

# ST. KATHARINE OF SIENA

*Wayne, Pennsylvania | Parish Community*



## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

### SERVED BY

Rev. Msgr. Hans A. L. Brouwers  
Pastor

Rev. Msgr. John J. Jagodzinski  
Pastor Emeritus

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610-688-5451

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610-688-7890

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610-688-9489

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Business Manager

Barbara Lombardi  
Parish Secretary

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Rev. Msgr. Hans Brouwers, Sr. Mary Elizabeth Karalis, SSJ, Colleen Maguire, Frank Tosti, JoAnne Alexander, Bill Bruno, Dan Hayes, Robert McAlaine, Erika Murdocca, Betty Sabol, Patrick Scanlon, Jessica Waltman, Jeff Walkenhorst

### PARISH FINANCIAL COUNCIL

Rev. Msgr. Hans Brouwers, Scott Belveal, John Church, Carolyn Evans, Frank Tosti

### Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:30am

### Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 6:30, 8:00am  
Saturday 8:00am

### Holy Days

Vigil 6:00pm  
6:30 & 8:00am,  
12:10 & 7:00pm

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00-4:45pm

### Sacrament of Baptism

Sundays 12:45pm  
Please contact the rectory to  
make arrangements.

### Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples planning to be married  
are asked to contact the parish  
priest at least 6 months in  
advance.

### Sacrament of the Sick

For those who are seriously  
ill, aged or infirm, or who are  
scheduled for surgery.

## MASS AND PRAYER INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 26, 2018

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's  
9:30 AM Richard Caruso (Living)  
11:30 AM Robert Sullivan

### MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 2018

6:30 AM Special Intention  
8:00 AM Deceased Members of Richie Family

Eucharistic Adoration will begin after the 8:00 am Mass today with Benediction starting at 4:30 pm.

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 2018

6:30 AM William McFadden  
8:00 AM Erin Lively

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29, 2018

6:30 AM John Gavin  
8:00 PM Johanna Adamczyk

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 2018

6:30 AM Special Intention  
8:00 AM William Tomlinson

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 2018

6:30 AM Special Intention  
8:00 AM Justin Pegg

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2018

8:00 AM Frances Snell  
5:00 PM Christopher Brown

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's  
9:30 AM Virginia Ryan  
11:30 AM Domenico Russo

*Readings: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Eph 5:21-32; John 6:60-69*



#### Requests for Prayers Sick Prayer List:

If you wish to have your name or the name of a loved one added to this prayer list, please call or email us. **New names will appear in bold.** Other than critical or terminal conditions, the names will remain on this list for 30 days.

Please help us keep our prayer list current by letting us know when the status of a person on the sick list changes. Due to HIPAA laws, parish staff does not know if a parishioner is hospitalized or placed in a nursing home unless someone informs them. Please contact the parish office if you would like a hospital visit.

Ryan Carlton  
Charles Carr  
Mark DeLuca  
Patrick Graham  
Jean Hemcher  
Ginny Jackson

Libby Judge  
Corrine Kerrigan  
Daniel Maguire  
Timothy Mahoney  
John McCabe  
Margaret Schwartz

Logan Schweiter  
Claire Sieracki  
Edward Smith  
Debbie Snyder  
John Studenka  
Connie Winoski

#### Deceased Prayer List:

Frank Dougherty



Visit us on Facebook.

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

### Mothers of Young Children

**Wednesday, August 29th from 9:30 am to 11:30 am:** Parents and caregivers of children ages 0-5 are welcome to join us for our weekly play group. We will be meeting at local parks, indoor play yards and other fun child friendly attractions for the summer months. Contact Elise Parisi at [moyc@sksparish.org](mailto:moyc@sksparish.org) or 484-885-0130 for more information on this week's play group location. Also, please feel free to join our Facebook group - Saint Katharine's Mothers of Young Children - to get more information on meet-ups and events.

### H.O.P.E. Leader this Week – (Group 8)

Gail Dillon 610-688-0533

### "8 O'Clock at Wayne" Group

Weekly A.A. meetings are held in St. Katharine's Parish Center on Friday nights at 8:00 pm.

