



ST. BEDE THE VENERABLE

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Eucharistic & Devotional Celebrations

Vigil Mass (Saturday Evening):
5:30pm

Sunday Masses:

7:30, 9:30, 11:00am, 12:30pm

Weekday Masses

(Monday through Friday):

6:30 & 9:00am

Saturday Mass

& Miraculous Medal Novena: 8:30am

Holy Days

(Except Christmas & New Year's)

Vigil Mass: 5:30PM

Holy Day Masses:

6:30, 9:00am, 5:30pm, 7:30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

(Saturday): 4:00 to 5:00pm

(or by appointment with a priest)

Parish Rosary (Tuesday) 7:00pm

Perpetual Adoration Chapel:

7:00am to 9:00pm (open to all)

9:00pm to 7:00am

(During this time period, only members of the Adoration Society who commit to the late night and early morning hours for adoration will know the combination to the new door lock)

Sacramental Sponsorship - For letters of eligibility, one must be a registered member of the parish for six months or more (a reference letter from your previous parish will be accepted). Please contact the Parish Office five days in advance.

Baptism - Usually celebrated on 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month, at 1:30pm. MANDATORY Pre-Jordan Classes are held on the 2nd Sunday of the month, at 12:15pm. PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED - please call the Parish Office to make arrangements (215-357-5720).

Marriage - Saturday weddings are 10:00AM, 12:00 Noon, & 2:00 PM. It is Diocesan policy that arrangements must be made AT LEAST 6 MONTHS prior to the wedding. Information on Marriage Instructions can be obtained from the priests. For information on music, call Susan DiFlorio at 215-891-0869.

Anointing of the Sick - In case of serious illness (or advanced age), please call the priests.

Hospital cases should contact the Chaplain, but the Parish Office should be notified so one of the priests may visit the patient.

NOTICES FOR THE BULLETIN (SUBJECT TO SPACE AVAILABILITY) MUST BE AT THE RECTORY BY MONDAY, 12:00 NOON.



Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time February 5, 2023

*"You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden."
(Matthew 5: 14)*



A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PASTOR



Rev. Monsignor
John C. Marine

My dear parishioners,

Last Sunday evening I left for a close to two-week pilgrimage to Sicily and Rome. I am leading ten other priests of our Archdiocese, including Fr. Tom O'Donald our former Parochial Vicar. Among the group of 11 priests is also three faculty members from St. Charles Seminary, and one of our former

Deacons, who is now a priest, Fr. John Masson.

While we will be visiting many famous churches, ancient Greek ruins and other beautiful tourist spots in Sicily and Rome, the highlight of the tour will be our participation in the two-day religious feast in honor of our Blessed Mother in my ancestral city of Sciacca, Sicily. There, on Feb. 1 & 2, the townsfolk renew their vow to the Madonna del Soccorso, translated "Our Lady of Prompt Help." Under that title, Mary the mother of Jesus is credited with the end of the devastating Black Plague that caused so much pain, suffering and death in Europe during the mid-1500's.

The citizens of the town of Sciacca vowed that they would never forget the miracle that ended the plague in their fishing village. It happened when, out of desperation, 100 fishermen carried the Madonna statue through the streets, past the sick and the dying. When the statue reached a certain street, a cloud of sweet-smelling incense emanated from the statue. And in minutes, the people noticed that those suffering were healed, restored, and the plague ended.

This was not to be ever forgotten, as even miracles can fade from our memory. To prevent that from happening, the townsfolk made it a written law that every year on Feb. 1, the mayor of the city, regardless of whether he is Catholic, Protestant, atheist or communist, renews the vow to forever tell the story, and by once again carrying Our Lady's statue through the city.

On Feb. 1, the day before the miracle, a beautiful procession with the Blessed Sacrament travels through the community, commemorating the fact that Mary carried her Son Jesus to the temple, to show Him to the world.



Over 100 men have the honor of carrying the statue of the Madonna de Soccorso through the streets of Sciacca.

When my ancestors came to America from Sciacca, either to Norristown or Boston, before they left on the boat, their parents reminded them to "never forget the vow." And that is why, in the towns of Boston and Norristown, the tradition continues.

