

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, August 7, 2010, 6:30 PM

Millie Langan (Sam & Martie Coszella and Theresa Kimes)
Eucharistic Minister: Claypoole
Lector: Elaine

Sunday, August 8, 2010, 10:30 AM

Pat Broomell (Richard & Barbara Reczek)
Eucharistic Ministers: Hillman & Johnson
Lector: Joey

8/09 9:00 am Parishioners of Saint Joseph Church
8/10 9:00 am John Chilla (Bob & Ann Hamilton)
8/11 9:00 am Clara Himes (Father Joseph S. Hasiaber)
8/12 9:00 am John & Sophie McDaniel (Nieces & Nephews)
8/13 9:00 am Veronica Buczkowska (Nieces & Nephews)
8/14 9:00 am Joseph Dynesko (Angie Oleszek & Family)

Saturday, August 14, 2010, 6:30 PM

Parishioners of Saint Joseph Church
Eucharistic Minister: Swinty
Lector: Sara

Sunday, August 15, 2010, 10:30 AM

Solemnity of Mary's Assumption
Max & Agnes Sushinski (Their Children)
Eucharistic Ministers: J. Nesbitt & M. Nesbitt
Lector: Frank
Alter Servers:
Max Mersereau, Colleen & Payton Griffin

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, George Chenger, Anthony Bonanno, Andrew Reczek, Mary Benkovich, Abbey Teijaro, Frank Sabo, Louise Sabo, Jayden Giare, Bob Law, Betty Hracho, and Sy Reali.

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, August 7th, from 5:45 to 6:15 pm, prior to the Evening Mass. Next weekend, confessions will be heard on Sunday, August 15th, from 9:45 to 10:15 am, prior to the Morning Mass. As always, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available anytime upon request.

Parishioners Donations for Recent Special Collections

Peter's Pence	\$503.00
Human Development	\$518.00

Thank you for your loving contributions to these worthy causes.

CCD Registration

It's that time of the year, already!! CCD Registration for the coming year will be held on Sunday, September 12th with classes beginning September 19th. Kindly mark your calendars.

Leslie Hoopes, CCD Coordinator

Archdiocesan Office for Youth and Young Adults

OYYA invites all young adults, ages 18 – 39, to participate in a meaningful Holy Hour, in the Cathedral-Basilica of SS. Peter & Paul, Philadelphia, on Saturday, September 18th, at 7:30 pm, and then to stay for the Coffee House in the church hall. September's featured artist is Army of Me. A \$5.00 donation is suggested for the Coffee House. Contact Chris Jones at 215/965-4625 for more information.

OYYA and the Malvern Retreat House invite all 9th – 12th graders to Adoremus Te 2010 on Sunday, October 17th, at the Malvern Retreat House. The day will include Music, Mass, Adoration and Awesome Talks. More information coming soon!

OYYA invites teens and young adults to join the Archdiocese of Philadelphia in an amazing pilgrimage to World Youth Day 2011, August 10th – 22nd, in Madrid, Spain. The group will stop in Fatima and Lourdes before joining a million other young Catholics and Pope Benedict XVI in Madrid. Travel package details will be available soon!

For more information about these and other OYYA initiatives, please visit www.ovva.org.

Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

His Eminence, Cardinal Justin Rigali, Archbishop of Philadelphia, invites you to join him on a spiritual Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, from March 25th to April 2nd, 2011. The price is \$3,295 per person, double occupancy, and includes round trip airfare (Philadelphia to Tel Aviv), breakfast and dinner daily, tips, taxes and gratuities. Holy Mass will be celebrated each day in a sacred place. For more information, contact Father Zachary Navit in the Office for Special Projects at 215/587-3519.

Words of Life

“Pope Benedict’s first message to young people taught with great conviction that if ‘we let Christ into our lives, we lose nothing, absolutely nothing of what makes life free, beautiful and magnificent. Only in this friendship is the great potential of human existence truly revealed.’” (Quote cited by Megan Breen and Samuel Vasquez.)

Last Weekend’s Floral Arrangement

Our appreciation is extended to Sherri & Brian Manning for their attractive arrangement of fresh flowers placed at the altar last weekend, July 31st – August 1st. They did so in loving memory of their son, Dylan James Manning, to mark the anniversary of his passing back into the arms of God four years ago.

