



# THE PARISH OF SAINT RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

JANUARY 18, 2026

## Welcome

*We are the Roman Catholic Parish of St. Raphael the Archangel in the Diocese of Pittsburgh, established in 2021, embracing the spiritual and corporal needs of the communities of Carnegie, Green Tree, and Scott. We strive to live as faith-filled disciples of Christ and, in doing so, spread His Gospel message of Love, Hope, Mercy, and Eternal Life.*

## CLERGY TEAM

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Fr. James McDonough

**Deacons**  
Dcn. Kevin Lander  
Dcn. Paul Lim  
Dcn. Jim Mackin

## MASS SCHEDULE

**SATURDAY:** 4:00 p.m. at SSJ  
4:30 p.m. at SEAS

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

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

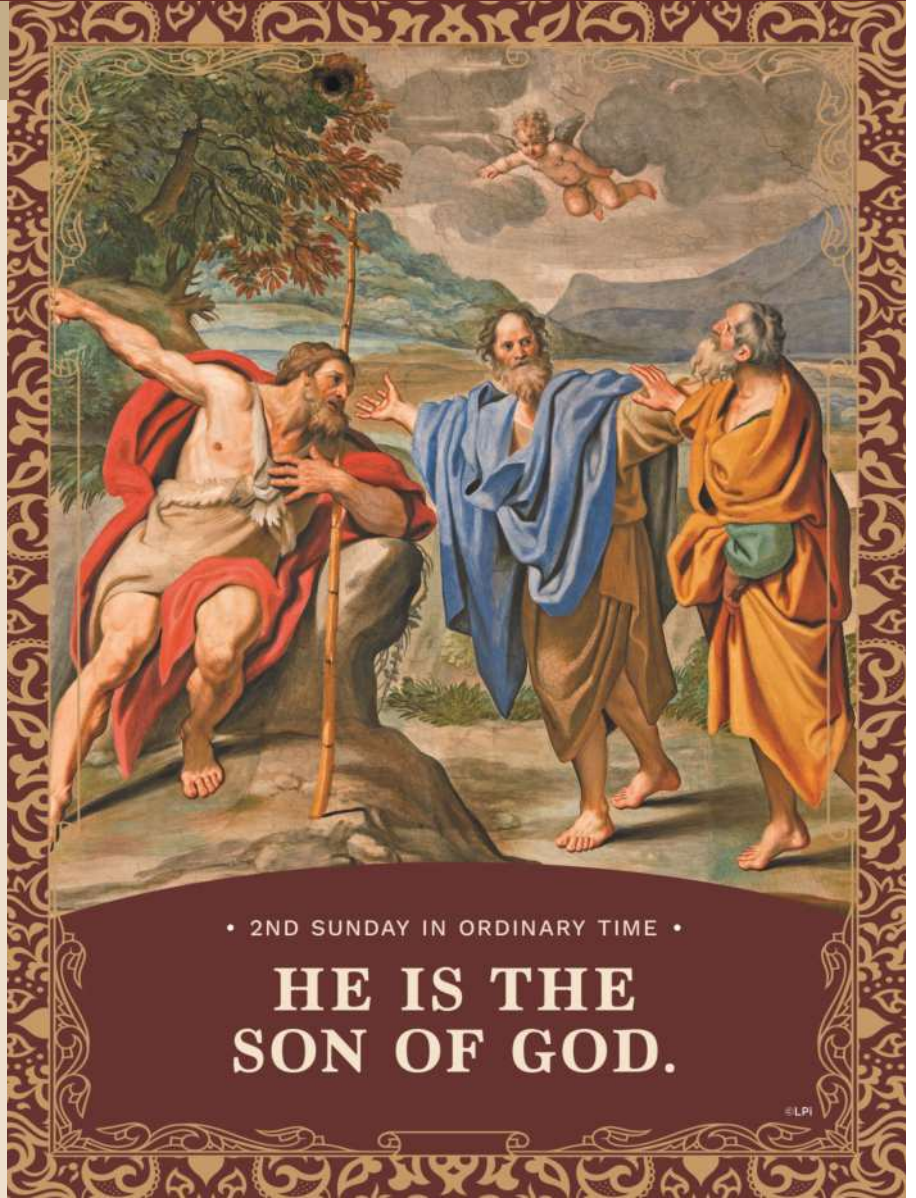
**TUESDAY:** 8:30 a.m. at SMOS  
12:00 p.m. at SSJ

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

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

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

*This schedule does not reflect holidays or holy days.*



• 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME •

## HE IS THE SON OF GOD.

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## PARISH ADMINISTRATION CENTER

330 3rd Avenue, Carnegie, PA 15106

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For church locations and staff information, see page 20.

# PRAYER & WORSHIP

## SACRAMENTS

### BAPTISM:

*(Canon Law 867 §1)*

Parents are obligated to see to it that infants are Baptized within the first few weeks after birth.

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

### PENANCE:

#### Saturdays

11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

—at St. Margaret of Scotland Church

12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

—at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

#### 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month

6:00 to 6:45 p.m.

