



Church of Saint Philip Pennsburg, PA November 12, 2023

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1325 Klinerd Rd.; Pennsburg

Monday & Friday: Offices are closed
Tuesday & Thursday: 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Wednesday: 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM

ROSARY: Prayed in the Saint Anne Chapel

Monday's at 1:00 PM

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION in St. Anne Chapel

Monday - Friday: 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM Saturday's: 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

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 <u>BY APPOINTMENT</u>.

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.

Mass Intentions

Sunday: November 12, 2023

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:00 PM - Linda Franks 7:30 AM - David McAllister 10:00 AM - Susan Smith

Monday: November 13 2023 ST. FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI, VIRGIN

8:00 AM – Twelfth Anniversary, Kenneth Latshaw, (Rita Latshaw)

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

1:00 PM - Holy Rosary Hour

Tuesday: November 14, 2023 WEEKDAY

7:20 AM - Holy Rosary

8:00 AM - Living and Deceased Members of Parish.

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

Wednesday: November 15, 2023 SAINT ALBERT the GREAT, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH.

7:20 AM - Holy Rosary

8:00 AM - Catherine H. DePaul, (Dottie Coary)

10:00 AM - 7:00 PM: Adoration in the Chapel

Thursday: November 16, 2023 SAINT MARGARET OF SCOTLAND, SAINT GERTRUDE, VIRGIN

7:20 AM - Holy Rosary

8:00 AM - William Bradley, (Tony & Joan Pongia)

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

Friday: November 17, 2023 SAINT ELIZAETH OF HUNGARY, RELIGIOUS

7:200 AM - Holy Rosa

8:00 AM - Jenny A. Hurys, (Ed Hurys)

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

Saturday: November 18, 2023 THE DEDICATION of the BASILICA of SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES; USA SAINT ROSE PHILIPPINE DUCHESNE

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM - Adoration in the Chapel 4:00 PM - Jean Marie Siedlecki-Moyer; Joey Siedlecki (Parents)

Sunday: November 19, 2023 THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 AM – Living/Deceased members of Parish. 10:00 AM – Andreas Nicolaou, (Leonette Nicolaou)



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; Bonnie Boro; Paul Bowen; Cheryl Boyce; Dorothy "Dottie" Busfield; Allison Brick; Mila Burnett; Adam Canigiani, Jr.; Christian Vincent Caparra; Carol Clunk; Angela Desmond; Dolores Duffy; Lou Fahs; Gene Falasco; Liz Fronheiser; Frances Gibbs-Kail; Helen Gibbs; Kerry Goodwin; Robert Hale; Charlene Hamilton; Al Hammer; Bill Hanney; Estelle Haney; 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 Christopher Szymkiewicz; Szymkiewicz; Eunice Wagner; Nancy Walker; William Walker; and Frani Zappala.

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

The center arrangement of flowers are in memory of **Susan Smith**; by: Todd Smith.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE Fourth Quarter 2023 - November 19th THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:00 PM:

Servers: Adults

Lectors: Pat Coughlin; Bob Ellis.

Eucharistic Ministers: Dave Moser; Trudy Moser;

Danielle Schilling; Bob Schwind.

7:30 AM Mass Servers: Adults

Lectors: Lino Viola; Nancy Viola.

Eucharistic Ministers: Beverly Bowser; Cameron Bowser;

Lori Brozena; Mary Weber.

10:00 AM Mass

Servers: Nolan McCloskey; Thomas Di Scipio;

Maddox Trimbur.

Lectors: Lino Viola; Nancy Viola.

Eucharistic Ministers: Marlene Leidy; Renee DeGrassi;

Ken Mayer; Marilynn Mayer.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

If you have questions about any of our Faith Formation activities, please <u>Contact: Eileen Koch</u> – adultfaithformation@spnparish.org OR 215-696-2089.