While I am participating in these religious festivals thousands of miles away, I want to reassure you that I carry your intentions with me to the feet of the Madonna. May her prompt attention and intercession answer your prayers.

May God bless you,

Monsignor Marine



Monsignor Marine with the picture of the Madonna del Soccorso, proudly displayed in the hall of our church, near the sacristy entrance.

Scripture Readings

**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 12, 2023**

Sirach 15: 15-20

Psalms 119: 1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34

1 Corinthians 2: 6-10

Matthew 5: 17-37



Our readings show us what we must do to be followers of Jesus. The first reading tells us that we must follow God's commandments. But Jesus challenges us in the Gospel to be people who do more than the law requires. As we listen to these words, let us pray for the courage to go beyond the minimum in all that we do for the Lord.

Follow Monsignor Marine's pilgrimage to Italy and Sicily on our Parish Facebook page, which can be accessed directly from our website: st-bede.org

Welcome Our New Parishioners

**John & Antonetta Brady family
Kristopher & Melissa Hagstotz family
Sean Middleton**

William & Monica McDowell

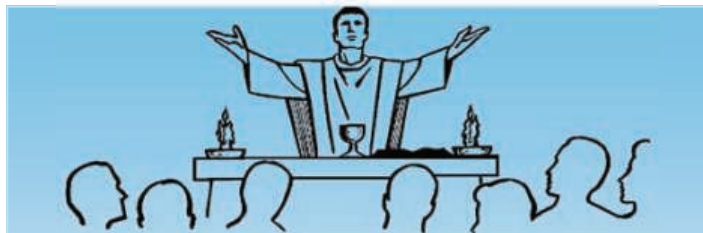
New parishioners can register by seeing one of our priests after Sunday Mass. Or call the Parish Office at 215-357-5720 to speak to a priest.

A special "Thank You" to parish & school

We would like to thank St. Bede the Venerable Church and parishioners, as well as the St. Katharine Drexel School staff, teachers, students and parents, for the love and support during this difficult time for our family.

There are no words we can use to express our gratitude for the countless cards and messages of support for our family. We are eternally grateful! Please keep our family in your prayers during this difficult time.

Sincerely,
The Shinn Family
Jerry, Donna, and Nicholas



2024 Parish Mass Intention Book to Open February 18

The Church encourages us to remember our dead by praying for them and having Masses celebrated for their speedy entry into Heaven. It is always heartwarming to see families gathered together for a weekday or weekend Mass because the intention of that Mass has been reserved for the beloved deceased.

Our 2024 Mass Intention Book opens on Saturday, Feb. 18. Please come to the Church Meeting Room-Library after the 8:30 a.m. Mass that day to reserve your Masses for 2024. After that, Mass intentions can then be reserved at the Parish Office.



Perpetual Adoration Chapel Altar Candle Dedication

Feb. 6-12, 2023

**For deceased members of the Lis, Jezak,
and Ariansen families
(Req. by Marie Lis)**

All 2024 dates are now available! Just come into the Parish Office. Candle dedications are a \$30 donation for the week.

From Archbishop Perez

Collection for the Care of Aging and Infirm Priests Next Weekend

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,



Archbishop
Nelson J. Perez

When I visit our retired and infirm priests who reside at Villa Saint Joseph in Darby or Regina Coeli in Warminster, I am filled with deep gratitude for their collective years of dedicated service. These faithful and holy priests have given their lives to our parishes, schools, and ministries serving the poor throughout the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

During their active ministry, they devoutly brought the presence of Christ to countless individuals through the celebration of the Sacraments, preaching, teaching, and charitable actions. In retirement, they are a source of wisdom and a great blessing for our local Church.

Today, one-third of our priests are retired. Many continue in some degree of active service to our parishes as much as their health allows. Others, due to advanced age and medical conditions, live quietly and offer prayers for you, the people of the Archdiocese. The annual **Collection for the Care of Aging and Infirm Priests** of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia will be taken in all parishes during the weekend of **February 11-12, 2023**. This initiative provides a meaningful opportunity for you to express gratitude for the many sacrifices made by our retired priests in seeking to fulfill the pastoral and temporal needs of those entrusted to their care over the course of many years.

