

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 1 month prior to the christening date and at least 6 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.

Music Ministry

Anyone interested in participating in the music ministry 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.

The daily 9:00 a.m. Mass, Monday through Saturday, will be celebrated in St. Joseph Church.

Saturday, June 26, 2010, 6:30 PM

Rose Michnuk (Husband Bill)
Eucharistic Minister: Claypoole
Lector: Elaine

Sunday, June 27, 2010, 10:30 AM

Augusta Saska (Saska Family)
Eucharistic Ministers: Catanese & Johnson
Lector: Frank

6/28 9:00 am Andy & Mary Michinok (Son Andrew & Elenore)
6/29 9:00 am Special Intention (Rev. John Oulds)
6/30 9:00 am Agnes Sushinski (Richard & Mary Ann Michinok)
7/01 9:00 am Flourishing of Peace and Justice in the Middle East
7/02 9:00 am Parishioners of Saint Joseph Church
7/03 9:00 am Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, July 3, 2010, 6:30 PM

Parishioners of Saint Joseph Church
Eucharistic Minister: Lasak, Jr.
Lector: Patrick

Sunday, July 4, 2010, 10:30 AM

Beth Broadhurst Bryan (Christi & Tracy Clark)
Eucharistic Ministers: Swinty & J. Nesbitt
Lector: Peter

Your Prayers Are Requested

In the charity of your prayers, please remember the Sick: Dorothy Bodnar, Jan Schultz, Joseph Yankech III, Joseph Salada, Joseph Dougherty, Robert Hracho, Mike Sullivan, Mimi Sushinski, Peter Michalski, Millie Harvey, Dorothy Puza, William O'Hop, Ollie Alfaro, Stella Grubb, Marie McBride, Jim Davis, Kathy Popovich, Stephanie Roman, Priscilla Marshman, Laura Shesko, Helen Yankech, Devin Doyle, Jacob Hally, Mary Lou Burton, Mary Czirjak, Richard Shaw, Abigail Rose Burch, Michelle Burch, Sandra Reczek, Margaret Chever Kuba, Bud Johnson, Crystal Bryan, Carl Burton, Carol Slody, Joseph Varady, George Chenger, Anthony Bonanno, Andrew Reczek, Mary Benkovich, Abbey Teijaro, Frank Sabo, Louise Sabo and Jayden Giare, Bob Law and Betty Hracho.

Among the recently Deceased, we remember Mary Josephine Michael and Patricia Broomell.

Also, we pray for those U.S. military personnel serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. May God keep them safe in the palm of His almighty hands.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

This weekend, confessions will be heard on Saturday, June 26th, from 5:45 to 6:15 pm, prior to the evening Mass. Next weekend, confessions will be heard on Sunday, July 4th, from 9:45 to 10:15 am, prior to the Morning Mass. As always, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available anytime upon request.

Special Collection This Weekend

This weekend, June 26th-27th, the entire Catholic world takes up an annual Collection for the Holy Father, The Peter's Pence Collection. Monies from this appeal places the means to assist numerous peoples who are in need, usually under desperate and emergency circumstances, at the Pope's disposal. His holiness dispenses the charity of Jesus Himself through his personal use of our contributions. Please be generous then to the Peter's Pence Collection, to be taken up as our Second Collection this weekend. God love you!

Current R.C.I.A. Program Concludes

Participants in our current R.C.I.A. Program are reminded that this instructional series will wrap up this Wednesday, June 30th at 7:00 pm, in Saint Joseph Rectory. Come hungry not only for all things Roman Catholic, but also come hungry for a tasty summer supper.

Our Shared Church Cemetery

Should any difficulties arise or anything be out of order at Saint Stanislaus Kostka Cemetery, West Caln, please notify S.S.K Rectory Office (610/384-1172) as soon as possible after the graveholder's discovery. We wish to be made aware of these instances, which we will attempt to resolve, rather than

the graveholder his/herself. Thank you for your patience and cooperation in this matter.

Travel the World and Never Leave Home

Share North East is looking for volunteer host families for foreign students who would like to learn first-hand about the American Way of Life. Students arrive in August to spend a semester or academic year studying at local high schools. Host families are asked to provide room and board, as well as friendship, understanding and a willingness to share this unique experience with their chosen student. Families are able to review student applications and select the student they feel will best match the interests of their family. Students are between the ages of 15 and 18, speak English, are covered by medical insurance, and have adequate spending money for their own personal expenses. For more information, please contact Coordinator Sherri Hershberger at 717/203-0325. Or call the Regional Office toll free at 1-866-900-3738.