Alumni Picnic Alert

Pope John Paul II Regional Catholic Elementary School, the former Coatesville Area Catholic Elementary School, will be hosting an Alumni Picnic on Sunday, September 26th, at 2:00 pm, in the meadow behind PJPII School. Admission is \$5.00 per person with food provided by Stadium Grille. More details are to follow; for now, save the date.

Solemnity of Mary’s Assumption Masses

As gracefully as the petals fall from the rose, the Blessed Virgin Mary concluded her course of life on earth. Given to us in all sinlessness, her body was not allowed to undergo decay. Rather, this holy Maiden of the Lord returned to her Creator soul and body, the first of all humankind to experience the risen glory of her Son. “Mary’s Easter” is observed annually on August 15th as the Solemnity of the Virgin’s Assumption into Heaven. It speaks of the Church’s belief that what Mary is now, we too shall be one day. The Masses next weekend will mark this glorious Marian occasion, featuring hymns honoring Our Lady.

Summer Festival at Elverson

The Sisters at St. Mary of Providence Center, 227 Isabella Road, Elverson, invite one and all to their 2010 Summer Festival on Sunday, August 22nd, from 1:00 to 6:00 p.m., rain or shine. It will be a day of fun and festivities featuring mansion tours, delicious food, gift shop, games, raffles, kids’ and adults’ flea market and much more. For full information, call 610/942-4166. Proceeds will benefit the Retirement and Retreat Center.

Pennsylvanians for Human Life Ladies’ Shopping Luncheon at Overbrook Golf Club

Ladies of all ages are invited to attend the Annual Luncheon to benefit PHL. This special afternoon includes lunch, gift baskets, vendor shopping and more. A great day for grandmothers, moms and daughters! For tickets, table reservations, donations, call Kathy Bond at 610/696-0780. Visit PHL on the web: www.Pennlife.org.

Feast of the Assumption

St. Agnes Parish in West Chester cordially invite all to the 91st Annual Feast of the Assumption on Sunday, August 15, 2010. Mass will be at 9:00 am at Saint Agnes Church, followed by a Communion Breakfast at the Elk’s Lodge. The Solemn Procession will be held at 2:30 pm beginning in front of the church. Benediction will follow

the Procession. For info and breakfast tickets, please contact Barbara Mange at 610/431-3217 or Marie Mauro at 610/692-4597.

BHSH \$10,000 Raffle

You don’t have to be a pro to WIN BIG! Bishop Shanahan High School Endowment Fund Golf Outing raffle to benefit tuition assistance. Only 200 tickets will be sold at \$100 per ticket. Drawing will be held September 14, 2010. You need not be present to win. To purchase a raffle ticket or inquire about golfing or sponsorship opportunities, contact the Advancement Office at 610/343-6238 or dlaporta@shanahan.org.

PJPII Catholic Elem School 2010 - 2011 Year

Pope John Paul II Regional Catholic Elementary School will reopen August 31, 2010. Uniform dress code is effective as of 8/31. Buses will be available, Coatesville Area School District will mail a post card at the end of August with your bus #, pick up place and time. Other School Districts please contact your district office. Please check the website popejohnpaul2sch.org for the 2010-11 school calendar, beginning of school forms, forms required by the Nurse and much more information.

- 8/31 Dismissal will be 11:00 am, Grades 1 thru 8.
 - 9/1 & 2 Full day sessions 8:15 am – 2:45 pm for Grades 1 thru 8.
 - 9/2 Kindergarten Open House for parents and students at 9:00 am in the Multi-Purpose Room
 - 9/3 & 6 No School
 - 9/7 1st day for Kindergarten 8:15 am – 2:45 pm
 - 9/10 Home & School Ice Cream Social 6:30 pm, MP Room
 - 9/15 Band Parents Meeting 7:00 pm, MP Room
 - 9/21 New Family Information Night 7:00 pm, MP Room
- Back to School Nights:
- 9/9 Grades 5, 6, 7 & 8 7:00 pm, MP Room
 - 9/13 Grades 1 & 2 6:30 pm, Grades 3 & 4 7:00 pm, MP Room

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 27th. 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. For information on reservations or ticket purchases, please phone 610/344-7098 or 610/869-6500. Thank you for your support.

Rekindle, Invite, Grow

The Archdiocesan Office for Parish Evangelization is offering a program entitled “Rekindle, Invite, Grow” on Wednesdays, 9/22, 10/20 and 11/17 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. Give Father Oulds a call for more info at 610/384-0360 (without any obligation), as our being represented here would be a true blessing.

Pope John Paul II 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!**