

# 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

Father Scott Reilly, LC  
Weekend Assistant  
484-422-8117

Bernie Faia  
Seminarist

Stephanie Twohig  
Youth Minister

Kim O'Neill  
Coordinator for Parish Life and  
Ministry: 610-688-4584

Adria Crowley, School Principal  
610-688-5451

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

MaryAnn Crowe  
Parish Nurse: 610-688-9479

Laura Kerr  
Evangelization

Dr. Ted Latham  
Liturgical Music Director  
610-688-9489

Joyce W. Chen  
Organist and Choir Director

Angela Kusterbeck  
Business Manager

Barbara Lombardi  
Parish Secretary

### Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00pm  
Sunday 9:30 & 11:30am

### Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 6:30, 8:00am  
Saturday 8:00am

### Holy Days

Vigil 6:00pm  
Day: 6:30am, 8:00am, 12:10pm & 7:00pm

### Adoration

Monday 8:30am - 4:30pm with  
Benediction 4:30-4:45pm

### 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, Kim O'Neill,  
Adria Crowley, Donna Blumeris, Sarah Bradley, Charles Cognata, Tina  
Grandizio, Kevin Haynes, Ed Kubala, Bill Lehner, Mary Packer, Jeff Walken-  
horst

### PARISH FINANCIAL COUNCIL

Rev. Msgr. Hans Brouwers, Angela Kusterbeck, Carolyn Evans, Adria Crow-  
ley, Richard Craft, Joseph Chott

## MASS AND PRAYER INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 2023

9:30 AM Special Intention  
11:30 AM Enriqveta Beriguistain

### MONDAY, JUNE 26, 2023

6:30 AM Special Intention  
8:00 AM Rita Dougherty

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

### TUESDAY, JUNE 27, 2023

6:30 AM Special Intention  
8:00 AM Joseph Harris

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 2023

6:30 AM Robert Kelly  
8:00 AM Mary Strelis

### THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 2023

6:30 AM Maryann Gallagher  
8:00 AM Rocco Martino

### FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 2023

6:30 AM Special Intention  
8:00 AM Suzanne Conlan

### SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2023

8:00 AM Hobson/Bullock Families  
5:00 PM Patricia Wood

### SUNDAY, JULY 2, 2023

9:30 AM Michael Comerford  
11:30 AM Robert DePaul

Readings: Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11;  
Mt 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. If you or a loved one would like the parish nurse or parish priest to visit the home or hospital, please call the rectory to make arrangements.

Jim Arimond	Rosemary Grimm	Madeleine O'Keefe
Joan Beiter	Ginny Jackson	Paula Rudnick
Robert Bruno	Wesley Jones	Logan Schweiter
Ryan Carlton	Libby Judge	Claire Sieracki
Charles Carr	Tony Lopez	Greg Schmidt
Jackie Chedeville	Timothy Mahoney	Jessica Smucker
Brady Duperreault	John McCabe	Debbie Snyder
Jamie Lynn Donnelly	Mark Megaw	Maryanne Sullivan
Patrick Graham	MaryEllen O'Dwyer	

#### Deceased Prayer List:

Brigitta Mottes, Ruth Sullivan

Visit our website: [www.sksparish.org](http://www.sksparish.org)



## PARISH ACTIVITIES



### OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Week of: 14 June – 20 June 2023

#### PARISH INCOME

Sunday Collection: \$10,539.00  
Electronic Giving: \$5,832.00  
Socials/Donations: \$7,461.00  
School Fees: \$3,013.34

Other Income: \$8,461.03  
Weekly Income: \$35,306.37  
YTD Income: \$4,180,681.25

#### PARISH EXPENSES

Salaries: \$72,676.05  
Diocesan Assessment: \$16,933.29  
Insurance: \$13,730.83  
Administration Expenses: \$4,077.60

Other Expenses: \$6,345.70  
Weekly Expenses: \$113,763.47  
YTD Expenses: \$4,286,675.47  
**YTD Balance: \$(105,994.22)**

#### Protecting God's Children workshop at SKS October 3, 7pm

St. Katharine's will host a *Protecting God's Children* workshop on October 3rd at 7:00pm in the parish center. The Archdiocese requires all staff and volunteers who have regular contact with children (once a week or more) to complete this training. This includes adults working or volunteering in school, PREP, CYO and other parish activities. Registration for the in-person session will begin at the end of the summer. These workshops fill quickly! If you would like to be notified when registration opens or have questions about the Safe Environment requirements, contact Kim O'Neill at [koneill@sksparish.org](mailto:koneill@sksparish.org).

There are also several online sessions offered over the summer; you can find info on our website, under the "Get Involved" tab. Sign up quickly because, just like the in-person classes, these spots fill fast.

#### July 9th Bulletin

Information for the July 9th Bulletin is due the Rectory by Wednesday, June 28th at Noon.

