



THE PARISH OF SAINT RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

OCTOBER 15, 2023

Welcome!

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TEMPORARY MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY: 4:00 p.m. at SSJ
4:30 p.m. at SMOS

SUNDAY: 8:00 a.m. at SMOS
9:00 a.m. at SSJ
10:00 a.m. at SMOS
11:00 a.m. at SSJ

MONDAY: 8:30 a.m. at SSJ
12:00 p.m. at SMOS

TUESDAY: 8:30 a.m. at SMOS
12:00 p.m. at SSJ

WEDNESDAY: 8:30 a.m. at SSJ
12:00 p.m. at SMOS

THURSDAY: 8:30 a.m. at SSJ
12:00 p.m. at SMOS

FRIDAY: 8:30 a.m. at SMOS
12:00 p.m. at SSJ

*This schedule does not
reflect holidays or Holy Days.*



28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Come to the feast." - Mt 22:4bc

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

SACRAMENTS



BAPTISM:

For arrangements call
the parish office: 412-857-5356



ANOIDTING OF THE SICK:

Call the parish office for
arrangements if in danger of death.
If hospitalized or in a skilled nursing
facility, please ask the nursing staff
to contact the Catholic priest on call
for that facility.



MARRIAGE:

Arrangements must be made with
one of the priests at least six months
before the proposed date
of the wedding.



PENANCE:

Saturdays

11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
at St. Margaret of Scotland Church

Wednesdays

6:00 to 6:30 p.m.
at Ss. Simon and Jude Church
—Or by appointment.—

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

OCTOBER 15 TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*4:00 p.m.	SSJ	Helen Deluliis by Rae and Chuck Conroy and family
*4:30 p.m.	SMOS	Ernie and Al DeRose by Connie and family
8:00 a.m.	SMOS	People of the Parish
9:00 a.m.	SSJ	Joseph Zajicek by the Zajicek and Wood Families
10:00 a.m.	SMOS	Marie Sgro by Michele Rea
11:00 a.m.	SSJ	Victor Zarelli by Kim and Gary Yon

OCTOBER 16 MONDAY OF THE 28TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 a.m.	SSJ	Robert and Mark Damiani by family
12:00 p.m.	SMOS	Rose Marie Eberlein by Victoria O'Bosky

OCTOBER 17 MEMORIAL OF ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH

8:30 a.m.	SMOS	Lorraine Unitas by Pat Pittore
12:00 p.m.	SSJ	Jasper Provenzano by Barbara and children

OCTOBER 18 FEAST OF ST. LUKE, EVANGELIST

8:30 a.m.	SSJ	Nancy Lolli by Mercy friends
12:00 p.m.	SMOS	Patricia Smith by Betty Hammer

OCTOBER 19 MEMORIAL OF SAINTS JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES, PRIESTS, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

8:30 a.m.	SSJ	Vera and Bill Truxall by Terri and Jeff Reffert
12:00 p.m.	SMOS	Larry "Nick" Nicoletta by family

OCTOBER 20 FRIDAY OF THE 28TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 a.m.	SMOS	Shelly McGann by Julia McCaffrey
12:00 p.m.	SSJ	Pat Romano by Paula and Gino

OCTOBER 22 TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*4:00 p.m.	SSJ	Vince Leonette by wife, Mel
*4:30 p.m.	SMOS	Nancy J. Schuler by the Ronald Schuler family
8:00 a.m.	SMOS	People of the Parish
9:00 a.m.	SSJ	Shelly McGann by the Doyle family
10:00 a.m.	SMOS	Mary Jo Thieler by Donna McDonald and family
11:00 a.m.	SSJ	Louise Testoni by Pat Pittore

**anticipated Mass on Saturday evening*

Temporary Schedule

Due to a partial ceiling collapse, all Masses (and Mass Intentions) at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church have been moved to St. Margaret of Scotland EXCEPT the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Sundays which will be held at Ss. Simon and Jude Church.



PARISH LIFE

FROM THE PASTOR

"Every commitment to holiness, every activity aimed at carrying out the Church's mission, every work of pastoral planning, must draw the strength

it needs from the Eucharistic mystery and in turn be directed to that mystery as its culmination. In the Eucharist we have Jesus, we have his redemptive sacrifice, we have his resurrection, we have the gift of the Holy Spirit, we have adoration, obedience and love of the Father. *Were we to disregard the Eucharist, how could we overcome our own deficiency?"*

-Pope St. John Paul II—feast day October 22

This weekend marks five years since we began the "On Mission" journey that resulted in the creation of Saint Raphael the Archangel Parish. I am grateful to all who have been so supportive during these years and have been instrumental in helping to build our fledgling parish community.

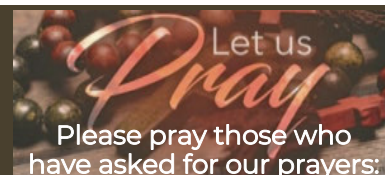
See page 15 for the quarterly financial report. As always, I am grateful to those who contribute their best financial gift on a regular basis to help with the costs of three campuses, parish programs, and our wonderful staff.

There is a 16th century painting by the Italian Renaissance artist Raphael entitled, "The Dispute on the Blessed Sacrament." It is a beautiful work of art located in the Apostolic Palace at the Vatican. It depicts the Lord in heaven surrounded by his mother, John the Baptist, and many other saints and angels. The lower portion depicts an altar with the Blessed Sacrament exposed and surrounded by those discussing, debating, "theologizing," and praying in the Sacred Presence. I thought it interesting to consider those in attendance and wonder what we would say if we were in that gathering. *"Why are we here?" "How long will this take?" "Do I have to be here?" "I'm only here when I have time." "I wish I could spend all day here." "I was late again, what did I miss?" "This is boring." "I don't get anything out of this." "Hope this never ends!"* We are actually part of that gathering every time we attend Mass. The Lord died for us so that we could be part of it for all eternity. Many are the attitudes we bring with us when we come into the Sacred Presence of the Lord, our God. Maybe we should think about how we view our privilege to attend the Mass each week and renew our attention to Who is inviting us to the privilege and from Whom we turn away when we ignore the invitation.



Please pray for the souls of the faithful departed.

