

Ash WEDNESDAY



*Dust you are, and to
dust you shall return.*

—GENESIS 3:19

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA
NORTH WALES, PENNSYLVANIA

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14

4:00 PM Special Intention

Requested by The Heyse Family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15

8:00 AM Antoni Jankowski

Requested by Steve & Marie Belcak

9:30 AM Michael Caposole

Requested by Janet Geel

11:30 AM George Hilton

Requested by Pat Kohne

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16

8:30 AM Pat & Rose DiRienzo

Requested by The Canfield & Myers Families

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17

8:30 AM Helen & Robert Viney

Requested by Judy Viney

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18

8:30 AM Fred Stakelbeck, Sr.

Requested by The Stakelbeck Family

12:00 PM John J. Steitz

Requested by Helen & Gene Diebold

4:00 PM Prayer & Ashes

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19

8:30 AM People of the Parish

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20

8:30 AM Suzanne Coyle

Requested by her siblings

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21

8:30 AM Stephen Smith, Sr.

Requested by Kathleen Sweeney

4:00 PM Special Intention

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22

8:00 AM Florence Jankowski

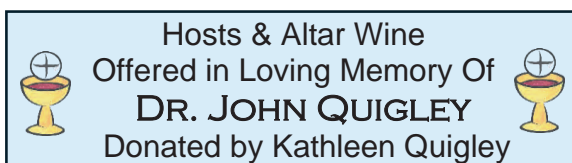
Requested by Steve & Marie Belcak

9:30 AM Kenneth Walter

Requested by Kathleen Sweeney

11:30 AM Frank Ehrhart

Requested by Kathleen Ehrhart



The Parish Center will be closed on Monday, February 16, in observance of President's Day.



Weekly Offerings

Collections for the week of February 8, 2026: Sunday collection was \$11,110.32, the collection for Care of Aging Priests was \$2,145.00, the Snow Removal collection was \$4,171.00 and the Online collection was \$5,952.00. The total collection was \$23,378.32. Thank you for your generosity.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE AND ALL OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL

1st Lt. Patrick A. Coyne, U.S.A.F.

Pvt. Class Jonathan Curtis, U.S.A.

Pvt. Ryan Gilbey, U.S.A.

Sgt. Bobby Hames, U.S.A.

CDR John Joseph Hoy, U.S.N.

Lt. Christopher Kester U.S.N.

Lt. (jg.) James Kester U.S.N.

Pvt. Katelyn Lynch, U.S.A.

SPC Liam Lynch, U.S.A.

SPC Patrick Michael Lynch, U.S.A.

Sergeant Will Maliszewski, U.S.M.C.

Tech Sergeant Tony Nolte, U.S.A.F.

Captain Daniel S. O'Leary, U.S.A.

Petty Officer 1st Class David Peterman, U.S.C.G.

Ensign Connor J. Poli, U.S.N.

2d Lt. Irene Poli, U.S.A.

1st Lt. Ronald Patrick Rajan, U.S.M.C.

Maj. Charles Richards, U.S.A.F.

CDR Patrick Salvitti, U.S.N.

Lt. (jg.) Jason Showmaker, U.S.N.

Pvt. 1st Class Christian Sirianni, U.S.A.

Lt. Stephen R. Vitali, U.S.N.



Please pray for our sick:

Nicholas & Ella, Joe Stalfo, Ann Edwards, Steve Moore, Dennis McClellan, Asia Percy, Jesse & Janet Montalvo, Susan & James Rankin, Anna Scultore, David Forte, Bryan Pulaski, James Butler, James Riddle, Rose O'Donnell, Kathy Gosch, Shannon Sanfilippo, Bliss Schmidt, Peg Streng, Helen Markert, Kevin Hogan, Carlos, Melissa Schmidt, Clare Butler, Dorothy Konarski, Les Landes, Charlie Deisenroth, Carl Fisher, Julia Azeff, Barbara Hamme, Marj Koslow, Jeff Wynne, MaryAnne Bradley, Joseph Bradley, Rosie Woodman, Phyllis Miller, Jim Balbassari

YEAR-END TAX STATEMENTS Call the parish office 215-699-4617 if you would like your tax statement for contributions made in 2024 emailed or sent to you.

SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Feb. 18 – Ash Wednesday will be a cash collection.

Feb. 22 – Aid to Church in Central and Eastern Europe

Feb. 22 – Catholic Charities In-Pew Appeal

(find envelopes on windowsills)

DAILY ROSARY



Mary, Our Mother, is calling us to pray the Rosary. Come pray with us Monday through Saturday mornings after the 8:30 AM Mass in the Church or use the intention cards located on the church windowsills to pray at home each day.

Sacraments

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM is celebrated Sundays after the 11:30 am Mass. First time parents are required to attend **Pre-Jordan**, an instructional/sacramental preparation for Baptism. **Pre-Jordan** classes are held on the first Wednesday evening of each month. Pre-registration is required. Contact the parish office to make arrangements.

Requirements to be a Godparent/sponsor:

The Code of Canon Law specifies the following requirements for serving as a godparent or sponsor, so please review them carefully before choosing godparents and sponsors.

- ❖ Must be someone other than the parent of the one to be baptized;
- ❖ Must be at least 16 years of age.
- ❖ Only one godparent is needed. If there will be two godparents (for Baptism), one must be male and one must be female;
- ❖ Must have received all the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Holy Eucharist, Confirmation and actively practicing their faith (attending Mass, receiving Holy Communion and receiving the Sacrament of Penance);
- ❖ If married-he or she must be married in the Catholic Church, or the marriage recognized by the Catholic Church;
- ❖ One godparent may be a non-Catholic Christian Witness with proper proof of his/her baptism. If a non-Catholic is asked to be a Christian Witness, the other godparent **MUST** be Catholic;
- ❖ A person who has left the Catholic Faith for any reason, may not be asked to be a godparent/sponsor;
- ❖ The eligible godparent/sponsor must supply St. Rose of Lima Church with a signed "Certificate of Eligibility" from the Parish where they are registered and attend Mass.

Certificates Of Eligibility: A certificate of Eligibility to be a godparent/sponsor is obtained from the parish where you are registered and attend Mass. If you have been asked to be a godparent/sponsor and you meet all of the above requirements, please call the parish office to obtain a Letter of Eligibility.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is offered every Saturday, 3:00 to 3:45 pm, and anytime by appointment.

THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE may be scheduled by contacting the Parish Office. The couple must meet with the priest celebrating the wedding at least 6 months before a planned wedding date. No other arrangements should be made until the couple meets with a parish priest and the date and time are confirmed.

Marriage Prep: Marriage Preparation courses can be either through a self-paced, online program, or by attending any in person program offered through a Catholic parish, retreat center, or university within or outside of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, condition that such programs fully and thoroughly cover all the core theological, spiritual, practical, and intimate aspects of marriage, in conformity to Catholic doctrine. Go to this link for more info: <https://phillycatholiclife.org/marriage-prep-classes/>

ANOINTING OF THE SICK is available to the dying and those who are elderly, sick, or preparing for surgery. Please contact the Parish Office.

COMMUNION CALLS are made by clergy and by Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. To place a homebound individual on the Communion Call list, call the Parish Office.

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

You are warmly invited to join our Christian Initiation (OCIA).



OCIA is for:

~non-Catholic adults who are not baptized or are baptized in another Christian tradition and wish to become Catholic

~baptized Catholics who have not yet received the sacraments of Confirmation and/or Holy Communion and desire to be fully initiated into the Church

~those interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and what it means to be a Catholic



Whether you're ready to begin the journey or just exploring, please contact the St. Rose of Lima Parish Office at (215) 699-4617 or stroselima@srol.org. **OCIA will meet on the 2nd and 4th**

Mondays of each month at 7pm in the Parish Center. Classes will run until just after Easter.

