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**MASS & LITURGY SCHEDULE**

Sunday @ 8:00 am English & 12:00 pm Spanish  
Monday & Friday @ 8:00 am  
Wednesday @ 12:10 pm & 7:00 pm Spanish (Adoration @ 6:00pm)  
First Saturday of the month - 8:00 am  
Reconciliation: Wednesday 6:00-6:45pm or by appointment

**MASS & LITURGY SCHEDULE**

Saturday @ 4:30pm  
Sunday @ 10:30am  
Tuesday & Thursday @ 8:00am (Adoration @ 7:30am)  
Reconciliation: Tuesday & Thursday 7:30am - 8:00am  
and Saturday from 3:30-4:15pm or by appointment

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PASTOR'S NOTES

What was your experience last Saturday? I was shocked at the violence that was displayed during the Trump rally in Butler, PA. It was disturbing, sad, scary and confusing.

The week before, I had been on vacation with my family in Florida and toward the end of the time, my father collapsed and we had a very scary moment. He is fine now and I am grateful. However, it startled me. It made me reflect on the shortness of life. It reminded me that I will not have my parents forever. It caused me to realize that things can change in an instant. And the violence displayed last Saturday stressed that point even more.

My heart breaks for the family of Corey Comperatore. By all accounts he was a loving husband and father, a practicing Catholic and a dedicated fighter who covered his family to protect them. He was killed by a bullet intended for President Trump. How the life of that family and that community and our nation changed in an instant because of an evil choice by an individual? Please pray for that family and the others who were wounded by this heinous act of evil.

How do we reconcile this in our minds and our hearts? How do we respond as Catholic Christians? These questions cannot be answered in a short reflection. But St. Paul tells us today in his letter to the Ephesians referring to Jesus, "He is our Peace....He came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near, for through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father." A Catholic Christian vision reminds us that we are one human family. We pray "Our Father not my Father." We are called to love our brothers and sisters. We are even challenged to love "our enemies." This is the real call to be an authentic disciple of Jesus Christ.

Jesus is the source of authentic peace. Peace is a fruit of the Holy Spirit. Peace is not something that we can self-generate. We must go to the source. First, we must deepen our prayer life. We must strive to listen to His voice, not the voice of the secular world. Second, we must remember that we are called to be an instrument of peace. All of us must examine our conscience, how am I contributing or diminishing peace in my life? With the help of God, we strive to align our life to Jesus Christ. Yes, we live in a broken world, a world torn by strife, on the spiritual level, a world run by the Enemy. However, Jesus came into this world to save us and to rescue us. He reminds us in the Gospel of John, "In the world you will have trouble, but take courage, I have overcome the world." Our peace is in union with Him.

As we mourn the loss of life, we must also reassess our relationship with God. How well do I reflect God's priorities? Or am I projecting my own agenda? Let me close with these words, "Let us take this moment to pray for unity and an end to violence and inflammatory rhetoric in our community and across our nation. Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me."

Have a peaceful week!  
Fr. Keith

**THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE** arrangements should be made with the pastor one year prior to the wedding.

**THE HOLY EUCHARIST** is brought to the seriously ill and the aged monthly and Sundays by an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist, if requested.

**THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** is celebrated three times a year. Parents should be attending Mass regularly and are expected to attend a pre-baptism class. Sponsor certificates must be received by the Parish Center before the Baptism is scheduled. Please contact your respective parish.

**PARISH REGISTRATION AND ADDRESS CHANGES:** New members are always welcome. Please notify your parish office to update your contact information.

**HOSPITAL OR NURSING HOME ADMISSION NOTIFICATION:** Help us in our pastoral ministry to the sick by notifying your respective parish office when a loved one is admitted to a hospital or nursing home. Upon admission, please state the parish a person is a member.

YOUTH GROUP, PREP, SACRAMENTS

YOUTH NEWS

Holy Hike w/ Fr. Keith  
More details to come



PREP NEWS

**REMINDER:** Summer is not a time to take a break from God! Remember to place your Mass Attendance Cards in the collection basket each weekend. Extra Cards are always available in the vestibule of the Church. Registration forms will be mailed in July.