I would ask that you remember in your daily prayers all our priests, active and retired and invite you to donate to the Collection for the Care of Aging and Infirm Priest this year. May the good Lord bless you and may all those whom you love and care for know God's abundant blessings. Please be assured of my prayers for you and your intentions.

Sincerely in Christ Jesus,
+Most Reverend Nelson J. Perez, D.D.
Archbishop of Philadelphia



Help Us Prepare for Ash Wednesday

Blessed palm which was distributed last Palm Sunday is collected and burned, to make the ashes to be used on the following Ash Wednesday. We will be collecting old palm after Saturday and Sunday Masses **Feb. 11-12** to prepare for this year's Ash Wednesday on **Feb. 22, 2023**. You can deposit your old palm in the baskets, conveniently located in the back of the church. Thank you for your support.



WOMEN'S CLUB
MEETING
WEDNESDAY,
FEB. 8 - 7PM

INTRODUCING:
OPERATION
SUNSHINE



Principal's Corner

As we end yet another Catholic Schools week, I share with you this powerful quote that describes our school: *“Our Catholic school is more than just a school, it is a deeply invested community. A community. And in a world grown increasingly cold and harsh, a community of faith and warmth is an immeasurably important springboard in these young kids lives. And in ours. Undoubtedly, this school prepares the mind. But by God, it prepares the soul as well.”*



Ms. Laura Clark

Thank you for your participation in our celebration last week. If you haven't already, I invite you to visit us and see for yourself just how Saint Katharine Drexel Catholic School we our children learn, serve, lead, and succeed! Thank you for all of your support and prayers

Ms. Laura Clark, M.S., Ed.
Principal, SKD School
215-357-4720 / skdschool.org



Celebrating Catholic Schools Week!

It was a busy week at SKD School, in celebration of Catholic Schools Week. First, we held our Open House on Sunday. Then on Monday, parents and teachers joined for “Chalk the Walk”, welcoming our students with “JOYFUL” messages (below).



AWHS Welcomes Transfer Students



Archbishop Wood High School welcomes students who are looking for a change from their current high school experience to apply for admission as a Transfer Student!

Visit us online at www.archwood.org and click on “Welcome to Archbishop Wood” under the Admissions tab to learn more about what AWHs can offer you!

For more information on the admissions process, please contact Melissa Nolan, Director of Admissions, at mnolan@archwood.org or 215-672-5050 ext. 268

REMINDER: Cub Scouts of Pack 280 is proud to support this Boy Scouts of America national food drive campaign. Scouts will be collecting food donations before each Mass on **Feb. 4 and 5**. All donations will be coordinated and distributed to local soup pantries and food banks to support those in need within our communities. One of Scouting's driving principles is “doing a good turn daily.” Your support is very much appreciated.

Gwynedd Mercy Academy High School: 6th & 7th Grade Practice Test

All 6th and 7th grade girls are invited to register for the practice test at Gwynedd Mercy Academy High School. Tests will be offered on Sat., April 29 & Sun., April 30.

Registration fee is \$40. Register by February 15 for a 50% discount on the registration fee!

Register: gmahs.org/admissions



Congratulations to all the students in 5th-8th grades who competed in Monday's annual Religion Bee. Our winner will be moving on to compete in the Archdiocesan competition with other local Catholic schools. Big congratulations to our winner: 7th grader Joseph D. & runner up 6th grader Grace T.



More jumps for joy on Tuesday at our Jump Rope Challenge!



The faculty vs. students volleyball game is always a way to have fun and celebrate good sportsmanship.

Religious Education

Dear parishioners,

Lent is quickly approaching! Ash Wednesday is Wednesday 2-22. Consider coming out to the 6:30am, 9:00am or 7:30pm Masses to get ashes and start off your Lenten journey with Jesus himself in the Eucharist. In light of the Eucharist Revival, please consider keeping the Revival in your prayers and examining your own relationship with Christ in the Eucharist. Do you believe that the Eucharist is really the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Christ? Do you yearn to be with Jesus in the Eucharist? Do you lead by example for your family by making sure Sunday Mass is your number one weekly priority? Are you unsure what you believe about the Eucharist? Pray and ask God to help you. If you ask He will help you and consider reaching out for help for guidance to a friend in the faith, a priest or check out **FORMED.org** for some videos about the Eucharist.



