



# 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) Vig-**

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**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.



# 7th Sunday of Easter May 12, 2024

*“As You sent Me into the world, so I sent them into the world.”*  
**John 17: 18**



## A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PASTOR

My dear parishioners,

Today throughout the United States, we celebrate Mother’s Day. For those of us fortunate to still have our mothers, this day makes us step back and appreciate and honor this special person in our lives. Who brought us into this world and, no matter her age, offers us still her wisdom, guidance and example.

For those of us whose mothers, like mine, have left this world and now reside in God’s heavenly mansion, we acknowledge yet again how much we miss her and even now, try our best to make her proud.

No matter whether our mothers are living or deceased, Mother’s Day prompts us to reach out and show our appreciation and love for her. We do that with greeting cards, flowers, dinner with her or a phone call. And for our deceased mothers, we have our prayers, which Jesus carries to our mothers. And He carries back her love for us. For He is the bridge that connects heaven and earth.

But Mother’s Day is also an appropriate day to honor the Mother who unites us as one family. And that, of course is Mary, the mother of Jesus and the mother of the entire Church. Hundreds of years before Mother’s Day was established in the U.S.A., the Catholic Church dedicated the month of May to Mary. It makes sense because Mary in so many ways was integral in God’s plan for humanity’s redemption through His Son, Jesus.

For just as all nature comes back to life from its dormant months of winter during the month of May, so Mary by her cooperation with God’s plan helped the world to see that her Son’s death would lead to the New Life of His resurrection.

In a recent article by Father Francis Sariago, he wrote: “That with the heart of a mother Mary at the marriage feast



“Our Lady, Undoer of Knots.” Painting by Johann Georg Melchior Schmidtner, located in the Catholic pilgrimage church of St. Peter am Perlach in Augsburg, Bavaria.

of Cana, seeing that the wine ran out, went to her Son and asked Him for His first miracle – namely to change water into wine.” Father Sariago writes that, “Even now, as she has done all through the centuries Mary is not content “with staying home in heaven.” She watches over us, her children, interceding.” Her final words ever recorded in the Gospel summarize what we must do to attain eternal happiness: *“Do whatever He tells you.” (John 2: 5)*

Unfortunately our world has failed to listen to her motherly direction. But it is never too late. For like a good mother, Mary never gives up on us. Pope Benedict XVI had a favorite devotion to Mary, under the title “Undoer of Knots.” Much of this world is tied up with hatred and dissention. Let us go to Mary and ask her to assist us in untying the knots that exist in our hearts by “doing whatever He tells us.”

Happy Mother’s Day, Mary! And Happy Mother’s Day to all of our mothers!

May God Bless you.

*Monsignor Marine*

## Welcome Our New Parishioners

**Stephen & Lynn O’Donnell**

*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.*

## Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

**Pentecost  
May 19, 2024**

*Acts 2: 1-11*

*Res. Psalm 104: 1, 24, 29-31, 34*

*1 Corinthians 12: 3b-7, 12-13*

*or Galatians 5: 16-25*

*John 20: 19-23 or 15: 26-27, 16: 12-15*

Our readings show us that the Spirit comes to us in different ways. Whether in a driving wind, tongues of fire, or the breath of Christ, the Holy Spirit comes and bestows on us many gifts. As we listen to these readings, let us reflect on how the Holy Spirit comes to each of us, and pray for the grace to use the Spirit’s gifts generously and wisely.



# Padre Pio Committee Presents Check to St. Mary Pediatric Wing

Dear Monsignor Marine,

It was wonderful seeing you and your committee. On behalf of all of us at St. Mary, we are truly grateful for your kindness and generosity! Thank you for your very generous \$15K donation from your Padre Pio Festival to the St. Mary Pediatric ED.

Your kindness has funded the purchase of a vital piece of technology – a vein finder- which is now helping our smallest patients in big ways. This tool makes treatments quicker and less invasive for our little ones, thanks to your support.

Your generosity is not just a gift, but a lifeline for many families and their children. We are deeply grateful for your support and proud to be part of such a compassionate community.

I am looking forward to the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Padre Pio Festival.

