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We welcome all to join us for worship and invite you to become a part of our parish family. New members are asked to call the Parish Center to schedule an appointment for registration. Registration is required for admission to our programs of Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation for Baptism, First Eucharist, Reconciliation, Confirmation and Marriage. Eligibility certificates for Sponsorship for Baptism and Confirmation are issued to registered parishioners who are practicing Catholics. Couples planning to be married, or those desiring to schedule a Baptism are asked to call the Parish Center to schedule an appointment to speak with a priest.

¡BIENVENIDOS! Ayúdenos a conocerlos y servirles mejor. Comuníquese con uno de los sacerdotes de la parroquia.

Hágase miembro de las Parroquia de San Estanislao.

Inscríbese en el centro parroquial.

PARISH CENTER HOURS

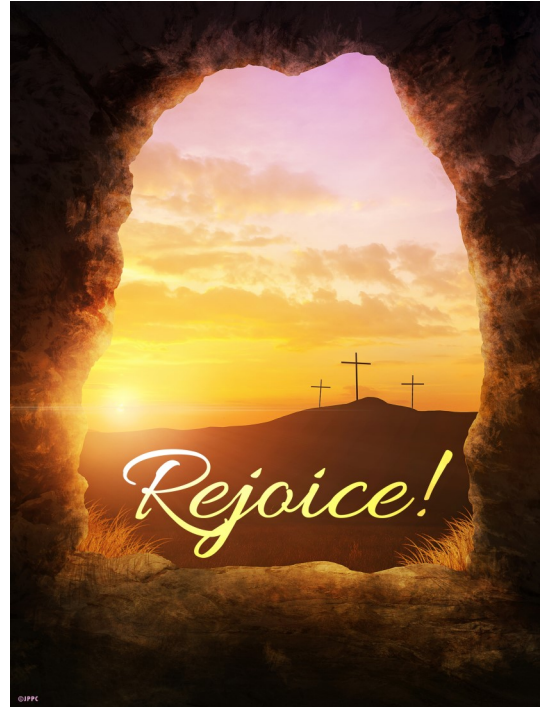
Monday through Thursday : 9am to 9pm

Friday: 9am to 6pm

Saturday: 8:30am to Noon

Sunday: 8:30am to 1pm

Priests are available after office hours for the pastoral care of the dying by calling 215.368.0220.



Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord April 1, 2018

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend

Saturday Vigil 5:15pm

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11am and 1pm in Spanish

Daily

Monday through Friday 6:30am & 8am

Saturday 8am,

followed by Miraculous Medal Novena Prayers

Holy Days

Vigil: 7pm

Holy Day: 6:30am, 9am, 12:05pm, 7pm (Spanish)

Catholic Mass in Sign Language

4th Sunday of the month, Parish Center Chapel.

Mass Interpreted in ASL

1st, 2nd & 3rd Sundays, 9am Mass in the Church

Children's Liturgy of the Word

During 11am Mass, September through June

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 8:30am to 9am; 4pm to 4:45pm

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Katharine Drexel Chapel

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Today:	Acts 10:34-43; Col 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-9
Monday:	Acts 2:14-33; Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday:	Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday:	Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35
Thursday:	Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48
Friday:	Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14
Saturday:	Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15
Sunday:	Acts 4:32-35; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31

THIS WEEK

- ◆ **No 6:30 am Mass** tomorrow — 8 am only!
- ◆ **Parish Center Closed** until Tuesday, April 2
- ◆ **PREP will be held on April 4** due to the March 21 cancellation.

NEXT WEEK

- ◆ **Divine Mercy Feast Celebration:** April 8, 3 pm in the Church. Details on page 7.
- ◆ PREPR Registration begins on April 11. See page 5.
- ◆ Mater Dei Spring Open House on April 12. Details on page 6.

Easter Prayer

Let us hope in God and praise Him, our Savior and our God. Alleluia! Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia!

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated Sundays after the 11am Mass. To ensure that parents and godparents understand the meaning of the sacrament of Baptism, what to expect on the day of Baptism, and to reflect on the responsibilities that accompany their roles, we require that all new parents and godparents attend a Baptism preparation session known as Pre-Jordan. For information about this program and more, please contact the Parish Office or visit the website, www.ststanislaus.com.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Couples planning to be married should contact the Church at least 6 months in advance of the planned wedding date. No other arrangements should be made until the couple meets with a parish priest and the date and time are reserved. Attendance at a Marriage Preparation program is required in accord with Archdiocesan policy. Further information will be provided at the time of the meeting with a priest.

Annulments: Contact the Parish Center to speak to a priest for more information on the annulment process. Directives of Pope Francis have eased the process of obtaining annulments.



SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Easter Sunday, April 1

Parish Center Closed

Monday, April 2

Parish Center Closed

8 am Mass @ Chapel (**no 6:30 Mass**)

Tuesday, April 3

9:30 am School of Community @ Murray Rm

9:45 am Playgroup @ Lobby Rm

1 pm Writing workshop @ Shade Rm

7 pm Divine Mercy Cenacle @ Shade Rm

7 pm Hispanic Prayer Group @ Chapel

8 pm Respect Life @ Murray Rm

Wednesday, April 4

6:45 pm PREP @ School/Gym

7 pm RCIA @ Lobby Rm

Thursday, April 5

1:30 pm Legion of Mary @ Cahill Rm

6:15 pm Children's Choir @ Church

6:45 pm BINGO @ Gym

7 pm Evangelization Committee @ Cahill Rm

7:30 pm Adult Choir @ Church

Friday, April 6

7 pm Musical @ Gym

Saturday, April 7

8:30 am Confessions until 9 am

9 am First Communion Retreat @ Parish Center and Church

2 pm New Beginings @ Lobby Rm

2 pm Musical @ Gym

4 pm Confessions until 4:45 pm

7 pm Musical @ Gym

Did you know??

The Deacons are available after the 9 am and 11 am masses on Sundays to assist with the following:

- ◆ Letters of Eligibility
- ◆ To register for a baptism
- ◆ To register as a new parishioner



Weekly appointments can still be made by calling the Parish Center at 215-855-3133 for availability. No appointments are necessary on Sundays. Just stop by the Parish Center following the 9 or 11 am mass (**with the exception of today, Easter Sunday.**)

Treasure Information for the weekend of March 25 was not available when this bulletin went to print. This information will be included in a later bulletin.

Divine Mercy "Minute" Diary 317 — St. Faustina
"O my God, my only hope, I have placed all my trust in You, and I know I shall not be disappointed."

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 1, Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

7:00 am Deceased members of the Thornton Family
Requested by the Corcoran Family

9:00 am Rose Williams
Requested by Roseann and Family

11:00 am Paul Spotts
Requested by his wife, Dianne

Monday

8:00 am Frank Chilberti
Requested by his sister, Betty Gilbert

Tuesday

6:30 am Florence Mikolajczyk
Requested by the Family

8:00 am Adam Koneski
Requested by Susan and Charles Koneski

Wednesday

6:30 am Deceased members of the McLaughlin Family
Requested by Carl and Charles Weigle

8:00 am Deceased members of the Malfotti Family
Requested by Rosemarie and Family

Thursday

6:30 am John J. O'Brien
Requested by Gerald J. O'Brien

8:00 am Deceased members of the Narolewski Family
Requested by Bernie and Marlene Narawleski

Friday

6:30 am John Kiraly
Requested by George Smith

8:00 am Mary Kost (birthday remembrance)
Requested by her daughter, Mary Ann

Saturday

8:00 Manuel Migliaccio
Requested by his wife, Dottie, and Family

Sunday, April 8, Divine Mercy Sunday

7:00 am William J Ambs (1st anniversary)
Requested by Charles and Caroline Niesley

9:00 am Ernie Williams (Easter Remembrance)
Requested by his wife, Roseann and Family

11:00 am Frank Menta
Requested by Anna Menta and Family

For updates on the St. Katharine Drexel Adoration Chapel, such as hours of need, closings, and other information, join the St. Stanislaus Lansdale Facebook Group, or visit the website: www.stanislaus.com.



Wedding Anniversary Mass

Are you celebrating a special anniversary this year? The annual Archdiocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass will take place on Saturday, April 28, 2018 at the Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul. **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED** to attend this event. To register visit www.phillycatholiclife.org or call 215.587.0500.



Please pray for the sick who carry the cross of illness especially:

Claire Baily, Lydia Brinker, Paul Christy, Kathy Daggett, James De Paul, Nicholas De Paul, Kathalene Eustace, Baby River Edward Joseph Fisher-Ritter, Mary Ann Fornari, Bruce Gobel, Dave Gonce,

Maxine Greely, Dionne Greim, Susan Hamilton, Maria Hatonek, Ann Loeffler, Gertrude & James Maguire, Helen McCullagh, Helen McGahan, Stella Molettiere, M. Eunice O'Herrick, Phyllis Owoc, Donald Raymond, Antonio Romano, Lawrence A. Romano, Lucille C. Romano, Mary Ann Rota Lewis, Pauline Sabia, Dale Ann Scerati, Vince Scheetz, John R. Scullo, Albert Sirianni, Barbara Smiley, David Smiley, Judith Smiley, Catherine Storti, Mary Veneziale, Cyndy Wurth, Bill Yourl, Frank Yevak.

If you wish to place a family member or friend on the Bulletin list for three weeks, or to continue a name on the list, please call the Parish Center and dial 5 for Cat Mattingly, the Communication Coordinator. If you wish to place a name on our Prayer Line, call the Parish Center or email your request to: ssthoughtsandprayerline@gmail.com.



