

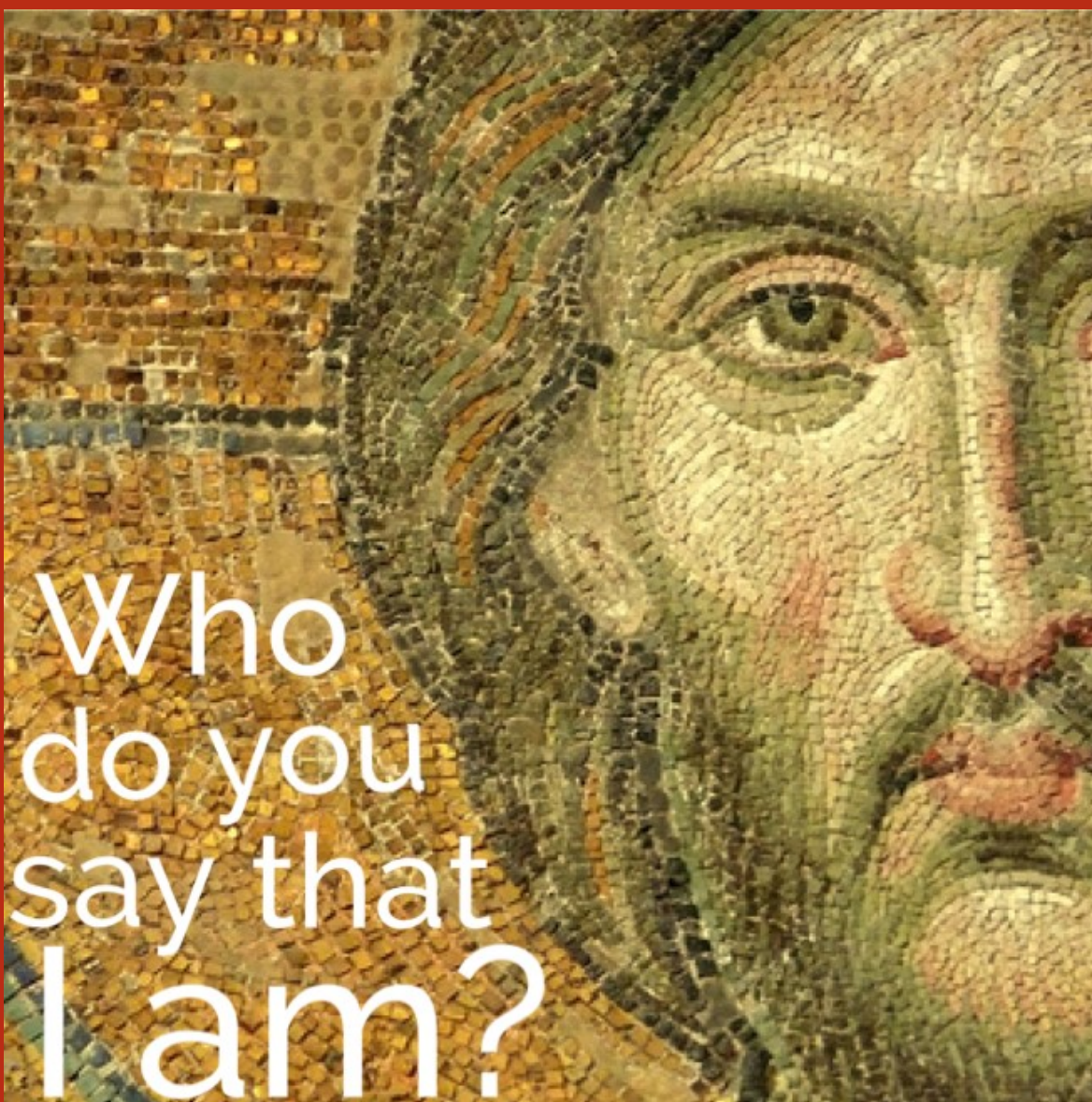
St. Titus Parish

3000 KEENWOOD ROAD, EAST NORRITON, PA 19403

PARISH PHONE: 610-279-4990 FAX: 610-279-8640

EMERGENCY CLERGY CONTACT (IN DANGER OF DEATH/AFTER HOURS):
610-275-7711

August 27, 2023



Who
do you
say that
I am?