SAVE THE DATE – DECEMBER 6!! Please join us for our Advent Night of Reflection with Dr. Kelly Anderson. Her presentation will be: Jesus Christ: the Fulfillment of Messianic Prophecies. Venerable Fulton J. Sheen observed that Jesus Christ is the only person who was anticipated some 700 years before his birth. This talk will examine some of the Old Testament messianic prophecies, show how they are fulfilled in Jesus Christ, and note how they are used in Advent liturgies. We are very excited to have Dr. Anderson join us!

BIBLE STUDIES – We offer several different bible sessions throughout the year. New sessions will begin in January. Watch for our posting of the new schedule for both Little Rock and Ascension Press studies. If you have any questions, 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." 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 Choinski, CSD: 610.850.1869; pchoinskisd@yahoo.com

Heather Makowicz, CSD, LSW, MSW: 484.919.9808; <u>allowinggodtocomeclose@gmail.com</u>

LECTIO DIVINA - Reflection on Gospel and Readings for the coming Sunday. Meets every Thursday at 10:30AM. All are welcome! Facilitators Lino and Nancy Viola. For additional information, please contact Eileen Koch per above.

PARISH OUTREACH

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.

SPN Parish Council Holy Moment Thought... "Believe the word of God. Share the word of God."

Jesus said to the crowd..."No one who lights a lamp conceals it with a vessel or sets it under a bed; rather, he places it on a lampstand so that those who enter may see the light. For there is nothing hidden that will not become visible, and nothing secret that will not be known and come to light. Take care, then, how you hear. To anyone who has, more will be given, and from the one who has not, even what he seems to have will be taken away." (Luke 8: 16 - 18).

In our Baptism, we receive the light of Christ and supernatural grace. If we show ourselves good managers of this treasure, they grow like a mustard seed. If we neglect these gifts, they shrivel until one day, they die.

People do not suddenly stop believing or stop coming to Church. Their faith has been dying slowly long before that final gasp of breath. What are the signs of a dying faith?

- #1 Doubts of the truths of faith.
- #2 Critical attitude of things of God.
- #3 Severe and critical attitude of the Church.
- #4 Hostility against sacred Ministers.
- #5 Withholding contributions to the Church.

These are just a few. When you notice these signs in family members or friends, you are obligated under the Spiritual Laws of Mercy to:

- #1 Instruct the ignorant.
- #2 Counsel the doubtful.

Most important of all...<u>Do not forget to apply the universal remedy of prayer!</u>

Please consider saying the following prayer...Lord Jesus, give me the child-like simplicity and purity of faith to gaze upon your face with joy and confidence in your all-merciful love. Remove every doubt, fear, and proud thought which would hinder me from receiving your word with trust and humble submission. Amen.

PREP RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW): On the second and fourth Sunday of the month during the 10:00AM Mass, Children's Liturgy of the Word will take place. Children ages 4 through 7, are encouraged to participate. CLOW is designed to share the WORD with our children in a way that they can relate to the message. Your child should be able to attend this without the need of parental support and be able to participate in a small group setting. You do not need to register for this Program. We look forward to serving the children of SPN. Any questions, you can contact Wendy Benner at 215.679.7839 or email to: prep@spnparish.org.

Do you have a passion for mothers and their unborn children, for those who are dying, for those who are disabled, for prisoners on death row and those they have harmed, and for all who are in need, that the culture of death that surrounds us may be replaced by a culture of life? God may be calling you! Please consider joining the Parish Respect Life Committee. We need you – both youth and adults. Contact NAME (email/phone) for more information! If you would like to be part of this Ministry, contact Mary Souder at: 215.518.1341 OR email the rectory office at: ofcmgr@spnparish.org

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION-A GIFT OF LOVE!

Eucharistic Adoration-A Gift of Love!

Have you ever wanted to help someone but weren't sure what to do? Or perhaps you wanted to give a gift to someone but didn't know what to get? Consider sending a Eucharistic Adoration-A Gift of Love card to that person. Spend an hour of your time in front of the Blessed Sacrament and dedicate your hour of Eucharistic Adoration for a special person and his/her intentions. When finished, pick up a Eucharistic Adoration-A Gift of Love card to send to that person letting them know of your gift of prayer. A Gift of Love card is available at St. Anne's Chapel. Our chapel is open weekdays 9:00AM-7:00PM, and Saturdays 10:00 AM-3:00 PM for Eucharistic Adoration.