FEBRUARY 18, 2026 ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE



Mass Times: 8:30 AM and 12:00 PM
Ashes will also be distributed at
4:00 PM Prayer Service



FAST AND ABSTINENCE AND OTHER ACTS OF PENANCE FOR LENT 2026

The Bishops of the United States prescribe, as minimal obligation, that all persons who are fourteen years of age and older are bound to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday, February 18, 2026, on all the Fridays of Lent and Good Friday. Further, all people eighteen years of age and older, up to and including their fifty-ninth birthday, are bound to fast by limiting themselves to a single full meal on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday, while the other two meals on those days are to be light. All the faithful are encouraged, when possible, to participate at Mass and to receive the Holy Eucharist daily, to celebrate frequently the Sacrament of Penance, to undertake spiritual reading, especially the study of the Sacred Scriptures, and to participate in parish Lenten devotions as well as Lenten education programs. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is especially recommended.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During Lent, Stations will be on Friday Evenings at 7:00 PM beginning on Friday, February 20. If you have not attended the Stations of the Cross in a while, this would be a very meaningful way to prepare for Holy Week.

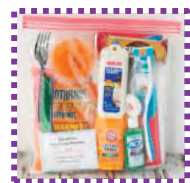
CONFESSIONS Confession will be available on Friday Evenings during Stations of the Cross starting at 7:00 PM and on Saturdays at 3 PM. Make your peace with God, with yourself, and with others.



ADORATION FRIDAYS Come spend time with Jesus every Friday during Lent. Adoration of the Eucharist starts right after the 8:30 AM Mass and continues through Stations of the Cross until 8:00 PM. What a wonderful way to begin the Lenten Season. Jesus is waiting for you. Come when your schedule allows or sign up for an hour every week to be with Jesus.

LENTEN ACTIVITIES

"FAST from THIS - FEAST on THAT" This Lent, beginning this Sunday, Feb. 22, instead of adding more to our to-do list, we are inviting you let go of one habit that weighs you down and intentionally practice one virtue that draws you closer to Christ—one simple focus each week. No sign-ups, no tracking and no guilt if you miss a week. Start again anytime. Each week of LENT we will provide you with: 1 thing to **FAST** from (interior or exterior), 1 thing to **FEAST** on (a virtue or practice) and a short scripture or prayer cue. These VIRTUES will be announced briefly at Mass, printed in the bulletin and shared in our Saturday morning emails.



LENTEN CARE BAGS Provide support for individuals experiencing homelessness. Bags & info fliers will be in the vestibule. **How to participate:** Purchase basic personal care items and non-perishable snacks to fill a jumbo zip-top bag. • Add kind note of hope from your family. • Bring the bag to church any Sunday in Lent and place it in the Care Bag collection bin in the church vestibule.

FEED AND BE FED FOOD DONATION PROGRAM The area food cupboards are continuing to experience a high level of need for donations to assist hungry families in the community. **Items needed in March include:** Peanut Butter, Jelly, Soups, Canned Proteins (chicken, salmon, beef stew), Canned or boxed broth, Canned pasta (Chef Boyardee, Spaghetti O's), Cereal, Oatmeal, Grits, Boxes and/or packets of potatoes, Rice, Canned fruits and vegetables, Coffee, Oatmeal, Pancake mix and syrup, feminine products, and paper products. Donations can be placed in the donation bins located in the church vestibule and outside the Parish Center main glass doors.



Stay Tuned..... more activities coming!

Can you find Fr. Taglianetti's kitten, Marcella Carmella hidden in the bulletin?

save the date

**CONGRATULATIONS
ARCHBISHOP GREEN!**

All parishioners
are warmly invited to attend
Most Reverend James P. Green's
Golden Jubilee Mass
celebrating the 50th Anniversary
of his Ordination
into the Priesthood.
Mass is May 3 at 11:30 AM.

Details to follow!

**HAVE YOU COMPLETED THE SURVEY YET?
YOUR VOICE MATTERS! The deadline to
participate is February 27. (SEE BELOW)**

Help Us Share the Gift of Faith

Our Faith is our most priceless possession. We have been entrusted to guard, nourish, and share it with others. In the Sacrament of Baptism, the presider declares, "This is our faith. This is the faith of the church. We are proud to profess it, in Christ Jesus our Lord." We live out this gift of faith in our parish communities by worship, praise, service and sharing it with family, neighbors and all those we encounter every day. Help shape the future of our faith and the Catholic Church of Philadelphia by sharing your feedback.