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:

Fr. Joseph W. Bongard: St. Titus Parochial Admin
& Parochial Admin, St. Helena
Fr. Kyle Adamczyk & Fr. Edward Kelly: Parochial Vicar
St. Titus & St. Helena
Deacon Claude Granese: St. Titus & St. Helena
Rev. Leonard A. Lewandowski: Pastor Emeritus (Titus)

PARISH OFFICE:

Phone: 610-279-4990

Website: www.sttitus.org

Email: sttitus@sttitus.org

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, 3:00pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Schedule with Parish Office for any Sunday at 11:15am. Pre-Jordan classes are required for parents and optional for Godparents. Classes are usually offered the first Monday of the month at 7pm at St. Helena Parish. Call the St. Helena Parish Office (610-275-7711) to register for class. Letters of eligibility are due at the St. Titus 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. All couples are required to attend Pre-Cana class before marriage. Go to Archphila.org under Marriage preparations to register for the class online.

ANOIDING 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 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).

RECITED BEFORE MASS AFTER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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 final blessing at Mass.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, August 27

10:00am † **Ryan Heflin**

Monday, August 28

8:45am † **Dr. Thomas Check**

Tuesday, August 29

10:00am † **Claudia Restrepo Farina**

Wednesday, August 30 **NO MASS**

Thursday, August 31 **NO MASS**

Friday, September 1

8:45am **Living & Deceased Parishioners**

Saturday, September 2

8:45am † **Theresa & Charles Connell**

4:30pm † **Anne Picard**

Sunday, September 3

10:00am † **Lillian Hess**

OUR FINANCIAL PICTURE

Fiscal Year: July 1st, 2023 to June 30th, 2024

**Total Sunday Collection for
 Weekend of August 19-20, 2023...\$7,451.00***

***Includes \$1,299. given online**

Thank you for your generosity!

Election of Godparents: One Godparent is required. Two Godparents—one male, one female may be appointed. Godparents must be practicing Catholics, 16 years of age or older, fully initiated into the Church (Baptized and Confirmed) at least 6 months before baptism. A non-Catholic may stand as a Christian Witness. Former Catholics are ineligible. Godparents must obtain a *Certificate of Eligibility* from their parish; Christian Witnesses must provide a copy of their baptismal record. These documents and baptismal stipend must be received by the parish office one week before the day of Baptism.



CANDLE INTENTIONS

August 27th—September 2nd

ST. JOSEPH: Henry J. Davis

SANCTUARY: Steve Drochek

CHANGE IN MASS PROCEDURE

Beginning at All Sunday Masses on September 3, 2023, the Priest who is the Main Celebrant, will have a pyx containing low-gluten hosts. Any individual in need of receiving a low gluten host should get in the communion line of the Main Celebrant and request one when presenting oneself for Holy Communion. There will be no need to pre-arrange or notify anyone before Mass. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Father Joe: jbongard@sainthelenachurch.org

SACRAMENT PREPARATION: All children attending a Catholic public or private school (Grades 2 or Grades 7 & 8) are to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation at the parish where registered. If you are members of St. Titus Parish, please contact the Parish Office 610-279-4990 for Sacrament info and registration.



ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

We are recruiting new youth altar servers (**children in grade 4-high school**) who are in public, private, parochial schools or are home-schooled **AND adults** who would like to be of service. Families welcome! Prayerfully consider and call the Parish Office if interested—610-279-4990.



**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
 FOR LABOR DAY,
 MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH
 CHURCH WILL CLOSE FOLLOWING 8:45AM MASS**

Deacon Claude's Corner— Prayer

This past Sunday's Gospel reading about the prayer of the Canaanite woman and her faith, persistence, and humility, got me to thinking about prayer. Different people have different approaches to prayer and may have different reactions to prayer, depending on perceived responses and results.

Most have heard or read the Catechism definition of prayer and other classic definitions: "Prayer is lifting the heart and mind to God." "Prayer is talking to God." "Prayer is requesting of good things from God." "... prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy" (St. Therese Liseux).



Certainly, I agree with all of these, but if I may, I suggest we take it a step further. If we want to talk to God, so as to enter into a relationship with Him, is there not a listening component to building this relationship so that we not only speak to God but also listen to Him?

Our relationship with God can't be one sided, so we need to do our best to discern what the Lord is saying to us; what His will is for us. If our prayer is one-sided, is it, therefore, a relationship? I would like to explore this over the next few weeks, but first I want to share with you my thought process about prayer.

