

St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish

Founded 2006

Pastor

Rev. Paul C. Brandt

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Jeffrey M. Rott

Weekend Assistant

Rev. Donald F. Reilly, OSA

Permanent Deacons

Deacon Louis F. Hoelzle, Retired

Deacon Peter J. Dolan

Deacon David M. Kubczak, Sr.

Deacon James V. Nash, Jr.

Deacon Thomas G. Phillips, Jr.

Rev. Mr. Thomas Cipolla

Church and Ministry Center

256 Swamp Pike • Schwenksville, PA 19473
Office Phone: 610-287-2525 • Fax: 610-287-7565
www.stteresacalcutta.com

Business Manager

Tammy Brock

Director of Institutional Advancement

Deb Dominianni

Facilities Director

Jim Maiale

Director of Parish Services

Shawn Marie Brown

Music Director

John Seitz

Youth Minister

Maria Lena Cottman

Education Center

256 Swamp Pike, Schwenksville, PA 19473
Office Phone: 610-287-2500 Fax: 610-287-2543

School Principal

Jaelyn Rocks

Child Care Director

Tara Melville

Coordinator of Religious Education

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



Find us on
Facebook

@SaintTeresaOfLimerick

STC UNITED WAY NUMBER: 8772

May still be listed under Blessed Teresa

Dear Parishioners,
 Today's Gospel gives us the story of the disciples being called by Jesus to leave their nets as fishermen and to follow Him. Jesus calls them away from their normal daily lives to become His disciples. This call changes their lives forever and changes their relationship with Jesus as they become critical missionaries of His message. Their response to Jesus' call changed their relationship with the world and created for them the great challenges of discipleship.

Fr. Brandt

Ask yourself: Have I heard Jesus say directly and personally to me, 'I want your love.' If your hearts are pure, really surrender to him, this thing becomes part of our thirst to love Him better.

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.



PARISH PHOTO SHARE

Have you captured a beautiful moment on our Parish campus—freshly fallen snow, a stunning sunset, or a special parish event? We'd love to see and share these. Please email your photos, along with related captions and stories to marketing@stteresacalcutta.com with the subject line "Photos." Thank you for sharing with our Parish community!

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!



CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

| | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Christmas 2025 | \$69,820.00 |
| Christmas 2024 | \$65,252.00 |

Thank you for your generosity and have a wonderful New Year.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME January 24 – 25, 2026



Madeline DiDonato, Mia Grace Cimino, Ben Buffler, Paula Murphy, Joshua Torzone, Jack Weidman, Christopher Saboe, Sr., Kelly Barron, Louise Buttaro, Marcia Cook, Pamela Hosack, Sandra Kent, Frank & Regina Little, Gene & Jean Catagnus, Peter Rega, David Narwich, Evan Schoenly, Theodore Sirbak, Tom Kandle, Emily Morgan, Robert George, Philip Irwin, Shirley Staub, Anneliese Schneidinger, Anthony Tone Fisher, Ryan Newman, Barbara Moyer, John S. Babiec Jr., Larry Krieger, Trip Koury, Joanne MacGregor, Patricia Sheridan, Donna Stevenson, Christine Stanny, Mary Lesh, Emma Jane Rhodes, William Andrew DeLaney, III, Danny, Debbie and Kevin Brady, 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 Pukek, Michael Nabal, Maureen Steinmetz, Marian Lippert, David Little, Joan Yatsko, Erin Beal, 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, Jim Cunningham, Lindy Logue, Rose Panish, Pat Kelso, John Rizzuto, Mike Flynn, Mary Smith, Brynn 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, Thomas Loble, 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, 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, Steven Eling, Kerri March, Jane Centrella, Joe Wausnock, 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.*

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**

| | |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| SATURDAY | 01/24/2026 |
| 9:00 AM | Patricia Messerle |
| 5:00 PM | Charles Lawless |
| SUNDAY | 01/25/2026 |
| 7:30 AM | Tisha Elder |
| 9:00 AM | Fran Owens |
| 10:30 AM | Patricia L. Downs |
| 12:00 Noon | Parishioners |
| 6:00 PM | Howard Lambert |
| MONDAY | 01/26/2026 |
| 8:00 AM | Nicholas Branton |
| TUESDAY | 01/27/2026 |
| 7:00 PM | Nathan K. Meutcheho |
| WEDNESDAY | 01/28/2026 |
| 8:00 AM | David Ebert |
| THURSDAY | 01/29/2026 |
| 8:00 AM | Leon Hocker |
| FRIDAY | 01/30/2026 |
| 9:00 AM | Eleanor Pacera Mass of the Living |
| SATURDAY | 01/31/2026 |
| 9:00 AM | Donna Marie Moore |
| 5:00 PM | Deacon Tom Hannon |
| SUNDAY | 02/01/2026 |
| 7:30 AM | Ursela and Christine Buckles |
| 9:00 AM | Rolando Ranaglia |
| 10:30 AM | John and Nancy Dolan |
| 12:00 Noon | German Zamora |
| 6:00 PM | Parishioners |

