

# ST. KATHARINE OF SIENA

*Wayne, Pennsylvania | Parish Community*



## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

### SERVED BY

Rev. Msgr. Hans A. L. Brouwers  
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Pastor Emeritus

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Priest in Residence

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Weekend Assistant  
484-422-8117

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Youth Minister

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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 Secretary

### 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

### 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, OCTOBER 13, 2019

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

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2019

6:30 AM Carol Baldwin  
8:00 AM McCafferty/Schleicher

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

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2019

6:30 AM Rick and Ellie Melli (Living)  
8:00 AM Elizabeth H. Maguire

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2019

6:30 AM Libby Bruno  
8:00 AM Alfred D'Iorio

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2019

6:30 AM Howard Bellwoar III  
8:00 AM Jake Weber

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2019

6:30 AM Libby Bruno  
8:00 AM Jake Weber

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2019

8:00 AM Keith Mastronardo  
5:00 PM James and Marjorie White

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2019

8:00 AM For the people of St. Katharine's  
9:30 AM Bela Haris  
11:30 AM Henry and Mary Ward

Readings: Ex 17:8-13; 2 tm 3:14-4:2; Lk 18:1-8



### 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  
**Robert Smith, Jr.**  
Jessica Smucker  
Debbie Snyder  
Maryanne Sullivan  
Connie Winoski

### Deceased Prayer List:

Richard DePiano, Richard Regan, James McGinty, Libby Bruno, Nancy Cancelmo



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



Visit us on Facebook.

## ONGOING PARISH ACTIVITIES

### Mothers of Young Children

Wednesday, October 16th

9:30 am - 11:00 am

Parents and caregivers of children ages 0-5 are welcome to join us for our weekly play group in the Parish Center. 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. Co-Leaders this Week – (Group 2/3)

Shauna Munshower 610-688-4348  
Colleen Maguire 610-688-0551

### "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. Katharine of Siena parish meets every Wednesday in the Parish Center from 1:00 to 2:30 pm. We create warm items for several organizations in the diocese. Not sure of your skills, come along and we'll be happy to help you. Feel free to drop in and say hello; we'd love to see you. For information, call Marie Rauscher at (610) 964-0642.



## FORTY HOURS SCHEDULE

### Sunday, October 13

11:30am Opening Mass  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for the remainder of the day.  
7:00pm Evening Prayer and Benediction  
Father Scott Reilly, L.C.

### Monday, October 14

8:30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament begins.  
7:00pm Evening Prayer and Benediction  
Father Scott Reilly, L.C.

### Tuesday, October 15

8:30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament begins.  
7:00pm Mass  
Father Scott Reilly, L.C.

You are invited to sign up for quiet time with Our Lord in the Eucharist. A sign-up sheet is available on the table behind the piano.

## *From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers*

### **Next Sunday is WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

*"The mission of Christ the redeemer, which is entrusted to the Church, is still very far from completion. As the second millennium after Christ's coming draws to an end, an overall view of the human race shows that this mission is still only beginning and that we must commit ourselves wholeheartedly to its service. It is the Spirit who impels us to proclaim the great works of God: 'For if I preach the Gospel, that gives me no ground for boasting. For necessity is laid upon me. Woe to me if I do not preach the Gospel!' (1 Cor 9:16)."*

With these words, our late Holy Father, Saint John Paul II opened his powerful encyclical on the mission work of the Church, entitled *Redemptoris Missio* (following the Church's custom of naming a document after the first few words that start the document: "the mission of the redeemer"), promulgated on 7 December 1990. Although it was written almost 30 years ago, its message is still very pertinent today. It is now more than 2,000 years since Jesus Christ, the son of God, came among us to begin his saving work for all humanity. Yet, only 34% (2 billion) of the world's population is Christian; of those, 17% (1 billion) are Catholic. In fact, there are more Muslims in the world – 19% - than Catholics, and there are almost as many people who do not associate with any religion as there are Catholics!

