

St. Titus Parish

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610-275-7711

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OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the faithful of St. Titus Parish, in communion with our Holy Father and our Archbishop, proclaim to everyone the Good News that Jesus Christ is the Light of the World who offers eternal salvation to all who follow him. Baptized into Christ Jesus and confirmed by the Gift of the Holy Spirit, we desire to share this Light by proclaiming the Gospel for forgiveness and reconciliation to every person.

We are united in our Church's Teachings and in the variety of the gifts, services and ministries that we use to strengthen the Kingdom of God.

CLERGY:

Rev. Monsignor Joseph J. Nicolo: St. Titus Parochial Admin & Pastor, St. Helena
Fr. Brian T. Connolly: Assisting Priest, St. Titus & Parochial Vicar, St. Helena
Deacon Claude Granese: St. Titus & St. Helena
Rev. Leonard A. Lewandowski: Pastor Emeritus (Titus)

PARISH OFFICE:

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Monday – Friday, 9:00am—4:00pm

Business Manager: Mrs. Maureen Lewis

Parish Admin: Mrs. Georgie Kratz

FACILITIES: Mr. Hank Kolenda

PREP (ST. HELENA):

Phone: 610-277-3573

Dir. of Religious Education: Mrs. Madeleine Fitzgerald

CHOIR & MUSIC DIRECTOR: Mr. Bob Leso

Phone: 856-478-4137

PARISH MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 4:30pm Vigil Mass
Sunday: 10:00am
Weekdays: Mon, Tues, Fri, Sat 8:45am
Wednesday & Thursday No Mass
Holydays 10:00am

SPIRITUAL DEVOTIONS:

Miraculous Medal Novena: Mondays after 8:45am Mass
Divine Mercy Devotion: Fridays after 8:45am Mass
Most Holy Rosary: following every Morning Mass
Rosary Group: Wed. & Thurs., 10am
Eucharistic Adoration: 1st Friday of month, 9:45am-3:45pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday afternoons 3:30-4:00pm or by appointment. Also available at St. Helena, Saturdays, 2:45pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Schedule with Parish Office for any Sunday at 11:15am. Baptisms are not performed on holidays. Pre-Jordan classes are required for parents and optional for Godparents. Classes are usually offered the first Monday of the month at 7pm in the St. Helena Convent. Call the Parish Office to register for class. Letters of eligibility are due at the Parish Office before a date for Baptism can be confirmed.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Couples must make arrangements at least six months in advance of the requested date. Contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment with clergy. The Archdiocese of Philadelphia requires that all couples attend Pre Cana class before marriage. At this time, we ask you to go to Archphil.org under Marriage preparations to take the class online.

ANointing OF THE SICK:

Catholics who are seriously ill or weakened by old age are encouraged to request this Sacrament. Those entering the hospital for surgery are invited to receive this sacrament prior to admission. **To arrange home visits for anointing, confession or Holy Communion for parishioners, please call the Parish Office during regular hours at 610-279-4990.**

MEMORIALS:

Mass Cards and Candles in honor of the living or in memory of the deceased are available at the Parish Office.

LIVE STREAM OF SUNDAY MASS: You can view the 4:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass and the 7:30am, 9am and 11am Sunday Masses by livestream from St. Helena Church. Go to the St. Helena Parish website at <https://www.sainthelena-centersquare.net> and select the *livestream* button on the right hand side of the



on the right homepage.

PLEASE NOTE: New **EMERGENCY CLERGY CONTACT** number to be used if ***Danger of Death*** exists or calling after office hours. Call 610-275-7711 (St. Helena).

NIC NOTES



Dear Parishioners,

Last week, I wrote about what it means to take ownership in a true sense of one's parish. I'd like to share with you some thoughts, insights, and comments.

One should always think of himself or herself as part of a parish family. A family shares memories, common heritage and history. Families are grounded in the same beliefs, values and traditions. They embrace new members of the family with love and acceptance.

Family members do not always agree with one another all the time, but they feel a strong commitment to one another and to the family as a whole. This is true of a parish family, too.

We should be welcoming. When you come to Mass, think of it as a large family reunion. Some people we know very well, some we know slightly and some we do not know at all. Like at a family reunion, introduce yourself to people you don't know. The Parish is part of your family. Non-verbal communication is also very powerful. A nod of the head and a smile can go a long way. Mother Teresa of Calcutta once said, "Every time you smile at someone, it is an action of love, a gift to that person, a beautiful thing."