Job Openings in Maintenance and Custodial Services

Saint Elizabeth Church, Upper Uwchlan Township, has two full time job openings, one on the maintenance staff and another on the custodial staff. Interested and qualified applicants may contact the Parish Business Manager, Sam Venuti, at 610/321-1200 or send a letter of interest and personal resume (including references) by fax to 610/646-6513, or email svenuti@stelizabethparish.org, or by land mail to Saint Elizabeth Church, PO Box 695, Uwchlan, PA 19480-0695. Thank you!

Vigil for Life

John Father Joseph C. Dieckhaus as a Volunteer Helper of God's Precious Infants in a Vigil for Life on Saturday, July 3rd, 2010 in Saint Agnes Church, West Chester. The Vigil begins with Mass at 8:00 am, followed by a Rosary Pilgrimage to the nearby Planned Parenthood facility. For more information, contact Jack & Mary Finley at 610-692-3154.

Rekindle, Invite, Grow

The Archdiocesan Office for Parish Evangelization is offering a program entitled "Rekindle, Invite, Grow" on Wednesdays, September 22nd, October 20th and November 17th, from 7:00 – 9:00 pm, at SS Simon & Jude Parish, Route 3, West Chester. These three sessions focus on providing a fresh take on the spiritual, reaching out to non-practicing Catholics to return, and making the complexity of the Bible simple. Would we have two or three interested? Give Father Oulds a call for more information at 610/384-0360 (without any obligation). Our being represented at this series would be a true blessing.

A Summertime Prayer

God, creator of all, thank You for summer.
Thank you for the warmth of the sun
and the increased daylight.
Thank You for the beauty I see all around me
and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy Your
creation.
Thank You for the increased time I have
to be with my friends and family,
and for the more casual pace of the summer season.
Draw me closer to You this summer.

Teach me how I can pray no matter where I am or what I am
doing.

Warm my soul with the awareness of Your presence
and light my path with Your Word and Counsel.

As I enjoy Your world, create in me a pure heart,
and a hunger and thirst for You.

Look down upon me with love now and always. Amen.

(Composed by a young adult Catholic)

Local Summer Camp

Pope John Paul II Regional Catholic Elementary School is hosting a Community Summer Camp Program this summer. With two weeks completed, the Camp will continue to run for another eight weeks and is open to all students in the community, grades Kindergarten thru 8th. For information, visit www.popejohnpaul12sch.org and click on the facility icon; call Terry Atlschuler at 610/384-5961, ext. 5410; or email pjp2fac@aol.com.

Catholic Social Services

You can change the future by becoming a foster parent. Foster families provide temporary homes to children and have a lasting and positive effect on lives they touch. For information, call 215/587-3960.

Catholic Scouts: A Call to Faith

Catholic Scouts, would you like to add to your scouting knowledge? Try a Catholic Scouting Religious Award Program. Check it out at our website: www.ovya.org - Catholic Scouting. Call or email the Scout Coordinator at 215/965-4636 or pantonac@adphila.org. Contact Frank McAdams, your local County Representative, at either 610/692-5309 or fdml1234@aol.com.

Clothing Drive at Our Parish

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be at St. Joseph Church, Coatesville, on Tuesday, July 13th from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm, to collect donations of usable men's, women's and children's clothing, as well as small household goods (bed and bath linens, pots and pans, dishes, cooking utensils, toys, books and small appliances in good working order). 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.

Catholic Cruise to the Eastern Caribbean

Come and sail away on a 7 night Catholic Eastern Caribbean Cruise with Father Michael Sullivan December 12, 2010 on the Carnival Pride out of Baltimore, MD Prices begin at \$1,117 for two passengers, which includes all port fees and taxes. Daily Mass and Rosary offered. Deposits of only \$50 per person will reserve your cabin. Space is limited. For further information or to register, contact Doug or Eileen at 860/399-1785 or dpayttc@aol.com.

Celebrate Coatesville Day

Saturday July 10th, from Noon to 9:00 pm along First Avenue. There will be entertainment throughout the event. Food and craft vendors along 1st Avenue, free shuttle bus starting at 5:00 pm from the ARC Parking Lot behind Citadel. Sponsored by The City of Coatesville, Rotary Club of Coatesville, and Robert and Jennifer McNeil. Come and join in the fun!