

St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish

Founded 2006

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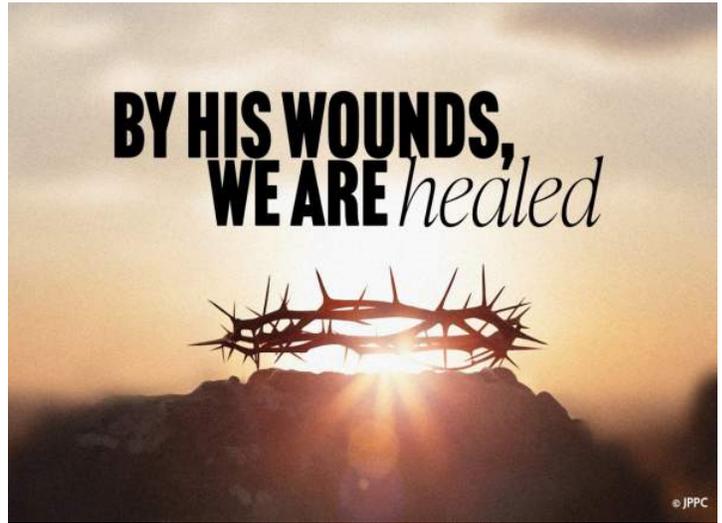
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Deborah Rorabaugh

St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish

Mission Statement

The Roman Catholic Family of St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish recognizes the importance of following in the footsteps of our Patroness in sharing our time, talent and treasure. Through ordinary and simple actions, we strive to teach and spread the Catholic faith, leading all to know God in a personal and loving way. In the celebration of the Eucharist, the Parish Community receives energy to care for the needs of all people through acts of kindness and love.



Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, Noon & 6:00 PM

Daily Masses

Monday 8:00 AM

Tuesday 7:00 PM

Wednesday 8:00 AM

Thursday 8:00 AM

Friday 9:00 AM

Saturday 9:00 AM

Holy Days

Vigil 7:00 PM

6:30 AM, Noon & 7:00 PM

Confession

Saturday 4-4:30 PM and in the Parish Office by appointment

Adoration

Wednesday all day after the 8:00 AM Mass concluding with Holy Hour 7:00 - 8:00 PM (Rosary, Evening Prayer, Benediction)

