



For where
two or three are
gathered together
in my name,
there am I in the
midst of them.

MATTHEW 18:20



Church of Saint Philip
Pennsburg, PA
September 10, 2023

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1325 Klinerd Rd.; Pennsburg

Monday & Friday: **Offices are closed**

Tuesday, Wednesday &

Thursday: **8:00 AM – 4:00PM**

ROSARY: Prayed in the Saint Anne Chapel

Monday's at 1:00 PM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION in St. Anne Chapel

Monday – Friday:

9:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Saturday: 10:00AM – 3:00PM

FIRST FRIDAY MASS

9:00 AM: in Church

Adoration: 10AM – 7:00PM in Chapel.

FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

For a floral arrangement to be placed at the altar, please call the rectory.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday – Vigil Mass – 4:00 PM

Sunday – 7:30 AM; 10:00 AM

Holy Day Masses as announced

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Masses are celebrated in the Saint Anne Chapel.

Monday; Tuesday; Wednesday; Thursday; Friday – 8AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: 3:00 – 3:45 PM

OR at the Rectory BY APPOINTMENT.

PRE-JORDAN BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Call the rectory office to register for classes between 10AM & 4PM.

BAPTISMS

Call the rectory office to register your child for baptism between 10AM & 4PM.

SPONSORS

Sponsors for Baptism and Confirmation need to be at least 16 years of age, be baptized and received the Sacraments of Communion and Confirmation, attend Mass weekly; and if married, be in a valid Marriage.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements should be made at least SIX MONTHS before the date of the wedding.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Stop by or call the rectory between 9:30AM-4:30 PM. Also, children who turn 26 years of age or complete higher education and continue to reside within our area should become individually registered parishioners.

SHUT-INS

Call (215 679 9275) OR email the Parish Outreach Office: parishoutreach@spnparish.org.

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Call or email the Rectory Office.

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are the Catholic Parish Community of St. Philip Neri, answering Christ's call to discipleship through Word, Sacrament and Service. We proclaim God's hope and love to all.

SAINT ANNE CHAPEL RENOVATION PROJECT

Dear Community Members and fellow Volunteers,

We are excited to announce a wonderful opportunity to contribute to the renovation project of the historic St Anne Chapel! Our beloved chapel is in need of some tender loving care, and we are seeking dedicated individuals who are passionate about preserving its beauty and significance for future generations.

Volunteers are crucial to the success of this project, as we require assistance with various tasks such as carpet removal, tile laying, electrical work, and woodworking. Whether you have professional experience or simply possess a willing spirit to contribute, your support will make a tremendous difference.

By joining our team of volunteers, you will have the chance to engage with like-minded individuals who share a deep appreciation for historical preservation and community involvement. Together, we can transform this cherished place of worship into an even more awe-inspiring sanctuary.

No matter your availability, every effort counts. Whether you can commit to a few hours a week or dedicate an entire day, your contribution will leave a lasting impact on the St Anne Chapel's restoration. We welcome volunteers of all ages and skill levels, as there will be tasks suited to individual capabilities. Let us come together as a community, binding our efforts and skills, to revive the St Anne Chapel with a renewed sense of grandeur. Your dedication and commitment will undoubtedly leave a remarkable legacy for all to cherish. **To get involved and lend a helping hand, please attend an Interest Meeting on September 27th at 7PM in the St Anne Chapel.** My point of contact for this effort is Cameron Bowser, 215 679-5764 (home) or 703 283-2309 (mobile).

Thank you in advance for your support, and we look forward to working alongside you in this rewarding endeavor!

Yours in Christ,
Father Anthony Hangholt

Mass Intentions

Sunday: September 10, 2023

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:00 PM – Kenneth Miller

7:30 AM – Jack Hetherington

10:00 AM – For Living/Deceased Members of Parish.

Monday: September 11, 2023

8:00 AM – Joseph Aquiliani, (Jim/Mary R. Giambrone)

9:00 AM – 7:00 PM – Adoration in the Chapel

1:00 PM – Holy Rosary Hour

Tuesday: September 12, 2023

THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY

7:20 AM – Holy Rosary

8:00 AM – Harry Phifer, (Robert/Christina Zimmerman)

9:00 AM – 7:00 PM: Adoration in the Chapel

Wednesday: September 13, 2023

SAINT JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH.

