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We welcome all to join us for worship and invite you to become a part of our parish family. New members are asked to call the Parish Center to schedule an appointment for registration. Registration is required for admission to our programs of Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation for Baptism, First Eucharist, Reconciliation, Confirmation and Marriage. Eligibility certificates for Sponsorship for Baptism and Confirmation are issued to registered parishioners who are practicing Catholics. Couples planning to be married, or those desiring to schedule a Baptism are asked to call the Parish Center to schedule an appointment.

¡BIENVENIDOS! Ayúdenos a conocerlos y servirles mejor. Comuníquese con uno de los sacerdotes de la parroquia. Hágase miembro de las Parroquia de San Estanislao. Inscríbese en el centro parroquial.

PARISH CENTER HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9am to 8pm

Friday: 9am to 5pm

Saturday: 8:30am to Noon

Sunday: 8:30am to 1pm

Priests are available after office hours for the pastoral care of the dying by calling 215.368.0220.

July 15, 2018
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend

Saturday Vigil 5:15pm

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11am and 1pm in Spanish

Daily

Monday through Friday 6:30am & 8am

Saturday 8am,

followed by Miraculous Medal Novena Prayers

Holy Days

Vigil: 7pm

Holy Day: 6:30am, 9am, 12:05pm, 7pm (Spanish)

Catholic Mass in Sign Language

4th Sunday of the month, Parish Center Chapel

Mass Interpreted in ASL

1st, 2nd & 3rd Sundays, 9am Mass in the Church

Children's Liturgy of the Word

During 11am Mass, September through June

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 8:30am to 9am; 4pm to 4:45pm

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Katharine Drexel Chapel

THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear friends / Estimados amigos,

Some of us recently completed the yearly “graduation cycle” in May or June. We may have travelled to Universities, sat in football fields to listen to graduation speeches, watched with watery eyes as our high-school graduates were sent forth to experience life as adults, or been moved by the stirring music of Elgar as the grads marched forth into the future with *Pomp and Circumstance*. One’s continuous learning in life only leads to still more commencement exercises: Marriage, Holy Orders, new assignments, job relocations, the birth of children – all of these are new beginnings. In each new venture we are like the disciples whom Jesus sends forth in today’s Gospel. Their training and preparations were complete, the last-minute instructions given. They were wrapped in hope and a curious mix of confidence and fear. Like last month’s *Class of 2018* they, too, marched down a road to an uncertain future. All of us have been formed in the faith, educated (to various degrees) in Scripture and Liturgy, experienced the lessons of life, and felt the Lord’s embrace of faith. Now is our turn to be Christ’s disciples. All we need to do is **commence**.

To me it is a marvel that the message of Jesus lasted after His death. Gospel perseverance had more to do with the character of those whom Jesus chose than the eventual conversion of the Emperor and/or other persons of political, economic or military influence. It seems from the Gospel choices that Jesus made that He never really wanted to recruit religious professionals. The people Christ challenged to discipleship were, with few exceptions, all men and women who were willing to leave behind the safe and the familiar to set out on mission for the sake of the Good News. He never plumbed the ranks of Jewish clergy affiliated with the Temple, among the members of the Sanhedrin, or the Pharisee class. Like some of his contemporaries, Jesus might have established a rabbinical school but chose not. On the contrary, those who put their faith in Jesus as the long-awaited Messiah of Israel formed a sort of “grass roots” endeavor, from which would eventually emerge a specially-dedicated clergy later on, after the Ascension. Jesus’ disciples were a mission community, carrying the Good News to all people in all places. Following the example and the words of Jesus in today’s Gospel, they were to travel lightly and live simply so as to be more fully given to the service of others.

So-called “regular people” were vitally important in the early mission of the Church. They **were** the Church, as few magnificent Christian buildings existed; these would not arrive until another three-to-five hundred years in the future, when the Roman Emperor made Christianity the official religion of the land. Pope St. John Paul II, when commenting on the missionary Vatican II decree *Ad Gentes Divinitus*, said that faithful lay persons have a unique opportunity and crucial responsibility in today’s Church. “Through your lives, he said, “and in the midst of your daily activities in the world, you show that faith has the power to transform the world and to renew humankind. Even though it remains hidden and unnoticed, like the leaven or the salt of the earth, your role as laity is indispensable for the Church in the fulfillment of its mission from Jesus Christ.”

Our efforts to promote the Gospel must be fueled by passion. Things change when faith becomes a passion. Amos – the prophet from the Old Testament reading today – was so passionate that even when he was rebuffed, he could not be silent. Jesus’ apostles were fired by the passion of their Lord, and were so driven by that passion, that human comforts were unimportant as they took up their itinerant journey with Jesus.