Baptism

Every week during any Mass or at 1:30 PM Sunday



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STC UNITED WAY NUMBER: 8772

May still be listed under Blessed Teresa

PALM SUNDAY
April 12 – 13, 2025



Theodore Sirbak, Tom Kandle, Emily Morgan, Robert George, Philip Irwin, Shirley Staub, Anneliese Schneidinger, Sarah Valente, Linda Boling, Anthony Tone Fisher, Ryan Newman, Nancy Matozzo, Shelly Mohr, Linda Vaszily, Barbara Moyer, John S. Babiec Jr., Larry Krieger, Trip Koury, Joanne MacGregor, Jonathan Bower, Al Gentile, Gary Saffell, Patricia Sheridan, Donna Stevenson, Christine Stanny, Mary Lesh, Emma Jane Rhodes, Eileen DeZura, William Andrew DeLaney, III, Danny, Debbie and Kevin Brady, Corey Baron, Karen Clayton, Pat Geissler, Marco Mastracola, Edward Reilly, Grace Olivia Blacie, John Cordisco, Bernard Daly, Gene Lennox, Susan Lomagro, Danny Dufner, Anthony & Frances Petaccio, Scott Pupek, Michael Nabal, Maureen Steinmetz, Marian Lippert, David Little, Joan Yatsko, Erin Beal, Connor Mocey, Jamie DiFabio, Todd A. Hartzman, Marcy R., Marguerite Miscavage, Steve Rieker, John Cane, Russ Deery, Mike Stauffer, Ellen Trout, Mary Ruck Pacio, Madeline Paris, Mike Ingrassia, Lynn Jackson, Mary Jo Plate, Tom Harned, James J. Campbell Jr., Rachel Jones, Kathy Saunders, Thomas McGee, Kathy & Nick Mongiello, Mary Cosgrove, Krista Schauder, Kate Markel, Christopher Milecki, Karen Osley, Kelly Fitzgerald, Maryann Gross, Karen Arthur, Cole & Liam Randell, Kathy Polo, Stacey Morris, John Orlando, Charles Ashler, Frank Coyle, Regina Raufer, Joan Bianco, Eileen Cullen, Edward Loughlin, Marianne Sphon, Christine Wesoloski, Steve Anoaia, Dee & Denny & Dee B., Jim Cunningham, Lindy Logue, Rose Panish, Pat Kelso, John Rizzuto, Mike Flynn, Mary Smith, Brynna Moira Fehnel, Rosemarie Brendlinger, Marlene Greenberg, Stephen Bono, Joanne Dunn, JoAnn DiRado, Esther Maureen Dungan, Anthony Girard, Teresa Carfango-DiSanto, Thomas Macfarlane, Ruth-Anne Graulich, Charles Gordon, Thomas Lobley, Sarah Park, Christian Schroeder, Sam Mitchell, Rachel W., Rita Beauchamp, Mike Brasberger, Don Moser, Sue Verdi, Doris Donahue, Robert DiRita, Pasqualina Pires, Wendy Racine, Dena Yurick, Diane Ferreri, Robert Pominger, Frank Brown, Angeline Schermann, Marianne Marcello, Florence Shemanski, Joseph Dimeno, Marti Stine, Alman Keys, Kelly Shincariak, Allie Kohler, Nettie Deriscage, Elizabeth Gillard, Sami Bienkowski, John Coyle, Mary Stierle, MaryAnn Warbuton, Rosemary Bauerle, Jenell Wagner, Larry Longo, Jason Wagner, Bob Wolf, Sr., Allison Carr, Mary George, Bill Walker, Claudia Hattab, Regina O'Brien, Rita Rollman, Eleanor Carey, Steven Eling, Kerri March, Jane Centrella, Joe Wausnock, Eileen Fowler, Jill Frain, Terrence Goff, Lynda Jones, Aaron Gulla, Colleen McQuaid, Larry Scaver, John Clark, Matthew Salvo, Christopher Riley, Monica Masticolo, Jerry Hoff, John Hoffman, Janie Hartman, Armando Mastrocolo, Raymond Keeler, Mary Wheatley, Michael John Reimer, Angie Danaker, Zack Lofton, Thomas Tegler, Ryan Welder, Domenic Bono, Sharon Bieber, Teresa Busarak, Damone Hopkins, Karen Murray, Lynn Jackson, Rosie Lang, William Taylor, Bobby Wolf, Conor, Declan, Wayne Casey, Peter Dolan, Tracy Garay, Stephanie Mongiello, Carrie Prout, & the sick and suffering of the parish.

Dear Parishioners,
The journey that we have taken throughout Lent culminates in the Passion of the Lord which we hear in today's Gospel. The Passion is the prelude to the Easter Triduum which culminates in the Resurrection of Jesus from the dead. The Passion is the human journey which Jesus and His disciples encounter on their way to the Resurrection. This human journey is the journey we take with Jesus which exposes us to reality of human suffering and the joy of Resurrection.

Fr. Brandt

Do we believe that God's love is infinitely more powerful, His mercy more tender than the evil of sin, than all the hatred, conflicts, and tensions that are dividing the world? Do we believe that God's love is more powerful than the most powerful bombs and guns ever made by human hands and minds?

Mother Teresa

**CALL FOR ADORATION
SUBSTITUTES**

Do you wish to spend more time in the presence of Jesus? The parish is in need of substitutes for Eucharistic Adoration! On occasion, someone with a weekly hour cannot be there for their time slot, and we are looking for substitutes who can be called on to take their place. Adoration takes place every Wednesday in the Chapel, and you can use the time to pray, reflect, read the Bible, write in a spiritual journal, or simply sit peacefully in the presence of our Lord. If you have been thinking about coming to Adoration or are interested in joining the substitute list, please contact Jim Siegmann at (540) 273-5054 or jim.siegmann@comcast.net.



We need an Adoration Volunteer for the **4:00 PM - 5:00 PM** adoration time period.

With great joy we welcome these children who were baptized in March to our parish family:

Lila Jean Frost
Miles Carmen Jenks
Payton Olivia Cook
Theodore Mark Warner
Emma Anne Wojton
Waylon Cash Hmelak
David Alan Burdette, III
Charles James Deitrick, IV
Tanitoluwa David Talabi
Toluwalase Michelle Talabi



The Braided Palm used in the procession and placed in the sanctuary is in memory of Francis Nailon, Pamela Nailon-Slawecki, Maria Lynn Nailon-Cioci, husband and daughters of Pat Nailon.