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

All new parents are reminded that you must attend a Pre-Jordan class before the Baptism of your baby. The next class is February 3rd. To register call Shawn Marie Brown, (610) 287-2525 ext. 100 or email dps@stteresacalcutta.com.



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

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the Church this week is in memory of Howard Lambert.

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the Chapel this week is in memory of Erzsebet "Betty" Koppany.

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.

CHILDREN'S LECTOR MINISTRY

The Children's Lector Ministry is on the 2nd Sunday of the month during the 10:30 AM Mass. If interested in becoming a Lector (4th grade or older), contact the Religious Education Office at (610) 287-2500, ext. 2 or stcrep@stteresacalcutta.com. Two adult Lectors will mentor the children in this ministry, one of which will be present with the children at their assigned Mass.



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 stewings@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, February 4th at 7:00 PM. Please contact

YOUNG PARENTS GROUP

Mom's Night - Mom's Night will be on Friday, February 13th at 7:30 PM at MaGerk's in Royersford. If you plan on coming, let me know so we can save you a seat! No worries if you can't make it until later.

Playgroup - Playgroup will be Friday, February 27th at 9:30 AM. There will be coffee and tea and plenty of toys and snacks for the kids as well.

For directions and/or to RSVP, please contact Mara Bauer at mtbauer28@gmail.com

2026 MASS BOOK

The 2026 Mass book is open.
There is a limit of 5 Masses per person.





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 Jaclyn Rocks at jrocks@school.stteresacalcutta.com.

FINANCIAL AID: 2026-2027

Applications for BLOCS Scholarships for the 2026-2027 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.factsmgt.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.

"SEEDS"

- WHO** Children, 3 years old to Preschool (not yet in Kindergarten)
- WHAT** SEEDS! A program that brings the Sunday Gospel to preschool children at their own developmental level.
- WHEN** Every Sunday during the school year at the 10:30 AM Mass
- WHERE** After the opening prayer, the children will be called to the front of the Church. Children will process out together with the Shepherd and the Assistant Shepherds to the Music Ministry room.

For more information contact P.R.E.P. at (610) 287-2500 ext. 2.



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)

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.

First Reconciliation Practice - Saturday, February 21st from 10 :00 AM - 11:00 AM in the Church. This practice is for STC's 2nd grade students and the Level 2 students in the Parish Religious Education Program.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Totally Catholic VBS - The children will embark on the coolest adventure of a lifetime. **Rainforest Falls from Our Sunday Visitor** is filled with incredible Bible learning experiences. VBS will take place from July 13th – July 17th from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM in the Education Center for children who are graduates of Kindergarten to 4th grade and also preschoolers ages 4 and 5.

Registration begins on January 25th with the opportunity for a one day discount. The fee on January 25th will be \$50.00. After January 25th, the fee will be \$60.00. The fee includes a t-shirt (note size on form). Register early to be guaranteed a t-shirt. **Please use the QR code below to register.**



Paradise Preschool VBS - Our Vacation Bible School has a program for children who are four or five (must be potty trained), but have not graduated from Kindergarten. The maximum number of students for this program is 20. The registration information and dates are the same as above. There will be crafts and games geared to their age level.

Excerpt of an article in Pottstown Mercury (1/15/26):

Why a Values-Based Education Matters

How St. Teresa of Calcutta School Educates the Whole Child—Mind, Heart, and Spirit....

...Leaders from one of the newer values-based schools in our community, **St. Teresa of Calcutta School** in Limerick, recently reflected on why this approach matters so deeply today.” Our parish was founded in 2006 to honor Mother Teresa’s commitment to education as a lifelong journey,” shares Father Paul Brandt, Pastor of St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish. “Our goal is to equip families with faith, love, and compassion so they can contribute meaningfully to the world—one small, faithful act at a time.”

A Continuum of Care and Learning

The **St. Teresa of Calcutta Education Center** serves children as young as six weeks old and provides continuity through preschool and the K-8 years.