7:20 AM – Holy Rosary

8:00 AM – Nancy Greiss-Brogan;

(John & Susan Shuhler)

9:00 AM – 7:00 PM: Adoration in the Chapel

Thursday: September 14, 2023

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

7:20 AM – Holy Rosary

8:00 AM – For those enrolled in the Memorial Society

9:00 AM – 7:00 PM: Adoration in the Chapel

Friday: September 15, 2023

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

7:20 AM – Holy Rosary

8:00 AM – Michael Kramer; (Luanne DeCarme)

9:00 AM – 7:00 PM: Adoration in the Chapel

Saturday: September 16, 2023

SAINTS CORNELIUS; POPE AND CYPRIAN, BISHOP MARTYRS.

10:00 AM – 3:00 PM – Adoration in the Chapel

4:00 PM – Fourth Anniversary, Jack Cahill

(Catherine Cahill)

Sunday: September 17, 2023

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 AM – In Honor of Bob & Sylvia Cichocki, on their Sixty-Second Wedding Anniversary.

10:00 AM – Second Anniversary, Anna Rutkowski

(Family)



The Yellow Roses placed at the Blessed Mother and Sacred Heart Altars and the center arrangement of flowers are in memory of **Jack Hetherington**, for his First Anniversary; requested by Janet Hetherington.



WE INVITE YOUR PRAYERS

For the sick, those in hospitals, nursing homes, also for their caregivers; and all those we hold close in our hearts.

Please pray in particular for:

Christine Abate; Amanda Azure; Walter Belsky; Paul Bowen; Cheryl Boyce; Dorothy "Dottie" Busfield; Allison Brick; Mila Burnett; Adam Canigiani, Jr.; Christian Vincent Caparra; Carol Clunk; Russell Crouthamel; Angela Desmond; Dolores Duffy; Lou Fahs; Gene Falasco; Frances Gibbs-Kail; Helen Gibbs; Lauren Gibbs; Kerry Goodwin; Doris Gorman; Charlene Hamilton; Al Hammer; Bill Hanney; Estelle Haney Sr.; Catherine Hangholt; Kitty Heebner; Timothy Kail; Christine Kemp; Little Leo Kushnir; Hadley Ludwig; Caroline Marks; Mary Ann Moneghan; Maura Murphy; Francis M. Robinson; Marine Corporal Eugene Ruduski; Denise Shaw; Dick Stemp; Moira Stephens; Eunice Wagner; Nancy Walker; William Walker; and Frani Zappala.

For those who have died, grant them eternal rest and peace.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

**Third Quarter 2023 – September 17
TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

4:00 PM:

Servers: Caroline Yaroschak; Alexa Bretz;
Jackson Bretz.

Lectors: Bob Ellis; Janine Warnas

Eucharistic Ministers: Annemarie Quigley; Jim Quigley; Jeanette Miller; Mike Misiak.

7:30 AM Mass

Servers: Adults

Lectors: Erin Runkle; Bill Gillespie

Eucharistic Ministers: Maureen Moser; Paul Moser;
Charles Doherty; Judith Doherty.

10:00 AM Mass

Servers: Erin Runkle; Emmalyn Pagnotta;
Lilyanna Pagnotta.

Lectors: Susan DiMarco; Bob Leidy.

Eucharistic Ministers: Judy Horvath;
Marlene Leidy; Lisa Edleman; Mike Edleman.

PARISH OUTREACH

ELIZABETH MINISTRY...Attention new MOMS!

Need to talk to a fellow MOM? Looking for support during the first few months home with baby? Look no more! Elizabeth Ministry is BACK! Contact SPN Office for more details.

Also....the Elizabeth Ministry would like to invite everyone to a Happy Birthday Blessed Mother Celebration this Sunday, September 10th, after the 10AM Mass. The Celebration will be held at the outside Pavilion near the Social Hall. If it rains that day, the Event will be canceled.

