

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

Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Carroll
Priest in Residence

Father Scott Reilly, LC
Weekend Assistant
484-422-8117

Stephanie Twohig
Youth Minister

Colleen Maguire
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610-688-5451

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Director of Religious Education
610-688-7890

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610-688-9489

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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, FEBRUARY 3, 2019

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's

9:30 AM Barbara K. Godridge

11:30 AM Frank Dougherty

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2019

6:30 AM Father Vitali (Living)

8:00 AM Barbara Martino (Living)

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

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2019

6:30 AM Matthew Scott

8:00 AM Eleanor Fullman

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2019

6:30 AM Father Vitali (Living)

8:00 AM Daniel C. Dagit

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2019

6:30 AM James Gannon

8:00 AM Patricia Scattergood Buck

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2019

6:30 AM Anne Baraldi

8:00 AM Michelle Heacock

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2019

8:00 AM Deceased Members of Bolter/Muldoon Families

5:00 PM Lauren Robb

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2019

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's

9:30 AM Richard Caruso (Living)

11:30 AM Elizabeth Bole

Readings: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; 1 Cor 15:1-5; Lk 5:1-11



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.

Robert Bruno

Ryan Carlton
Charles Carr
Mark DeLuca
Patrick Graham
Jean Hemcher

Ginny Jackson

Libby Judge
Corrine Kerrigan
Daniel Maguire
Timothy Mahoney
John McCabe

Paula Rudnick

Logan Schweiter
Claire Sieracki
Debbie Snyder
John Studenka
Connie Winoski

Deceased Prayer List:

Christina Gallagher, Mary Morris, Jerry Lafferty



Check out our website at www.sksparish.org



Visit us on Facebook.

WEEKLY PARISH ACTIVITIES

Mothers of Young Children

Wednesday, February 6th 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 in the Parish Center. Contact Emily Monstra - emilydevoe@yahoo.com or (610) 955-9676 for more information. 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. Co-Leaders this Week – (Group 7)

Gail Connor	610-331-5403
Maria Mendler	484-580-6656

“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 St. Katharine group of knitters and crocheters meets every Wednesday in the parish center from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm. All are welcome to join us in making warm items for the needy. Rides can be arranged. For information, call Marie Rauscher at (610) 964-0642.

Flocknote

“Thank you” to everyone who has signed up on Flocknote. This helps everyone in the parish connect more easily. To date, over 1,100 parishioners have signed up!

If you haven't signed up yet, no worries, sign up is quick and easy! Visit www.flocknote.com/sksparish and fill in your First Name, Last Name, Email and Mobile Phone or just fill out the card in your pew and drop it in the collection basket. Once enrolled, you will start receiving general parish communications and announcements.

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 the date requested.

From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS(Part II)

As I noted two weeks ago, it's time to elect three new members for the Parish Pastoral Council. The *Archdiocese of Philadelphia Rationale, Principles and Guidelines for Parish Pastoral Councils* states so well,

The purpose of the Parish Pastoral Council is to foster full participation of the entire parish in the life and mission of the parish and the Universal Church. The parish faith community participates in this mission by:

- Worshipping God;
- Creating and nourishing Christian Community;
- Growing in Faith and Holiness; and
- Serving those in need, especially the poor.

This same document goes on to explain the function of the Pastoral Council:

The general function of the Parish Pastoral Council is to advise the Pastor in those pastoral matters presented to it by the Pastor. It carries out its function by:

1. Informing the Pastor of the needs and concerns, gifts and resources of the whole parish and its members;
2. Developing and reviewing a parish mission statement (which will always contain the name of Jesus) and periodically re-evaluating and revising it;
3. Developing a parish pastoral plan;
4. Participating in ongoing pastoral planning;
5. Recommending policies, procedures and programs which would assist in the implementation of the mission statement and parish pastoral plan;
6. Reviewing and evaluating the effectiveness of existing programs; and
7. Reflecting on Archdiocesan pastoral priorities and recommending how they can be implemented in the parish.

Throughout my years as a parish priest, I have found Parish Pastoral Councils to be indispensable in assisting me to lead the parish in fulfilling its mission. Ever since I came here, I have benefitted from the insights that the Council members have offered on a wide variety of topics. Together, we developed a Parish Pastoral Plan in 2013 and then again last year. These Pastoral Plans have given us focus as we continually strive to lead all of our parishioners closer to God and the entire parish to become an ever stronger community of faith. So, I hope you can see the importance of the Parish Pastoral Council and I encourage you to step forward and lend your gifts and talents for this important work in our parish.

Next week, you will find nomination forms in all the pews and in the Sunday Bulletin. Please take a form home and seriously consider nominating someone who has the following characteristics (feel free to nominate yourself if you are interested):

- A strong desire for spiritual growth in themselves and in the parish;
- Enthusiasm about the future direction of our parish;
- Flexibility and openness with people and ideas;
- Willingness to listen and learn, and to speak honestly and respectfully;
- Ability to work toward consensus and to inspire and empower others.

Those who are nominated will be contacted to see if they are available and interested. They will then be asked to attend a meeting on the evening of 21 February to learn more about Parish Pastoral Councils and to discern if they are ready and able to serve. Those who decide to run for election will be asked to provide a brief résumé and an explanation of their reasons for wanting to be on the Parish Council. These will be published in the Sunday Bulletin on the weekends of 24 and 31 March. Then, on the weekends of 7 and 14 April, we will hold elections for the three new members of our Parish Council.