—at Ss. Simon and Jude Church

—Or by appointment.—

### EUCCHARIST:

Preparation for children in grades K-8,

contact Sharon Smoller:

ssmoller@straphaelcgs.org

For high school students and adults,

contact Dcn. Paul Lim:

pLim@diopitt.org

### CONFIRMATION:

Preparation for children in grades 6-8,

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For high school students and adults,

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### MARRIAGE:

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

### HOLY ORDERS:

If you are discerning the call to priesthood and are seeking more information, talk to one of our priests or visit [pghpriest.com](http://pghpriest.com).

### ANOINTING 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.

## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

*\* anticipated Mass*

SEAS	SMOS	SSJ
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church	St. Margaret of Scotland Church	Ss. Simon and Jude Church

### JANUARY 18 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SSJ *4:00 p.m.	Koby Looman by the Marodi Family
SEAS *4:30 p.m.	Barbara Meriwether by dear friend, Kathy
SMOS 8:00 a.m.	Mary Grace Pavlick by Angela and Sam Verbene
SEAS 9:00 a.m.	Roy Greek by family
SMOS 10:00 a.m.	Robert Strazza by family
SSJ 11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish

### JANUARY 19 MONDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SSJ 8:30 a.m.	Catherine Golinsky by loving family
SEAS 12:00 p.m.	<i>No Noon Mass ***</i>

### JANUARY 20 TUESDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SMOS 8:30 a.m.	Andrea Speciale by Carol Malesky
SSJ 12:00 p.m.	George T. Legin by Natalie, Mark, and Justin Metz

### JANUARY 21 MEMORIAL OF SAINT AGNES, VIRGIN AND MARTYR

SSJ 8:30 a.m.	Nancy Lolli by Maggie Kennedy
SEAS 12:00 p.m.	Nellie and Virgil Eger by Judy Yurchak

### JANUARY 22 DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN

SSJ 8:30 a.m.	Health and spiritual wellbeing of Sarah Buzzard by family
SEAS 12:00 p.m.	Anna and Steve Remish by their daughter, Joan Reale

### JANUARY 23 FRIDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SMOS 8:30 a.m.	Fr. Raymond Utz by Fr. Grecco
SSJ 12:00 p.m.	Robert Strazza by family

### JANUARY 25 THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SSJ *4:00 p.m.	Joseph R. Poerio by his wife, Paula
SEAS *4:30 p.m.	Rose Trombetta by Lucille Herman
SMOS 8:00 a.m.	Connie and Frank Kocay by Cheryl
SEAS 9:00 a.m.	Michael Bowman by Inger White and Matthew Pavlosky
SMOS 10:00 a.m.	Alice Braithwaite by her daughter, Carol Campbell
SSJ 11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish

**\*\*\*The parish office will be closed on Monday, January 19. There will only be one Mass that day. It will be held at 8:30 a.m. at Ss. Simon and Jude Church. — The bulletin deadline remains at Noon on Monday, January 19. —**

Winter weather alert: On Tuesdays and Fridays, if Guardian Angel Academy is delayed or closed due to the weather, the 8:30 a.m. Mass will be cancelled and the Mass intention will be rescheduled.

FROM THE PASTOR

"When we know that something is essential, we immediately seek it for those we love. Who among us, in fact, would leave newborns without clothes or food, waiting for them to choose how to dress, and what to eat when they grow up. If food and clothing are necessary for life, faith is more than necessary, because with God, life finds salvation.... [Baptism] accompanies us forever...In moments of darkness, baptism is light; in life's conflicts, it is reconciliation; at the hour of death, it is the gateway to heaven." —Pope Leo XIV at the baptism of children in the Sistine Chapel

Many, many thanks to the volunteers who made our church buildings so beautiful for the Christmas holidays!

Diane Baranowski, Gary Baranowski, Kelsie Bissert, Kim Bissert, Tim Bissert, Rose Bushmire, Renee Clark, Liz Caivano, Bob Caivano, Pat Conway, Carol Dlugos, Mary Lou Einloth, Bob Greek, Glenn Gross, Lynne Gross, Janice Hackett, Lorraine Hungerman, Lynn and Scott Kossick, Mo Henry-Labela, Al Marodi, Annette Marodi, Leah Marodi, Christine Martino, Laura McGovern, Justin Metz, Linda Miklos, Ed O'Donnell, Quinn Palamides, Jeff Palastro, Pat Pavlack, Claire Ravida, Mark Regalla, Mike Ruffing, Don Schultz, Monica Schultz, Marilyn Schwab, Joe Shalomon, Christian Tutsock, Lori Vallarian, Dorothy Voith, Joe Walther, Pat Walther, Lorraine Walwender, Ed Webb, Will Wihlberg

Special thanks to Ron Bruno and his crew for the annual "Christmas Light Spectacular."

I am grateful to the sponsors of our St. Raphael the Archangel parish calendar:

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ANNIVERSARY BLESSING  
NEXT WEEKEND

Next weekend is the last full weekend of the month. Couples who received the Sacrament of Matrimony in the month of January are invited to remain after Mass to receive a blessing. The blessings will take place after every Mass; no appointments or reservations are required.