H.O.P.E. MINISTRY: Do you or someone you know need a ride to and from medical appointments, limited physical therapy appointments or religious services? St. Philip Neri H.O.P.E. Ministers are here to help! Please contact Mary Ellen Paulk, Ministry Leader at: 215.679.6641 or email Parish Outreach at parishoutreach@spnparish.org.

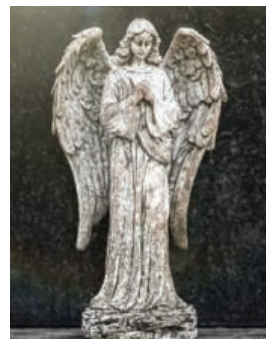
FRIENDLY VISITORS: The Friendly Visitor Ministers of St. Philip Neri will bring Holy Communion while providing companionship and someone to talk to on a regular basis to homebound members of our parish. If you or someone you know can benefit from this ministry, please contact Mary Souder, Ministry Leader at 215.518.1341 or email Parish Outreach at parishoutreach@spnparish.org.

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ADULT FAITH FORMATION

If you have questions about any of our Faith Formation activities, please **contact: Eileen Koch @ adultfaithformation@spnparish.org OR 215.696.2089**

SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, September 23rd, 9:30-11:30AM.



Monsignor Brian Bransfield will be joining us for his *presentation on Angels – Our Guardians in Spiritual Battle*. Monsignor is an acclaimed moral theologian, speaker and author. Please plan on joining us! See insert for more detail.

Catholic Women's Conference:

Please joining us as Catholic women from the greater Philadelphia area share a day of fun, friendship, faith formation and prayer at the Catholic Women's Conference. The 2023 theme is "Created for Love: Daughter Sister Friend Bride Mother". Throughout the day, we will learn how we as women can enter more deeply into these five primary ways of relating to God and others and so experience deeper fulfillment and bring greater joy to others. Saturday, October 28, 2023, 9am-4pm, at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown. Opening mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Perez. Any questions, please contact Eileen Koch at 215.696.2089 or adultfaithformation@spnparish.org

BIBLE STUDIES: If you missed our sign up days for the text sessions, please contact Eileen Koch. All sessions will begin by Sept 12. *If you have never attended a bible study or would like to see the difference between Little Rock and Ascension Press, you are invited to attend any session and choose what works best for you.* If you have any questions or missed the sign up, please contact Eileen Koch per above.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION:

Pope Francis has said, "In spiritual direction, I must examine what is happening in my heart, where the Spirit is moving, if I feel desolation or consolation... these are things to talk about with my spiritual director." St. Augustine reminds us in his book "Confessions", Our Heart is Restless Until it Rests in You. Spiritual Directors are honored to journey with you in your efforts to deepen your relationship with God. Please consider contacting one of these Spiritual Directors: Peg Choiniski, CSD: 610.850.1869; pchoinskisd@yahoo.com. Heather Makowicz, CSD, LSW, MSW: 484.919.9808; allowinggodtocomeclose@gmail.com

LECTIO DIVINA - Reflection on Gospel and Readings for the coming Sunday. Meets every Thursday at 10:30am. Facilitator Lino Viola.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 6614

The K.O.C. is a Catholic Family Service Organization, open to all practicing Catholic gentlemen who are 18 years of age or older.

KOC Council meets on the second Sunday of the month at 7:30PM in their Meeting Room located in basement of SPN rectory. Call Terry Benner, Grand Knight, at: tbenner1966@gmail.com or any member of the Knights.

Knights of Columbus Fundraiser

It's that time of year again, are you ready for some football? If so please consider buying a \$10 football chance from your local Knights of Columbus parishioner. We will be selling tickets starting next weekend through the final sale date of Sunday, October 29th at the 10 AM mass.

Prizes have been increased to \$30,000 total or \$3,000 per week. The number of prizes is the same, but the amounts are higher!

HOW IT WORKS:

There are ten (10) Chances to win per ticket.

- \$3,000.00 in Weekly Prizes / \$30,000.00 in Total Prizes
- Each ticket provides 4 random Professional Football Teams per week.
- Your "Score" is the total number of points each game per week.
- In other words, the final score of those 4 teams added together (team scores of 21, 24, 7, and 14 would be a total score of 66)
- Prizes are determined by:
- The Highest/Lowest 4-Team Total per week.