I look forward to continuing to work with our Parish Pastoral Council – including its new members – to continue to respond to our Lord's mandate: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature"

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Congratulations Bishop-elect Joseph L. Coffey

We learned last week that Reverend Joseph L. Coffey, brother of Marita Finley and Ellen Hurley, who live in our parish, was appointed by Pope Francis to become an auxiliary bishop for the Archdiocese of Military Services, USA. Bishop-elect Coffey, a 1978 graduate of Archbishop Carroll High School, was ordained a priest for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia in 1996. After serving for five years at St. Katherine of Siena Parish in Philadelphia, he became a Navy Chaplain and is currently a Captain in the Navy Chaplain Corp. He will be ordained a bishop on 25 March in the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. We congratulate Bishop-elect Coffey and his family and assure him of our prayers as he humbly accepts God's call to serve the USA military in this new and challenging ministry.



Audrey and Colin Gardner held a hot chocolate stand the Saturday before MLK Day of Service for the 3rd year in a row. This year they raised over \$200.00 for our MLK day of service and our Catholic Schools Week Day of Service. They were able to purchase brand new bath towels and 40 lbs. of penne pasta and sauce that will be assembled for Mercy Hospice. As Mrs. Coretta Scott King proclaimed "The greatest gift Martin Luther King Jr. could receive is for all people to celebrate the holiday by performing individual acts of kindness through service to others."



Gift Bags of Love



There will be a service project for our SKS seniors of the parish on Sunday, February 10th, from 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm in the parish center



Movie Night!

We will have a movie night on Sunday, February 17th from 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm in the parish center. Movie treats and snacks will be provided!

St. Martin de Porres School

We have an opportunity to assist the teachers at our sister parish's school, St Martin de Porres. Just like the SKS teachers, the SMDP teachers often need to buy supplies for their classrooms. There is a Giving Board with valentines set up in the church with items that would help the rest of their year be the best it can be! Please leave your donations in the church library by February 16th. Thank you for your continued support of SMDP!

Aberdeen Club News

The Aberdeen Club lunch will be held this Tuesday, from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm in the Parish Center. We will celebrate Valentine's Day and enjoy a presentation on essential oils and their uses in helping with sleep and stress, relieving aches and pains, preventing the spread of illness and more!. You won't want to miss this workshop where you can make your own custom oil blend to start using right away. Please RSVP to Susan Diebold 610-527-3298 or email susan.diebold@verizon.net to save your spot. Rides are available to all who need or want them. Please come and bring a friend – all are welcome.

Casseroles for Mercy Hospice

We delivered 72 casseroles to a grateful staff at Mercy Hospice - 30 from the TE School District. The next deadline is **Wednesday, February 13th**. Newcomers to the program can find pans and recipes at the Aberdeen Avenue door of the church.

No time to cook? How about regular coffee, creamer, peanut butter, jelly, sugar or cake mixes. Don't forget the hotel toiletries! Info: Kay Lafferty, 610-687-4707.

Men's Evening of Reflection February 11, 2019 from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm Saint Katharine of Siena Parish Center

Calling all men, especially those with an appetite for good food and great beer. Next Monday, the parish will host another Men's Evening of Reflection in the parish center. The evening will begin at 6:30 pm with Mass in the church followed by a free dinner and beer at 7:00 pm. At 7:30 pm, Fr. Scott Reilly will deliver a spirited talk on being men of courage for Christ and our Church. If you've been looking for an opportunity to connect with more men in our parish, or if you're seeking a spiritual boost, you won't want to miss this night. We hope to see you men there.

Wedding Anniversary Mass

Next Sunday, February 10th, at the 11:30 Mass we will honor those couples celebrating their 25th or 50th (or more) Wedding Anniversaries during 2019.



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.



OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Week of 23 January 2018 — 29 January 2019

PARISH INCOME

Sunday Collection: \$9,905.00

Electronic Giving: \$3,725.00

Tuition: \$47,850.00

Catholic Schools Week:
\$8,742.00

Other Income: \$10,901.64

Weekly Income: \$81,123.64

YTD Income: \$2,255,773.89

PARISH EXPENSES

Diocesan Assessment:
\$12,625.00

Administration Expenses:
\$9,144.65

Office Supplies/Equipment:
\$7,812.85

Utilities: \$2,855.27

Other Expenses: \$12,213.47

Weekly Expenses: \$44,651.24

YTD Expenses: \$2,209,352.15

YTD Balance: \$46,421.74

Tax Letters

Please call the rectory office (610-688-4584) if you would like a letter that summarizes your Church contributions for tax purposes.

Parish Nurse Ministry

Reminders for dealing with the cold:

1. Drink plenty of fluids, eat a healthy diet, avoid caffeine and alcohol before going outside.
2. Check to make sure you have plenty of batteries.
3. No generator should be inside the home . Place the generator at least 20 feet from the house.
4. Never shovel or go walking alone in frigid weather.
5. Wear no-skid boots when shoveling.
6. Shovel on an hourly basis instead of all at once.
7. Push snow to the side and lift with legs, not back, with no twist of the torso.
8. If you have a life alert, keep it on you at all times.



SKS SCHOOL NEWS

Even though it's freezing out we're planning for September already! Registration is open for grades K-8 for the upcoming 2019-2020 school year. Apply online at sksschool.org, the application process is found under the Admissions tab.

Our next Open Houses will be on February 7th and March 7th from 9 - 11 am, you can tour the school and meet with our principal, Bud Tosti, to discuss curriculum and our school community. Feel free to contact us at 610-688-5451 or acondello@sksschool.org with any questions.



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
skskofo@gmail.com

Mercy Hospice Casserole Program
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
skrsrespectlife@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.