

Church of the Holy Family

PARISH RECTORY

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Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Francis X. McKee

Sunday Visitor

Rev. Michael Shea

Pastoral Service Director and Permanent Deacon

Deacon James Browne

Music Director

Joseph O'Brien

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

Miraculous Medal Novena: every Friday
after 8:00am Mass

Altar Servers: Mary Alice Missimer

Cantors: Joseph O'Brien

Extraordinary Ministers:

Jeanine Censi-Lamont

Lectors: Kathy Duffy

RCIA: Wednesday at 7:00pm

PREP: Sundays from 10:00-11:00am



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: 9:00am

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated every third 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

Visits those unable to attend Mass due to sickness or age every 2 weeks on Friday from 11:00 to 12:30pm

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

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.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2025
FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Please remember your CHURCH WEEKLY OFFERING. You can either mail it in or do it by Electronic Giving. Please follow this secure link: www.holyfamilychurch.org/give

Your financial offerings are most appreciated.

Sunday Collection 2/1-/2/2

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| Sunday (84) | \$ 4,744.00 |
| Catholic Charities (25) | \$ 752.00 |
| Christmas (1) | \$ 200.00 |
| Catholic Relief (1) | \$ 100.00 |

TOTAL \$ 5,796.00

The second collection this weekend will be for the Parish.



In your prayers, you are asked to pray for all the sick of the parish and those who care for them especially, Ashley Brown, Christopher Browne, Megan Duffy, Daniel Evans, Jodie Forte, Theodora Garrett, Jane Latta, Edward Lawnton, Lisa Long, Eleanor Maisch, Maeve Mahon, Erin McFarlane, Jerry McGough, Megan McHugh, Anthony Pelle, Marie Prince, Daniel Seddon, Bill and Theresa Sherwin, Ava Snick, David Sparacino, Frances Sprenkle, Joseph Synchronick, Steve Thummel, Michael Torna, Roy (Toysie) Turvey, Jr., and Elaine Wallace, Bob Woerner.



LCPL. Shane Canavan, Sgt. Shane Carlson, Sgt. Tyler Manigly, Sgt. Morgan Manigly-Haney, Cpl. Dominic Remolde, Captain Zach Schwatka, Col. Scott Shore, and Cpl. Christopher Starrett, PFC Christopher Whittle.



Please pray for the happy repose of all the faithful departed especially, Patrick Campbell.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th

4:00pm

Joyce, Doris, Maryann, Eileen and David, requested by Betty Thummel

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9th

9:00am

Frances and Robert Koenig, requested by the Koenig Family

11:00am

Our Parishioners

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10th – 8:00am

Sister Elaine Cullen, requested by Sister Mary Jo

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11th – 8:00am

Dottie Di Romualdo, requested by John Groom

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12th – 8:00am

Margaret O’Harra

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13th– 8:00am

Lucille Macchione Paone, requested by Denise, Matthew and Sarah Corrigan

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14th – 8:00am

Special Intention

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15th

4:00pm

McNabb and Capella Family, requested by Joe and Mary Alice Missimer

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16th

9:00am

Our Parishioner

11:00am

Frank Giorno, requested by Ann and Debbie Carrier



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th – 4:00pm

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9th

9:00am
Jim Brody

11:00am



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th – 4:00pm

Kathy Duffy – Harry Mullen

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9th

9:00am

Mary Reed

11:00am

Tom Seigharter – Jeanine Censi-Lamont



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th

4:00pm

Kathy Duffy

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9th

9:00am

Mary Reed


11:00am

Audrey Williams



50/50 RAFFLE

Don't forget to put your January 50/50 Raffle envelope in the church basket.



We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers for the 4:00pm, 9:00am and 11:00am Masses.

If anyone is interested please contact Jeanine Censi-Lamont at 267-278-2936 or contact the rectory at 215-482-0450.

THE BOOK THAT THE ARCHBISHOP IS ASKING US TO READ

The announcement of Archbishop Perez pastoral letter and missionary discipleship initiative has generated lots of buzz about the future of our local Church and the urgency of bringing Jesus Christ to those who have not yet encountered His love. *If you missed the pastoral letter*, you can find it, along with the Archbishop's invitational video and the schedule of information sessions to learn more, visit trustandhope.org

DID YOU KNOW? The foundational book for the Archbishop's vision is *From Christendom to Apostolic Mission: Pastoral Strategies for an Apostolic Age* published by the University of Mary. He is asking all of us to read it. Consider gathering a group of friends and studying this book together.



The Catholic Parishes of East Falls, Manayunk, Roxborough and Andorra will present the Pre-Cana Marriage Preparation Program for engaged couples on SATURDAY, MAY 31, 2025 in Father Sullivan Hall, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, 819 E. Cathedral Road. The day begins with registration at 9:30 AM and concludes with attendance at the 5:15 PM Vigil Mass. Continental breakfast and lunch are provided. Certificates are distributed after Mass. Cost is \$100.00 per couple. To register, please call Holy Family Rectory, 215-482-0450, Monday through Friday between 9 AM and 3 PM.



