

Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVING
PENN HILLS, PITCAIRN, AND MONROEVILLE

ChristtheDivineShepherd.org | 412-373-0050



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 28, 2026

Whoever does not take up his cross
and follow me is not worthy of me.

Matthew 10:38



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Mass Schedule

Saturday

4:00pm St. Bernadette
5:00pm St. Susanna

Sunday

8:00am St. Bernadette
9:00am St. Susanna
11:00am St. Bernadette
11:30am St. Susanna

Mon/Wed/Fri

9:00am St. Bernadette

Tues/Thurs

9:00am St. Susanna

Thurs

6:00pm St. Bernadette

Our Churches

St. Bernadette

245 Azalea Dr, Monroeville, PA
15146

Parishoffice@cdsmp.org
412-373-0050

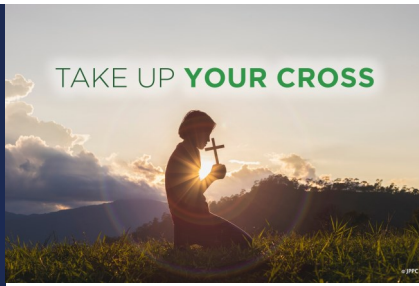
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Bulletin@cdsmp.org

St. Susanna

200 Stotler Rd, Penn Hills, PA 15235

Diocesan Victim Assistance: 412-456-3093 Office)
1-888- 808-1235 (Hot Line) PA Child Line: 1-800-932-0313,
Call 911 immediately if a child is in danger.

We are a Roman Catholic Parish seeking to nourish the Shepherd's flock by forging a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ, worshipping authentically, and engaging in community.



Prayer and Liturgy

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Hymns

Entrance

316 Praise to the Lord

Offertory

350 Take Up Your Cross

Communion

332 Sing My Tongue the Saviors Glory

Marian Antiphon

327 Salve Regina

Closing

221 I Know My Redeemer Lives

*Music for today's liturgy, unless otherwise indicated, is found in the **Source & Summit Missal**.*

Mass Propers

Source and Summit Missal pg. 376

The Entrance, Offertory and Communion Antiphons are part of the Mass Propers, the sung prayers that change each week. After the cantor begins, please join in singing from the Source & Summit Missal.

Mass Ordinary

Found in the Journey Song Hymnal at **#226**

JULY 16-18

SUMMER FEST

DAILY 5-10

PRESENTED BY

CHRIST THE DIVINE SHEPHERD PARISH
AND DIVINE MERCY ACADEMY



From our Pastor

Father Michael Roche

Congratulations to Father Nick Wytiaz and Father Brian Myler on their ordinations to the priesthood! We are grateful for the witness of their vocations and look forward to welcoming them back to Christ the Divine Shepherd for their Masses of Thanksgiving in the coming weeks. Please keep them in your prayers as they begin their priestly ministry.

With their ordinations, we no longer have a seminarian from our parish. Perhaps you know someone the Lord is calling—or perhaps that someone is you. Jesus continues to ask us to pray for laborers for His vineyard. Let us pray for generous hearts that will respond to His call.

Our Festival is now less than three weeks away! Thank you for all that you are doing to help make this a joyful celebration for our parish and school community. Your generosity, volunteer efforts, and enthusiasm are greatly appreciated.

You may have noticed the new parking space and traffic flow lines at Saint Susanna. While they are new to many of us, they actually restore the parking lot layout that existed several years ago. This change was one of the suggestions that emerged from the facilities survey. Please be patient as we all get used to the updated traffic patterns.

Our nation celebrates its 250th anniversary on Saturday, July 4. Please consider not only celebrating this milestone but also praying for our country. We will pray a Patriotic Rosary and represent our parish and school in the community parade. Patriotism is something that must be cultivated intentionally, or it can slowly fade away. If we desire our nation to become better, we must first learn to love her and pray for her.