God has given us all gifts and talents that are unique. God intends them to be shared; so use them in your parish. Get involved in a ministry, a committee, or an organization. Any expertise in business, finance, computer, public relations, photography, engineering, carpentry, building maintenance, or skills like cooking, baking, cleaning, or gardening—can find a place in the parish. You might even have an idea for a new ministry, support group, organization or event. Even your energy and your enthusiasm can build up your parish family. *Remember Thursday, May 18, is Ascension Thursday. It is a Holy Day of Obligation.*

St. Titus has Mass at 10:00am. Masses at St. Helena are Wednesday Vigil at 7:00pm, Thursday 9:00am and 12:15pm.

The Mass is the "heart" and central focus of the parish. However, parish ministries, activities and even events increase spirituality and build a sense of community. Take advantage of all of the opportunities your parish family has for you to meet new people and feel more connected. Invite others—family members, friends, neighbors, co-workers—to meet your parish family at a Sunday Mass, or any parish event. Even if someone isn't "open" or ready to come to Mass, he or she just might enjoy coming to a parish event, meeting some new people and having fun. Many a "door" has opened after such an invitation.

Everything we have and everything we are is a gift from God. We need to recognize that. When we do, we see that giving to the parish financially and generously is an essential part of our spirituality. You know how expensive it is to run your home; your parish faces much higher costs and depends on you to help meet them.

Pray for your parish. Keep your pastor, parochial vicar, parish staff and fellow parishioners in your daily prayers. Saying the Rosary, spending time in Adoration in our Chapel, fasting, offering up any suffering, annoyance or inconvenience for your parish family can help build us up. As you do this, you see yourself as a spiritual support for all the good work being done in and through your parish.

Remember, no parish is perfect. Just imagine if each one of us—the members of our parish family—would do something to make our parish better. Wow!

May God, through the intercession of St. Titus, bless us!
Love and Prayers,
Msgr. Nicolò

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, May 14
10:00am † **Theresa & Charles Connell**
Monday, May 15
8:45am **Living & Deceased Parishioners**
Tuesday, May 16
8:45am † **Ryan Heflin**
Wednesday, May 17 **NO MASS**
Thursday, May 18 *Ascension Day*
10:00am † **Tina Palladino**

Friday, May 19
8:45am † **Nina Truncali**
Saturday, May 20
8:45am † **Rick Demers**
4:30pm † **Rita Medica**
Sunday, May 21
10:00am † **Joseph Fazio**

Deacon Claude's Corner— Trying to Make Some Sense Out of Suffering—Week 2

Last week (Week 1), we called suffering a “mystery.” It’s a mystery in the sense that we believe that God allows suffering, but we cannot totally understand why God allows it. In fact, many of us struggle with Jesus’ words about suffering and the Cross (e.g., Matthew 16: 24-26) and St. Paul’s and other New Testament writers’ words on suffering (e.g., Colossians 1: 24; Romans 8: 18; 2 Corinthians 1: 3-4).

While Scripture helps us find truth, comfort, wisdom, and knowledge in its words, the problem of suffering remains a challenge. If we ask someone who is mourning or who suffers often from pain or has had a consistently difficult life, their response may very well be that they cannot concentrate on prayer and the Scriptures while going through pain, sorrow, crippling anxiety or depression. They need someone else to lift them up; to empathize; to pray! Hmmm...I wonder how this somehow fits into the problem of suffering?

Let’s try to make some sense of suffering by considering the experience of Job beginning with Chapters one and two. We can’t cover the whole book of Job (though I certainly recommend reading it with a good Catholic commentary). However, we can glean some nuggets from it that might help us as we consider the mystery of suffering.

Job was a very good, moral, and upright man. He was financially prosperous and had a wonderful family life (Job 1: 1-3). However, God allowed Satan to take it all away (Job 1: 6-2: 7), killing off all of Job’s family, except for his wife; and making him poor and destitute. While God did not perpetrate this, he did allow it. And if God allowed it, as the book of Job shows, then why? God Himself called Job “blameless and upright, fearing God and avoiding evil” (1: 9), yet God allowed this immense suffering in Job’s life!