The Sanctuary Candle in the Church burns this week in memory of **Fr. David Dayne** at the request of **Karen Randolph**.

The Sanctuary Candle in the Parish Center Chapel burns this week in memory of **the deceased members of the Sarris Family** at the request of **Stephanie and Brian Sarris**.

If you wish to have the Sanctuary Candle burn in the Church or Chapel in 2018 in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, please come to the Parish Center during operating hours to make arrangements. An offering of \$10 is requested.



We Remember our Deceased:

Our parish family expresses prayerful condolences to the loved ones of: **John Bejarano and Ida C. Salmieri**



Find us on Facebook! Saint Stanislaus Lansdale is the OFFICIAL Facebook page for the parish. Join the group today for updates on events and more!

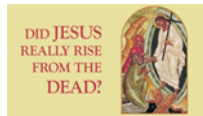


PROGRAMS MOVIES AUDIO BOOKS

Content For All Ages

A Gift from Saint Stanislaus

Recommended this week: Jesus asked his apostles “Can’t you watch one hour with me?” Make time to watch, listen, or read something to turn your thoughts to Our Lord’s passion and keep Him company during this Holy Week.



Did Jesus Really Rise from the Dead
In WATCH: Documentaries/Explaining the Faith



Symbolon Episode 5: Who is Jesus? Good Man or Lord of Our Lives
In STUDY: Augustine Institute Originals

Register today: Go to formed.org, click on “Register” & enter our parish code **ZR6M2C**. You’ll be asked to enter a user name for yourself and create a password. In the future, just log in with your user name & password. To easily locate the content you wish to view, click on “Content List” at the bottom of the Home Page.

Children’s Liturgy of the Word

Children’s Liturgy of the Word is offered during the 11 am Mass most Sundays September through June. Children in Kindergarten through 2nd grade who wish to hear the week’s readings and an age-appropriate homily accompany a children’s catechist and escorts to the Parish Center Chapel for this program, rejoining the congregation at the beginning of the Liturgy of the Eucharist.



“10-Minute Catechism” Program

We’ll be scheduling these short informative sessions on the fourth Sunday of each month. Everyone interested in staying for this brief program is asked to sit on the Lansdale Avenue side of the Church, up front in the pews closest to the piano. We will begin right after Mass is over, and the session will be completed in only 10 minutes. Please join us to learn something new about our faith.

Pregnant? Need Help?

Call 1-888-LIFE-AID www.RealAlternatives.org. Life-affirming pregnancy and parent services. Free, confidential, and nonjudgmental support.



Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration St. Katharine Drexel Adoration Chapel

“Resurrected Lord, I join with all creation in celebrating the feast of your victory. Alleluia! The light of your resurrection gives new meaning to all of life. Death and suffering no longer have the final word.” *From Wisdom from St. Francis and St. Clare*

Celebrate new life by committing yourself to spending time with Jesus in the Adoration Chapel.

Urgent hour of Need: Wednesday 10 AM

Hours of need: (Adorers in need of prayer partners)
Saturday 12 am, 3 am, 4 am, 6 am, 8 am, 9 am, 12 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm, 6 pm, 7 pm
Sunday 12 am, 1 am, 2 am, 3 am, 4 am, 6 am, 9 am 10 am, 11 am, 12 pm, 1 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm, 4 pm, 5 pm, 6 pm, 7 pm, 11 pm

All hours of need are available at www.ststanislaus.com under the “Perpetual Adoration” tab. Sign up today!

We are always in need of committed adorers and substitutes. For more information contact Sue Gillen at 215.362.8643 or scgwindows@gmail.com.

Have you checked out the website lately?

Check out the new content and parish updates. If you are interested in enrichment activities within or beyond the parish, take a look at the “Parish Happenings” and “Beyond the Parish” links. Just go to www.ststanislaus.com and click on the News tab at the top to find these links. Find us on Facebook, too! St. Stanislaus Lansdale is the OFFICIAL Facebook page for the parish. See what St. Kostka Stanislaus is up to this week! Request to join us today!

From the Archbishop:

Archbishop Chaput sends his gratitude to all parishioners of St. Stanislaus. \$3,810.39 was collected from our parish during the 2017-2018 St. Charles Borromeo Seminary Appeal. “Through your kindness, you are showing confidence in the future of our seminary. Your gift recognizes that our seminary serves a vital role in forming the leaders of our Church.” Full text of the letter is available on the St. Stanislaus website at www.ststanislaus.com.

Parish Religious Education Program
Coordinator of Religious Education (PREP): Mrs. Leona Russell
Office Phone Number: 215.855.9893; Email: ststansprep@yahoo.com



On behalf of the Parish Religious Education office, we wish everyone a blessed and glorious Easter! **Congratulations & WELCOME** to our children Elect who were fully initiated in the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil Mass: Michael Castro Zapatero, Miriam Lemailloux, Jayla Quindi, Jennifer Vasquez Garcia, Marilyn Zavala. *May the Good News of the Risen Christ always be in your hearts as you share His message of peace, hope, love and JOY with everyone you meet!*

Saturday, April 7 from 9:30am – 12:30pm (children only) Please return the *Emergency Contact form* before the retreat. The retreat will be held at the church and Parish Center. Drop off and pick-up are both in the **church**.