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**

SATURDAY	04/12/2025
9:00 AM	Phyllis Reid
5:00 PM	Clarence Wright
SUNDAY	04/13/2025
7:30 AM	Terri Tancini
9:00 AM	Leslie Lovre King
10:30 AM	Grace Lanzoni
12:00 Noon	Ethel McNeill
6:00 PM	Parishioners
MONDAY	04/14/2025
8:00 AM	Marie Harnois
TUESDAY	04/15/2025
7:00 PM	Michael Andraka
WEDNESDAY	04/16/2025
8:00 AM	Jenkins and McCartney Families
THURSDAY	04/17/2025 - Holy Thursday
7:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper
FRIDAY	04/18/2025 - Good Friday
3:00 PM	Passion of the Our Lord
SATURDAY	04/19/2025 - Holy Saturday
7:00 PM	For our Christian Initiation Class
SUNDAY	04/20/2025 - Easter
7:30 AM	Parishioners
9:00 AM	Increase to Vocations
10:30 AM	Easter Flower Intentions
12:00 Noon	Those Affected by War and Conflict

BAPTISM

Arrangements are to be made two months prior to the date you would like to have the Baptism. All *new* parents must attend a Pre-Jordan class before the Baptism of their child. To schedule, please call Shawn Marie Brown at (610) 287-2525 ext. 100 or email dps@stteresacalcutta.com.



ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATES

Sponsors for Baptism and Confirmation must be at least sixteen years of age and have received Confirmation and are actively practicing their Catholic faith. Those that are married must be validly married in the Catholic Church. Please call Shawn Marie Brown, (610) 287-2525 ext. 100 at least two months in advance.

PRE-JORDAN CLASS

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**SANCTUARY LAMP IN THE
CHURCH AND CHAPEL
MEMORIALS**

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the Church this week is in memory of Charlie Gordon.

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the Chapel this week is in memory of Leslie Lovre King.

There are opportunities to memorialize a deceased family member or to honor or celebrate a special event by sponsoring the Sanctuary Lamp. The remembrance begins on Sunday and ends on Saturday of that week. The Church and Chapel Sanctuary Light offering is \$20.00. This is a special way to remember a loved one. If you are interested in sponsoring the Sanctuary Lamp please sign up at the Parish Office.

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE
HOLY THURSDAY**

The Mass of the Lord's Supper
7:00 PM

Adoration – Repository until 11:00 PM – Chapel
*Night Prayer – Chapel - 10:45 PM

GOOD FRIDAY

*Morning Prayer - Chapel
9:00 AM

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Liturgy of the Passion and Death of Our Lord
3:00 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Tuesday - 2:00 PM
Good Friday – 7:00 PM

HOLY SATURDAY

*Morning Prayer – Chapel
9:00 AM

Blessing of Food
10:00 AM

EASTER VIGIL

7:00 PM
(There will be no 5:00 PM Mass)
(No Confessions this day)

EASTER SUNDAY

7:30 AM
9:00 AM
10:30 AM
12:00 Noon
(There will be no 6:00 PM Mass)



Please join us in saying the Rosary in the Chapel every Sunday at 10:00 AM. A few new leaders are appreciated.



SCHOOL NEWS

Educating Faith Filled Learners for the 21st Century

www.stcschool.com

Facebook: St Teresa Calcutta School
Instagram: stteresacalcuttaschool
Twitter: STCschool

St. Teresa of Calcutta School provides a faith-filled education from Kindergarten through 8th grade.

We would love to tell you more about our school. If you have any questions/concerns or would like to schedule a tour please feel free to email us at cfalciani@school.stteresacalcutta.com or call (610) 287-2500.

Job Opportunity

STC Education Center is always looking for educators to serve as daily substitute teachers. Clearances will be required. If you are interested in joining our school community email Robin John at rjohn@school.stteresacalcutta.com.

BLOCS SCHOLARSHIP - 2025-2026

Applications for BLOCS Scholarships for the 2025-2026 school year are now open. If your child is planning on attending an Archdiocesan grade school or high school, please apply with FACTS at <https://online.factsmgmt.com/aid>.

In order to apply, you will need to have your most recent tax documents available.