Job’s wife tempts him to “curse God and die” (Job 2: 9). However, while maintaining that he committed no evil or sin, Job responds, **“We accept good things from God; and should we not accept evil?” Through all this, Job said nothing sinful.**

God has nothing to gain from our suffering; He is pure love and His love for us motivates His words and actions toward us. In other words, He wants what is best for us. Is it possible that God allows suffering in our lives because in God’s omniscience, omnipotence, wisdom, and grace, He can make evil and suffering become what is actually “best for us?” Can God bring good out of the bad and evil free choices we make in our lives?

Let’s reflect on this and take the following to prayer:

- Why would God allow this suffering and evil on Job, and on each of us, for that matter? Is God less than powerful if He allows Satan to work in our world?
- Do you question if a good, perfect, all-loving God can exist when He allows such tragedy and evil to touch the innocent?
- A rabbi in Auschwitz kept encouraging his people to believe, to trust God. “God will not abandon us. God will save us.” Then came his turn to go to the gas chamber. As he marched in line, he kept saying, “God will save us.” But God did not, and the rabbi’s last words were, “There is no God.” Was God there somehow in the tragedy of the Holocaust?
- Do you believe that prosperity or blessedness comes only to those who follow God perfectly? Do you believe God punishes you when you do bad things?
- Are there times when you feel anything but blessed because you are not prosperous or because a dark cloud seems to continually hang over your head?
- Do we have the strength, courage, and trust to accept God’s will for our lives?
- How would you respond to someone you know who doubts God or is angry because of their sufferings, problems and trials in life? Do you know anyone in despair, angry with God for the trials or evil which has befallen them? Please pray for them now.
- Are you only “happy” with God when things are going well in your life? In his book, *Interior Freedom*, Fr. Jacques Philippe wrote, “Positive things become a reason for gratitude and joy, negative things, an opportunity for abandonment, faith, and offering: everything becomes a grace.” What do you think he meant by this?

For next week, read Job chapter 4 and Luke 13: 1-5.

May God bless your quest for the meaning of suffering!

Deacon Claude

PARISH PRAYER**Almighty God,**

**behold I approach the Sacrament of
your Only Begotten Son
as one sick, unclean, blind, poor and needy.
I beg Your generous mercy to heal my sins,
blindness and poverty, so that I may receive
the Bread of Angels, the King of Kings and
Lord of Lords with reverence, humility,
contrition, purity and faith.
May it advance the Salvation of my soul
so that I may be counted among Your chosen.
O, most loving Father, grant me your
beloved Son,
whom I now receive veiled in this
Sacrament, so to behold His Face
at last revealed.
Amen.**

St. Titus, pray for us.

**St. Michael the Archangel, usher of God's
mercy and protector against terrorism, pray
for us.**

The normal Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel will
be recited following the Parish Prayer.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

OUR SICK: Mark Dillon, Kyle Dolga,
Zachary Eddinger, Anthony & Antoinette
Fusco, Catherine Imms, Monte Jambourin,
Eleanor Kovach, Vinny Lass, Harper McGrier, David &
Robertta Martin family, Heddy Martorelli,
Joan McCormick, Gina McGrath, Pat Meier, Frank
Murray, Joel Rivera, Kathy Shaw, Albert Sommar, James
Tancredi, Jason Robert Taylor, John Therres, Angie
Turkowski, John & Pat Varano, Ailing Friend, Dooner
Family, David D., Jane McCann, Theodore & Dolores
Trecroce, Druanna Barzeski, Jim McCarthy, Makayla,
Mary Krygiel, Patty Cutillo, Theresa Smith, Sheneza
Hartman, Dolores & Richard Salamone, Heaven Drochek,
Elaine Capozzi, Fr. Thomas Kletzel, Christopher Rhoads,
Flavia Langan, Leslie Ely, Norma Brennan, Bernice Pires,
Shane Maziarz, Denise Cucolo, Rich Bechtel,
Clara Monsimer, Noel Maziarz, Edward Vaccaro, Kathleen
Giovino, Edward Bowman, Janice Gers, Ray Ezzo Jr.,
Steve Niechcielski, Kevin Beck, Anna Marie Venezia,
Earl Henion, Patricia Sticco, James Carlson,
Angel Johnston, Gerald Giovino, Marc Arot, Robert
Harris, Tom Speelhoff, Michael Bruno, John Bruno,
Barbara Wagner, Charlie Russo, Mel Spiglemyer,
Mary Munro, Deb Angeloni

**Please notify the Parish Office when names can/should
be removed from the Prayer List. Thank you!**



ST. TITUS PARISH needs your support now more than ever!

