

# 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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### 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, NOVEMBER 18, 2018

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's  
 9:30 AM James and Marjorie White  
 11:30 AM Carmen Perez

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2018

6:30 AM James J. White III  
 8:00 AM Mary Pillarella

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

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2018

6:30 AM Anthony and Florence Cellucci  
 8:00 AM Brian Evans

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2018

6:30 AM Andrew Mason Family (Living)  
 8:00 AM Lou Guiney

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2018

#### THANKSGIVING DAY

9:00 AM Rudolph and Lena Sciore



### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2018

6:30 AM Anne Marie Lee (Living)  
 8:00 AM Dorothy and John Boyd

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2018

8:00 AM Frances Snell  
 5:00 PM Marjorie White

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2018

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

Readings: Dn 7:13-14; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37



#### 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  
 Logan Schweiter

Claire Sieracki  
 Debbie Snyder  
 John Studenka  
 Connie Winoski

#### Deceased Prayer List:

Gloria Morelli, Jeannine Jalbuena, Elvira D'Angelis, Sydney Powell



Check out our new website at [www.sksparish.org](http://www.sksparish.org)



Visit us on Facebook.

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

### Mothers of Young Children

**Wednesday, November 21st:** There will be no play group this week due to Thanksgiving holiday!! We will meet in the Parish Center next week, Wednesday, November 28.

### H.O.P.E. Co-Leaders this Week – (Group 4)

Heather Reilly 610-341-9262  
 Susan Fisher 610-964-7973

### “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.

### Close-Knit Community

The knitting and crocheting group of St. Katherine of Siena parish meets every Wednesday in the Parish Center from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm. We will **NOT**, however, be meeting on Wednesday, November 21st. For information, feel free to call Marie Rauscher at (610) 964-0642.

### St. Martin de Porres Pantry

Our sister parish, St. Martin de Porres, operates a food pantry for their parishioners. Many of these families rely on this facility for their daily needs. This Thanksgiving, we are holding a special drive to help replenish the pantry. Please bring non-perishable items to the 9:00 am Mass on Thanksgiving Day and we will transport them to SMDP. If you are unable to attend, but would like to contribute, items can be placed in the church library this weekend. We thank you for your continued support of our sister parish!



### Did You Miss Adopt-A-Family?

We have a couple of families from St. Martin de Porres and St. Katharine's that came in late and are still available to be adopted this Christmas season. If you are interested, please contact Colleen Maguire at [cmaguire@sksparish.org](mailto:cmaguire@sksparish.org) or 610-688-4584. Thanks.



### HOLIDAY BULLETIN INFORMATION

The December 23rd Bulletin is due to the rectory by noon on December 12th; the December 30th Bulletin by noon on Monday, December 17th and the January 6th Bulletin by noon on Wednesday, December 19th.

## **INTRODUCING OUR NEW PARISH PASTORAL PLAN**

As we prepare to begin another liturgical year - Advent begins in two weeks - I want to introduce you to our new Parish Pastoral Plan. It may be hard to believe that it's already five years since our last Pastoral Plan was initiated! But, after working closely with our Parish Pastoral Council over the past year, I am now happy to present to you our new Parish Pastoral Plan. After a careful review of our parish and its various purposes, organizations and initiatives, as well as an evaluation of our accomplishments and ongoing challenges over these past five years, we have, once again, developed a Parish Pastoral Plan, along with an Action Plan; these will be made public in two weeks, as we begin the new liturgical year with the First Sunday of Advent.

In developing this new Parish Pastoral Plan, we used the same five areas – distinct but clearly interrelated – that we used in developing the Parish Pastoral Plan five years ago because we believe that they are good markers for the life of every healthy parish: worship, evangelization, catechesis, community-building and service. And, realizing that we could not address all of the various issues within these categories at the same time, we identified some issues that we believe need attention first; you will find them listed in the Action Plan when it is published along with the Parish Pastoral Plan.

