pitcairn. We are grateful for your continuing support. The collection amounted to \$4217 and is most appreciated.

Ladies of Charity Homebound Calls

Since homebound visits have not started up yet, the Ladies of Charity are calling homebound parishioners once a month just to talk. We want to make sure that anyone who would like a call gets one. If you or someone you know is interested in receiving a call, please call the rectory at 412-373-0050 and leave the name of the person to be called and a phone number. We will be more than happy to call.

Blessing of Pets



It is the custom on St. Francis' feast day to bless pets because of his love for animals as expressed in his Canticle of Creatures. The annual Blessing of Pets will take place at Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish on Monday, October 4, 2021 at 7pm at the outdoor shrine of St. Francis located at CDS Monroeville (245 Azalea Drive, Monroeville, Pa 15146) near the church.

Our Parish Family

Maintenance Position Available

Part-time Maintenance Worker Hours: 20 hours (Mon-Fri, with possible additional weekend work) Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish in Monroeville and Penn Hills is seeking a part-time Maintenance worker to join our maintenance team. The responsibilities of the position will include (but not be limited to) providing maintenance with light custodial and repair service to buildings, facilities and property, including semi-skilled electrical, carpentry, plumbing, painting, minor repair work, as well as basic computer cabling/wiring set-up. Travel between locations of the two Church sites of the parish are necessary. The successful candidate will have a High School / Trade School diploma or equivalent, with additional training in building trades and general maintenance. For more information or to apply for this position, please contact Jerry Brandl (jbrandl@cdsmp.org or 412-373-0050 x114).

Rosary

Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish will once again participate in the Public Square Rosary. This year the event will be held on October 16, 2021. Watch the bulletin for more information about the event.

SAM Ministry

The next Substance Addiction Ministry Rosary for Recovery will be Wednesday, October 20 at CDS Monroeville, 245 Azalea Dr. Monroeville, PA 15146. We will meet at 7:00PM in the Church for the Rosary for all who are afflicted or affected by addiction and seeking education, referral and support.

Liturgical Ministers

Liturgical ministers (Readers, Altar Servers, and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion) the October Schedule is finalized please log on to Ministry Scheduler to view your October schedule and update your general information, service and ministry preferences, and unavailable dates for November. If you need assistance or do not plan to serve in a ministry role in the future please email Josh Bandish at jbandish@cdsmp.org



**Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish
Lourdes Center Dining Hall**

245 Azalea Drive
Monroeville, PA 15146

Saturday, October 16th, 2021

SEATING IS LIMITED!

**Come Join Us At Our
CDS 2021 Oktoberfest**



The Barons

Reserve Your Seat By Visiting

<http://cdsfishfry.org/oktoberfest>

Contact The Parish Office If You Are Unable To Register Online

Admission fee includes the following:

- Live music by the Barons (see below)
- Authentic Oktoberfest buffet
- Pop / Water / Coffee
- Beer & wine
- Mixers (BYOB)

Doors Open at 6:00PM • Live Music 7:00PM-11:00PM

\$25.00 Per Person

Our Parish Family

RCIA

Do you know someone who might want to join the Catholic Church? Do you want to become more involved in your own faith and learn more? Do you just want to find out more about the Catholic Church and what it teaches? Consider joining us for RCIA, the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. It's open to anyone who is curious about our Church and our faith. Contact Deacon Mike at the Parish Office (412-373-0050 x 112) or by email (mkelly@cdsmp.org) to register.

Taizé Ministry



Taizé is a small village in the eastern part of France. It is the home of an ecumenical community where prayer, three times a day, is the center of life.

Part of that prayer time is spent in singing short repetitive refrains or ostinatos. Our Taizé Services borrow from this tradition. Our next prayer service is **Tuesday, October 26, 2021** at 7:00pm, CDS Penn Hills (200 Stotler Rd, Penn Hills, PA 15235).

Grant them Eternal Rest

PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF SOULS



Doreen Franceschini
Mark Mendicino
Robert Ward

Obituaries may be accessed at www.cdsmp.org/funerals



Welcome

TO OUR PARISH FAMILY

Mrs. Frances Morrow
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Saxman and Annabella
Mrs. Lynne Segar and Sophia
Miss Brittany Biddle
Miss Sylvia Fleming
Miss Nicole Jones

Sanctuary Candle



Monroeville:

In Memory of Reid Vogel
By, Stephanie & Austin

Penn Hills:

Ann Tauro
By, Joanne Tauro & Barbara Stagno

Please contact the parish office at 412-373-0050 if you are interested in sponsoring one of our tabernacle lamps.

