

Church of the Holy Family

PARISH RECTORY

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Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Francis X. McKee

Sunday Visitor

Rev. John P. Collins

Pastoral Service Director and Permanent Deacon

Deacon James Browne

Music Director

Joseph O'Brien

Child Care & Summer Camp

Ages: Infant (6 wks.)-PreK (4)

Hours: 6:00am-6:00pm (year-round care)

Phone: 610-952-9186

Email: childcare@holyfamilychurch.org

Holy Hour: Second Sunday of each month
after the 11:00am Mass Miraculous Medal

Novena: every Friday after 8:00am Mass

Altar Servers: Bernadette Welsh

Cantors: Joseph O'Brien

Extraordinary Ministers:

Jeanine Censi-Lamont

Lectors: Kathy Duffy

RCIA: Wednesday at 7:00pm

PREP: Sundays from 9:30-10:45am

Pre-Cana Team: Program for engaged
couples – John and Beth Delaney



CHURCH SERVICES

Saturday Evening Mass: 4:00pm

Sunday Mass: 9:00am, 11:00am

Weekday Mass: 8:00am

Holy Day Vigil Mass: 7:00pm

Holy Day Mass: 8:00am

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated every Sunday
after the 11:00am Mass. Please
contact the rectory for details about
the Pre-Jordan program which is
held on the first Sunday of the month
at 12:00pm in the rectory.

CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm or any time
upon request.

MARRIAGE

Couples must make arrangements at
Holy Family at least 6 months prior
to the wedding. Call the rectory at
215-482-0450 for an appointment.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK & ELDERLY

Visit those unable to attend Mass due to
sickness or age on the first Monday of
each month from 11:00am to 12:30pm

AJAX Committee: Cleans sanctuary &
church two times/month – Rosemary Fuges
Finance Committee: Meets six times/year to
advise the Pastor

Liturgy Committee: Plans religious services
– Jim Browne

Parish Pastoral Council: meets first Monday
of the month to confer on Pastoral planning

Women's Club: Meets six times/year and
sponsors social activities

**Please note:* If you are interested in
participating any of these activities, please
contact the rectory at 215-482-0450.

Welcome

*We welcome all who join us for worship, and we invite you to become part of our parish family.
You may register as a parishioner in the rectory on any Sunday morning after the Masses or any time online.*

OCTOBER 24TH 2021

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23rd - 4:00pm

Rose and Al Wilson, requested by Marie Mueller

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24th - 9:00am

(live-streamed)

Frank Labrusciano and Angelina Labrusciano,
requested by Al and Rose Augustine

11:00am

Our Parishioner

MONDAY, OCTOBER 25th - 9:00am

Frank Chichearo, requested by his family

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26th - 8:00am

Aloysius P.J. O'Harra

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27th - 8:00am

No Intention

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28th - 8:00am

No Intention

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29th - 8:00am

Special Intention

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30th - 4:00pm

Jacklyn Szeliga, requested by her mother

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31st - 9:00am

(live-streamed)

Our Parishioner

11:00am

No Intention

The Feast of All Saints, Monday, November 1st is
not a Holy Day of Obligation this year.



Please remember your Church Weekly Offering
during this time. You can either mail it in or do it by
Electronic Giving@www.ParishGiving.org

The second collection this weekend will be for the
Missions.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Sunday, October 10 th (73)	\$ 4,522.53
Block Collection (22)	\$ 2,380.00
2 nd Collection	\$ 83.00
All Souls (2)	\$ 30.00
Mission Sunday	\$ 30.00
All Saints (1)	\$ 20.00
Black and Indian Mission (2)	\$ 15.00
TOTAL	\$ 7,080.53



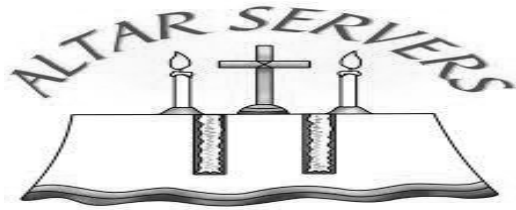
In your prayers, you are asked to pray for all the sick of
the parish and those who care for them especially, Anna
Marie Barry, Theresa Barthold, Ashley Brown, Linda
Brown, Christopher Browne, Margaret Davidson, Daniel
Evans, Terry Flanagan, , Jane Latta, Edward Lawnton,
Candida Leodora, Lisa Long, Rocky Long, Erin
McFarlane, Megan McHugh, Conchetta Miller, Robert
Price, John Ray, Ronald Rigler, Daniel Seddon, Bill and
Theresa Sherwin, Fred Smeltzer, Ava Snick, Frances
Sprenkle, Joe Szewczak, Fran Thomas, and Roy
(Toysie) Turvey, Jr., Jack Wray.



