

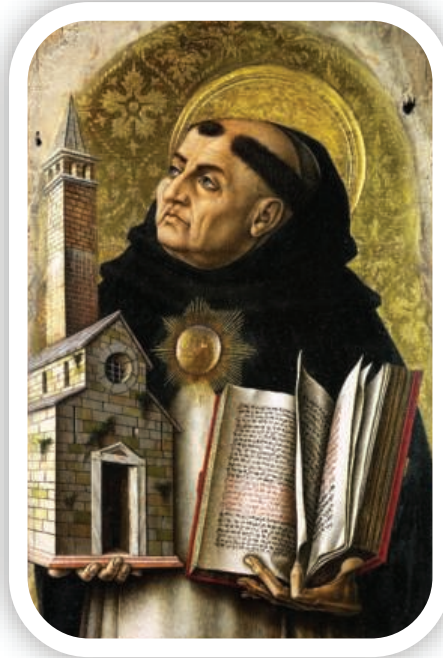
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St. Thomas Aquinas (1922-2014)
& St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (1976-2014)
601 Bristol Pike, Croydon, PA 19021

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM
Sundays: 9:00 AM
and 11:00 AM

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM
(Chapel at 126 Walnut Ave.)

Holydays: 8:30 AM, 12 Noon
and 7:00 PM



PARISH OFFICE

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**CONFESSION
SCHEDULE**

Saturdays: 3:30 PM
or by appointment

Served By:
Rev. David A. Fernandes, Pastor
Deacon John J. Gallagher

Roseann Spear
Adm Asst

Amanda Gentile
Music Director

Kathleen Gallagher
D.R.E.

Joseph Spear
Maintenance

BAPTISMS

First and Third Sundays of the month after 11:00 AM Mass. Attendance at Pre-Jordan class, on the 3rd Tuesday each month at 7:30PM, in the Parish Meeting Room at 121 Belmont Avenue, is a requirement. You must pre-register by calling the Parish Office at (215)788-2989.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

In order to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation and Matrimony, and/or to receive a Letter of Eligibility to be a Godparent or Sponsor it is necessary for you to be registered in our parish and practice the Catholic Faith. Contact the Parish Office as soon as you move into our parish to schedule a registration meeting. Please call the Parish Office if you move, or change your address or phone number.

PARISH DEVOTIONS

Rosary: Weekdays before 8:30 AM Mass (Chapel)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Mondays 9:00 AM -3:30PM with Benediction at 3:30 PM (Chapel) During Lent



Monday April 24, 2023

8:30 AM Marian Duffner req by Deacon & Mrs Gallagher

Tuesday April 25, 2023

8:30 AM Ethel Iannuzzi req by Tony & Lois Cinkutis

Wednesday April 26, 2023

8:30 AM Ethel Iannuzzi req by Spear Family

Thursday April 27, 2023

8:30 AM Bill & Ellen Ott req by Eleanor Clancy

Friday April 28, 2023

8:30 AM Tillie Gergo req by Joe & Helen Gergo

Saturday April 29, 2023

4:30 PM Alfonso Tung Nguyen req by Mary & Joseph

Sunday April 30, 2023

9:00 AM George & Beatrice Gutherman req by Family

11:00 AM Anna Lawlor req by Deacon & Mrs Gallagher

Weekend Offerings

Total for All Masses for 04/08 & 04/09	\$ 2,895.00
Easter	\$ 7,394.25
Mail Ins/Parish Giving	\$ 1,753.00
Improvement Fund	\$ 130.00
Winter Maintenance	\$ 25.00
Other Collections (Parish)	\$ 502.00
Other Collections (Archdiocese)	\$ 610.00
Candles/Shrine	\$ 95.00
Poor Box	\$ 76.00