At the Child Care and Early Learning Center, children are welcomed into a warm, caring environment where they begin to understand their special relationship with God and the world He created. Through stories, song, and play, children learn the importance of family, community, and kindness. Mrs. Tara Melville, director of the Early Learning Center, describes the mission simply: “We love the children first, and educate them next. When a child feels loved, safe, and nurtured, learning follows naturally.” The center emphasizes emotional, physical, intellectual, and social development, fostering a positive atmosphere where families, faculty, and children interact with mutual respect and care.

Educating the Whole Child

As students grow through Pre-K and into the K-8 school program, Mrs. Jaclyn Rocks, school principal, points to four foundational pillars that guide the school’s philosophy:

- **Academic Excellence** – fostering critical thinking and lifelong learning habits
- **Faith Formation** – rooted in prayer, sacramental life, and service
- **Character Development** – supporting spiritual, emotional, and social growth
- **Service & Community** – through CYO, local outreach, and church ministries (i.e. children lectors, altar servers, and camp counselors)

“These elements come together as part of a lifelong journey of opening both the mind and the heart to nurture and inspire students,” Mrs. Rocks explains. “As educators, we see ourselves as a tiny pencil in God’s hands, echoing Mother Teresa’s reminder that even small acts can make a meaningful difference.”

Growing to Meet Student Needs

As part of its continued growth, St. Teresa of Calcutta School is developing a new **C.L.A.W.S. Program (Children Learning to Achieve Worthwhile Success)** to strengthen academic skills, executive functioning, and social-emotional development for K-8 students.

Together, the parish, Early Learning Center, and K-8 school make a compelling case for why values-based education matters—forming students who are prepared academically, grounded morally, and inspired to serve. As Father Brandt so simply puts it: **“All are welcome.”**



Join our Open House
Sunday, January 25
1:00 PM to 2:30 PM

*Scheduling Tours & Shadow Days
for the 2026-2027 School Year*

At St. Teresa of Calcutta School, in Limerick, we pride ourselves on our academics and our values-based learning. We emphasize the importance of good grades, but teach that character is just as important. Join us and discover how we help students thrive and become confident, compassionate leaders.

- ✓ Full Day Kindergarten, Preschool, & Pre-K
- ✓ Extended Care 7AM-5:30PM
- ✓ Dedicated Science Lab
- ✓ Chorus for grades 3rd-6th
- ✓ Instrument Lessons
- ✓ Clubs for grades 5th-8th
- ✓ Reading, Math and Speech Support
- ✓ Middle States Accredited
- ✓ PA-Certified Faculty

REGISTER NOW
for our
OPEN HOUSE



ST. TERESA OF CALCUTTA SCHOOL

www.stcschool.com | 610-287-2500
cfalciani@school.stteresacalcutta.com

FESTIVAL NEWS

2025 Community Festival Recap

The Festival Committee is very grateful for your support of last year's reimagined Festival. Thanks to your support, donations, encouragement, and volunteerism, we raised **over \$44,000 to support our Parish**. Thank you for helping us with this overwhelmingly successful event.

SAVE THE DATE

The 2026 Community Festival will take place from

August 13th - 15th

Thursday: Adult Festival Preview Night (21+)

Friday: 6:00 PM - close

Saturday: 2:00 PM - close

Our first planning committee meeting will take place on Wednesday, February 11th in the Ministry Center Hall at 7:00 PM. If you would like to receive updates about the Festival, email josephsrogers24@gmail.com.

MARRIED COUPLES YOU ARE INVITED TO A SPECIAL EVENING OUT!

3rd Annual Cana Date Night Mass & Dinner hosted by St. Basil Parish in partnership with the Cana Date Night Ministry of St. Ann Parish, Phoenixville. Will be held on Saturday, February 14th at 5:00 PM at St. Basil Church and Pavilion, 2330 Kimberton Road, Phoenixville.

5:00 PM Vigil Mass with nuptial blessing, catered dinner (BYOB) immediately following.

\$65 per couple for dinner – please RSVP and purchase tickets by February 9th.

Questions / Contact: Monica & David Ryan (845) 649-8640 or monica.paddock@gmail.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, 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. 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 ~ Provide Rides to Mass ~ Adopt a Highway ~ Birthright of Pottstown ~ March for Life.

The Knights of Columbus provides 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.

Open Your Heart - Birthright of Pottstown is in dire need of donated items to provide assistance to mothers and babies. Please consider participating in the Knight of Columbus Donation Drive. During the month of February, a bassinet will be in the Chapel Vestibule. The area of greatest need is infant clothing up to size 18 mos., maternity tops sizes large and extra large, maternity leggings, diapers up to size 3, baby wipes, socks up to toddler sizes, receiving blankets, baby washcloths, baby shampoo & lotions. No baby furniture or car seats. For questions, contact Les Reazor at (610) 209-3828 or ldreazor@comcast.net.

