

ST. KATHARINE OF SIENA

Wayne, Pennsylvania | Parish Community



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

SERVED BY

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610-688-9489

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Business Manager

Barbara Lombardi
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, 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, JUNE 21, 2020

9:30 AM Richard Caruso (Living)
11:30 AM Neil Alexander

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 2020

6:30 AM Gilda Vianchi
8:00 AM Joseph Snell

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

TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 2020

6:30 AM Souls in Purgatory
8:00 AM Anthony Barnell

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2020

6:30 AM Special Intention
8:00 AM Michael Dwyer

THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 2020

6:30 AM James and Marjorie White
8:00 AM Edward and Marge Curran

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 2020

6:30 AM Special Intention
8:00 AM Rick and Ellie Melli (Living)

SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 2020

8:00 AM Martha McNichol
5:00 PM Veith/Williams Families

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2020

9:30 AM Peter Vitanzo
11:30 AM Anton and Mary Kubala

Readings: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a; Romans 6:3-4, 8-11;
Matthew 10:37-42

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	Ginny Jackson	Madeleine O'Keefe
Robert Bruno	Libby Judge	Paula Rudnick
Charles Callaghan	Corrine Kerrigan	Logan Schweiter
Ryan Carlton	Tony Lopez	Claire Sieracki
Charles Carr	Daniel Maguire	Jessica Smucker
Jackie Chedeville	Timothy Mahoney	Debbie Snyder
Patrick Graham	Rocco Martino	Maryanne Sullivan
Jean Hencher	John McCabe	Connie Winoski
Helen Hobson		

Deceased Prayer List:

Jo Garzio, Sr., Edward Hickey, Edna Cellucci, Lawrence Adelberger, Jr., Chester Harrington, Maria DiStefano



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OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Week of 10 June — 16 June 2020

PARISH INCOME

Sunday Collection: \$8,938.00
Electronic Giving: \$10,070.00

Other Income: \$24,317.53
Weekly Income: \$43,325.53
YTD Income: \$4,316,970.11

PARISH EXPENSES

Salaries: \$71,182.27
Benefits: \$12,347.21
Diocesan Assessment: \$12,966.67
Maintenance: \$8,836.82
Administration Expenses: \$4,036.44

Other Expenses: \$9,204.54
Weekly Expenses: \$118,573.95
YTD Expenses: \$3,654,715.17
YTD Balance: \$662,254.94

Staying Connected to St. Katharine's

During this challenging time we invite you to stay up-to-date with news and events at SKS! Join our Flocknote email list to receive emails and texts. Sign up only takes a few seconds. You can join by texting SKS to 84576. You will receive a text back. Click the link to sign up and get started!

2021 Mass Book

The Mass Book for 2021 is open and our rectory office has reopened. Please feel free to stop by the rectory or email Barbara Lombardi at rectory@sksparish.org or call the rectory at 610-688-4584 and leave a message to schedule Masses for 2021.

Clothing Collection

Our monthly clothing collection is suspended until further notice. The store has been closed since March 16th and will remain closed until the order is lifted. We will let you know when the collections will resume. In the meantime please do not drop off any items.

From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers

FATHER'S DAY

In June of every year, we honor our fathers. For many fathers, their special and demanding vocation has taken on added meaning as they have spent more time with their children over these past three months due to the coronavirus pandemic. The Fourth Commandment calls us to honor our father and our mother so allow me to offer some reflections on this important national holiday.

Mother's Day was established by presidential proclamation in 1914, but a holiday honoring fathers did not become official until 1966. This doesn't mean, however, that the holiday was not celebrated before this time. Here is some interesting history. The idea for Father's Day is attributed to Sonora Dodd, who was raised by her father after her mother's death during childbirth. While listening to a sermon at church on Mother's Day, she thought about everything that her father had done for her and her siblings and decided that fathers should have a special day, too. Because Dodd's father was born in June, she encouraged churches in her area - Spokane, Washington - to honor fathers that month. The first Father's Day was celebrated in Spokane in 1910.