### Safe Environment Clearances Needed Before Serving

If you are planning to volunteer with our children in any capacity at Saint Katharine of Siena, you need to have several clearances in place. Please see our website [www.stkatharineofsiena.org](http://www.stkatharineofsiena.org) then click *Information*. Scroll down to *Volunteer and click on Safe Environment Requirements*. Please complete and submit all clearances to Colleen Maguire in the Rectory Office.

Protecting God's Children workshop will be offered on **Wednesday, October 3rd at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center**. Please call 610-688-4584 to register or email [cmaguire@sksparish.org](mailto:cmaguire@sksparish.org).

### SKS BULLETIN INFORMATION

All Bulletin information must be to the rectory by 5pm on **Monday**. Bulletin inserts are due to the rectory at least 10 days before date requested.

## *From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers*

### **WELCOME SISTER THERESA HO NGUYEN, LHC**

As the academic year begins in schools throughout the region, I ask you to welcome a student who has come to live in our convent as she begins her studies at Villanova University. Sr. Theresa Ho Nguyen, a member of the Lovers of the Holy Cross community, arrived just last week and immediately began her studies in Christian Spirituality and Sacred Scriptures. Sr. Ho is originally from Son Tay, a suburb of Hanoi, Vietnam. She entered the Lovers of the Holy Cross community and was sent to study pastoral theology at Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles. Having completing her studies there, she has been sent to continue her studies here. You'll see her at Mass and around our parish and I'm confident that you will make her most welcome in our community.



### **ERIN LIVELY MEMORIAL BENCH**

Many of you remember Erin Lively, who passed away recently after battling cancer with exemplary grace and faith. Many of you joined in praying the rosary on her behalf on Wednesday evenings in our grotto over the past several months. And, many of you contributed to provide a memorial bench in the grotto in her honor. The bench has been placed in the grotto and, like Erin, it is very inspirational. I want to take this opportunity to thank all the contributors and invite everyone to visit the grotto and sit on this bench as you pray the rosary for your intention or just to spend a few moments in quiet prayer in front of Our Lady. As the inscription on the bench says so well, Erin's strong faith in God and Mary His Mother will continue to inspire us for years to come!



## **SOME REFLECTIONS ON THE RECENT GRAND JURY REPORT**

As we continue to reel from the repercussions of the Grand Jury Report on the sexual abuse by priests and the cover-up by bishops in six dioceses throughout the state of Pennsylvania, I would like to offer some heartfelt reflections. As I mentioned in my homily last Sunday, when I think of my fellow clergy who have done such terrible things, I think of what our Lord once said: "It would be better for him to have a great millstone hung around his neck and to be drowned in the depths of the sea." I would like to thank all of you who have offered me your prayers and support. I appreciate it greatly as I struggle with you over this scandal that affects all of us so deeply. This is very hard for me and for all of the vast majority of clergy who have been faithful and chaste in their vocation. And, I know it is hard for you; as Pope Francis recently observed so well, I understand well how much these crimes can shake the faith and the spirit of all of us believers.

I'm sure you have read or heard about some of the responses by Church leaders, especially Pope Francis, Cardinal DiNardo, the president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), and Archbishop Charles Chaput, our Ordinary. In his 17 August column in CatholicPhilly.com, Archbishop Chaput began his reflections with a very helpful comment. He wrote:

The Stoics believed that anger is never a healthy thing; it always involves an inhumane appetite to hurt others and it always poisons the soul. But, this isn't the Christian view. The anger Jesus showed toward the Temple moneychangers, the Sadducees and the Pharisees was not merely acceptable but *right and good*. The anger Philadelphians felt toward the Archdiocese after the 2005 and 2011 grand jury reports was likewise well placed and justified.

Yes, it is perfectly justifiable to feel anger in response to this scandalous activity. But, as with all emotions, we need to make sure that this anger is not the driving force as we respond. Otherwise, we can end up, as the Stoics warned, poisoning our souls and hurting others who are innocent. The suggestion by some to lift the statute of limitations so that civil and criminal suits can be brought against the perpetrators will end up hurting countless people today who rely on the Church's services. If punitive action could be taken just against the guilty parties, then justice could be served. But, our current justice system allows for payments in millions of dollars in punitive damage and this would mean that the Church would have to severely curtail its services to the homeless, the hungry, the immigrants, those with physical and mental disabilities, etc.