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



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

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.

Join the Flame of Love Philly Leaders for the Feast Day of the Flame of Love



MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND, 2026

Malvern Retreat House

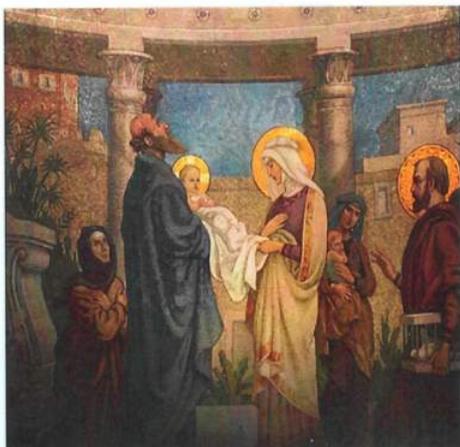
315 S. Warren Avenue
Malvern, PA 19352

Retreat will be held in the Upper McShane Hall

TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT, RSVP
to FLAMEOFLOVEPHILLY@GMAIL.COM
No charge for this Feast Day - Free Will
Offerings are appreciated!

**CHRIST
BE OUR
LIGHT!**

Mary: "On the feast of
Candlemas, my beloved
sons will introduce the
Flame of Love of my
heart in procession, so
that, in such fashion, it
becomes a living fire in
the hearts, in the
souls." pg.39-40 Blue Diary



***Relic of the Veil of Manoppello will be present for Veneration
***Flame of Love materials table will be available
***Bring your candles to be blessed for Candlemas Day

The St. Carlo Acutis Shrine & Eucharistic Center is open
to the public on Mondays!



SCHEDULE:

- 9:30 Check in - Upper McShane Hall
Adoration
- 9:45 Flame of Love Rosary, Confessions
- 11:00 Holy Mass
- 12:00 Break - Fasting Bread available
--or bring your own lunch
- 1:00 Talks - Christ Be Our Light
and the Holy Face Devotion:
*Revelations to Sr. Mary of St. Peter, Leo Dupont
& St. Therese of the Child Jesus & the Holy Face*
- 3:00 Adoration and prayers
- 3:30 Benediction/Farewell

**RETROUVAILLE: REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN
YOUR MARRIAGE**

Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. The next program begins the weekend of February 6th - 8th at the Family Life Center in Malvern. For more information, or to register, call (215) 766-3944 or visit www.MarriageHelpDelVal.org. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

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.

STC PRISON MINISTRY

Your heart needs room to keep growing; become a pen pal

You know that feeling when your world gets too small? - the same concerns, the same people, the same routines - it's busy but is it growing your heart?

Your heart is meant to keep growing

Jesus said "Be not afraid" over 80 times in the Gospels because He knew: fear keeps us small. Love makes us grow.

One letter a month to a Catholic man.

You'll write about everyday things. You'll share encouragement. You'll pray for each other. And something will shift. Your capacity for compassion expands. Your perspective deepens. You'll feel your heart making room for someone you never expected to care about. You'll feel freer.

That's the gift - not just to him, but to you.

This is "our" state prison. The men we are writing to are incarcerated in Collegetown - about 20 minutes away. We are their parish. You are their hope.

For over 20 years, the St. Teresa of Calcutta Prison Ministry has connected parishioners like you and me with Catholic inmates.

Urgent need

Right now, dozens of men are waiting and hoping for a pen pal.

Your privacy is protected: All letters go through our ministry address; never your address. You use just your first name. We provide full support.

Come grow with us!

Contact Elizabeth: (650) 430-2470 or
Bitsmail@Yahoo.com

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

ARCADIA NEWS

Arcadia at Limerick Pointe 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.

Everyone is invited to join us at Arcadia Independent Living on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 2:00 PM for BINGO!

**ARCADIA AT LIMERICK POINTE
51 West Arcadia Drive, Limerick, PA 19468**

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP

Strong Men Make a Strong Church

Starting January 22nd, through the prayers of Mary, our Mother, and St. Maximillian Kolbe, the STC's Men's Group will meet every other Thursday (second and fourth of the month) at 7:00 PM at the Ministry Center. We will discuss the Sunday's Gospel, watch the video "Into the Breach", and share questions men may have. All men are invited. Call Deacon Pete for with questions (610) 310-3589.