For questions about the application process, please contact FACTS at (866) 441-4637 or Tammy Brock, Business Manager at bmgr@stteresacalcutta.com. The majority of STC's financial aid grants are made possible through the Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) program in Pennsylvania. These funds are contingent on the PA budget.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

There are spots for the Steubenville youth conference still available for students going into high school and high school level. If you are interested, please contact Leah Smith at youthminister@stteresacalcutta.com.

CMC LIONS FOOTBALL

Ches-Mont Catholic Lions Football registration is now open for the Fall season for players entering Grades 5-6 (Junior Varsity) and Grades 7-8 (Varsity). Visit cmccyo.org for more information.



CYO NEWS

CYO is looking for a High School AD. If interested contact Steve Lewis at (267) 640-8180.



P.R.E.P. NEWS

Email: stcprep@stteresacalcutta.com
(610) 287-2500 ext. 2

Learning about God through fun and educational activities

New Student Registration for the 2025-2026 School Year

Registration is open through an online program called Parish Giving.

- Families should be registered in the Parish
- Access the Parish website www.stteresacalcutta.com
- At the top right click "P.R.E.P."
- Click "Need to Register?"
- Click the link to register for religious education classes (Kindergarten through Level 7)
- To guarantee your seat (20 in a class) please register early and by April 30th

Baptismal Certificates will need to be provided to the P.R.E.P. Office if not baptized at STC. Students transferring to St. Teresa of Calcutta P.R.E.P. will need to provide the progress report from their previous P.R.E.P./private school to the P.R.E.P. Office.

Student Re-registration - Re-registration for students presently in our program is open through Parish Giving. To guarantee your current session, register by April 30th.

Volunteer Opportunity - If your occupation is working with students with special needs and you would like to be involved in the Religious Education Program, please give the P.R.E.P. Office a call to see how you can help our Parish (610) 287-2500 ext. 2.

Sunday Positions Available - Please consider giving of your time and talent as a Catechist in the Parish Religious Education Program. Contact the Parish Religious Education Office at (610) 287-2500, ext. 2 for more information including a tuition discount for Teachers and Aides. For 2025-2026 the available positions are:

Level 2A Teacher; Level 3A and 3B Aide; Level 4B Teacher and Level 5B Aide

SCRIP PROGRAM

We sell most neighborhood grocery stores, Cabela's, Advanced Auto, Target, Walmart, Kohl's, Boscov's, Home Depot, WaWa, Dunkin Donuts, Burger King, Rita's, Red Lobster, and Outback just to name a few. Use the scrip gift cards the same as cash. This fundraiser can be used toward any parochial school student's tuition, building fund, Child Care or P.R.E.P. Stop by the Parish Office Monday - Friday between 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM to purchase SCRIP.



MOTHER TERESA LIBRARY

A library of books on Mother Teresa is available in the Parish Ministry Center. All are welcome to stop by and sign out a book.

18th ANNUAL BASKET RAFFLE

Basket Raffle is fast approaching. Tickets for the evening event will go on sale April 15th. A ticket reservation system will be used via the event website, www.stcbasketraffle.com or email requests for tickets will also be accepted info@stcbasketraffle.com.

To make our event a success we need your help! We are looking for volunteers to help sell chances, event setup and prize patrol (running baskets to the winning tables). If you are interested in volunteering, we have a sign up genius located on our website under <https://www.stcbasketraffle.com/get-involved>

Follow us on Facebook for daily event updates. Facebook.com/stcbasketraffle.

STC SENIORS GROUP

Seniors please join us at our next meeting on Tuesday, May 13th 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM in the Ministry Center Hall. Bring lunch and meet friends!



MASS INTENTIONS/ BRINGING UP THE GIFTS

If you are having a Mass said and are interested in bringing up the gifts, please identify yourself to one of the Ministers of Hospitality before Mass. We welcome your participation but will rely on you to let us know you are present.

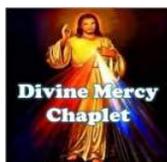


STC MAGNETS FOR SALE

STC blue & white oval car magnets are on sale for \$5 at the Parish Office during the week and with the Sunday Receptionist.

The Divine Mercy Chaplet led by Deacon Dave Kubczak is held on Tuesdays at 6:30 PM, in the Church, before the 7:00 PM Mass. Take home pamphlets are provided for those in attendance.

All are welcome!



Rosary

The perpetual Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal and the Rosary for the unborn will be said on Mondays after the 8:00 AM Mass. All are welcome.

OPEN GYM

There is an open gym pickup basketball game open to all adult parishioners. There are no sign ups or commitments, just simply come out to play.