Nancy Beck
Geraldine Burton
Claire Gigante
Loretta Palmosina
Adolph Pordurgiel



Anthony Anderson	Mary Ann Macino
Bob Bartell	Arch MacLennan
Marge Bartell	Penny Mahoney
Emilia Bentley	Lucille Marabito
June Bentley	Laura Martin
Clara Bielecki	Sam Martin
Brian Bishop	Carl Masciola
Kelly Bittner	Kathy Masko
Jim Boerio	Gina Massengill
Gina Burton	Kathy McGann
Pete Caligiuri	Virginia Miller
Donald Campbell	Joyce Mostowy
Dorothy Campbell	Robin Munko
Elisa Carsia	Pat Murdzak
Helen Cassidy	Theresa Nelson
Kenneth Chase	Judi Novak
Gina Dangelico	Victoria O'Bosky
Katie Denke	Mario Oliverio
Antoinette DePofi	Joan Pandolph
Patty Drury	Linda Perris
Kathi Dvorak	Charles Perry
Lena Enrietti	Diane Perry
Patti Eurich	Nancy Pistella
Stephanie Fahnstock	Carol Poeking
Helen Fallon	Robert Prevost
Vicky Feeney	Diane Pritchard
Lois Ferrie	Dolores Quinn
Rosemary Ferruzza	Bob Recalini
Suzanne T. Finnegan	Dave Redman
Gabriel Fontana	Joann Redondo
Michelle Frego	Paxton Renk
May Frye	Florinda Rosemeyer
William Gabella	Helen Salamon
Dan Gardner	Andrew Patrick Schade
Jane Gardner	Margery Schell
Edmund Gaskill	John Schenk
Mike Gieselman	Tyler Schepis
Joseph M. Granata	Mary Patricia Schnars
John Groll	Kathleen Shilling
Brandon Gross	Mary Socci
Mark Hagelauer	Genevieve Sonson
Margaret Harkins	Edie Sortwell
Linda Harrity	Mildred Spezialetti
Eileen Henefeld	Teresa Stacy
Mary V. Hester	Jaime St. Ledger
Patti Howcroft	Judye Suhy
Brent Jones	Bob Super
Noreen Joslyn	Ed Super
Anna Mary Karpinski	Ed Sutilla
William Karpinski	Rose Talmonti
Joanne Keating	Theresa Tapper
Gregory M. Klemmer	Tim Teeters
Gloria Krally	John M. Tinney
Lori Krally	Jerry Tokar
Ann Kramer	Rosemarie Toth
Veronica Kujawski	Allen Turske
Darlene Kura	Stephanie Vail
Helen Kurek	Penny Verow
Jackie Kushner	Mary Kay Walsh
Mark Laird	James Walther
John Linn	Linda Wesley
Eugene Loniero	Kathy Zajicek
John Loniero	Bernice Zyzak
Peter Paul Lyle III	

and all who are sick and in need of our prayers.



At St. Margaret of Scotland Church
in memory of
Nancy J. Schuler
by the Ronald Schuler Family

At Ss. Simon and Jude Church
in memory of
Pat Romano
by Paula and Gino

STEWARDSHIP

Offertory

Required Weekly	\$30,000
10/04/2023 thru 10/10/2023	\$20,799

2023 Parish Appeal

2023 Goal	\$278,967
Monthly Due to the Diocese	\$23,247
10/04/2023 thru 10/10/2023	\$5,503
Received to date	\$429,285
<u>Goal excess</u>	<u>\$150,318</u>

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The churches are listed alphabetically in this bulletin and online.

Unless otherwise noted, the bulletin deadline is **Monday at Noon**.
Email: mksmith@straphaelcgs.org



UPCOMING EVENTS

• Find more information where page number is listed.

PRE-SALE OF CHANCES FOR PREMIUM PRIZES

PAGE 12 • Today is the last chance to get tickets to win premium prizes from the CA\$H BA\$H (unless you're *going to* the CA\$H BA\$H).

FOOD TRUCK FRIDAY

PAGE 14 • Join us this Friday and every Friday in October. See this week's scheduled vendors and entertainment.

BAPTISM CLASS

For those preparing to have their child baptized, a Baptism Preparation Class is held monthly. Couples are encouraged to take the class before their child is born. The next class is Monday, October 30 at Ss. Simon and Jude Church Hall at 6:00 p.m. To register to attend, please call Carol Kossler at the parish office at 412-857-5356.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

PAGE 12 • Let's meet this Friday!

CA\$H BA\$H

PAGE 17 • The Annual Parish CA\$H BA\$H is sold out, but you can still purchase a \$35 ticket for chances to win cash all night long.

ALL SOULS DAY

PAGE 11 • Join us for a special Mass offered for our faithful departed.

CRAFT SHOW

PAGE 16 • Our Parish Craft Show takes place on Saturday, November 11. Help wanted.

GUEST SPEAKER HERE

PAGE 13 • November 13. Learn the Catholic Truth about angels, demons, ghosts, exorcisms, and hauntings.

MENS RETREAT


PAGE 13 • All men are invited.

ROSARY AGAINST VIOLENCE

Pray with us every Wednesday after the Noon Mass.

.....The Living Rosary.....

Prayed by the students of GUARDIAN ANGEL ACADEMY



Monday, October 16

6:00 p.m.

ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH
St. Margaret of Scotland Church

Please join the families of Guardian Angel Academy for this beautiful evening of prayer honoring our Blessed Mother.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK

Next weekend is World Mission Sunday. Our second collection will support the Holy Father's missions. See page 19 for more information.

THE ORDER OF MASS

ENTRANCE HYMN | IF YOU SHOULD COUNT EACH SINFUL DEED



If__ you should count each sin - ful deed, Lord, who could stand when you ap - peared?
Out of the depths I__ call to you, Lord, hear my voice and heed my prayer.
More cer-tain - ly than watch-men wait to see the day - light first ap - pear,
O__ Is - rael, wait up - on the Lord with whom mer - cy is al - ways found,

But with you is__ for - give-ness found, and there - fore, Lord, you shall be feared.
Look with com - pas - sion on my plea; weigh my pe - ti - tion, Lord, with care.
does my soul wait up - on the Lord; I wait in trust and ho - ly fear.
who par - dons us from all__ our sin, and in whom li - ber - ty a - bounds.

Tune: ERHALT UNS, HERR; *Geistliche Lieder*, Wittenberg, 1543

Text: Introit for the 28th Sunday; Psalm 130:1-8 © 1986, Christopher Webber

PENITENTIAL ACT/KYRIE

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 what I have failed to do,
(all strike their breast as they say:)
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.