This set of Sunday readings featuring Amos, Jesus, the Twelve and St. Paul remind us that **all of us** who have been chosen by Jesus are challenged to renew ourselves, our passions and our purpose. May we experience in our lives some of the fire that drove them!

HAVE A GOOD WEEK EVERYONE!



Treasure Information: June 24, July 1, and July 8th

Weekly Parish Collections:

June 17, 2018: \$13,159 June 18, 2017: \$13,445
Contributed by 376 envelopes and 7 loose checks (non parishioner)

June 24, 2018: \$13,073 June 25, 2017: \$13,901
Contributed by 372 envelopes and 9 loose checks (non parishioner)

July 1, 2018: \$12,918 July 2, 2017: \$15,565
Contributed by 376 envelopes and 4 loose checks (non-parishioner)

July 8, 2018: \$14,636 July 9, 2017: \$15,565
Contributed by 392 envelopes and 6 loose checks (non parishioner)

Electronic and Other Contributions:

June 17, 2019: \$6,496 June 18, 2017: \$6,071

June 24, 2018: \$6,168 June 25, 2017: \$3,957

July 1, 2018: \$4,708 July 2, 2017: \$9,306

July 8, 2018: \$6,736 July 9, 2017: \$3,122

Parish Building Improvements:

June 17, 2018: \$1,639 June 18, 2017: \$1,982

June 24, 2018: \$1,480 June 25, 2017: \$2,040

July 1, 2018: \$1,380 July 2, 2017: \$1,786

July 8, 2018: \$1,549 July 9, 2017: \$2,598

Major Bills Paid Since June 24, 2018:

Maintenance: \$13,378 (June 17 to June 24)

Maintenance: \$33,091 (June 24 to July 1)

Maintenance: \$4,152 (July 1 to July 8)

Payroll and related: \$37,547

Utilities: \$5,886

Landscaping: \$4,816

Altar Supplies: \$4,185

Envelopes and printing: \$1,161

Financial Commitment to Mater Dei Catholic School

School-Year-to-date payments: \$231,320

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Today: Am 7:12-15; Eph 1:3-14; Mk 6:7-13
 Monday: Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34—11:1
 Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24
 Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11:25-27
 Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30
 Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8
 Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21
 Sunday: Jer 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34

“10-Minute Catechism” Program

The next session will be held next week, July 22 after the 9am Mass. We will begin right after Mass is over, and the session will be completed in only 10 minutes. Drop in and learn something new about our faith!

St. Stans Festival Garage Sale Information:

The Festival Garage Sale is now open and accepting donations until August 8th Monday thru Thursday, 9am-11am and 6pm-8pm, Friday 9-11am only, and Saturday 8am-12pm only. This is a great place to find items for a college or new apartment or home. New items come in each day. Donations will continue to be taken during hours of operation. Please do not drop off at other times as they can be destroyed by weather. Questions? Want to volunteer? Call Pat at 215.362.5225. If you have an hour or two to spare, we would welcome your assistance.



Needed Items: Pots and pans, knick-knacks, bowls, jewelry, collectibles, flatware, tools, decorative items, garden items, small kitchen appliances, toys — all in working order, clean and complete.

We cannot accept: clothing, computers, TVs, luggage, Christmas trees, encyclopedias, books, *Reader's Digest*, baby items, VHS tapes, microwaves or furniture.



Weddings

We extend our best wishes and promise of prayers to St. Stanislaus parishioners who are preparing for marriage, especially:

Lauren Williams and Christopher Regal

Parish Giving

Online: Sign up online to electronically submit parish donations! It is easy, safe, and secure. Go to our webpage, www.ststanislaus.com, and scroll to the bottom of the homepage and click on “Parish Giving.”



SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 15

8:30am Summer Choir @ Church

Monday, July 16

No community events scheduled in the Parish Center

Tuesday, July 17

7:00pm Hispanic Prayer Group @ Chapel

Wednesday, July 18

9:00am Food Cupboard @ Lobby Rm

Thursday, July 19

1:30pm Legion of Mary @ Cahill Rm

6:30pm BINGO @ Gym

Friday, July 20

No Community Events Scheduled in the Parish Center

Saturday, July 21

8:00am Secular Franciscan @ Cahill and Lobby

8:30am Confessions @ Church

4:00pm Confessions @ Church

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated Sundays after the 11am Mass. To ensure that parents and godparents understand the meaning of the sacrament of Baptism, what to expect on the day of Baptism and to reflect on the responsibilities that accompany their roles, we require that all new parents and godparents attend a Baptism preparation session known as Pre-Jordan. For information about this program and more, please contact the Parish Office or visit our website, www.ststanislaus.com.



SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Couples planning to be married should contact the Church at least 6 months in advance of the planned wedding date. No other arrangements should be made until the couple meets with a parish priest and the date and time are reserved. Attendance at a Marriage Preparation program is required in accord with Archdiocesan policy. Further information will be provided at the time of the meeting with a priest.

Annulments: *Contact the Parish Center to speak to a priest for more information on the annulment process. Directives of Pope Francis have eased the process of obtaining annulments.*

Do you sing in the shower? Try singing in the Summer Choir! Open to **everyone** in the parish, **summer choir rehearsals** take place at 8:30am on Sunday mornings for the 9:00am Mass. All that is required is a love of music. Please come and join us any Sunday. Families are welcome!!



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 15, 2018

7:00am Deceased members of the Dulis and Brinkos Family
Requested by Joseph and RoseMarie Dulis

9:00am Ernest Williams
Requested by his wife, Roseann and Family

11:00am Lynne Bowers
Requested by the Respect Life Committee

Monday

6:30am Pat Mulligan
Requested by Maureen Mourt

8:00am Julia Wynne
Requested by MaryAnne Mattero

Tuesday

6:30am Mother's Day Remembrance

8:00am Helen K. O'Brien
Requested by the Family

Wednesday

6:30am James V. O'Brien
Requested by the Family

8:00am Edward and Anna Kuczynski
Requested by Regina Miller

Thursday

6:30am Denise Palazzolo
Requested by the Family

8:00am Angelina Iacono (*anniv. rem.*)
Requested by her daughter, Ann Malickson

Friday

6:30am Petro Liberto
Requested by Carmen Vare

8:00am John J. O'Brien
Requested by Gerard O'Brien

Saturday

8:00am Louise Rafferty
Requested by Eileen Champagne

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 22, 2018

7:00am Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cahill Sr.
Requested by Donna and Rebecca Brandolph

9:00am Pearl Wyszinski
Requested by Bernie and Marlene Narolewski

11:00am Angela Kinneman
Requested by the Kinneman Family

We Remember our Deceased:



Our parish family expresses prayerful condolences to the loved ones of **Mary C. Fassel, Sister Joan Rice, R.A., Aleksandra Rzepk, Mary Grace Tepper, and Edith Verna.**



Please pray for the sick who carry the cross of illness especially: **Robert Ambs, John Baur, Jr., John Baur, Sr., James De Paul, Bobby DiNenna, John Earley, Edward Kunze, Baby Elizabeth Lockhoff, Sheryl McGillicuddy, Tricia and Chuck Miller, George Murphy, Kristin O'Connor Zeigler, Jillian Preet, Donald Raymond, Antonio Romano, Donald J. Romano, Lawrence A. Romano, Lucille C. Romano, Barbara Smiley, Kim Smith, Catherine Storti, Mae Veneziale, Mark Wait, Marilyn Wagner.** If you wish to place a family member or friend on the Bulletin list for three weeks, or to continue a name on the list, please call the Parish Center, ext. 107, for Cat Mattingly, Communication Coordinator. If you wish to place a name on our Prayer Line, call the Parish Center or email your request to:

ssthoughtsandprayerline@gmail.com.



The Sanctuary Candle in the Church burns this week in memory of **Jim Conwell** at the request of **Elda Ritinski.**

The Sanctuary Candle in the Chapel burns this week in memory of **Thomas Redmond** at the request of **the Murphy Family.**

If you wish to have the Sanctuary Candle burn in the Church or Chapel in 2018 in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, please come to the Parish Center during operating hours to make arrangements. An offering of \$10 is requested.

We can do that!

The Deacons are available after the 9am and 11am masses on Sundays to assist with the following:

- ◆ Letters of Eligibility
- ◆ To register a baptism
- ◆ To register a new parishioner

Weekly appointments can still be made by calling the Parish Center at 215.855.3133 for availability. No appointments are necessary on Sundays. Summer hours began on June 18th! The Parish Center will be open from 9am to 8pm Monday—Thursday and 9am to 5pm on Friday. Saturday and Sunday hours will remain the same (8:30am-noon; 8:30am-1pm).

Divine Mercy "Minute" — Diary 1602

When you go to confession, to this fountain of My mercy, the Blood and Water which came forth from My Heart always flows down upon your soul and ennobles it. Every time you go to confession, immerse yourself entirely in My mercy, with great trust, so that I may pour the bounty of My grace upon your soul.

— Words of Jesus to St. Faustina



Parish Religious Education Program
Coordinator of Religious Education (PREP): Mrs. Leona Russell
Office Phone Number: 215.855.9893; Email: ststansprep@yahoo.com

Attention Public School and Non-Catholic Private School Families - Registration is Open...