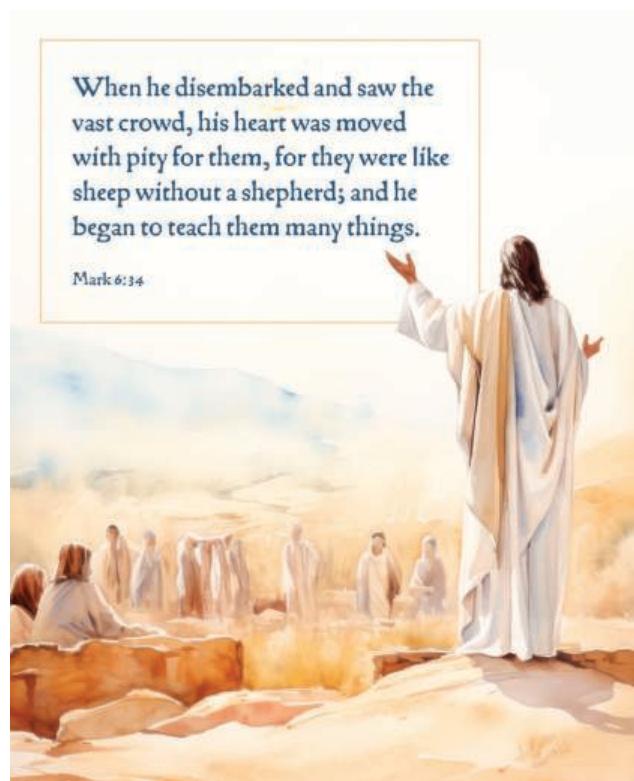
CONFIRMATION CLASS NEWS

CONFIRMATION DATE

We are pleased to announce that we have received the date for Confirmation. Confirmation will be conferred on all prepared candidates on:

**Wednesday, November 6th**  
**by Bishop Schlert at Our Lady of Mercy.**  
**The Liturgy will be celebrated at a 4:30 p.m. Mass**

*Reminder: only students who have completed 2 years of Religious Education and were in the 7th Grade Confirmation Class, this past year, will be confirmed.*



## PARISH EVENTS

### READINGS

Monday 22	Song of Songs 3 John 20	1-4b 1-2, 11-18
Tuesday 23	Micah 7 Matthew 12	14-15 46-50
Wednesday 24	Jeremiah 1 Matthew 13	1, 4-10 1-9
Thursday 25	2 Corinthians 4 Matthew 20	7-15 20-28
Friday 26	Jeremiah 3 Matthew 13	14-17 18-23
Saturday 27	Jeremiah 7 Matthew 13	1-11 24-30
Sunday 28	Kings 4 Ephesians 4 John 6	42-44 1-6 1-15



### BECAUSE WE ARE ARE CATHOLIC ANNUAL APPEAL

The 2024 Because We Are Catholic Annual Appeal is underway! Our parish support is a vital part of this Diocesan-wide effort to serve children and families in our own community and throughout the Diocese of Allentown. Please make your gift today at [www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org](http://www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org). Thank you!

### ANNOINTING MASS

The Parishes of Saint Anthony and Our Lady of Mercy would like to invite you to a special Mass with the Anointing of the Sick on Monday, July 29th, at 4:30 P.M. The Mass will be celebrated at St. Anthony's. The sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is for the physical healing and spiritual strengthening of those who are impaired by sickness or old age. During the Mass the Sacrament of Anointing will be administered to all who are suffering from an ailment, preparing to undergo medical treatments, as well as to the frail and elderly. Please accept this invitation and consider joining us at this special Mass. All are welcome.



### EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL

The Eucharist is the secret of my day. It gives me strength and meaning to all my activities of service to the Church and to the whole world."

– Pope Saint John Paul II



### NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION COMMEMORATION

To commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the First Mass offered at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, in Washington DC, His Excellency Bishop Alfred A. Schlert has authorized a special collection to be taken up in the Diocese of Allentown the weekend of August 17-18.

This collection will be a part of a large fundraising endeavor that will be used to pay for the Shrine Infrastructure Renewal that will begin in 2024.



### INVITE ONE BACK

God our Father, you never cease to seek out your children—the lonely, the frightened, the hurt, and the lost. We pray for all our parishioners who have been missing from our parish community and Eucharistic celebrations. Through the intercession of Mary, please pave the way for conversations and invitations that welcome them back to the Catholic Church and our Parish community. We trust in your love and mercy for every one of your children. Amen.

### SAVE THE DATE: MYSTERY POUND AUCTION

SAVE the date: AUGUST 10, 1:00 PM, for a fun afternoon in the OLOM Social hall. A "MYSTERY POUND AUCTION", sponsored by Court Easton, Catholic Daughters of the Americas. What is that?

There will be a mini luncheon served, after which unknown items weighing approximately 1 pound, in unique wrappings, will be auctioned off. A minimal ticket charge of \$3 will include a mini lunch, beverages, and a bidding paddle. Bidding amounts will be modest and you may wind up with a real treasure.