*Please pray for the souls of the faithful departed.*

Charmaine Patterson

Please pray those who have asked for our prayers:




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|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Emma Allshouse       | The Looman Family     |
| George Bado          | Peter Paul Lyle III   |
| Charlene Barry       | Mary Ann Macino       |
| Patrick Barry        | Arch MacLennan        |
| Bob Bartell          | Penny Mahoney         |
| Emilia Bentley       | Kay Mannarino         |
| June Bentley         | Lucille Marabito      |
| Kelly Bittner        | Harry Martorella      |
| Alexander Boankrah   | Marlene Martorella    |
| Gina Burton          | Carl Masciola         |
| Pete Caligiuri       | Kathy Masko           |
| Elisa Carsia         | Marlane Mensor        |
| Evelyn Christopher   | Cathy Militzer        |
| Joann Ciccone        | Joyce Mostowy         |
| Lorraine Contristano | Pat Murdzak           |
| Roberta Curtin       | Joan Pandolph         |
| Gina Dangelico       | Linda Perris          |
| Joanne Dato          | Nancy Pistella        |
| Antoinette DePofi    | Diane Pritchard       |
| Joseph DiSarro       | Dolores Quinn         |
| Betty Dunner         | Roseanne Rathlage     |
| Stephanie Fahnestock | Bob Recaldini         |
| Vicky Feeney         | Joe Redlinger         |
| Lois Ferrie          | Joann Redondo         |
| Rosemary Ferruzza    | Florinda Rosemeyer    |
| Gabriel Fontana      | Helen Salamon         |
| Delores Franchot     | Charmaine Sample      |
| Michelle Frego       | Andrew Patrick Schade |
| Karen Fromme         | Margery Schell        |
| William Gabella      | John Schenk           |
| Jane Gardner         | Joe Schmitt           |
| Edmund Gaskill       | Mary Patricia Schnars |
| Donna Giudice        | Marilyn Schwab        |
| Joseph M. Granata    | Kathleen Shilling     |
| Mark Hagelauer       | Betsy Snatchko        |
| Linda Harrity        | Genevieve Sonson      |
| Bobbi Henry          | Edie Sortwell         |
| Lucille Herman       | Mildred Spazialetti   |
| Joan Kostas Hester   | Teresa Stacy          |
| Sharon Hwilka        | Bob Super             |
| Charlotte Kapton     | Ed Super              |
| Anna Mary Karpinski  | Theresa Tapper        |
| William Karpinski    | Jerry Tokar           |
| Joanne Keating       | Allen Turske          |
| Lori Krally          | Patricia Turske       |
| Danielle Kramer      | Ron Vercammen         |
| Maureen Krichbaum    | Penny Verow           |
| Veronica Kujawski    | Louis Walsh           |
| Joyce Kurelis        | Mary Kay Walsh        |
| Jackie Kushner       | Karen Westlock        |
| Pauline Kyle         | Gary Williard         |
| John Linn            | Bernice Zyzak         |

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


If you would like to be added to our prayer listing, please contact Mary Kay Smith: mksmith@straphaelcgs.org.

**Unless notified, names are removed after five years.** Due to privacy issues, you may not submit names on behalf of others without consent or legal right to do so.



**TABERNACLE CANDLE**  
*Dedications*

At St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church  
in loving memory of  
**Roy Greek**  
12-11-1965 — 1-18-1985  
by Family



## STEWARDSHIP

### Offertory

Required Weekly	\$33,000
Received 12/31/2025 thru 1/6/2026	
Envelopes and loose cash	\$19,596
Online offertory	\$6,490
<b>Total Offertory</b>	<b>\$26,086</b>

### 2025 Parish Appeal

2025 Goal	\$299,386
Monthly due to the Diocese	\$24,949
12/31/2025 thru 1/6/2026	\$3,400
Received to date	\$451,033
<b>Goal Excess</b>	<b>\$151,647</b>

If you would like to contribute to the parish, consider using our online giving tool. You can set up recurrent payments, or make a one-time gift!

Scan the code to get started now.  
OR visit our website:  
[straphaelcgs.org](http://straphaelcgs.org).



*The churches are listed alphabetically in this bulletin and online.*

Unless otherwise noted, the bulletin deadline is Monday at Noon. **Email:**  
[mksmith@straphaelcgs.org](mailto:mksmith@straphaelcgs.org)

# UPCOMING EVENTS

◆ Find more information where page number is listed.

### 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 scheduled for **Thursday, January 22**, at 6:00 p.m. at Ss. Simon and Jude Church Hall. To register, please call the parish office at 412-857-5356.

### CHAPLET MAKING

**Page 13** ◆ Next Sunday, come and make a St. Raphael chaplet.

### EPIC - PART TWO

**Page 10** ◆ The second half of our seminar on Church history begins tomorrow.

### MARDI GRAS

**Page 15** ◆ Come to our annual Mardi Gras Party.

### PURSE RAFFLE

**Page 13** ◆ Tickets will be on sale this weekend at St. Margaret of Scotland Church.

### ROSARY AGAINST VIOLENCE

Come join us every Wednesday after the noon Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church for the recitation of the Rosary Against Violence. Join us.

### ROSARY FOR LIFE

**Page 12** ◆ We have two opportunities to pray for the unborn.

### SPRING FLING

**Page 16** ◆ It's time to organize your table for the Spring Fling. Tickets are on sale now.

This weekend's second collection will benefit the students of St. Anthony School Programs and DePaul School for Hearing and Speech. These students receive the education services they need thanks to the generosity of parishioners across the Diocese of Pittsburgh, and we thank you for your part in making that possible.