With Sincere Gratitude,

**Margie Zimmerman**

Donor Engagement & Experience Officer

St. Mary Medical Center Office of Philanthropy



Pictured for the check presentation were (back row), John Lutz, Courtney Nwobu, Robert Howell of WSFS Bank, Monsignor Marine, Edward Bagdon, Cas Ilenda, Dr. Michael Magro, President of St. Mary, Ed O'Dell, Dr. Amir Basta, a resident at St. Mary, and Jeannette Stemen. Kneeling are Drs. Darren Geracinnon and Julio Vializ. Inset photo shows Committee members and Mr. Howell with the new medical device, funded by the donation.

## Parish Outreach Ministry

**MANNA FOOD DRIVE**  
**PICK UP A MANNA BAG AFTER MASSES**  
**MAY 11 AND MAY 12**  
**RETURN FILLED BAGS - SUNDAY MAY 19**  
**AFTER ALL THE MASSES TO THE PICKUP**  
**TRUCK PARKED BY THE ST. FRANCIS CENTER.**

We need your help to supply our parish food pantry and our local food pantry for the summer.

All nonperishable food items appreciated.

Thank you!

Kris Ingle, Outreach Coordinator  
*Open our eyes to see the needs of others.*  
*Open our ears to hear your call to share.*  
*Open our hearts to welcome all people to the table of love. Amen!*

## Bereavement Group Ministry

Our next Bereavement Group meeting will be on **Thursday May 16 at 10:00am**, in the St. Francis Center. Please call Lynn O'Brien if you plan to attend: 215-504-4718.

## Remember The Deceased

**Barbara Niederriter, Theresa Winnemore, Dolores Andrews**

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.



## Perpetual Adoration Chapel Altar Candle Dedication

May 13-19, 2024

**For Jackie & Butch Brittingham**  
**(Req. by his son & family)**

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

## First Communicant's Breakfast

Recently, SKD School held a special breakfast for all of our students who recently received their First Holy Communion. Congratulations to all of our communicants, who get to wear their Communion outfits at this year's May Procession!



### Principal's Corner

During the month of May, we focus on Mary, our Mother. Mary is the best example of motherhood, devotion, and a sense of hope that our Lord has given us so freely. During this month dedicated to Mary, our students offer special prayers and devotions to our Mother, Most Pure.



Ms. Laura Clark

On Thursday, May 16th, our entire school community will participate in our annual school May Procession. I invite you to attend this beautiful procession and crowning as we know remember no better way to honor Jesus than to honor His mother.

May God bless all of our mothers as we celebrate with them today. In the words of Saint Katharine Drexel, *"O Holy Mother of God, behold your child! I am not worthy but Jesus gave me to you. I am a part of His legacy; teach me to be all that a child of Mary ought to be."*

Ms. Laura Clark, M.S., Ed.  
Principal, SKD School  
215-357-4720 / [www.skdschool.org](http://www.skdschool.org)

#### Gwynedd Mercy Academy High School: Summer Camps

Girls in grades 4 – 12 are invited to attend our summer camps! Programs are offered in athletics, performing arts, visual arts, and STEM.

Learn more and register at [gmahs.org/camps](http://gmahs.org/camps).

**COMING SOON!**  
**Companions on the Journey**  
**Corpus Christi Procession**  
**Saturday June 1, 2024 @ 7:00pm**  
Joining together the Catholic Communities of:  
**Saint Bede the Venerable, Holland**  
**Saint Vincent de Paul, Richboro**  
**Nativity of Our Lord, Warminster**  
**Assumption BVM, Feasterville**  
Northampton Township Municipal Park  
281 Hatboro Road, Churchville, PA  
The entire procession will begin and end in the park.

# Religious Education

Dear Missionary Disciples,

Happy Eastertide! Christ is risen! Happy 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter. This week's Gospel has the famous prayer of unity by Jesus: "Holy Father, keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are one." (John 17: 1-2)



Mr. Shawn Tobin

This is the prayer of Jesus for his Church to remain one just as the Heavenly Father, Jesus and Holy Spirit are one, one God in three persons. This is the prayer of Jesus before he is arrested and taken away to his death. He sees His passion coming and knows the nature of man, which is to seek him or herself and the desire of their own hearts. Lord, let us all be one again, may all Christians be one again in faith and love.