Prayers for a happy and blessed Fourth of July!



Josh Bandish

Few words in the liturgy are shorter or more familiar than Amen. We hear it in Sacred Scripture. We say it throughout the Mass. We respond with it after prayers and blessings. Yet because it is so familiar, we can easily overlook how much meaning is contained in this single word.

Most people understand Amen as a way of ending a prayer. While that is not incorrect, it is only part of the story. The word itself comes from Hebrew and carries the sense of firmness, truth, faithfulness, and trust. To say Amen is not simply to signal that a prayer is finished. It is to say, “Yes.” “I believe.” “It is true.” “I stake my life upon this.”

This is why the word appears so frequently throughout Sacred Scripture. In the Gospels, Jesus often begins important teachings with the words, “Amen, amen, I say to you.” What follows is not merely an opinion or suggestion. It is something trustworthy and certain because it comes from Christ Himself.

The Church has preserved this ancient word because it expresses something essential about faith. Christianity is not merely a collection of ideas to be admired from a distance. It requires a response. Again and again, the liturgy places the word Amen upon our lips and invites us to make that response our own. We say Amen many times during Mass. We say it after the Opening Prayer. We say it after blessings and prayers. We say it at the conclusion of the Prayer after Communion. Yet two Amens stand above all the others.

The first is what the Church often calls the Great Amen. At the conclusion of the Eucharistic Prayer, the priest raises the Body and Blood of Christ and proclaims: “Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, for ever and ever.” The people respond: “Amen.” This brief response carries enormous weight. The General Instruction of the Roman Missal describes the Eucharistic Prayer as the center and summit of the entire celebration. The Great Amen is the congregation’s assent to everything that has just taken place. It is the people’s affirmation of the Church’s great prayer of thanksgiving and sacrifice. What may seem like a simple response carries the weight of the entire assembly’s faith.

The second Amen comes just before Holy Communion. The priest holds up the Sacred Host and says: “The Body of Christ.” The communicant responds: “Amen.” At that moment, we are not merely acknowledging a statement. We are professing faith in the Real Presence of Christ. By saying Amen, we affirm that the One we are about to receive is truly Christ Himself, present in the Eucharist. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches, “to receive in faith the gift of his Eucharist is to receive the Lord himself” (CCC 1416). Our Amen is therefore a response of belief, trust, and surrender before receiving the greatest gift the Church offers. Saint Augustine reflected on this moment when preaching to newly baptized Christians. Speaking of Holy Communion, he taught that when the faithful hear “The Body of Christ” and respond “Amen,” they affirm what they believe and receive what they profess.

These two Amens reveal something important about Catholic worship. The first is spoken together by the entire assembly at the conclusion of the Eucharistic Prayer. The second is spoken individually as each person approaches the altar. One expresses the faith of the Church gathered as one body. The other expresses the faith of each believer approaching Christ in Holy Communion.

The Mass contains many prayers, readings, hymns, and responses. Yet one of its shortest words may be among its most important. Again and again, the Church places this ancient word upon our lips. We say it after prayers and blessings. We say it before receiving Holy Communion. Each time, we do more than end a sentence. We profess our faith, give our assent, and entrust ourselves to God.

Amen.

Little Sisters of the Poor Collection

The Little Sisters of the Poor will be with us at all Masses on the weekend of July 4–5 to share information about their ministry and to accept a freewill collection in support of their mission of providing loving care and dignity to the elderly poor. Your generosity and prayers are greatly appreciated.

Limited Access to St. Susanna Church

Please note that the carpets at St. Susanna Church will be professionally cleaned on June 29 and July 1. Access to the church will be limited on these days to allow the carpets to dry properly and to prevent damage from foot traffic. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we care for our parish facilities.

Walking with Mom's in Need Update

The Walking With Moms In Need ministry would like to thank our very generous parishioners on our first baby bottle drive! We were able to raise \$9680 to support new moms and pregnant women in our community!