I am not getting any younger (I am 70 now), and I find myself thinking about my mortality, and even more so about my life and the big questions: Why did God, who is existence itself (I AM WHO AM as God said to Moses at the burning bush of Exodus 3: 14), share existence with me? Why did God give me life? Why did He place me here at this moment in time? Why has He given me the gifts of faith, a wonderful family and a diaconal vocation? When He saw me in His mind's eye, what was the purpose and plan He had for me? With the grace Jesus won for me, have I fulfilled it so that one day I would be forever with God?

Since the very fact that I exist is by God's will and plan, then it seems to me that I owe everything to God. And so, therefore, the following words of the Preface at Mass are most appropriate... "It is truly right and just, our duty and salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks Father most holy..."

Each day brings opportunities to see God's gifts and graces around us and in us, and to respond. Let's try to remember the gifts and graces God has given us, beginning with life (not only our life, but spouse, family, friends, loved ones), faith, redemption and grace, and eternal life. In turn, may our response be to give praise and thanks to God.

Let us pray: "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen" (Revelation 7: 12).

Next week we will explore more about prayer. Of course, these are my musings, so you may feel much differently and have different experiences. Regardless, I hope you will share your view of prayer and your experiences with me, either through my Church email address or when we see each other at Church.

Deacon Claude

LUNCH AIDE POSITION AVAILABLE: Do you love children? Do you like to keep busy (while earning some money at the same time? Please consider helping our **Holy Rosary** students for approximately 3 hours a day Monday through Friday as a lunch aide (15 hours). Basic duties: Set up, Vendor deliveries kept warm, serve lunch, wash trays, and general cleanup. **ALL applicants MUST have up to date clearances.** For more information, contact Amy Porter at 610-825-0160 or amyporter@holyroaryregional.com.

**8TH ANNUAL PADRE PIO FESTIVAL**

Saturday, September 16, 2023 - 12:00-9:00pm

Sunday, September 17, 2023 - 12:00-6:00pm

Presented by St. Bede the Venerable Parish and Knights of Columbus Council 15478

Saturday – Community Family Picnic with food, games, entertainment and amusements; free evening concert at 7:30 (The Jersey Tenors)

Sunday – Solemn High Mass at 12:30pm (Celebrant Most Rev. Nelson J. Perez, Archbishop of Philadelphia) followed by a street procession and healing service with Padre Pio Relics; food, games, entertainment and amusements.

Location: St. Bede the Venerable Parish, 1071 Holland Road, Holland, PA.

More info: www.padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com/

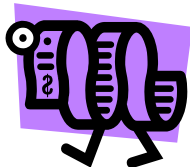
ST. TITUS LEGION OF MARY: Join us **Tuesday evenings at 6:30pm** in the Church Lobby as we meet to build up our chapter of the Legion of Mary. All parishioners are invited to attend. Legion of Mary is a worldwide lay apostolic organization at the service of the Church. The Legion of Mary's twofold purpose is spiritual development of its members and advancing the reign of Christ through Our Lady through works within the parish.



LAST CHANCE—BRING THEM IN!

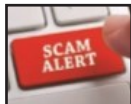
ShopRite receipts!

Check Dates: Only good for 5 months Shoprite of E. Norriton will be closing in early October. We will accept receipts thru Aug 31st. Please place Shoprite receipts in box located in the Church Lobby, so we can get the last of donations of .005% of the receipt's total back to the parish!



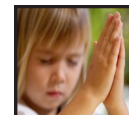
SCAM ALERT!

Please know that Fr. Bongard, Fr. Kyle, Fr. Kelly, Fr. Len and the St. Titus Staff or any other clergy will NEVER email or text requests for money, gift cards or help in any way. If you receive an email, please DO NOT respond to these requests—just delete the email!



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 & Roberta 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, Shane Maziarz, Denise Cucolo, Rich Bechtel, Noel Maziarz, Edward Vaccaro, Kathleen Giovinco, Edward Bowman, Janice Gers, Ray Ezzo Jr., Steve Niechcielski, Kevin Beck, Anna Marie Venezia, Patricia Sticco, Angel Johnston, Gerald Giovinco, Marc Arot, Robert Harris, Rose Marie Munro, Tom Speelhoff, John Bruno, Barbara Wagner, Charlie Russo, Mel Spiglemyer, Mary Munro, Eileen Mincarelli, Raymond Tancredi, Sr.



