

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. Stanislaus Kostka Church.

Saturday, July 17, 2010, 6:30 PM

Alfons Pawlowski (Helen & Phyllis Yankech)
Eucharistic Minister: Johnson
Lector: Joey

Sunday, July 18, 2010, 10:30 AM

Patricia Broomell (Mary Arvay & Family)
Eucharistic Ministers: Claypoole & Swinty
Lector: Frank

Saturday, July 24, 2010, 6:30 PM

John J. Pitcherella (Michael & Kathy Catanese)
Eucharistic Minister: Catanese
Lector: Phyllis

Sunday, July 25, 2010, 10:30 AM

Steffie Levenite (Dunlap Children)
Eucharistic Ministers: M. Nesbitt & Lasak, Jr.
Lector: Kathleen

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 Hrachko, 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, Jayden Giare, Bob Law and Betty Hrachko.

Among the recently Deceased, we remember Father Thomas Graham, Michiele Kopanski and Nancy Miller.

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 Sunday, July 18th, from 9:45 to 10:15 am, prior to the Morning Mass. Next weekend, confessions will be heard on Saturday, July 24th, from 5:45 to 6:15 pm, prior to the Evening Mass. As always, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available anytime upon request.

Search for a Tennis and Soccer Coach

Bishop Shanahan High School, Downingtown, is seeking a Girls' Tennis Coach and a Ninth Grade Boys' Soccer Coach for the Fall of 2010. If interested, kindly contact Mr. Ted Torrance at 610/518-1300, ext. 6246.

15th Annual Chester County Golf Classic

The Chester County Family Service Center of Catholic Social Services will host its 15th Annual Chester County Golf Classic at Chester Valley Golf Club on Monday, September 27, 2010. Registration begins at 10:30 am; lunch at 11:30 am; and shotgun tee off at 1:00 pm. The open bar reception is at 6:00 pm and the buffet dinner and awards ceremony at 7:00 pm.

The proceeds from this event benefit those served by the Family Service Centers of Catholic Social Services. Every day, staff members of the service centers in Coatesville, West Chester and West Grove give hope to Chester County residents in need by providing emergency assistance such as food and clothing, compassionate counseling services, and supportive social services to help them become independent.

For information on reservations or ticket purchases, please phone 610/344-7098 or 610/869-6500. Thank you for your support.

Words of Life

“Nothing could be more foreign to the American experience than legalized abortion. It is inconsistent with our national character, with our national purpose, with all that we've done and with everything we hope to be.”

- the late Robert Casey, Governor of Pennsylvania

**Mercy Fitzgerald Hospital
School of Nursing Reunion**

Mercy Fitzgerald Hospital is planning a reunion for all classes of the Thomas Fitzgerald Mercy Hospital School of Nursing on Sunday, September 19, 2010. The hospital is collecting updated contact information for all alumnae. Please contact Director of Development Lindsay Warren at 610/237-5058 or lwarren1@mercyhealth.org with your information by July 30th. Formal invitations will be mailed shortly afterwards. The RSVP date on the invitation is Friday, September 10th.

Catholic Young Adults of Chester County

The Catholic Youth Adults of Chester County (CYACC) continues to have weekly meetings on Wednesdays at 7:30 pm in the Knights of Columbus Hall at 110 West Market Street, downtown West Chester. There is free parking in the garage at 220 West Market Street. The next few weeks' events and speakers include:

July 21st Bill Donaghy "Human Love and the Divine Plan"

July 28th John Corrigan "Pope John Paul II"

Young adults in their 20's and 30's are most welcome. Any questions? Please contact Father Jeffrey Rott at jrott@simonandjude.org. For more information, search CYACC on Facebook.

**Pope John Paul II Reg. Catholic Elem. School
Children's Sale**

CONSIGNORS AND SHOPPERS WANTED

Have your children outgrown some of those clothes and toys?? Why not sell them?? Along with PJPII, we will be holding a sale in mid September at the school that will help you unclutter while helping others who could use your articles. Please contact Kathy LaGreca for more details at 610-792-4994 or email: kathylagreca@comcast.net

**Save The Date:
Saint Joseph's Church Parish Picnic
Sunday, September 26th
Hibernia Park
More Details to Follow!**

Chester County Men's Group Malvern Retreat

Join other men from Chester County in an annual retreat experience at the Malvern Retreat House on the weekend of August 13th-14th-15th. Refresh yourself with faith while taking a "timeout" from your life. Seize the opportunity to take stock of yourself and your spiritual life. The retreat weekend begins with dinner on Friday and concludes with Sunday morning Mass. More information is available and reservations can be made by contacting Edward Hudock at 717/354-6308 or Edward Lawrence at 610/384-7885.

Student Public Speaking

The Forensics Team of Bishop Shanahan High School, Downingtown, is holding a summer camp from August 16th thru 19th for any students entering grades 6 thru 8, who would like to learn more about public speaking. Students will be introduced to performance, interpretation, speech delivery and argumentation. For more information and a registration form, please visit the Bishop Shanahan website: www.shanahan.org.

Novena to Saint Anne

The Parish of Saint Anne, 2328 E. Lehigh Avenue (at Memphis Street and Lehigh Avenue), Philadelphia, PA 19125, will hold its annual novena in Honor of Good Saint Anne from July 18th to 26th, 2010. Novena services are at 3:00 in the afternoon and 7:00 in the evening. Rev. Francis Sirolli, OSA, will be the homilist. A solemn closing ceremony will take place on July 26th at 7:00 pm, the Feast Day of Saint Anne. It will be an evening of great solemnity. Hope to see you there – and bring a friend. The church will be open all day on the Feast of Saint Anne for the veneration of the relic until 6:00 pm.

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.

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.

Catholic Social Services

You can change the future by becoming a foster parent. Foster families provide temporary homes to children of all ages, races and religions whose families are in crisis. For information, call 215/587-3960. Thank you for your consideration.

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. Ports of Call are Port Canaveral (Orlando), Nassau (Bahamas), and Freeport (Bahamas). 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 dpavttc@aol.com.