Mr. Shawn Tobin

VBS: Mark it on your calendar! Vacation Bible School at St. Bedes Monday June 19 to Friday June 23! It will be from 9:30am to 12 noon each day! Anyone interested in helping out providing another great year to our K-6 graders, please reach out to me!

CCD Highlights: Mr. & Mrs. Amato took their Sunday 2nd grade class to the Padre Pio Chapel to practice for Reconciliation, including some standard prayers provided as penance. Mrs. Casey, Monday 2nd Grade, took her class to the church to prepare for First Reconciliation. Ms. Bourcet took her Monday 1st grade students to the Padre Pio Chapel and all the 7th graders took their Confirmation Proficiency tests. (Pictures are of the following: Mr. & Mrs. Amato Sunday 2nd grade class in the Padre Pio Chapel; and Mrs. Harris 2nd grade and Mrs. Marano 3rd grade Wednesday classes on a church tour with Father Ryan standing by the statue of one of CCD's patron saints for the year, St. Therese of Lisieux).



CCD Upcoming Events: First Reconciliation- 2/13 & 2/15, NO CCD-2/19, 2/20 & 2/22; Ash Wednesday-2-22-23, Safe Environment training 2/26, 2/27 & 3/1; Confessions-3/6 & 3/8.

All families new to the parish please contact me as soon as possible to discuss your child's religious education. I may be contacted at 215-357-2130 or stobin@st-bede.org. May St. Maximilian Kolbe and St. Therese of Lisieux bless you!

Shawn P. Tobin MAPS
Director of Religious Education

Rosary Group

Every Tuesday evening at 7:00pm we will meet to pray the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy. We are now meeting in the Daily Mass Chapel. We have rosaries and prayer handouts if needed. Please join us and friends are welcome.

February 5, 2023



Psalms: The School of Prayer by Jeff Cavins, Sarah Christmyer, and Tim Gray

St. Bede the Venerable Parish Adult Faith Formation program will offer "Psalms: The School of Prayer," starting on Tuesday, February 21, 2023 at 7:00 pm. It is an 11-week program for \$44.00. Participants will meet on Tuesday evenings at 7 pm in Drexel Center Room B to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship.

The Holy Spirit inspired them. Israel sang them. Christ Himself prayed them, as did our Blessed Mother. At the heart of the Bible are the psalms, prayers from God that help us to pray. In **Psalms: The School of Prayer**, discover how these sacred hymns become our heartfelt response to God's loving and wondrous deeds. Learn how to meditate fruitfully on the captivating words of the psalms using lectio divina, and study the many ways the psalms foretell the life and mission of Jesus. **Join us for Psalms: The School of Prayer at St. Bede's beginning 02/21/2023 for 11 sessions at 7:00 pm.**

What comes with registration: 1) one year online access to Psalms: The School of Prayer, 2) Workbook, 3) Online Workbook, and 4) snacks and beverages for all who participate in person.

Dates of Course: Tuesdays: 02/21, 02/28, 03/07, 03/28, 04/18, 04/25, 05/02, 05/09, 05/16, 05/23, and 05/30/2023; The course will meet from 7 pm to 8:30 pm in the Drexel Center Room B.

Please use the following link to register and sign up for the course: <https://forms.parishgiving.org/form-6337312/>. Registration will close for the course on 2/8/23. Thanks for your consideration.

For more information, please contact **Kathleen Tobin** at ktobin@st-bede.org

God Bless!
Shawn P. Tobin, Director of Religious Education

Join the St. Joseph's Men's Faith Sharing Group!