MOTHER OF MERCY HOUSE



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

Non-perishable donation requests for delivery to the Mother of Mercy House on Wednesday, November 15th:

Canned Tuna, canned meats, canned vegtables and fruits, beans any variety. Soups, dry cereal (regular size) oatmeal, peanut butter and jelly.

Pasta and sauce, Macaroni and cheese

With holidays coming: stuffing mix; canned sweet potatoes and pumpkin.

Diapers: 3 to 5

Drop off your donations in one of the totes at church OR in wooden box in Narthex by November 12th.

PERPETUAL MEMORIALS

In memory of **Eva Abraham**; requested by: Greg, Diane Krug and Boys.



Join Father Anthony and Saint Philip Neri Parish on a special trip to ITALY from June 17-28, 2024. ITALY awaits you with all of its history, culture and magnificent culinary experiences! Don't miss this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity!

The trip includes: ROME; VATICAN CITY; CASCIA; ASSISI; SIENA; FLORENCE and VENICE.

Price per person is \$4,799 (double occupancy) including transportation to and from the Airport. More information to follow.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Collection for November 5, 2023 Week 20

Sunday Collection

Sunday Collection for

Weekend of November 5th \$9,477

Diocesan & Extra-Diocesan Collections

ALL SAINTS \$1,968 ALL SOULS \$1,659

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

SPN SENIOR CLUB NEWS



November 14 Thanksgiving Luncheon

December 13 Senior Trip
December 19 *** St. Mary's Choir



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #6614

COME-N-GO BINGO

SPN PARISH HALL

NEXT Saturday - November 18th

Doors open at 5PM; games begin 5:30PM

Cost: \$.25/game

50/50 Cash Pots; special bonus and gift prize pots

MENU: Hot/cold foods; drinks

If you bring a non-perishable item to benefit Open Link, you play two FREE games of Bingo!



Parish Hall Update

Our equipment is apparently being manufactured.

Scope of work:

Set up scaffold in the gym, Remove mezzanine wall for access to the equipment, and remove old equipment.

New equipment installation will require piping and wiring to be run through the Restrooms and Lobby.

Once installed, the wall will be replaced, and the equipment will need to complete testing.

New projected start date is December 1, 2023

We are praying for returning to Parish Hall functions, sometime in January

 Thanks to the generosity of a number of Parishioners, we have been able to replace three 100 cup coffee urns, two waffle makers, and 4 sets of stainless-steel pots and lids. We also presently are holding donations to cover 7 of the 25 needed tables.

Donations are still be accepted for the following: Tables @ \$190.00 each; Pots @ \$80.00 per set; Coffee urns @ \$200.00 per unit; Water Pitchers @ ~ \$10.00 per

Volunteers Needed

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- Bingo: We are always open to additional floor workers and kitchen help. Join a team, and volunteer 3 Sundays per year. Our main kitchen team will be retiring in June 2024. Looking for individuals, couples, families, interested in taking on this role
- Breakfast: Always looking for new volunteers to make monthly breakfasts buffet successful.
 Openings for Thursday morning potato duty Saturday morning prep and set up
- Sunday morning cooks, servers, and clean up.
 Shifts are available to share the work.
- Youth are encouraged to volunteer, and this time is good for Community Service Time for school.
- Fish Fry: Holding three Friday evening Fish
 Fry again in 2024. Shifts are available Set up
 Noon 3:00 PM, Cooking and food prep 3:00 7:00 PM, Clean up from 6:00 8:00 PM.
- Please contact our Hall Facilitator, Bill Robinson @ hallfacilitator@spnparish.org or 215-896-5949

Metanoia is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montgomery County, PA. The group supports Catholics in their 20s and 30s who are looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area. Our upcoming events are listed below and begin at 7:30PM on most Tuesdays unless otherwise noted.

Questions? Contact metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com for more information, or visit our Facebook Page (www.facebook.com/users/metanoiayoungadults).