**CCD:** Thanks to everyone for a great CCD year! Our CCD May Procession and Ice Cream Social were a big hit. This year our May Queen and Attendant were the following: Hailey Fitzgerald and Chase Bauer who received the great honor to Crown Mary! They were supported by our lovely May Court of Brooklyn Blake, Lucia Geiger, Vivienne Farrell, Hailey Harrar, Christian Marr, and Emma Sweeney.

**Summer CCD registration has started!** Families, please check your emails for the welcome email. If you did not receive it, please reach out to Mrs. Nolan ([rnolan@st-bede.org](mailto:rnolan@st-bede.org)). We still have open slots for Kindergarten, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7<sup>th</sup> grade. Signing up for Kindergarten is a great way to get your children comfortable with CCD. Registration for Traditional / Home-schooling 2024-25 CCD starts July 8<sup>th</sup>. Sign up early for the best discounts. All parishioners, please seriously consider helping out with CCD! Without your help, we would not be able to sustain our CCD program.

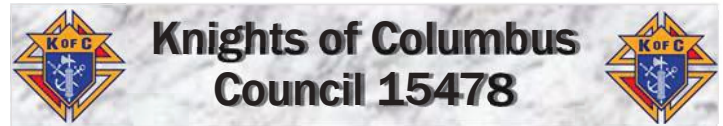


**RCIA:** Congrats to Sean Meyers, Josh Moss, Rachel Dawicki, Janet Kifolo, Victoria Meakim and Andrew Moss who are all now full brothers and sisters in our beautiful family of the Church! We had our final class, party and stump Monsignor (Photo above).

Please congratulate them and continue to pray for them as they embark on the adventure of a lifetime, the adventure of getting to know Jesus Christ and His Church!

**All families new to the parish,** please contact me to discuss your child's religious education. I may be contacted at 215-357-2130 or [stobin@st-bede.org](mailto:stobin@st-bede.org) May Blessed Carlo Acutis and St. Clare of Assisi bless and pray for you!

Shawn P. Tobin MAPS  
Director of Religious Education



**Knights of Columbus Meeting**  
The next meeting of the Saint Bede Parish Knights of Columbus Council 15478 is scheduled in the Drexel Center on **Thursday May 16, at 7:30pm.** ALL Knights should check their email for details and respond to Ed Bagdon to confirm attendance: [ebagdon@verizon.net](mailto:ebagdon@verizon.net)

**Join the St. Joseph Men's Faith Sharing Group!**  
Happy Eastertide! Christ is risen! Let us rise with Him and come together to grow in his love and the Spirit of God. Please come out and join the Men's group! **Our next meeting is Saturday, May 18 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](mailto:stobin@st-bede.org) for more information.





**PAVE THE WAY  
Capital Campaign 2024**

This summer we will completely rebuild our almost 60 year old parking lot. Everyone's support is needed for this \$500,000 project. Please fill out the donor card you should have received in the mail. For your convenience donations can be made in the following ways:

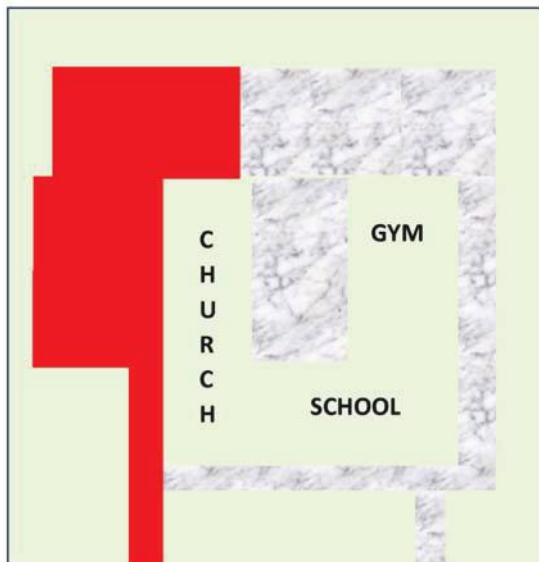
- \* By check or cash in the envelope received with the donor card. The donor card can also be used to indicate whether the enclosed donation is complete or whether additional payments will be made to fulfill the pledge.
- \* By check or cash in our monthly pink Capital Campaign Parking Lot Project envelopes. This is a good way to make regular payments to fulfill the pledge indicated on the donor card.
- \* By credit card or bank transfer through our e-giving website



Thank you for your support.