Questions? Email Kevin McCloskey at kpjm76@gmail.com

MOTHER OF MERCY HOUSE



"The generous will themselves be blessed, for they share their food with the poor" Proverbs 22:9

Thank you for all you donate to the Mother of Mercy House. Listed below are the non-perishable donation requests for delivery to the Mother of Mercy House on Wednesday, September 20th.

Canned Tuna and canned meats, canned fruits and vegetables, Beans – any variety.

Dry Cereal (reg size) Oatmeal; Peanut Butter and Jelly.

Pasta and sauce, Macaroni and cheese

School starts next week; if you are able to donate any one of the following items, it is most appreciated: small packages of pencils, crayons, colored pencils, scotch tape, ball point pens, composition books (wide ruled) and stick glue.

Diapers: 3 to 5

Donations may be dropped off in one of the totes located at each side door of the church OR on the wooden box in the Narthex by Sunday – September 17th. Thank you for your generosity.

SPN Parish Council Holy Moment Thought...
"Forgiveness"

"Peter approached Jesus and asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive him? As many as seven times? Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times." (Matthew 18: 21-22)

Why did Jesus conclude the teaching on Our Father, the Lord's Prayer by stating unequivocally a precondition for the forgiveness of our sins and reconciliation with the Father? This is obviously an important theme for Jesus because He taught it again (Matthew 18:23-35), which concluded thus: "Then in anger his master handed him [the unforgiving servant] over to the torturers until he should pay back the whole debt. So will my heavenly Father do to you, unless each of you forgives His brother from His Heart."

Reconciliation is crucial to enjoying the privileges of filial adoption. A girl who ran away from home and lived a lawless life for a couple of years may be hesitant as she approaches home. The prodigal son understands that there are consequences to vagrancy and knows the importance of Reconciliation. Many people claim that forgiveness of the other person is hard. Really? Here are some lessons that help forgiveness:

1. Forgive at once.
2. Forgive everyone without discrimination.
3. Forgive always.
4. Forgive everywhere.
5. "Father forgive them for they know not what they do." This step is modeled for us from the Cross. Jesus forgave in real time those who were killing Him. He did not wait until Easter Sunday when He rose from the dead to forgive.
6. Pray everyday for all those whom you have offended, known or unknown to forgive you and set you free.
7. **Seek forgiveness through the Sacrament of Reconciliation.**

Jesus Christ invites us to a life of continual conversion so that we can pray Our Father (the Lord's Prayer) with confidence. It is NEVER too late to start forgiving!

Please consider saying the following prayer... Lord Jesus, may your word take deep root in my heart and transform my way of thinking, discerning, and acting. May your Spirit open my ears to hear and understand the word of God in the Scriptures that I may revere and treasure both the Old and the New Testaments which God has prepared for all who desire to enter his kingdom of righteousness, peace, and joy. Help me to be a diligent student and faithful disciple of your word. **Amen**

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Collection for September 3, 2023

Week 11

Sunday Collection

**Sunday Collection for
Weekend of September 3rd \$9,134**

Black & Indian Missions \$1,100

*Diocesan & Extra-Diocesan
Collections*

**Parish Fiscal Year Goal
information will be published at
a later date.**

SPN SENIOR CLUB NEWS



September 26 **LUNCHEON CANCELLED**
October 24 Halloween Party
October 31 Senior Trip
November 14 ***Thanksgiving Luncheon
December 13 Senior Trip
December 19 *** St. Mary's Choir
*****Indicates date change due to Holidays,
Trips, events, fundraisers, etc. to be announced.**

SPN SENIOR CLUB TRIP

Penn's Peak - "River of Dreams - Tribute to Billy Joel"
Tuesday - October 31

This Show highlights Billy Joel's classics such as: Piano Man, Movin' Out, Uptown Girl and many more! Not only does the lead singer embody the sound of Billy Joel, so does his appearance. Enjoy an afternoon of classic rock that is sure to have everyone in the audience on their feet. Before the Show, enjoy a delicious family style hot meal including Penn's Peak signature Pot Roast!