ENCOUNTER HIS HEALING PRESENCE

AN EVENING OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2021
7:00PM - CDS MONROEVILLE
245 AZALEA DRIVE, MONROEVILLE, PA 15146

WWW.CDSMPH.ORG/SACREDMUSIC



This Week in Our Parish

Monday, October 4, 2021

Girl Scouts	6:30pm	CDS Monroeville, Biedenbach Hall
Blessing of Pets	7pm	CDS Monroeville, Outdoor St. Francis Shrine
Lectionary Bible Study	7pm	CDS Monroeville, Church
Worship Team Practice	7pm	CDS Monroeville, Church

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

Purgatorian Society	4:30pm	CDS Penn Hills, Church
Contemporary Choir Practice	6:30pm	CDS Monroeville, Church

Wednesday, October 6, 2021

Ladies of Charity	9:30am	CDS Monroeville, Biedenbach Hall
Contemplative Prayer Group	5pm	CDS Penn Hills
CCD	6:30pm	CDS Monroeville, DMA
St. Vincent DePaul	7pm	CDS Monroeville, Biedenbach Hall
RCIA	7pm	CDS Penn Hills, Spirit Room
Parish Choir Practice	7pm	CDS Monroeville, Church

Saturday, October 9, 2021

Catholic Men's Fellowship	7am	CDS Monroeville, Lourdes Center
Fr. Larry Farewell Reception	5pm	CDS Monroeville, Biedenbach Hall

Sunday, October 10, 2021

Fr. Larry Farewell Reception	10:00am	CDS Penn Hills, Spirit Room
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Farewell Reception for Father Larry



**YOU WILL
BE MISSED.**

Saturday, October 9th after the 4pm Mass
 Sunday, October 10th after the 9am Mass

Best of luck on your new assignment.

Our Parish Family



Join us for “The Emmaus Journey”,
A seven week grief support program sponsored
by Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish,

Monday October 11th through

Monday November 22nd

at 7:00 pm

Spirit Room CDS Penn Hills.

For questions or to register call Bess Biamonte,
Pastoral Associate at 412-373-0050 ext. 111



Fall Open House

Saint Joseph High School (Natrona Heights) will host its Fall Open House from 10am - 12pm on Saturday, October 23. Receive a private tour from Student Ambassadors. Meet SJHS faculty, coaches, staff and current parents! Discover Your St. Joes! Register now at SaintJosephHS.com.

Mass and Prayers for Discernment and Healing

The Fraternity of Priests will celebrate the gifts of discernment, prophecy and healing on Wednesday, October 13 at St. Theresa Church, St. Thomas the Apostle, Munhall. Mass will be celebrated at 7:00PM with prayers for discernment and healing following. Young and old are encouraged to open to the gifts and direction given by the Holy Spirit. Physical, spiritual, emotional healing, and for guidance in life choices and struggles have been received as a result of God's love and life offered during these time. Prayers for those present and for others with individual priests following Mass.

Pittsburgh Catholic - Pilgrimage to Ireland

Join – Fr. Brendan Dawson & Fr. David Egan
 October 22-31, 2022 - 10 Days
 \$4,299 from Pittsburgh
 For Information and Reservations, Contact
 Marianna Pisano, Unitours, Inc.
 Telephone 1-800-777-7432 – Email:
mpisano@unitours.com
 Book online at <http://bit.ly/Dublin2022>

Christmas Nut Roll Sale

Ss. Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church, 339 E. 10th Ave., Tarentum, PA will be holding its Annual Christmas Nut Roll Sale on November 9, 10, and 16, 17, 2021. Nut, Apricot, and Poppyseed Rolls will be available. Price is \$12.00 each. Please place your order by calling Lynn beginning October 4, 2021 between the hours of 10:00am and 8:00pm at 724-717-8001.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 2, 2021

4:00PM, St Bernadette, (LA), +Matthew Dinzeo -- Family
 5:00PM, St Susanna, (TM), +Mary Ann Ziegler -- Judy Isherwood

Sunday, October 3, 2021

8:00AM, St Bernadette, (LA), +Charles Then -- Wife, Donna & Children
 9:00AM, St Susanna, (TM), +Eleanor Wagner -- Monica Getz
 11:00AM, St Bernadette, (LA), +Carol Sargent -- Paula & Kevin Dowell
 11:30AM, St Susanna, (TM), For the People of our Parish

Monday, October 4, 2021

9:30AM, St Bernadette, (LA), +Suzanne Turba -- Cathy & Bob Cowan

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

9:30AM, St Susanna, (LA), +Vic & +Vee Ludovici -- Family

Wednesday, October 6, 2021

9:30AM, St Bernadette, (LA), +Trish Holbig -- JoAnn, Nicole, & Michael

Thursday, October 7, 2021

9:30AM, St Susanna, (TM), +Evelyn Tedesco -- Debbie & Mary

Friday, October 8, 2021

9:30AM, St Bernadette, (TM), +Kenneth Lander -- Mr & Mrs Philip Stanga

Saturday, October 9, 2021

4:00PM, St Bernadette, (TM), +Walter Szramowski -- John & Anita Gogniac
 5:00PM, St Susanna, (LA), +Charles Then -- Helen Sinai