Men come out and join us to move forward in a year of encounter with each other and Jesus in His Word and in the struggles of daily life. Lent starts February 22, consider coming out to the Men's group as part of your Lenten journey. **Our next meeting is Saturday, Feb. 11, at 7 am in the Drexel Center- Room A. Meetings are every Saturday, except holiday weekends. Feel free to just show up!** Please reach out to

Shawn P. Tobin in the Religious Education Office (215-357-2130) or by email at stobin@st-bede.org for more information.

Cornerstone for Life



Spring/Lenten Vigil Feb. 22-April 2 At the Planned Parenthood 610 Louis Dr., Warminster

We are asking for prayer volunteers to be present at the abortion clinic from 7:00am to 7:00pm, Monday through Friday, until the end of the campaign on April 2. If you are interested in signing up for an hour of prayer and vigil visit the website:

www.40daysforlife.com/en/waminister

Or contact Vigil coordinator Sean Harney at bucks40days@gmail.com

Altar Flower Dedications

Feb. 12, 2023

In memory of Dr. Charles F. Jackson
Req. by his wife, Barbara

Feb. 19, 2023

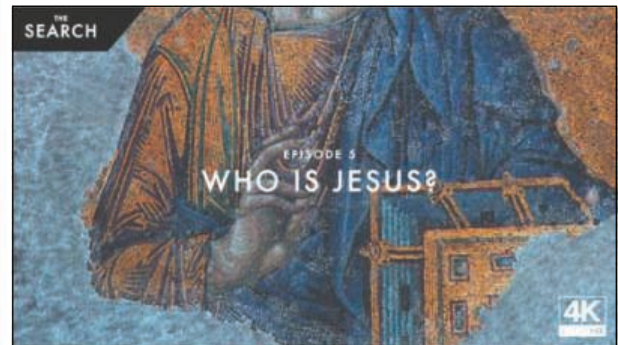
In memory of Ray O'Donnell
Req. by Dorie O'Donnell

Dedicated flowers remain on the altar during the entire weekend. Many dates are still available in 2023, and the cost is \$50 per side. For more information, contact the Parish Office at 215-357-5720.

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A Gift to you from St. Bede the Venerable Parish



The most beautiful part of this story is this we can know God's love, personally. This is the person of Jesus. But how did this seemingly insignificant carpenter born into poverty in a dusty corner of the Roman Empire become the most pivotal figure in all of history? Christianity isn't simply a philosophy for life – the center of Christianity is a person. We look at the life of Jesus and what he came to do. Ultimately, we need to decide if Jesus really was who he said he was. We can't sit on the fence. Because if Jesus really was who he said he was, we need to make him the Lord of our lives, and everything changes.

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3. Register with your name and email address
4. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED!

Bucks County Regional

Kairos

February 24-26, 2023

HIGH SCHOOL
JUNIORS AND SENIORS ONLY

Cost is \$300

Location: St. Mary of Providence Center
Elverson, PA

Contact

Our lady of Guadalupe

Lisa Kopertowski

Youthministry@olguadalupe.org

Rachel's Vineyard

RETREAT WEEKEND

MARCH 3 – 5, 2023

IHM SPIRITUALITY CENTER
210 IHM DRIVE MALVERN, PA

If you or someone you love has been suffering from the emotional and spiritual pains of an abortion – no matter how much time has passed – please know that a Rachel's Vineyard retreat weekend will help your soul transform that pain into hope for the future. **Rachel's Vineyard retreats bring healing and God's forgiveness** to the trauma and darkness of abortion for those who think they have committed the unforgivable sin. **God's mercy is greater than sin and is waiting for us to reach out for it.** Join us for a safe, loving, and confidential weekend to **experience the healing power of God's infinite mercy.**

Contact our team to register or if you have any questions:

Susan: 610-716-4795

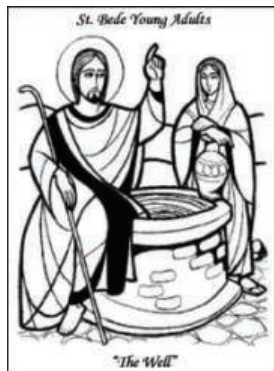
Georgeann: 484-955-4278

Come to "The Well" Young Adults Group

Please see the schedule below for the young adults group, The Well.
(meetings are in the Drexel Center at 7:30pm, unless noted)

- Feb. 9: Discussion - Christ's Ministry
- Feb. 16: Men and Women groups, talk about identifying goals
- Feb. 23: Discussion - Lenten prep

For more information, email to thewell.sbya@gmail.com



2023 CYO TRACK & FIELD REGISTRATION



Registration for the 2023 CYO Track & Field season is now open. CYO Track is open to all eligible K-8th graders.

