April 14, 2019

# **ST. KATHARINE OF SIENA**

Wayne, Pennsylvania | Parish Community



# WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

#### **SERVED BY**

Rev. Msgr. Hans A. L. Brouwers Pastor

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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 14, 2019**

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

## MONDAY, APRIL 15, 2019

6:30 AM Mary Lois Mitchell 8:00 AM William Tomlinson

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

TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 20196:30 AMJames and Marjorie White

8:00 AM Mary Jean Cullinan

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2019 6:30 AM William Cashman

8:00 AM Neil Alexander

THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 2019 7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper

FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 2019 3:00 PM Friday of the Passion of the Lord

SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2019 7:00 PM Holy Saturday

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2019

8:00 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM For the people of St. Katharine's Edmon G. Luke Arturo and Helen Hervada



Readings: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Col 5:6b-8; John 20:1-9 or Luke 24:13-35



#### 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:**

Thomas Trainer, Emily Rinnier, James Carr, Catherine Quinn, Lucy Boulanger, Randall Bell, Joyce Barrett



Check out our website at www.sksparish.org!

# WEEKLY PARISH ACTIVITIES

## Mothers of Young Children

Wednesday, April 17th 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** 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. Co-Leaders this Week – (Group 9)

Pat Carlton610-334-4645Jane Dwyer610-293-1539

# "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.



# Area Parish Lenten Penance Services 2019

St. Pius X Church Tuesday, April 16th at 7:00 pm

St. John Neumann Church Tuesday, April 16th at 7:00 pm

# SKS BULLETIN INFORMATION

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

Visit us on Facebook.

From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers

# Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion and Holy Week

"Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven and glory in the highest." (Lk 19:37). On the Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, we are called to join with our Lord, Jesus Christ, as he makes a triumphant entry into Jerusalem and then suffers derision and mockery, scourging and finally crucifixion because he comes to offer a new way of life and claims to be who he truly is - the Son of God. This week is, indeed, what we Christians call it: Holy Week. Throughout this week, we are reminded that God the Father, who is holy, has called us to follow his son as he leads us from a life of sin to a life of holiness. Today, we join our Lord in Jerusalem, where he goes to accomplish work for which his Father had sent him. We hear about his triumphant entry into Jerusalem as well as his humiliating passion and death on the cross. The palm that is blessed at Mass and we take home to drape around our crucifixes unites us with the crowd that welcomed Jesus, proclaiming him to be the "Son of David." The celebrant wears a red chasuble today, symbolic of the blood that Jesus shed on the cross. The Gospel, ordinarily proclaimed by a priest or deacon, is today proclaimed through the active participation of the entire congregation. All of this draws us into this most important week, when Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is betrayed and abandoned by his followers as he accomplishes the work that his heavenly Father has sent him to do. We, who have come to recognize our sinfulness and Jesus' saving power during this Lenten Season, are now called to decide whether or not we want to stay with the fickle crowd, that one day acclaims Jesus as their savior and on another day calls for his death, or with the Christ, who is willing to suffer humiliation, abandonment, agony and even death in obedience to the Father's will and for the good of his people.

As I mentioned at the beginning of the liturgical year last December, this is the year that features The Gospel of Luke. Today's Gospel reading is taken from that gospel. Regardless of the Gospel from which it is taken, however, no part of the life of Jesus is related with as much detail as his passion and death. This is God's great saving act, the climax of his saving acts throughout human history. It is the liturgical act, and it calls for our careful attention and active participation. Let me remind you about the definition of the word liturgy; it comes from the Greek word λιτυργειν and means a public service for the benefit of the entire people. Certainly, our Lord's offering himself at the Last Supper and on the cross at Calvary is the supreme public service for the benefit of all people, as he offers himself to his heavenly Father for our sins and offers himself to us for our spiritual nourishment!

There are many opportunities this week to participate in this great liturgical event. On Holy Thursday, the only Masses permitted are the Chrism Mass, which is celebrated at the Cathedral of every (arch) diocese, and the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper. Monsignor Carroll and I will join with hundreds of other priests from throughout the Archdiocese at the Cathedral of Ss. Peter and Paul at 10:00am on Thursday to concelebrate the Chrism Mass with Archbishop Chaput. At this Eucharistic celebration, all of us priests will renew our priestly promises and Archbishop Chaput will bless the sacred oils that will be used in every parish throughout the year for the administration of the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Anointing of the Sick. Hundreds of people from throughout the Archdiocese join in this moving celebration; I invite you to come. That evening (7:00pm), everyone is also invited to join in the Mass of the Lord's Supper here at the parish when we participate in the celebration of the institution of the Eucharistic Celebration. The church will remain open until 10:00pm for private adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. And, on Good Friday, everyone is invited to join in the Ecumenical Good Friday Celebration at noon and/or the Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 3:00pm. The Ecumenical Good Friday Service will begin with a procession from our church to the Wayne United Methodist Church at 11:45am followed by an ecumenical Good Friday Service at 12:00noon; you are welcome to join in the procession from our church and/or the service at the Methodist Church. The Celebration of the Lord's Passion will take place in our church; it includes veneration of the cross and communion.