Ky - ri - e,___ e - le - i - son. Chri - ste,___
e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e,___ e - le - i - son.

GLORIA



Glo - ri - a!___ Glo - ri - a! Glo - ry to God in the high² - est,
and on earth peace to peo - ple, to peo - ple of good will!

1. 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.

2. 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. [have mercy on us]

3. 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. [of God the Father]. *refrain* Amen. [Amen.]

FIRST READING | ISAIAH 25: 6-10

On this mountain the LORD of hosts
will provide for all peoples
a feast of rich food and choice wines,
juicy, rich food and pure, choice wines.
On this mountain he will destroy
the veil that veils all peoples,
the web that is woven over all nations;
he will destroy death forever.
The Lord GOD will wipe away
the tears from every face;

the reproach of his people he will remove
from the whole earth; for the LORD has spoken.
On that day it will be said:
"Behold our God, to whom we looked to save us!
This is the LORD for whom we looked;
let us rejoice and be glad that he has saved us!"
For the hand of the LORD will rest on this mountain.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 23: 1-6



The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures
he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he
refreshes my soul.

He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I
walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side
with your rod and your staff that give me courage.

You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; you
anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life;
and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for years to come.

SECOND READING | PHILIPPIANS 4: 12-14, 19-20

Brothers and sisters:
I know how to live in humble circumstances;
I know also how to live with abundance.
In every circumstance and in all things
I have learned the secret of being
well fed and of going hungry,
of living in abundance and of being in need.
I can do all things in him who strengthens me.

Still, it was kind of you to share in my distress.

My God will fully supply whatever you need,
in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus.
To our God and Father, glory forever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION | EPHESIANS 1: 17-18



May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts,
so that we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call.

GOSPEL | MATTHEW 22: 1-14 [OR 22: 1-10]

[Jesus again in reply spoke to the chief priests and
elders of the people in parables, saying,
"The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king
who gave a wedding feast for his son.
He dispatched his servants
to summon the invited guests to the feast,
but they refused to come.

A second time he sent other servants, saying,
"Tell those invited: "Behold, I have prepared my banquet,
my calves and fattened cattle are killed,
and everything is ready; come to the feast."
Some ignored the invitation and went away,
one to his farm, another to his business.
The rest laid hold of his servants,

mistreated them, and killed them.
 The king was enraged and sent his troops,
 destroyed those murderers, and burned their city.
 Then he said to his servants, 'The feast is ready,
 but those who were invited were not worthy to come.
 Go out, therefore, into the main roads
 and invite to the feast whomever you find.'
 The servants went out into the streets
 and gathered all they found, bad and good alike,
 and the hall was filled with guests.]
 But when the king came in to meet the guests,

he saw a man there not dressed in a wedding garment.
 The king said to him, 'My friend, how is it
 that you came in here without a wedding garment?'
 But he was reduced to silence.
 Then the king said to his attendants,
 'Bind his hands and feet,
 and cast him into the darkness outside,
 where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.'
 Many are invited, but few are chosen."

The Gospel of the Lord.
 Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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,
(bow at the following bolder words)
**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.

OFFERTORY HYMN | AS WE GATHER AT YOUR TABLE

As we__ gath - er at your ta - ble, as we lis - ten to your word,
 Turn our__ wor - ship in - to__ wit - ness in the sa - cra - ment of life;
 Gra - cious Spir - it, help us__ sum - mon oth - er__ guests to share that feast

help us__ know, O God, your pre - sence; let our hearts and minds be stirred.
 send us__ forth to love and serve you, bring - ing peace where there is strife.
 where tri - um - phant Love will wel - come those who had been last and least.

Nour - ish us with sa - cred sto - ry till we claim it__ as our own;
 Give us, Christ, your great com - pass - ion to for - give as__ you for - gave;
 There no more will en - vy__ blind us, nor will pride our peace de - stroy,

teach us__ through this ho - ly__ ban - quet how to__ make Love's vic - t'ry known.
 May we still be - hold your im - age in the world you died to save.
 as we join with saints and an - gels to re - peat the sound - ing joy.

Tune: HOLY MANNA; William Moore, fl. 1830

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SANCTUS / HOLY

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord, Ho-ly Lord God of Hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your
glo-ry. Ho-san-na, ho-san-na, ho-san-na in the high-est.
Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na, ho-san-na, ho-
san-na in the high-est, ho-san-na, ho-san-na, ho-san-na in the high-est!___

MYSTERY OF FAITH

We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rec-tion
un-til you come a-gain,___ un-til you come a-gain.

GREAT AMEN

A-men,___ a men,___ a - - - men!
A-men, a-men,___ a - men, a-men!___

AGNUS DEI / LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God,___ you take a-way the sins of the
world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us___ peace.

COMMUNION HYMN | COME TO THE BANQUET



1. Draw near and take the Body of the Lord, And drink with faith the Blood for you outpoured.
Saved by his Body, hallowed by his Blood, With souls refreshed we give our thanks to God.
2. Our great Redeemer, God's eternal Son, Has by his cross and blood the vict'ry won.
He spent his life for greatest and for least. Praise Christ, the Paschal Victim, Christ the Priest.
3. Let us approach with faithful hearts sincere And claim the promise of salvation here.
Christ rules our hearts, and all his saints defends; He gives believers life that never ends.
4. With heav'nly bread Christ makes the hungry whole; His living water fills the thirsting soul.
Before your presence, Lord, all people bow. In this your feast of love be with us now.

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Text: *Sancti, venite, corpus sumite*, 7th C; trans. by John M. Neale, 1818-1866, alt; refrain by J.C. Chepponis, b. 1956 © 2000 G.I.A. Publications, Inc.