A reasoned response is one that both Archbishop Chaput and Cardinal DiNardo have emphasized in their recent statements: grief and support for the victims and comprehensive efforts to ensure that such evil never recurs. As you know, the USCCB has established extensive protocols that require careful screening of all those with any contact with our children or minors; that includes all clergy. We enforce these Safe Environment protocols very strenuously throughout the Archdiocese, including our own parish.

If you have read enough of our Church's history, you know that scandalous activity among clergy is nothing new and yet, because we're led, not by the clergy but by Jesus Christ (remember, the pope is most accurately called the Vicar of Christ), we continue to be messengers of Good News. As we pray for healing for all of those so seriously hurt by this scandalous activity and repentance and conversion among some of our Church leaders, I received this Novena in Response to Sexual Abuse and have begun to pray it myself; I invite you to join in.

### NOVENA IN RESPONSE TO SEXUAL ABUSE

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Father in Heaven, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Holy Spirit, comfort us, give us clarity, and bring light to this darkness and evil.

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Saint Peter, pray for the Church, that it may be re-built, healed, and made holy.

St. Charles Lwanga and St. Monica, pray for the abused, the survivors and for justice.

St. Catherine of Siena, pray for reform and restoration of the clergy.

St. John Vianney, pray for the holiness of priests and bishops.

St. Benedict, pray that this evil be cast out of the Church.

St. Anthony, pray for us to find the way forward.

St. Paul, pray for the bishops that they may be fearless in confronting other bishops.

St. Augustine, pray for true repentance and conversion.

St. Dymphna, pray for consolation for the heartache, depression and anxiety this evil has caused.

Our Lady of Sorrows, pray for us!

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

## PARISH ACTIVITIES



It was an "All in the Family" Mercy Hospice on August 12th after the 9:30 am mass! Thank you Joe and Jack Miller, Kate, Kyle, and Ryan Spellman and Grace and Sophia Twohig for assembling 25 pasta and meatball casseroles for Mercy Hospice!



### SAVE THE DATE Sunday, Sept. 9th

7th – 8th grade Youth Group "Kick Off"  
Barbecue and Games – bring a friend!  
Sunday Sept. 9th 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm  
Parish Center and school parking lot  
Please RSVP to Steph Twohig, Youth Minister

9th – 12 grade Youth Group  
Sunday Sept. 9th 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm  
Barbecue and scavenger hunt.

Any high school student who would like to help at either event please contact Steph Twohig, Youth Minister  
[youthministry@sksparish.org](mailto:youthministry@sksparish.org).



Saturday, September 15th from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm, the Youth Group will be staffing the snack table at the 2nd Wayne Porch Fest on Windermere Ave. All the proceeds will help defray the cost of our 2019 mission trip!

### Walking With Purpose at St. Katharine of Siena

Are you stretched and would like a way to refuel and be refreshed while making authentic connections with other women? Would you like to have a better understanding of your faith and learn more about God?

We invite you to join Walking with Purpose, a Catholic Bible study for women held on Tuesdays from 9:15am to 11:00am at St. Katharine of Siena in the Parish Center. Weekly group sessions of two WWP Bible studies are starting on Tuesday, September 18th and continue through March 2019.

*Opening Your Heart*, our foundational study, is designed for a woman new to Walking with Purpose whether or not you have any Bible study experience; you are welcome as you are to learn how the Scriptures apply to our everyday lives.

Our second study will feature *Living in the Father's Love* and *Fearless and Free*. *Living in the Father's Love*, a study of God the Father, reveals how deeply relevant the Gospels are to our relationships, both with God and those we love. We will discover just how much God loves us. *Fearless and Free*, the newest WWP program is based on the book of Ephesians. This study provides a firm foundation to stand on no matter what life throws our way. With an emphasis on healing and wholeness, *Fearless and Free* is the most personal and transformative study that WWP has offered so far.