Since 1926, the universal Church has celebrated *World Mission Sunday* every year to continue to keep in the minds of the faithful their ongoing responsibility to proclaim the Good News of our salvation to the ends of the earth. To support this important work, the pope issues an annual "World Mission Sunday" message. Allow me to quote from Pope Francis' message for this year:

*Our filial relationship with God is not something simply private, but always in relation to the Church. Through our communion with God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we, together with so many of our other brothers and sisters, are born to new life. This divine life is not a product for sale – we do not practice proselytism – but a treasure to be given, communicated and proclaimed: that is the meaning of mission. We received this gift freely and we share it freely (cf. Mt 10:8), without excluding anyone. God wills that all people be saved by coming to know the truth and experiencing his mercy through the ministry of the Church, the universal sacrament of salvation (cf. 1 Tim 2:4).*

*The Church is on mission in the world. Faith in Jesus Christ enables us to see all things in their proper perspective, as we view the world with God's own eyes and heart. Hope opens us up to the eternal horizons of the divine life that we share. Charity, of which we have a foretaste in the sacraments and in fraternal love, impels us to go forth to the ends of the earth (cf. Mic 5:4; Mt 28:19; Acts 1:8; Rom 10:18). A Church that presses forward to the farthest frontiers requires a constant and ongoing missionary conversion. How many saints, how many men and women of faith, witness to the fact that this unlimited openness, this going forth in mercy, is indeed possible and realistic, for it is driven by love and its deepest meaning as gift, sacrifice and gratuitousness (cf. 2 Cor 5:14-21)! The man who preaches God must be a man of God.*

*This missionary mandate touches us personally: I am on a mission, always; you are on a mission, always; every baptized man and woman is on a mission. People in love never stand still: they are drawn out of themselves; they are attracted and attract others in turn; they give themselves to others and build relationships that are life-giving. And, we are all called to draw others to a life-giving relationship with God.*

Next Sunday - World Mission Sunday - the Church calls us and all people, young and old, clergy and laity, to support the universal mission of the Church, through prayer and sacrifice. Please be as generous as possible in next Sunday's second collection and remember the universal mission of the Church in your daily prayers!





## PARISH ACTIVITIES



Our brand new ECYD boys program began last Thursday after school. The Boys started with an exciting game of kick ball in the gym and then moved into the parish for a snack. Fr. Aaron led the boys in their activity of planting a mustard seed. Our faith is like the mustard seed that must be cared for in order for it to grow. If you care for the mustard seed (our faith) great things can happen. As you know the gospel this past Sunday was about the mustard seed.... hmmm I wonder if the boys picked up on this at Mass this past Sunday.



We had our first Youth Mass of the 2019-20 school year this past Sunday! All are welcome to attend any of these masses. The Mass is just sponsored and run by the teens. We had many teens attend the Mass and then YG afterwards in the Parish Center: Radnor High School, Conestoga High School, Upper Merion High School, St. Joe's Prep, Archbishop Carroll, St. Katherine's, Radnor Middle, Upper Merion Middle and Valley Forge Military Academy were represented.



**Tuesday, October 15th at 7:00 pm**  
**Forty Hours Closing Mass**

Take a break from your studies and attend our Forty Hours Closing Mass. Let us all sit together on the Capri side of the church as one. We will then walk to [So Fun Yogurt](#) to fill our stomachs! Bring your money.



On Saturday, October 19th from 8:30 – 10:00 am we are looking for teens to help give out water at water stations or actually run in Dan's Down Dog, here at St. Katharine's! You can register to run at: [Dansdown-doganddash.com](http://Dansdown-doganddash.com). Proceeds from the race will be given in Dan's honor to "For Pete's Sake".



**DATE CHANGE**  
**Sunday, October 27th**  
**6:00 – 8:00 pm Dodgeball Tournament**

Cost is \$10.00 a player. Get a team of 6-8 together for our tournament! The SKS Youth Group will sponsor a family from St. Katharine's and St. Martin de Porres for Christmas with the proceeds.