RECESSIONAL HYMN | JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE YOU



Text: Henry van Dyke, 1852/1933, alt Tune: HYMN TO JOY, arr. from Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770-1827

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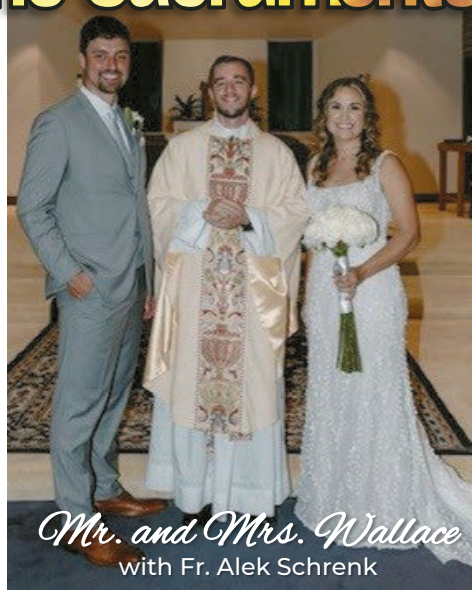
Celebrating the Sacraments Matrimony

Madison Zajicek and Zachery Wallace received the Sacrament of Matrimony on July 22, 2023, at St. Margaret of Scotland Church.

Parents of the groom are Diane and Neal Wallace. Parents of the bride are Monica and the late John Zajicek.

We wish them God's blessings of happiness and good health as they begin their married life together.

Congratulations,
Madi and Zach!





FIRST BIRTHDAY

Happy 1st Birthday to Jack Carlo Brescia!

Jack is celebrating his big day on October 17. May God continue to bless him and his family and grant them much happiness in the years to come.

RESPECT LIFE Month



Let us pray for the day when all life is respected, protected, and nurtured at every stage of its existence. Learn more at usccb.org/prolife.



We will meet this Thursday, October 19 at 10:30 a.m. in the Cry Room at St. Margaret of Scotland. Stop by if you are in need of prayer. We will attend Noon Mass, then be available again until 1:00 p.m. If you think you might be interested in joining our beautiful ministry, you are welcome to come by and meet us or join in prayer with us.



CARING + GIVING + SERVING

I can do all things in him who strengthens me.
Still, it was kind of you to share in my distress.
-Philippians 4:13-14

Several years ago, shortly after I began working for the parish, I had an “a-ha” moment. I was coordinating a Funeral Mass for a man whose name I recognized, but who I did not know. When I went to the funeral home to lead Vigil prayers and saw him in his casket, I recognized him immediately as a man who often sat in the pew in front of me at Mass over many years. I had frequently shaken his hand at the sign of peace, but I never knew, and never asked, his name. Despite seeing him every week, I knew nothing about him. From then on, I resolved to make it a point to smile, say hello, ask people’s names, and try to get to know more of the people I regularly saw at Mass.

When we come to Mass, our focus is on encountering Christ in Word and Sacrament. As we exit, however, instead of racing to our cars to be first out of the parking lot, we could take a few minutes to greet someone we do not know. Once we learn a person’s name, we can ask how they are or learn more about them during subsequent encounters. In time, we might develop a new friendship. Other ways we can grow in relationship with our parish family are by attending social events (i.e., Fellowship, Parish Picnic, Food Truck Fridays), joining service organizations (i.e., Christian Mothers, St. Vincent de Paul, Ladies of Charity, Knights of Columbus, Choir), or participating in one of the many adult education classes or small group studies offered throughout the year.

In his letter to the Philippians, St. Paul acknowledges that Christ gives him strength AND he expresses gratitude for the friendship and generosity of the members of the congregation in Philippi. When we grow in charity within our parish, we help each other to become more charitable in all aspects of our daily lives and to shine the light of Christian love out to everyone we encounter. A parish where people care about each other is more likely to do works of mercy and make new disciples. As St. Teresa of Kolkata said, “Let us always meet each other with a smile, for the smile is the beginning of love.”

MILITARY PRAYER REMEMBRANCE

Cynthia Alward, Navy
Tyler Alward, Navy
CAPT Shawn Balent, USMC
AIC Noel Blackhall, USAF
SSgt David Blackhall, USAF
SPC Casey Busch, Army
SSgt Kristiana Coote, USAF
LTC Ronald Gaudelli, Army
2LT Matthew Grebinoski, Army
AIC Sean Mahoney II, USAF
COL Christopher Marchetti, Army
SA2 Joshua May, Navy
1LT Matthew Montanaro, Army
SGT Alexander L. Novelli, Army
1stLt Anthony Palumbo, USMC
1stLt Anthony Redondo, USMC
CAPT Jake Ridings, USMC
Sgt Jordan M. Rush, USMC
AIC Elana Russell, USAF
SrA Jay Russell, USAF
TSgt Justin F. Smith, USAF
Cpl Nicholas Steinert, USMC
SGT Gregory Timmerman, Army
LT Sean Trombetta, Navy
1LT Garrett Walnoha, Army
2LT Grant Walnoha, Army
SN Caleb Zajicek, Navy



THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS' DAY)

Our annual Mass to pray for the souls of our beloved deceased who have gone before us in the past year is scheduled for Thursday, November 2 at 7:00 p.m. at Saints Simon and Jude Church. We will remember in a special way those who died between October 1, 2022 and September 30, 2023.

FIRST COMMUNION

RITE OF BLESSING

The second graders of our parish who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in 2024 will participate in a Rite of Blessing today, Sunday, October 15 during the 11:00 a.m. Mass at Ss. Simon and Jude Church. Please pray for these children as they prepare to receive the Lord's mercy in the healing sacrament of Reconciliation and come to the Table of the Lord to receive the Eucharist for the first time in 2024.

KEEPING KIDS SAFE

Please consider becoming a volunteer. It's easier than you think! Over 500 parishioners from our parish are compliant with the Diocese of Pittsburgh Safe Environment Policy, and you can be one, too! Go to the diocesan website, diopitt.org, and click on Obtain Clearances. Click on the category of volunteer that you want to be: School Volunteer or Parish Volunteer, then start the process. Call Karen Maurer, Safe Environment Coordinator, for the access code and discuss your proposed volunteerism, and you will be on your way. Clearances and paperwork must be completed **before you may volunteer**.

If you are a volunteer for an event or organization and you do not have your clearances, call Karen immediately to rectify this situation. Obtaining clearances is not optional; it is a requirement of all volunteers. Call or email Karen today: 412-857-5356, ext. 430, or karen@straphaelcgs.org.

CHRISTIAN MOTHERS AND WOMEN'S GUILD

All parishioners are invited to purchase chances to win PREMIUM PRIZES from the CA\$H BA\$H. Presale tickets will be sold after all Masses this weekend, October 14/15.

Get your chances to win the **\$500 Money Tree** AND/OR the **Premium Pittsburgh Penguin Basket** — a \$1,060 value that includes four tickets in the Captain Morgan Club when the Pens play the Ottawa Senators on October 28, with parking passes and access to the Lexus Club before and after the game.

