

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

Frank Tosti, School Principal
610-688-5451

S. Mary Elizabeth Karalis, SSJ
Director of Religious Education
610-688-7890

MaryAnn Crowe
Parish Nurse: 610-688-9479

Dr. Ted Latham
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, Sarah Bradley, Dan Hayes, Ed Kubala, Nick Lee, Robert McAlaine, Jessica Waltman, Jeff Walkenhorst

PARISH FINANCIAL COUNCIL

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

MASS AND PRAYER INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2019

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's
9:30 AM Judith Shaw
11:30 AM Mary Vesey

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2019

6:30 AM Special Intention
8:00 AM McCafferty/Schleicher Families

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2019

6:30 AM Special Intention
8:00 AM Jerry Lafferty

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2019

6:30 AM Maryellen Stormes
8:00 AM Shea/Lewers Families

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2019

6:30 AM Deborah Krafczek
8:00 AM James and Marjorie White

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2019

6:30 AM Richard Shields
8:00 AM Michael Evans

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2019

8:00 AM Orlando Carrozzino
5:00 PM Ernest Carnevalino

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2019

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

Readings: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; 1 Tm 1:12-17
Luke 15:1-32 or 15:1-10



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.

Mario Andan
Robert Bruno
Charles Callaghan
Ryan Carlton
Charles Carr
Jackie Chedeville
Mark DeLuca
Patrick Graham
Jean Hemcher

Helen Hobson
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
Maryanne Sullivan
Connie Winoski

Deceased Prayer List:

Kathryn Brooks, Rita Cascio, Fergus Murray, Very Rev. T. Ronan Drury



Check out our website at www.sksparish.org!



Visit us on Facebook.

ONGOING PARISH ACTIVITIES

Mothers of Young Children

The Mothers of Young Children will be celebrating their opening Mass this Wednesday, September 11th at 9:30 am in the back of church. New members are welcome! This is an extremely kid friendly Mass and a nice opportunity to celebrate the Eucharist with your little ones. We will also be participating in the Mercy Hospice Casserole program at SKS and will collect the baked casseroles at play group on September 25th so that we place them in the freezer for the next pick-up. Please contact Elise Parisi - moyc@sksparish.org or 484-885-0130.

H.O.P.E. Leader this Week – (Group 6)

Theresa Brennan 610-687-9414

“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.sksparish.org, then click *Information* and scroll down to *Volunteer*. Please complete and submit all clearances to Colleen Maguire in the Rectory Office.

Protecting God's Children workshop will be offered on **Monday, October 7th at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center**. Please call 610-688-4584 to register or email cmaguire@sksparish.org.



Parish Coffee

To help celebrate the start of a new school year, the SKS Home and School Board will be hosting a Parish Coffee next Sunday after the 9:30 Mass. All are welcome and we look forward to seeing you there!

Adult Altar Servers

Would you like to serve at the altar for important times in the lives of fellow parishioners? We're looking for more adults who are available to serve at our Funeral Masses. You will receive all the training you need for this compassionate ministry. Please contact the rectory (610-688-4584) if you're interested.

From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers

BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION

All Catholics are familiar with all kinds of “second collections” taken up in our parish churches. Through these collections, we are all called to share in the universal work of the Church. But only one second collection can claim status as the first one in our country. Recognizing a need to call the faithful to support missionary work among African American and Native American Catholics, the U.S. Catholic bishops established the *Catholic Church Charity Commission for the Catholic Missions* in 1884 to administer a national collection - the first of its kind in the United States - to support missionary work. Ever since the first collection in 1884, the Commission has administered the annual national Black and Indian Mission Collection. Your generosity enables the Commission to give helpful grants to dioceses across the country to operate schools, parishes, and other missionary services that build the Body of Christ in Native American, Alaska Native, and Black Catholic communities.

And locally, a number of parishes throughout our Archdiocese – including, *St. Martin de Porres*, our sister parish – are able to fund pastoral outreach and evangelization programs through the support they receive through this collection. It is only through your continued generosity that such efforts can be realized. In 2018 alone, over \$8 million was collected from Catholics across the U.S.A.

The *Black and Indian Mission Office* today is comprised of three distinct but inter-related organizations, each with its own purpose and history, but all seeking to fulfill the one mission to three mission outreaches in our country. The *Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions* was established in 1874 to evangelize the American Indians and to advocate for better treatment of these earlier settlers of our land. The *Commission for Catholic Missions*, founded in 1884, focused on serving the Native Americans in Alaska. And, the *Catholic Negro-American Mission Board* was established in 1907 to evangelize and serve the African American community in our country. By 1980, these three separate organizations, all founded by the Catholic bishops of the United States, were combined into the *Black and Indian Mission Office* which cooperates with local diocesan communities to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ and respond to real and pressing needs of these three communities. The three organizations of the *Black and Indian Mission Office* are governed in perpetuity by a board consisting ex officio of the Archbishops of New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore and managed by an executive director; currently Fr. Maurice H. Sands, from the Archdiocese of Detroit, is the executive director.