Sunday, October 10, 2021

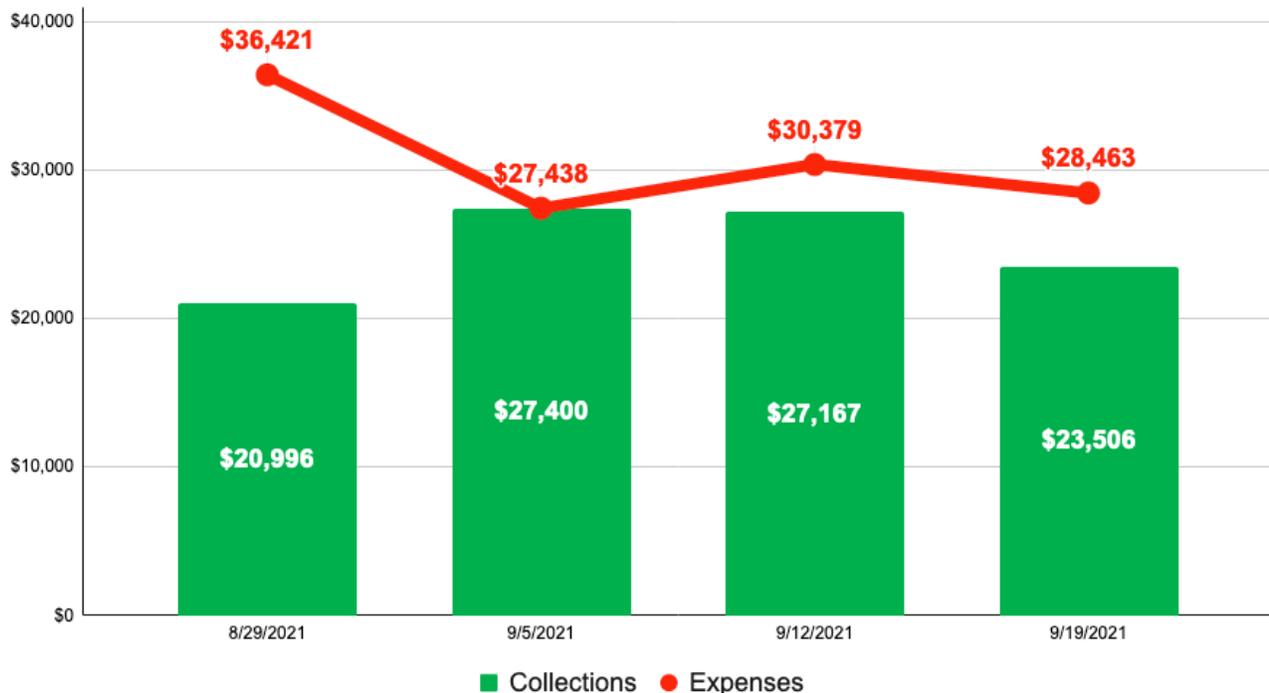
8:00AM, St Bernadette, (TM), For the People of our Parish
 9:00AM, St Susanna, (LA), +Ronald M Slanina -- Tolusciak Family
 11:00AM, St Bernadette, (TM), +Jim Meyers -- Family
 11:30AM, St Susanna, (LA), +Ann Tauro -- Joanne Tauro

Legend	
LA	Fr Larry Adams
TM	Fr Thom Miller
VP	Visiting Priest

A reminder that our Church Buildings open a half-hour prior to the start of Mass.

The Rosary is prayed prior to our weekday Masses beginning at 9:00am

CDS Weekly Financial Update



Expenses in August are higher than average, due to the payment of municipal taxes.

The second collection on October 16/17 is for our Parish School, Divine Mercy Academy.

Order of Mass

Entrance Procession

- O God beyond all praising, we worship you today
And sing the love amazing that songs cannot repay;
For we can only wonder at ev'ry gift you send,
At blessings without number and mercies without end.
We lift our hearts before you and wait upon your word;
We honor and adore you, our great and mighty Lord.
- Then hear, O gracious Savior, accept the love we bring,
That we who know your favor may serve you as our King;
And whether our tomorrows be filled with good or ill,
We'll triumph through our sorrows and rise to bless you still,
To marvel at your beauty and glory in you ways,
And make a joyful duty our sacrifice of praise.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Genesis 2:18-24

