

# St. Joseph's Church of Coatesville

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## How to register at St. Joe's

If you would like to register as a parishioner of St. Joseph's or have questions about the registration process, please contact Father John at 610/384-0360 to schedule a convenient time to register. We look forward to meeting you and welcoming you into our Parish family.

## Baptism & Marriage

Arrangements for Baptism and Marriage may be made by contacting the rectory. The preparation for these special sacramental events takes time, so wherever possible please call at least one month prior to the christening date and at least six months prior to the wedding date.

## Sacraments for the Sick

The Anointing of the Sick and Holy Communion are administered at home to our ill and housebound parishioners upon notification. Please inform Father Oulds when anyone is hospitalized. The sick always have a place in our community prayer.

## Music Ministry

Anyone interested in participating in the music ministry at St. Joseph's should contact Susan Sandoski (610/383-5768) or Andy Levenite (610/384-4665). We have choirs for both young and not so young and we are always on the lookout for new cantors, organists and helpers.

## Saturday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2005, 6:30 PM

Monica Wawiernia (Mr. & Mrs. Charles Smith)

Euch. Minister Mary Frances Johnson  
Lector Bill

## Sunday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2005, 10:30 PM

Mary Sabo (Mr. & Mrs. Terry Thompson)

Euch. Ministers Nesbitt & Krupansky  
Lector Kathy

Masses for the week of July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2005 will be offered in St. Joseph Church as noted:

Monday	9 am	Parishioners
Tuesday	9 am	Bill Frankow (Helen Frankow)
Wednesday	9 am	Max Sushinski (Betty Hracho)
Thursday	9 am	Agnes Novotny (Ann Reshey)
Friday	9 am	Jennie Obuch (A Friend)
Saturday	9 am	Jerry Deliberato (Bob & Ann Hamilton)

## Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2005, 6:30 PM

Ana Maria Yankech (Vera Lahm, Jerry & Lou Branson)

Euch. Minister Claypoole  
Lector Patrick

## Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2005, 10:30 AM

Betty Kinnier (Betty Pyzanowski & Josephine Tamarco)

Euch. Ministers Lasak, Jr. & Hillman  
Lector Phillip

## Your Prayers Are Requested

In the charity of your prayers, please remember the Sick: Julia Esposito, Marie Reali, Kate Ohar, Janet Yost, Dorothy Bodnar, Kathryn Magala, Jan Schultz, Andrew Hamara, Joanne Krupansky, Mary Kish, Bertha Amole, Dylan Manning, Helen Collins, Jim McConnell, Joseph Yankech, III, Joseph Salada, Nancy Stern, Michael Kozacheson, Bill Franklin, Brian Babcock, Joseph Dougherty, Albert Fuller, Josephine Regener, Henrietta Torma, Vera Lahm, Chelsea Osborne, Lisa Lucci, Father Joseph Hasieber, Steffie Levenite, Wayne Taylor, Robert Hracho, Deborah DeLellis, Sue Dunlap and Joseph Florian. Also, we pray for the well being of all our U.S. military currently serving in Iraq and Afghanistan.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

This weekend, confessions will be heard on Sunday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 9:45 to 10:15 a.m., prior to the Morning Mass. Next weekend, confessions will be heard on Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, from 5:45 to 6:15 p.m., prior to the Evening Mass. As always, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available anytime upon request.

## Vacation Bible School

With sincere appreciation, we thank Beth Ann Hackmeister and her talented team of volunteers in fashioning a delightful Vacation Bible School Program ("Kingdom of the Son") for the youngsters of our Parish during the evenings of this past week. Spirited music, arts and crafts, playful activities and Bible story telling all came together to focus on "A Safari Adventure" as a meeting place for God and His children. A truly good time was had by all. Again, many thanks to all whose time, energies and enthusiasm brought about these wonderful five nights.