The Catholic Church of Philadelphia

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY



"We often assume parenthood happens easily after 'I do,' but for many married couples, it does not. For some, the joy of conception never happens. Others suffer repeated miscarriages. Still others experience secondary infertility. If you experience difficulty bringing a child into your family, know that you are not alone. God is with you, and his Church desires to walk with you. God has a beautiful plan for your life as a married couple." **USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities**

THANKS TO YOU!

607
Lives Saved in 2025!
14 Twins ♥ 2 Triplets

Legacy of Life



 **WELCOME TO THE PARISH** 
Leopold & Natalia Darcy
and children, Ben & Matilde
Kelly J. Gross

Weekly Meetings & Events

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15

- ◆ PREP, Classrooms, 10:30 AM-12 PM
- ◆ Walking With Purpose, FMR, 10:30 AM-12 PM

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16

- ◆ Parish Center Closed
- ◆ Knights of Columbus, TBD, 7 PM
- ◆ Living Again, FMR, 3 PM

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18

- ◆ Ash Wednesday Prayer Service, Church, 4:00 PM

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19

- ◆ Prayer Shawls, FMR, 9:30 AM
- ◆ Legion of Mary, S/T Rm., 1:30 PM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20

- ◆ Movie Night, FMR, 7PM

Ministries News & Activities

ALTAR LINEN PICK UP SCHEDULE

February 15 Linda McGarry
February 22 Dana Morrissey

All are Welcome to The CHOSEN

LAST SUPPER

Viewing Party

- ◆ Sundays at 1:00 PM in the Fr. Murphy Rm.
- ◆ Each episode is approx. 1 hour long
- ◆ With a 1/2 hour afterwards for genuine conversation

It is not necessary to have seen any episodes of The Chosen to view The Last Supper. Come join us, as we prepare our hearts and minds for Holy Week.

REMINDER: There will be no viewing on February 15.



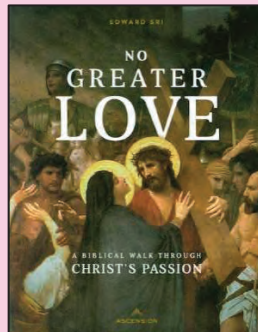
**See you on
Feb. 22!**

SHARE YOUR "PICK A SAINT" STORY

We are excited to hear how the saint you picked but **who really picked you** has "**shown up**" in your life. Share your experience. You can email us at stroselima@srol.org.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

We invite all adults to join us for this meaningful opportunity to grow in faith during the Lenten Season. Sessions will take place on Monday evenings at 7pm.



Join a 5-week video/discussion/ workbook study,

**"No Greater Love:
A Biblical Walk Through Christ's
Passion",**
beginning on March 2.

For those interested in attending the 5-week program the cost is \$30.

Call or visit the parish office to sign up asap as we need to order books. Contact Karen Haynie at 215-317-6697 with any questions.

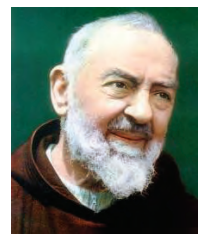
LIVING AGAIN

The next meeting of our St. Rose of Lima Bereavement Group will be held this **Monday, February 16, at 3:00 PM** in the Father Murphy Room. All those mourning the loss of a loved one are welcome.



JOIN FATHER TAGLIANETTI FOR A PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO THE NATIONAL CENTRE FOR PADRE PIO

We will be traveling on **Tuesday, March 3**, to the National Centre for Padre Pio. We will meet in the church parking lot at 9:00 AM. We will then follow each other to the Padre Pio Centre in Barto, PA. The day will include confessions, Mass, rosary, Stations of the Cross, and time at the Padre Pio Museum. We plan to stay together through lunch (around 12:15 PM). Lunch can be brought from home or pre-ordered at the Centre. All activities after lunch are optional and flexible, including the museum tour, gift shop, outdoor grounds, and the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 PM. Participants are welcome to stay for as much or as little of the afternoon as they'd like. 111 Barto Road, Barto PA



SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY

Help a Brother In Need...