But first, I would like to recall for you the five pressing issues we identified as we introduced our last Pastoral plan in May of 2013:

- to call active parish organizations to ensure that all six groups of parishioners (former Catholics, inactive Catholics, CEOs [Christmas and Easter only], Sunday Catholics, disciples and evangelizers) are engaged and challenged;
- to re-establish a Hospitality Committee to welcome newcomers;
- to re-establish a Stewardship Committee;
- to re-initiate a ministry for youth and young adults; and
- to establish a committee to explore how the parish can best catechize those age groups beyond the elementary school years.

After the Pastoral Plan was introduced in 2013, all parish organizations were called to examine their activities to discover how they could best en-

listed above. Over the course of two years, the Parish Council met with the leaders of all of the parish organizations to review their findings. Meanwhile, over the summer of 2013, I re-established a Stewardship Committee and in the summer of 2014, Stephanie Twohig was hired as our new youth minister. We continue to look for a parishioner to coordinate the re-invigoration of our Hospitality Committee. And, the Pastoral Council and I continue to discuss the last area: catechesis of those age groups beyond the elementary school years. Bible Study/Faith Sharing, Walking with Purpose, and Knights of Columbus all provide catechesis to those who participate in these parish activities but we recognize that there are others, especially our young adults, who would benefit from ongoing catechesis.

So, you can see that we have made some progress in the five issues that were identified in our 2013 Parish Pastoral Plan; more work needs to be done. As we reviewed the five areas (worship, evangelization, catechesis, community-building and service) that measure the life of a healthy parish over this past year, we celebrated our accomplishments and admitted our challenges. Now, we will begin to focus on the new Action Plan items to continue our growth as a community of faith.

Naturally, all of this is possible only if we have the resources to accomplish it. You are the greatest resource that the parish has and I thank you for offering your time, talent and treasure to one or more of the various parish organizations, programs and activities over the years contributing to make this a vibrant and healthy parish. If you have not yet gotten involved or would like to get even more involved, I encourage you to do so! These continue to be exciting times for our parish; let's all get involved!

And, like in any home or business, we need to manage our financial resources well. As these areas are addressed and developed, I will continue to meet with the Parish Finance Council to ensure that we can afford any expenses that would be incurred as we move ahead.

Yes, we are a people of great faith and many talents and, with your help, we will continue to grow as God's community, gathering to worship God, experiencing his love and care for us, welcoming all others who share our faith, learning about and growing in our faith and reaching out to help those in need. As we prepare to begin another liturgical year in God's grace, I hope you will review our new Parish Pastoral Plan and Action Plan and prayerfully discern how you can get even more involved in building up God's kingdom right here in St. Katharine of Siena parish!

## PARISH ACTIVITIES



VOCATION OFFICE FOR THE  
DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD  
ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA  
**HEED THE CALL**

Today, place your  
**CALLED BY NAME**  
response card in the collec-  
tion basket or return it to  
the rectory. Continue to

pray for the success of this program in our parish and our diocese, especially during these weeks of prayer for vocations.

The third year of Delco Lock-In was another success! It was a night of games, a speaker (Brother Jeff - Augustinian Seminarian) adoration, confession, pizza, service projects, knocker ball, ice cream, Just Dance, sleep, donuts, Saturday 8:00 am Mass and clean up! An amazing 13 hours of fun and community building for a group of awesome teens.



### CYO Basketball

St. Katharine's is currently looking for basketball coaches for our upcoming 2018 - 2019 season for all ages, including high school. Requirements and applications for coaching can be found under [SKSCYO.com](http://SKSCYO.com). We are also in need of a JV (5th/6th grade) girls and boys coach. Please forward any questions or application materials to Chet Walsh or Bob Higgins at [wintersports@skscyo.com](mailto:wintersports@skscyo.com).



### Mercy Hospice Giving Tree

Almost 600 red tags suggesting gifts for the homeless women and children at Mercy Hospice have been put on two trees, one in the Lancaster Avenue vestibule of the church and the other one in the St. Joseph's Shrine. Please help make this a special Christmas for these women and children by taking a tag and buying the gift specified on the label.