SSLP – Grades Pre-K 3 & 4 (Sunday only – meets every other week)

PREP – Grades K to 8 (Wednesday or Sunday)

(Sunday meets bi-weekly and is a combination of in-class and at-home catechesis. Lessons are provided. This program has grown by 130% since it began 4 years ago! Call for details or to enroll!)



*Forms for **NEW** families are available on the tables in the church entrances, in the Parish Center, at the Religious Education Office in the school, and may be downloaded from the Parish website. You may return your completed form in person or via postal mail. **Pre-printed** forms were sent home to **existing** families who had not yet re-registered as of May. *No need to fill out a new form...just review and submit the pre-printed form!*

***CYO participants** – please remember that as part of the **CYO guidelines**, you must be enrolled in Catholic school or **PREP (through 8th grade)** to participate in **CYO sports**.

For our new families, we look forward to meeting you and your children! We also look forward to welcoming back our existing families! **To ensure that your child has a book and is assigned to a classroom on the first day, please complete your registration ASAP!** Payment is not required at the time of registration. Classes begin *September 12 (Wednesday) and September 16 (Sunday)*. Thank you!



Do you have an older child who has never been baptized, or who may have been baptized in another Christian faith and who is now interested in becoming Catholic? Please contact the PREP office at (215) 855-9893, or via email at ststanslr@comcast.net, to make an appointment to meet with Mrs. Leona Russell, Coordinator of Religious Education, to arrange for your child to begin his/her journey in the faith toward initiation into the Catholic Church. **God's door is always open to welcome you, and so is ours!**

Updates to Senior Club Events: Seats are still available for the **Myrtle Beach, SC, Christmas Show Trip** from Monday, November 5 to Friday, November 9, 2018. Trip includes transportation, 4 nights at the Long Bay Resort in one bedroom oceanfront suites, 8 meals, 3 Christmas shows, all taxes and gratuities. Double occupancy @ \$699 a person. Call for a brochure. Wait-list only: **Mt. Airy Resort Casino, Mt. Pocono to see "The Shirelles"** — Thursday, September 13th Bus departs at 10 am. \$56 a person. For "bonus," photo ID required at the casino. **Doolans, Tribute to Frankie Valli & the Four Seasons**, Spring Lake, NJ — Wednesday, October 24th, 9:15am departure. **Sight & Sound, production of Jesus & lunch at Fulton's Inn**, Lancaster — Wednesday, November 28th, 8:45am departure. Questions about trips? Contact Rosemary Pickersgill at 215.380.5382.

Mark your Calendars: Clothing Drive! St. Stanislaus Parish will be hosting a clothing drive to benefit **The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Saturday, August 25 from 9am to 1pm in the Church lot.** The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be using the services of GreenDrop to support their clothing drive. Look for the GreenDrop truck in the parish parking lot where an attendant will be available to assist you with your donations. Please place your donations of usable men's, women's and children's clothing in plastic bags or boxes.
Unfortunately, **furniture, large appliances, TVs or computer monitors cannot be accepted.** For a full list of acceptable items visit www.gogreendrop.com.



CYO Registration Closes August 1st! Please take a moment to register online at Wagdogs.com as early as possible — or click on the link on our webpage! All athletes must be a registered student in Catholic School, or a registered, participating student in PREP (all grades). **CYO Questions?** Contact the Fall Sports Commissioner **Joe Campbell:**
joecampbell22@verizon.net or 267.337.2332

Available Sports:
Cheerleading
Cross Country
Soccer
Girls' Volleyball
Football (via Corpus Christi)
Swimming (via Corpus Christi)





Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
St. Katharine Drexel Adoration Chapel

"For God will hide me in his shelter in time of trouble, He will conceal me in the cover of his tent; and set me high upon a rock."
 — Psalm 27: 5

Urgent hour of need: Saturday 3am, Sunday 4am

Hours of need: (Adorers in need of prayer partners)

Monday: 12am, 1am, 3am, 4am, 12pm, 1am, 2pm, 3pm, 4pm, 8pm, 9pm, 10pm, 11pm

Tuesday: 12am, 1am, 2am, 3am, 4am, 7am, 9am, 11am, 12pm, 2pm, 3pm, 4pm, 5pm

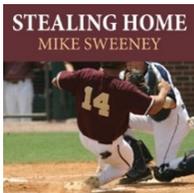
All hours of need are available at www.ststanislaus.com under the *Perpetual Adoration* tab. Sign up today!