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Come join our Youth Group:

S.T.Y.L.E.- St. Teresa Youth Living the Eucharist!

We meet on the second and fourth Sunday of the month from 6:45 PM -8:15 PM in the Parish Ministry Center for food, fun, and fellowship. Please scan the barcode to register and direct any questions to Maria Lena Cottman at youthminister@stteresacalcutta.com. Hope to see you there!



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.

OUR TRAVELING LADY OF FATIMA STATUE

Our Parish is blessed to have a beautiful travelling Our Lady of Fatima Statue. Parishioners are encouraged to welcome the Fatima statue in their home for one week to pray the rosary for peace and vocations, along with their own intentions. The statue can be signed out by contacting the Parish Office at (610) 287-2525 ext. 104.



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 ext. 103.



WOMEN'S LENTEN RETREAT

Spiritual Cardiology: A Checkup on the Heart
Guest speaker: Sister J. Sheila Galligan, IHM

Date: Saturday, February 28th

Time: 9:00 AM - Noon

Location: St. Teresa of Calcutta Church & Ministry Center

We will begin with 9:00 AM Mass in the Church, followed by the Retreat in the Ministry Center. A light continental breakfast will be provided. The Sacrament of Confession will not be available. You are welcome to attend the Parish Reconciliation service on March 18th at 7:00 PM. Retreat seating is limited. Reservations required by February 23rd using the below link: <https://form.jotform.com/260107074157148>.

If you have any questions, please contact Kathy at stcwings.retreat@gmail.com

Cash donations will be accepted for the Missionary Sisters of Charity.

Retreat hosted by WINGS (Women in God's Spirit)

DINE & DONATE

Support the St. Teresa of Calcutta 8th Grade Class of 2026

MAGERK'S ROYERSFORD
FEBRUARY 12, 2026
11:30 AM - 11:00 PM

15% Of All Orders Donated Back
Dine-In • Take-Out • Online Orders
Mention STC Class Of 2026 To Your Server
When Seated Or Placing Your Ordering
Thank You For Your Support!

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.



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.

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.

PARISH REGISTRATION

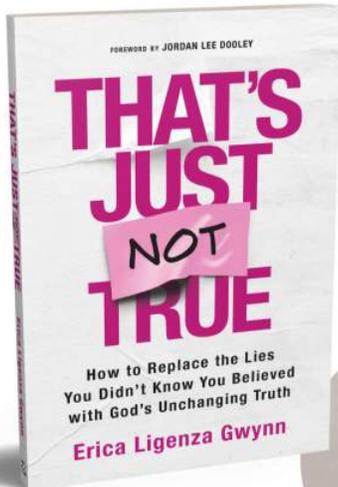
A warm welcome to all who recently moved into a home within our Parish neighborhood. We invite you to register. You can get a registration form on Sunday from the information rack in the church hallway or during the week at the Parish Ministry Center.

SCRIP PROGRAM

We sell most neighborhood grocery stores, Cabela's, Advanced Auto, Target, Walmart, Kohl's, Boscov's, Home Depot, WaWa, Dunkin', 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.

NEW CHRISTIAN BOOK RELEASE

from an active STC Parishioner!



Scan the QR code to get your copy!



ericagwynn.com/books



Author is the Cantor and pianist at every 10:30 Mass!

PILGRIMAGE

IRELAND & LONDON

JULY 17-29, 2026

CHAPLAIN: FR. JEFFREY ROTT

Pilgrimage and Information Night Meeting

Tuesday, February 17th at 6:00PM

St. Teresa of Calcutta Ministry Center
Schwenksville, PA

bit.ly/4mS3OAY

For questions, please contact
Natalie Schmolck, Proximo Travel
at (215) 530-7934

CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH, LANSDALE

Corpus Christi Parish, Lansdale will host a lunch and Bingo on Saturday, April 11th. Doors open at 9:00 AM - Bingo start at Noon. Admission is \$40 (Includes lunch and Bingo). For advanced sales and table reservations contact Laurie Ponticello at geraldponticello@comcast.net or (610) 584-5694.

Archdiocese of Philadelphia

Be Encouraged

Catholic Support for Mental Health

Resources to assist with healing, accompaniment and flourishing

archphila.org/support



ST. TERESA OF CALCUTTA

NIGHT

AT THE

RACES

CYO FUNDRAISING EVENT



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2026 | 6 – 10 PM

STC EDUCATION CENTER | 256 SWAMP PIKE, LIMERICK, PA



SCAN HERE
to register, sponsor or
"Adopt a Horse":



ADMISSION: \$35

DINNER BUFFET * BYO * 50/50 RAFFLE * SILENT AUCTION * AND MORE!

