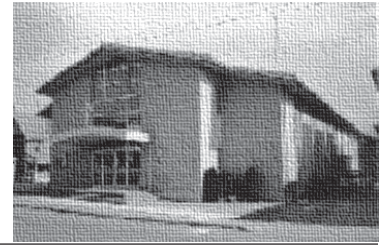


# Saint Joseph Church of Coatesville



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## Masses for the Week

Masses for the week of February 13th, 2000 will be offered at St. Stanislaus Kostka Church.

*Saturday, February 19th, 6:30pm*

*Joseph Arvay Sr. - Anniversary Mass*

*(Mary Arvay & Family)*

Altar Servers ..... L.O'Malley/L.Rhoades/B.Barnes  
Eucharistic Minister ..... Dubinski  
Lector ..... Elaine

*Sunday, February 20th, 10:30am*

*Robert S. Travaglini (Glen & Betty Wagner)*

Altar Servers ..... E.Gushananas/J.Lasak/D.Neff  
Eucharistic Ministers ..... Hillman/Bugar  
Lector ..... Laura

## Welcome

We welcome Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey & Mary Kinnier-Nesbitt and their children Elizabeth Kinnier and Jessica Nesbitt; also Mr. Stephen Hurley to our parish. We are pleased they will be making their spiritual home with us.

## Your Prayers are Requested

In the kindness of your prayers, please remember the Sick: Mary Shesko, Julia Esposito, John Yankech, Maxanne Sushinski and son Kenneth, Mary Riley, Jean Moister, Lyndsey Conner, Carolyn Pechin, Ann Hook, Joan Emery, Cecilia Shesko, Olivia Monko, Ann Hoskins, Liz Bradford, Anthony Paladino, Mary Murray.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

This weekend, Confessions will be heard on Saturday, February 12th, from 5:45 to 6:15pm, prior to the Evening Mass.

Next weekend, Confessions will be heard on Sunday, February 20th, from 9:45 to 10:15am, prior to the Morning Mass.

Also, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available upon request at anytime.

## Weekly Jubilee Year Event

This week's Day of Eucharistic Exposition will be conducted on Tuesday, February 15th, in St. Stanislaus Kostka Church. The Exposition opens immediately following the 9:00am Mass and continues throughout the day until a closing Prayer Service at 5:00pm. Keep in mind, please the Eucharistic focus on every Tuesday in the Jubilee Year 2000.

## St. Charles Seminary Appeal

A special collection being taken up this weekend, February 12th/13th, will benefit St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, Overbrook. When you financially support our Archdiocesan Seminary, you make an investment in your parish and your family, for today's seminarians are tomorrow's priests. Please be as generous to the Seminary Appeal as your means permit. Thank you very much!

## Confirmation Enrollment Ceremony

This Sunday morning's Mass features a brief Ceremony on Enrollment for those children of the Parish called to Confirmation and entering upon a more defined period of preparation. We happily acknowledge as candidates for the Sacrament the following boys and girls: Christian Arabia, David Bednar, Michael Dailey, Samantha Davis, Tony Gushanas, David Hrinak, Rebecca Kousisis, Kristine Kubala, Sarah Lasak, Patricia McNamara, Carli Nagy, Danny Neff, Kaitlin O'Malley, Laura O'Malley, Christopher Ponto, Sarah Reczek, Lynn Rhoades, Woodrow Snell, Monica Weaver and Kristina Weinrich. As a parish family, we pledge to them every encouragement and the support of our prayers. Confirmation will be administered by Bishop Martin Lohmuller, retired Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia, on Pentecost Sunday, June 11th.

## Cardinal's Pastoral Visit

Plans are well underway for our hosting the Pastoral Visit of His Eminence, Anthony Cardinal Bevilacqua, Archbishop of Philadelphia, on Saturday, February 26th. His Eminence's presence among us for the Celebration of Mass and a Parish Reception certainly doubles our joy during this Jubilee Year 2000. Please look for a formal announcement of this singular event to be arriving in your mailbox. The favor of your early reply would be greatly appreciated.