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.



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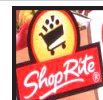


Scrip is sold at the
Parish Office

Monday-Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm
and in the Church Lobby at Sunday Mass



DON'T FORGET YOUR REGULAR IN-STOCK CARDS—ALWAYS AVAILABLE
ACME, SHOPRITE, GIANT, WAWA, KOHL'S, WEIS, ETC!



THIS WEEK AT ST. TITUS**SUNDAY, AUGUST 27**

10am, Mass, Church

Summer Lottery continues thru August 31st!

MONDAY, AUGUST 28

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

Church open till 4pm

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

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

6:30pm, Legion of Mary, Church Lobby

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

NO MASS; Church open 9am-4pm

10am, Rosary Group, Church

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

NO MASS; Church open 9am-4pm

10am, Rosary Group, Church

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

Mass, 8:45am followed by Eucharistic Adoration till 3:45pm

8pm Friday-2:30am Saturday, Night of Reparation, Ch

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

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, SEPTEMBER 3

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.

WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS—Now is the time for a **NEW BEGINNING!** Come join us for fun and friendship at the start of our new season. We meet at St. Helena's, 1489 DeKalb Pike, Blue Bell, in their school cafeteria at 7pm, the first Wednesday of each month (no meetings in December, June, July and August). Our first meeting for the year is **Wednesday, September 6th**. Take time this year to step out and make a "New Beginning" in your life. If you have any questions, please call Kay Santillo at 610-539-4645.

APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER**Intentions for August 2023****Pope's Prayer Intention: For World Youth Day**

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

BUILDING OUR FUTURE COMPREHENSIVE CAMPAIGN

Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary, the oldest Catholic institution of higher learning in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, is calling on you to help with Building Our Future. As the seminary's relocation to Lower Gwynedd Township is fully underway, plans include renovating existing buildings and constructing new buildings. This new location will guarantee and secure our commitment to forming new priests with an exceptional educational experience. Establishing an endowment is also vital so the seminary will lessen its dependence on annual giving and ensure the long-term sustainability of the mission. This endeavor needs to raise \$40 million for the future of Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary. Please join your brothers and sisters in supporting the Building Our Future Comprehensive Campaign. Whether through a one-time gift or pledge today, or a future planned gift, your generosity will have a lasting impact. Please visit www.scs.edu/campaign or scan this QR code to watch the campaign video and learn more about how you can help make a difference.

**ST TITUS FLEA MARKET****SEPTEMBER 16, 2023, 8:00AM TO 1:00PM****ST TITUS CHURCH, 3006 KEENWOOD RD, NORRISTOWN****SECURE YOUR SPOT: 484-432-5871 DHOIS130@GMAIL.COM*****Vendors Needed***

\$30 per 8x18ft space
(you can bring 2 tables)

Rain Date is Sep 23rd

Reserve
EXTENDED to 8/31

COMMUNITY MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

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

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 OncoR. 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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOLF OUTING AT MAINLAND

Father Tomko Assembly Knights of Columbus invites all golfers to join us this year at Mainland Golf Course in Harleysville, PA on **Friday, October 13**. Sign-in opens at 7:30am with an 8:30am shotgun start. Register your foursome now for the discount or sign up individually before the deadline of Monday, October 2nd. Forms and more details can be found on the vestibule bulletin board or at the website: tomkoassembly934@gmail.com. This event benefits our Assembly's Veterans and Patriotic programs.



The **Catechetical Institute (CI) at The School of Theological Studies (STS) at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary** offers affordable online non-credit courses for Catholic adults 18+ with a high school diploma or equivalent who are seeking to deepen their knowledge of the Catholic Faith or who are required to obtain catechetical certification in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. Registration is now open for the July courses *Foundations of the Church, Sacraments of Initiation, Catholic Moral Teachings and Sacraments of Healing & Vocation*. The cost is \$60.00 per course. Please visit <https://www.scs.edu/school-of-theological-studies/catechetical-institute/> for more details and to register.



Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, September 1, 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!



IT'S FOOTBALL MANIA TIME!

Ticket packets were mailed last week & will be arriving soon!

Tickets will also be on sale after weekend Masses and at Parish Office!

Please return all **SOLD ticket stubs and money:**

- To the Parish Office (in the return envelope from mailed packet)
- Or place them in the collection basket in an envelope **clearly marked "Footballmania"**

The ticket stub return deadline is Sunday, September 3rd. Thanks for your support!