After his resurrection, Jesus commanded his followers to “go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature” (Mk 16:15). Pope Francis reminds us regularly that everyone is called to evangelization by their baptism. As we begin another year of evangelization in the Black Catholic, Native American and Alaskan Native communities, everyone is called to make a difference by offering their prayers and financial support. As you have been in the past, I encourage you to be generous to this annual collection.



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PARISH ACTIVITIES



BLAZE IS COMING TO St. Katharine of Siena



Blaze is a Walking with Purpose ministry for girls in grades 7 and up. It was created to counteract the way our society drives girls to question their identity, worth and beauty. Through Blaze, we emphasize how a girl's identity is rooted in Christ as God's chosen, beloved daughter. An antidote to bullying, anxiety and body-image issues, Blaze replaces lies with truth and strengthens girls from the inside out through the use of Scripture-based programs.

Sign-Up for Blaze:

- 20-week curriculum that calls out the way girls are exposed to the lies of our culture that damage their self-worth and sabotage their efforts to follow Christ.
- Meets 1hr each a week in the evenings for 20 weeks: Includes icebreaker, story, prayer circle, take-away gift. Begins in Fall.
- Each week a specific lie is replaced with the truth found in Scripture

We will be meeting at St. Thomas of Villanova (Rosemont campus)

Sessions run October – March

The cost is \$25.00 per Teen for the 20 weeks

For more information contact Steph Twohig: youthministry@sksparish.org.



Youth Group Kick Off Sunday, Sept. 8th

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

9th – 12th grade Youth Group
Sunday Sept. 8th 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.



Next Saturday from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm, the Youth Group will be staffing the snack table on Windermere Avenue during the 3rd Wayne Porch Fest. All the proceeds will help defray the cost of our 2019 mission trip!

PREP Registration

Please contact Sister Mary Elizabeth at 610-688-7890 or mekaralis@sksparish.org.

Grades 1 through 7 meet on Monday from 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm and Kindergarten to Grade 7 meet on 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 looking for volunteers to serve as teachers, aides, and help with car lines. Please contact Sister Mary Elizabeth at 610-688-7890 or mekaralis@sksparish.org if you are willing to serve in any capacity. No experience is necessary.

Aberdeen Club News

Say goodbye to summer and hello to another season of the Aberdeen Club! Our first meeting will be Tuesday, September 10th from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm in the Parish Center. Please come and catch up with parish friends old and new - and enjoy a late summer picnic and friendly conversation! Rides are available to all who want or need them. Please RSVP to susan.diebold@verizon.net or call Susan Diebold 610-585-2727 to reserve your spot. Please join us - all are welcome!

OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Weeks of 21 August 2019 — 3 September 2019

PARISH INCOME

Sunday Collection: \$19,547.00
Electronic Giving: \$5,810.00
Tuition: \$127,489.25

Other Income: \$24,638.83
Weekly Income: \$177,485.08
YTD Income: \$825,594.07

PARISH EXPENSES

Salaries: \$71,623.42
Benefits: \$49,617.10
Diocesan Assessment: \$12,966.67
Maintenance: \$7,089.91
Administration Expenses: \$11,366.88

Other Expenses: \$16,461.51
Weekly Expenses: \$169,125.49
YTD Expenses: \$631,303.33
YTD Balance: \$194,290.74

Cabrini University Food Pantry

In 2014 our neighbors at Cabrini University introduced the Cabrini Food Pantry as a result of a growing problem of college students who are unable to afford groceries or access food to eat every day. The number of students using the pantry has increased each year since it opened. The parishioners of St. Katharine's and members of the Cabrini University community are the primary donors of products to the Cabrini Food Pantry. Students apply for access to the food pantry and can stop in throughout the day to get something to eat for breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

The Cabrini Pantry is in need of non-perishable, single serving, microwavable, or "grab and go" items to stock their pantry. Some suggested items include the following: Cup O'Noodles, Mac & Cheese Cups, Fruit Cups, Ramen Noodles, Spaghetti O's or Ravioli, Pop Tarts, Granola or Fruit Bars, Cheese or Peanut Butter Cracker packs, Trail Mix packs, Hormel Heat n Serve Meals, Milk or Juice Boxes. Toiletry items that are needed include the following: Laundry Detergent, Toilet Paper, Tissues, Shampoo, Body Wash, Toothbrushes and Toothpaste.