Here are some options for continuing to contribute even if you are not attending in-person:

ONLINE GIVING!

Sign up anytime!



Select the DONATION button on the home page of
www.sttitus.org to sign up.

2. Consider giving via Bill Pay through your bank
If you pay other bills online, you can add St. Titus
Parish as a vendor and the bank will send a
payment. You can note your envelope number on
the payment to ensure proper credit. This
payment can arrive either electronically or by
physical check, the bank does it all for you.

**3. Mail your envelopes in or drop them off at the
Parish Office, Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm.**

OUR FINANCIAL PICTURE

Fiscal Year: July 1st, 2022 to June 30th, 2023

**Total Sunday Collection for
Weekend of April 29-30, 2023...\$4,776.00***

***Includes \$929. given online
Easter (as of 5/4/23).....\$12,036.00
Thank you for your generosity!**

CANDLE INTENTIONS

May 14th—20th

SANCTUARY: Steve Drochek

SS ANTHONY & JUDE; INFANT OF PRAGUE:

Lorraine Pirolli



THIS WEEK AT ST. TITUS

SUNDAY, MAY 14 *MOTHERS' DAY*

10am, Mass, Church

Seniors' Bake Sale, before & after Mass

Respect Life Committee Rose Sale, before & after Mass

MONDAY, MAY 15

Mass, 8:45am, followed by Miraculous Medal Novena;

Church open till 4pm

TUESDAY, MAY 16

Mass, 8:45am, followed by Rosary; Church open till 4pm

6:30pm, Legion of Mary, Church Lobby

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

NO MASS; Church open 9am-4pm

10am, Rosary Group, Church

THURSDAY, MAY 18 *ASCENSION DAY*

Holyday of Obligation

10am Mass, Church; Church open 9am-4pm

FRIDAY, MAY 19

Mass, 8:45am, followed by Divine Mercy Devotion;

Church open till 4pm

SATURDAY, MAY 20

8:45am, Mass, Church

3pm Hour of Mercy/Patriotic Rosary, Church

3:30pm, Confessions, Church

4pm, Rosary for the Unborn

4:30pm, Vigil Mass, Church

SUNDAY, MAY 21

10am, Mass, Church

PLEASE NOTE: To arrange home visits for anointing, confession or Holy Communion for parishioners, please call Parish Office during regular hours at 610-279-4990.

PRAY FOR MY PRIEST - SPIRITUAL MOTHERHOOD

Spiritual Motherhood is a beautiful ministry where each priest is "adopted" by a woman of faith who commits to spiritually supporting her "son" on a daily basis through prayer and sacrifice. This is an easy but extremely powerful, important and necessary ministry for our Church.

Please consider becoming a Spiritual

Mother! Access more Information and forms on the Faith Formation bulletin board in the Church Lobby or go to www.stmariagoretti.net/spiritual-motherhood



APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER

Intentions for May 2023

Pope's Prayer Intention: For church movements/groups

We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

ST. TITUS RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE ANNUAL ROSE SALE

Saturday and Sunday, May 13th & 14th,

members of the Respect Life Committee will be offering fresh, live roses in celebration of the gift of Motherhood. Your kind donations are greatly appreciated and your support enables the **PRO-LIFE COALITION of SOUTHEAST PA** to continue its efforts to actively educate, inform and promote Jesus' Gospel of life from conception to natural death.



CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

As we celebrate **In-Pew Weekend** for the 2023 Catholic Charities Appeal, please consider helping those most in the Greater Philadelphia Area. Pledge forms and Reply Envelopes are in the pews and at back of Church. Please complete forms and place in the collection basket or take one home you to prayerfully consider your gift. You can mail the cards or bring them back next week and drop them in the basket. Visit catholiccharitiesappeal.org to make your donation online today!

On this In-Pew Weekend, if you are inspired to make a contribution, please know that your act of kindness, no matter the amount, will make a substantial difference. **As of April 28th, our parish family has made 62 donations totaling \$6,020, which is 35.4% towards our goal of \$17,000.**

Baptism

We are happy to announce the new member of our St. Titus Parish Family...

Autumn Jade Foster

baptized on April 23, 2023

Her proud parents: Kenneth & Megan

Congratulations and Welcome!

COMMUNITY MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

If you are interested in starting a Ministry/Organization please call the Parish Office at 610-275-7711 to speak with Msgr. Nicolo.