November 2023:

Tuesday, November 14: Bible Study @ St David's, Willow Grove

Tuesday, November 21: Theology on Tap @ Local Tap Lansdale

Doors Open at 7PM, Presentation begins at 7:30PM Tuesday, November 28: Prayer, Penance, Pub @ Mary Mother of the Redeemer, North Wales

CHRISTMAS COOKIE SALE





Most Blessed Sacrament Church in Bally, will be selling their Christmas Cookies. The Sugar Cookie sale started November 4th and the Chocolate Chip Cookies will be ready for sale starting Saturday – December 2nd. Order Forms available by calling Ben Puzauskas at: 610.367.5768; 484.624.2452; OR email to: bepuzauskas@dejazzd.com.

Memorial Mass for Parents of Deceased Children

In recognition of November being the Month of the Holy Souls and in anticipation of the holiday season, St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish, will host its annual special Mass in memory of deceased children, from pre-born to adult. The Mass will take place on **Wednesday**, **November 15^{th -} 7:00 PM** with a light reception in the Parish Ministry Center Hall after Mass. All loved ones who have lost a child(ren) are invited to be part of this Memorial Mass. Anyone who plans to attend is asked to respond to Shawn Marie Brown, Director of Parish Services no later than Monday, November 13th at dps@steresacalcutta.com or (610) 287-2525 ext. 100. RSVP is required along with the name of the deceased child (if named), date of birth and death, and the number of family members attending the Mass and reception. All are welcome!

SAINT MARY CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW & BAZAAR - COME ONE, COME ALL!

Find the perfect gift and shop for beautifully crafted designs from talented local artisans at Saint Mary Christmas Craft Show and Bazaar on Friday, November 17th from 5PM to 9PM and Saturday, November 18th from 9AM-3PM; featuring over 60 unique crafters in both Hedge Hall and Saint Mary School. There will be musical entertainment, raffle baskets filled with goodies, pictures with Santa and so much more! Take a chance at winning our 50/50 or one of over 45 beautiful raffle baskets on display!

Go to www.churchofsaintmary.org for information.

Vocation Action Network of Philly, invites you to encounter Christ in the Eucharist through a two day event at Saint Mary Magdalen Church, in Media. Friday, December 1st beginning at 6:30PM; there will be two priestly vocation talks, Mass, Confessions, Healing Service with 1st class Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis, and Adoration for vocations. On Saturday, December 2nd following the 8:30AM Mass a complimentary breakfast in the St Francis Room; Eucharistic Miracle Talk and Vocation story with Father Markus Strehmer - Vocations Director for the Legionaries of Christ Philadelphia. To learn more visit: VANPhilly.org.

Announcement National Center for Padre Pio Wednesday, December 13th - 1:00 PM to 3:30 PM EVENT: "Light" Lunch with Saint Lucy

Celebrate the Feast of Saint Lucy with a lunch by candlelight as we view the heartwarming romantic comedy entitled, *The Bishop's Wife* starring Cary Grant, Loretta Young, and David Niven. Discover how divine intervention by an angel can remind us of what's truly important in life! **Pre-register and pre-pay for your lunch at www.padrepio.org** by clicking on the event calendar for December 13th. Registration opens on November 13th. Deadline to register is Wednesday, December 6th. Payment is transferable to another person but is not refundable. Location: National Centre for Padre Pio – 111 Barto Road – Barto (Museum Tree Room) More information: Contact angela@padrepio.org

Sunday, December 17th (12:30 PM to 2:00 PM) Event: Children's Advent Celebration

Celebrate the Third Sunday of Advent with some fun and faith-filled activities at the National Centre for Padre Pio. Invite your young children, grandchildren, Godchildren, or nieces and nephews. Older siblings are welcome to join their younger siblings to act as their *Guardian Angel*. We'll view a movie on the big screen, read a story, Enjoy a "Meet and Greet" with Saint Nicholas, complete a simple Advent craft project, and eat a sweet treat! There is NO COST to attend this Advent Celebration for Children; however, it is a ticketed EVENT. Register at www.padrepio.org by clicking on the event calendar for December 17th. Registration opens on November 17th. Location: National Centre for Padre Pio – 111 Barto Road – Barto

