

# 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  
Coordinator for Parish Life and  
Ministry: 610-688-4584

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610-688-5451

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Director of Religious Education  
610-688-7890

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Parish Nurse: 610-688-9479

Jeremy Triplett  
Liturgical Music Director  
610-688-9489

Angela Kusterbeck  
Business Manager

Barbara Lombardi  
Parish Secretary

### 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.

### 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

## MASS AND PRAYER INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2019

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's  
 9:30 AM Richard Caruso (**Living**)  
 11:30 AM Fran Griesser  
 6:00 PM Youth Mass

### MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2019

6:30 AM John O'Brien  
 8:00 AM William Murphy

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

### TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 2019

6:30 AM Rosemarie Cabaud  
 8:00 AM Deacon George Bolter

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 2019

6:30 AM Patricia S. Burk  
 8:00 AM Colleen Coor

### THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2019

6:30 AM Catherine Quinn  
 8:00 AM Margaret Schwartz

### FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 2019

6:30 AM Pam McMahon  
 8:00 AM James and Marjorie White

### SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 2019

8:00 AM Jerry Lafferty  
 5:00 PM Hazel McGonagle

### SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2019

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's  
 9:30 AM Joanne Romano  
 11:30 AM Margaret Schwartz

Readings: Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Luke 22:14-23:56



### 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  
 Paul Cooke  
 Mark DeLuca  
 Patrick Graham  
 Jean Hemcher  
 Ginny Jackson

Libby Judge  
 Corrine Kerrigan  
 Tony Lopez  
 Daniel Maguire  
 Timothy Mahoney  
 John McCabe  
 Madeleine O'Keefe

Paula Rudnick  
 Logan Schweiter  
 Claire Sieracki  
**Jessica Smucker**  
 Debbie Snyder  
 John Studenka  
 Connie Winoski

### Deceased Prayer List:

Catherine Quinn, Lucy Boulanger, Randall Bell, Joyce Barrett, Elsi Barnes, Alice O'Neill



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



Visit us on Facebook.

## LENTEN PARISH ACTIVITIES

*Return to me with your whole heart,  
 With fasting, and weeping and mourning..."*  
 (Joel 2:12)

### Lenten Prayer Opportunities

#### Mass

Weekday 6:30 am and 8:00 am  
 Saturday 8:00 am; 5:00 pm (Vigil of Sunday)  
 Sunday 8:00 am, 9:30 am, and 11:30 am

Morning Prayer: 7:45 am Monday to Saturday

#### Confessions

Saturday 4:00-4:45 pm  
 Penance Service – Wednesday, April 10th at 7:00 pm

#### Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays - 8:30 am until 4:30 pm

#### Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at 7:00 pm

#### Bible Study

Thursdays- 9:00-10:30 am



### Living Stations

Please join us for a reverent depiction of the Passion of Christ with the Living Stations presented by the Class of 2019. There will be two presentations on Friday, April 12th at 1:00 pm and 7:00 pm in the Church. We hope you can join us.

### Holy Week Schedule 2019

#### Palm Sunday, April 14

Regular Sunday Schedule  
 Vigil Mass, Saturday, 5:00 PM  
 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM

Palm distributed at all the Masses.

#### Holy Thursday, April 18

7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper and  
 Procession to the Altar of Repose  
 Adoration until 10:00 PM

#### Good Friday, April 19

11:45 AM Ministerium walk starts from  
 St. Katharine of Siena

The Interfaith Service starts at  
 Wayne Methodist Church at 12:00 noon.

3:00 PM Liturgy of the Passion and Death of our Lord,  
 Holy Communion

#### Holy Saturday, April 20

7:00 PM Easter Vigil

#### Easter Sunday, April 21

Regular Sunday Schedule  
 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM

*From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers*

## The Sacrament of Reconciliation

“God has reconciled us to himself through Christ and given us the ministry of reconciliation” (2 Corinthians 5:18).

A few weeks ago, 74 of our parishioners received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. Two weeks ago, many of our Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) students took advantage of the opportunity to go to confession during their class time. And, on Tuesday of Holy Week, the students in our school will be given time to go to confession. This Wednesday, everyone in the parish is encouraged to attend our Lenten Penance Service, which begins at 7:00pm; several priests will be available to hear your confession. During this Season of Lent, when we are invited to recognize our sinfulness that put Jesus on the cross, we are also encouraged by Jesus’ clear teaching of forgiveness of our sins. Allow me to offer some reflections on the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* provides us with some very clear teaching on this sacrament:

Through the sacraments of Christian initiation, man receives the new life of Christ. Now we carry this life “in earthen vessels,” and it remains “hidden with Christ in God.” We are still in our “earthly tent,” subject to suffering, illness, and death. This new life as a child of God can be weakened and even lost by sin.

The Lord Jesus Christ, physician of our souls and bodies, who forgave the sins of the paralytic and restored him to bodily health, has willed that his Church continue, in the power of the Holy Spirit, his work of healing and salvation, even among her own members. This is the purpose of the two sacraments of healing: the sacrament of Penance and the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.

Those who approach the sacrament of Penance obtain pardon from God’s mercy for the offense committed against him, and are, at the same time, reconciled with the Church which they have wounded by their sins and which by charity, by example, and by prayer labors for their conversion (§ 1420 – 1422).