Tickets are:

1 for \$3 | 2 for \$5 | 5 for \$10

THE PARISH OF ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL
INVITES YOUNG ADULTS (AGES 21-35)
TO OUR FIRST EVER...

Social NIGHT

OCTOBER 20 6:30 P.M.

SS. SIMON AND JUDE CHURCH HALL

Come grab some grub at the food trucks
and join other young adults in the hall.

We hope to see you there!

BOYS SCOUT RELIGIOUS EMBLEMS

Did you know that there are Religious Emblems for Scouts BSA members who are Roman Catholic?

There are local programs each comprised of about ten two-hour group sessions, plus individual and group assignments, a service project, and a daylong retreat. Scouts from any troop are welcome to participate.

St. Bernard Church (Fontenay Center)
311 Washington Rd, Pittsburgh, PA 15216
Sundays: 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. - scouts ages 15 and up
5:00 to 7:00 p.m. - scouts ages 13 and 14

Visit our website: straphaelcgs.org for more information and registration.

ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLW) began Sunday, September 24 at 9:00 a.m. Mass at Ss. Simon and Jude Church. CLW is for children of our parish in grades K through 3 and will be held once a month alternating between 9:00 a.m. Mass at Ss. Simon and Jude Church and 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Margaret of Scotland Church.

During the Mass, children will be invited to Ss. Simon and Jude Church Hall (St. Margaret of Scotland CLW will be held in the cry room) after the opening prayer or "Collect" to listen to the Sunday readings, Gospel, and homily on an age-appropriate level led by an adult. If a deacon is scheduled during the Mass, he will lead the children and be accompanied by another adult. Children will return to their pews to participate in the Offertory Hymn and Liturgy of the Eucharist.

CLW Schedule:

October 29: 10:00 a.m. Mass
at St. Margaret of Scotland

November 26: 9:00 a.m. Mass
at Ss. Simon and Jude

December 31: 10 a.m. Mass
at St. Margaret of Scotland

Please note that CLW will take place during 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton when the church re-opens.

THE CATHOLIC TRUTH ABOUT ANGELS, DEMONS, GHOSTS, EXORCISMS, AND HAUNTINGS NOVEMBER 13, 7:00-9:30 PM

On Monday, November 13, Catholic spiritual warfare expert Dave VanVickle will give a fascinating talk about what the Church really teaches about angels, demons, ghosts, exorcisms, and hauntings. Dave has extensive experience assisting priests in their ministries of exorcism and deliverance. In this presentation, he clears up the many misunderstandings surrounding this topic and witnesses to the victory of Jesus Christ and his Church over the kingdom of darkness. The talk will begin at 7:00 p.m. in Ss. Simon and Jude Church. After the talk there will be an opportunity to ask questions and a special time for veneration of relics. You will not want to miss this!



The St. Raphael the Archangel Ladies of Charity invite all ladies to join us in our ministry as we work to perform the Corporal Works of Mercy in our parish and in the surrounding communities. The next Ladies of Charity meeting will be on Tuesday, October 17 at 1:00 p.m. in Ss. Simon and Jude Church Hall. If you would like to learn more about the Ladies of Charity, please attend the meeting or contact Leslie Charitan: 412-257-3117 or 568charitan@comcast.net.



Lottery calendars are on sale. Give a wonderful Fall birthday gift. Hand your Thanksgiving Day host a gift to remember. Stock up for Christmas gifts. Get them now before they're gone.

The 2024 Lottery Calendars are \$20.00. Each calendar has a number that gives the recipient a chance to win cash prizes every day of the year (based on the PA Lottery Pick 3 evening drawing). Your winning check is automatically mailed to your home. It's so much fun!

Call or text Jim Walther: 412-475-5155 or contact Bob Greek: bobadgreek@gmail.com, 412-889-0830.

MEN'S RETREAT

All men of the Parish of St. Raphael the Archangel are invited to join us for the annual Men's Retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Passionist Retreat Center from November 10 to 12. Retreat begins with dinner on Friday at 6:00 p.m. and ends after 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday. Enjoy a Spirit-filled weekend of prayer, Sacraments, camaraderie, leisure, comfortable accommodations, and five meals. This year's theme is "Living in the World and not Being of the World." To register, go to stpaulsretreatcenter-pittsburgh.org or call 412-381-7676.

If you have any questions or would like a printed brochure, please contact Joe at 412-287-1417 or Jim at 412-278-0437.

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION Solemnity of All Saints

Vigil Mass on Tuesday, October 31:

4:30 p.m. at Ss. Simon and Jude Church
—there is no Noon Mass on October 31

Wednesday, November 1:

8:30 a.m. at St. Margaret of Scotland Church
Noon at St. Margaret of Scotland Church
6:30 p.m. at Ss. Simon and Jude Church
—no evening confessions on November 1

31 CLUB

During October, the Month of the Rosary, consider joining our parish 31 Club. The 31 Club is a group of parishioners who have committed to praying one rosary each month specifically for an increase of priestly vocations in the Diocese of Pittsburgh. We have at least one parishioner committed to each date, but there can never be too many! If you would like to join the 31 Club, please contact Laura at 412- 857-5356, ext. 431 or laura@straphaelcgs.org.

WOMEN'S RETREAT



Women of the Parish are grateful for the prayers of the parish while we attended the annual retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Passionist Retreat Center. We included the intentions entrusted to Partners in Prayer, our Clergy and Staff, and our entire parish in our prayers at Eucharistic Adoration and throughout the weekend.

PET BLESSING

Many thanks to Fr. Dan and the parishioners who brought their pets to be blessed last Sunday. We will feature some of the adorable faces in next week's bulletin.



JOIN US FOR FOOD TRUCK Fridays



EVERY FRIDAY IN OCTOBER
5:00 TO 8:00 P.M.

IT'S FAMILY-FRIENDLY FUN!

Join us each week for delicious food, live music, bonfires, yummy desserts, and more!

See below for the weekly scheduled vendors and entertainment.

Friday, October 27 will have a
Halloween Theme
with special focus on
our youngest parishioners.