We are always in need of committed adorers and substitutes. For more information contact Sue Gillen: 215.362.8643 or scgwindows@gmail.com

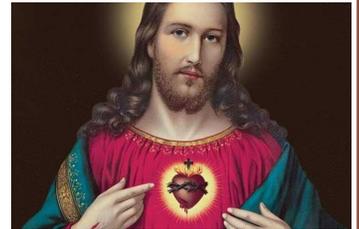
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Formed Pick o the Week: All-star Mike Sweeney speaks to 5000 young adults about his own experience of living his Catholic Faith from when he was a high school jock to his time in Major League baseball. With humor and humility, he shares the circumstances that led him to center his life completely on God, and how the Lord wants to personally be involved in your life, too. Mike relates how pivotal choices led to his amazing ride with Christ. (In LISTEN: Talks/Catholic Life). **Registration to Formed is free!** Go to our website at ststanislaus.com and scroll to the bottom of the homepage. Click on the Formed link for instructions.



Pilgrimage to The National Shrine of The Divine Mercy: Register by August 10th!



The St. Stanislaus Divine Mercy Cenacle is hosting a day trip to the National Shrine in Stockbridge MA on Wednesday, September 19. Our journey begins at 6am in the Church parking lot and we will arrive home at 10pm. Cost of the trip is \$55, which includes transportation, shrine reservation and driver tip. Lunch and dinner are not included. Shrine activities include Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, Confession, The Chapel, Rosary for Life and shopping in the Gift Shop. There are also Stations of the Cross on the beautiful grounds of the Shrine. For more information please contact Eileen McKeron at 215.527.0269 or emckeron@gmail.com.

Vacationing this Summer? If you are traveling, don't forget to use www.masstimes.org to locate Mass near you! (even when overseas!)

The Bereavement Ministry of St. Stanislaus and Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Parishes



C.S. Lewis once observed, "The death of a loved one is an amputation." For many of us, that feels about right...that we are walking around missing an arm or a leg, and no one seems to notice. If this describes your experience, please just us at our next Bereavement Support Group meeting **Thursday, August 9, 2018**. We will have an Open Forum, allowing those present to share their story and for the Spirit to lead the discussion as He wills. There will be a morning session at Mary Mother of the Redeemer from 10:00am – 11:30am in the Parish Center; an evening session will be held at St. Stanislaus from 7:00pm – 8:30pm. No registration is necessary, just come if you can.

Our next two meetings are:
September 13, 2018: Grieving for Friends
October 11, 2018: Crazy is Normal

Archdiocesan Catholic Women's Conference: Saturday, October 27, 9am-4pm. Join us for a day of friendship, prayer and growth in your faith at the 2018 Catholic Women's Conference to be held at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown. This year's theme is "Daughters of the King" and the day will be devoted to helping women discover their foundational identify as daughters of the King of Heaven and Earth. Talks will be offered in English, Spanish, and American Sign Language. Groups of 5 or more receive a discount — contact catholicwomensconference.org for more information and to register.



For information about Mater Dei Catholic School call 215.368.0995, email info@materdeicatholic.com or visit www.materdeicatholic.com.

For information or questions about Mater Dei Catholic School or its affiliated programs, contact Grace Samanns, Director of Advancement, at 267.218.3496 or via email at gsamanns@materdeicatholic.com.

For information or questions about Mater Dei Childcare Center, located at St. Maria Goretti Parish in Hatfield, contact the Center Director, Katherine Stansbury, at 215.799.2211 or via email at kstansbury@materdeicatholic.com.

Imagination Playhouse

Mater Dei Imagination Playhouse will emphasize imaginative play and multi-sensory learning and will take place at our Lansdale campus. Your child must be 2 1/2 to start this two day a week program (the program will accept 2 1/2 and 3-year-old children and your child does not have to be potty trained to begin).

Lunch Bunch is Back by Popular Demand!

- Your child must already be registered in the half-day programs of Imagination Playhouse, Pre-K Three or Four-Year-Old Program
- Options: Wednesday's 12:15 to 2:15pm

Open House at Mater Dei Childcare Center: Located at St. Maria Goretti Parish in Hatfield, MD Childcare Center will be holding two open houses in August. The center will be open on **August 19 from 10am-1pm** (following mass) and **August 28 from 6-7:30pm**. Come see how our new center helps each child develop socially, emotionally, academically, and spiritually in a nurturing environment. We hope to see you there!

North Wales Library Partnership Announced! Mater Dei will be visiting the North Wales Library this summer with crafts and STREAM activities for preschoolers. Join us if you can... **Tuesday, July 24 and Tuesday, August 28 at 10am!**



Calling All Alumni: If you are an alum from any of our legacy schools or Mater Dei, consider being a part of the new Legacy School/Mater Dei Alumni Committee. If you are only able to work remotely, we can work that out. Friends are welcome so ask one to join with you! A summer meeting will be planned. Call Grace Samanns to sign up today!

Academic Congrats!