**PAVE THE WAY  
Capital Campaign 2024**

**Progress – 65%**



This diagram indicates the portion of the parking lot that would be reconstructed using funds from the Campaign.

**Cornerstone for Life**

**Chemical abortion pill, what is it?**

- ◆ First dose, Mifeprex (mifepristone or RU-486), to stop pregnancy.
- ◆ Only Mifeprex is FDA approved up to 70 days (10 weeks) into pregnancy.
- ◆ Second dose, Cytotec (misoprostol), uterine contractions to empty the uterus.
- ◆ Cytotec use for abortion is off-label; usage is not FDA approved.
- ◆ Need prescription but in-person doctor visit is NOT required.

**Medical Risks:**

- ◆ FDA aware of reported deaths, life-threatening infections, hospitalizations, and need for blood transfusions.
- ◆ Due to reported infections and bleeding, Mifeprex is used on a restricted program.
- ◆ Uterine rupture can occur if a woman has a history of uterine rupture, C-section scar, drug used after 10 weeks of pregnancy, and/or drug over usage.
- ◆ Mifeprex not to be used if there is an ectopic pregnancy or have an IUD in place.

**Abortion Pill Abuse:**

- ◆ Since no in-person doctor visit is required, NO medical oversight!
- ◆ Unregulated websites are promoting the abortion pill and illegal ways to obtain.
- ◆ Cross-continental networks sell and ship these pills for profit and opportunity.
- ◆ Illegal usage to stop pregnancy from sexual abuse/sex trafficking or without consent, such as spiking a drink!

**Additional Concerns:**

- ◆ Aborted babies either disposed of through the sewer system or may need to be buried in the backyard: How is this affecting society's view of life, and our environment?

**References:**

- ◆ The covert abortion network that could upend GOP plans for a Post-Roe America - The Washington Post from Oct 18, 2022
- ◆ Published October 21, 2021 You Can Now Order Abortion Pills Before You're Pregnant in all 50 States (jezebel.com)
- ◆ Drug information obtained from: Drugs@FDA: FDA-Approved Drugs
- ◆ From the Students for life blog, De 5, 2022: Mother Uses Chemical Abortion Pills to Hide The Repeated Rape of Her 12-Year-Old & Forced to Her Continue Living with Her Rapist-Students For Life of America

**There's still time to Register!**

**IHM NUN RUN - June 1, 2024 (A 5K run / 3K Walk)**

*(Proceeds benefit Camila Hall, the sisters' convent home)*

For information or to register, go to

**[www.ihmnunrun.org](http://www.ihmnunrun.org)**



## Padre Pio Festival/Parish Picnic

Don't Miss this Terrific Fun Opportunity!



Our Padre Pio Festivals & St Bede's Annual Parish Picnic planning is beginning.

The Parish Picnic Committee will be meeting on **Monday May 20 at 7:00pm in the Drexel Center**. New members, ideas & suggestions are most welcome!

If you are unable to come the meeting, feel free to send your ideas or suggestions to us.

If you are unable to come to meetings, we are also looking for volunteers to help- we have many ways you can help- we have a job to fit everyone's ability, talent, & time. (& mobility).

It is a wonderful way to meet new friends & have great fun too!!

Any questions, please call **Nancy Carberry at 215-322-9951**. please leave me a message .