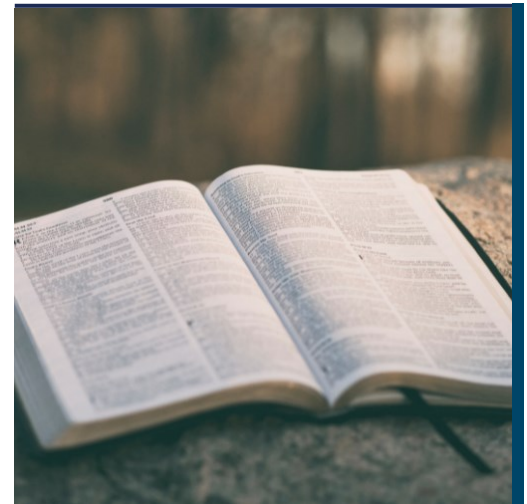
Stayed tuned to our weekly space for pro-life information and how you can continue to help mom's in need.

Also, please consider joining us as a volunteer for the protection of all children by signing up as a volunteer for WWMIN on Flock Note. Whether you wish to be a regular volunteer, a casual volunteer, or if you'd just like to keep updated on what we're doing,

You can sign up here:

<https://christthedivineshepherd.flocknote.com/home>
and click on the option WWMIN Volunteers.

If you know a mom in need, please refer her to our parish website below or call the parish office.



DEACON'S BEACONS

"I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you." John 14:18

Jesus promises us here that He will always be there for us. In this case, He promises that the Holy Spirit will come. In the end of Matthew's Gospel, He specifically says, "And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." Sometimes it may seem that God is distant and silent. But God is always there. Trust in the promise.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

Deacon Mike

First Masses at CDS

With great joy and gratitude, Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish welcomes Father Brian Myler as he returns to celebrate his First Mass as a priest on Sunday, July 5, at 9:00 AM at St. Susanna Church. Following Mass, all are invited to a reception in the Spirit Room. Please continue to keep Father Brian in your prayers as he begins his priestly ministry, and join us in celebrating this joyful milestone in his vocation.

Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish is honored to welcome Father Nick Wytiaz as he celebrates his First Mass as a priest at our parish on Saturday, July 11, at 4:00 PM at St. Bernadette Church. A reception will follow Mass, and all are welcome to attend. Please continue to keep Father Nick in your prayers as he begins his ministry as a priest, and join us in thanking God for the gift of his vocation and service to the Church.

Interfaith Prayer Service

In celebration of Monroeville's 75th Anniversary, the Monroeville Interfaith Ministerium will be gathering for an Interfaith Prayer Service at 10:30 AM on Sunday July 5 th at the Amphitheater in Monroeville Community Park. All are welcome. Please join us.

Patriotic Rosary



The Ladies of Charity invite everyone to join them for the Patriotic Rosary on Wednesday, July 1st at 6:00 p.m. at CDS-St. Bernadette's. We look forward to seeing you there.

ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN CHRIST THE DIVINE SHEPHERD PARISHIONERS AND DIVINE MERCY ACADEMY FAMILIES AS THEY MARCH IN THE MONROEVILLE 4TH OF JULY PARADE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT
MEET IN THE LOWES PARKING LOT AT 8:30 AM TO HELP SET UP

WEAR DMA RED OR BLUE GYM SHIRT/SHORTS AND ANY ADDITIONAL USA ATTIRE

DONATIONS OF CANDY ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED PARADE ENDS AT MONROEVILLE MALL, SO PLEASE PLAN TRANSPORTATION BACK TO LOWES
PLEASE COMPLETE THE GOOGLE FORM HERE TO PARTICIPATE



*Fatima
Rosary*

The First Saturday devotion is a long standing Catholic practice that grew from the message of Our Lady of Fatima, who encouraged the faithful to pray the Rosary and to observe the First Saturdays with prayer, reception of the sacraments, and meditation in honor of her Immaculate Heart. Our next Fatima First Saturday Rosary will be held on Saturday, July 4, from 3:00 to 3:30 PM at St. Bernadette Church. All are welcome to join in this brief time of prayer and reparation.