### Third Annual Cadillac Dinner

Please remember to make your reservations for CACES's Third Annual Cadillac Dinner to be held on Saturday, February 26th, 2000 at the Festivities Room of J & J Catering in Exton. Cash and prizes awarded all evening totaling over \$12,000. Grand Prize is \$5,000 cash! For ticket information please call Anita Mazzula (610)518-0252; Kathleen Ponto (610)380-9947; or Diane Ward (610)383-5571.

### A Family Perspective

#### *6th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

As we are transformed and made whole by the power of Christ, we are asked to bring His healing touch to troubled family and community situations. No one person or group can be treated with indifference if we truly accept the challenge to live in imitation of Christ.

### CACES Registration Reminder

Registrations will be held in the Schneider Center, Parkesburg, on Monday, February 28th, from 9:00 to 12:00 and in the Primary School Office in St. Cecilia's Parish on Tuesday, February 29th, from 9:00 to 1:00.

To enter Kindergarten, a child must be five years old by September 1, 2000.

To enter First Grade, a child must be six years old by September 1, 2000. A birth certificate, Baptismal certificate and Immunization records are NECESSARY at the time of registration. Catholic families MUST present a letter from their Pastor verifying membership in the Parish before a child will be registered. There is a \$40.00 non-refundable registration fee.

All parents with pre-school children are invited to an orientation and social in the Schneider Center, Parkesburg, on Monday, February 28th at 9:30am. We will be happy to have you visit our little ones at work in their classrooms and answer any questions you may have about our school. This will be the ONLY Open House for the school year 2000-2001.

CACES will accept registrations from parishioners who have students in the public school district currently in Grades 1 to 6 depending on the availability of space. This registration will be done on the registration days in February. In the event of a strike by one of the public school districts, CACES registration will be closed until the strike is settled.

### Women's Club News

Please remember to sit as a group this Sunday in the front pews to receive Communion - followed by our Women's Club Breakfast at the Downingtown Country Club - after the 10:30 Mass.

### SPRING BAZAAR - Sunday, April 9th

If you are able to contribute anything that can be chanced off,

please call Ann Cigas at 610/384-2955. Also, if you know of any crafters that might be interested in renting a table, please have them contact Susan Sandoski at 610/383-5768.

Don't forget our first pierogie session scheduled for next Saturday, February 19th beginning at 8:00 AM in the School Hall. We need men to roll the dough!! All are welcome. Remember - many hands make the workload much easier.

Our first kiefli session is scheduled for Tuesday, February 22nd beginning at approximately 6:00 PM. Please call Andy Levenite, 610/384-4665 if you are able to make a batch (or two) of dough.

### Family Life Information

Anniversary Masses - Celebrate your 25th, 50th, and Over 50th Wedding Anniversary with His Eminence Anthony Cardinal Bevilacqua at Mass in the Cathedral Basilica of SS Peter and Paul on Sunday, April 2, 2000. Posters with registration forms have been sent to all parishes.

Natural Family Planning - classes will be held at St. Ignatius Parish, Newtown beginning on February 10th and at St. Eleanor, Colledgeville beginning on February 25th. For more information, additional locations and dates, call the Family Life Office at 610-660-9002.

Retrouvaille of the Delaware Valley - is a program that helps couples in hurting marriages put the pieces back together and rebuilding loving relationships. If your marriage is tearing the two of you apart, if there is little or no meaningful communication, Retrouvaille may be able to help you. For information call 1-800-470-2230.

Separated and Divorced Catholics - support programs are held throughout the archdiocese. To receive a listing of locations, call the Family Life Office at 610-660-9002.

Courage - is a spiritual support group for homosexual men and women seeking to live according to the Church's teaching on sexuality. For information, call 215-587-4505 (Philadelphia) or 856-964-3401 (Camden). Confidentiality is assured.

Encourage - is a support group for parents, relatives, and friends of homosexual persons. For information call 215-587-4505. Confidentiality is assured.

Bereavement Programs - a directory listing parish/cluster Bereavement Programs is available by calling the Family Life Office at 610-660-9002.