If we are honest with ourselves, we all admit that we are sinners. By our actions and our failures to act, we have hurt God, others and ourselves. God’s response to our sinfulness, as the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* states so beautifully, is found in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. As we rejoiced that some of our parishioners recently received this powerful sign of God’s mercy for the first time, let us join in celebrating this Sacrament in preparation for Easter. Come join us on Wednesday as we hold our annual Lenten Penance Service, starting at 7:00pm. In case you can’t come on Wednesday, check below for a list of times and places for confession in the local parishes before Easter. Let us all be sure to be reconciled with our God and our community as we make final preparations for Holy Week so that we can be ready to celebrate the new life our risen Lord offers us in the Resurrection!



## Area Parish Lenten Penance Services 2019

- Annunciation B.V.M.  
Monday, April 8th at 7:00 pm
- St. Dorothy  
Monday, April 8th at 7:00 pm
- St. Anastasia  
Wednesday, April 10th at 7:00 pm
- St. Denis  
Wednesday, April 10th at 7:00 pm
- St. Katharine of Siena Church  
Wednesday, April 10th at 7:00 pm
- St. Thomas of Villanova  
(at church on University campus)  
Wednesday, April 10th at 7:00 pm
- St. Pius X Church  
Tuesday, April 16th at 7:00 pm
- St. John Neumann Church  
Tuesday, April 16th at 7:00 pm



## PARISH ACTIVITIES

### Mothers of Young Children

**Wednesday, April 10th 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. We will be stuffing eggs for our annual Easter Egg Hunt which will be held on April 20th at 11:00 am on the convent lawn. All are welcome!

Contact Elise Parisi at [moyc@sksparish.org](mailto:moyc@sksparish.org) or 484-885-0130 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. 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.

### 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.

### Parish Coffee



The Mothers of Young Children will be hosting a Parish Coffee today after the 9:30 am Mass. All are welcome. We hope to see you there!

## EASTER BULLETIN DEADLINE



**April 21st Bulletin Announcements need to be at the Rectory by Tuesday, April 9th.**



### MERCY HOSPICE EASTER BASKETS



If you would like to donate Easter candy or a small stuffed animal for the Easter baskets for the children who live at Mercy Hospice, please leave it in the Mercy Hospice box in the parish library!

On Sunday, April 14th, from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm in the Parish Center, the Youth Group will be assembling 40 Easter baskets for the children who live with their mothers at Mercy Hospice.

### WELCOME ST. MONICA'S TEENS

Our next Teen Mass will be Sunday, April 7th, at 6:00 pm. The St. Monica's Teens and their families will be joining us for Mass and our Youth Group meeting in the parish center from 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm.

SKS PREP students from 5th and 6th grades participated in the Stations of the Cross on Monday and Wednesday.





## Eighth Grade Bake Sale After all the Masses on:

Saturday, April 13th  
Sunday, April 14th

St. Katharine of Siena  
Parish Center

**\*Please come and support SKS.\***  
**All proceeds directly benefit the**  
**Eighth Grade Graduation Festivities.**

### Casseroles for Mercy Hospice

It's not too late to do something for Lent that would help feed the homeless women and children at Mercy Hospice. Just ONE casserole would help. Last month we delivered 63 casseroles - 10 made by 4th Grade PREP students and their teacher, Mrs. Waltman and 20 made by the Rotary Club. We also took in Panera bread, toiletries and lots of groceries. The kitchen staff was so thankful for all the generosity.

The next deadline is **Wednesday, April 17th**. Pans and recipes are at the Aberdeen Avenue door of the church for newcomers to the program. No time to cook? How about regular coffee, creamer, cake or brownie mix, frosting, sugar and peanut butter and jelly. Don't forget the hotel toiletries! Info: Kay Lafferty, 610-687-4707.

### 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 a much belated Valentine's Day after snow caused us to cancel in February. Come 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 at 610-527-3298 or email [susan.diebold@verizon.net](mailto: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.

### Men's Evening of Reflection April 8, 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. This 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.



## OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Week of 27 March 2019 — 2 April 2019

### PARISH INCOME

Sunday Collection: \$12,977.00

Electronic Giving: \$2,215.00

Tuition: \$10,420.00

School subsidy from neighboring parish: \$4,875.00

Fundraising Income: \$7,326.86

Other Income: \$7,337.15

Weekly Income: \$45,151.01

YTD Income: \$2,967,497.29

### PARISH EXPENSES

Salaries: \$73,990.18

Administrative Expenses:

\$10,887.53

Maintenance: \$2,611.64

Charitable Giving: \$3,300.00

Fundraising Expenses:

\$4,847.51

Other Expenses: \$8,323.02

Weekly Expenses: \$103,959.88

YTD Expenses: \$2,911,299.45

**YTD Balance: \$56,197.84**

## ARCHDIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Friday, April 12, 2019, 7:00 PM Event: Young Adult Penance Service

Young adults are invited to an Evening Penance Service, including Eucharistic Adoration, Confession and Praise & Worship. Confession will be offered in English and Spanish by numerous priests. All are invited to gather for food and fellowship after the Penance Service.

**Location:** St. Bridget Parish, 3667 Midvale Ave., Philadelphia

**More info:** No registration required; Questions, please contact staff of the Vocation Office for the Diocesan Priesthood at 610-667-5778.

### CCA Night with the Phillies

CCA Night with the Phillies is Friday, June 21st. Tickets are available in three different sections of the ballpark and proceeds from each ticket sold will directly benefit the CCA and our incredible beneficiaries.

To purchase tickets please visit [phillies.com/catholiccharitiesnight](http://phillies.com/catholiccharitiesnight).

Thank you for all you do to support the Catholic Charities Appeal.

# 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.*