When: Thursday nights: 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Where: St. Teresa of Calcutta School Gym



STC 8TH GRADE CLOTHING DRIVE

COLLECTION DATES

Saturday, April 26th 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

• Education Center Parking Lot

COLLECTION ITEMS

- Clothing for men, women and children.
- Shoes – must be in a separate bag.
- Clothing accessories: belts, hats, scarves, handbags, gloves, etc.
- Soft household items like stuffed animals, towels, bed sheets, and curtains.
- Small toys (2 ft. or less).
- Bikes and Strollers.



ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED



- Quilts, comforters, pillows & blankets.
- Sports equipment (bikes are OK).
- No board games, books, puzzles, pots, CAR SEATS.
- No electrical devices or glass.
- No large toys, highchairs or cribs.
- VCR tapes, furniture and outdoor play sets.
- Bric and brac (picture frames, school supplies, phone cases, candles, cosmetics, gritting cards, plastic cups, food containers, baking accessories).
- Home and holiday decorations/ pet accessories

thank you
FOR YOUR SUPPORT

BROADCAST MINISTRY TEAM

We are in the process of expanding our Broadcast Ministry and are actively looking for volunteers to help with recording as well as the necessary upkeep of the system. If you have any experience and / or interest in audio/video and broadcasting technology, this is a great way for you to get involved. Contact Jim Rowland at jrowland415@gmail.com for more information.

POSITION AVAILABLE

A Full-Time Facility Personnel position is available at St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish. Please see website for details or call the Parish Office at (610) 287-2525.

YOUNG PARENTS GROUP

MOM'S NIGHT - Wednesday, April 23rd at 7:30 PM at MaGerk's in Royersford. If you plan on coming, let us know so we can save you a seat! No problem if you think you'll be late.

For directions and to RSVP, or if you have questions and want to join the Young Parents Group email list, contact Mara at mtbauer28@gmail.com.

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP

Strong Men Make a Strong Church

Through the prayers of St. Maximilian Kolbe, STC's Men's Group meets each Saturday, during Lent at the Parish Ministry Center. Doors open at 7:30 AM with the meetings from 7:45 AM - 8:45 AM. We encourage all men to participate at Mass at 9:00 AM. Generally, we start with Morning Prayer and have a discussion regarding the week, questions any man may have, and the Sunday Gospel. This is a great opportunity for Lent. All men are invited. Call Deacon Pete for any questions (610) 310-4589.

STC PRISON MINISTRY

The Lenten Resolution You've Been Looking For

Here is a Lenten resolution that is easy, fulfilling and straight out of the gospel.

"I was in prison and you visited me." (Matthew 25:36)

Visit a prisoner by mail in our parish PenPal program.

Think it's hard being Catholic in today's culture? Try being Catholic in prison. Many inmates go months without a letter and years without a visit.

Join dozens of fellow parishioners who've discovered:

- "It's nice to send and receive a letter in the mail. My grandkids didn't know you could do that :-)" - Mary
- "It is amazing that something so simple makes my penpal so happy - I look forward to letters." - John
- "PenPal'ing has given me a glimpse into a whole other life." - Susan

One letter a month is all it takes. Your privacy is maintained through our secure mailing system. We have an URGENT need for 8 Pen Pals. Please get in touch TODAY!

Contact Elizabeth McLaughlin
St. Teresa of Calcutta Prison Ministry
Pen Pal Program Coordinator

Cell: (650) 430-2470 or email: Bitsmail@yahoo.com

WALL OF HONOR

If you have a loved one serving in the Armed Forces and would like their picture on our wall of honor, please give the Parish Office their picture and rank.



Please pray for: Navy Capt. Jeremy Lahn, PFC Shannon Herman, Staff Sgt. Dennis Price, Major Stephen John Gianos; Staff Sergeant, Military Police Michael Kemp; 2nd Lt. Nicholas Gardocki; 1st Lt. Ian Gardocki, USAF, Major Kevin Brady USAF; Capt., Kristen Brady, USAF, Cdr. Steven Lawrence; Staff Sergeant Brian Yerger; Lcpl. Tyler Thomas A. Collier; Lance Cpl. Thomas M. Labosky, Mark R. Rumler; Charles Brown & Staff Sgt. Robert Troemel, and all those who are serving abroad, and also keep their families in your prayers.