## *From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers*

### **UPDATE ON OUR SCHOOL AND ITS BOARD OF LIMITED JURISDICTION**

As another very exciting year comes to an end at our school, I would like to offer an update for everyone; there's lots of good news to share. As you certainly know, Adria Crowley has completed her first year as our principal, succeeding Bud Tosti who retired last June after 17 very successful years as our principal. Adria has already demonstrated her outstanding leadership and, working very closely with our exceptional faculty and staff, has led our school through an excellent year. She will be introducing some innovative changes next year, including exciting electives for our middle school students. As enrollment in our lower grades continues to grow, we have also hired two part time teachers' aides to ensure that our students receive all the attention and direction they need to thrive.

Our Board of Limited Jurisdiction also continues to provide outstanding assistance. Formed just five years ago, the very dedicated members of this Board have offered their expertise to help us with marketing our school, increasing enrollment from 381 students in 2018 to 415 this year. It has also raised over \$900,000 over these past five years allowing our school to become more financially self-sufficient and providing funds for special projects such as installing a new flat roof, replacing the fire detection system, upgrading the internet hardware, repainting the gymnasium and replacing some windows.

A Board of Limited Jurisdiction is a model of school governance already in place - and working well - in over 25 schools in our archdiocese as well as in schools in several (arch)dioceses throughout the country. These boards are comprised of parishioners and non-parishioners who value Catholic education and who have a vested interest in the success and future viability of their local school. These Boards don't get involved in the everyday operation of the school but, in collaboration with the principal and pastor, they oversee development, marketing, facilities, finances, and enrollment.

I want to take this opportunity to thank Phil Hintze, our outgoing Board chairman, for his visionary leadership over these past five years. I'm grateful for his strong dedication to our school and am glad that he is remaining on the Board as chair of its Enrollment Committee. I also want to thank Joe Barba, Rob D'Ovidio and Maria Recchilungo as they retire from the Board; they have been a great benefit to the Board as they offered their enthusiasm and expertise. I welcome Dana Hospodar and Scott Thompson who have recently joined the Board. I'm confident that the Board will continue to provide invaluable support to our school so that it can continue to teach our children and form them in the faith in the same tradition as it has for over 100 years.

### **SUMMER PROJECTS**

As parish activities and organizations slow down over the summer, it is a good time to take care of some of the necessary repairs and improvements on our facilities. Our church's sound system, replaced in 2012, needs to be replaced once again. As I'm sure you have experienced at home and work yourselves, the electronic components of so many systems only last eight to ten years and as certain parts break down, the entire system needs to be replaced due to significant technological improvements. We'll be replacing the entire system (wiring, speakers, amplifiers, mixers, microphones) over the summer.

Several windows in our school's newest wings also need to be replaced; after all, these new wings are now 13 years old. We will be replacing the eight windows that are in the greatest need of replacement this summer. Others will be replaced in upcoming years.

We will also be spending some time to clean out and reorganize the church and rectory basements. As I'm sure you can well imagine, we have items left over from innumerable parish activities that have accumulated in these basements. It's time to reevaluate what we can still use and what needs to be thrown out.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support for your parish. We are, indeed, blessed with a strong and thriving parish, the result of so many parishioners involved in so many ways as we work to build up God's kingdom in our midst! Have a great summer; I hope you will have some time for rest and relaxation!

## CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Although we live in the wealthiest country in the world, more than 37 million people in the United States live in poverty. For more than half a century, the *Catholic Campaign for Human Development* (CCHD) has demonstrated the Church's solidarity with the poor in America, supporting community organizations that work to ease poverty and promote human development. The CCHD is the national anti-poverty and social justice program of the *United States Conference of Catholic Bishops* (USCCB). CCHD was begun in 1969 by the Catholic bishops in the United States in response to Pope Paul VI's encyclical *Populorum progressio* ("The Progress of Peoples"). CCHD's mission is "to address the root causes of poverty in America through promotion and support of community-controlled self-help organizations and through transformative social justice, education, and solidarity between poor and non-poor".

Our Lord calls us to "do to others whatever you would have them do to you" (Mt. 7:12), and then teaches us to love our neighbor, using his parable of the Good Samaritan to demonstrate who is our neighbor (cf. Lk 10:29ff). It should be a matter of great concern for all of us that, in a country as prosperous as ours, so many of our fellow Americans (approximately 11% of the 332 million Americans) live in poverty. The CCHD supports community organizations that work to remove this poverty as it promotes human development. And, what makes the work of the CCHD special is that these community organizations don't just hand out food and clothing to the poor but rather they engage the poor to actively participate in identifying their problems and to work collaboratively to find effective solutions

## CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WORKING ON THE MARGINS

CCHD has two goals:

- To help low-income people participate in decisions that affect their lives, their families and communities; and
- To provide education and promote understanding about poverty and its root causes.