AT SS. SIMON AND JUDE CHURCH

OCTOBER 20

SCHEDULED FOOD TRUCKS:

Tambellini
Ash & Kris Kitchen
South Side BBQ
Benvenuti's Pizza
The Coop Chicken and Waffles
Vaya: Mexican Street Food

MUSIC:

Mike Gallagher

QUARTERLY REPORT

815001 - Saint Raphael the Archangel

(Quarter-1 2023/2024)

OPERATING REVENUE:

Offertory Collections	354,791
Donations & Bequests	86,884
Fundraising	133,614
Campaign Income	777
Other Income	10,825
	586,891

OPERATING EXPENSE:

Administration	208,645
Operations & Maintenance	119,796
Liturgical & Rectory	50,955
Religious Ed & School Subsidy	49,669
Property & Liability Insurance	20,067
Social/ Outreach/ Other	(97,524)
	351,608

OPERATING SURPLUS (DEFICIT) 235,283

NON-OPERATING ITEMS:

Extraordinary Maintenance Expense	(53,084)
Net Third Party Collections	8,518
Proceeds from Insurance Claim (Net)	2,682
	(41,884)

FEATURED ASSETS and LIABILITIES at 9/30/2023

ASSETS:

Unrestricted Funds:

Cash	591,709
Deposit & Loan Operating Savings	855,540
	1,447,249

Restricted Funds:

Deposit & Loan Restricted Savings	36
Deposit & Loan Restricted Campaign	308,902
Parish Endowment Investment	-
Other Investments	-
	308,938

LIABILITIES:

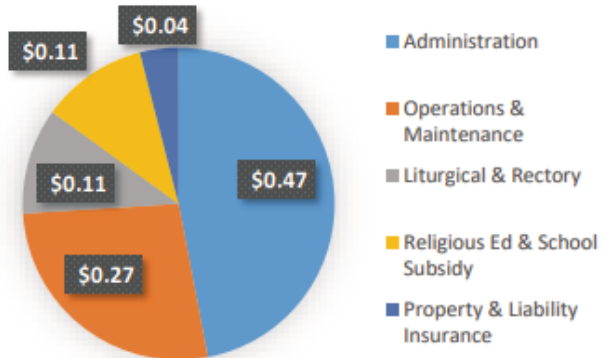
Insurance Past Due	-
Deposit & Loan Borrowing Debt	1,201,398
Other Payables	1,811
	1,203,209

Revenue vs. Expense for 7-1-2023 thru 9-30-2023

Revenue: 586,891

Expense: 351,608

How each Expense Dollar Supports the Parish



A Parish is much like a business. There are costs that keep the Parish running. The pie chart above details how your dollars are spent. The following line items include but are not limited to:

Offertory Collections: Offertory, Parish Appeal

Campaign Income: Capital Imp., Debt Reduction, etc.

Other Income: Interest Income, Hall Rentals, Votive Administration:

Staff, Office Supplies/Equipment, Management Fee

Operations & Maintenance:

Staff, Church Utilities, Upkeep, Taxes, Supplies

Religious Ed & School Subsidy:

Staff, Supplies, CCD, Adult Ed, RCIA, Elem School Grant

Liturgical & Rectory:

Staff, Worship Expense, Rectory Food, Utilities, Upkeep

Social/Outreach/Other:

Youth, Community, Net Rental Property, Preschool

Extraordinary Maintenance Expense:

Purchases/Improvements over \$4,000

Net Third Party Collections:

e.g. St. Anthony's, Holy Land, Peter's Pence

Golden Agers

The Golden Agers offer their deepest gratitude to Fr. Grecco for his support with the recent Bible Fundraiser. By allowing us to sell tickets at the churches, we had a very successful raffle. The winning ticket was #256 and was won by Kellie Albert.

A special thanks goes to Bill Snyder and Walt Folcik for their help in selling tickets, and a huge thanks to Scott Ritter of Leo J. Henney Funeral Home for donating the tickets.

This year we are purchasing 40 Bibles to be given to the Sixth Grade students in the Faith Formation Program and at Guardian Angel Academy.

We feel blessed to be able to provide the Word of God to the future of the Church. We pray that what is written in this book may also be written in their hearts and minds, and be a guide for their lives.

Thank you, again!
Joann and Don Cain
and the Golden Agers

Come to the Golden Agers

THANKSGIVING LUNCH & Craft Show

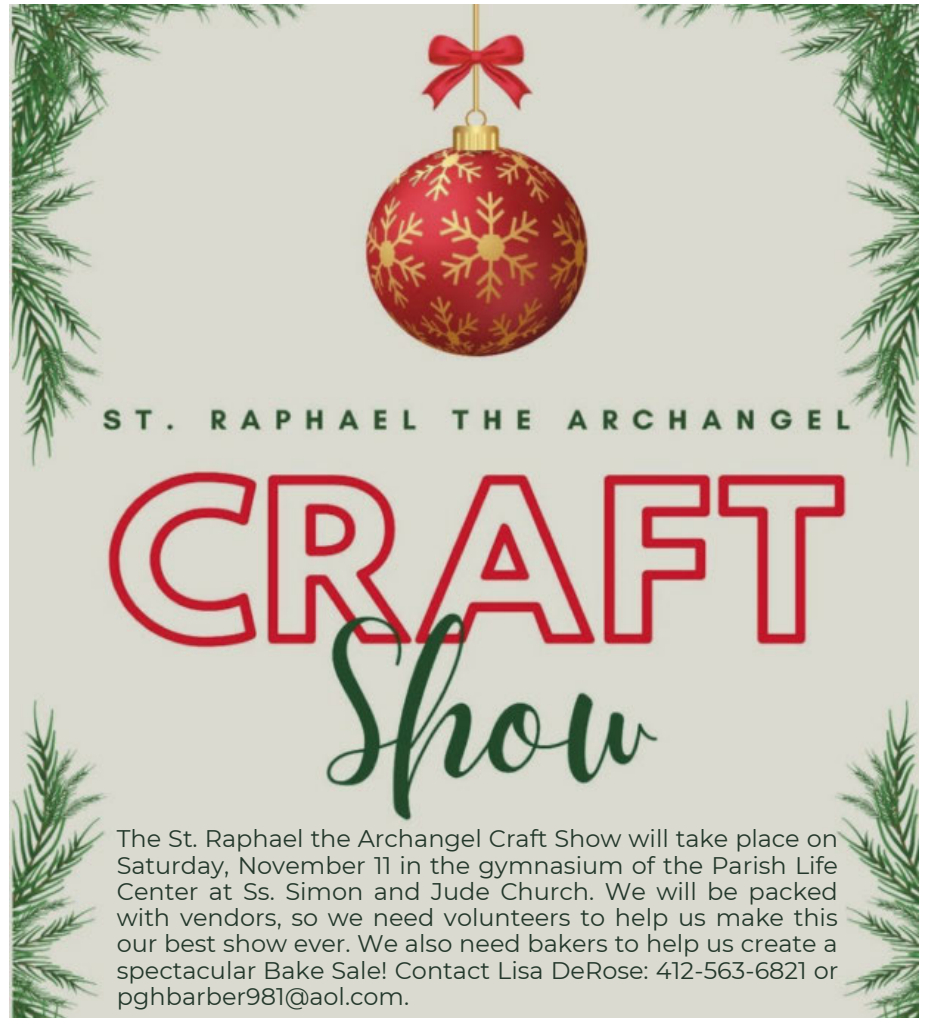
Wednesday, November 8
1:30 to 4:00 p.m.