Itinerary:

9:45AM - depart SPN Church

11:30AM - 3:30PM: Family style meal served;
Show to follow.

5:00PM - Approximate return to SPN Church.

Cost per person: \$95.00 - includes deluxe motorcoach transportation, lunch, tax/gratuity (lunch & Show). Does NOT include driver gratuity.

Payment due in FULL on OR before September 29th; make checks payable to SPN Senior Club.

Contact Geri Haberacker: gerriha@comcast.net OR: 215.679.8235; **Gail Fillman** @ 215.679.2511.

Arrangements by Perkiomen Tours and Travel.

MARCH FOR LIFE

The Pennsylvania March For Life will take place Monday – October 16th at the State Capitol in Harrisburg, laws that can protect preborn children, it is important that pro-life people gather to show our Governor and Legislators that every life is precious and worthy of protection. Please make a plan to be at the March – information available at: prolifeunion.org or marchforlife.org/Pennsylvania-march-for-life/ or call: 215.885.8150.

AREA NEWS: METANOIA

This is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montgomery County who support Catholics in their 20s and 30s, looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area.

Listed below are the September events:

September 12: Bible Study @ St. David's in Willow Grove.

September 19: Theology on Tap @ Local Tap Lansdale; Doors open at 7PM; Presentation @7:30PM.

September 23: Picnic @ Plains Park – Hatfield. 12-4PM

September 26: Prayer, Penance, Pub @Mary Mother of the Redeemer – North Wales.

Contact:

metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com

www.facebook.com/users/metanoiayoungadults).



RETROUVAILLE: REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE

Some couples feel lonely, frustrated, or angry in their marriage, often feeling shut off from one another. Other couples experience severe conflict and never-ending arguments. RETROUVAILLE offers hope for all these marriages by teaching couples to communicate in a deeper, more meaningful way, healing hurts and rebuilding trust and intimacy. No relationship is beyond help. The next program will be held October 6 - 8, at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. More information, OR to register, visit www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

Sacred Heart Parish invites you to join us in Fellowship at our 3rd Annual Oktoberfest! It will be held in our Fellowship Cafe on Oktober 21st - 5:30PM - 10:00pm. Join us for 4:15PM Mass and then head downstairs to enjoy a full buffet of authentic German Food! Beer, Wine and other beverages are included! Dance to our DJ Entertainment, play trivia and win prizes! Raffle baskets, a 50/50, and so much more! Tickets can be purchased online at: www.sacredheartroversford.org/oktoberfest. Or call the office for more information: 610-948-5915. We hope to see you there!

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AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Second Monday of each Month @ 7:00 PM on September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11

Event: SoulCore Live Classes

SoulCore is an invitation to integrate body & soul in prayer, fully orienting the heart & mind toward Christ, while discovering the beauty of the Rosary. Join Nicky Verna, SoulCore leader for these free classes. No fitness or Rosary experience necessary. These classes offer a beautiful way to incorporate simple, functional movements with the prayers of Rosary... an invitational way to elevate the heart, mind and body towards God, together with Our Lady Who always brings us to Her Son. Please dress comfortably and bring an exercise mat and water.

Location: Malvern Retreat House; St. Joseph's Library, 315 S. Warren Avenue, Malvern

More Information: Nicky Verna, SoulCore Leader; nicky@soulcore.com or 610-639-3816. Visit www.soulcorephilly.com . Classes are FREE to join and all are welcome!

Saturday, September 16, 2023 – Doors open at 12:00 PM

Event: The AbbeyFest: Faith, Music and Family Festival

Our annual AbbeyFest is a festival featuring amazing music, Catholic and Christian vendors, the presence of Religious orders, food trucks, family and kid-friendly activities and games. There will be priests hearing confessions throughout the day and evening along with prayer and healing teams. One of the most unique aspects of AbbeyFest is its engaging atmosphere for children, teens, youth groups and families to experience the fullness of faith and truth of Jesus Christ. Join us in our mission and experience AbbeyFest. You won't be disappointed!

Featuring musicians: Matthew West, Riley Clemens and more!

