

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

David Wang
Transitional Deacon

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

Jeanne Mulvanerty
School Principal
610-688-5451

Stephanie Twohig
Youth Ministry
Director of Religious Education
610-688-7890

MaryAnn Crowe
Parish Nurse: 610-688-9479

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

Laura Kerr
Organist/Adult Choir Director
Evangelization

Angela Kusterbeck
Business Manager

Barbara Lombardi
Parish Secretary

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Rev. Msgr. Hans Brouwers, Stephanie Twohig, Kim O'Neill, Jeanne Mulvanerty, Donna Blumeris, Sarah Bradley, Charles Cognata, Tina Grandizio, Kevin Haynes, Ed Kubala, Bill Lehner, Mary Packer, Jeff Walkenhorst

PARISH FINANCIAL COUNCIL

Rev. Msgr. Hans Brouwers, Angela Kusterbeck, Jeanne Mulvanerty, Richard Craft, Joseph Chott, Rita Tuma

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.

MASS AND PRAYER INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2024

9:30 AM Frank Dougherty
11:30 AM Dorothy Engler

MONDAY, AUGUST 19, 2024

6:30 AM James and Marjorie White
8:00 AM McCafferty/Schleicher Families

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 2024

6:30 AM Special Intention
8:00 AM Jack Mahoney

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2024

6:30 AM Special Intention
8:00 AM Robert Fastucha

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 2024

6:30 AM Special Intention
8:00 AM Juliet Akre

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 2024

6:30 AM Joan Seher
8:00 AM Jack Freeman

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 2024

8:00 AM Deacon George Bolter
5:00 PM Special Intention

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25, 2024

9:30 AM Special Intention
11:30 AM Roger Stark

Readings: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69

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

Deceased Prayer List:

Henry Close, Jr., George Matuch, Dorothy Engler

PARISH ACTIVITIES



OUR STEWARDSHIP IN TREASURE Week of: 7 August – 13 August 2024

PARISH INCOME

Sunday Collection: \$5,984.00
Electronic Giving: \$6,234.00
Tuition: \$71,570.23
Donations: \$8,383.00

PARISH EXPENSES

Benefits: \$63,765.27
Utilities: \$5,508.40
Maintenance: \$22,182.49
Administration Expenses: \$11,033.74

Other Income: \$4,593.15
Weekly Income: \$96,764.38
YTD Income: \$1,018,345.80

Other Expenses: \$2,451.88
Weekly Expenses: \$104,941.78
YTD Expenses: \$457,334.76

YTD Balance: \$561,011.04



PreJordan/Baptismal Instruction

If you are having your first child baptized, the Archdiocese requires the parents to attend a Pre-Jordan class. The classes take place at 7:00pm the 1st Tuesday of the month. Here are the following class dates for the rest of the year: Sept 3rd, Oct 1st, Nov 5th and Dec 3rd. Contact Steph Twohig for further information (610) 688-7890 ext 126 or by email - sksdre@sksparish.org.

We welcome James Patrick Mullin and Eloise Catuzzi to the church family of St. Katharine of Siena and congratulate their parents, Rob & Katie and Joseph & Emily.



Visit our website: www.sksparrish.org



From the desk of Monsignor Brouwers

WE WELCOME FATHER KIEN DO



I am very happy to introduce you to Fr. Kien Do, a priest from the Diocese of Thai Binh, Vietnam, who has been given a full scholarship to study theology at Villanova University. Fr. Kien was ordained in 2021 by Bishop Peter Nguyen Van De and sent last year to the United States to pursue further studies. He spent a year at Houston Community College, Houston, Texas, to improve his skills in the English language. He was then granted a scholarship to Villanova University and, due to the proximity of our parish, he asked to reside here. He will be able to celebrate Mass for us depending on his studies schedule. This is especially helpful for us as both Fr. Scott Reilly, L.C., and Fr. Peter Kim, L.C., are reassigned elsewhere and they are being replaced by only one Legionaries of Christ priest, Fr. Benjamin O'Laughlin, L.C., who also has ministries outside of our archdiocese.

Fr. Kien was born in 5 June 1981 in Duyen Hai Commune, Hung Ha District, Thai Binh Province, approximately 50 miles southeast of Hanoi in Vietnam, the fifth of six children.