We know there are lots of sweet tooths out there so if you would like to satisfy one or two of them, we would appreciate any help. If you would like to donate your delicious baked goods, they can be dropped off at the Lourdes Center on July 16, 17 and 18 starting at 4:00 pm. Thank you for your help!!

And if you are planning on baking cookies for the Festival Cookie Table, don't forget to sign up on the form in the back of the churches!



CHRIST THE DIVINE SHEPHERD PARISH & DIVINE MERCY
ACADEMY PRESENTS

SUMMER FEST

Volunteers Needed!

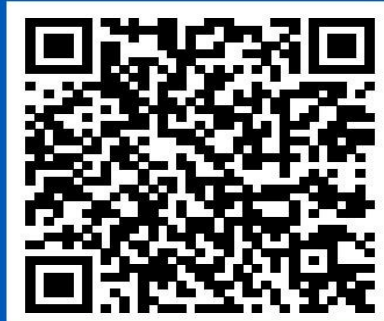
**HELP MAKE OUR FESTIVAL AMAZING!
JOIN OUR VOLUNTEER TEAM!**

SIGN UP TODAY:

WE NEED ENTHUSIASTIC VOLUNTEERS TO HELP WITH GAMES,
FOOD BOOTHS, SETUP, CLEANUP, AND MORE! MAKE A
DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY WHILE HAVING FUN AT OUR
SUMMER CELEBRATION.

**Contact Billie Roseberry for assistance in signing up -
412-807-9258 or BillieGroll@gmail.com**

**Sign Up Now!
Be Part of the Fun**



Festival Donations Needed

Help us stock up for Festival 2026! We are currently accepting donations of bottled water as well as Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Coca-Cola, Diet Coke, and Sprite. Donations may be dropped off at the parish office. Your generosity helps support the success of this important parish event. Thank you for your support!

Grand Raffle Offers \$15,000 in Cash Prizes

Tickets are now available for the Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish and Divine Mercy Academy Grand Raffle. With \$15,000 in cash prizes to be awarded, this is a great opportunity to support our parish and school while having a chance to win. Tickets are just \$5 each and may be purchased through the parish office by calling 412-373-0050. Thank you for your support and good luck!

THE ROUNDTABLE

Saturday, August 15th
\$110/Individual Player
\$440/Team of Four

Sponsorships & Donations Greatly Appreciated!

Annual Memorial Golf Outing
Fundraising Event

Register Today!



Follow link
and take your
first step
toward
Knighthood!

CDS Knights of Columbus
Pius XII Council 4925

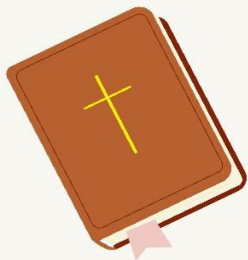


CDS High School Youth Ministry Summer Bonfire Bible Study and Game Night



Sunday June 28th

All incoming 8th graders through recently graduated 12th graders are invited to join us at St. Susanna's from 6pm-8pm for a night of games, a short Bible study, and bonfire with smore's and hot dogs. Bring your Bible and friend!



Reach out to Celena with any questions

email: ccolcombe@cdsmph.org

Follow our Instagram for updates

@cds_highschool_youthmin

Mark your calendars for our next one on July 26th!