Registration will close on February 19 No late registrations will be accepted. To register please visit:

Participant: <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/353358>

Volunteer: <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/353369>

Visit us on Facebook (search StBedeCYO) or the Latest News section on our website

(<https://stbedecyo.teamsnapsites.com/>)

for full details on the Track & Field program, how to get spirit wear, and eligibility.

Questions can be directed to Vince LaFrado (stbedetrack@gmail.com).

03.04 2023 MANUP PHILLY

PHILADELPHIA'S ANNUAL CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

Man Up Philly 2023 invites the men of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia to the 15th Annual Men's Spirituality Conference to be held on Saturday, March 4th at Cardinal O'Hara's St. John Vianney Hall Theater .

We encourage all men – fathers, sons, brothers, friends – to join us *On the Road to Emmaus*, for an inspiring day of faith and fellowship.

Come back to the Lord. Join your brothers in Christ!



Cardinal Dolan



Deacon Mahoney



Jim Wahlberg



Mark Forrest



Archbishop Perez

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2023

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER
VISIT MANUPPHILLY.COM



Please contact Jim McMonagle (jimmcmonagle@verizon.net) or Tom Bresnahan (tbresjr@verizon.net) if you would like to join the St. Bede's Men's group as they travel down to experience the life changing grace of Man Up Philly.

Refuge

MT 11:28

Sign Up Now
July 14-16, 2023

PLEASE SIGN UP NOW!!!!
WE MUST GET AN APPROXIMATE NUMBER BY JAN. 25 SO WE CAN REGISTER OUR GROUP!!! CONTACT THE YOUTH MINISTRY OFFICE (215-357-5113) FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.



Location: Franciscan University in Ohio

Students currently in grades 8-12

Contact the Youth Ministry office to find out about fundraising and to register! 215-357-5113 or youthminister@st-bede.org

BEDE'S TEENS

Maritza Carmona-Kelly, Youth Minister
 youthminister@st-bede.org
 www.st-bede.org/youthministry
 215-357-5113



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Hello Everyone

Last week we held the second session of the **Families of Faith Initiative**. This night had parents to hear from several couples who have young adult children speak about the graces, joys, challenges and pitfalls they faced when raising their children. It was a grace-filled night and those who I spoke to afterwards said it was fantastic. One attendee commented how it was affirming to hear these families speak of their family faith traditions that are similar to what she does with her family. We don't have a date yet for the next gathering but if you have suggestions for topics that you want to hear about or ideas for guest speakers, please contact one of the parish staff members. We want to hear from YOU. This initiative is all about helping YOU parent in today's culture.



Maritza Carmona-Kelly



A HUGE Thank you to several teens who gave up their time to help with babysitting at the event - Keira Culhane, Lilli Kelly, Grace Donnelly and Chris Fyke.

ATTENTION TEENS, Have you encountered Jesus in your life lately?? Do you feel that your relationship with Jesus is not what it use to be?? Are you losing your connection with Jesus amidst the pressure from school and the challenges you face in life? If so, consider spending some time with Him.... Allow yourself to encounter Christ by attending one of the upcoming retreats or trips. **Register NOW for...**

The Steubenville Youth Conference trip (youth in 8th - 12th grade). We are going July 14-16 to Franciscan Univ. in Steubenville, Oh. This is a phenomenal conference attended by youth from around the country.

H.S. Juniors or Seniors are invited to the Kairos retreat. **Kairos** is a phenomenal retreat experience based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. Youth will experience the Love of Christ like never before. *Let God Love You At Kairos! I guarantee He will Surprise You!*

God Bless!
 Maritza

February 5, 2023

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP NEWS!