The following parishioners recently received first honors on their 4th Quarter Report:



Archbishop Carroll High School
Courtney K. Woehlcke; first honors

Pope John Paul II High School
Robert DeVico, III; first honors
Kiley K. DeVico, Nevaeh Lombardo; second honors

La Salle College High School
Patrick McNichol Coyle, Gregory Cutajar, Matthew Domanico, Nicholas LaRosa, Nicholas Livolsi, Russell Livolsi, Brendan Meagher, Ryan Meagher, Edmund Ward, III; first honors
Justin Morgan; second honors

Congratulations, students, on your hard work!

St. Stanislaus Festival: Volunteers Needed NOW for planning and to help with the Garage Sale! If you are looking for a way to contribute to the parish and have fun, being a Festival volunteer could be it! If you are a student in need of service hours, or just want to pitch in, we want to hear from you. Check out the Festival link under the *Get Involved* tab on the St. Stanislaus website to sign up: www.ststanislaus.com. **Early-bird raffles are due by July 31st! The Festival mailing has been sent, so keep an eye on your mailbox!** *Please note that item pictured may not be representative of the prize offered. More info on the exact watch being raffled is forthcoming!



Mater Dei Bingo: Need a few hours to unwind and socialize with adults? Come play Mater Dei Bingo! Gym doors open at 5pm; games begin at 6:45pm every Thursday. Enjoy dinner from our cafeteria, mingle with other players, and have a chance to win in one of 25 games of Bingo throughout the night! Admission prices start at \$8 and all proceeds support Mater Dei Catholic School.



Cantate Domino Festival: July 23 & 24, 9am- 5pm (Concert July 24 at 7pm). The camp, open to boys and girls ages 7 through 15, provides a unique musical experience including an introduction to sacred repertoire, vocal breathing techniques, vowel formation, choral tone, sight singing and music theory. This takes place at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul, 18th and the Parkway, Philadelphia. **For more information,** visit www.odwphiladelphia.org Registration is \$50 per child, and each additional child per family is \$25.



Volunteer opportunity: Cathedral Ambassador
This enthusiastic group of trained Ambassadors staffs the Basilica every day of the week and is comprised of volunteers from all over the Archdiocese. They answer questions and offer assistance to all who come to the Cathedral Basilica. Cathedral Ambassadors provide a personal presence in the Basilica and most importantly they put a face on the Church. Cathedral Ambassadors are assigned 4 hour shifts. The schedule is flexible with assignments of one day or more a month. Training and materials are provided to support this evangelization ministry. For more information and to become a Cathedral Ambassador, please contact Martha Ortiz, the coordinator of the Cathedral Ambassadors, at cathedral.ambassadors@gmail.com. Learn more about our Cathedral Basilica at www.cathedralphila.org.

Philadelphia Catholic Mamas Group - open to all mothers in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia of all backgrounds and ages who seek fellowship and community with one another through weekly prayer meetups, monthly city-based activities, pro-life ministry, and retreats. For more information about upcoming events check out or e-mail Gosia Sanchez at philadelphiacatholicmamas@gmail.com

Pregnancy Loss Support Group:
Meetings are the 3rd Thursday of every month at 7pm in room 209 at St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish Education Center, Schwenksville, PA. This group provides support for women who have experienced a loss of a child during pregnancy. For additional information, contact Melissa at Melissa.haines86@gmail.com.



For these and more spiritual enrichment events and community activities, check out the *Beyond the Parish* page of our website: www.ststanislaus.com/beyond-the-parish/ New posts are added each week. Don't forget to "LIKE" our official St. Stanislaus Lansdale Facebook page as well. Look for the St. Stan icon.



For Young Adults — Metanoia is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montgomery County, supporting Catholics in their 20s and 30s who are looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area. The ministry includes Theology on Tap, faith-based meetings, community service, retreats, and outdoor events. For more information, Contact metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com or visit www.facebook.com/users/metanoiayoungadults. Upcoming events are below:

Tuesday, July 24: Holy Hour @ Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Parish, North Wales; 7:30pm

Sunday, July 29: Summer Picnic—details to come!

Friday, August 3: Mini golf social @ Freddy Hill Farms, Lansdale; 7:30pm

Tuesday, August 14: Bible Study @ St. Rose of Lima, North Wales; 7:30pm

Tuesday, August 21: Theology on Tap @ Appalachian Brewing Co., Collegetown; Doors open at 7:00pm.

Coming in September and October: Saints Peter and Paul Parish in West Chester will host *WE THIRST: Christian Reflections on Addiction* in September and October. This is a popular five-part series that not only educates, but also inspires compassion, faith, hope, love, and community action! For more information or to register for this event, contact Judy at Saints Peter and Paul: 610.692.2216, ext. 263.

Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage - Workshop in August: Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? *Retrouvaille* (retro-VIE) can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. **Our next program is coming up at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA: August 17-19.** For more information, or to register for one of our weekends, visit our web site, www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 1.800.470.2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.

Julio tiene dos días festivos importantes. El 25 de julio, celebramos la fiesta de Santiago, el Apóstol, y el 26 de julio celebramos la fiesta de los Santos Joaquín y Ana, los padres de la Santísima Virgen María.

Santiago, es significativo en la vida de la Iglesia como uno de los primeros testigos de Jesús resucitado, pero también por su epístola que se encuentra en el Nuevo Testamento. La Epístola de Santiago es conocida como una Epístola Católica o Epístola Universal porque es una carta escrita a los fieles cristianos como un todo y no a una sola iglesia local. Santiago fue el primer obispo de Jerusalén y guió a los judíos conversos al cristianismo durante casi tres décadas. Escribió su epístola, que es importante por dos razones principales:

1. Establece, como la palabra infalible de Dios, la necesidad de practicar buenas obras junto con la gracia de Dios para salvar el alma, "Así que la fe también, si no tienes obras, está muerto en sí mismo" (Santiago 2:17).
2. Establece la fórmula del sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos y también confirma la necesidad de confesar los propios pecados a un sacerdote (Santiago 5: 14-16). Poco después de escribir su epístola, Santiago fue martirizado en Jerusalén. Santiago, Apóstol y Martirio, ¡Ruega por nosotros!

Poco se sabe Joaquín y Ana. Tampoco se mencionan en el Nuevo Testamento, sin embargo, otros documentos cristianos antiguos y escritos históricos del siglo II al siglo primero describen la devoción de la gente a los padres de la Santísima Virgen. La devoción a Joaquín fue popular entre los antiguos cristianos griegos y la fama de Santa Ana creció principalmente en Francia.

A medida que los colonos franceses comenzaron a llegar al Nuevo Mundo, muchos se asentaron en Canadá. En la provincia de Quebec, los colonos franceses comenzaron a construir el Santuario de Santa Anna De-Beaupre. Fue fundado con su primera capilla en 1658 y durante siglos ha crecido, ha sido destruido y reconstruido como una gran basílica y uno de los sitios de peregrinación más populares en América del Norte.

Tuve el privilegio de visitar el Santuario en 2007 cuando estaba en Quebec para el Congreso Eucarístico Internacional. Aunque no se sabe mucho sobre las características específicas de sus vidas, los fieles cristianos han invocado su patrocinio durante 2000 años y ¡Seguiremos dedicándonos a ellos en los siglos venideros! San Joaquín es el santo patrón de los padres, junto con San José, y de los abuelos. Santa Ana es la santa patrona de amas de casa, mujeres embarazadas, ebanistas y mineros. ¡Santos, Joaquín y Ana, ruega por nosotros!

Pax et Bonum + Paz y Todo lo Bueno, Padre Carlos



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Conferencia de mujeres católicas 2018

Considere unirse a nosotras en un día de amistad, oración y crecimiento en la fe en la Conferencia de Mujeres Católicas de la Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia. Este año el tema es "Hijas del Rey" y el día estará dedicado a ayudar a las mujeres a descubrir su identidad fundamental como hijas del Rey del cielo y de la tierra. Sábado, 27 de octubre del 2018, de 9am a 4pm, Santuario Nacional de Nuestra Señora de Czestochowa, Doylestown, PA. Presentaciones en inglés y en español. *Último día de registración 1 de octubre o hasta agotar cupos.* Para más información: catholicwomensconference.org



**FIESTA DE LA VIRGIN
DEL CARMEN DE LA
FAMILIA JUAN XXIII**

**LUGAR: IGLESIA
VISITACION BVM
B ST. & LEHIGH AVE.**

**FECHA: JULIO 19, 2018
HORA: 6:00PM**

**CELEBRANTE: PADRE
AUGUSTUS PULEO
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Catecismo para Niños Todos los niños que son estudiantes en la escuela pública y no han recibido el sacramento de Confirmación necesitan registrarse en el programa de educación religiosa para continuar su formación en la fe católica. Cada parroquia ofrece un programa de educación religiosa continua desde el primer nivel hasta el octavo. Cada año, cada estudiante necesita registrarse otra vez para la próxima clase. Para más información o ayuda con el registro, favor contactar a la directora de educación religiosa de San Estanislao, Sra. Leona Russell, a 215.855.9893 o stansprep@yahoo.com. ***Registren ahora para prepararse por las clases que empezarán en Septiembre.***

Grupo de Oración - se reúne todos los martes en la Capilla del Centro Parroquial. Contacto e información: Diácono Juan Valentín, 727. 247.7391.