St. Anthony School Programs offers an inclusive education to children ages 5-21 with Down syndrome, Autism Spectrum Disorder, and other special needs. DePaul School for Hearing and Speech teaches children who are deaf, hard of hearing, or who have severe speech delays to listen, speak, and learn.



Special Collection  
**January 17**  
&  
**January 18**

Share the Joy

DEPAUL SCHOOL FOR HEARING & SPEECH



## SECOND COLLECTION Next Weekend

The second collection next weekend is for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at the Parish of St. Raphael the Archangel.

# THE ORDER OF MASS

## ENTRANCE HYMN | BAPTIZED IN WATER



Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Cleansed by the blood of Christ our King:  
*Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Dead in the tomb with Christ our King:*  
Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Marked with the sign of Christ our King:



Heirs of sal - va - tion, Trust - ing his prom - ise, Faith - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.  
*One with his ris - ing, Freed and for - giv - en, Thank - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.*  
Born of one Fa - ther, We are his child - ren, Joy - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.

Tune: BUNESSAN, 5 5 8 D; Gaelic melody

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## PENITENTIAL RITE / 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,  
*(strike breast)* 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.



## GLORIA



We praise you, we bless you, we adore you,  
we glorify you, we give you thanks [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  
[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 [of God the Father].  
*to refrain* Amen [Amen].

# THE ORDER OF MASS

## FIRST READING | ISAIAH 49:3, 5-6

The LORD said to me: You are my servant,  
Israel, through whom I show my glory.  
Now the LORD has spoken  
who formed me as his servant from the womb,  
that Jacob may be brought back to him  
and Israel gathered to him;  
and I am made glorious in the sight of the LORD,  
and my God is now my strength!  
It is too little, the LORD says, for you to be my servant,

to raise up the tribes of Jacob,  
and restore the survivors of Israel;  
I will make you a light to the nations,  
that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.

The word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM 40:2, 4, 7-10



I have waited, waited for the LORD,  
and he stooped toward me and heard my cry.  
And he put a new song into my mouth,  
a hymn to our God.

Sacrifice or offering you wished not,  
but ears open to obedience you gave me.  
Holocausts or sin-offerings you sought not;  
then said I, "Behold I come."

"In the written scroll it is prescribed for me,  
to do your will, O my God, is my delight,  
and your law is within my heart!"

I announced your justice in the vast assembly;  
I did not restrain my lips, as you, O LORD, know.

## SECOND READING | 1 CORINTHIANS 1:1-3

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of  
God, and Sosthenes our brother,  
to the church of God that is in Corinth,  
to you who have been sanctified in Christ Jesus,  
called to be holy, with all those everywhere who call upon

the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, their Lord and ours.  
Grace to you and peace from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ.

The word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION | JOHN 1:14A, 12A



The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us.  
To those who accepted him, he gave power to become children of God.

## GOSPEL | JOHN 1:29-34

John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said,  
"Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the  
world.  
He is the one of whom I said,  
'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me

because he existed before me.'  
I did not know him,  
but the reason why I came baptizing with water  
was that he might be made known to Israel."  
John testified further, saying,

# THE ORDER OF MASS

"I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain,

he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."

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 | THE BAPTIST BORE WITNESS

The Bap - tist bore wit - ness to God's cho - sen One: not on - ly a  
This Christ now in - vites us, the Church here to - day, Bap - tized in the  
Be - liev - ers, called forth to make peace and u - nite, not on - ly God's  
ser - vant but al - so God's Son, Christ, bap - tized for sin - ners, the ho - ly "I  
Spir - it, to fol - low his way not on - ly in word but in love's dai - ly  
ser - vants but al - so God's light, bring hope to the na - tions, to lands far and  
AM," not on - ly a shep - herd but al - so a lamb.  
deed, with jus - tice and mer - cy for neigh - bors in need.  
near, pro - claim - ing sal - va - tion: "The King - dom is here!"

Tune: FOUNDATION; Funk's Compilation of Genuine Church Music, 1832 Text: Delores Dufner, O.S.B., b.1939 © 2011 G.I.A. Publications, Inc.


# THE ORDER OF MASS

## 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. **Final time** world, grant us\_\_\_ peace.

# THE ORDER OF MASS

## COMMUNION HYMN | BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD

Refrain

Be-hold, be-hold the Lamb of God. All who eat, all who drink shall live;—  
and all, all who dwell in God, shall come to know— His glo-ry!—

1. Those who were in the dark are thankful for the sunlight; we who live, we who die are grateful for his gift, thankful for his love.
2. Peaceful now, those whose hearts are blessed with understanding of the wheat, of the wine united with his word and the love we share.
3. Gentle one, Child of God, join with us at this table. Bless our lives; nourish all who hunger for this feast; shelter them with peace.
4. Lord of all, give us light. Deliver us from evil. Make us one; be our shield. Make still the winds that blow; cradle us with love.

Tune: Martine Willett, b. 1960; acc. by Craig S. Kingsbury, b. 1952 ©1984, OCP

Text: Based on John 1:29; Martin Willett, b.1960, alt.