Divine Mercy Academy

Schooloffice@dmaphg.org | DMAPGH.org

Cheer Camp

This year marks our 5th annual Saber Summer Cheer Camp! We had 30 students this summer ranging from Kindergarten to 5th grade. 20 of the participants are currently DMA students and 10 were from other schools. There were some new faces, but many participants come back year after year! Our theme this summer was "Fun in the Sun", and the cheerleaders spent three evenings learning skills, cheers, and a dance. The goals for cheer camp are to develop cheer skills, but also to build teamwork, confidence, and friendships! On the 4th night, the cheerleaders finished putting it all together to perform a showcase for their friends and families, followed by a visit from the Kona Ice truck! Camp participants will have more opportunities to learn and perform this summer! You can see them marching with Divine Mercy Academy and Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish in Monroeville's 4th of July Parade and opening the entertainment for the DMA/CDS summer festival on Thursday, July 16!





RIDING THE CALL

Vocations in Full Thrill

Catholic Kennywood Day 2026

July 14th, 2026

A full day at Kennywood – Ride your favorites!

Family-friendly fun & community vibes

Kids games & activities

Energetic Praise & Worship

Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop Eckman

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Delicious Community Meal

Holy Moments & lasting memories



For a full schedule and to register, please scan the QR code

Presented by the Dioceses of Pittsburgh and Greensburg

This Week at Christ the Divine Shepherd

Monday, June 29, 2026

6:30pm - Festival Planning Mtg. - Lourdes Center

7pm - Lectionary Bible Study - St Joseph Room

Tuesday, June 30, 2026

9:30am-10:30am - Adoration - St. Susanna

1:30pm - Prayer & Rosary Group - Biedenbach Hall

4pm - Purgatory Prayers - St. Susanna Room 103

Wednesday, July 1, 2026

9:45am - Wild Goose Program - Biedenbach Hall

1:30pm - Bereavement - St Joseph Rm.

5pm - Patriotic Rosary - St Bernadette

6pm - Centering Prayer - St Susanna, Rm 103

6:30pm - St Vincent de Paul - Biedenbach Hall

7pm - Bereavement - St Joseph Rm.

Thursday, July 2, 2026

9:30am - Ladies of Charity - Spirit Rm

10am-6pm - Adoration - St. Bernadette

11am - Team Meeting - Office

1pm - Cursillo - St Joseph Rm.

4pm - Purgatorian Society - St. Bernadette

5pm - Confession - St. Bernadette

Friday, July 3, 2026

8pm - AA Meeting - Biedenbach Hall

Saturday, July 4, 2026

3pm - Confession - St. Bernadette

4pm - Confession - St. Susanna

Sunday, July 5 2026

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00am - Reception Fr Brian - Spirit Rm.



SACRED MUSIC MINISTRY

July 5 - 8am a cappella Mass

July 19 - 8am a cappella Mass
11am Praise Band

For information and updates visit:
cdsmph.org/sacredmusic



SANCTUARY CANDLE

This Week on Formed

Week of June 28, 2026



Pier Giorgio Frassati: If I Didn't Have Love

This is a classic Italian film that celebrates the life of Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati (1901-1925), re-released in honor of his 2025 canonization. Frassati was a joyful, athletic young man from a wealthy Italian family who gave his life in service to the poor, the sick, and the marginalized as a powerful witness of Christian charity. An avid mountain climber and leader in Catholic youth and social action, he died of polio at 24, leaving a lasting legacy of faith and joy.



Saint Peter

Watch the epic story of the spread of Christianity during the early years of the Church. This film follows the journey of St. Peter through his martyrdom on a cross.



Paul the Apostle | The Bible Collection

The church's greatest enemy became Christ's most prolific messenger. Beautifully shot in the Moroccan desert, Paul the Apostle is a sweeping saga of the man who brought the Gospel to the Western world.