TOTAL for Parish for April 9, 2023 \$12,870.25

TOTAL for Archdiocesan Collections \$610.00

***Thank you for your generosity.
May the Lord bless you.***

Lectors

April 29, 2023

4:30 PM M Kelly & R Kelly

April 30, 2023

9:00 AM C Del Puerto & J Del Puerto

11:00 AM R Dalessandro & W Scenna

Extraordinary Ministers

April 29, 2023

4:30 PM P DeMichele & T Litz

April 30, 2023

9:00 AM R Daubert & T Ashby

11:00 AM C McGinley & G McGinley

Altar Servers

April 29, 2023

4:30 PM:

Meghan Brogan, Effie McMahon, Bernie McMahon

April 30, 2023

9:00 AM:

Ella Del Puerto, Katherine Bitting, Scott Bitting

11:00 AM:

Lily Gentile, Violet Gentile, Daisy Gentile

Sunday Scriptures April 30, 2023

Reading I: Acts of the Apostles 2:14a, 36—41 (49A)

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23:1—3a, 3b—4, 5, 6

Reading II: 1 Peter 2:20b—25

Gospel: John 10:1—10

Remember In Your Prayers



Our men and women in the military:

Many of our parishioners have family members serving in dangerous assignments around the world. **Please keep them in your prayers.**

Our Sick: Ryan Beitz, Marcie Belz, Patricia Bercute, Elizabeth Blinn, Joe Bobst, John Bossman, Eva Braley, Kim Brennan, Francis Breuer, Ernest Brewer, Loretta Cameron, Bill Campanelli, Richard Campbell Jr, Maddox Carmona, Tama Cary, Janet Clements, Jennifer Clements, Regina Cole, Concetta Corrento, Bobby Daubert, Dolores DeBeaumont, James Donnelly, George Doran Jr., Dolores Doran, James Dott, Karlee Dott, Wayne Duke, Rae Ann Edelman, Robin Erickson, Russell Evans, Rosanne Fabry, Maureen Fenton, Richard Fieramosca, Annette Flint, Patti Ann Frinb, Sheri Getts, Lew Gibson, Patricia Gibson-Decker, Karen Goudy, Margaret Griffiths, Monica Grover, Robert Gushue, Jayon & Cheryl Haulchild, Mike Heil, Bart Houck, Joseph Hueber, Joseph Hughes, Jet Jabla, Luisa Jabla, Janet Jackson, Bill Kampf, Shirley Kazio, Dawn Kerr, Ron Kimble, Bernie Klusaritz, Michael & Jamie Kreines, Ruth Leighton, Richard Leshner III, Joseph Lipinski, John Lynch, Debbie Lyons, Kathy Maddaloni, Evelyn Manna, James Martin, Alexis Martincek, Mike McBride, Michael McGovern, Margaret McGrory, Cassidy Grace McVan, Pat Metcalfe, Jim Miller, Sharon Miller, Carletta Minor, Carmella Mooney, Karen Murphy, Katrina Orfe, Carol Parrish, Vince Pasciullo, Dan Reardon, George Reichardt, Jacob Rivera, Richard Rogers, Gregory Schafer, Ken Serrano Jr, Logan Sierocinski, Romilda Steacker, Carol Sullivan, Amanda Tees, Hugh Templeton, Kim Vickers, Jermaine Williams, Denise Wilson, Elaine Wilson, Diane Wright, John Yankanich and all their relatives and friends.

Our Deceased: All the deceased members of our parish and their relatives and friends.

Memorial Fund

We would like to thank
The Mathews Family
for their donation
In Memory of Louise Mathews



St Thomas Aquinas December 50/50

Remember, this 50/50 will now be an annual event.

You may enter as many times as you wish.

Additional envelopes are available in the back of Church and in the Parish Office

Donation is \$5.00. The drawing will take place on Sunday, December 24, 2023 after the 11:00 AM Mass

The Ladies of the Knights of Columbus #4765 will hold their next meeting on **Monday, April 24, 2023 at 7:00 PM** in Father Crehan Hall. For information, contact Marie Kelly at (215) 788-3331.

The STA Conference of St Vincent DePaul Society will hold their next meeting on **Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at 2:30 PM** in the Parish Meeting Room. For information, please call (267) 554-7109.