He received a bachelor's degree in English at the Van Lang University. He then entered St. Joseph Seminary in Hanoi to begin his preparation for the priesthood. After his diaconate ordination in 2020, he was assigned as the chair of the Communication Committee for the diocese; he continued in this role after his ordination to the priesthood until he was sent to the United States.

I'm sure you will welcome Fr. Kien as he comes to live with us and ask that you keep him in your prayers as he begins his studies.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL UPDATE

Every year, you are invited and encouraged to join with all of the parishes throughout our archdiocese in participating in the annual Catholic Charities Appeal and every year you respond with great generosity! Although there are 60 parishes in the archdiocese with more parishioners than we have, only one or two parishes usually contribute more than we do to this very important appeal. Last year, our parish contributed more than any of the other 213 parishes in the archdiocese: \$212,777! To date for this year, your contributions to CCA total \$84,854, 56% of our \$152,390 goal. Your contribution helps thousands of needy people throughout our archdiocese with food, housing, educational assistance, and other important social services. Last year, 470 senior citizens had a safe place to call home thanks to affordable housing facilities. Additionally, 2.3 million pounds of food was distributed to 17,000 food insecure people living in Montgomery County. Over 120 retired and ill priests rely on this Appeal to support them address their increasing health issues. These are but a few of the examples of the very practical ways that your support of the annual Catholic Charities Appeal helps those in need experience God's love and care for them. In their name, I thank you!

The 2024 Catholic Charities Appeal has a \$10 million goal; \$6 million has been raised to date. In his message for this year's appeal, Archbishop Nelson Pérez reminded us that our generous response ensures that critical and life-sustaining works of charity throughout the archdiocese can serve hundreds of thousands of people who rely on us for real help and hope each year. This Appeal is the largest annual fundraising initiative in our archdiocese because it fuels our ability to share the love of Christ by imitating his example of service to those most in need. Those needs are many and they grow constantly.

If you have already given to the 2024 Catholic Charities Appeal, I thank you in the name of the countless men, women and children throughout the archdiocese who have benefited from your generosity. If you haven't done so yet, I encourage you to use the form you received in the mail earlier this year. You can also give electronically by going to Catholic Charities Philadelphia. May God bless you for your care for those in our community who need your assistance!



CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

PARISH ACTIVITIES



Last weekend we held our annual College Blessing. The students received a special blessing after communion and a small gift.



Students attend Boston College, Bucknell, Perdue and DeSales University.

Youth Group Car Wash

Saturday, August 24th

10:00 - 1:00 pm

St. Katharine's School Drop Off Lane

Cost - \$10.00

PREP Registration 2024-2025

Monday 6:30-7:30pm or

Wednesday 4:30 - 5:30pm

Returning Families: Please register for PREP through your Parish Giving account. Any questions regarding your PG account please contact 866-307-7140. **New Families:** Please see our website to register today.

We are still looking for a catechist for 3rd grade on Monday night and aides for Monday & Wednesday. Free tuition! Please email reli-gioused@sksparish.org.

For general questions regarding PREP, please contact Stephanie Twohig or Kim Pepper at 610-688-7890 or sksdre@sksparish.org or reli-gioused@sksparish.org.

Close-knit Community

On Wednesday, September 4, 2024, the Close-knit Community will be starting its 11th season. We meet in the parish center every Wednesday from 1:00 to 2:30 pm. Our ministry, our purpose is to knit or crochet warm items for those in need: hats, scarves, hand warmers, lap blankets. To date we have donated over 1,000 items and are looking forward to adding more to that number. Please come and join us in this endeavor. We'd love to see you and by all means, feel free to bring a friend. If needed, rides can be arranged. For more information, feel free to call Marie Rauscher at (610) 608-4447.

CYO Fall Sports Registration

There are eight Fall Sports offered for this coming season: Cross Country, Cheerleading, Field Hockey, Flag Football, Golf, Soccer, Tackle Football and Volleyball.

Registration closes on **Friday, September 6th**. However, in order for coaches to confirm teams, please register as soon as possible.

If you are interested in volunteering/coaching one of our Fall Sports, please contact Jason Giesser, Fall Sports Coordinator at fall-sports@sksparish.org.