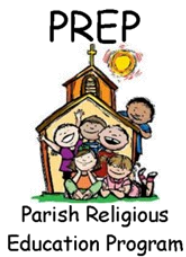


OTHER IMPORTANT SACRAMENT RELATED DATES:

- April 17 – **Confirmation Rehearsal (6:30pm – 8pm) – with sponsors**
- April 19 – **Confirmation at 4pm (Bishop Martino presiding)**
- May 3 – **First Holy Communion PRACTICE (6:30pm – 8pm)**
- May 5 – **First Holy Communion** Mass at 10am

Registration for 2018-2019

Registration will **begin on April 11**. *Forms for active PREP families will be pre-printed and available for you to review during PREP classes on April 11, 18, 22, & 25. Tuition paid by May 1 will receive a discount!* Registration will be held in the school gym on the Wednesday dates. *The gym doors will remain open during the session on these dates for the parents to come in and register.* On Sunday, April 22, registration will be held in conjunction with the parent session beginning at 10:45am.



NEW families are also welcome to come in to register during the PREP sessions or may stop in the PREP office *on or after April 11* during regular PREP office hours to sign up or to get more information. We look forward to meeting you!

PREP is open to students in grades **Pre-K through 8**. There are two session options:

- Wednesday evenings from 6:45pm – 8:00pm, **(K to 8 only)** OR
- Sunday mornings from 10:15am – 11:30am, **(Pre-K to 8)**

The Sunday session is structured as a Family Catechesis program and meets twice a month and has a home-school component. Space is limited for our Sunday session!

St. Stanislaus Welcoming Team Seeks New Members!!

Would you like to serve our wonderful parish with a minimal time commitment? The St. Stanislaus Welcome Team is looking for new members. The team sponsors social events such as the New Friends/New Beginnings brunch, Winter Party, and Summer Picnic in the Park. We invite you to join our team to achieve our mission, which is to make our St. Stanislaus church family more vibrant and welcoming to all! Please contact Bonnie Henry: jbhenry16@gmail.com, 908-304-3990, for more information.



Charismatic Prayer Meeting

"Happy are those whose strength is in you," Psalm 84:5



Our prayer meetings continue on Wednesday, April 18 at 1:00 pm in the Chapel. Meetings occur on the 3rd Wednesday of each month and include praise and prayer, music, and Lectio Divina (www.usccb.org) focused on Sunday's Gospel and end with petitions.

The meetings usually last 2 hours. Questions? Contact Dianne Spotts at dianspot@gmail.com.



For information about Mater Dei Catholic School call 215.368.0995, email info@materdeicatholic.com or visit www.materdeicatholic.com.

Prayer Service of Remembrance 2018

On Wednesday, March 14th, Mater Dei Seventh and Eighth Grade students remembered those who were lost in the tragedy of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School in a beautiful and reverent prayer service led by the students. It was their meaningful response to the incomprehensible.



Mark Your Calendars!

Spring Open House

Mater Dei will host a **spring Open House** on Tuesday, April 10 from 6 to 8 PM. All new families are welcome! Your RSVP is helpful. Please call the Advancement Office at 215-368-9787 or email to gsamanns@materdeicatholic.com to let them know who will be attending.



Ice Cream with the Cast

After the 2:00 performance on Saturday, April 7th, children ages 6 and under are welcome to meet the Mater Dei cast of "Beauty and the Beast". Ice Cream sundaes will be served. Donation is \$1 per child and **reservations are required**. Please call the Advancement Office at 215-368-9787 to place your reservation. More details to follow!



Take a Tour and Register for 2018-19!

New families with children in Preschool (Three and Four Year Olds) and Kindergarten to Grade 8 are welcome to tour Mater Dei Catholic School. 440 students are already registered for the 2018-19 school year, so call now to schedule a tour while space is available.

Appointments are flexible and can accommodate your work schedule. Please contact the Advancement Office at 215.368.9787 or gsamanns@materdeicatholic.com to schedule your visit today! **Mater Dei Child Care Center... immediate acceptance of infants to 36 month old children!**

Employment opportunity!

The brand new Mater Dei Childcare Center is currently searching for a loving full-time teacher to join our team. Our teachers will need to provide and maintain a positive and appropriate Catholic educational program that meets the social, emotional, and physical needs of the children within their care. Candidates should have an education degree and experience in the field, be energetic, patient, friendly, nurturing and enjoy working with young children and their families. We're looking for the best of the best for our childcare program. If that's you, please send your resume for immediate consideration to Katherine Stansbury, Center Director at kstansbury@materdeicatholic.com.