VISIT FROM FLAME OF LOVE ORGANIZATION

The Flame of Love Organization is currently operating throughout the USA; Canada and many other countries. A Speaker from the Flame of Love Organization will be present at Saint Teresa of Calcutta Ministry Center in Limerick on Wednesday, November 29th from 7:00PM to 8:00PM. You are invited to come out and learn about how Jesus and Mary gave Elizabeth Kindlemann the knowledge of the Flame of Love and how they wish their message spread to us and to all people in many countries throughout the world. This will be a very worthwhile evening for all who are able to attend.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Second Monday of each month @ 7PM on 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**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!

Tuesday, November 14th, 2023

EVENT: Eighth Grade Visitation Day at Martin Saints Classical High School

If your son or daughter is in 8th grade, we invite them to consider attending our visitation day on Tuesday, November 14th from 8:30AM-2:15PM. Attendees will have the opportunity to observe classes, learn more about our clubs, sports, and House System, *and* meet future classmates. If eligible, families are asked to register their son/daughter ahead of time via our website.

Location: 121 Allison Road, Oreland, PA 19075 **Register:** www.whymsc.org/admission/#events

Wednesday, November 15, 2023 - 8:30AM-11:00AM

EVEMT: Women in Philanthropy Networking Event

Women in Philanthropy is a complimentary networking event for female business leaders, nonprofit professionals, and philanthropists that aims to give women in the nonprofit sector stronger voices. We will be hosting a panel discussion with some of the region's most impactful female philanthropists and nonprofit leaders.

Panelists: Sister Isabella Davila, DC, Sarah Hanley, Barb Riley, Barbara Rose, and Meghan Cokeley

Location: The Drexelbrook Catering & Event Center. **More info:** <u>View the flyer</u>; No cost to attend, but please register at https://thecfgp.org/events

Saturday, November 18, 12PM-1PM

EVENT: Gold Mass for Catholic Scientists

At noon on Saturday, November 18th, concurrent with the Virtues and Vices of Artificial Intelligence workshop, there will be a Gold Mass for Catholic Scientists at St. Agatha-St. James Church. All Catholics involved in the sciences in any capacity are welcome and encouraged to attend. Gold Masses are celebrated for Catholics who are or have been involved with the sciences. The patron of this mass is St. Albert the Great, a 13th century Dominican friar and teacher of St. Thomas Aquinas—and the patron saint of scientists. Location: St. Agatha-St. James Church (3728 Chestnut St.)

Learn more and register: collegiuminstitute.org...

Thursday, November 23, 2023 at 2:00PM

EVENT: Thanksgiving Dinner with all the Trimmings

Will you or someone you know be alone this Thanksgiving? Then join us or invite them to join us at Nativity of Our Lord Parish for Thanksgiving Dinner! Individuals, couples and families are welcome. Please arrive at 1:45 to be seated. Give thanks with us and enjoy a delicious dinner. There will be a kid's craft table and door prizes! Call the parish office to make your reservations at 215.675.1925. This is a **FREE EVENT.**

Location: Nativity of Our Lord Parish Community Center, 605 West Street Rd. Warminster. **More info contact:** Ann Marie Gervino agervino@noolp.org

Monday, November 27th - 7:00-8:30PM

EVENT: Weep with Those Who Weep

"There is no grief like the grief that does not speak." This is why Saint Paul calls us to share grief (Romans 12:15). Far too many have lost loved ones to addiction and grieve alone because of the stigma. Join us to remember and pray for those who have died from addictions. AFIRE board member Robin Rader Knaap (Heartfelt Praise with Robin) will provide comfort through song and reflections. There will be time for sharing, and the evening will conclude with a prayer service.