Movimiento de Cursillo de Cristiandad El Cursillo de Cristiandad es un movimiento religioso, para católicos prácticos que quieren crecer en formación religiosa, en vida apostólica, en liderazgo cristiano, en conocimiento y participación de los ministerios de la Iglesia. Si están interesados en más información o oportunidades de retiros, comuníquese con el Diácono Juan Valentín, 727. 247.7391.

“La Virgen Peregrina” Un retablo de la Virgen de Guadalupe está viajando por los hogares de la comunidad. Es una oportunidad maravillosa para acercarnos a ella en familia. Para registrar su familia por una semana, llamar a Nelis Romero, 267. 498.8979.

Quince Años - esta bendición al cumplir quince años de una joven da testimonio de su acción de gracias y de compromiso de vivir una vida cristiana. Por eso, la joven ya debe ser confirmada o debe estar inscrita en un programa de educación religiosa en preparación para recibir el sacramento de confirmación el año de su Quinceañera. Una clase de preparación es un requisito antes de la celebración. Hable con Padre Charles con un mínimo de seis meses por anticipado para fijar una fecha. ***Favor contactar Olivia Tavera 267.498.8610 o Marta Escobar 215.767.8694 para inscribirse en la próxima clase.***

¡Adoremos al Señor en el Santísimo Sacramento! Capilla de Santa Catarina
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Contactos Padre Charles 215.855.3133 ext. 111 al Centro Parroquial de San Estanislao. Contactos Diácono Juan, 727.247.7391 o juan_valentin2@aol.com.

LOS SACRAMENTOS

Bautismos – Se celebran los bautismos durante la misa del segundo y cuarto Domingo del mes. Clases bautismales serán el primer Domingo de cada mes después de la misa. **La próxima clase bautismal será el 1 de julio después de la misa.** Contactos Diácono Juan, 727.247.7391 o juan_valentin2@aol.com.

El Sacramento de Reconciliación - se ofrece los sábados a las 8am y 4pm y los domingos, 12:30 - 12:50pm

El Matrimonio – Hable con Padre Charles más que 6 meses antes de la fecha anticipada. Un clase de preparación - “Pre-Cana” es un requisito antes de casarse. El Instituto Católico Móvil ofrece el taller “Pre-Cana” 3 veces durante el año en la Parroquia de San Martin de Tours, Roosevelt Blvd. & Cheltenham Ave., Filadelfia. Para inscribirse o informarse 215. 667.2820/2824 o bherrerera@archphila.org o hispacath@archphila.org.

Clases en preparación para los sacramentos – Las personas que necesitan preparación para recibir cualquier sacramento y que tienen dificultad con el idioma inglés, pueden recibir su preparación para los sacramentos en español. Tienen que comunicarse con el Diácono Juan Valentín, para empezar en Septiembre, 2018 (adultos y jóvenes). Solicite su planilla de registro por Diácono Juan, 727. 247.7391 o juan_valentin2@aol.com

Por favor, rueguen por los enfermos. Sra. Botello, Marta Dominguez, Marina Rivera, Vladimir Rodriguez, Filomena Salas, Alfonso Blanco, Carmen Tavera, José Castro, Manuel Lopez, Lucas Ación, Julio Cesar Nava, Eliceo Garcia, Hilda Rodriguez, Fidel Zetino, Victoria Hernandez, Samanta Prieto, Dolores Castro, Yeni Santos, Rogelio Morales, Jaime Murillo, José Ortiz, Eulalio Santillan, Candide Arce, Maureen Benner, Msgr. Tracy, Ema Pedroza, María Aguilar, José Ocampo, Cirilo de Jesús, Epí Figueroa, Jose Trinidad, Lydia Suarez, Analise Flores, Concepción Lastra, Emanuel Lastra, Rosa Juarez, Ximena Cobarubias, Jim Gaul, Monserrat Prieto, Concepción Samperio, Jesús Montaña, Juan M. Lastra, Bertha Belmont, Gloria Ledesma, María Valentín, José Beltrán, José Rodriguez, Benito Rodriguez, Cynthia Sanchez, José Reyes, María Salinas, Eugenio Osorio, Patricia Alvarez, María Guasco, Hugo Salinas, Diana Paola Villegas, Magdalena Mendoza. ***Escriba los nombres en la hoja de peticiones antes de la misa, y aquí se incluirán en el boletín la semana que viene. Favor de informar al Padre Charles si se mejoran o fallecen para actualizar esta lista.***

¿Cómo le devolveré al Señor todo el bien que me ha hecho? (Sal. 116:2)
 17 de junio: \$458.55 24 de junio: \$568.39
 1 de julio: \$892.50 8 de julio: \$463.72
Gracias por su generosidad y oraciones.
¡Que Dios les bendiga!