Traditional Thanksgiving Buffet Luncheon with all the trimmings!

ST. LUKE HALL
at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

\$30

Call Don Cain by October 17
to RSVP: 412-279-0885



A festive poster for the St. Raphael the Archangel Craft Show. It features a large red Christmas ornament with gold snowflake patterns hanging from a gold string with a red bow. The background is light gray with green pine branches framing the sides. The text 'ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL' is in green, and 'CRAFT Show' is in large red and green letters.

ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

CRAFT Show

The St. Raphael the Archangel Craft Show will take place on Saturday, November 11 in the gymnasium of the Parish Life Center at Ss. Simon and Jude Church. We will be packed with vendors, so we need volunteers to help us make this our best show ever. We also need bakers to help us create a spectacular Bake Sale! Contact Lisa DeRose: 412-563-6821 or pghbarber981@aol.com.



A poster for the 21st Annual Blanket Drive. It features a photo of a woman in a heart-shaped frame. The text is colorful and festive, with a starburst indicating 'Over 200 blankets made last year!'. The event is on Friday, Nov 3, 2023, with afternoon and evening sessions at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church and St. Raphael the Archangel Parish. It includes contact information for Lynne Gross and a note about donating blankets to homeless shelters.

21ST ANNUAL **Blanket Drive**
In Honor of Kathy Buchner

FRIDAY NOV 3, 2023

AFTERNOON SESSION (2 PM - 4 PM)
EVENING SESSION (6 PM - 8 PM)

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church - (St. Luke Hall)
St. Raphael the Archangel Parish - 330 3rd Ave, Carnegie, PA 15106

*If you would like to make your blanket ahead,
please deliver it to the church office at the same address by November 3, 2023.
Please leave a note with your email address.*

**This year the blankets will be donated to local homeless shelters.
Please bring scissors and 2 yards each solid and print polar fleece.**

QUESTIONS?
Contact Lynne Gross at 412-303-0631 or g.gross@comcast.net.
Blanket makers 14 & under must be accompanied by an adult.

Over 200 blankets made last year!

The Christian Mothers and Women's Guild presents
the St. Raphael the Archangel Parish annual

CASH BASH

This event is sold out.
Our room is full, but tickets may still be available (\$35) for a chance to win cash every 15 minutes during the event. We also have a wait-list for last-minute cancellations.

Call Lori Dedola for information
412-302-9143

**Saturday
October 21**

BOOK FAIR THIS WEEKEND

Guardian Angel Academy library is hosting a Scholastic Book Fair Open House in the school after all Masses at St. Margaret of Scotland Church on October 14 and 15. (Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:30 p.m., Sunday 8:00 and 10:00 a.m.) Check out books for all ages and pick up gift ideas for the holidays. Preorder the 18th *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* at a special paperback price or the latest *Cat Kid Comic Club* graphic novel! Stop in to browse or buy. This is a great opportunity for families to preview the Fair and help their students make selections. Beginning October 13, you can shop online at scholastic.com/bf/guardianangelacademy1. All proceeds benefit the school library. Major credit cards accepted.



"DISCOVERING SAINT ANTHONY" BOOK PROJECT

The St. Anthony of Padua project, which began in our parish almost four years ago and resulted in two books, will be seen in world outlets: The International Manila Book Fair in the Philippines, was September 16 to 19; and in Germany at the Frankfurt Buchmesse, the world's largest book fair, October 18 to 22. In addition, cantor Doretta Whalen is invited to exhibit and sign her second book at the Miami Festival of Books, November 12 to 19.

Fall mini campaign/Final outdoor sale of 2023

If you would like an autographed copy (new copies are priced lower for you than online or in physical bookstores), the black bookmobile will be stationed in our church parking lots, weather permitting, before and after the following masses:

Sat. Oct. 14 SMOS 4:30 p.m.
Sun. Oct. 15 SMOS both Masses

Book 1

Discovering Saint Anthony: If You Ask For Miracles (196 pp., \$20)
(Prayers of a Catholic Community in Pittsburgh)

Book 2

Discovering Saint Anthony: Portugal to Padua (550+ pp., \$40)
(The Phenomenon of Faith)

The author donates all receipts (cash and checks) to our parish.
Thank you for your support! Questions? Contact Doretta Whalen:
dorettawhalen@gmail.com, or 412-848-5124

Watch the two-minute book trailer uploaded on our parish Facebook!
And leave a comment, if you please.



Côr Ministries invites you to join them on Thursday, October 19 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. for an inspiring talk about *The Sacrament of Marriage & Spiritual Warfare!*

The evening will begin with coffee, dessert, and fellowship (yes, decaf is available) in Brother Andre's Café, and then at 7:30 p.m., we will be inspired and encouraged in our own marriages by Dave VanVickle.

Donations accepted at door.

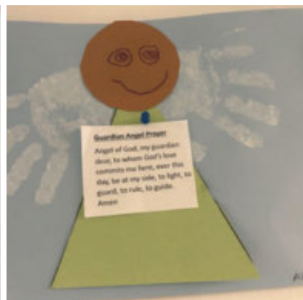
Address: 164 Washington Pl
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

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corministriespg.org

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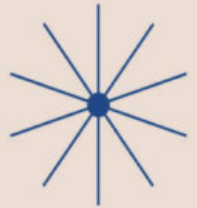
PRESCHOOL AT SSJ

Celebrating the
MEMORIAL OF THE GUARDIAN ANGELS



OPERATION SHOE BOX

a project of the St. Vincent de Paul Society



We will be collecting **NEW ITEMS ONLY**, including socks, warm hats, scarves, and gloves.