The Mater Dei Childcare Center located at St. Maria Goretti Parish in Hatfield currently has immediate openings for children ranging in age from 6 weeks to 36 months. Your child is welcome to participate in an amazing program where he or she will learn and develop socially, emotionally, academically, and spiritually in a nurturing environment. Mater Dei Child Care Center will be open Monday through Friday from 6:30 am to 6 pm to accommodate the working parent. Full and part time care will be offered. If you would like information or would like to schedule a visit, please contact Katherine Stansbury, Center Director, at childcare@materdeicatholic.com or 215.799.2211. Space is available now! *Mater Dei Childcare Center, 2980 Cowpath Road, Hatfield, PA 19440.*

Saint Stanislaus Play Group

Come and Play! The Little People Playgroup meets most Tuesdays from 9:45 to 11:30 am in the Parish Center. For more information please contact Claire Snell at 215.896.7320 or csnell20@yahoo.com.



Divine Mercy Feast Day Celebration

Join us on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 8, for an extraordinary celebration of thanksgiving for the graces received on this great feast day. The Holy Hour will begin at 3:00 pm in St. Stanislaus Parish Church. There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, confessions, singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, benediction and time for silent prayer and thanksgiving. Questions? Call Eileen McKeron @ 215-527-0269.



St. Stanislaus Parish "GIFT" Program
Growing In Faith Together



Tue., Apr. 10, 2018
7:00 pm in the Parish Center
Lobby Meeting Room

Topic – The Pope’s Encyclical “Laudato Si” On Care for Our Common Home How Should We Respond? Speaker – John Humphreys Catholic scientist & conservationist

Pope Francis’ Encyclical is a thoughtful essay on the environmental problems facing our planet, and why everyone on earth should care. Much more than dealing with climate change, the encyclical covers all the threats to “our common home,” based on Catholic social teaching – avoiding the idol of excessive consumerism and taking care of the least of God’s children.

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Sunday, April 29, 2018
3 pm to 7 pm

Tickets -- only \$25!

Purchase your tickets today at Saint Stanislaus Parish Center or online at

www.DynamicCatholic.com/Lansdale or call 859.980.7900. More info on the St. Stan website!

The Bereavement Ministry of St. Stanislaus and Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Parishes

Next Sessions: April 12, 2018: Feelings of Anger and Depression

Join us for our next Bereavement Support Group meeting on **April 12** when we will discuss the normal feelings of denial, bargaining and guilt. There will be a morning session at Mary Mother of the Redeemer from 10:00 to 11:30am in the Parish Conference room and an evening session at St. Stanislaus from 7:00 to 8:30pm in the Parish Center. No registration is necessary, just come if you can. Any questions or for more information call Mary at 215-646-4192.

The death of someone important to you - whether it is a spouse, a parent, a sibling, a friend, or a child - is a difficult and highly emotional experience. Your grief journey can be overwhelming or even confusing at times. The Bereavement Ministry is here to help you, guide you, and prayerfully support you as you heal.



Senior Club Events:

Tomasello Winery & Sugarhouse Casino, Tuesday, June 19th. \$60 a person. Price includes a sit-down dinner and sample tasting at the winery, a slot play bonus at the Casino, all taxes, tips and driver’s gratuity. Bus departs church lot @ 9 am. Estimated return 7:30 pm.

Myrtle Beach, SC: Christmas Show Trip from Monday, November 5 to Friday, November 9, 2018.



Trip includes round trip motor coach transportation, 4 nights at the Long Bay Resort in one bedroom oceanfront suites, 4 full hot breakfast buffets at resort and dinners at various restaurants. We will attend Christmas shows at the

Carolina Opry, the Alabama Theater and the Pirates Voyage Christmas Dinner Show. Price for double occupancy is \$699/pp and includes all baggage handling, tax and tips.

The following events are wait-list only and depart from the Church parking lot:

The Glen Campbell xperience at Caesars in AC — Thursday, April 24th, departure time 9 am. **Production of Greece at the Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre**, Lancaster PA — Thursday, May 31st, departure time 9 am.

Questions about trips? Contact Rosemary Pickersgill @ 215-380-5382.



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For Young Adults:

Metanoia is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montgomery County, supporting Catholics in their 20s and 30s who are looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area. The ministry includes Theology on Tap, faith based meetings, community service, retreats, and outdoor events. Contact metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com for more information, or visit www.facebook.com/users/metanoiayoungadults. Upcoming events:

Tuesday, April 10: Bible Study @ St. Rose of Lima, North Wales; 7:30 pm

Tuesday, April 17: Theology on Tap @ Appalachian Brewing Co., Collegetown, 7 pm.