Location: Daylesford Abbey in Paoli

Tickets and more info: theabbeyfest.com

Event: St. Peregrine Day
Saturday – September 16th

Free all day event with the purpose of bringing encouragement and spiritual renewal to those with cancer and their loved ones.

Visit: www.resurrectphila.org/CANCER.

Location: Resurrection of Our Lord Parish,
2000 Shelmire Avenue, Phila.

More Info: [Flyer](#)

Saturday, September 16 - 12:00-9:00 PM

Sunday, September 17 - 12:00-6:00 PM

Event: 8th Annual Padre Pio Festival presented by St. Bede the Venerable Parish and Knights of Columbus Council 15478

Saturday – Community Family Picnic with food, games, entertainment and amusements; free evening concert at 7:30 (The Jersey Tenors)

Sunday – Solemn High Mass at 12:30 (Celebrant Most Rev. Nelson J. Perez, Archbishop of Philadelphia) followed by a street procession and healing service with Padre Pio Relics; food, games, entertainment and amusements.

Location: St. Bede the Venerable Parish, 1071 Holland Road, Holland, PA.

More info: www.padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com/

Tuesday, September 19 - 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Event: Rosary Walk for Addictions
Addiction is something that we are all susceptible to and in many ways struggling against (cell phones, email, the Internet, social media, shopping, work, video games, substances, foods, people, exercise, gambling.) Please join us as we pray as a community for protection and healing for all who are impacted by addictions.

Sponsor:

AFIRE

Location: The National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa

More info: apeopleafire.org/event...

Wednesdays, Sept 20, Oct 4 and Oct 25: 7-8 PM

Event: Pastoral Speakers Series, Part 1

Join us for three evenings during which Deacon Dan Giblin will speak on matters that affect us in our everyday lives: marriage and family, depression, addiction, stress, anxiety and therapeutic healing.

Speaker: Deacon Dan Giblin, therapist, St. John Vianney Center

Location: St. John Vianney Church Hall, Gladwyne

More info: <https://www.sjvgladwyne.com/copy-of-spiritual>

Wednesday, September 20: – 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Event: The Real Presence: Why Your Mindset Matters

There's some exciting research coming out of Stanford University's Mind and Body Lab that might get you thinking in new ways about the Holy Eucharist and the Real Presence! This talk explores the current scientific research on mindset and the Church's teachings on the Eucharist. We will reflect and consider why paying attention to our beliefs is important, and we will be inspired to be more active in "assenting to the divine truth" (CCC 155). This presentation is not just a talk! It includes music and videos for a thought-provoking and spiritually moving experience.

Speaker: Nina Marie Corona, D. Min., OLG Director of Adult Faith Formation & Founder We Thirst / AFIRE Ministries

Hosted by: Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, Buckingham

More info: No registration required, all are welcome; For questions and updates, contact Nina at daff@olguadalupe.org or sign up through:

Flocknote on the parish website's homepage: www.olguadalupe.org

Thursday, September 21 and the following five (5) Thursdays starting at 7PM; Retreat Day on November 4

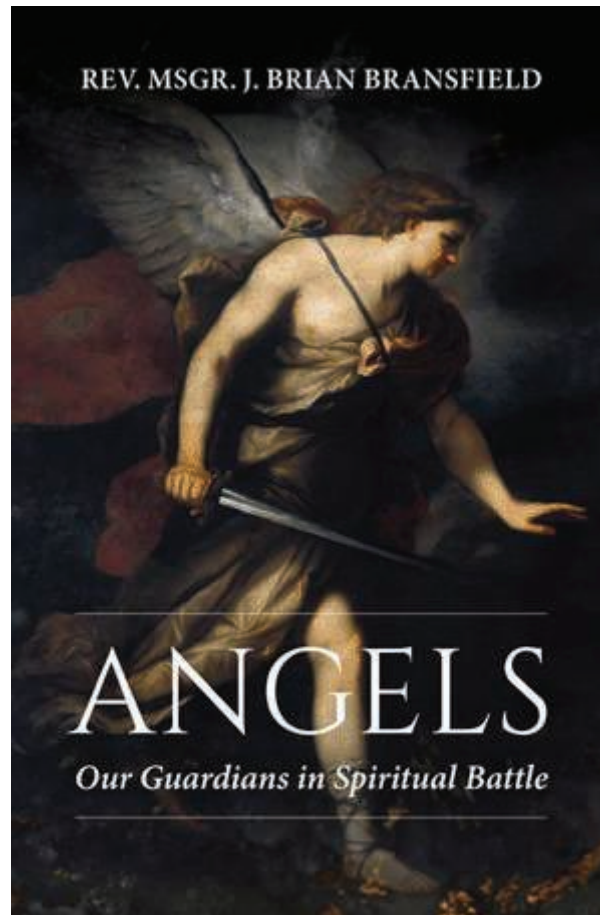
Event: Sharing Christ: Learn how to be a light in a hurting world