## RECESSIONAL HYMN | HERE I AM, LORD

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame. I will set a  
feast for them. My hand will save. Fin-est bread I will pro-vide  
till their hearts be sat-is-fied. I will give my life for them. Whom shall I send?—  
Here I am, Lord.— Is it I, Lord?— I have heard you call-ing in the night.—  
I will go, Lord,— if you lead me.— I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.—

Tune: HERE I AM, LORD; Dan Schutte, b.1947; arr. by Michael Pope, SJ and John Weissrock © 1981, Oregon Catholic Press

Text: Isaiah 6; Dan Schutte, b. 1947

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# Celebrating the Sacraments

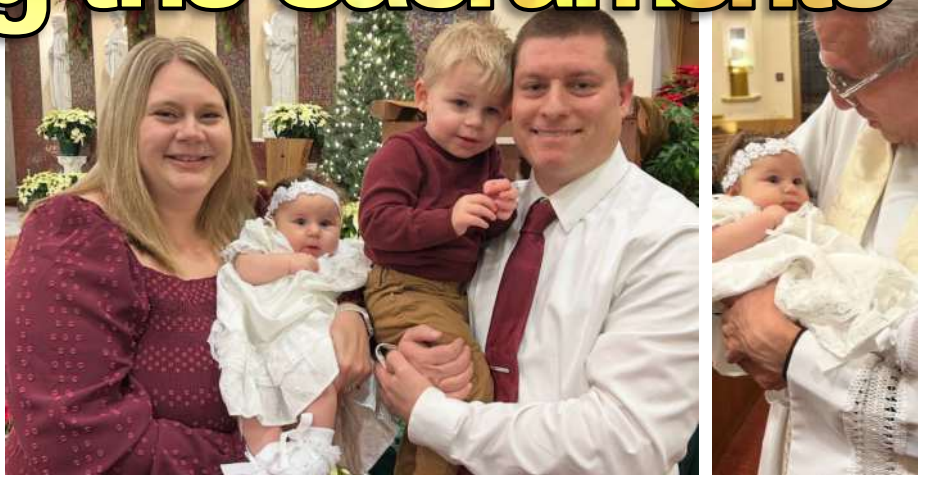
## Baptism

Congratulations and God's blessing to **Madelyn Rose Beck** who, last weekend, was born again of water and the Holy Spirit as we celebrated the Baptism of our Lord.

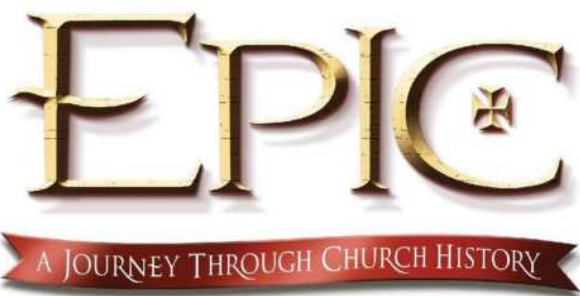
Her parents are Anne and Dave Beck, and her big brother is Alexander (former St. Raphael Baby of the Year). Fr. Grecco, who baptized Alex, also baptized Madelyn. Madelyn wore her mother's Christening gown.

Madelyn's godparents are Maria Yalch of Corpus Christi Parish and Jake Porterfield of our parish.

Maternal grandparents are Judy and Tim Castello of our parish. Paternal grandparents Theresa and Robert Beck of Ss. Martha and Mary Parish.



### Church History Taught from a Solidly Catholic Perspective!



Fr. Grecco and Sharon Smoller lead a journey through Church history.



**MONDAYS: 6:30 TO 8:30 P.M.**  
**ST. LUKE HALL AT ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH**

**SECOND TEN-WEEK SESSION STARTS THIS MONDAY, JANUARY 19**

Those who attended part one of the series are invited to join us for part two.  
— No new participants are being accepted. —

 **Caring Corner** *by Laura O'Keeffe*

**CARING + GIVING + SERVING**

On Thursday, January 22, we observe the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. Scripture and Catholic Tradition are clear on the gift of life that deserves our appreciation, love, and protection. This week, please pray in a special way for innocent preborn babies to have a chance to live. Also, pray for women in crisis pregnancies to have the emotional and practical support they need to choose life and for men to embrace the role of father with love and responsibility. Pray for our government and society to work toward a culture of life in which the most vulnerable members are cherished and loved as our Creator loves them. Each day this week, consider prayerful contemplation of one of the seven quotes below.



“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you.”  
-Jeremiah 1:5

“For God, the lord of life, has entrusted to women and men the outstanding service of watching over life and of fulfilling this in a manner worthy of human beings. Therefore, from the time of conception life is to be safeguarded with the greatest of care; abortion and infanticide are abominable crimes.”-*Gaudium et Spes* (51)

“Birth control and abortion is another form of genocide...They claim the poor are bringing forth tremendous numbers of children and so the solution is to kill them off.” -Dorothy Day, Servant of God

“The greatest destroyer of peace is abortion...because if a mother can kill her own child, what is left but for me to kill you and you to kill me?” -St. Teresa of Kolkata

“It moves one’s heart to think: Nine months before I was born there was a woman who loved me deeply. She did not know what I was going to be like, but she loved me because she carried me in her womb. And when she gave me birth, she took me in her arms, because her love was not just beginning- she conceived it along with me. A mother loves- and that is why abortion is so abhorrent.” -St. Oscar Romero

“To claim the right to abortion, infanticide, and euthanasia, and to recognize that right in law, means to attribute to human freedom a perverse and evil significance: that of an absolute power over others and against others. This is the death of true freedom.” -Pope St. John Paul II