Join us for a fun-filled evening with family and friends on Saturday, February 22, 2025, 6 - 10 PM in the STC All-Purpose Room. Enjoy a buffet dinner (w/ gluten free dishes!), BYOB, place bets on pre-recorded horse races, win door prizes, enter a 50/50 raffle, bid on our silent auction, and more! All proceeds benefit our CYO program!

OTHER WAYS TO SUPPORT:

ADOPT A HORSE - \$10 EACH - Name a horse and win \$50 if your horse wins!

SPONSORSHIPS - We offer a variety of sponsorship levels for every budget. Open to families, organizations, and companies! See accompanying sponsorship flyer or visit stteresacalcutta.com/cyo for more information.

DONATIONS - Make a monetary donation or donate an item for the silent auction. Email us at cysaintteresacalcutta@gmail.com

To register, sponsor, or Adopt a Horse, visit: stteresacalcutta.com/cyo or scan the QR code above!

IN NEED OF ELECTRICAL WORK???

Electrician, Fully Registered & Insured, Pa. Lic# 081853
FREE ESTIMATES
 ADDING LIGHTS & OUTLETS
 CEILING FANS • OUTDOOR LIGHTING
 SERVICE UPGRADES
 GENERATOR INSTALLATIONS
 POOL & HOT TUB WIRING
Discounts for Parishioners of Blessed Teresa
 Call John @ 610-454-8206
 local parishioner
 or E-Mail:
 jsburke72@comcast.net



COMPLETE FAMILY EYECARE

610-323-4445 www.MyCompleteEyecare.com
 1806 Swamp Pike
 Gilbertsville, PA

- Glaucoma Management
- Diabetic Eye Disease
- Conjunctivus (Pink Eye)
- Sunglasses & Eyeglasses
- Contact Lens Exams
- Eye Exams for the Entire Family

Flexible Weekend & Evening Hours

Emergency Care 24/7



PALMERIO PLUMBING

REGISTERED MASTER PLUMBER
 Residential & Commercial Plumbing

Drain Cleaning • Emergency Sewer Repair
 Backflow Devices & Testing

484-942-9976

PalmerioPlumbing@gmail.com
 WWW.PALMERIOPLOWING.COM
 Fully Licensed & Insured HIC Reg# PA029922

Parish Member

SPRINGER REALTY GROUP
Susan Dolan
 REALTOR®
 Direct: 484.941.3641
 Office: 484.498.4000
 sdolan.realtor@gmail.com

Always Happy To Serve Your Real Estate Needs!
 At your request, 10% of my commission will be donated STC's Capital Campaign.

ASPIRE WELLNESS
 MASSAGE • SKINCARE
 www.aspirewellness-pa.com
 358 Main St. Royersford (610) 389-8900
INTRODUCTORY SPECIAL
 \$60 for 1 hour Massage or Signature Facial
 Mention this ad - First visit only

Custom rosaries, chaplets, jewelry & keepsakes made with wedding & funeral flowers
ROSARIES FROM FLOWERS, INC.
 978-851-9103

POTTSTOWN Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery Associates, Inc.
 500 Heritage Drive Pottstown, PA 610.326.7880
 239 S. Reading Ave. Boyertown, PA 610.367.6074
 Dr. Paul G. Smith • Dr. John L. Lignelli II
 Dr. James A. Ward • Dr. Donald E. Roland
 Dr. Jacob P. Gribb www.pottstownoralsurgery.com

\$350 off
 Any New Stairlift With This Ad

- FREE in home evaluations
- Family owned & operated for more than 20 years

1.888.900.8883
 www.Tri-StateStairlifts.com
tri-state STAIRLIFTS

www.NeuropathyMovie.com
 "I made this movie just for you."
 - Dr. Dan McClimon, DC, BSN

1. Watch the film @ www.neuropathymovie.com
2. Call Patti @ 610-906-0636 for our next FREE seminar

BEACON OF LIFE NEUROPATHY DOCTORS
 70 Buckwalter Rd., Ste. 411 Royersford, PA 19468

BUDGET BLINDS of LANSDALE
 Rob Hessler Neighboring Parishioner

- Blinds
- Shutters
- Shades
- Drapes
- Home Automation

215.645.0408
 lansdale@budgetblinds.com
 www.budgetblinds.com/lansdale-pa
 HIC PA 156194
 An independently owned and operated franchise.