Please ensure you have all of your volunteer clearances completed and up-to-date.

Pray the Rosary

The Rosary group meets every Tuesday evening at 7pm in the church, parish center or grotto. Contact Maryann Mahoney at 610-324-3437 for more information.

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

Abbeyfest 2024

Mark your calendars for Saturday, September 14, 2024! The Annual AbbeyFest is returning to the Daylesford Abbey in Paoli, PA for the TENTH anniversary celebration! This year's musical lineup features headliner Matt Maher, a nine-time GRAMMY nominee and three-time-GMA Dove Award recipient, emerging star, Seph Schlueter, who recently took home K-LOVE's Breakout Single of the Year award for "Counting My Blessings," Brother Isaiah, Dana Catherine, and the Philadelphia Catholic Gospel Mass Choir with Tonya Dorsey. Most Reverend Archbishop Nelson Perez will celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass again this year. A faith-filled day is planned for all! The grounds are transformed into a festival atmosphere featuring hundreds of merchandise vendors, food trucks, family and kid-friendly activities. The highlight of the evening will be Candlelight Adoration. One of the most unique aspects of Abbeyfest is its engaging atmosphere for children, teens, youth, young adults, and families to experience the fullness of faith and truth of Jesus Christ. Get your tickets now for our TENTH Abbeyfest celebration of faith, family and music! Tickets and festival information at: www.theabbeyfest.com.

OPEN TO SKS FAMILIES, ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF SKS!

ST. KATHARINE OF SIENA SCHOOL
SKS FALL CLASSIC
SEPTEMBER 23, 2024

GOLF TOURNAMENT AT ST. DAVIDS GOLF CLUB
TENNIS/PICKLE AT OVERBROOK GOLF CLUB
DINNER AND COCKTAILS AT ST. DAVIDS GOLF CLUB



 REGISTRATION/ TICKET SALES NOW OPEN!
SCAN THE QR CODE OR VISIT:
WWW.SKSSCHOOL.ORG/FALLCLASSIC



SAVE THE DATE
SATURDAY,
09.28.2024

2024 INDUCTEES:

JOHN MORRIS, FACULTY
RITA McDONALD, FACULTY
KEVIN CLANCY, '71
DR. MARY JACQUETTE, '72
FRANCIS LYNAM, '73
SCOTT CHAMNESS, '80
LAWRENCE NOWLAN, '83
CATHERINE DEVINE, '75
DOUGLAS GUYER, '79
LISA CELLUCCI, '94

DETAILS TO FOLLOW.

WAYNESBOROUGH COUNTRY CLUB
440 DARBY PAOLI ROAD
PAOLI, PA 19301

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
610-608-4447

Family Promise

Adrienne Carroll
610-905-3583
loveaemail@gmail.com

H.O.P.E. (Helping Other People in Emergencies)

Shauna Munshower
610-688-4348

Knights of Columbus

Tom Reusche
610-574-0905

Mercy Hospice Casserole Program

Jane Dwyer
610-306-9171
Jane Dooner
610-505-1436

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

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

Stephanie Twohig
610-688-7890

Rosary Group

Mary Ann Mahoney
610-324-3437

CATECHESIS

Bible Study

Msgr. Brouwers
610-688-4584

Home and School Association

Allison Morris
homeandschool@sksschool.org

Marriage Preparation

Dan and Julie Pijawka
610-247-0582

Parish School

Jeanne Mulvanerty
610-688-5451

P.R.E.P. and P.R.E.P. Board (CCD Advisory Board)

Stephanie Twohig
610-688-7890

Respect Life

skspectlife@gmail.com

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Msgr. Brouwers
610-688-4584

COMMUNITY BUILDING

Alcoholics Anonymous

Contact Rectory
610-688-4584

Mothers of Young Children

Caitlin Thompson
816-309-6526
cmthompson923@gmail.com

Parish Center Reservations

Kim O'Neill
610-688-4584

Walking with Purpose

Maureen Reilly
610-989-3747

Faithful Families

Kate Mallach
215-858-9507

Retrouvaille: Marriage Help

215-766-3944
www.helpourmarriage.org

Gym Reservations

Ben Piazza
215-760-9743

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.