St. Bernadette:
Michelle (Valansky) Rowles
St. Susanna:
Paul Grasso



PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF SOULS

Eugene Uziel

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 27, 2026 - 4:00pm St. Bernadette +Bill Horvath by Horvath Family

Saturday, June 27, 2026 - 5:00pm St. Susanna +Donahoe & Pischke Families by Donahoe Family

Sunday, June 28, 2026 - 8:00am St. Bernadette +Andrew & Jane Yandura by Michael & Theresa Farren

Sunday, June 28, 2026 - 9:00am St. Susanna +Bill & Helen DeSantis by Daughter, Irene Navari

Sunday, June 28, 2026 - 11:00am St. Bernadette For the People of the Parish

Sunday, June 28, 2026 - 11:30am St. Susanna +M/M Joseph Corpora by daughter

Monday, June 29, 2026 - 9:00am St. Bernadette +Paula & Jean Titus by Titus Family

Tuesday, June 30, 2026 - 9:00am St. Susanna +Holy Souls in Purgatory by Purgatorian Society

Wednesday, July 1, 2026 - 9:00am St. Bernadette +Albert Arelt by Chester & Michael Duda

Thursday, July 2, 2026 - 9:00am St. Susanna +Linda Coughlin by Regina, John Hudzik & Kathy Blaszk

Thursday, July 2, 2026 - 6:00pm St. Bernadette +Hatch Poydence by the family

Friday, July 3, 2026 - 9:00am St. Bernadette +Deceased Members of the Howard & Papa Families by Berry Howard

Saturday, July 4, 2026 - 4:00pm St. Bernadette +Joseph Pysnik by Friends & Neighbors at Colonial Village

Saturday, July 4, 2026 - 5:00pm St. Susanna For the Obiekezie Family by Regina

Sunday, July 5, 2026 - 8:00am St. Bernadette For the People of the Parish

Sunday, July 5, 2026 - 9:00am St. Susanna +Deceased Members of the Ormsby & Lucas Families by Alicia DePastino

Sunday, July 5, 2026 - 11:00am St. Bernadette +Eugene (Geno) Aiello by the Family

Sunday, July 5, 2026 - 11:30am St. Susanna +Rachael Pegher Renina Premozic

Parish Information

JOIN OUR PARISH

Please call our parish office at (412) 373-0050 or register online at ChristtheDivineShepherd.org. We welcome you and your family!

SACRAMENTAL RECORDS

If you are interested in requesting Sacramental records prior to January 2020, please contact the Diocesan Archives and Records Center at (412) 456-3158 or archives@diopitt.org.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Are you or someone you know in need of prayer? Submit your intention through our parish website under "Serve" or call the parish office at (412) 373-0050. Your request will be shared with our parish prayer team.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Submission Guidelines for Bulletin Announcements

All announcements should be submitted via email to bulletin@cdsmph.org by Friday at noon of the week prior to publication. Please include the announcement text in a document file, along with any supporting materials (e.g., graphics or images) that you wish to include.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Monday Vigil Acts 3:1-10 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 Gal 1:11-20 Jn 21:15-19

Monday Day Acts 12:1-11 Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 Mt 16:13-19

Tuesday Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12 Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8 Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday Am 5:14-15, 21-24 Ps 50:7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16bc-17 Mt 8:28-34

Thursday Am 7:10-17 Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 Mt 9:1-8

Friday Eph 2:19-22 Ps 117:1bc-2 Jn 20:24-29

Saturday Am 9:11-15 Ps 85:9 and 10, 11-12, 13-14 Mt 9:14-17

Sunday Zec 9:9-10 Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14 Rom 8:9, 11-13 Mt 11:25-30

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursday from 5PM-6PM St. Bernadette

Saturday from 3PM-4PM St. Bernadette

Saturday from 4PM-5PM St. Susanna

Anointing of the Sick

The Last Sunday of each month 12PM-12:30PM St. Bernadette and 12:30PM-1PM St. Susanna.

Baptism

Pre-Baptism classes are required and are offered on the third Tuesday of every month. Please call our parish office to register.