## A Friday Breakfast Buffet

The Coatesville Area Senior Center is hosting an "All You Can Eat Breakfast Buffet" at their facilities (22 North Fifth Avenue) on Friday of this week, July 8<sup>th</sup>, from 7:00 to 9:00 a.m. The choice is yours either to eat in or to take out. The cost is only \$5.00 per person, and your satisfaction is guaranteed.

## **A Note of Appreciation**

Thank you for your generous support of the 2005 Catholic Charities Appeal. Your gift helps the Archdiocese of Philadelphia to serve more than a quarter of a million needy people annually. The donations of the Appeal Office has received through the Parish Solicitation Phase allows our Archdiocese to continue to provide assistance to the many people who depend every day on the funding generated by the Catholic Charities Appeal. May God, who cannot be outdone in generosity, reward your charity many, many times over.

### **Catholic Charities Appeal**

*Note from your chairperson*

We are pleased to announce that we went over our goal of \$12,000.00 and collected \$12,785.00 through the generosity of 102 of our parishioners. We sincerely thank those who participated in the worthy cause!

Ann B. Cigas

### **Shanahan Honor Roll**

Our Parish recently received notification of the performance of our students enrolled at Bishop Shanahan High School, Downingtown, on their End of the Year Reports. We are particularly proud of those who demonstrated academic excellence and happily acknowledge their significant achievement. Adam Lindemuth '07 merited first honors. Rebecca Kousisis '07 and Kirstan Leyda '08 merited second honors. Heartiest congratulations to our young scholars! May your next scholastic year hold similar success.

### **Annual Family Picnic in Mont Clare**

Sacred Heart Church of Phoenixville is hosting an Annual Family Picnic on Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup>, from 12:00 noon until 7:00 p.m., in Saint Michael's Picnic Grove, Jacob Street, Mont Clare. Featured will be Slovak and American Food, a variety of beverages, a Bake Table, adult games and children's entertainment. All are invited; admission is free. Live music will be provided by "The Polka Express". Come enjoy the day. No BYOB please.

### **Catholic Campaign For Human Development**

Presently in our country, thirty-four million people live in poverty. Tragically, this number includes one of every six of our nation's children. Since 1970, the Catholic Campaign for Human Development has worked in our name to sow seeds that help individuals and communities out of poverty, not only for a day, but for a lifetime. The Catholic Campaign funds projects in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and throughout the United States to support low-income people as they work together to solve community problems, increase educational opportunities and create jobs. The Second Collection next weekend, July 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>, will assist in

funding the anti-poverty programs of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. We look to you to repeat your generosity of the past in behalf of literally thousands of neighbors whose lives will be offered hope through the Catholic Campaign. Thank you!

### **Summer Clothing Drive**

The Archdiocesan Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be at our own St. Joseph Parish on Thursday, July 21<sup>st</sup>, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., to collect donations of usable men's, women's and children's clothing. They will also be accepting small household goods (bath and bed linens, pots and pans, dishes and cooking utensils, toys and books, and small appliances in good working order). You are invited to take all donations to the Society's trailer in our church parking lot. Tax receipts are available upon request. The Society also offers pick-up service for furniture, large appliances and vehicle donations. For more information, please call 215/288-8160. Thank you for helping the St. Vincent de Paul Society to help others.

### **Prayer on The Parkway**

Come, celebrate Christ's Eucharistic Presence. Join parishioners throughout the Archdiocese of Philadelphia for a Eucharistic Holy Hour and Benediction on Sunday, September 18, 2005, from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., at Logan Square on the Benjamin Franklin Parkway in Philadelphia. This prayerful event will mark the close of the Year of the Eucharist in the Archdiocese. For more information, please call 215/587-0525.

### **Auditions For The Archdiocesan Boys Choir**

The Archdiocesan Boys Choir of Philadelphia offers a rich musical and spiritual experience for boys in grades 2-8 who love to sing. The choir performs extensively throughout the Delaware Valley and has toured in the United States, Canada and Europe. Auditions are being held once again. For more information or to schedule an actual audition, please call either Tom Windfelder at 215/425-6995 or Teresa Zubert at 610/326-7041. Boys and their parents should give serious consideration to this wonderful opportunity.

