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APRIL 20, 2025

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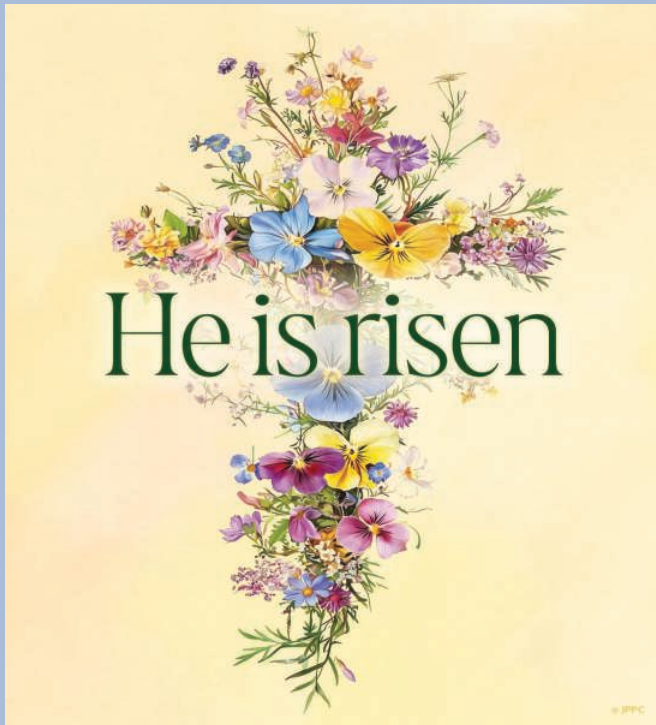
MASSES

Daily Monday - Friday at 8:00 AM

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM, Sunday Masses: 7:30, 9:00 (streamed) & 11:00 AM

Confession

Saturday, 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM



EASTER SUNDAY

The readings for next Sunday are shared here to give you a chance to meditate on them in preparation for Mass.

1st Reading:

Acts of the Apostles 5: 12-16

Psalm

118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24

2nd Reading:

Revelation 1: 9-11a, 12-13, 17-19

Gospel:

John 20: 19-31

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM

1ST SATURDAY DEVOTION & MASS

7:20 AM Rosary followed by Mass

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Daily from 8 AM until 7 PM

BAPTISMS

Sundays at 12:15 PM by appointment

Baptismal Prep by appointment

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Those unable to attend Mass due to illness should call the Rectory to make arrangements to receive Holy Communion.

Hospitalization

If a family member is hospitalized, please inform the Rectory so that we may remember them in our prayers.

MARRIAGE

Couples contemplating marriage must contact the priest **at least 6 months in advance** to make an appointment to discuss marriage preparations.

EDUCATION

Parish Religious Education Program (PREP)

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Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS)

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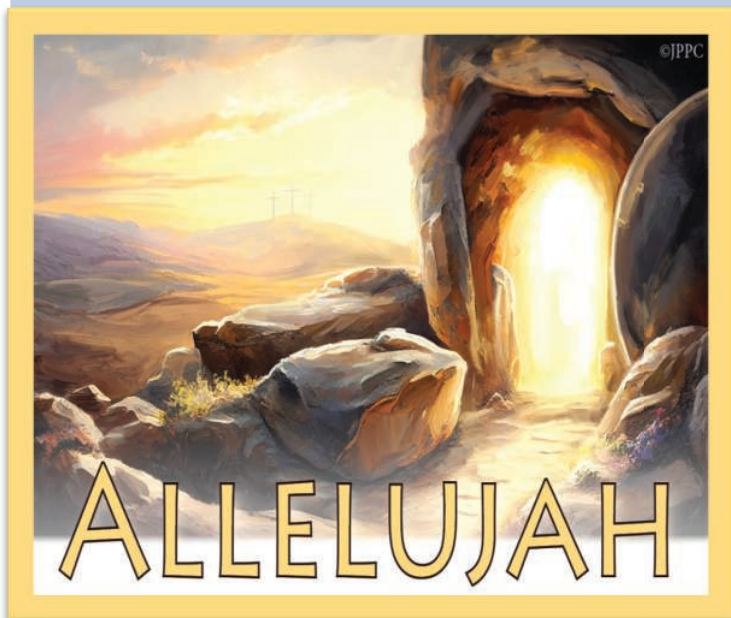
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April 20, 2025 - Easter Sunday



We at St. Joe's Parish would like to invite all our parishioners to consider joining our hands together in caring for the poor in our community. **Current Needs:**

Canned Vegetables
Chef Boyardee Meals
Canned Tuna
Canned Chicken

You may place the donated items in the large cabinet in the Narthex. We are very grateful to all of you for your support in the mission to Care for the Poor!