Although commonly understood as lasting until before the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday, Lent officially ends before evening prayer of Holy Thursday. At this time, the Easter Triduum begins, which lasts until the conclusion of evening prayer on Easter Sunday. Christ redeemed us all and gave perfect glory to God principally through his paschal mystery: "dying he destroyed our death and rising he restored our life." Therefore, the Easter Triduum of the passion and resurrection of Christ is the culmination of the entire liturgical year. The Easter Triduum begins with the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, reaches its high point in the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday and closes with evening prayer on Easter Sunday. The Easter Vigil will be celebrated at 7:00pm next Saturday. This follows Church directives that the Easter Vigil not be celebrated at the time of day that it is customary to celebrate the Sunday Vigil Mass, thus setting it apart from every other Sunday. Easter Sunday Masses will, however, follow our regular Sunday schedule: 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30am. Those who receive communion at the Vigil may also receive at another Mass on Easter Sunday.

All of these liturgies provide us with the opportunity to share in this salvific event. It is important to recognize, however, that we are not just recalling what Jesus did for us in Jerusalem almost 2.000 vears ago. We are not just spectators of his great sacrifice. The liturgies of these days do not just take us back to the Upper Room or on the path to Calvary. The purpose of our celebrations is not to merely retrace or relive the last hours of Jesus' life. Nor do we prepare for that chance to catch sight of Jesus emerging from the tomb at Easter's dawning. These liturgies celebrate not only what once happened to Jesus but also what is happening among us now as a people called to conversion, called in faith and gifted with the Spirit of holiness. That is why it is so important that we all participate in these liturgies. It is not like attending a sports event, where a team will win or lose whether we are there or not. Nor is it like going to a concert, where others perform for our entertainment. Rather, we are all the people God has created through his Word and now recreates through the Word made Flesh as a community, broken like bread for the world, offered for the sins of humanity, and raised to new life in our savior, Jesus Christ. Come, let us die with Jesus so that we will also rise with him!



#### 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

# PARISH ACTIVITIES





#### MERCY HOSPICE EASTER BASKETS

This evening, 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.

A Special "Thank You" to Professor Jerry Zurek and his CRS class from Cabrini University. Dr. Zurek, along with his students, shared with our Youth Group the crisis of the Syrian refugees. Our teens filled welcome bags for the 12 Syrian refugee's (ages 5-12) who Catholic Social Services will be receiving next week.









#### OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Week of 3 April 2019 — 9 April 2019

PARISH INCOME	PARISH EXPENSES
Sunday Collection: \$10,019.00	Medical Benefits: \$46,416.19 Administration Expenses:
Electronic Giving: \$10,101.67	\$19,160.63
Tuition: \$13,982.50	Diocesan Assessment: \$12,625.00 Fringe Benefits: \$13,410.67
Other Income: \$10,226.67	Other Expenses: \$2,607.38
Weekly Income: \$44,329.84	Weekly Expenses: \$94,219.87
YTD Income: \$3,011,827.13	YTD Expenses: \$3,005,519.32 YTD Balance: \$6,307.81

# **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.

#### St. Martin de Porres

Please join us in welcoming our sister parish, St. Martin de Porres, as they join us for Mass on Saturday, April 27th at 5:00 pm. Their choir will be leading us in song during Mass. Dinner will be served in the Parish Center after Mass. On Sunday, April 28th, the St. Martin de Porres committee will host a parish coffee after the 9:30 am Mass, which will provide another opportunity to meet parishioners from SMDP. We hope to see you there!

**Do you need a spiritual check-up?** We have updated our spiritual reading and media materials in the Kiosk in the front of church. Be sure to check it out!



Eighth Grade Bake Sale After all the Masses this weekend St. Katharine of Siena Parish Center

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

# **ARCHDIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Mothers of Children with Disabilities Retreat:

On Wednesday, May 1st, at Malvern Retreat House, Fr. Willum Gillum, O.F.M.Cap. will direct a retreat for mothers and grandmothers who are raising children with disabilities and also those who have adult children with disabilities. There will be time to pray, reflect, and chat with other mothers. For the flyer or registration information go to www.opdarchphilly.org. For more information please contact Malvern Retreat House at 610-644-0400 or the Office for Persons with Disabilities at 215-587-3530.

## Wedding Anniversary Mass

The annual Wedding Anniversary Mass is celebrated to pray for and with married couples in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia who are married 1-5 years, and couples who have been married 25 years or more or who have been married 50 years or more.

**Location:** Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul 18th Street and Benjamin Franklin Parkway Philadelphia, PA 19103

**More Information:** Registration required. Please visit phillycatholiclife.org.

#### **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.

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

#### 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.* 

## 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 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