**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 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: [youth-ministry@sksparish.org](mailto:youth-ministry@sksparish.org).

## Casseroles and Groceries for Mercy Hospice

Mercy Hospice sends out a big Thank You! to St. Katharine's for all of the casseroles and groceries we delivered this month. They are so appreciative of the food donations and continue to look forward to them every month. Thank you for your support!

Pan recipes are located at the Aberdeen Avenue door of the church. The next deadline is **Wednesday, October 16th**.

Please consider making a casserole or donating groceries. If you would like to donate groceries, the following items help stock the shelves in the Mercy Hospice pantry: peanut butter, jelly, granola bars, pop tarts, ground coffee, creamer and sugar, pancake mixes, and juice boxes. Toiletries are also needed. For more info contact Jane Dwyer at 610-306-9171 or Jane Dooner at 610-505-1436.



### WWP Connect Coffee Talk: The Unwinding

Do you feel that your best efforts fall short? Do you dwell on the ways in which you are not enough? Please join us for a video and discussion about putting aside self-reliance and living in the good news of the gospel. No experience necessary, just come as you are for some coffee and to see what WWP is all about.

**Tuesday Oct. 15, 2019  
9:15-11:00 am  
St. Katharine of Siena Parish Center**

"Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart." Hebrews 4:12

Walking with Purpose is held on Tuesdays from 9:15 -11:00 am in the SKS Parish Center from September through April. Its mission is to help every Catholic woman and girl in America to open her heart to Jesus Christ. For more information, contact Maureen Reilly at [cmkmjr@yahoo.com](mailto:cmkmjr@yahoo.com) or Colleen Brady at [ncbrady@comcast.net](mailto:ncbrady@comcast.net).

### 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.**



## OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Weeks of 2 October 2019 — 8 October 2019

### PARISH INCOME

Sunday Collection: \$12,902.00  
Electronic Giving: \$8,816.68  
Tuition: \$45,965.00  
TAP Collection: \$3,634.00  
Socials/Donations: \$8,241.04  
Other Income: \$8,408.39  
Weekly Income: \$87,967.11  
YTD Income: \$1,318,423.66

### PARISH EXPENSES

Medical Benefits: \$44,896.76  
Administration Expenses: \$9,247.04  
Maintenance: \$10,038.29  
Other Expenses: \$16,762.74  
Weekly Expenses: \$80,944.83  
YTD Expenses: \$985,329.17  
**YTD Balance: \$333,094.49**

## SKS SCHOOL NEWS

Dear SKS Families.

My sincere thanks to the parishioners who gave to the second collection last week to support the SKS TAP. The SKS TAP fund helps support families who cannot afford school tuition. It is always a goal for us as a school community to be able to provide Catholic education to all those who want it.

SKS TAP is an auxiliary source of funding. The main source of providing tuition assistance is through the *Education Income Tax Credit* program commonly known as EITC. EITC provides funding from qualified families mostly through BLOCS (Business Leaders for Catholic Schools). Both businesses and individuals can donate a chosen amount of funding to a designated school such as SKS and in return receive a valuable income tax credit when filing their tax return. It's a Win/Win!

You might be surprised to know that in the last two years we have given out just shy of \$95,000 in tuition assistance thanks to the EITC program to two dozen families. When I contact families who get these grants, they are filled with joy and appreciation. If you have any interest in looking further into this program, please contact me at school at 610-688-5451 or [btos-ti@sksschool.org](mailto:btos-ti@sksschool.org).

I hope you are enjoying the beautiful season of autumn. God's artistic handprint is certainly present in this beautiful season where the foliage is spectacular.

Take care,

Bud

## 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,  
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  
610-306-9171  
Jane Dooner  
610-505-1436

#### Parish Library

Christine Purkiss  
610-202-5360

#### 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.*