Tuesday, April 24: Holy Hour @ Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Parish, North Wales; 7:30pm

St. Stanislaus Carnival: August 14th—18th

Music! Food! Games! Rides! Mark your Calendars! Volunteers Needed NOW for planning! Contact us today to find out how you can help make this year's Carnival a success. If you are a student in need of service hours, or just want to pitch in, we want to hear from you. Contact via email at 01festival01@gmail.com

Writing Workshop "God writes the world as men write words, with our salvation in view." St. Augustine's Our Writing Workshops continue April 3 -- and successive 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 1:00 in the Parish Center Murray Room. "I am confident...that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ," Phil. 1:6. Questions? diannspot@gmail.com

Domingo de Pascua de la Resurrección del Señor – 1 de Abril de 2018



El Señor ha resucitado. Aleluya. A él la gloria y el poder por toda la eternidad.

Lecturas del Domingo

Primera Lectura: Hechos 10, 34. 37-43

Salmo Responsorial: Salmo 117

Éste es el día en que actuó el Señor: sea nuestra alegría y nuestro gozo.

Segunda Lectura: Colosenses 3, 1-4 o bien: 1 Corintios 5, 6-8

Secuencia: *Victimae Paschali Laudes*

Evangelio: Juan 20, 1-9

Intención de la misa: *Hable con Padre Forlano si quiere una misa anunciada ofrecida.*

Comentario breve:

En la Vigilia Pascual escuchamos las historias sobre los eventos que siguieron a la resurrección según el Evangelio de Marcos. La resurrección tuvo lugar el primer día de la semana que, en adelante, se llamará día del Señor, o sea, Domingo. En el evangelio de hoy, san Juan relata las reacciones de los primeros discípulos ante la tumba vacía. La primera es María Magdalena quien, lógicamente, supone que alguien se ha robado el cuerpo de Jesús. Al comunicárselo a Pedro y a Juan, estos se lanzan en una carrera hacia la tumba. Nos dice san Juan que "el amigo de Jesús, el discípulo amado" es el primero en llegar, seguido por Pedro. El Evangelio de Juan fue escrito para la comunidad Joánica, la cual tenía una gran preferencia por "el discípulo amado". Esta escena señala que es él el primero en llegar, no por ser más joven, sino por haber sido el más amado por Jesús. La historia nos narra tres reacciones diferentes: María Magdalena queda confundida, Pedro perplejo ante las vendas y el sudario. Sin embargo, Juan responde con fe: "Entro... vio y creyó". Esta manera de mirar con los ojos de la fe es un signo de aquellos que aman y se saben amados.

La lectura de hoy nos presenta tres ideas importantes:

- No existen pruebas científicas de la resurrección. La fe es un don de Dios que nosotros aceptamos o rechazamos libremente.
- La resurrección es el principio de la Cristología. Sin ella, todo lo que se diga de Jesús no tiene sentido.
- Los cristianos creemos que si vivimos y morimos con Cristo y en Cristo, viviremos con El eternamente.

Para la reflexión personal o comunitaria:

1. Si hubieras descubierto la tumba vacía, ¿habrías actuado como María, como Pedro, o como Juan? Explica.
2. ¿Cómo puedes reflejar la nueva vida de Cristo en las situaciones de "muerte" que encuentras cada día?

Lecturas recomendadas: Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica, párrafos 515; 638-642; 651-658; 2174.

Fuente: Arquidiócesis de Miami - Ministerio de formación cristiana, www.miamiarch.org



Si en muchos corazones a veces da la impresión de que la caridad se ha apagado, en el corazón de Dios no se apaga. Él siempre nos da una nueva oportunidad para que podamos empezar a amar de nuevo.

En la noche de Pascua reviviremos el sugestivo rito de encender el cirio pascual: la luz que proviene del «fuego nuevo» poco a poco disipará la oscuridad e iluminará la asamblea litúrgica. «Que la luz de Cristo, resucitado y glorioso, disipe las tinieblas de nuestro corazón y de nuestro espíritu», para que todos podamos vivir la misma experiencia de los discípulos de Emaús: después de escuchar la Palabra del Señor y de alimentarnos con el Pan eucarístico nuestro corazón volverá a arder de fe, esperanza y caridad.

Los bendigo de todo corazón y rezo por ustedes. No se olviden de rezar por mí.

Papa Francisco

(del Mensaje del Santo Padre Francisco para la Cuaresma 2018, 06.02.2018)

ACTIVIDADES Y FORMACIÓN EN LA FE

Educación Religiosa para los Niños Todos los niños que son estudiantes en la escuela pública y no han recibido el sacramento de Confirmación necesitan registrarse en el programa de educación religiosa para continuar su formación en la fe católica. Cada parroquia ofrece un programa de educación religiosa continua desde el primer nivel hasta el octavo. Cada año, cada estudiante necesita registrarse otra vez para la próxima clase. Para más información o ayuda con el registro, favor favor contactar a Diana Zuluaga: 954-296-1420 o carlosdiana5555@yahoo.com. La directora de educación religiosa de San Estanislao es Sra. Leona Russell. Para una cita con Leona Russell, contáctela, 215-855-9893 o ststansprep@yahoo.com.