LCPL. Shane Canavan, , Nicholas DiCicco, SPEC Chase
Dixon, PFC Tyler Manigly, RTC Dominic Remolde,
Captain Zach Schwatka, Col. Scott Shore, and Cpl.
Christopher Starrett



Please pray for the happy repose of all the faithful
departed and especially during the pandemic.



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23rd - 4:00pm

Grace Welsh - Jocelyn Welsh

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24th

9:00am

Joseph Arturo

11:00am

Charlotte Welsh



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23rd - 4:00pm

Harry Mullen

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24th

9:00am

Pam Feinschil

11:00am

John Naab



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23rd - 4:00pm

Walt Wood

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24th

9:00am

Aubrey Williams

11:00am

John Naab



If you need to get Mass Cards or have any other reason for coming to the rectory please come to the front door of the rectory as you will not be able to come to the rectory back door due to closure of our parking lot.



As we slowly get back to normal, we are looking to increase our Lector pool. If you are currently a Lector who was waiting for the Pandemic situation to improve or have never been a Lector, but would like to become one, we would like to hear from you. If you are interested, please contact Kathy Duffy at (215) 518-2041 or Kathleen.duffy.kd@gmail.com. We would love to have you.



We are looking for Eucharistic Ministers as things slowly return to normal. If you are a Eucharistic Minister looking to return or have an interest in becoming a Eucharistic Minister, please contact Jeanine Censi-Lamont at the rectory 215-482-0450 or teethfiller1@aol.com



Happy October! This month at the childcare center our theme is apples, leaves and pumpkins! The children will be crafting and learning about all of these fun fall things.

We will be discussing how the seasons change but God's love never changes!

Happy Fall Y' All!

If you are interested in our daycare, you can email the Director Amore @holymfamilychildcare.org

MEMORIAL MASS

On Tuesday, November 2nd at 7:00 there will be a Memorial Mass for any parishioner who had someone die in 2021 that was buried through here.

HOPE IN CHRIST: SPIRITUAL SUPPORT FOR ADDICTION

*“I will heal my people and will let them enjoy abundant peace and security.”
~ Jeremiah 33:6*

You are not alone! The Church desires to be close to her children who are struggling with addiction and to bring them the healing power of Jesus Christ’s love. The resources below are for those who have an addiction as well as for their families and loved ones. You will find one-time events such as retreats and evenings of reflection, ongoing support ministries, and links to websites, articles and videos. They are offered as spiritual support for you and your loved ones to assist you in experiencing the extended hand that Jesus Christ is holding out to you. If you have questions or suggestions for this page, please contact us at phillyevang@archphila.org.

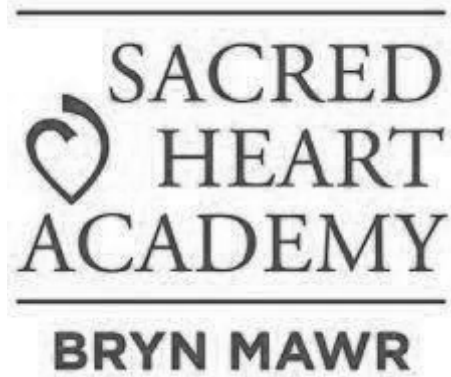


ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Have you or someone you know lost a loved one more than six months ago? The Bereavement Support Group, sponsored by St. John the Baptist Parish’s Senior Care Program, will meet at St. John the Baptist Rectory, on six Friday mornings in November and December. If you would like help in managing the upcoming holiday season, please contact Jennifer Rose at (215) 482-4600, ext. 109 or jrose@chs-adphila.org. Deadline to respond is October.