Bring your friends, neighbors, relatives, but please no children. You may purchase tickets from Court members, at the Scrip table, the OLOM office, or call 610-252-0202. Be ready to have a good time!!"

# ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH LIFE

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sunday, July 21</b> Living & Deceased Members of the Sacred Heart Sodality	<b>10:30am</b>
<b>Tuesday, July 23</b> Francesco Cicero Giuseppe & Lucia Cicero	<b>8:00 am</b>
<b>Thursday, July 25</b> Denis Roberge 1st Anniversary	<b>8:00 am</b>
<b>Saturday, July 27</b> Joseph Bosco All Those Enrolled in the Memorial Fund	<b>4:30 pm</b>
<b>Sunday, July 28</b> Joseph Azzolina Anthony Vannicola	<b>10:30 am</b>

## CANDLE INTENTIONS

**Saint Joseph:** Christopher Allshouse

**St. Placido:** Deceased Members of the San Placido Society

**Padre Pio:** Living Members of the Organetti & Falcone Families

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>JULY 27</b>	<b>4:30 PM</b>
<b>SACRISTAN</b>	P. Titus	
<b>LECTOR</b>	J. Piagesi	
<b>E. MINISTERS</b>	M. Nicolosi	J. Schinstine M. Gano
<b>SERVERS</b>	M. Titus	M. Murgia
<b>CANTORS</b>	J. Fink	
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>JULY 28</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
<b>SACRISTAN</b>	C. Minotti	
<b>LECTOR</b>	G. Buffone	
<b>E. MINISTERS</b>	M. Azzalina	Sr. Donna P. Smith
<b>SERVERS</b>	M. Vacaro	G. Vacaro
<b>CANTORS</b>	V. Hollingsworth	

## STEWARDSHIP

You may make donations directly to Saint Anthony's Church at [www.stanthonyeaston.com/giving](http://www.stanthonyeaston.com/giving). Please use your offering envelopes, which will be sent to your respective parish.

**Weekly Budget:** \$7,000.00

**July 14th:** \$4,835.00

## PARISH PRAYER REQUESTS

Contact Valerie:  
[luvstowrite2003@yahoo.com](mailto:luvstowrite2003@yahoo.com)

## COFFEE & THE WORD

Coffee and the Word will be taking a summer break, so there will be no meetings in July or August. Coffee and the Word will resume the first Tuesday in September.



## BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS STATUE

Father Keith is working with a group of young people to obtain a statue of Blessed Carlo Acutis. Carlo is expected to become a saint in late 2025. Carlo was a young Italian who was very devoted to the Blessed Sacrament. He worked to catalogue Eucharistic miracles and Marian apparitions in the early days of the internet. He passed away from Leukemia at the age of 15. Carlo Acutis will be the first Millennial Saint (born in 1991).

We are looking for anyone who is a millennial or younger (born in the early 1980s or younger) who would like to make a donation toward the statue. The statue will be displayed in St. Anthony's Church along with a plaque with the names of all donors. If interested in making a donation please contact Angelo DeRaymond at [angeloderaymond@gmail.com](mailto:angeloderaymond@gmail.com) or you can call the St. Anthony's parish center at (610) 253-7188.

Deadline for donations or donation commitment is due by August 1st. Either drop your donation or donation commitment into the offertory basket by August 1st.





## OUR LADY OF MERCY'S PARISH LIFE

### MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sunday, July 21</b>		
Bessie Mosellie		8:00 am
Joseph Anthony Mollica		
Ebelia Aguilar Floes		12:00pm (Spanish)
Accion de Gracias a Maria Auxiliadora		
<b>Monday, July 22</b>		
Andrew and Isabel Hutchinson		8:00 am
<b>Wednesday, July 24</b>		
Florence Kalian		12:10 pm
Anthony Pernicano		
Rosa Haydee Ruiz-DeWang		7:00 pm (Spanish)
<b>Friday, July 26</b>		
Art Breiner		8:00am
<b>Sunday, July 28</b>		
Jack Hart		8:00 am
Ray & Alice Zyskowski		
Leticia Cruz		12:00pm (Spanish)
Leticia Runyon		
Guillermo Perez Hernandez		

### MASS INTENTIONS

Our deceased loved ones benefit from the prayers offered during Mass. If you would like to have a Mass said for one of your family members or friends, please call the parish office 610-252-7381 or stop in during our office hours. The requested donation is \$10.00.

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:30am-3:30pm

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>JULY 28</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>
<b>LECTOR</b>	Zena Wambold	
<b>E. MINISTERS</b>	Jason Wambold	
<b>GREETER</b>	Jeanne Young	
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>JULY 29</b>	
<b>COUNTERS</b>	Erich & Kathy Hammerstone – Fran Tone	

### STEWARDSHIP

You may make donations directly to Our Lady of Mercy online at: [www.olomercy.com](http://www.olomercy.com) or use your weekly offering envelopes.