“Each of us is the result of a thought of God. Each of us is willed, each of us is loved, each of us is necessary.” -Pope Benedict XVI



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## THANK YOU

The parishioners of St. Raphael the Archangel have poured out their amazing generosity to those in need. The Ladies of Charity would like to thank all who donated gifts for our Angel Tree Project. The response was remarkable. Your kindness provided gifts to the following organizations:



- 7 to adults at Step By Step
- 16 to adults at Chartiers Center
- 36 to children of local parish families
- 40 for gift cards for people in need
- 45 for people finding themselves homeless
- 45 for babies thru LifeLine
- 62 to children at Pioneer School
- 97 to children at Community Human Services
- 261 to children of the food pantry
- **609 total gifts collected and distributed**

## CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

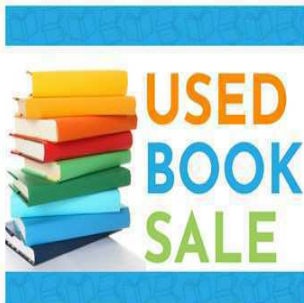
In each church you will find in the pews, or on the bulletin tables, the purple "Debt Reduction" envelopes. Feel free to make use of those or the one already included in your monthly envelope packet.

Gifts to the Debt Reduction Campaign (Capital Campaign) may also be processed online. Select the ONLINE GIVING tab at the top of our homepage: [straphaelcgs.org](http://straphaelcgs.org), or just scan the QR code.

Be sure to click the "Debt Reduction Campaign" button at the bottom of the webpage. All gifts up to \$550,000 will be doubled.



*A reminder that the offerings to assist in the debt reduction should not replace your regular offertory gifts.*



Guardian Angel Academy's Student Council is hosting a Used Book Sale on Sunday, January 25, during our Open House for Catholic Schools Week, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the School Cafeteria.

All parishioners and Guardian Angel Academy families are welcome.

## CELEBRATIONS FOR OUR 5<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY AS THE PARISH OF ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL



### FELLOWSHIP - 4<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY

January 28 - Pizza following the noon Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

### PRAY THE ROSARY FOR LIFE

*The Church designates January 22 as a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, and on January 23 the 53<sup>rd</sup> annual March for Life takes place in Washington, D.C. Prayer and penance is to be observed for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion.*



### St. Raphael's Walking with Moms in Need

On Thursday, January 22, on the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, parishioners, family, and friends are invited to pray the rosary at 6:30 p.m. at Ss. Simon and Jude Church.



### Raphael's Ramblers

We will have a special "Rosary Ramble" on Friday, January 23 following noon Mass at Ss. Simon and Jude Church to coincide with the March for Life. In case of hazardous walking conditions due to extreme cold or ice, we will pray a Rosary for Life in the church.

### ST. RAPHAEL CHAPLET MAKING

Gather in the Ss. Simon and Jude Hall at noon on Sunday, January 25 to make St. Raphael the Archangel Chaplets. See page 13.

### MARDI GRAS

Our annual Mardi Gras celebration will take place the Sunday before Ash Wednesday. See page 15.

### SPRING FLING

The annual Spring Fling is coming soon! See page 16 for more information.

### WINE TASTING

Save the date: April 25. Be ready to join us for a sampling of wine, complementing appetizers, door prizes, and raffles. Details on page 14.

# ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

## PURSE RAFFLE

Tickets are on sale now! The cost is \$20 for a dual-numbered ticket that is valid for the entire month of February. Winners are determined by the PA Lottery's Evening Pick 3. If one of the numbers on your ticket matches the drawn number, you win the purse (or purses) designated for that day.

This weekend, you may purchase tickets after the 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. Masses at St. Margaret of Scotland Church.

## THANK YOU

A huge thanks to the many parishioners who donated.

We also thank the following businesses and organizations for their support in this Capital Campaign Fundraiser:

Get your tickets before it's too late, and remember, because it is a Capital Campaign fundraiser, each dollar raised with this raffle will be doubled.

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The Parish & Contemporary Choirs

## *Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus*



The Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is a long-standing tradition that offers families and individuals an opportunity to begin or enrich a devotion to Christ under that esteemed title "Sacred Heart." As this year marks the 350<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the apparitions of Christ to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, I would like to offer the opportunity for parishioners to schedule a visit by one of the priests or deacons for a short ceremony in your home that includes the blessing and "enthronement" of an image of the Sacred Heart (you may already have a picture or statue - if not, we will provide you a picture suitable for framing); prayers of blessing and consecration; and act of reparation. This will be an ongoing opportunity.

Schedule an appointment on our homepage, or call Fr. Grecco: 412-857-5356, ext. 412.

# MSYG

# OPEN HOUSE

All families with students in grades six through eight are invited to attend a Middle School Youth Group Open House!

Families are encouraged to attend the 4:00 p.m. Liturgy on Saturday, January 31 at Ss. Simon and Jude Church. Immediately following the Mass, come to the Church Hall to say hello, meet the youth group team, and have a snack. We look forward to seeing you!

For more information call or text Kate Bays: 412-200-0122.

## ST. RAPHAEL CHAPLET MAKING



Gather in the Ss. Simon and Jude Hall at noon on Sunday, January 25 to make St. Raphael the Archangel Chaplets. Create and learn how to pray the chaplet for our Patron Saint. Enjoy fellowship, hot beverages, and snacks while we craft. Pre-registration is requested for this event to ensure that we have adequate supplies.