Over the next few years, the idea spread, and people lobbied Congress to establish the holiday. In 1916, President Woodrow Wilson, who had signed the proclamation establishing Mother's Day in 1914, approved the idea, but never signed a proclamation for it. In 1924, President Calvin Coolidge made it a national event to "establish more intimate relations between fathers and their children and to impress upon fathers the full measure of their obligations." But, as I mentioned above, it wasn't until 1966 that President Lyndon Johnson declared the third Sunday in June to be Father's Day. President Richard Nixon made this proclamation permanent in 1972.

Like Mother's Day, Father's Day is not part of the Church's liturgical calendar. In fact, liturgical directives state that "this secular observance must in no way diminish the primary focus of Sunday as the celebration of the paschal mystery." Yet, this national holiday allows an opportunity to reflect on the essential role of a father in everyone's life; after all, everyone has a father. No one is born except through a father's cooperation with a mother to conceive. Saint John Paul II provided us with some very important reflections on the vocation of a father in his apostolic exhortation, *The Role of the Christian Family in the Modern World*:

Within the conjugal and family communion-community, the man is called upon to live his gift and role as husband and father. In his wife, he sees the fulfillment of God's intention: "It is not good that the man should be alone, I will make him a helper fit for him," and he makes his own the cry of Adam, the first husband: "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh."

Authentic conjugal love presupposes and requires that a man have a profound respect for the equal dignity of his wife: "You are not her master," writes St. Ambrose, "but her husband; she was not given to you to be your slave, but your wife.... Reciprocate her attentiveness to you and be grateful to her for her love." With his wife a man should live "a very special form of personal friendship." As for the Christian, he is called upon to develop a new attitude of love, manifesting towards his wife a charity that is both gentle and strong like that which Christ has for the Church."

Love for his wife as mother of their children and love for the children themselves are for the man the natural way of understanding and fulfilling his own fatherhood. Above all where social and cultural conditions so easily encourage a father to be less concerned with his family or, at any rate, less involved in the work of education, efforts must be made to restore socially the conviction that the place and task of the father in and for the family is of unique and irreplaceable importance. As experience teaches, the absence of a father causes psychological and moral imbalance and notable difficulties in family relationships, as does, in contrary circumstances, the oppressive presence of a father, especially where there still prevails the phenomenon of "machismo," or a wrong superiority of male prerogatives which humiliates women and inhibits the development of healthy family relationships.

In revealing and in reliving on earth the very fatherhood of God, a man is called upon to ensure the harmonious and united development of all the members of the family. He will perform this task by exercising generous responsibility for the life conceived under the heart of the mother, by a more solicitous commitment to education, a task he shares with his wife, by work which is never a cause of division in the family but promotes its unity and stability, and by means of the witness he gives of an adult Christian life which effectively introduces the children into the living experience of Christ and the Church.

I continue to be greatly impressed by the presence and active participation of so many fathers here in the parish and particularly in our school, PREP and CYO. It is evident that many of you understand and embrace your essential and irreplaceable role in your families and in our faith community. And, your children and our parish benefit from it so, in the name of your children and the entire parish, I commend and thank you!

As we worship God, who has revealed himself as our heavenly Father, let us honor and respect our fathers, not only today but every day, as they share with their wives the very important role of growing into a loving family, caring for their children and sharing in the life and vitality of the parish. To all of you great dads -



YOUTH GROUP NEWS

We have rescheduled our sandwich service project. All sandwich and toiletry bags are to be delivered to the SKS Parish Center Thursday nights from 6-7:00pm. Sandwich or gallon ziplock bags are to have 1 peanut butter and jelly sandwich, snack (granola bar or snack bag) and water bottle (piece of fruit optional)



PARISH ACTIVITIES

MERCY HOSPICE ACCEPTING CASSEROLES AND GROCERIES

Thank you for continuing to support Mercy Hospice during this challenging time. Many thanks to those parishioners who have been donating casseroles to feed the women and children at the shelter. We are currently accepting frozen casseroles AND groceries. If you are making a casserole, recipes, directions, and pans are located at the Aberdeen Avenue door of the church. As Mercy Hospice is feeding around 40 women and children, we ask that you follow the recipe directions which will provide them with the correct portions, as the Mercy Hospice kitchen operates best with the proper sized casseroles. Unfortunately, they are not able to accept frozen miscellaneous food items such as soups, sauces, or leftovers.