Sharing Christ is a 7-week course, part of the ChristLife series, that will help you to grow in knowledge and confidence learning practical ways to reach out in love to others – *family, friends, co-workers, neighbors and all those God brings into your life* – sharing your faith and the Good News of Jesus Christ. *Sharing Christ* focuses on personal or friendship evangelization, sharing our relationship with Jesus in our daily encounters with people. The course helps to develop an attitude of the heart that moves us to be open to share the Good News we have experienced anytime and anywhere. Each evening session begins at 7PM in Church and includes prayer and video teaching, followed by light refreshments and small group discussion.

Location: Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 2130 Franklin Ave., Morton

More Information: Please contact Jim Minnick for more information or to register, jimminnick8@gmail.com or visit www.olphmorton.com. Registration is required.

JOIN US SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 9:30-11:30 AM IN THE CHURCH



Angels are all around us. Angels are powerful beings created by God to reflect His light. And while we often are not aware of them, the angels are deeply interested in us. In ***Angels: Our Guardians in Spiritual Battle***, moral Theologian, author, and speaker, Msgr. Brian Bransfield teaches us how to recognize the angels present in our lives.

Rev. Msgr. J. Brian Bransfield is a priest in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. He served as general Secretary of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops from 2015 to 2020. Ordained in 1994, Msgr. Bransfield holds a Doctorate in Moral Theology from the Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family. He is the author of several books, including *Life Everlasting: The Mystery and the Promise* and *Living the Beatitudes: A Journey to Life in Christ*, as well as *Angels: Our Guardians in Spiritual Battle*.

THIS WEEK ON **FORMED**

Week of September 10, 2023



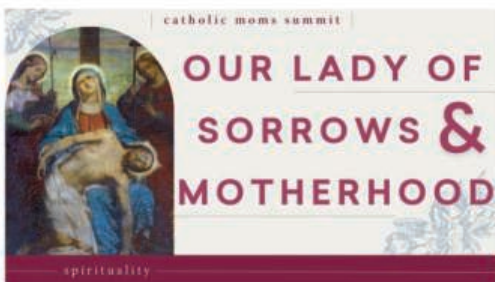
Fun with Exalting the Holy Cross | Catholic All Year w/ Kendra Tierney

In honor of the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross on September 14, let's talk about . . . talking to kids about Jesus' suffering. Plus a family-friendly at-home Veneration of the Cross, and our favorite feast day foods.



Drawing Strength from Our Lady of Sorrows by Kimberly Hahn

Speaker and author Kimberly Hahn, is a convert to the Catholic Faith. Although honoring Mary was difficult for her to understand initially, she began to encounter Mary's loving guidance in little ways on a daily basis. In this presentation, Kimberly reflects on the joys and sorrows that Mary prayerfully experienced during her time on earth, and shares how her example leads us closer to Christ.



Our Lady of Sorrows and the Power of Prayer

Discover the value of redemptive motherhood by tuning in to Anna Mitchell, co-host of EWTN's "The Son Rise Morning Show." Anna shares the story of her five-year-old's serious illness along with the miraculous intercession of a fourth-century martyr.

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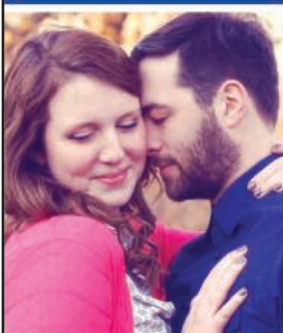
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