Walking with Purpose aims to bring women to a closer relationship with Christ. Personal study and small group discussions at WWP each week link our everyday challenges with the solutions given to us through the teachings of Christ and the Catholic Church.

For questions or to sign up, please contact Maureen Reilly at [cmkjm@yahoo.com](mailto:cmkjm@yahoo.com) or 610-745-6320 or Susan Wiener at [smw1330@comcast.net](mailto:smw1330@comcast.net) or 610-331-3847. The registration fee payable to St. Katharine of Siena is \$35 and includes free babysitting, hospitality, etc. The study guides may be purchased on the Walking with Purpose website, [www.walkingwithpurpose.com](http://www.walkingwithpurpose.com).

### PREP Registration

Please contact Sister Mary Elizabeth at 610-688-7890 or [mekaralis@sksparish.org](mailto:mekaralis@sksparish.org). PREP is held on Monday from 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm and Wednesday from 4:30 pm to 5:45 pm.

### PREP Volunteers

Want to share your gift of faith with the young people of the parish? **We are in need of teachers for grades 2, 3, 5 and 6 on Wednesday.** Please contact Sister Mary Elizabeth at 610-688-7890 or [mekaralis@sksparish.org](mailto:mekaralis@sksparish.org) if you are willing to serve in this capacity. No experience necessary.

### OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Week of 15 August— 21 August 2018

PARISH INCOME	PARISH EXPENSES
Sunday Collection: \$9,389.00	Salaries/Benefits: \$74,911.76
Electronic Giving: \$1,445.00	Diocesan Assessment: \$12,625.00
Tuition: \$82,607.50	Concrete Walkways: \$16,445.00
Feast of the Assumption: \$2,832.00	Utilities: \$4,606.32
Other Income: \$6,744.71	School Taxes: \$5,383.47
Weekly Income: \$103,018.21	Maintenance: \$3,721.31
YTD Income: \$621,528.91	Other Expenses: \$9,294.00
	Weekly Expenses: \$126,986.86
	YTD Expenses: \$551,629.53
	<b>YTD Balance: \$69,899.38</b>


### Close-Knit Community

On Wednesday, September 5th, from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm, the St. Katherine group of knitters and crocheters will begin its fifth season of making warm winter items for those in need. We welcome all who would like to join this fun group of dedicated women on their special mission. Do you need to brush up on your skills? Let us help you. You'll be surprised how quickly it will all come back. Do you need a ride? No problem, we have you covered. Why not stop by on the 5th and say hello. For more information, feel free to call Marie Rauscher at (610)964-0642. See you in September.

### Interfaith Hospitality Network of the Main Line

The Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) provides temporary housing to homeless families and supports them in accessing community resources. Each week, the families move to one of ten host congregations on the Main Line. SKS parish supports Wayne Presbyterian Church when the families visit by delivering meals and serving as evening hosts.

We need volunteers for the next visit - September 23rd-30th. Please consider volunteering your time to this very worthy cause. For more information or to register, please contact our parish coordinators, Jane and Bob Till at 610-710-6410, or email [jane.jht@gmail.com](mailto:jane.jht@gmail.com).

\*\*\*\*\***SAVE THE DATE**\*\*\*\*\*  
 **Sunday, September 30th**  
**RUN FOR LIFE 2018**

Join us at the Run for Life at Wilson Farm Park to raise funds for A Baby's Breath in Wayne. To register please go to [www.ababysbreath.org](http://www.ababysbreath.org)

Registration - 7:00 am  
Mass - 8:00 am  
1-Mile Fun Run - 8:50 am  
5K Run - 9:00 am  
Awards Ceremony - Immediately after 5K

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*We, of St. Katharine of Siena Parish, believe that we have been gifted with life, faith and discipleship. Empowered by Jesus in word and sacrament, we are called to grow in wisdom and grace, fidelity to His Church, and in service to our brothers and sisters.*



**Time and Talent Team Coordinators:** Bob McAlaine: bobbydmc@gmail.com, Stephanie McAlaine: s.mcalaine@verizon.net, Chris Gagliardi: cgagliardi@cdssh.org