Join us... The Knights of Columbus meet the **first Thursday of every month at 7:00 PM** in the Ministry Center. We also provide **virtual access to the meetings on Zoom**. Email us at grandknight@kofc15456.org for details.

New members or transfers from other councils are welcome! For more information visit our website at www.kofc15456.org, contact Michael Bauer, Membership Director, mike.knight15456@gmail.com or email us at grandknight@kofc15456.org.

Who are the Knights of Columbus? We are a Catholic, fraternal order centered on fellowship and service to our parish and many charitable organizations. We actively support and donate funds to the following: St. Mary's Franciscan Shelter ~ Norristown Soup Kitchen ~ Provide Rides to Mass ~ Adopt a Highway ~ Birthright of Pottstown ~ March for Life.

The Knights of Columbus is providing a kiosk with pamphlets on building our faith in the Narthex. The topics include marriage, fatherhood, motherhood, how to pray, and other subjects. Please help yourself. The Knights will provide more pamphlets as required.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

VBS will take place from July 7th – July 11th from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM in the Education Center. The registration information will be available in the April 27th issue of the bulletin.



PALM

"Used" or "old" Palm will be collected in a container provided in the Narthex of the Church. **Palm will be collected until Palm Sunday, April 13th.**

Absolutely no staples, strings, ribbons, rubber bands or bags.

PARISH APP

St. Teresa of Calcutta app is available to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and the ability to share messages via Facebook or Twitter. Also enjoy a bunch of additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or Confession, and much more. Help foster a stronger parish life at St. Teresa of Calcutta. Download our app today at myparishapp.com or search your phone's app store for myparish.



THE FIVE EFFECTS OF THE FLAME OF LOVE ROSARY

Attending Mass Blinds Satan the most
The Blessed Virgin Mary told Elizabeth Kindlemann on
November 22, 1962:

If you attend Holy Mass while under no obligation to do so (Daily Mass) and you are in a state of grace before God, during that time I will pour out the Flame of Love of my heart and blind Satan. My graces will flow abundantly to the souls for whom you offer the Holy Mass, because when Satan is blinded and devoid of his power, he is unable to do anything. The participation in the Holy Mass is what helps the most to blind Satan. Tormented and breathing out terrible vengeance, he wages a ferocious battle for souls since he feels the impending coming of his blindness.

The FOL Holy Hour will be prayed on Thursday after the 8:00 AM Mass.

The FOL Rosary will be prayed at 7:00 PM on Wednesday evenings before the repose of the Blessed Sacrament.

DIVINE WILL Jesus' Own Teachings

A mystic named Luisa Piccarreta 1865-1947 wrote many pages that were given to her by Jesus himself in a period of 40 years. These writings are completely approved by the Catholic Church. Luisa's Spiritual Director was canonized in 2005 and his statue stands outside the Vatican.

In Luisa's writings, Jesus explains His teachings about the Virtues and the Sacraments in His own words. He tells us how to grow closer to our eternal reward by teaching us new methods of praise and prayer that will draw us closer to God. To study and learn these readings, a group will meet on the first and third Tuesday of every month in the Ministry center from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM.

If you are interested in learning more about "Living in the Will of God", please email badmin@stteresacalcutta.com

JOB OPPORTUNITY St. Ann Parish, Phoenixville

St. Ann Parish, Phoenixville is seeking a full time Parish Administrative Assistant to provide welcome and assistance to parishioners and staff.

This position requires someone with a pleasant disposition, works well with others, can deal with stressful situations, maintains confidentiality and is attentive to detail. Proficient in Microsoft Office, Google Workspace and prior office experience required. Bilingual (English/Spanish) candidate preferred.

Please email resume and cover letter to Lisa Burghardt at businessmanager@churchofsaintann.org or mail to St. Ann Parish, 502 Main St., Phoenixville, PA 19460.

PARISH REGISTRATION

A warm welcome to all who recently moved into a home within our Parish neighborhood. We invite you to register. You can get a registration form on Sunday from the information rack in the church hallway or during the week at the Parish Ministry Center.

EGIVING

St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish has enlisted Parish Giving to provide its parishioners with the opportunity to use electronic fund transfers as an alternative method for giving. Parish Giving is being offered to you free of charge. To enroll, visit www.stteresacalcutta.com and click on the Parish Giving logo. If you have any questions concerning Parish Giving, please contact Tammy Brock at (610) 287-2525.