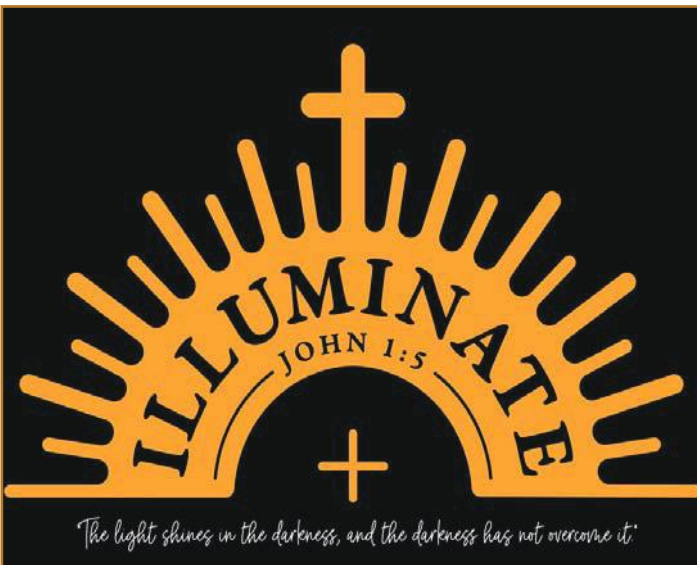


## IN-PEW COLLECTION MAY 18-19, 2024

Gifts made to the Catholic Charities Appeal will provide vital support to almost a million people in need. These individuals are served by a range of organizations, programs, and ministries throughout the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. The beneficiaries of the Catholic Charities Appeal focus on five key areas:

- Education
- Social Services
- Evangelization, Parish and Spiritual Life
- Clergy
- Local Mission Activities

Use the envelope provided to you or you can also contribute through electronic giving, fund transfer, planned or pledged gifts, matching gifts or gifts of security. For more information about any of the ways you can support the 2023 Catholic Charities Appeal, please call the Catholic Foundation of Greater Philadelphia at **215-587-5650** or email at [cca@thecfgp.org](mailto:cca@thecfgp.org)



Sign Up Now  
July 19-21, 2024

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](mailto:youthminister@st-bede.org)



# BEDE'S TEENS

Maritza Carmona-Kelly, Youth Minister  
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Snapchat - BedesTeens

Hello Everyone

Happy Mother's day to all mothers, grandmothers, godmothers, and those who love on young people as a mother. God's Blessings to all of you!

Last Sunday we blessed our **New Drivers**. Father Ryan blessed the new teen drivers and they were given a small token to remind them to take God on the road with them. It is also a reminder of this occasion which is a sign of their acceptance of more responsibility. After the Mass, Father Ryan braved the rain in order to bless new cars (and not so new cars) with new owners. We pray for God's protection over our new teen drivers. Below are a few photos.



Maritza Carmona-Kelly



This Sunday, May 12 we will recognize ALL of our High School and College Graduates at our **annual Graduates Mass**. We will recognize them at the 11am Mass. I will share photos next week.

**STUBENVILLE UPDATE:** If you know a teen that would like to go to Steubenville but the cost was an issue. PLEASE let them know that I have scholarship money for youth interested in attending Steubenville! They should contact me ASAP!!!! Current 8th - 12th graders can attend! If you know ANY student who would like to attend the Steubenville Youth Conference PLEASE have them contact me!!! We are attending in July (July 19-21)

Parents, grandparents — Take note, ALL of our youth should attend this conference at least once in their High School years! It is such an amazing experience of the young Church and of Christ Love for them. PLEASE encourage teens in your life to attend! PLEASE contact me immediately if you know a teen who would like to attend, who is in need of a scholarship or who would just like to get more information about the conference. Thank you!

God Bless!  
Maritza

## MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP NEWS!

*If you have a child in Middle School (6, 7 or 8 grade) PLEASE make sure you get on our email list so you can receive updates on the activities and events we have during the summer and the school year.*

*Summer calendar coming soon!!!*

*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](mailto:middleschoolyouthgroup@gmail.com)*

## TRIPLE T

*Triple T gatherings  
For Youth in High School!  
(Weekly Dinner & Discussion gathering)  
All H.S Teens are welcome*

*The next Triple T meeting is on Thurs.  
May 16 at 6pm  
In the Youth Center*

*8th Graders are welcome to join us, to see what Triple T is like.*

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

## Evening of the Arts at Martin Saints Thursday, May 16, 2024, 7:00pm At St. Titus Church 3006 Keenwood Road, East Norriton, PA 19403

Martin Saints is warmly inviting you for a spring concert. It will be held at St. Titus, on Thursday, May 16. Doors open at 6:30pm for 7pm start. Musical selections include excerpts from Faure's Requiem, as well as works by Victoria, Dawson, and more. It's free, all are welcome, and it's going to be beautiful. After the concert, student art will be on display downstairs, and refreshments will be served.

Sometimes it can be hard to rally for a night out. You want to do it for this one. It will knock your socks off, and leave you feeling lighter, more hopeful, full of joy. Amen!