Monday April 21	The George Yost & Son Family <i>Req. by The Family</i>
Tuesday April 22	David Morgan <i>Req. by Gary & Kim Martorana</i>
Wednesday April 23	Rosemary Johnson <i>Req. by Steve & Dolores Boyko</i>
Thursday April 24	Jack Segrin <i>Req. by The Brauer Family</i>
Friday April 25	Angela Chevalier <i>Req. by Joseph Chevalier</i>



Lector Schedule

April 19 4:30 - H Coggins/ M Arnold	April 26 4:30 -
April 20 7:30 - C Staab 9:00 - B Keeley 11:00 - M Arnold	April 27 7:30 - 9:00 - 11:00 -

Eucharistic Minister Schedule

April 19 4:30 - Eleanor S (altar) Karen C (Mid) Harry C (Narthex)	April 26 4:30 - Kim M
April 20 7:30 - Judy Z (altar) Joe S (mid) Mary F (Narthex) 9:00 - Ray Z (Altar) Susan W (mid) Nancy H (Narthex) 11:00 - Tony D (altar) Craig R (mid) Mark A (narthex)	April 27 7:30 - Paul P 9:00 - Sandy P 11:00 - Karen C

Bulletin Date Date Due

May 4- April 24
May 11- May 1
May 18- May 8

Bulletin Submission
Schedule
Please submit any
items for the bulletin to
St.Joes@comcast.net



Leslie Staab
Mike Culver
Megan Flynn
Joe Leaf
Marianne Quinty

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WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY

Masses 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 am
CGS Level I 8:45 am
PREP every other Sunday 8:45 am
PREP Confirmation Class 6:00 pm

MONDAY

Mass 8:00 am

TUESDAY

Mass 8:00 am
CGS Level I - 9:00 am
CGS Level II - 4:30 pm
CGS Level III - 4:30 pm

Holy Hour & Devotion -

6:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Mass 8:00 am

THURSDAY

Mass 8:00 am

FRIDAY

Mass 8:00 am

SATURDAY

Confession 2:30 - 4:00 pm
Vigil Mass 4:30 pm

HOLY DAY SCHEDULE:

Vigil Mass 7:00 pm

Holy Day: 8:00 am, 12:00 pm, 7:00

EVENTS & PROGRAMS

MONDAY, April 21

7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus - Trailer 1

TUESDAY, April 22

6:00 pm - Holy Hour Devotion for those in our Community &
Private Prayer - Church

7:00 pm - Men's Spirituality Meeting - Trailer 1

7:00 pm - Women's Group - Narthex

THURSDAY, April 24

6:30 pm - OCIA Class - Trailer 1

FRIDAY, April 25

7:00 pm - CSG First reconciliation and White Garment Service

SATURDAY, April 26

10:00 am - CGS First Communion Mass - Church

11:00 am - CGS Reception - Narthex

SUNDAY, April 27

2:00 pm - PREP 1st Holy Eucharist Practice - Church



Congratulations To the Newly Baptized:

Connor Kissa

Son of Carl & Natalia Kissa
Baptized March 23, 2025



Joanne Lona

&

Josie Adams

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

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CGS First Reconciliation/First Communion Events Calendar

First Reconciliation/Communion Practice (Children only)

Tuesday April 22nd 4:30pm - 6:20pm - Church

Retreat Day 1 (children only)

Thursday April 24th 4:30pm-6:30pm – Trailer 3

Retreat Day 2 (children only)

Friday April 24th 4:30pm-6:30pm – Trailer 3

First Reconciliation and White Garment Service (Families)

Friday April 25th 7:00pm – 8:15pm – Church

Picture/Retreat (children only)

Saturday April 26th 8:30am – 10:00am – Trailer 3

First communion Mass (Families)

Saturday April 26th 10:00am

*Reception to follow in Narthex

Job Opportunity at St Ann Parish, Phoenixville

Saint Ann Parish is seeking a full time Parish Administrative Assistant to provide welcome and assistance to parishioners and staff.