The Knights of Columbus #4765 will hold their next General Membership Meeting on **Tuesday, May 2, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. This meeting will be held on site in Father Crehan Hall and on Zoom. For information, contact Bob Gutherman at (215) 816-9994.

The Women's Bible Group meets every other Wednesday in the KOC Meeting Room. Their next meeting will be on **Wednesday, May 3rd at 7:00 PM**. For information, contact Marie Kelly at (215) 788-3331 or marierosemallonkelly@hotmail.com.

Separated/Divorced Support Group will meet on **Wednesday, May 17, 2023 at 7:00 PM** in Father Crehan Hall. For information, contact Peg Duffy at (215) 788-1947.

St Thomas Aquinas Parish
cordially invites you to the
Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

on

Saturday, May 20, 2023

at 5:30 PM

Father Crehan Hall

Dinner is BYOB

Invitation is extended to volunteer
and a guest

Please RSVP to the Parish Office
at (215) 788-2989

on or before May 12, 2023

Nazareth Academy High School is proud to offer a variety of **summer programs** this year! These programs include a Pre-7th & Pre-8th Grade Summer Enrichment Program for students who will be in 7th or 8th grade beginning in the fall as well as Art Camp, STEM Camp, and athletic camps, including basketball, cheer, lacrosse, soccer, softball and volleyball. Dates and times vary throughout the summer. More information and online registration are available by going to NazarethAcademyHS.org/SummerPrograms.

Summer's right around the corner! *Nazareth Academy High School* invites you to join us for an exclusive event for 7th grade girls—**Beach Bag Bingo!** This fun, free event will be held on **Friday, May 5, 2023**, from 6:30 PM to 9 PM. There will be 10 games of bingo with prizes, pizza, and refreshments. To register your daughter for the event, please visit NazarethAcademyHS.org/BBB. For any questions, please contact Ms Derassouyan in the Admissions Office at (215) 268-1026

Tuesday, May 9, 2023, 9:00 AM -2:00 PM

Event: Mothers of Children with Disabilities

Retreat: Michelle White, will lead a retreat for mothers and grandmothers who are raising children with disabilities and also those who have adult children with disabilities. Michelle is an artist, teacher and parent of an adult daughter with Down Syndrome. The theme of the retreat is: *A Diamond in the Crown of God's Glory*. The day will include Mass with Fr. Amalraj Sawarimuthu, presentations, times of quiet prayer and opportunities to chat with other mothers.

Location: Malvern Retreat House, 315 S. Warren Avenue, Malvern, PA 19355

More Info: Cost: \$45 (includes light breakfast and hot lunch). Register at MalvernRetreat.com/register or call (610) 644-0400.

Marianist Family Retreat Center
Cape May Point, NJ 08212

Gift of Days: Spirituality & Aging Retreat
May 9—11, 2023

This retreat (intended for those 55+) will explore the mystery of aging and God's desire for our spiritual fulfillment and development. This retreat will consist of input, quiet personal time, prayer rituals, Mass and small group sharing. Cost is \$145/pp (includes program, lodging and meals). Sign up online at: www.capemaymarianists.org or call (609) 884-3829.

The Ladies of Guadalupe and the K of C of St Michael the Archangel would like to invite everyone to join us in praying the rosary for world peace on May 13th, the feast of Our Lady of Fatima. We will meet at 2:30 PM at the Grotto Garden, on the side of the rectory. We ask everyone to bring a folding chair for their comfort.

Employment Opportunity:

Holy Trinity Parish, Morrisville, is seeking a CRE/DRE for their PREP Program for the 2023-2024 school year. This is a full time, 12 month position. The PREP program meets on Wednesday evenings in our school. If interested, please send your resume to Monsignor John C Eckert at HolyTrinityRCC@aol.com.

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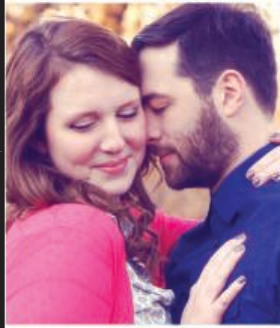
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