Consider Donating NEW socks, underwear, undershirts & NEW or gently used gloves, scarfs, hats, sweatshirts/hoodies, shoes, backpacks and jeans for homeless men that visit Brother House. Drop off donations to the bins in the Church vestibule and outside the Parish Center doors. St. Rose also collects donations

of snack foods the 2 & 4 Wednesday of each month to provide the men with snack bags filled with healthy food. Next Date for Snack Donations Is February 25.

If you would like to donate food items contact amanda@srol.org or scan the QR code here.



**Time is running out,
reserve your table!**

TRIVIA Night

Saturday, March 7, 2026

Tickets are \$25 a person, 8 people to a table.

Purchase event & raffle tickets this weekend after all Masses in the vestibule.

FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND, RAFFLE BASKETS WILL BE DISPLAYED IN THE CHURCH VESTIBULE AFTER ALL MASSES NEXT WEEKEND. CASH ONLY.

COME TAKE A LOOK AT THE GREAT PRIZES YOU COULD WIN (including 4 Phillies tickets!), PURCHASE TICKETS AND SELECT THE BASKETS YOU WOULD LIKE TO WIN! Winners will be drawn on Trivia Night. Winners who are not in attendance will be notified by phone. Raffle Tickets are 3 for \$5, 7 for \$10, & 15 for \$20. Trivia Night will be held in St. Rose Of Lima gym. Doors open at 5:00 pm & Trivia starts at 6:00pm. Rent Fr. Taglianetti for a round of Trivia, and he will sit at your table and help you! You can also purchase tickets at the parish office or call Donna Kelly at 267-218-1979.



ST. ROSE OF LIMA PREP PROGRAM 2026



**NO PREP CLASSES SUNDAY, FEB. 15
PRESIDENTS DAY!**

Questions? Contact Mrs. Homa
at 215-699-4434 or srolprep@gmail.com.

Please continue to pray for our
children as they prepare for
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION.



THE KNIGHT'S KORNER



Updates from Council #9715

**WOULD YOU LIKE SOME EXTRA
CASH FOR YOUR SUMMER
VACATION?**

The Knights of Columbus have begun their annual "CHANCE OF A LIFETIME" SWEEPSTAKES (COAL). The sweepstakes has a 1 st prize of \$15,000.00 in cash with a total of \$60,000.00 in prizes to be given away. The drawing will be held on May 15, 2025. Tickets cost only \$5.00 and you may purchase as many as you would like. Contact Fred Hencken at 215-260-6767 or email him fredhencken@gmail.com. You can also order tickets by sending your check and self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Fred Hencken, COAL Tickets, 802 Clover Drive, North Wales, PA 19454. Please include your name, address and phone number. Please make your check payable to: Knights of Columbus # 9715. Proceeds go to the Scholarship Program for the children and grandchildren of The Knights of Columbus attending Catholic Schools. Thank you for your support!

CRAB CAKE SALE The Knights of Columbus will be holding a Lenten Crab Cake Sale featuring Capt'n Chucky's Famous Smith Island Cakes along with many other tasty items that we have carried in the past. You may order on line by visiting our website at

<http://www.kofc9715.org> Order forms are also available by contacting Fred Hencken at 215-260-6767 or email him at: fredhencken@gmail.com. Orders must be received by Friday February 20th. Orders must be picked up on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27 th , at Corpus Christi Church between 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm outside Corpus Christi's Parish Center "Entrance A" near the parish office.

Are you interested in getting more involved with the parish or community? Visit www.kofc.org/joinus to enroll in our digital program that allows you a chance to become engaged in K of C spiritual and council life. The next meeting is **7:00 PM, on Monday 2/16-** location TBD. Please direct questions to the Round-table Leader Pete Mazzeo at 215-205-8278 or by email at koc.srol@gmail.com.



MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, February 20 @ 7:00pm

Please come and join us in the Father Murphy Room as we watch "Paul, Apostle of Christ." Snacks and Drinks will be provided by the Knights. Please invite a friend! We look forward to seeing you there!

MATER DEI CATHOLIC SCHOOL



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Despite the snow days during the last week of January, Mater Dei Catholic had a wonderful Catholic School! The students enjoyed prayer partner activities, our talented singers and musicians treated everyone to a wonderful winter concert, and the Chick-fil-A cow made an appearance on Friday, much to the delight of the students! Thank you to our donors, parents, teachers, and staff who make providing a Catholic education here at Mater Dei Catholic possible!



NEW STUDENTS CAN REGISTER NOW FOR THE 26-27 SCHOOL YEAR New students entering Preschool, Kindergarten, and Grades 1 to 8 in the 2026-27 school year can apply now. 80 new students have already been accepted! Please contact Janna Kerr in the Enrollment Office at 215-368-9787 or jkerr@materdeicatholic.com for more information about enrollment at Mater Dei Catholic.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Do you know someone that needs “a hug from God” this new year? The Prayer Shawl



Ministry members knit and crochet prayer shawls, scarves, baby blankets, lap blankets and mini squares. Shawls are free and available for any family member, friend, co-worker, neighbor, etc. who might be comforted receiving one. Future recipients of prayer shawls are prayed for from the first stitch, and their special intentions are remembered in prayer by the members of the ministry prayer community. **If you know someone in need of prayer and God’s loving embrace**, select a shawl to give to them as a gift. Mini shawls are in the Church vestibule and larger shawls are available at the Parish office.

THE LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolate which was formed over one hundred years ago in Ireland and has spread to many countries in the world. One responsibility of the Legion is to make the Blessed Virgin Mary known and venerated. It is also responsible for evangelization in private homes, nursing homes and hospitals. Included in the works of the Legion are distribution of the Miraculous medal and the Scapular and the statue of the Blessed Virgin upon request. We also assist with Enthronement of Homes to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The Legion of Mary organizes its works by meeting every Thursday at 1:30 pm in the Parish Center. We begin every meeting with recitation of the Rosary. If you wish to attend a meeting to see how we operate, you are always welcome. If you need more information, please TEXT Sandy, at 267-252-5249 or email her at sandybrave@comcast.net.



NOURISH FOR CAREGIVERS IS BACK

“I’m so overwhelmed, getting more and more involved in caring for my parents.”

“There’s so many decisions to make, I could really use some help.”

“How can I be more prepared?”

If these thoughts have ever crossed your mind, you are not alone. Virtually every one of us will care for a loved one at some time in our life. Though rewarding, it’s not always easy. **Nourish for Caregivers** is for anyone juggling the challenges of everyday life, health, career and caring for an aging parent, spouse or grandparent, in town or at a distance. **Nourish** provides caregivers with a faith perspective, as well as practical and emotional support, useful tools, and shared experience. St. Rose of Lima will offer Nourish for Caregivers, which will meet monthly on the first Tuesday from 9:30-10:45 AM. In partnership with St. Maria Goretti in Hatfield, Nourish will rotate quarterly between the two parishes. Nourish helps people discover the joys and blessings of caring for another, by providing practical, emotional and spiritual support, all with a Christ-centered view. Discover the blessings that come from caring for another. Be nourished.

Our first meeting will be on

**Tuesday, March 3, 9:30 to 10:45 am
in the St. Rose parish center.**

Check out the schedule on the next page. **For more info, contact:** Amy Juarez, St. Rose Facilitator, at (215) 853-7676 or ajuarez@ccphila.org. Schedules are also available in the Parish Center and vestibule of the church.



Are you or someone you know a caregiver for an aging or disabled loved one? Are you seeking practical and emotional support in a Christ-centered environment? If so, join us for one or all of our caregiver support group sessions!

St. Rose of Lima and St. Maria Goretti Parishes invite you to meet on the

FIRST TUESDAY of each month.