Gospel reflection group will meet on Wednesdays from 7-7:45 pm in the Parish Center. The Gospel for the coming Sunday will be read and discussed

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BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

LOCATION: Koller Funeral Home
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TIME: 6:30 PM to 7:45 PM

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Or email kollerbereavement@gmail.com

DATE: March 13, 2025

TOPIC: My Personal Journey through Grief-Am I Supposed to Feel This Way?

DATE: March 27, 2025

TOPIC: The Journey Continues....What's Normal?

DATE: April 10, 2025

TOPIC: Managing Expectations through Special Days and Every Day

DATE: April 22, 2025

TOPIC: The Language of Grief: Grief, Mourning, Continuing Bonds, Rituals & Triggers

DATE: May 8, 2025

TOPIC: Resilience – Using Your Assets and Strengths

DATE: May 22, 2025

TOPIC: Moving Forward - Nurturing Hope

The above outline is not meant to limit the focus of the support group. It is merely offered as a starting place. The needs of the participants, both as individuals and a group, will determine the course of our journey and time together.

Facilitated by Carmela S. McDowell, MSW, LSW

For over 25 years Ms. McDowell has provided bereavement support to hospice families and the community who have experienced the loss of a loved one.

FEBRUARY 14-16, 2025

EVENT: RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND

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.

Location:

Malvern Retreat House, Malvern

More Information:

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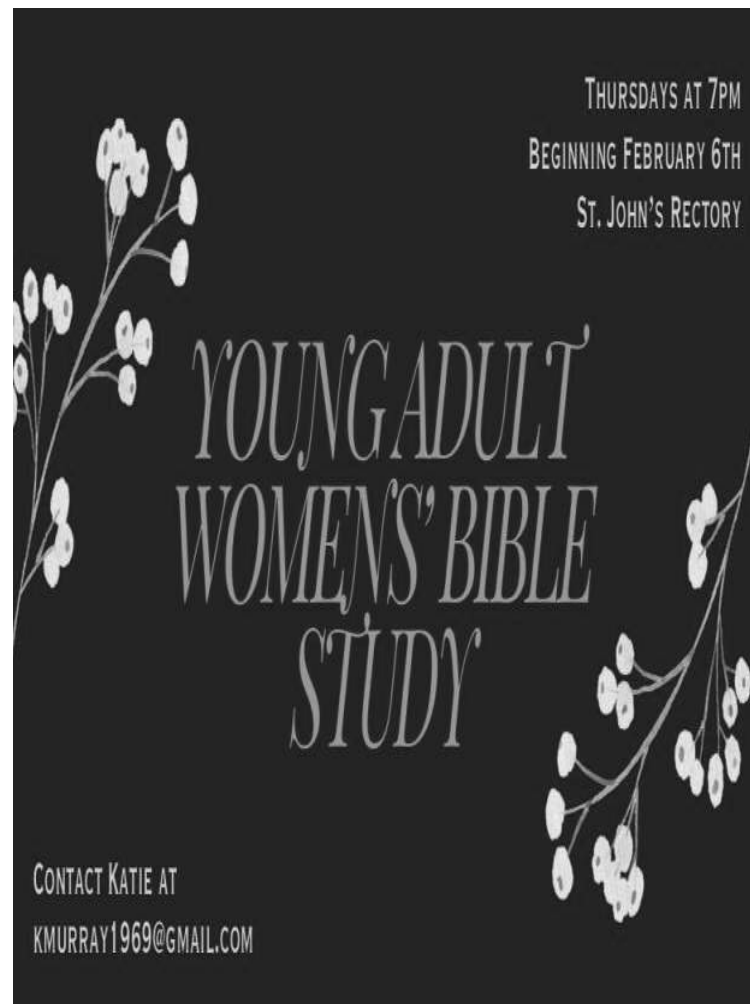
MEN'S SPIRITUALITY CONFERENCE

SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 2025

BECOMING PILGRIMS OF HOPE

The men of our parish are invited to join Catholic Men from throughout the Archdiocese for the 17th Annual Man Up Philly Men's Conference on March 8th at Cardinal O'Hara HS. Speakers include Ward FitzGerld, CNBC Contributor and Papal Knight, Eddie Morris, creator Team Hope, Msgr. Federico Britto, Pastor of St Cyprian Parish and our keynote speaker Brian Dawkins, Pro Football HOF safety.. Back by popular demand, Mark Forrest, internationally recognized Irish tenor, who will lead our Eucharistic Adoration. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available, and the Conference will conclude with Mass celebrated by our archbishop Most Reverend Archbishop Nelson Perez.

For more information and to register go to the website:
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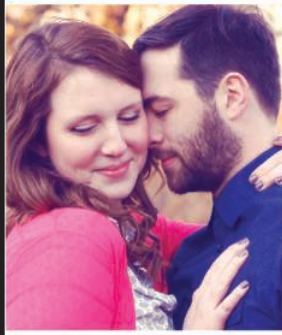
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