St. Teresa of
Calcutta's WINGS
Group

WINGS (Women In God's Spirit) is looking for women of all ages that share our Catholic faith. Whether you are interested in growing spiritually, getting involved in community service projects or joining us for social events, WINGS has a place for you. For additional information or any questions please reach out to us at stcwings@gmail.com. You can also find us on Facebook at St. Teresa of Calcutta's WINGS Group.

The next WINGS meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 7th at 7:00 PM. Please contact STCWings@gmail.com for location details.

Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Trivia Night

Saturday, April 26th

7PM Doors open at 6PM

\$20 per person (max 8 per table)

- BYO food & drinks
- 8 rounds of trivia
- Prizes for each round
- Cash prize for overall winning team
- Door prizes
- 50/50
- Raffles



For all details and tickets visit
www.stteresacalcutta.com

Questions - Contact Marie Beehler at
mariebeehler@gmail.com

PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE AND ROME

Join Fr. Jeffrey Rott and Fr. Robert Ianelli on a Pilgrimage to France & Rome from September 7 – September 19, 2025.

Celebrate the Jubilee Year in France and Rome! We will begin in the beautiful city of Paris by touring the Chapel of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal and see many wonderful sites, including the Basilica of Sacred Heart, the Louvre Museum (Mona Lisa Painting), Eiffel Tower, Champs-Elysees, and Arc De Triomphe. We will travel throughout central and southern France visiting many holy sites along our way in Chartres, Paray-Le-Monial (the location of the apparitions of the Sacred Heart to St. Margaret Mary), Ars (the location of the parish in which St. John Vianney served), Avignon and Toulouse (the location which contains the relics of St. Thomas Aquinas). We will end our tour in France with a full day in Lourdes celebrating Mass and visiting the Grotto. We will then fly to Rome, where we will visit the Basilica of St. Mary Major; the Basilica of St. John Lateran; tour St. Peter’s and go THROUGH THE HOLY DOORS for the Jubilee; Experience an Audience with the Pope and celebrate Mass in the churches of Rome.

Cost \$5,799.00. Includes: Round trip airfare; daily Mass; airport taxes; security fees & fuel surcharges; transfers per itinerary; 4 or 5 star hotels; transportation with luxury bus; all breakfasts and dinners; all tips included; guided tours and tour fees; luggage handling.

For questions, please contact Natalie Schmolk, Proximo Travel Representative at (215) 530-7934 or Fr. Jeffrey Rott at (610) 287-2525 ext. 280

**ST. RAYMOND NONNATUS FOUNDATION
Italy Pilgrimage - May 12 - 22, 2025**

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PASTOR’S CUP

Pastor’s Cup Golf Outing is scheduled for June 8th. Go to: www.stteresacalcutta.com/pastors-cup-golf-outing for information to play in and/or be a sponsor for the outing.



Pastor’s Cup

In Partnership with KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS N° 15456

Proceeds support the Parish and the outreach ministries of KofC Council No.15456.

Sunday, June 8, 2025 ♦ 1pm Shotgun Start ♦ 11:30am Registration
The Presidential @ Hickory Valley G.C.
1921 Ludwig Rd, Gilbertsville PA 19525

\$140 per Golfer / \$40 for Dinner Only

INCLUDES: Greens Fee w/ Cart, Lunch, Surf & Turf Dinner, Beer/Beverages & Prizes
Catering Provided by Captain’s Curbside Seafood
4 Person Scramble ♦ 11:30am Registration ♦ 1pm Shotgun

Register Today at: www.stteresacalcutta.com

SPONSORSHIP & GOLF OUTING QUESTIONS:

Sam Whitehouse ♦ 610-420-7202 ♦ samwhitehouse@comcast.net Tom Flatley ♦ 484-744-9501 ♦ flatleydev@aol.com

Registration Deadline: May 29, 2025

Full payment required before deadline for a completed registration
Register online or send completed form with payment to:
STC Parish c/o Jim Rowland ♦ 90 Cori Drive ♦ Gilbertsville, PA 19525

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address, City, State & Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

Single Registration (we will pair you with other golfers) # of Golfers in your Group (include names) Dinner Only (include names)

1. _____ 3. _____

2. _____ 4. _____

THIS YEAR’S EVENT IS ONLY BEING HELD ON THE PRESIDENTIAL COURSE AND REGISTRATION IS LIMITED TO 100 PLAYERS. PLEASE REGISTER EARLY TO GUARANTEE A SPOT IN THE EVENT.