St. Titus 2023 Summer Lottery Calendars

Winning numbers are based on the
PA Lottery PICK 3 Daily Number (Evening), straight only and
are shown on date in bold under prize amount.
Call the Parish Office for payment if your number wins.

August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1 \$50. #094	2 \$50. #816	3 \$50. #805	4 \$50. #993	5 \$100. #820
6 \$50. #954	7 \$50. #842	8 \$50. #972	9 \$50. #380	10 \$50. #368	11 \$50. #381 Winner	12 \$50. #126
13 \$50. #635	14 \$50. #399	15 \$50. #946	16 \$50. #945	17 \$50. #656	18 \$100 #925 Winner	19 \$50. #740
20 \$50. #666	21 \$50. #052	22 \$50. #889	23 \$50.	24 \$50.	25 \$50.	26 \$50.
27 \$50.	28 \$50.	29 \$50.	30 \$50.	31 \$50.		

SOLE HARVEST 5K

and 1 Mile Walk

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CENTER**



EMPOWERING THOSE EXPERIENCING
HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY

10.14.23
9:00 AM

NORRISTOWN FARM PARK

WHAT'S HAPPENING OUT AND ABOUT

SAINT MARY FEAST (SCHWENKSVILLE)

Mark your calendars for our 2 day Saint Mary Feast, **Saturday, September 9th and Sunday, September 10th** in honor of Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament. On Saturday, September 9th enjoy soaring harmonies featuring **The Sweethearts** and their show, **History in Harmony from 5:00pm - 7:30pm**. Admission to our Evening Social is \$25 or \$180 for a table of 8 and includes one complimentary drink, an array of hot and cold hors d'oeuvres, and a raffle ticket for a chance to win one of several fabulous door prizes! **Reserve your seats early!** Sunday, will be filled with homemade Irish, Polish, Italian and American foods, fun and fellowship from **1:00-6:00pm**. Browse through our Attic Treasures both days! There will be a Trackless Train, carnival games, a Rock Wall food and more! Join us in our Biergarten with craft beer and wine and watch the **Philadelphia Phillies followed by the opening Eagles game on a big screen tv!** Enjoy the festivities and bring family and friends! Visit www.churchofsaintmary.org or call 610.287.8156 for more info. Saint Mary Church is located at 40 Spring Mount Road, Schwenksville, PA

NOVENA AND FEAST DAY MASSES IN HONOR OF

SAINT PIO OF PIETRELCINA

Our Annual Novena to Saint Pio at the **National Centre for Padre Pio in Barto, PA** begins on **Thursday, September 14** with recitation of the rosary and the celebration of Mass followed by veneration of the relic glove of Padre Pio. Join us as we honor Padre Pio with devotion and prayer and seek his powerful intercession on nine consecutive days. On the weekend following our Novena, we will celebrate the feast day of Saint Pio with Masses on Saturday, September 23 and Sunday, September 24.

Confessions on all days pending Priest availability

Novena - Thursday, September 14 to

Friday, September 22, 2023

Feast Day of Saint Pio

Saturday, September 23:

Masses at 10:30am & 1:30pm

Sunday, September 24: Mass at 12:00noon



HOLY SAVIOUR 1965 REUNION

Anyone interested in attending a Holy Saviour 8th grade reunion, Class of 1965, please contact Charles Russo at crgolfer1951@gmail.com or Michele "Mickey" Lafiata at mlafiata@gmail.com. Details to follow.



NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION 2023-2024

Age Requirements:

<i>Pre-K 3:</i>	<i>Age 3 by September 1, 2023</i>
<i>Pre-K 4:</i>	<i>Age 4 by September 1, 2023</i>
<i>Kindergarten:</i>	<i>Age 5 by September 1, 2023</i>
<i>First Grade:</i>	<i>Age 6 by September 1, 2023</i>

****TRANSFER GRANT \$1500 available for students who transfer from public school, grades 2-8!**

**** WELCOME GRANT \$1000 to ALL incoming kindergarten students!**

**** Over \$100,000 in in grants and aid available to all students.**

**** Parishes subsidizes \$1000 to active parishioners.**

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
- PK3-Gr. 8 Registration Fee – \$125 per student (non-refundable)
- 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.

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To register, or if you have questions, please contact Amy Porter at

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