Movimiento de Cursillo de Cristiandad El Cursillo de Cristiandad es un movimiento religioso, para católicos prácticos que quieren crecer en formación religiosa, en vida apostólica, en liderazgo cristiano, en conocimiento y participación de los ministerios de la Iglesia. Si están interesado en más información o oportunidades de retiros, comuníquese con el Diácono Juan Valentín, (727) 247-7391.

“La Virgen Peregrina” Un retablo de la Virgen de Guadalupe está viajando por los hogares de la comunidad. Es una oportunidad maravillosa para acercarnos a ella en familia. Para registrar su familia por una semana, llamar a Nelis Galo, (267) 498-8979.

Quince Años - esta bendición al cumplir quince años de una joven da testimonio de su acción de gracias y de compromiso de vivir una vida cristiana. Por eso, la joven ya debe ser confirmada o debe estar inscrita en un programa de educación religiosa en preparación para recibir el sacramento de confirmación el año de su Quinceañera. Una clase de preparación es un requisito antes de la celebración. Hable con Padre Forlano con un mínimo de seis meses por anticipado para fijar una fecha. **Favor contactar Olivia Tavera (267) 498-8610 o Marta Escobar (215) 767-8694 para inscribirse en la próxima clase, sábado, el 30 de junio, 2018, 9am - 12pm**, en el centro parroquial.

LOS SACRAMENTOS

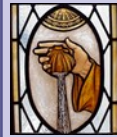
Bautismos – Se celebran los bautismos durante la misa del segundo y cuarto Domingo del mes. Clases bautismales serán el primer Domingo de cada mes después de la misa. **La próxima clase bautismal será el 15 de Abril después de la misa.** Todos los que necesitan bautizar a un niño o una niña o quieren ser padrino o madrina deben asistir. Para ser padrino/madrina o recibir una carta de elegibilidad, una persona tiene que ser: 1) Un Católico practicante con un mínimo de 16 años de edad y haya recibido todos los sacramentos de iniciación - bautismo, confirmación, y comunión. 2) Registrado en la parroquia o bien conocido en la comunidad de la Iglesia. 3) Casado por la iglesia católica o soltero sin vivir en unión libre. 4) Hay que asistir a la Misa. 5) Deben tener sus propios hijos confirmados si tienen la edad. Celebramos bautismos el segundo y cuarto domingo del mes.

El Sacramento de Reconciliación - se ofrece los sábados a las 8:30 a.m. y 4:00 p.m. y los domingos, 10-10:45 a.m., y 12:30 - 12:50 p.m., o por cita con Padre Forlano.

El Matrimonio – Hable con Padre Forlano más que 6 meses antes de la fecha anticipada. Un clase de preparación - “Pre-Cana” es un requisito antes de casarse. El Instituto Católico Móvil ofrece el taller “Pre-Cana” 3 veces durante el año en la Parroquia de San Martin de Tours, Roosevelt Blvd. & Cheltenham Ave., Filadelfia. Para inscribirse o informarse (215) 667-2820/2824 o bherrera@archphila.org o hispcath@archphila.org.

Grupo de Oración - se reúne todos los martes en la Capilla del Centro Parroquial. Contacto e información: Diácono Juan Valentín, (727) 247-7391.

¡Felicidades a los nuevos bautizados!



Michael Castro Zapatero, Miriam Lemaillox, Jayla Quindi, Jennifer Vasquez Garcia, Marilyn Zavala, y Xavi Alexander Castro Loja.

renacidos en Cristo - 31 de Marzo de 2018

¡Bendito sea Dios que nos ha elegido en Cristo!

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Por favor, rueguen por los enfermos. Fidel Zetino, Victoria Hernandez, Victor Alarcon, Samanta Prieto, Dolores Castro, Yeni Santos, Rogelio Morales, Jaime Murillo, José Ortiz, Eulalio Santillan, Candide Arce, Maureen Benner, Msgr. Tracy, Ema Pedroza, María Aguilar, José Ocampo, Cirilo de Jesús, Epi Figueroa, Jose Trinidad, Lydia Suarez, Analise Flores, Concepción Lastra, Emanuel Lastra, Rosa Juarez, Ximena Cobarubias, Jim Gaul, Monseñor Prieto, Concepción Samperio, Jesús Montaña, Juan M. Lastra, Bertha Belmont, Gloria Ledesma, María Valentín, José Beltrán, José Rodríguez, Benito Rodríguez, Cynthia Sanchez, José Reyes, María Salinas, Eugenio Osorio, Patricia Alvarez, María Guasco, Hugo Salinas, Diana Paola Villegas, Magdalena Mendoza, Samantha Dominguez, Donald Portillo, Juan Vasquez, Guadalupe Salinas, Armando Tavera, Abel Alarcón, Marta Ramos, Jorge Herrera, Arturo Santos, Ingrid Alcántara Torres, Marisol Galo, Wilmar Jaramillo. *Escriba los nombres en la hoja de peticiones antes de la misa, y aquí se incluirán en el boletín la semana que viene. Favor de informar al Padre Forlano si se mejoran o fallecen para actualizar esta lista.*

Para un consejo o una cita, hable con Padre Forlano después de la misa o puede contactarlo a 215-855-3133 ext. 111 al Centro Parroquial de San Estanislao. También, se puede comunicar con Padre Forlano por correo electrónico: ststanspmf@comcast.net o con el Diácono Juan, (727) 247-7391 o juan_valentin2@aol.com.