2025 MASS BOOK

The 2025 Mass book is open.
There is a limit of 5 Masses per person.



PAR-RECYCLE WORKS

Electronic waste pick up scheduled for Sunday, May 4th from 8:15 AM - 12:15 PM.



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ACCEPTED ITEMS

Electronics

- **Computers**
 - Towers, Laptops, Printers, Cables, Keyboards
 - Battery Backups
 - Cable Boxes, Game Consoles
- **Networking Equipment**
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 - VCR, DVD, Stereos, Receivers, Speakers
- **Home Electronics**
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- **Rechargeable Batteries**
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Metals

- Wires, Cables
- Non-PCB and Electronic Ballast, Transformers & Other Electrical Equipment
- Non-Ferrous Metals, File Cabinets

Accepted with a Fee

- Plasma, Flat Screen TVs - **\$30**
- CRT Monitors & TVs, Projection TVs - **\$40-80** (depending on size)
- Dehumidifiers, Humidifiers, Air Conditioners - **\$25**
- Microwaves - **\$15**
- Computer Monitors - **\$10**

Contact PAR Recycle Works about any items not listed.

NOT ACCEPTED ITEMS

- Construction Materials
- Textiles
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2025 ALTAR FLOWER SIGN-UP

To sign-up for altar flowers please email Maureen at badmin@stteresacalcutta.com or call the Parish Office at (610) 287-2525. Cost of flowers is \$85.



St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish Community Festival Sponsorship Invitation

Business Sponsors for Our Festival - August 22 and 23

Parishioner-owned and local businesses are invited to become festival sponsors. Each sponsor will be listed on our website, in our bulletin, recognized on our Facebook page, and announced each night of the festival along with additional benefits:

Entertainment Sponsor \$1,000

- Premium banner at the Entertainment Pavilion
- Full page ad in bulletin
- Vendor table

Inflatable Sponsor \$1,000

- Premium banner in the children's inflatable area
- Full page ad in bulletin
- Vendor table

STC Diamond Sponsor \$750

- Half page ad in bulletin
- 2'x6' banner at Kids Game Area
- Vendor table

Food Sponsor \$500

- 2'x6' banner
- Logo printed on food menus

Bingo Sponsor \$500

- 2'x6' banner at the indoor bingo area
- Company flyers displayed

Parking Sponsor \$500

- (8) 18"x24" yard signs displayed in parking areas

STC Blue & White Sponsor \$250

- 2'x6' banner

T-shirt Sponsor \$150 (10 available)

- Logo/Name on Festival volunteer t-shirt

Keq Sponsor \$50

- Name displayed in Beer Tent



Interested in sponsoring part of our festival?
Checks can be made out to St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish and sent to the parish office or online at stteresacalcutta.com/festival-sponsorships

For questions and to sign up, please contact:
Joseph Rogers at josephsrogers24@gmail.com

ARCADIA NEWS

Arcadia at Limerick Point offers three types of care for Seniors. To learn more about our Community, dial (610)981-1904, select option #1 from the prompts to speak with one of our Community Relations Directors. They are available to answer any of your questions about our community and services. We'd love to have you tour and have a lunch on us!

First Monday of each month, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM - Dementia Care Givers Support Group - Call Toni at (610)981-1904 for more information.

Third Tuesday of each month - 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM - St. Teresa Sr. Club Bingo at Arcadia's Independent Living.

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8th
Grade

Rita's Discount Cards Fundraiser

APRIL 4TH-APRIL 14TH

The 8th grade class has teamed up with Rita's Water Ice to offer this cool fundraiser you won't want to miss.

Purchase a Rita's Water Ice Discount Card for \$5 and receive 10% off your entire purchase every time you visit Rita's throughout the entire 2025 season!
Get a card for yourself and a family member or friend to share this cool offer.

Return completed form to school, parish office or Sunday collection as follows:
Attention: Lea Millhouse - Rita's 8th Grade Graduation Fundraiser
Cash or Venmo to @Lea-Millhouse

All orders received by April 11th will be sent home April 16th .
Orders may be placed until April 14th but may be sent home after Easter.

Family Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Child's name and grade/teacher that the card(s) will be sent home with:

Rita's Discount Cards: _____

Total Payment (\$5 per card): _____

Contact Lea Millhouse at themillhousefamily@gmail.com with any questions.

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