Please RSVP to Laura at 412-857-5356, ext. 431 or [laura@straphaelcgs.org](mailto:laura@straphaelcgs.org) by Wednesday, January 21.



Weekday Mass Intentions are available. Please call or visit the parish office. Note: While it's a beautiful gesture to attend the Mass you have requested, it is not obligatory. Your intention will be honored regardless of your presence.

**WINE TASTING**

April 25, 2026

On Saturday April 25, St. Raphael the Archangel Parish will be sponsoring a wine tasting event. The evening will consist of sampling six different wines, complementing appetizers, door prizes, raffles, and a parish-family atmosphere. The event will be limited to 120 participants (age 21 and over only) and should prove to be a great evening of tasting and learning about different wines. Donation for the event will be \$50 per person. Save the date and keep your eyes out for ticket sale notifications in future bulletin articles. All proceeds from this event will be applied to the debt reduction Capital Campaign for the parish.

Sincerely, Jeffery Palastro  
(Wine-tasting committee chairman)

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Parish Picnic**

Please mark your calendar for our Annual Parish Picnic sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. It will be held on Sunday, September 20, at Scott Park. Details will be in this summer's bulletins.

**BASKETS WANTED**

**Spring Fling**

One of the best parts of the Spring Fling Luncheon is always the amazing prizes that we raffle. Help us to fill our prize tables and entice our guests to dig deep into their pockets. We are in need of any BRAND NEW, NEVER-USED items that can make up a gift basket or stand as a prize on their own. As always, monetary donations, gift certificates, and gift cards are welcome. Please contact Heidi Hartman if you have any questions: 412-260-9280. You can have your item picked up or just drop it off at the Parish Administration Center in Carnegie during office hours. All donations are to be turned in by February 19. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

**PRINCESS TEA PARTY**

Calling all princesses, ages three to nine.

This event will take place on March 21, at Bishop Canevin High School (gym), with two event times (10:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.). Admission includes having her hair, nails, and makeup done; a craft corner; enjoying tea with sandwich and cookie; and meeting

the Team Mahalo Princesses for an autograph. \$40 per little girl/ two adults free. Reservations are required by March 13: 412-251-3933 or mahaloteaparty2011@gmail.com. ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT CURESEARCH-Fighting Childhood Cancer.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

**Birthright Pittsburgh**

Birthright is seeking volunteers to provide compassion, dignity, and practical help to moms and their babies. As a volunteer, you can make a meaningful difference by offering your time, a listening ear, and encouragement. Opportunities range from client support and mentoring to administrative help, education, and outreach—there is a place for every heart and skill. No prior experience is necessary. We provide thorough training and ongoing support to ensure you feel confident and prepared. Whether you're able to serve a two-hour shift weekly or occasionally, your presence can have a lasting impact. Please contact the office at 412-621-1988 or email us at [hope@birthrightpittsburgh.org](mailto:hope@birthrightpittsburgh.org).



All boys and girls ages 9 through 14 are invited to compete in the **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS — ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL COUNCIL #11143:**

# FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP

The competition will be held on Sunday, February 1, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. in the Green Tree Borough Municipal Gym located at 10 West Manilla Avenue (Pittsburgh, 15220).

There will be awards for each age group. No pre-registration necessary. No Cost. Proof of age is required at the time of competition (birth certificate preferable).

Any Questions? Call: Bill O'Connor 412-716-5577

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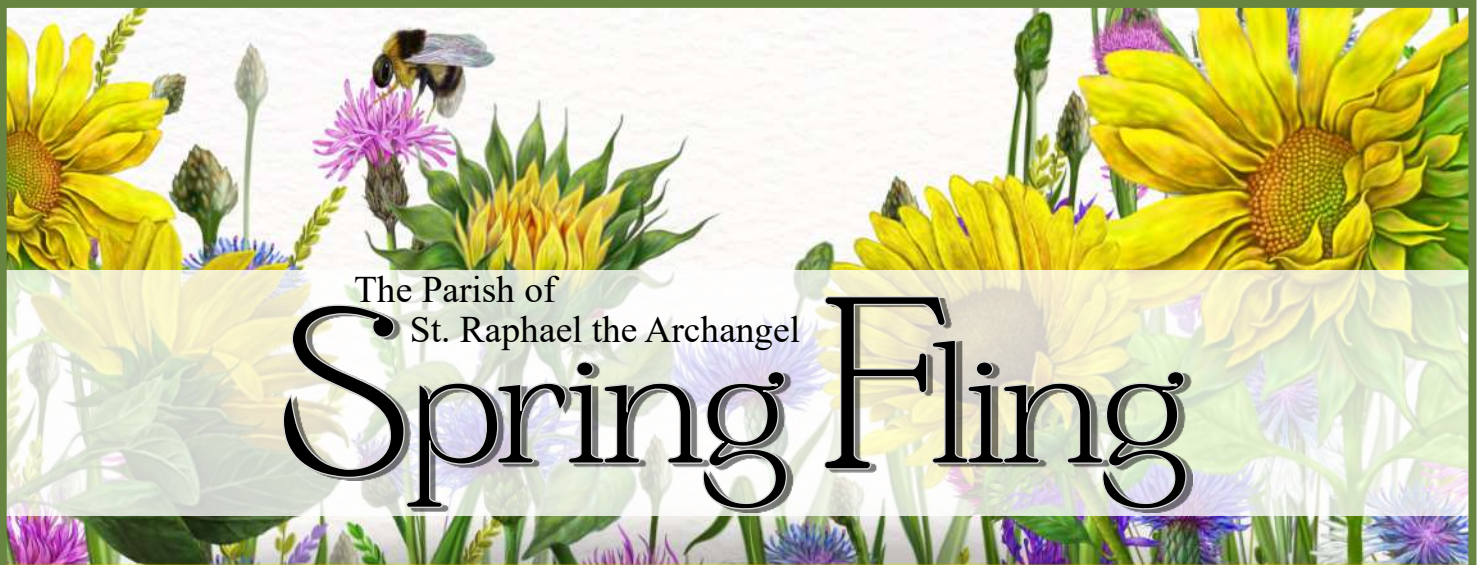
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The Parish of  
St. Raphael the Archangel  
**Spring Fling**