9:30-10:45 AM

2026 Nourish Meeting Dates & Locations



<u>Meetings at St. Rose of Lima</u>	<u>Meetings at St. Maria Goretti</u>
424 S. Main Street, North Wales	1601 Derstine Road, Haverhill
Meeting held in the Small Meeting Room	Meeting held in the IHC meeting room
<i>(CHCS ramp entrance on far side)</i>	<i>(basement of Parish offices)</i>
March 3rd	June 2nd
Roles in Caregiving & the Decisions We Face	The Spirituality of Asking For & Receiving Help
April 7th	July 7th
A Season for Everything; The Ebbs and Flows	The Realities of Stress & Learning to Cope part 1
May 5th	August 4th
Staying Organized & Preparing for What is Next	The Realities of Stress & Learning to Cope part 2
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September 1st	
Walking With Christ. Nourished by Grace	
October 6th	December 1st
The Thing About Compassion	Christmas Celebration and 2027 planning
November 3rd	
Staying Engaged & Keeping Them Engaged	

For more information contact:

Amy Juarez, MSEM
Facilitator & Eldercare Program Manager

ajuarez@ccphila.org
215-853-7676

Area News

**HOSTED
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**VOICES
FOR
LIFE**

FEB. 21, 2026

9:30 AM


Join us for an engaging and relevant event featuring:
Dr. Monique Ruberu & Keri Weiss.
Sharing medical insight, personal experience, and a message rooted in God's design for life.

9:30 AM Dr. Monique Ruberu


10:10 AM Refreshments

10:30 AM Karli Weiss

11:15 AM Q & A



DR. MONIQUE RUBERU
OBGYN | MONTCO.



KARLI WEISS
NORTH CARE WOMENS CLINIC | LANSDALE

ST. MARIA GORETTI CHURCH
1601 Derstine Rd.
Hatfield | PA 19440
*Presentation in the church

GWYNEDD MERCY ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL invites middle school girls to explore all that our school has to offer during our upcoming admissions season. Opportunities include practice entrance exams, 7th grade half-day visits, and morning tours designed to give students an authentic experience of life at Gwynedd. Families are also welcome to attend our Open House on March 22. Learn more and register at gmahs.org/visit.

18th Annual Man Up Philly Men's Spirituality Conference

Saturday, February 28, 2026

The men of our parish are invited to join Catholic men from throughout the Archdiocese for the

18th Annual Man Up Philly Men's Conference
on **Saturday, February 28, 2026**,
at **Cardinal O'Hara High School**.

For more information and to register go to the website: www.manupphilly.com



CORPUS CHRISTI BINGO

Presents

LUNCH & BINGO

Saturday, April 11, 2026

Doors Open: 9:00 A.M. Bingo starts at Noon.

Admission: \$40 (Includes Lunch & Bingo)

New Computers available for \$45

Guaranteed Jackpot - \$1100

Door Prizes ~ 50/50 ~ Pull Tabs

For Advance Sales and Table Reservations

Contact Laurie Ponticello at 610-584-5694 or

geraldponticello@comcast.net

LEARN TO PRAY

LENTEN RETREAT WITH ANDRÉ REGNIER

MARCH 1- MARCH 3, 2026 | 7:00 PM EACH EVENING

Discover a simple and life-changing way to pray. Over three evenings, André will teach us how to pray in a practical and relational way and grow in daily conversation with God. Come and encounter the God who speaks.

- **Sunday, March 1st:** Prayer as Relationship
A fresh introduction to prayer and how to approach God personally.
- **Monday, March 2nd:** A Two-Way Conversation
Learning honesty and worship for real connection with God.
- **Tuesday, March 3rd:** Hearing God Speak
How to pray with Scripture and hear God's voice.

André Regnier, co-founder of Catholic Christian Outreach, has spent 35 years inspiring people to share the gospel with clarity and conviction. His latest book, *Hearing God's Voice*, is the inspiration for the parish mission and his presentations. Please contact corpus.evangelization@gmail.com with any questions.

ONGOING AROUND ARCHDIOCESE

- **Catholic Support for Mental Health:** archphila.org/support
- **Hope in Christ: Spiritual Support for Addiction** - archphila.org/hope
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