### SERVICE

**Aid for Friends**  
Barbara Gallagher  
610-687-6526

**Athletic Association**  
Michael McCormick  
ad@sksparish.org

**Blood Drive**  
MaryAnn Crowe  
610-688-9479

**Boy Scouts**  
John McGee  
610-389-0451

**C.A.R.E.S. (Children Are Receiving Extended Care)**  
Michael Gavin  
610-587-7440

**Close Knit Community**  
Marie Rauscher  
610-964-0642

**H.O.P.E. (Helping Other People in Emergencies)**  
Colleen Maguire  
610-688-0551  
Shauna Munshower  
610-688-4348

**Interfaith Hospitality Network**  
Robert and Jane Till  
610-710-6410

**Knights of Columbus**  
Greg Grimm  
610-525-4895

**Mercy Hospice Casserole Program**  
Jerry and Kay Lafferty  
610-687-4707

**Parish Library**  
Christine Purkis  
610-687-8367

**Parish Center Kitchen**  
Ginny Dutton  
610-710-6307

**Persons with Disabilities**  
Rosemarie Mazzeo  
215-888-1043

**St. Martin de Porres Outreach**  
Beth Stone  
610-688-8627

### WORSHIP

**Adoration**  
Maureen Reilly  
610-989-3747  
Marie Northington  
610-687-6498

**Adult Altar Servers**  
Canice Treangen  
610-525-3494

**Altar Servers**  
Liz Dole  
610-291-8475

**Charismatic Prayer Group**  
Paul Hayes  
610-687-8835

**Children's Liturgy of the Word**  
Betty Sabol  
610-688-9489  
Michele Staves  
mcstaves@gmail.com

**Church Environment**  
Amy Tahtabrounian  
610-688-3970

**Eucharistic Ministers**  
Patrice Polgar  
484-620-2282

**Liturgical Music Ministries**  
Jeremy Triplett  
610-688-9489

**Ministers of Hospitality**  
Canice Treangen  
610-525-3494

**Ministers of the Word (Lectors)**  
Craig Hadden  
610-688-0481

**Pre Jordan**  
Sister Mary Elizabeth  
610-688-7890

**Rosary Group**  
Mary Ann Mahoney  
610-971-0441

### CATECHESIS

**Bible Study**  
Msgr. Brouwers  
610-688-4584

**Home and School Association**  
Rebecca Roe  
610-529-9768

**Marriage Preparation**  
Dan and Julie Pijawka  
610-993-1249

**Parish School**  
Frank Tosti  
610-688-5451

**P.R.E.P. and P.R.E.P. Board (CCD Advisory Board)**  
Sr. Mary Elizabeth Karalis  
610-688-7890

**Respect Life**  
Matt and Maria Sowden  
610-975-9474  
sksrespectlife@gmail.com

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**  
Msgr. Brouwers  
610-688-4584

### ABUSE POLICY

Report Abuse to :  
Office of Child and Youth Protection Archdiocese of Philadelphia  
888-800-8780  
www.archphila.org/protection  
Pennsylvania Child Abuse Hotline  
1-800-932-0313

### COMMUNITY BUILDING

**Alcoholics Anonymous**  
Contact Rectory  
610-688-4584

**Hospitality Committee (Newcomers)**  
Helen Gleason  
610-688-0124

**Mothers of Young Children**  
Elise Parisi  
moyc@sksparish.org

**Parish Coffee**  
Anne Walkenhorst  
610-525-1452

**Parish Center Reservations Manager**  
Marian Cellucci  
610-688-7044

**Aberdeen Club**  
Susan Diebold  
610-527-3298

**Walking with Purpose**  
Maureen Reilly  
610-989-3747  
Susan Wiener  
610-331-3847

### OUT OF PARISH RESOURCES

**Archdiocesan Information**  
215-587-3600

**Crisis Pregnancy Line**  
1-800-CARE-002

**Metropolitan Tribunal**  
215-587-3750

**Separated and Divorced Catholics**  
215-587-0500

*If you are interested in learning more about any of the groups call the contact name above or the rectory at 610-688-4584.*