### **A Papal Visit To Philadelphia Revisited**

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia, through its Office for Communications, is most pleased to offer videotape copies of the 1979 Mass celebrated by the late Pope John II on Logan Square in Philadelphia. This special presentation is made possible through the courtesy of WPVI-TV, channel 6. You may order either videotape for \$7.00 or a DVD for \$5.00 (including shipping and handling); please specify video or DVD when ordering. To place your order, enclose your check and mail to: Office for Communications, Archdiocese of

Philadelphia, 222 North 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103. Questions? Call 215/587-3747.

### **Summer At The Shore All-Class Reunion**

The Second Annual All-Class Reunion for Bishop Shanahan High School will be held on Saturday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 to 9:00 p.m., at LaCosta in Sea Isle, New Jersey. Tickets are \$15.00 per person, which includes admission, food and DJ. A Cash Bar will be available with drink specials all afternoon. Come out for an opportunity of meeting with fellow alumni and friends. For more details, call 610/343-8255.

### **A Fantastic Day For The Ladies**

It's back by popular demand – a Ladies' Day Out Theatre Trip, Rolling Cocktail Party and more fun than you can imagine! A bus trip is being run to Hairspray, the musical presentation at the Merriam Theatre in Philadelphia, on Sunday, September 11, 2005. Price for the outing is \$120.00, which includes deluxe coach round trip transportation, theatre ticket, registration cocktail party with appetizers, light dinner with dessert on return trip, rolling cocktail party en route and door prizes. All proceeds will benefit the new Pope John Paul II Regional Catholic Elementary School. Tickets are on a first come, first served basis. Call Vanessa Barron 610/383-4140, Nancy Persch 484/645-2939 or Mary Kay Hennessy 6610/384-8469 for reservations. Bring your friends and relatives. Hope to see you there!

### **Vicariate Charismatic Prayer Meetings**

Come and foster the gifts of the Holy Spirit at the Chester County Vicariate Prayer Meetings, to be held in Our Lady of Consolation Church, Parkesburg, at 7:00 p.m., on the first Wednesday of each month. Upcoming dates are: July 6<sup>th</sup>, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, and September 7<sup>th</sup>. Among the prayer intentions are holiness and perseverance in the priesthood, an increase in vocations to the religious life and the reconciliation of those alienated to the Church. For more information, contact Sue Havey at 610/593-2904 or Bernie Mertaugh at 610/273-2611.

### **Italian Summer Festival**

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, Ford Street & Union Avenue, Bridgeport, will hold their Annual Italian Summer Festival on July 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. Featured will be Italian food, refreshments, beer and wine garden, dancing, games of chance and amusement rides. For full details, call 610/272-3479. A good time is promised to one and all!

### **Stewardship**

*Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

“But you are not in the flesh: on the contrary you are in the spirit, if only the Spirit of God dwells in you. Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him.” Romans 8:9

It takes great trust to follow the Spirit of the Lord in a life of stewardship. We in turn must be willing to share our many gifts ready in everything that we are and do.

### **Women's Club News**

At a lovely dinner at the Revere Tavern in Paradise, last Sunday, the Women's Club installed their officers for the 2005-06 year. Andy Levenite was in charge of the program and presented the following and instructed them of their respective duties and presented them each with flowers.

May we introduce you to the new officers of the Women's Club and we wish them the best of luck and pledge to them our support.

*President – Maria Scarfo*

*Vice President – Kathleen Ponto*

*Secretary – Andy Levenite*

*Treasurer – Susan Sandoski*

*Trustees:*

*Pat Babcock*

*Chris Buckovecky*

*Lisa Hillman*

*Trish Swinty*

At this dinner, Treasurer Susan Sandoski presented St. Joseph's Parish with a check in the amount of \$5,000.00.