Location: St. Mary's Hall, Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, Doylestown. **More info:**

NO COST to attend. https://www.apeopleafire.org/events

Continuing monthly, Nov 28, Dec 19 at 6:30PM

EVENT: Holy Hour Praise & Worship Series

All are invited to our Holy Hour Praise & Worship Series, with this month's event being on October 17, 2023 from 6:30 - 7:30PM. What better way to celebrate the Eucharistic Revival than with Adoration, Confession, and beautiful praise and worship music. Each monthly holy hour will feature a brief reflection on the 7 "I Am" statements from John's Gospel.

Location: Saint Monica, 63 Main Avenue, Berwyn, PA 19312 (Chester County)

More Information: SaintMonicaChurch.org/holyhour

NOVEMBER

EVENT: Catechetical Institute November Courses The Catechetical Institute (CI) at the School of Theological Studies at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary provides affordable on-line, non-credit courses designed for parish catechists, Catholic school teachers and all adult Catholics who want to learn more and grow in their Catholic Faith. CI will be offering the courses "Old Testament" and "Christian Anthropology" in November. The cost per course is \$60.00.

Location: Online

More info: Registration opens in October. Visit scs.edu/school-of-theo... to register. Please contact the School of Theological Studies at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary at 610.785.6287 or by email at sts@scs.edu with any questions or for more information.

Saturday, December 2nd 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM

EVENT: Women's Advent Breakfast, Guest Speaker: Sarah Christmyer

Ladies, Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Parish invites you to begin the Advent Season by gathering with other women for an inspiring talk by Sarah Christmyer as you enjoy a hot breakfast buffet. Through Sarah's talk, we will learn from the shepherds and magi who journeyed to the manger in Bethlehem: "Come and see", "Come as you are", "Come bearing gifts", "Come to the manger", and "Come and find peace". The cost is \$45.00 per person (plus fee, if paying by credit card). Grab a friend and join us!

Location: Normandy Farm, 1401 Morris Rd, Blue Bell **More Information:** visit <u>mmredeemer.org/womens-...</u> or contact JoAnne at <u>joannehigg115@gmail.co...</u> or <u>view flyer</u>

Saturday, December 16th- 9AM-3:30PM

EVENT: Advent Day of Recollection, "The O Antiphons"
This Day of Recollection includes Mass, Confessions,
personal prayer time, Eucharistic Adoration and spiritual
conferences. Retreat Director: Mother Maria Catherine of
the Parish Visitors of Mary Immaculate

Location: Drexel Hall, Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul, Philadelphia (FREE parking available)

More info: <u>View the flyer</u>; All are welcome, lay, religious and clergy; Contact Sr. Gabrielle Mary to register at <u>sr.gbraccio@archphila....</u> or 215.587.3795

Saturday, December 16th 7:00-9:00pm

EVENT: Living Drive-thru Nativity

Gervino agervino@noolp.org

Come experience the miracle of the Christmas story presented with live characters and animals. Plus receive a bag of home-baked Christmas cookies! This is a free event. **Location:** Grounds of Nativity of Our Lord Parish. 605 West Street Rd., Warminster. **More info contact:** Ann Marie

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Location: National Centre for Padre Pio – 111 Barto Road – **More Information:** Contact angela@padrepio.org

Thursdays, 9AM to 4PM

EVENT: Philly Adoration for Vocations

Held each Thursday between 9AM and 4PM in Sacred Heart Chapel at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, Catholics are invited to spend time before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament praying for vocations and ask Him to bless His Church with many holy vocations. We encourage everyone to pray that those whom the Lord is calling will have the courage to respond to His invitation. To sign up for a day/time to pray, visit Heedthecall.org/Philly.... Specific details will be emailed to all adorers on the Wednesday before the scheduled prayer time.

Location: Sacred Heart Chapel, St. Charles Borromeo Seminary or <u>View Flyer</u>

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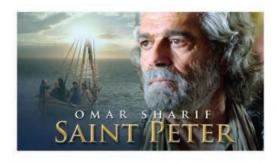


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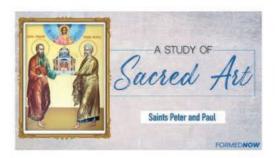
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