Casseroles and Groceries for Mercy Hospice

Mercy Hospice is a shelter for women and children with the mission of alleviating poverty and family instability. Mercy Hospice serves hundreds of meals each week and provides groceries for women and children. These meals and groceries are in large part provided by the parishioners of St. Katharine's. Please consider making a casserole or donating groceries to help feed these women and children.

Pan recipes are located at the Aberdeen Avenue door of the church. The next deadline is **September 18th**. If it is easier to buy groceries, the following items help stock the shelves in the Mercy Hospice pantry so that the children can grab a breakfast on the way to school or women can pack a lunch. These include: peanut butter, jelly, granola bars, pop tarts, ground coffee, creamer and sugar, pancake mixes, and juice boxes. Toiletries are also needed to stock the showers for the homeless. For more info contact Jane Dwyer at 610-306-9171 or Jane Dooner at 610-505-1436.



Come join our group of over 50 women for the 5th year of Walking with Purpose, a Women's Bible Study!

**Tuesdays from 9:15 am to 11:00 am
September through April**

Our first meeting will be on Tuesday, September 17th in the Parish Center.

Do you desire to grow in your Catholic faith? Do you seek connection with other women in our parish community? We invite you to join Walking with Purpose this fall.

Interested in learning more? For questions and to register, please contact either Colleen Brady at ncbrady@comcast.net or 610-637-2569 or Maureen Reilly at cmkmjr@yahoo.com or 610-745-6320.

You can also visit www.walkingwithpurpose.com for more information. The program cost is \$45, which includes hospitality, FREE babysitting, etc. The Walking with Purpose study guide is \$40.

SKS SCHOOL NEWS

Dear SKS Parishioners,

The start of the school year is filled with anticipation, excitement and joy. We welcomed our students back to school this year last Wednesday for grades 1-8 and KG starts officially this Monday. The school building comes alive as our dedicated faculty/staff are ready to serve our students and our families. As a servant leader my role is to serve the students, parents, and teachers every day in every way. I try to do that humbly, with great pride in our parish school. We have to be a great school in every way, as we compete with the many great choices families have to send their child(ren) to school up and down the Main Line.

Our school mission statement is below. As it states, we are committed to educating the *whole* child: Spiritually, academically, emotionally, socially and physically. We partner with parents to form a strong relationship that puts the child at the center of our mission and Christ as our lead teacher.

St. Katharine of Siena School Mission Statement: Guided by the teachings of Jesus Christ, St. Katharine of Siena School is a Catholic community educating students in Kindergarten through eighth grade. We are committed to academic excellence through a rigorous learning environment that seeks to develop the whole child, integrating Catholic values of service and respect for all of God's people.

I want to express my thanks to you, our parishioners who have and continue to support the mission of St. Katharine of Siena School. Please know how grateful I am for all you do to help us keep Catholic education alive and well at SKS. Catholic education is a challenge today. Thanks to a committed pastor in Msgr. Brouwers, our outstanding SKS Faculty & Staff, a vibrant Home & School Board, and now our newly formed SKS Board of Limited Jurisdiction, we are prepared for the future and keeping our school at the forefront of Catholic education for many years to come.

I invite you to visit us anytime. We would welcome you. Also, please know there are volunteer opportunities at school. Contact me at the school office if you are interested. Every month we have our school Mass at 9:00 am (dates listed below). Our school Mass is always prepared by one of our grades. Our students participate fully in the Mass in word and song. They lead the way and it's one of the best things we do as a school community. Finally, if you are a family with young children please make sure to consider strongly what our school can offer your child and family. There is a SKS Open House the first Thursday of each month from 9:00 am -11:00 am. For further info contact Anne Condello, our school administrator, at 610-688-5451.

Truly grateful,

Bud Tosti, Principal

SKS School Mass Dates at 9 am: 9/18, 10/11, 11/13, 12/10, 1/23, 2/26 (Ash Wednesday), 3/20, 4/29 (Feast Day of St Catherine of Siena), 5/15, 6/12 (Closing Mass).

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

Paul and Alicia Peterson
610-989-0277

Altar Servers

Lisa Lopez-Carickoff
610-793-7681

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

Dr. Ted Latham
610-688-9489

Ministers of Hospitality

TBF

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

Erin Buckley
610-331-8237

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
Colleen Brady
610-687-3449

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

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

Jane Dwyer
610-306-3847
Jane Dooner
610-331-3847

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

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