Warker-Troutman FUNERAL HOME, INC.
 Christopher W. Warker, Supervisor
 726 East High Street Pottstown, PA 19464
610-326-1510
 www.warkertroutmanfuneralhome.com

American Red Cross
 Someone Needs You!
VOLUNTEER and make a difference.
 Join today:
 redcross.org/Volunteer

gfw Group Classes
 Private Training
 Health Coaching
 YouTube Workouts
 Come As You Are!
 getfitwithashley.com ~ Schwenksville

Patriot MECHANICAL & PLUMBING
 AIR CONDITIONING • HEATING • PLUMBING
 WATER TREATMENT • WELL PUMPS
 KITCHEN & BATH DESIGN
JOE CHRIS
 WWW.PATRIOTMP.COM • 610-473-0620

Have you found **FABER?** FREE DOWNLOAD

Morgan basement waterproofing
 In Our 4th Decade of Quality Service
 French Drains • Foundation Repair • Mold Remediation
 All Work Guaranteed
610-696-0100
 www.morganbasementwaterproofing.com

DBD DISCHELL BARTLE DOOLEY law offices
 www.DBDPottstown.com • 610.323.3306
 Pottstown • Lansdale • Boyertown

ATTORNEY JONATHAN YOUNG

Personal Health Care
 Committed to Enhancing Lives Through Compassionate Care at Home
610-933-6130
 www.personalhealthcare.org

The RESIDENCE at BOYERTOWN
 INDEPENDENT CARE
 PERSONAL CARE
 MEMORY CARE
 50 Moser Lane Bechtelsville, PA
484-783-0310
 theresidenceatboyertown.com
 Where joy lives, people thrive together.

Personal Injury Litigation
 Workers' Compensation
 Social Security Disability
 Family Law • Civil Litigation
 Tax & Business Law
 Real Estate / Land Use / Zoning
 Wills / Trusts / Estates
 Labor & Employment Law
 Criminal Law • Municipal Law

Sanatoga Corp. Appliances Specialists
 LG BOSCH Whirlpool VIKING
 Showroom Hours: Mon-Fri 9-7 Sat 9-5 Sunday Closed
 ONE OF PA'S LONGEST OPERATING STORES IS REDUCING PRICES ON HUNDREDS OF APPLIANCES.
2783 E. High Street • Pottstown 610-326-9800 • www.SanatogaCorp.com

CATAGNUS

FUNERAL HOME &

CREMATION CENTER, LLC
 POTTSTOWN BOYERTOWN
 711 N. Franklin St. | 610-323-4440 1020 E. Phila. Ave. | 610-367-4440
Stephen J. Budnick, F.D. Brent A. Budnick, Supv.

YOUR CHOICE IN FUNERAL HOMES

CREMATION CENTER, LTD
 ROYERSFORD TRAPPE
 329 N. Lewis Rd. | 610-948-1950 595 Main St. | 610-831-1940
Gregg S. Catagnus, Supv. Michael M. Kinney, Supv.

www.CatagnusFuneralHomes.com

McKeever Roofing Since 1886 5th Generation
 Metal • Shingles • Rubber • Windows • Decks • Gutters
 John McKeever Parishioner
610-937-0261

A FUN new magazine for Catholic kids!
 "PRAY, HOPE, & DON'T WORRY."
 THE SAINT THIS MONTH IS **PADRE PIO**
 Science Experiment!
 THE POWER OF REFLECTION
 Our Lady of Sorrows
 Embracing the Challenge
 September 2024
ROOTED
 In Faith. In Christ.
 www.Sally-K.com

DERON J. HAINES
484-213-7065
www.haineselectrical.com
ELECTRICAL SERVICES
 Professional Affordable
 Licensed & Insured H.I.C. Reg. #PA 034865
 Accepts ALL Major Credit Cards
 15% PARISHIONER DISCOUNT

Waltz Golf Farm
 Ridge Pike, Limerick
610-489-7859

Peter J. Dolan, Esquire
 Attorney & Counselor at Law
 Offices in Pottstown and Reading
 Personal Injury, Wills, Probate, Disability
 At your request, 10% of my fees will be paid to STC Captial Campaign
www.1876law.com
610-906-3147

Est. 1888
MOORE, SNEAR & RUGGIERO
 FUNERAL HOME & CREMATORY, INC.
 224 West Main Street
 Trappe, PA 19426
 610-489-7900
www.msrfh.com
 Donald E. Moore, Supervisor

See me for all your insurance needs:
Mark Beaudoin, Parishioner
 243 Bridge Street • Phoenixville
610-933-6320 
 STATE FARM INSURANCE COMPANIES • HOME OFFICES: BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS

KJS Electric
 Boyertown, PA
 215-962-1675
info@kjselectricpa.com
www.kjselectricpa.com
 RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL • INDUSTRIAL HIC #PA173147

Welcome to Our Church!