All are welcome to join these activities at EITHER LOCATION.

LOCATION: ST. TITUS

If you are interested in joining any of these Ministries or Organizations please contact the St. Titus Parish Office at 610-279-4990 or e-mail sttitus@sttitus.org for contact information.

MINISTRY/ORGANIZATION	CONTACT PERSON
Altar Servers	Dcn Claude Granese
Baptismal Preparation	Parish Office
Bible Study	Dcn Claude Granese
Church Cleaning	Pat Orner
Church Decorating	Pat Klampfer
CYO	Parish Office
Eucharistic Ministers	Dcn Claude Granese
Finance Council	Parish Office
Gardening	Parish Office
Gabriels (Bulk Mailers)	Parish Office
Knights of Columbus	Matt Faust
Lectors	Denise Hoisington
Legion of Mary	Richard Wieda
Music Ministry	Bob Leso
Outreach	Parish Office
Parish Pastoral Council	Parish Office
Respect Life Committee	John Harris
Sacristans	Parish Office
Seniors Activity Club	Don McAvoy
Sodality	Nancy Kolenda
STAC (St. Titus Athletic Club)	Bill Munro
St Vincent DePaul	Parish Office
Traveling Virgin Statue	Lina McCracken
2 Hearts/2K Hail Marys/	
Night of Reparation	Bella Kampmeyer

LOCATION: ST. HELENA

If you are interested in joining any of these Ministries or Organizations please contact the St. Helena Parish Office at 610-275-7711 or e-mail parish@sainthelenachurch.org for contact information.

MINISTRY / ORGANIZATION	CONTACT PERSON
Aid for Friends	Micki Burns
Art & Environment	Theresa Smith
Basketball: Adult/Young Adult	Mike O'Brien
Basketball: 3 on 3	James Humes
Bereavement Ministry	Michele Gerstemeier
Chapel Reposers	Jack Greenleaf
Collection Counters	Denise Janick
	Karen Wurtenberg
Divine Mercy Chaplet	Vince Thompson

LOCATION: ST. HELENA Cont.

MINISTRY / ORGANIZATION CONTACT PERSON

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:

Church	Lori/Steve Iannello
Home Visit	Jim McLaughlin
Nursing Home/Private Visit	Parish Office
Suburban Hospital	Parish Office
Facilities Committee	Anthony Taormina
Finance Council	Msgr. Nicolo
First Lego League	Greg Mann
Garden Club	Theresa Smith
Greeters	Larry Constable
Home & School Association	Sara Mann
Knights of Columbus	George Gillin
Ladies of Helena	Theresa Smith
Lectors	Pat Lorenzo
Lending Library	Parish Office
Men's Fellowship Group	Joe Bushner
Mommy & Me	Katie Dalhoff
MUSIC MINISTRY	Cheryl Platco
Adult Choir	Cheryl Platco
Bells	Cheryl Platco
Cantors (Scheduling)	Cheryl Platco
Children's Chimes	Natalie Perez
Contemporary Music Ensemble	Dick Lentz
School Chorus	Sara Hansell
New Beginnings II	Janice Baker
Parish Pastoral Council	Msgr. Nicolo

PARISH YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

Altar Servers	Fr. Brian
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Christian Thompson
CYO/Community Service Corps	Tony Gallagher
CYO / Sports - President	Stephen Lynch
CYO / Sports - Athletic Director	Chris Massella
HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP	Christian Thompson
Parish Outreach Committee	Amanda Hunt
Parish Religious Ed. Program (PREP)	Madeleine Fitzgerald
St. Helena School	Denise Britt
Vacation Bible School	Christian Thompson
Young Adult Group	Christian Thompson
Prayer Shawl Ministry	Sr. Francis, O.S.F.
Pre-Jordan Team	Christian Thompson
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)	Dcn. Ken Belanger
Respect Life	Maryann Schieve
Scripture Study	Dcn. Ken Belanger
Senior Citizens Club	John Waldspurger
St. Anne Sewing Club	Theresa Smith
St. Martha Cleaners	Parish Office
Ushers	Larry Constable
Walking with Purpose	Margaret Malloy
Wedding Rehearsal Coordinators	Joan O'Neill

SCAM ALERT! We do not post Ministry Coordinator contact information to protect their privacy and prevent scamming. Please contact appropriate Parish Office who will provide you with the individual's contact information.