The next gathering of the Middle School Youth Group is **Sunday, February 26 at 7pm in the Drexel Center**

We are making Jared Boxes at this meeting! Jared Boxes are small shoeboxes filled with small toys, games, puzzles, etc. for children who are undergoing treatment at the hospital. Youth are asked to donate items and plastic shoe boxes for this project. Parishioners are welcome to donate items also. ALL donated items should be dropped off in the parish office by Feb. 21, so they can be sorted before the meeting.

Questions about this group, to receive registration forms and/or if you would like to be added to the Middle School Youth Group e-mail list to receive news of upcoming events, send an e-mail to middleschoolyouthgroup@gmail.com

TRIPLE T

Triple T gatherings
 For Youth in High School!
 (Weekly Dinner & Discussion gathering)
 All are welcome

The Next Triple T gathering
 Thurs. Feb 9, 2023
 At 6pm in the Youth Center
 We are watching a new series called ALPHA Youth

@Triple T
 Friendships are formed & strengthened
 Faith is better understood & deepened
 & FUN is always on the menu!!

ST. BEDE H. S. COED VOLLEYBALL



ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
 ARE INVITED TO JOIN
REGISTRATION
JAN. 29 & FEB. 5
 10am -12noon
REGISTRATION FEE \$70

Registration forms can be obtained by contacting the Youth Ministry Office.
 Questions Contact Maritza in the Youth Ministry office at youthminister@st-bede.org or 215-357-5113

Mass Intentions This Week

The 6:30am Mass Monday through Friday is celebrated in the Daily Mass Chapel. The 9:00am Mass is celebrated in the Upper Church. The Sunday 9:30am Mass will be livestreamed, and also available to view online all day Sunday, and throughout the week.

Monday, Feb. 6

+ 6:30am - Henry N. Wilczynski (Req. by Susan DiFlorio)
+ 9:00am - Xenia Leshak (Req. by Maria Reichold)

Tuesday, Feb. 7

+ 6:30am - Henry Wilczynski (Req. by St. Bede Adult Choir)
+ 9:00am - Charles Kalata (Req. by Carolyn Kalata & family)

Wednesday, Feb. 8

+ 6:30am - Charles Jackson (Req. by Barbara Jackson)
+ 9:00am - David McDowell (Req. by Peg M. Kenna)

Thursday, Feb. 9

+ 6:30am - Sullivan & Mary Marine (Req. by Monsignor Marine)
+ 9:00am - Peter & Doris Mack, Francis & Elizabeth O'Donnell (Req. by Dorie O'Donnell)

Friday, Feb. 10

+ 6:30am - Rita McFadden-Lofgren (Req. by Monsignor Marine)
+ 9:00am - Brian Niemann (Req. by Harry Niemann, III)

Saturday, Feb. 11

+ 8:30am - Jean Hoff (Req. by the Bonner family)
+ 5:30pm - Richard & Maria Grima (Req. Greg & Christine Sherlock)

Sunday, February 12, 2023

+ 7:30am - Special Intentions
+ 9:30am - Sheridan, Jackson, Cianfrini & McHenry families (Req. by the family)
+ 11:00am - For the People of the Parish
+ 12:30pm - Jeff Kelly (Req. by St. Bede Teen Choir)

Weekly Stewardship Report

(Week of Jan. 29, 2023)

FIRST COLLECTION / ENV. AND LOOSE BILLS:	\$16,619.66
FIRST COLLECTION / E-GIVING:	\$6,998.50
TOTAL FIRST COLLECTION:	\$26,618.50
Last year's First Collection Total:	\$24,599.00
FIRST COLLECTION AVG. (includes e-giving):	\$24,877.00
Second Collection - no second collection	\$0.00
Christmas 2022 (so far):	\$102,638.00
Christmas 2021 total:	\$111,013.00
Parish Stewardship so far (includes e-giving)	\$110,735.00
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Remember The Deceased

**James M. Powers, Carol McCoy,
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We are united in prayer with their families and with one another as we and all the faithful departed await our rising with the Lord.

Pray for the Sick

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