Also the following toiletries - shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste and toothbrushes, men's shaving gel, disposable razors, hairbrushes, combs, hand lotion, lip balm, and tissue packets.



The donations are taken to shelters, group homes, and a nursing home. Eighty percent of our recipients are men.

Donation boxes will be in our churches on Monday, October 16.

More information will be in next week's bulletin.

VETERANS DAY CANDLES

On Friday, November 10, we will pray for our Veterans following 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Margaret of Scotland Church. Remember your special service person who served our country, in war or in peace, with this unique tribute. Veterans Day candles are available in HONOR OF or in MEMORY OF your loved ones who are (were) veterans of the armed forces. Names will be displayed on candles burning at St. Margaret of Scotland Church for a week, starting on Friday, November 10. Join us for the Candle Lighting Service at 9:15 a.m. at SMOS on November 10 (or immediately following the 8:30 a.m. Mass).

Please complete the form below in legible print and return to the Parish Office marked "Attention: Care Ministry" by **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3**. Proceeds benefit the Care Ministry of our parish.

NAME OF VETERAN _____

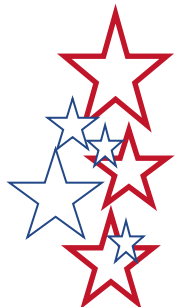
Living ____ or Deceased ____

BRANCH OF MILITARY _____

Name of Person Requesting Candle _____

Phone Number _____

____ Offering of \$10 Cash or Check # _____ made payable to St. Raphael the Archangel Parish.



ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL



The Society for the
Propagation of the Faith
a Pontifical Mission Society

World Mission Sunday 2023

October 22nd

Were not our hearts burning within us?

Luke 24:13-35



					
26M	38,140	8,750	12,000	844,000	258,540
Children	Seminarians	Shelters	Health Centers	Catechists	Religious sisters

On World Mission Sunday, we join our Holy Father in supporting his missions. Together, through our prayers and financial support, we bring the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions.

In a world where so much divides us, World Mission Sunday rejoices in our unity as missionaries by our Baptism, as it offers each one of us an opportunity to support the life-giving presence of the Church among the poor and marginalized in more than 1,111 mission dioceses.

Give at the Second Collection next Sunday

You can find the resources as part of this newly-launched microsite for World Mission Month:

WWW.ONEFAMILYINMISSION.ORG

Bishop Canevin

FALL FEST



SATURDAY

OCT. 21 2023
6 - 10 PM

Fun for all ages!

NOVEMBER 8
6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Bishop Canevin High School
Open House

Open to prospective families in grades 5-11.

Learn more about these events at
bishopcanevin.org

HAUNTED HOUSE


HAYRIDES

FOOD TRUCKS

PUMPKIN DECORATING

THE CONTEMPORARY CHOIR SCHEDULE

October 15 — 9:00 a.m. Ss. Simon and Jude Church
October 22 — 10:00 a.m. St. Margaret of Scotland Church
October 29 — 10:00 a.m. St. Margaret of Scotland Church



HERE FOR YOU

Mercy in Action

Sick Calls

If you or a loved one are admitted to a hospital or nursing home, please ask the nursing staff to contact the Catholic priest on call for the facility, or let us know so we can get you the proper spiritual care. Because of the HIPAA law, treatment facilities are not permitted to release your information to us unless you or your family give them permission to do so.

Home Visits

If you are homebound and desire Holy Communion and/or the Sacraments of Healing (Penance or Anointing of the Sick) please call Laura at the parish office: 412-857-5356 ext.431.

St. Vincent de Paul Society:

412-444-5424

If you are in need, SVdP may be able to assist you. Individual cases are confidentially evaluated and help is provided as our resources and guidelines allow. A variety of direct services including clothing, furniture, utility assistance, and more may be available.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry*

412-489-5848

Our pantry supports local families who are unable to make ends meet or who have experienced a recent crisis. This second branch of our SVdP outreach program is specific to the mission of feeding the hungry. Open Tuesdays from 9:00 a.m. to Noon; stop by or call to learn more.

**Located at the Administration Center in the back of the building: 330 Third Avenue (rear) The street is named Barrett Way.*

THE PARISH OF ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Serving the Catholic Community in Carnegie, Green Tree, and Scott

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330 3rd Ave.
Carnegie, PA 15106

St. Margaret of Scotland Church

310 Mansfield Ave.
Pittsburgh, PA 15220

Ss. Simon and Jude Church

1607 Greentree Rd.
Pittsburgh, PA 15220

THE PARISH ADMINISTRATION CENTER IS LOCATED AT 330 3RD AVENUE IN CARNEGIE

Office Hours: Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

MASSES ARE LIVE STREAMED AND RECORDED EVERYDAY.

Go to straphaelcgs.org and click the "Livestream" button to see the schedule and watch live or recorded Masses.

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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

For arrangements please call the parish office.

Anointing

Call the parish office for arrangements if in danger of death.
If hospitalized or in a skilled nursing facility, please ask the nursing staff to contact the Catholic priest on call.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made with one of the priests *at least six months before* the proposed date of the wedding.

Note:

You must be a registered and active parishioner for at least **six months** before requesting sacramental sponsor forms. Please allow **three weeks** for completion.

Penance

Saturdays: 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
St. Margaret of Scotland Church

Wednesdays: 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.
Ss. Simon and Jude Church

SCHOOLS

Guardian Angel Academy Elementary School

Principal: Robert Munz
rmunz@guardianangelacademy.org
915 Alice Street Pgh PA 15220
412-922-4765

St. Raphael the Archangel Pre-school at SSJ

Director: Trish Costantino
office1625@gmail.com
1625 Greentree Rd. Pgh 15220
412-819-4050

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Text StRaphaelCGS to 84576
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412-444-5424

Sacramental Records

412-456-3158

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at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
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BULLETIN DEADLINE
Mondays by Noon
mksmith@straphaelcgs.org

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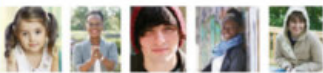
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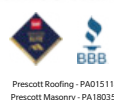
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