Bishop McDevitt High School, Class of 1968 will hold the 50th Reunion this year on Friday, November 23, 2018. Please check out the *Facebook* website, **Bishop McDevitt HS Wyncote, 1968 50th Reunion**, and add your name and email to be contacted for reunion details. Questions?
E-mail bishopmcdevitt1968@gmail.com

Wines and Shrines of Portugal Viewing Party: April 28, 6 - 9 pm Holy Martyrs Catholic Church, 120 Allison Road, Oreland. Enjoy Portuguese wines and delicious food, while watching clips from the upcoming production of "The Faithful Traveler in Portugal." \$50 per person. Call 215-884-8575 or email holymartyrssecretary@gmail.com for tickets.

Conference Opportunity

Matrimony: Rediscovering Its Truth

Saturday, April 21, 10 am to 6:15 pm at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul. \$50 per person. **Featuring:** His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke, D.D. J.C.D., Member and Prefect Emeritus, Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura.

Advance registration is required. Lunch will be included as part of the registration fee. For more information call 215-247-2585 or visit: saintjohnneumannchapter.org

Unbound: Freedom in Christ Conference -- June 15 and 16, 2018. Everyone is fighting an invisible battle. Unbound ministry releases the powers of Jesus into wounded hearts. To register, or for more information, go to heartofthefather.com/event or call 610-952-3019 extension 1.

Catholic Women's Conference: October 27, 2018, 9 am - 4 pm. Sponsored by Daughters of the King -- The National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown, PA. Includes mass, dynamic speakers, exhibits, friendship and prayer. For more information, go to catholicwomensconference.org

Pope John Paul II High School "Panthers in the Sand" -- April 14th. Are you thinking of the cool breezes of summer? Have you had enough snow? Come experience "Panthers in the Sand"-Savor the Flavor- on Saturday, April 14, 2018 from 7PM to 11PM at PJP. Join us for our annual restaurant fair, auction and basket raffle! Tickets are on sale now! For more information, please visit our website at www.pjphs.org

Mass for those Suffering from Addiction:

Saturday April 21, 2018 . Addiction has touched far too many families and taken far too many of our loved ones. Join us that we may draw strength from one another in the power of faith. Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Royersford, PA. Mass is at 11:00 pm. Celebrant, Rev. Tadeusz Gporka, Pastor. All are invited.

Land Information Night: May 9

Walk where Jesus walked. Pray at the sites of Jesus' conception at Nazareth's Basilica of the Annunciation and His birth in Bethlehem's Church of the Nativity. Sail on the Sea of Galilee. Walk the Via Dolorosa to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Travel with Father Zachary Navit for the trip of a lifetime to the land of the Bible from February 28-March 10, 2019. Find out more about this amazing pilgrimage at a Wine and Cheese Information Night and Social on Wednesday, May 9, 2018 at 7 p.m at Saint Mary Center Community Room (701 Lansdale Avenue, Lansdale, PA; enter through chapel). For more info, contact Susan at 800-842-4842 or susan@select-intl.com, or visit www.selectinternationaltours.com.

Saint Patrick's Cathedral & Saint Frances Cabrini Shrine: Tuesday, April 3

There is no better way to travel than to travel as a pilgrim! Join fellow parishioners and friends from other parishes across the Archdiocese of Philadelphia for this one day pilgrimage to New York City. We will first tour Saint Patrick's and then celebrate the noon Mass at the Cathedral. Following Mass, we will depart for the Saint Frances Cabrini Shrine where we will enjoy lunch and a tour. Free time will be allotted for personal prayer and visits to the gift shops at each sacred place. Bus Departure: Saint Maria Goretti Church Parking Lot. Approximate Return Home: 7:00 PM. Cost: \$70.00 per person (includes lunch). Register using the form at www.stmariagoretti.net.

Saint Mary of the Assumption Parish Pre-Cana Program, Saturday, April 14.

Program begins at 9:00 AM and ends after the 4:00 Pm Mass. It includes lunch, snacks and an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This one-day Program meets all the requirements of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. A certificate is provided upon completion. Call the Parish Office for an application: 610-933-2526 or visit our website www.stmaryassumption.org - click on Forms/PRE CANA.