Marriage

Please email Deacon Mike (mkelly@cdsmph.org)

ADORATION

Tuesday from 9:30AM-10:30AM St. Susanna

Thursday from 10AM-6PM St. Bernadette

OFFICE HOURS

Mon/Tue/Wed/Thurs 9AM – 3PM

Friday 9AM – 1PM

Sunday 9AM – 12:30PM



SUMMER FEST
JULY 16-18 DAILY 5-10
PRESENTED BY
CHRIST THE DIVINE SHEPHERD PARISH
AND DIVINE MERCY ACADEMY
BINGO
\$1 FOR 1 SINGLE GAME
\$2 FOR A 3 CARD GAME
\$3 FOR A 6 CARD GAME
GAMES ARE A 50/50 SPLIT
50% TO THE WINNER ★ 50% TO OUR CAUSE

The poster features a dark blue background with colorful stars and confetti. It includes a large 'BINGO' banner in the center. Below the banner are three boxes for different game prices: \$1 for a single game, \$2 for a 3-card game, and \$3 for a 6-card game. At the bottom, a banner states 'GAMES ARE A 50/50 SPLIT' with '50% TO THE WINNER' and '50% TO OUR CAUSE'. There are also several circular icons with numbers like 12, 44, 53, and 71.

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TURN YOUR TAXES INTO TUITION

PA EDUCATION IMPROVEMENT
TAX CREDIT (EITC)
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Pennsylvania's EITC Scholarship Program allows an individual (or business) to turn Pennsylvania tax dollars into scholarships for eligible Catholic school students right here in our Pittsburgh area.

The program provides a 90% tax credit to taxpayers who make a donation. For every dollar you contribute, you earn \$0.90 back in a Pennsylvania tax credit. The remaining 10% may be deductible as a charitable contribution for federal tax purposes.

Participation as an individual or business is easy!

Anyone with Pennsylvania tax liability who is interested in supporting Catholic education can participate.



Step 1: Sign Up / Pledge

Step 2: DocuSign & Donate

Step 3: Claim your Credit

MORE INFO AT

www.diopitt.org/eitc



Summer Fest 2026 Sponsorship Opportunities are taking wing!

As we look ahead to Summer 2026, the members of Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish and the parents and staff of Divine Mercy Academy are excited to create a new event that celebrates who we are today, a united community full of heart, hope and possibility. Your support will help us build an amazing new tradition, filled with laughter, music, food and fellowship.

Won't you please be one of our Angel Supporters?

Thursday through Saturday, July 16, 17 & 18, 2026

Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish
St. Bernadette Church & Divine Mercy Academy Campus
245 Azalea Drive, Monroeville, PA 15146

Seraphim	\$5,000	Presenting Sponsor	3 available
Cherubim	\$4,000	Tent Sponsor	5 available
Thrones	\$3,000	Rides Sponsor	5 available
Dominions	\$2,500	Games Sponsor	5 available
Virtues	\$1,500	Entertainment Sponsor	10 available
Powers	\$1,000	Beverage Sponsor	10 available
Principalities	\$ 750	Food Sponsor	10 available
Archangels	\$ 500	Prizes Sponsor	10 available
Angels	\$ 100	Booth Sponsor	100 available

Sponsorship benefits:

- Logo on all advertising, large logo signage at event, and the opportunity to have a display on site at the event.
- Logo on all advertising and large logo signage on sponsored tent.
- Logo on all advertising and large logo signage on sponsored ride.
- Large logo signage on sponsored game.
- Logo on large entertainment sponsor signage at entertainment venue.
- Logo on large sign in beverage tent.
- Logo on large sign at food venues.
- Logo sign on special prize booths.
- Logo sign on booth, may be shared with another Angel sponsor.

All sponsors will be recognized on video display which will run in the dining venue.



2026 Summer Fest Sponsorship Sign Up Form

I want to be an Angel:

Seraphim	\$5,000	☐
Cherubim	\$4,000	☐
Thrones	\$3,000	☐
Dominions	\$2,500	☐
Virtues	\$1,500	☐
Powers	\$1,000	☐
Principalities	\$ 750	☐
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