

Church of the Holy Family

Parish Rectory

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Rev. Monsignor Patrick E. Sweeney

Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Francis X. McKee

Sunday Visitor

Rev. John P. Collins

Pastoral Service Director

and

Permanent Deacon

Mr. James Browne

Day Care & Summer Camp

Ages: Infant (6 weeks) through PreK-4

Hours: 6:00am to 6:00pm,
year round care

Director: Cyndi Manley

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Director's Cellphone: 215-298-4971

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Welcome

We welcome all who join us for worship and we invite you to become part of our parish family. You may register as a parishioner in the rectory on any Sunday morning after the 8:00am or 11:00am Masses or any time in the rectory.



CHURCH SERVICES

Saturday Evening Mass 4:00pm

Sunday Masses: 8:00 and 11:00am

Weekday Mass: 8:00am

Holy Day Vigil Mass: 7:00pm

Holy Day Mass: 8:00am

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the third Sunday of each month after the 11:00am Mass. Please contact the rectory for details about the Pre-Jordan program which is held on the first Sunday of the month at 12:00pm in the rectory.

CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:00 to 3:45pm

After Stations on Wednesday evenings during Lent and any time upon request.

MARRIAGE

Couples must make arrangements with one of the priests at Holy Family at least 6 months prior to the wedding. Call the rectory at 215-482-0450 for an appointment.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND ELDERLY

We visit the homes of those unable to attend Mass due to sickness or age on the first Monday of each month from 11:00am to 12:30pm and every Sunday after the 8:00am Mass.

Holy Hour: second Sunday of each month after the 11:00am Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena: every Friday after 8:00am Mass

Alter Servers: serve at Mass

Cantors: lead singing at Mass

Choir: sings at Mass & Liturgical Services

Extraordinary Ministers: bring Holy Communion to the sick

Guitar Group: sings at the 11:00am Mass once a month

Lectors: read at Mass each Sunday

RCIA: prepares and instructs converts to enter the church and for Catholics not yet Confirmed; Wednesday at 7:00pm

PREP: teaches students' not attending Catholic school; Sundays from 9:30 to 10:45am

Pre-Cana Team: workshop for engaged couples

Ajax Committee: cleans sanctuary and church twice each month

ALPHA: discuss religious matters in a relaxed setting

Finance Committee: meets six times per year to advise the Pastor

Liturgy Committee: plan religious services

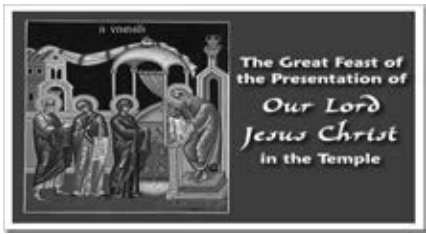
Parish Pastoral Council: meets several times per year to confer on Pastoral planning

Women's Club: meets six times per year and sponsors social activities

Seniors: meets twice each month in the convent

* **Please note:** if you are interested in participating any of these activities, please contact the rectory at 215-482-0450

FEBRUARY 2, 2020



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st - 4:00 PM

Harry and Helen Jennings, requested by Mark and Marie Jennings

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd

8:00am

Mitch and Marian Yanak, requested by Mitch and Irene Yanak

11:00am

Our Parishioners

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd - 8:00am

Francis P. Thomas, Jr., requested by Amanda Gerten

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4th - 8:00am

William O’Harra

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5th - 8:00am

Mary Beth Schaeffer, requested by Monsignor Sweeney

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6th - 8:00am

Richard Levering, requested by Catherine Moore

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7st - 8:00am

Special Intention

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th - 4:00 PM

Catherine Mullen, requested by Harry and Eileen Mullen

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9th

8:00am

Our Parishioners

11:00am

Alexander Montane, requested by John and Teresa Spinks

*****CHURCH PARKING LOT*****

If you find that the church parking lot is filled there is additional parking down at the Day Care Center.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

January 25 th /26 th (111)	\$ 3,150.00
Puerto Rico Earthquake Recovery	\$ 341.00
Catholic Relief (9)	\$ 125.00
Total	\$ 3,616.00



In your prayers, you are asked to pray for all the sick of the parish and those who care for them especially, Anna Marie Barry, Theresa Barthold, Robert Brecht, Jr., Linda Brown, Christopher Browne, Ed Cameron, Christina Dougherty Gailey, Daniel Evans, Terry Flanagan, Jackie Jordan, Anne Marie Kearns, Lisa Long, Erin McFarlane, Megan McHugh, Helen Nagle, Ronald Rigler, John David Smeltzer, Ava Snick, Ed Speece, Frances Sprenkle, Eileen and Joe Szewczak, Fran Thomas and Roy (Toysie) Turvey, Jr..



Please pray for the happy repose of all the faithful departed.



LCPL. Shane Canavan, A1C Matt Dandrea, Nicholas DiCicco, PFC Michael D’Intino, PFC Chase Dixon, PFC Tyler Manigly, Sr. Master Sergeant Jason Otto, Captain Zach Schwatka, Col. Scott Shore, and Cpl. Christopher Starrett.



SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 1st – 4:00pm

Grace Welsh – Jocelyn Welsh

SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 2nd

8:00am

Frances Arturo – Joseph Arturo

11:00am

Michael Torna – Kylie Graff

ORGANIST

4:00pm - Joseph O'Brien

8:00 – 11:00am Isaac Young



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st - 4:00pm

Grace Torna

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd

8:00am - 11:00am

Julia Bokunewicz



SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 1st - 4:00pm

Mary Alice Missimer – Maryann Raudenbush

SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 2nd

8:00am

Rita Morades

11:00am

Michael Sweeney



SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 1st - 4:00pm

Walt Wood

SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 2nd - 8:00am

Mitch Yanak

11:00am

John Delaney

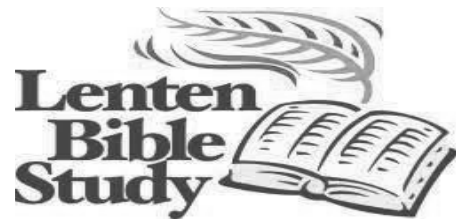


The distribution day is the Fourth Sunday of the month. The Distribution day for January is today after the 11:00 am Mass. Food can be picked up at the convent. Our Food Cupboard needs to be stocked. Some suggestions for donations : boxes of cereal, pancake mix/syrup, cake mixes/frostings, crackers, jellies/jam, peanut butter, cookies, tune fish or canned meats, rice, noodles, cans of juice or juice packs, tea bags, salt/pepper. **NO BABY FOOD IS NEEDED.** We hope this action will help someone in need.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Our Eucharistic Adoration will be on the second Sunday of every month after the 11:00 A.M. Mass until 1:00 P.M. We are praying for a holier church despite the scandal. Please make every effort to attend this parish celebration.



Deacon Jim Browne will facilitate a 5 week Bible Study on the Catholic Epistles, (James, Jude, and John 1,2,3) on Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm in the Rectory, beginning on March 3rd and ending on March 31st. Please consider attending one or more of these sessions during lent.



**7TH GRADE
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Saturday, February 1, 2020
\$125 (3 classes + exam)

Saturday, February 8, 2020
\$100 (2 classes + exam)

Saturday, February 29, 2020
\$75 (1 class + exam)

Saturday, March 7, 2020
The 2021–2022 school year.
\$50 (exam fee)

Prep Course | 8am – 10am

Practice Exam | 8am – 12pm

To learn more about the outstanding tradition of excellence in education that Saint Basil Academy has to offer, contact Rachel McGonigle at 215.649.9083 or email admissions@stbasilacademy.org



Please join us at Sacred Heart Academy, Bryn Mawr on Wednesday, February 12th from 4:30 to 6:30 for our Winter Open House.

Information and registration is available at SHAbrynmar.org or by calling our admissions office at 610-527-3915 ext 214.



HUNTERTON HILLS PLAYHOUSE

St. John the Baptist Senior Citizens are running a trip to Hunterdon Hills Playhouse on Sunday, March 15th to see The Irish Cabaret Show. The cost of the trip is \$85.00 and includes sit down lunch, bus to and from Mitchell Street and Pensdale Street at 11:30am and return about 8:00pm.

Entertainment will be: Irish Music, Dance and Comedienne.

For more information contact Nancy Domino ASAP at 215-487-2754 if interested.



**JOHN W. HALLAHAN HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 1970 – “50th” REUNION**

The class of 1970 is holding a “50th” reunion on Sunday, October 25th. Check at the Facebook page Class of 1970 J.W. Hallahan 50th Reunion or email 1970hh2020@gmail.com for additional information.



Catholic Charities Appeal Night with the Philadelphia 76ers!

Philadelphia 76ers vs. Brooklyn Nets

Thursday, February 20th – 8:00 pm

Plan a night out with family and friends and head down to the Wells Fargo Center for CCA Night with the Sixers! Enjoy a great night while benefiting CCA, the Archdiocese of Philadelphia’s largest annual fundraising Initiative. A portion of the proceeds all tickets sold through this dedicated line <https://fevo.me/cca76> will directly benefit CCA programs which provide support to those experiencing homelessness, special needs students, food cupboards, after school programs and so much more.

If 150 tickets are sold, Mr. James Amato, Secretary for Catholic Human Services, will receive on-court recognition.



Mount Saint Joseph Academy

The Mount, a catholic preparatory school for girls, invites all interested 7th grade girls to

The **7th Grade Practice Test (Pre-HSPT)** to be given on

Saturday, March 21, 2020

8:00 – 11:30 a.m.

The Pre-HSPT is a 7TH grade edition of the actual Scholarship/Entrance Exam given to eighth grade applicants

Registration is available **online only**. **Register at:** www.msjacad.org/practicetest

You will receive registration confirmation via email.



The Coffee Club will resume on the 23rd of this month.



All are invited to St. Mary Polish American Society's 4th Annual Polish Mardi Gras Polka Party at the TK Club at 521 East Hector Street in Conshohocken on Sunday February 23rd from Noon to 5 pm.

Admission is \$10 in advance and \$15 on the day of the event. Admission for children 6 to 12 years old is \$7 each and free for children under the age of 6. We are also offering pre-ordered frozen potato pierogi for \$9 a dozen and advance homemade gołabki orders for \$4 each. We would appreciate if people could buy their tickets and place food orders by Wednesday February 12th, so we can purchase the correct amount of food. For tickets, please email stmaryconshy@gmail.com or call Dorothy Swedkowski at 610-630-0861

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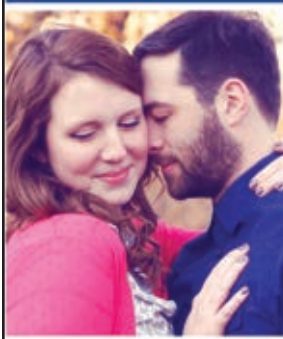

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