The LORD God said: "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a suitable partner for him." So the LORD God formed out of the ground various wild animals and various birds of the air, and he brought them to the man to see what he would call them; whatever the man called each of them would be its name. The man gave names to all the cattle, all the birds of the air, and all wild animals; but none proved to be the suitable partner for the man. So the LORD God cast a deep sleep on the man, and while he was asleep, he took out one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. The LORD God then built up into a

O God Beyond All Praising Greeting

Priest: The Lord be with you
All: And with your spirit

Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God and to you my brothers and sisters that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault. Therefore I ask Blessed Mary—ever virgin—all the angels and saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

All: Lord Have Mercy, Christ Have Mercy, Lord Have Mercy

or

Kyrie Eleison, Christe Eleison, Kyrie Eleison.

woman the rib that he had taken from the man. When he brought her to the man, the man said: "This one, at last, is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called 'woman,' for out of 'her man' this one has been taken." That is why a man leaves his father and mother and clings to his wife, and the two of them become one flesh.

Responsorial Psalm: May God come and bless us all of our days. (Psalm 128).

Second Reading: Hebrews 2:9-11

Brothers and sisters: He "for a little while" was made "lower than the angels," that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. For it was fitting that he, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing many children to glory, should make the leader to their salvation perfect through suffering. He who consecrates and those who are being consecrated all have one origin. Therefore, he is not ashamed to call them "brothers."

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Order of Mass

Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

The Pharisees approached Jesus and asked, "Is it lawful for a husband to divorce his wife?" They were testing him. He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?" They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, God made them male and female. For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." In the house the disciples again questioned Jesus about this. He said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery." And people were bringing children to him that he might touch them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this he became indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it." Then he embraced them and blessed them, placing his hands on them.

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven (*all bow*) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Faithful Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory

When Love is Found



1. When love is found and hope comes home, Sing and be
 2. When love has flow'ed in trust and care, Build both each
 3. When love is tried as loved-ones change, Hold still to
 4. When love is torn and trust be-trayed, Pray strength to
 5. Praise God for love, praise God for life, In age or



glad that two are one. When love ex- plodes and
 day that love may dare To reach be- yond home's
 hope though all seems strange, Till ease re- turns and
 love till tor- ments fade, Till lov- ers keep no
 youth, in calm or strife. Lift up your hearts let



fills the sky, Praise God and share our Mak- er's joy.
 warmth and light, To serve and strive for truth and right.
 love grows wise Through lis- t'ning ears and o- pened eyes.
 score of wrong But hear through pain love's Eas- ter song,
 love be fed Through death and life in bro- ken bread.

Invitation to Prayer

Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God

All: It is right and just

Order of Mass

Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Mystery of Faith

When we eat this bread and drink this cup we proclaim your death O Lord, until you come again.

Great Amen

The Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Agnus Dei: All: You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion Song

Refrain

I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have called you and you are mine; I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have called you and you are mine.

1. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him: he will bring you his light and his peace.

2. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him: he will bring you his joy and his hope.

3. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him: he will bring you his care and his love.

I Have Loved You

Hymn at the Dismissal

1 Morning has broken Like the first morning, Blackbird has spoken Like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing Fresh from the Word!

2 Sweet the rain's new fall Sunlit from Heaven, Like the first dewfall On the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, Sprung in completeness. Where his feet pass.

Morning Has Broken

3 Mine is the sunlight, Mine is the morning, Born of the one light Eden saw play. Praise with elation, Praise every morning, God's re-creation Of the new day!

LIVE-STREAM MASSES

Our Live-stream Masses continue every Monday, Wednesday, Friday, at 9:30am on our Facebook page.

Sunday we live-stream at 9:00am and 11:00am.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jon 1:1 — 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37
 Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42
 Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4
 Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13
 Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9; Lk 11:15-26

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Office Hours

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Confession

At Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated:

- Saturday, 3pm, St Bernadette
- Saturday, 4pm, St Susanna

or by calling the parish office and making an appointment.

Marriage

Please contact us to plan for your wedding as soon as you become engaged, by contacting Deacon Mike at mkelly@cdsmph.org or 412-373-0050 x112.

Baptism

Baptisms will be celebrated following the Sunday 11:00am Mass at St. Bernadette and the Sunday 11:30am Mass at St. Susanna. Please call Deacon Mike at the parish office at 412-373-0050 X112 to plan your celebration of Baptism!

Private Prayer

A reminder that our churches are open for Private Prayer in both Monroeville and Penn Hills.

- St Bernadette church will be open from 7am till 6pm on Monday and Thursday, and from 7am till 3pm on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.
- St Susanna church will be open on Tuesday from 9am till 6pm and on Thursday from 9am till 10:30am.
- Adoration will take place at St Susanna from 10am till 11am on Tuesday, and at St Bernadette from 5pm till 6pm, on Thursday.

St. Vincent dePaul assistance line: 412-436-9208