Prayers are requested for the safe return of Sophia Rose granddaughter of Linda Watson.



Sacred Heart Academy Bryn Mawr has suspended the HSPT requirement for the incoming class of 2026. We will offer a **Merit Scholarship Exam** on campus Thursday **October 28 at 4:30**, and Thursday **November 11 at 4:30**.

Please visit our website at SHAbrynmaur.org to register for the Merit Scholarship Exam.

CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL and PREVENTION

Pfizer-BioNTech COVID 19 Vaccine Booster Shot CDC recommends that people in the following groups should receive a booster shot of Pfizer-BioNTech’s COVID-19 Vaccine at least 6 months after completion of their 2-dose Pfizer series:

- 65 years and older
- 18+ living in long-term care settings
- 18-49 who have **underlying medical conditions**
- 18-64 who are at increased risk for COVID-19 exposure and transmission due to working or residing in certain setting
- People ages 50-64 years with **underling medical conditions**
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People can talk to their healthcare provider about whether getting a Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 booster shot is appropriate for them.



WASHINGTON—The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) will gather for the 2021 Fall General Assembly in Baltimore, November 15-18. This will be the first in-person meeting of the full body of bishops since November 2019. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the June 2020 spring meeting was canceled, and the November 2020 fall meeting and June 2021 spring meeting were held in a virtual format.

The assembly will begin with an address by the Papal Nuncio to the United States, Archbishop Christophe Pierre. The bishops will hear from Archbishop José H. Gomez of Los Angeles, president of the USCCB. The agenda includes a report to the bishops from the National Advisory Council, a group created by the USCCB comprised of religious and lay people primarily for consultation on Action Items and Information Reports before the Administrative Committee.

The meeting agenda is expected to include discussion and votes on a number of items including: the Eucharistic revival initiative and approval of a national Eucharistic Congress in 2024; an update of the “Socially Responsible Investment Guidelines”; a statement on the Eucharist, The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church; the proposal to add Saint Teresa of Calcutta on the Proper Calendar for the Dioceses of the United States as an optional memorial on September 5; the Resolution on Diocesan Financial Reporting; new English and Spanish versions of the *Order of Christian Initiation of Adults*; a translation of *Holy Communion and Worship of the Eucharistic Mystery Outside Mass*; “National Statutes for the Catechumenate” in English and Spanish; and the USCCB’s 2022 budget.

During the assembly, the bishops will vote for a treasurer-elect for the Conference, as well as chairmen-elect of five Conference committees:

Clergy, Consecrated Life, and Vocations; Divine Worship; Domestic Justice and Human Development; Laity, Marriage, Family Life, and Youth; and Migration. The bishops elected will serve for one year as treasurer-elect or chairman-elect before beginning a three-year term at the conclusion of the 2022 Fall General Assembly. There will also be votes for the election of board members for Catholic Relief Services (CRS) and for the election of a new USCCB general secretary.

Also expected at the meeting will be a consultation of the bishops on causes of beatification and canonization for Servant of God Charlene Marie Richard and Servant of God Auguste Robert Pelafigue. Other items that will be presented and discussed include: the 2021-2023 Synod of Bishops; the work of Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Charities USA, and Catholic Legal Immigration Network (CLINIC); the 50th anniversary of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development; the Journeying Together intercultural dialogue and encounter process; the application and implementation of the Pastoral Framework for Marriage and Family Life Ministry in the United States; the “Walking with Moms in Need” initiative. Public sessions of general assembly discussions and votes will be livestreamed at: www.usccb.org/meetings and news updates, vote totals, texts of addresses and presentations and other materials will be posted to this page. Those wishing to follow the meeting on social media can use the hashtag #USCCB21 and follow on Twitter (@USCCB) as well as on Facebook (www.facebook.com/usccb) and Instagram (<https://instagram.com/usccb>).

SYNOD OF BISHOPS

The XVI Synod of Bishops will take place in three phases, the Diocesan Phase, the Continental Phase and the Universal Phase, from October 2021 through October 2023. The theme of the Synod, *For a synodal Church: communion, participation and mission*, anticipates serious reflection and action to deepen an understanding of the role of all the members of the Church, journeying together with Christ as our Head, in living the Gospel in our time

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