This dual strategy of "helping people who are poor speak and act for themselves" and "education for economic justice" reflects the mandate of the Scriptures and the principles of Catholic social teaching.



CCHD invests in the dignity of people living in poverty. Programs funded by CCHD support self-sufficiency and self-determination for people who are working to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. The organization's philosophy emphasizes empowerment and participation. By assisting the poor in participating in the decisions and actions that affect their lives and communities, CCHD "helps people help themselves" to move beyond poverty.

The *Catholic Campaign for Human Development* is made possible by the generous support of Catholics in the United States, especially through the annual parish collection that we will be taking up next weekend. CCHD's grants to local anti-poverty efforts are screened, awarded and monitored in close partnership with local Catholic dioceses. CCHD grants to groups in a local community require the explicit approval of the bishop of that diocese. Please be generous in your support of the *Catholic Campaign for Human Development* and pray that it may help to bring relief to those millions of people in our country who struggle with poverty.



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CATHOLIC BISHOPS

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

### Home Visits

Would you like Holy Communion brought to you in your home? Please call the rectory at 610-688-4584.

### Rosary Group

The Rosary group meets every Tuesday evening at 7pm in the church or parish center. In the warmer weather, the Rosary is said at the Grotto.

## Father Bill Atkinson Pilgrimage – Sept 21

The second annual Father Bill Atkinson Pilgrimage will take place on Thursday, September 21, 2023. The Pilgrimage is a journey of faith and friendship seeking the intercession of S.O.G. Father Bill Atkinson. We will begin at St. Thomas of Villanova Church on Villanova's Campus at 3:30pm with a prayer service led by Father Rob Hagan. We will then begin a 4-mile accessible walk to Our Lady of the Assumption Parish in Wayne. Please register today and find more information on our website: [www.friendsoffatherbill.org](http://www.friendsoffatherbill.org).

## ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

### Philadelphia Catholic Scholars Program High School Men (Juniors and Seniors)

Gather for a 10-day faith and formation summer program exploring the relationship between faith and reason with other like-minded men. Held at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary between July 5-14th, this residential, college-accredited program combines learning with daily prayer, activities and cultural excursions. For more information or to apply, visit: [PhiladelphiaCatholicScholars.org](http://PhiladelphiaCatholicScholars.org).



## 2023 INDUCTEES:

JOE DOWD  
STEPHEN GRAHAM, '70  
SISTER PAT KENNEDY R.S.M., '71  
ADMIRAL GERRY MAUER, '72  
MARYANNE O'DONNELL, '72  
GREG WEBSTER, '77  
KEVIN CONNOR, '78  
BETTY TUPPENY, '78  
JEAN OELWANG, '83  
'95 BOY'S BASKETBALL  
DETAILS TO FOLLOW.

ST. DAVIDS GOLF CLUB  
845 RADNOR STREET RD  
WAYNE, PA 19087

# 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.*



## SERVICE

### Caring for Friends

Kim O'Neill  
610-688-4584

### Athletic Association

Michael Gompers  
ad@sksparish.org

### Cub Scouts

Jeff Walkenhorst  
skspack219@gmail.com

### 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)

Kim O'Neill  
610-688-4584  
Shauna Munshower  
610-688-4348

### Family Promise

Robert and Jane Till  
610-710-6410

### Knights of Columbus

Bill Lehner  
610-764-6267

### Mercy Hospice Casserole Program

Jane Dwyer  
610-306-9171  
Jane Dooner  
610-505-1436  
Susan Wiener  
610-331-3847

### Parish Library

Christine Purkiss  
610-202-5360

### St. Martin de Porres Outreach

Maria Carrillo  
610-357-2392

## WORSHIP

### Adoration

Maureen Reilly  
610-989-3747  
Marie Northington  
610-687-6498

### Adult Altar Servers

Paul and Alicia Peterson  
610-989-0277

### Altar Servers

Dan Hayes  
610-772-7760

### 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

Janna Forte  
484-432-2640

### Ministers of the Word (Lectors)

Dan Hayes  
610-772-7760

### Pre Jordan

Sister Mary Elizabeth  
610-688-7890

### Rosary Group

Mary Ann Mahoney  
610-324-3437

## CATECHESIS

### Bible Study

Msgr. Brouwers  
610-688-4584

### Home and School Association

Ben Piazza  
215-760-9743

### Marriage Preparation

Dan and Julie Pijawka  
610-247-0582

### Parish School

Adria Crowley  
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

Emily Monastra  
emily\_devoe@yahoo.com

### Parish Center Reservations Manager

Kim O'Neill  
610-688-4584

### Walking with Purpose

Maureen Reilly  
610-989-3747

### Faithful Families

Kate Mallach  
215-858-9507

## 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.*