ST. TITUS OUTREACH PROGRAM

St. Titus Parish has been making casseroles for St. John's Hospice in Center City Philadelphia for over 25 years. ***On an average day, SJH serves 57 casseroles to hundreds of residents and day service guests. Casseroles are donated by 47 parishes in the area including our parish.***



The casseroles are the "Main Course" of a complete, hot meal that is served to hundreds of God's poor and homeless who come to St. John's for their daily bread. Please do not feel restricted to the recipes which can be found on the recipe sheets near the casserole pan in the vestibule. Your favorite recipe is most welcome! So are store bought casseroles such as Stouffers or On-the-border. St. John's provides us with pans and lids for your dishes. If you provide your own, please use a standard "half tray". Each casserole serves 6-8 men. Each month, St. John's picks up the dishes from our freezer.

Here are some useful hints:

- Please bring your casseroles frozen to church and put them in the freezer located in the vestibule of the Social Hall. If the door to the Social Hall is locked, please leave the casserole with a sacristan or maintenance.
- Prepare your recipe so that it can be eaten with a plastic "spork" (a combination spoon and fork).
- Please mark the lid with the main ingredients and date you prepared your casserole.

St. Titus/St. Francis KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

All Catholic men age 18 and over are invited to join The Knights of Columbus! We meet on the first **Tuesday** of each month at 7pm in the St. Titus Social Hall.



NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, June 6, 2023, 7:00pm, Social Hall.

New prospective members are welcome to attend. For more info, call: Don McAvoy 610-539-7881.

ST. TITUS SENIOR ACTIVITIES CLUB

JUNE LUNCHEON

Tuesday, June 6, 2023

Nonna Rosa Restaurant

236 Egypt Road, Jeffersonville

Time: 12:30 pm; Cost: \$32.00 per person

Menu choices: Chicken Parmesan with Penne, Ravioli with Meatballs, and Grilled Salmon with Broccoli. Bruschetta, salad, drinks and dessert are included.

Please call **Katherine McAvoy at 610-539-7881** with your choice of entrée before May 23, 2023! Also, please send your **check payable to St. Titus Seniors** to Phil Killian, 723 Wheatland St. Apt. 213, Phoenixville, PA 19460. Luncheon is open to non-members also.



Email Addresses Wanted!

If you do not have an email address on file at St. Titus—maybe you didn't return your census form, you recently started using email or you don't have email and would like to get our updates and notices to another person's email—please let us know the email address we can add to our distribution list for you. We want everyone to stay informed and be able to contact as many people as possible quickly when necessary. Call the office at 610-279-4990, drop a note in the collection basket or send a note through postal mail with the information and we will get you signed up.



Yummy-Yummy!

The Senior Bake Sale is coming!

Stop by their table in the Church Lobby
before and after Masses
May 13th & 14th!

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, June 2, 2023

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following 8:45am

Mass till 3:45pm

Sign up to spend some time with the Lord in His True Presence!

Drop-ins welcome!





NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION 2023-2024

Age Requirements:

Pre-Kindergarten: Age 4 by September 1, 2023

Kindergarten: Age 5 by September 1, 2023

First Grade: Age 6 by September 1, 2023

To complete the application process, the parent/guardian will need to provide copies of the following:

- Birth Certificate
- Certificate of Baptism
- If your child has received additional sacraments, we must have their complete dates
- Immunization Record
- PK-8 Registration Fee – \$125 per student (nonrefundable)
- Letter of subsidy payment from your pastor, K-8, if applicable
- Custody Papers, if applicable

If your child has an IEP, please submit the Evaluation Report and most recent IEP.

If you have any questions regarding registration or our Open House, please feel free to contact the office at office@holynosaryregional.com or by phone at 610-825-0160.

PreK 3 Program

Holy Rosary now offering PRE-K 3 program in the fall of 2023

A new student grant for transfer students that transfer from public school, grades 2-8

A welcome grant is being offered to all incoming kindergarten students that register.

For information please call the school office at 610-825-0160

2023 & 2024 MASS BOOKS

The **2023 Mass Book** for St. Titus Church is **full. No more Masses are available.**

The **2024 Mass Book** is open and is filling up quickly.

For Saturday Vigil & Sunday Mass, Mass Cards are \$15 each. Weekday & Saturday 8:45am Masses remain \$10 per Mass Card. Candle Intentions remain \$5 for the selected week at the selected altar.