## Mass Intentions This Week

During the Easter season, all Daily and Sunday Masses are 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. Find the link on our website: [st-bede.org](http://st-bede.org) (*Living intentions in italics*)

### Monday, May 13

+ 6:30am - Mr. & Mrs. DePrince (Req. by Joanne DePrince)  
 + 9:00am - Peter & Doris Mack, Francis & Elizabeth O'Donnell (Req. by Dorie O'Donnell)

### Tuesday, May 14

+ 6:30am - Henry "Butch" Acchione, Jr. (Req. by Tony & Joan Canuso)  
 + 9:00am - Steve Tarquinio (Req. by Carolyn Kalata & family)

### Wednesday, May 15

+ 6:30am - Helen M. Canuso-16th anniversary (Req. by son Tony Canuso, Sr.)  
 + 9:00am - Gary Bau (Req. by Nancy & Joe O'Leary)

### Thursday, May 16

+ 6:30am - Albert Clarke (Req. by Joyce & John Schleyer)  
 + 9:00am - Cecilia Kempster (Req. by her husband Joe)

### Friday, May 17

+ 6:30am - Barbara Fallon (Req. by Barb Cullen)  
 + 9:00am - Mary Baglivo (Req. by Kristin Kopania)

### Saturday, May 18

+ 8:30am - Marie D. Connelly (Req. by Judy & Maureen Connelly)  
 + 5:30pm - Linda Sherlock (Req. by Gregory Sherlock)

### Sunday, May 19, 2024

7:30am - For the People of the Parish  
 + 9:30am - Gloria O'Donnell (Req. by the Hart family)  
 + 11:00am - Patrick W. Smith (Req. by William Smith)  
 + 12:30pm - Special Intentions

## Weekly Stewardship Report

(Week of May 5, 2024)

FIRST COLLECTION / ENV. AND LOOSE BILLS:	\$15,816.00
FIRST COLLECTION / E-GIVING:	\$11,189.00
TOTAL FIRST COLLECTION:	\$27,005.00
Last year's First Collection Total:	\$21,251.00
FIRST COLLECTION AVG. (includes e-giving):	\$25,180.00
EASTER 2024 (so far):	\$68,045.00
Easter 2023:	\$61,160.00
Parish Stewardship 2024 (includes e-giving)	\$129,255.00
Stewardship total for 2023:	\$111,630.00
2024 Catholic Charities Appeal (as of 4/26/24):	\$41,460.00
2024 Catholic Charities Goal:	\$96,417.00
2023 Catholic Charities total:	\$88,779.00

### RETRouvaille: REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE

Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. The next program will be held August 9 - 11, 2024 and again on October 4 - 6 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. For more information, or to register, visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org) or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

## "Lest We Forget"

Let us keep our brave young men and women who serve our country both here and abroad in our prayers:

SN Angela Barber, USN	MSgt. David Marcella, USAF
Cpl. Dolores C. Bowers, USMC	BM-3 Kirsti Mendez, USN
Lt. Col. Anissa Buckley (RN), US Army	Maj. John Nachtman, Jr., USAF
Senior CPO James Buckley, USN	ENS Jessica L. Nangle, USN
Col. Charles B. Chalfont, US Army	Sr. Airman Sean Olah, USAF
PO3 Jonathan Chisholm, USCG	2Lt. James Reitter, US Army
Capt. James Devlin, US Army	Maj. Allison Riley, USAF
SSG Matthew DiFlorio, US Army	SGM Steven Rodriguez, US Army
Lt. Col. Michael Erlandson, US Army	SrA Alicia Sabatini,
Lt. Col. Stephen Finn, USAF	USAF-National Guard
Lt. Thomas Gaus, USN	SPC Matthew Sawaya, US Army
TSgt. Scott Grove, USAF	Maj. Valerie K. Smith, USMC
TSgt. Timothy Harman, USAF	Capt. James Edward
MSgt. Austin Heacock, USAF	Stepenosky MD, USN
LCDR Jenny Held, MD, USN	Pfc. Austin Sypek, US Army
Capt. Craig Hensel, USCG	ENS Harry F. Theurer, IV, USN
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## Pray for Peace Sundays in May

Every Sunday during the month of May, you are invited to join with members of our Legion of Mary as they pray the rosary in front of the statue of Our Lady of Fatima, located at the entrance to our Parish Center/Gym, to pray for world peace.

We will meet after the 12:30pm Mass - all are welcome!



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