This position requires someone with a pleasant disposition, works well with others, can deal with stressful situations, maintains confidentiality and is attentive to detail. Proficient in Microsoft Office, Google Workspace and prior office experience required. Bilingual (English/Spanish) candidate preferred.

Please email resume and cover letter to Lisa Burghardt at businessmanager@churchofsaintann.org or mail to Saint Ann Parish 502 Main St. Phoenixville PA 9460

Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Trivia Night

Saturday, April 26th

7PM Doors open at 6PM

\$20 per person (max 8 per table)

- 21+
- BYO food & drinks
- 8 rounds of trivia
- Prizes for each round
- Cash prize for overall winning team

- Door prizes
- 50/50
- Raffles



For all details and tickets visit www.stteresacalcutta.com

Questions - Contact Marie Beehler at mariebeehler@gmail.com



CMC Lions Football

Ches-Mont Catholic Lions Football registration is now open for the Fall season for players entering Grades 5-6 (Junior Varsity) and Grades 7-8 (Varsity). Visit cmccyo.org for more information.



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The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Everyday Tasks

One of the Church Fathers, Tertullian, who lived in the second century wrote of making the sign of the cross as a way of consecrating everyday tasks to God: "In all our coming in and going out, in putting of our shoes, at the bath, at the table, in lighting our candles, in lying down, in sitting down, whatever employment occupieth us, we mark our foreheads with the sign of the cross." In the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atrium, the children practice this ancient gesture, and make it their own.



For more information contact Anne Pulsifer
484-431-5156 or cgsstjoseph@comcast.net

Around the Archdiocese

Thursday, April 24 at 12:00pm EST

Event: I Came to Cast Fire: A Conversation with Fr. Elias Carr on Why Rene Girard's Thought is Relevant Today

How can a modern Continental theorist help us deepen our appreciation of the Passion and Easter Season? Join Collegium Institute and Word on Fire for an inaugural collaboration and virtual event exploring the groundbreaking work of Franco-American philosopher René Girard (1923-2015). What do I want and why? What is the Scapegoat Mechanism and how does it work? What is the connection between violence and human culture? How do Girard's ideas cast light on our current social and political upheavals? These questions and more will be untangled by Fr. Elias and Katy Carl, editor of Word on Fire's Luminor literary imprint, in a virtual discussion streamed on Zoom on Thursday, April 24.

Facilitator: Collegium Institute

Location: Virtual via Zoom

More info: To learn more and register, visit collegiuminstitute.org/calendar/i-came-to-cast-fire.

April 25-27, 2025

Event: 19th Annual Divine Mercy Retreat weekend during the Jubilee Year & Canonization of Carlo Acutis!

Speakers: Bishop Joseph Coffey, Fr. Dermot Roache & Kathleen McCarthy

What to Expect: Beautiful Malvern Retreat House grounds in bloom for Spring, Holy Mass, spiritual conferences on the Divine Mercy message & Jubilee Year, access to the [Carlo Acutis Shrine](#) with live stream of his canonization from Rome, Reconciliation, private adoration, devotions, healing service, religious goods for sale & blessings of articles! Music by Christine Wittman & Saint Agnes Schola.

Location: Malvern Retreat House, Malvern, PA

More info: For the schedule and registration, visit www.divinemercyretreat.com

Saturday, April 26, 2025 - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Event: Cassock Classic 2025 (Frisbee Tournament for Young Adults)

Join us on the grounds of the Seminary for a day of faith, food, fellowship, fraternity and frisbee! Men and women from area young adult groups and Newman Centers are invited to join the seminarians for this awesome event! This year, the day will begin with Mass followed by the Frisbee Tournament, lunch and fellowship, and conclude with Evening Prayer!

Location: St. Charles Borromeo Seminary (New Campus!), 1400 Evans Road, Ambler, PA 19002

More info: Groups must register as a team, with each having at least 12 players comprised of males and females. Full details at heedthecall.org/events/cassockclassic

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