*Hosted by the Christian Mothers and Women's Guild*

All are invited to our annual luncheon and card party.  
(Card-playing is optional.)

**Sunday, March 1**  
**at The Club at Nevillewood.**  
— 1000 Nevillewood Drive | Nevillewood, PA 15142 —

Doors open at 11:00 a.m.  
Lunch is served at Noon  
Tickets are \$43.00 per person.

Tickets may be reserved by contacting Lori Dedola: [lddedola@comcast.net](mailto:lddedola@comcast.net) or 412-302-9143  
Or complete the bottom of the form and return to the Parish Administration Center  
with your check payable to **The Christian Mothers and Women's Guild.**

You may also drop your order in the collection basket at Mass. Be sure to clearly mark: **Spring Fling.**

**ALL REQUESTS MUST BE RECEIVED AND PAID BY FEBRUARY 15.**

NAME (please print)		ENTRÉE CHOICE	
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All meals can be prepared gluten-free, but we must know in advance, please indicate "GF" with entrée selection.

Check here if you are playing cards and require a square card table with four chairs.

Name and address to send tickets: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

All proceeds of this event go to the Debt Reduction Campaign.

# ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL



## OPEN HOUSE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25  
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## GUIDELINES FOR THE RECEPTION OF COMMUNION

### FOR CATHOLICS

As Catholics, we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, **participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour.** A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession. In this case, the person is to be mindful of the obligation to make an act of perfect contrition, including the intention of confessing as soon as possible (canon 916). A frequent reception of the Sacrament of Penance is encouraged for all.

### FOR OUR FELLOW CHRISTIANS

We welcome our fellow Christians to this celebration of the Eucharist as our brothers and sisters. We pray that our common baptism and the action of the Holy Spirit in this Eucharist will draw us closer to one another and begin to dispel the sad divisions which separate us. We pray that these will lessen and finally disappear, in keeping with Christ's prayer for us "that they may all be one" (Jn 17:21).

Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are ordinarily not admitted to Holy Communion. Eucharistic sharing in exceptional circumstances by other Christians requires permission according to the directives of the diocesan bishop and the provisions of canon law (canon 844 §4). Members of the Orthodox Churches, the Assyrian Church of the East, and the Polish National Catholic Church are urged to respect the discipline of their own Churches. According to Roman Catholic discipline, the Code of Canon Law does not object to the reception of Communion by Christians of these Churches (canon 844 §3).

### FOR THOSE NOT RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

All who are not receiving Holy Communion are encouraged to express in their hearts a prayerful desire for unity with the Lord Jesus and with one another.

### FOR NON-CHRISTIANS

We also welcome to this celebration those who do not share our faith in Jesus Christ. While we cannot admit them to Holy Communion, we ask them to offer their prayers for the peace and the unity of the human family.

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## CHOIR SCHEDULE

### January 18

Contemporary Choir: 10:00 a.m. SMOS  
The Parish Choir is on a winter break.

### January 24

Contemporary Choir: 4:30 p.m. SEAS  
The Parish Choir is on a winter break.

*Note: The music for the Contemporary Choir Masses can be found in a bulletin supplement at the entrance(s) of the church.*



## HERE FOR YOU

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### 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.*

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### Baptisms

For arrangements please call the parish office.

### Marriage

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

### 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.

### 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.  
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12:00 to 1:00 p.m.  
*St. Elizabeth Ann Seton*  
1st & 3rd Wed.: 6:00 to 6:45 p.m.  
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Livestream questions: [livestream@straphaelcgs.org](mailto:livestream@straphaelcgs.org)

### Flocknote

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### Saint Vincent de Paul

412-444-5424  
To donate furniture:  
412-321-1071 ext. 2

### Sacramental Records

412-456-3158

### SVdP Food Pantry

at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton  
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## SCHOOLS

### Guardian Angel Academy Elementary School

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412-922-4765

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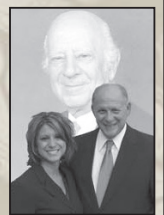
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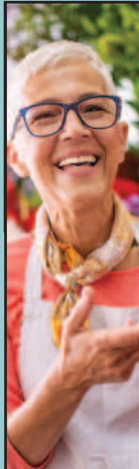
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