

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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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, JULY 9, 2023

9:30 AM Bolter/Muldoon Families

11:30 AM Kirby and Carey Cantrell

MONDAY, JULY 10, 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, JULY 11, 2023

6:30 AM Special Intention

8:00 AM Eleanor Melli

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12, 2023

6:30 AM James and Marjorie White

8:00 AM Rita Dougherty

THURSDAY, JULY 13, 2023

6:30 AM Stephanie Pino

8:00 AM Patricia Ryan

FRIDAY, JULY 14, 2023

6:30 AM Special Intention

8:00 AM Daniel Lenehan

SATURDAY, JULY 15, 2023

8:00 AM Danny Anderson

5:00 PM Veith/Williams Families

SUNDAY, JULY 16, 2023

9:30 AM Joseph Snell

11:30 AM Fred Essis

Readings: Is 55:10-11; Rom 8:18-23; Mt. 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

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:

Rev. Martin T. Cioppi, Martha Zazyczny, Brigitta Mottes, Ruth Sullivan

Visit our website: www.sksparish.org



PARISH ACTIVITIES

National Eucharistic Revival

Catholics need a reminder about the true meaning of the Eucharist. So concluded the US Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) following a recent study that found that only 31% of U.S. Catholics believe that bread and wine truly become the Body and Blood of Jesus during Mass; most think they only symbolize Christ. The National Eucharistic Revival, a three-year initiative, was created by the bishops to restore understanding and devotion to this mystery and remind us of Jesus' Real Presence in the Eucharist.

Year one was committed to revival on the diocesan level, and focused on strengthening Eucharistic devotion among Catholics through efforts by priests and bishops at individual dioceses.

Year two began a few weeks ago on June 11 and brings the revival to the parish level through celebrations of Mass, Adoration and grass root church events. One of the highlights of the second year in our archdiocese is the Eucharistic Congress on September 30 in Doylestown.

Year three will be dedicated to going out on mission to share the gifts of the Eucharist. This final year will kick off in May 2024 with the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress on July 17-21.

You will have many opportunities to deepen or rekindle your relationship with Jesus in the Eucharist at St. Katharine's throughout this second year. Watch for details about a parishioner road trip to the Eucharistic Congress, book and video recommendations, discussion groups and much more.

SKS Summer Red Cross Blood Drive Thursday, August 10th 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm Parish Center

Please visit RedCrossBlood.org or call 1-800-733-2767 and enter StKatharineofSiena to schedule an appointment.

For questions about eligibility: call 1-800-RED-CROSS.

From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers

ARCHDIOCESE OF ONITSHA ANNUAL MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE

Last week, we announced that Fr. Celestine Madubuko, representing the Archdiocese of Onitsha, would come this weekend for the annual Missionary Cooperative Appeal. This is one of the two times throughout the year (the other is World Mission Sunday in October) that we focus on the universal Church and our union with fellow Catholics around the world. We hear Jesus invite us in today's gospel passage "Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you...for my yoke is easy and my burden light." Following Jesus' example, we share the burden of laboring in our Lord's vineyard with the faith filled communities in places where the local community does not have the resources to support the Church's various ministries. These are very important ministries and we are eager to support them. Allow me to give you an overview of the great apostolates that you will be supporting as you contribute to this week's Mission Cooperative Plan collection.

You will recall that I offered some interesting comparisons between the Archdiocese of Onitsha and our Archdiocese of Philadelphia, noting that both of our archdioceses have their cathedral in port cities close to rivers with similar numbers of parishes. Onitsha has 191 parishes serving 2.1 million Catholics while we have 214 parishes serving 1.6 million Catholics.

There are some significant differences between our archdioceses, however, and these differences are even more compelling when we compare the Archdiocese of Onitsha with Radnor Township, where our parish serves the Catholic population. It might surprise you to learn that 48% of Radnor Township is Catholic. In contrast, only 11% of Nigeria is Catholic (54% of the population in the country of Nigeria is Muslim). Remarkably, 67% of the population in the Archdiocese of Onitsha is Catholic as a result of very effective evangelization throughout the archdiocese. The per capita income in Radnor Township is \$60,000; it is \$5,200 in Onitsha. It is easy to see why we should be gracious and generous in our support of this annual appeal.



The Basilica Cathedral of
The Most Holy Trinity
Onitsha, Nigeria

Let me tell you how your support of the Archdiocese of Onitsha helps to spread the gospel. Besides the 191 parishes, Onitsha has some excellent institutions that inspire and encourage the people in their faith and care for them in their need. For example, Holy Family Youth Village Hostel houses some 500 youth, providing them with a place to stay and an atmosphere that is conducive to studies so they can "realize their dreams and help transform our society," as the hostel's mission statement declares so clearly. The archdiocesan newspaper, Trinitas News, provides a Catholic perspective on the news in a country where Catholics are often persecuted by the Muslims. Seven Catholic hospitals provide medical services throughout the archdiocese where it is often difficult to obtain medical care. There are also 56 active apostolic societies (e.g., St. Vincent de Paul, Legion of Mary, Volunteer Religious Teachers' Association) that help the faithful live their faith.



**SOCIETY FOR THE
PROPAGATION
OF THE FAITH**

Yes, the Archdiocese of Onitsha is working hard to bring the gospel message to its people. Your support will help them to continue this important work! And, keep Fr. Madubuko and all missionaries in your daily prayers as they spread the Good News of God's love in Nigeria and around the world!

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.