If you would like to donate groceries, some much needed items include: Coffee, Creamer, Cake Mixes, Pancake Mix, Granola Bars, Pop Tarts, Peanut Butter and Jelly. These items can be dropped off in the Parish Library. For more information, please contact Jane Dwyer at 610-306-9171, Jane Dooner at 610-505-1436, Susan Wiener at 60-331-3847 or Vicki Warner at 610-937-1648.

WOMEN OF HOPE

Women of Hope is a Catholic Services homeless shelter for young women in Philadelphia. They are currently in need of some basic new clothing for the women who come off the streets to shower and get a meal. Some of the new clothing the women need are: women's t-shirts, leggings, and underwear in all sizes. These items can be dropped off in the Parish Library. For more information, please contact Jane Dwyer at 610-306-9171, Jane Dooner at 610-505-1436, Susan Wiener at 60-331-3847 or Vicki Warner at 610-937-1648.



Knights of Columbus

The St Katharine of Siena Council will be holding its annual Chance of A Lifetime raffle after all the Masses on the weekend of June 27th and 28th. Originally, the Drawing was scheduled for April 30th, but the COVID-19 pandemic changed the time to July 23rd. The money raised will go to Knight's State Scholarship Fund and working capital for the Council at St Katharine of Siena. All the council's funds received help to support parish and school activities. There are 16 great prizes totaling \$65,000 and all can be converted to their cash equivalent. A book of 8 chances costs \$7.00 or \$1.00 a chance. For parishioners who are unable to attend Mass you can mail a check to Bill Lehner at 540 Lindsey Drive, Wayne, PA 19087 before July 1st. Checks should be made out to St Katharine of Siena K of C # 15982. Thank you for your support.

Academic Honors

The following students from St. Katharine's have merited distinguished honors at **St. Joe's Prep**: Owen Beisty, Christopher Campbell, Ethan Cirks, James Fox, Kieran Hicks, Austin Hodgins, Tyler Konrad, Connor Kraus, Gavin Maher, Michael McCormick, William McKernan, Anthony McNamara, Padraig McNamara, James Miller, Joseph Miller, Nicholas Mulvanerty, Kevin O'Brien, Santiago Ortiz-Landazabal, William Snarponis, Alec Treadway, Peter Vitanzo, III.

ORDINARY TIME

Welcome back to Ordinary Time, even though it may not feel like it this year. After the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, Ordinary Time begins. Apart from the Liturgical Seasons – Advent and Christmas, and Lent and Easter – there remains in the liturgical calendar those weeks (33 or 34, depending on the year) that do not celebrate a specific mystery of Christ. Rather, they are devoted to the mystery of Christ in all its fullness. This period is known as Ordinary Time. Unfortunately, when we think of "ordinary," we think of something that is plain and simple, like "ordinary" vanilla ice cream instead of mint chocolate chip! The English word "ordinary" is a transliteration of the Latin word "Ordinario," which means a schedule or an ordering of things or events. During Ordinary Time, we recall, in an ordered way, the full mystery of our salvation in Jesus Christ. We are called to listen carefully to the Word of God that is proclaimed throughout Ordinary Time so we can witness Salvation History unfold before us in an orderly way, in God's time.

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

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Church Environment

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610-688-3970

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484-620-2282

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610-688-9489

Ministers of Hospitality

Janna Forte
484-432-2640

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
610-688-4584

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

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

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Knights of Columbus

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Mercy Hospice Casserole Program

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Jane Dooner
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Susan Wiener
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Parish Library

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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.