**Actual: July 7th: \$7,480.25**

### Month at a Glance

- Knitting Group – 1:00 PM Tuesday weekly
- Book Study – 7:00 PM Tuesday weekly Zoom
- Divine Mercy Cenacle 7:00 PM Monday, August 5th
- Safe Harbor Meal Tuesday, August 27th
- PAX -DEI Holy Hour –6:00 PM Friday weekly
- Saint Monica Ministry Holy Hour – 8:30 AM Saturday, August 3rd

### IS THE LORD CALLING YOU TO BRING THE EUCHARIST TO THE HOMEBOUND?

The primary role of a Eucharistic Minister is to visit our homebound parishioners as well as those who have transitioned to assisted living, nursing homes or hospice care. Maybe the Lord is calling you to this very important ministry. Would you be willing to bring Holy Communion to a parishioner who can no longer attend Mass. They are waiting for someone like you. It only takes a small amount of time each month. Please call the parish office 610-252-7381. Training will be provided.

### OLOM WOMEN'S GUILD SUMMER HOAGIE SALE



Coupons for 10" hoagies from Noto's Deli, 10th and Northampton Street will be sold at all Masses. The coupons will be \$9.00 each. All proceeds will go to benefit our Scholarship Program. Thank you for your support.

### SAVE THE DATE!

Our Lady of Mercy Parish Picnic : Sunday, September 29th

### SUNDAY MORNING BOOK GROUP

Join us September 8th as we begin our new book – The Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit By: Kevin Vost

### DONATION OF ALTAR FLOWERS



Flowers beautify the sacred space of our church and are a gift to God and those who attend Masses. Flowers in the sanctuary can fittingly mark anniversaries, the birth of a child, marriage, baptism or death, or may be used as an expression of joy and thanksgiving at any time. An announcement will be made at the weekend Masses noting the memorial or occasion for the flowers. Currently the suggested donation is \$60. If you would like to donate flowers, please contact the parish office to reserve your date.

# COMUNIDAD HISPANA

## ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

¿Cuál fue tu experiencia el pasado sábado? Me conmovió la violencia que se desplegó durante el mitin de Trump en Butler, Pensilvania. Fue inquietante, triste, aterrador y confuso.

La semana anterior, había estado de vacaciones con mi familia en Florida y hacia el final del tiempo, mi padre se desmayó y tuvimos un momento muy aterrador. Ahora está bien y le estoy agradecida. Sin embargo, me sobresaltó. Me hizo reflexionar sobre la brevedad de la vida. Me recordó que no tendré a mis padres para siempre. Me hizo darme cuenta de que las cosas pueden cambiar en un instante. Y la violencia mostrada el pasado sábado acentuó aún más ese punto.

Mi corazón se rompe por la familia de Corey Comperatore. Según todos los indicios, era un marido y un padre cariñoso, un católico practicante y un luchador dedicado que cubría a su familia para protegerla. Fue asesinado por una bala destinada al presidente Trump. Cómo la vida de esa familia y esa comunidad y nuestra nación cambió en un instante debido a una elección malvada de un individuo? Por favor, reza por esa familia y por los demás que resultaron heridos por este atroz acto de maldad.

¿Cómo conciliamos esto en nuestras mentes y nuestros corazones? ¿Cómo respondemos como cristianos católicos? Estas preguntas no pueden responderse en una breve reflexión. Pero San Pablo nos dice hoy en su carta a los Efesios refiriéndose a Jesús: "Porque él es nuestra paz...Vino para anunciar la buena nueva de la paz, tanto a ustedes, los que estaban lejos, como a los que estaban cerca. Así, unos y otros podemos acercarnos al Padre, por la acción de un mismo Espíritu." Una visión cristiana católica nos recuerda que somos una sola familia humana. Rezamos "Padre nuestro, no Padre mío". Estamos llamados a amar a nuestros hermanos y hermanas. Incluso se nos desafía a amar a "nuestros enemigos". Esta es la verdadera llamada a ser un auténtico discípulo de Jesucristo.