Family Owned and Operated Since 1987
 FREE INSPECTION
 Licensed & Insured

RIGHTWAY WATERPROOFING CO.
 BASEMENT WATERPROOFING
 MOLD REMEDIATION • FOUNDATION REPAIR
215-427-1727
www.RightwayWaterproofing.com

catholicmatch
 Pennsylvania
CatholicMatch.com/datePA

H&H CONCRETE

267-398-4386
 Patios • Stamped Concrete
 Walkways • Steps
 Driveways
 Stone & Brick Pointing
www.hhconcretepa.com
 Neighboring Parishioners

OWM Law
 O'Donnell, Weiss & Mattei, P.C.
www.owmlaw.com • **610-323-2800**
 Elder Law, Estate Planning, Probate
 Business, Banking, Real Estate, Accidents
 & Personal Injury, Criminal/DUI
 Social Security, Disability, Family Law
 Pottstown & Phoenixville

WEEU
 THE VOICE OF BERKS AND BEYOND
 The highest rated, independently owned,
 local radio station for Berks and Beyond
 Bringing You Great Local Talk, Eagles, Sixers, Phillies, & Penn State
 Parishioners | www.830weeu.com

BICKEL'S
 LANDSCAPING & TREE SERVICE, INC.
 Locally Owned & Operated Since 1980
610-287-6955
www.bickelslandscaping.com

long stems
 Exceptional Floral Design
 356 Montgomery Ave. Merion Station
 1651 W. Main St. Collegeville
www.longstems.com

Lakeview Cafe BREAKFAST | LUNCH
 TAKE OUT DELIVERY
 7 DAYS A WEEK • 7am-3pm
 329 10th Ave., Royersford, PA
 610-792-7480 • lakeviewcaferoyersford.com

Sanatoga Animal Hospital
 2814 E. High St., Sanatoga, PA • 610-326-6346
www.sanatogavet.com
 Bring This Ad & Get \$25 Off Your 1st Visit

KELLY INSURANCE GROUP
 Serving our community since 1984
Tag & Notary Services Available!
 AUTO • HOME • BUSINESS
 MEDICARE • LIFE • HEALTH
 212 W. Main Street
 Trappe, PA 19426
(610) 489-9442
www.kellyins.com

Schumacher & Benner
 Funeral Home & Crematory
 120 Years 1905 to 2025
 Meeting Your Family's Needs
 with Professionalism and Sensitivity
 R. Edward Schumacher Jr. F.D.
 H. Michael Benner F.D.
 359 King Street
 Pottstown, PA 19464
610-326-5755
www.schumacherandbenner.com

MESSMER FINANCIAL
 COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL PLANNING

Chris Messmer, MSF, CFP®
 Parishioner
www.christinemessmer.com
chris@messmerfinancial.com
610.489.7925
 Christine Messmer, P.C. is the Registered Investment Advisor. Fee only and Fiduciary

KG PAINTING
 Kevin Gergel **610.633.2184**
 Expert Preparation & Professional Finish
 • all phases of interior & exterior painting
 • wallpaper installation & removal
 • deck cleaning & staining
 • drywall repair & installation

CATTERMOLE-KLOTZBACH Funeral Home
 Andrew M. Klotzbach FD, Supv.
 Joshua T. Klotzbach, FD
610-948-7330
 Washington St. at Sixth Ave., Royersford, PA

KJS Electric
 Boyertown, PA
 215-962-1675
info@kjselectricpa.com
www.kjselectricpa.com
 RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL • INDUSTRIAL HIC #PA173147

catholicmatch
 Pennsylvania
CatholicMatch.com/datePA

H&H CONCRETE

267-398-4386
 Patios • Stamped Concrete
 Walkways • Steps
 Driveways
 Stone & Brick Pointing
www.hhconcretepa.com
 Neighboring Parishioners

OWM Law
 O'Donnell, Weiss & Mattei, P.C.
www.owmlaw.com • **610-323-2800**
 Elder Law, Estate Planning, Probate
 Business, Banking, Real Estate, Accidents
 & Personal Injury, Criminal/DUI
 Social Security, Disability, Family Law
 Pottstown & Phoenixville

INCREASE YOUR VISIBILITY IN THE COMMUNITY
 Place Your Ad Here to Support Our Parish!
CONTACT ME Tracey Rauh
trauh@jppc.net (610) 405-6534