Please be advised that the standard is to accept only 1 intention per date with NO "doubling up" on all dates in the 2024 book. You may do multiple names on 1 Mass (for example, husband & wife, siblings, deceased members of FAMILY NAME).

Please be mindful of your fellow parishioners and the limited number of Masses available when you are requesting annual Mass intentions.

Please call the Parish Office for questions, 610-279-4990.



St. Louis de Montfort was a French priest and Catholic saint who died in 1716. One of his best-loved books, ***The Secret of the Rosary***, is a classic of Catholic literature. In it, St. Louis delves into the origins of the Holy Rosary, its Mysteries and prayers, and miraculous effects of the rosary. Whether you pray the rosary regularly or are new to this devotion, you will find something interesting and helpful in the writings of de Montfort! We invite you to join us for our next Patricians discussion on ***The Secret of the Rosary***. The meeting will be held on **Wednesday, May 17th from 6:45 - 8:45 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 502 Ford St., Bridgeport, PA.** (We meet in the coffee hour room -- enter from the Ford St parking lot.) *The Society of the Patricians is an informal group of Catholic adults who meet monthly under the direction of Fr. Bill Cantrell to learn more about the Catholic Faith so that we can better share it with others. Please come, and bring a friend! Refreshments will be served and free literature will be available. The program is sponsored by the Legion of Mary. More info: r.edel.lukens@gmail.com or 610-256-7125.*



NEW TO ST. TITUS? Come in and get registered!

The *welcome mat* is out at the Parish Office.

Moving? Change of address or status? New family members? Please notify the Parish Office of any changes. Thank you!

WHAT'S HAPPENING OUT AND ABOUT



Metanoia is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montgomery County, PA. The group supports Catholics in their 20s and 30s who are looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area. Our upcoming events are listed below and begin at 7:30pm on most Tuesdays unless otherwise noted.

Tuesday, May 16: Theology on Tap, Local Tap, Lansdale

Friday, May 19 at 7:05pm: Catholic Charities Night at the Phillies Game. Purchase ticket by May 10 at <https://shorturl.at/szLN8>

Tuesday, May 23: Prayer, Penance, Pub, Mary Mother of the Redeemer, Montgomeryville

MARIAN SUMMIT ONLINE EVENT

The *Marian Summit: Hope for Families* is a **free online event happening on May 16th, 17th, and 18th 2023 from 6:00 to 9:00pm**. The event offers catechesis, stories, and teachings on the Blessed Mother by over 20 Catholic authors and speakers. Learn more about Our Lady and grow in deeper devotion to her by joining the Marian Summit. As it is a virtual event, you can watch the presentations on or after the premiere. To register for free, go to the homepage of www.Nonnatus.org.

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Questions?

Email director.srnf@gmail.com.

Direct registration link:

<https://www.nonnatus.org/marian-summit.html>



LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

Would you like to discover the transforming power of the Holy Spirit in your life and develop a personal relationship with Jesus? The Service Committee for the Archdiocesan Catholic Charismatic Renewal invites you to join us for Montgomery County's Life in the Spirit Seminar. ***It will be seven consecutive weeks of talks starting on Tuesday, May 2nd and ending on Tuesday, June 13th. The seminar is being hosted by Epiphany of Our Lord Church and will meet at 7pm, in the church located at 3050 Walton Road, Plymouth Meeting, PA 19426. To register or ask any questions, please contact Bobbie Cefaratti (267) 261-8995.***



Epiphany of Our Lord Parish will be hosting a **CLOTHING DRIVE** to benefit The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, **Saturday, June 3rd, 9am-12noon**.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be using the services of **The Thrifty**

Irishman to support their clothing drive. Look for **The Thrifty Irishman** truck in the parish parking lot where an attendant will be available to assist you with your donations. Please place your donations of usable men's, women's and children's clothing in plastic bags or boxes. Household items such as: kitchenware, linens/bedding, games/toys, small appliances, electronics, sporting goods, books, furniture, CDs & videos are also accepted. Unfortunately, **large appliances cannot be accepted**.

Holy Saviour Elementary School Class of 1966 is holding a Reunion. Classmates are welcomed to join us on **Friday, May 19th at Steppy's Sports Bar and Grill, Norristown**. Cost is \$30pp. Casual Dress. Lite Fare. Cash Bar. Please share this with anyone you know from this class. For payment information, please contact committee at: holysaviour.66@gmail.com

Hope to see you there!!

Looking for classmates

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