The gifts, **in gift bags, with the red tags attached**, must be returned to the St. Therese Shrine by Sunday, December 9th. Info: Kay and Jerry Lafferty, 610-687-4707.

### Thank You from Cabrini University

We delivered the non-perishable food items you so generously left in the parish library to stock the food pantry at Cabrini University.

St. Mary Elizabeth came with us bringing donations from PREP. We were told that 49 students who are food insecure have registered to receive the donated items.

The University and the students thank you and hope we can continue to support their program. Suggestions: soup, pasta mixes, ravioli and canned pasta, crackers, fruit cups and oatmeal. Info: Kay and Jerry Lafferty, 610-687-4707.



### WWP SPECIAL EVENT

Please join us for Book Club  
Tuesday, November 27th from 9:15 am to 11:00 am  
St. Katharine's Parish Center  
Book Discussion on *"When the Heart Waits"*  
By Sue Monk Kidd  
For more information contact: Maureen Reilly at  
[cmkmjr@yahoo.com/610-745-6320](mailto:cmkmjr@yahoo.com/610-745-6320)



St. Katharine's is happy to introduce a new opportunity for supporting your parish through online giving. We have partnered with Parish Giving to offer a simple, secure, and convenient means of contributing to St. Katharine's using your credit card or bank account.

To get started, scan the QR Code below or go to <http://sksparish.org/give> and follow the easy registration steps. If you need assistance enrolling or if you have questions, please contact Angela Kusterbeck, our parish business manager at 610-688-4584 or [busmgr@sksparish.org](mailto:busmgr@sksparish.org).



**OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE**  
**Week of 7 November — 13 November 2018**

<u>PARISH INCOME</u>	<u>PARISH EXPENSES</u>
Sunday Collection: \$13,089.00	Maintenance: \$6,208.50
Electronic Giving: \$1,535.00	Administration Expenses: \$4,756.08
Tuition: \$15,470.00	
Other Income: \$15,683.01	Other Expenses: \$8,662.91
Weekly Income: \$45,777.01	Weekly Expenses: \$19,627.09
YTD Income: \$1,499,197.25	YTD Expenses: \$1,396,742.09
	<b>YTD Balance: \$ 102,455.16</b>

**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: December 2nd to the 9th.** 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).



**A Baby's Breath**

We are collecting diapers, pullups and baby items in the chapel of the Blessed Virgin Mary for A Baby's Breath. A Baby's Breath is a center located in Wayne that serves women facing crisis pregnancies and seeks to affirm life and offer sound alternatives to abortion, with compassion and steadfast care.

**ARCHDIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**St. Charles Seminary Open House and Christmas Concert**  
**St. Martin of Tours Chapel**  
**Sunday, December 9th**

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend our annual Open House and Christmas Concert, featuring our seminarian choir. The Open House and seminary tours begin at 1:00 p.m. and the concert begins at 4:00 p.m. in our St. Martin of Tours chapel. Visit <https://www.scs.edu/node/2506>.

**"Dare to Prepare"**  
**Advent Retreat for Teen Girls**  
**St. Agnes Church in Sellersville, PA**  
**December 15, 2018, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm**

Young Women of Grace is hosting an Advent retreat for teen girls ages 12+. The day features a continental breakfast after Mass, pizza for lunch, social time, games, lots of Christmas treats and a very special Christmas craft. Author Susan Brinkmann, OCDS, will give two presentations on the critical role women play in the world today through the gift of their feminine genius, and how to welcome Emmanuel by learning to practice the presence of God. A local youth minister will also address the girls on the importance of respecting themselves in their dress and in how they relate to themselves and others. Cost is just \$30 per girl. For more information, visit the "Events" Page at [www.womenofgrace.com](http://www.womenofgrace.com).



# 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**  
Tom Grube  
skskofc@gmail.com

**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  
skspectlife@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.*