Jesús es la fuente de la auténtica paz. La paz es un fruto del Espíritu Santo. La paz no es algo que podamos autogenerar. Debemos ir a la fuente. En primer lugar, debemos profundizar en nuestra vida de oración. Debemos esforzarnos por escuchar Su voz, no la voz del mundo secular. En segundo lugar, debemos recordar que estamos llamados a ser un instrumento de paz. Todos debemos hacer un examen de conciencia: ¿de qué manera contribuyo o disminuyo la paz en mi vida? Con la ayuda de Dios, nos esforzamos por alinear nuestra vida con la de Jesucristo. Sí, vivimos en un mundo roto, un mundo desgarrado por las luchas, en el plano espiritual, un mundo dirigido por el Enemigo. Sin embargo, Jesús vino a este mundo para salvarnos y rescatarnos. Él nos recuerda en el Evangelio de Juan: "En el mundo tendréis dificultades, pero tened valor, yo he vencido al mundo". Nuestra paz está en la unión con Él.

Mientras lloramos la pérdida de una vida, también debemos reevaluar nuestra relación con Dios. ¿En qué medida reflejo las prioridades de Dios? ¿O estoy proyectando mi propia agenda? Permítanme terminar con estas palabras, "Aprovechemos este momento para rezar por la unidad y el fin de la violencia y la retórica incendiaria en nuestra comunidad y en toda nuestra nación. Que haya paz en la tierra y que empiece conmigo".

¡Que tengan una semana pacífica!

P. Keith

## SERVICIOS EN ESPAÑOL

La Misa: Domingo @ 12:00 pm / Miércoles @ 7:00 pm  
Confesiones: Miércoles @ 6:00 pm

**EL SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIO** Si desea recibir el Sacramento del Matrimonio, comuníquese con el párroco al menos 6 meses antes de la fecha de la boda.

**LA SANTA EUCARISTÍA** es llevada a los enfermos graves y ancianos mensualmente y los domingos por un Ministro Extraordinario de la Eucaristía, si así lo solicita.

**EL SACRAMENTO DEL BAUTISMO** Los Bautismos y clases bautismales se realizarán el primer domingo de mes y se alternarán todos los meses. Para más información por favor comunicarse con la oficina parroquial los miércoles o con el Diacono Jose Santos después de Misa. Por favor de registrar su hijo/a para ser bautizado por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha deseada.

**REGISTRO PARROQUIAL Y CAMBIOS DE DIRECCIÓN:** Los nuevos miembros son siempre bienvenidos. Por favor notifique a su oficina parroquial para actualizar su información de contacto.

### NOTIFICACIÓN DE ADMISIÓN AL HOSPITAL O CASA DE ANCIANOS:

Si un ser querido ingresa en el hospital, en una residencia de ancianos o está enfermo en casa, por favor notifíquelo al Centro Parroquial (610-252-7381).

## NOTICIAS DE PREPARACION

### RECONCILIACIÓN / PRIMERA COMUNIÓN / CONFIRMACIÓN

Las clases de Preparación para la Educación Religiosa Parroquial (PREP) se ofrecen durante el año escolar para preparar a sus hijos para recibir los sacramentos. La Primera Comunión y Reconciliación se reciben cuando los estudiantes están en el 3er grado. Sin embargo, le pedimos que haya al menos 2 años de preparación antes de que un niño reciba los sacramentos. Los estudiantes de confirmación deben participar en las clases de 7º y 8º grado. Póngase en contacto con nuestra coordinadora de PREP la Sra. Kelly DeRaymond.

## NOTICIAS

Tenemos Secretaria Bilingüe disponible lunes de 8:30 a 12:00, miércoles y jueves de 8:30 a 3:30 para lo que necesiten.

### EL LIBRO DE INTENCIONES DE MISAS

Para programar una Misa, por favor visítenos o envíe sus solicitudes de intención de misa y estipendios a la oficina parroquial. A ley de la iglesia establece que no podemos aceptar más intenciones de las que podamos cumplir en un año. El libro de Misas se abrirá el martes 7 de noviembre de 2023. Se ha otorgado permiso para decir dos intenciones separadas en cada Misa; sin embargo, debido a la gran cantidad de solicitudes y al número limitado de Misas ofrecidas, solo se puede programar una Misa de fin de semana por parte de la familia por el momento. Se pueden programar misas adicionales después del primero del año. Llame a la oficina Parroquial para verificar la disponibilidad de la fecha deseada de la Misa.

**LA CAMPAÑA ANUAL 2024 PORQUE SOMOS CATÓLICOS**

iLa Campaña Anual 2024 Porque Somos Católicos ya está en marcha! Nuestro apoyo parroquial es una parte vital de este esfuerzo diocesano para servir a los niños y a las familias en nuestra propia comunidad y a lo largo de toda la Diócesis de Allentown. [www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org](http://www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org). ¡Gracias!

**DONACIONES LAS FLORES DEL ALTAR**



Las flores embellecen nuestro espacio sagrado de nuestra iglesia y son un regalo para Dios y quienes asisten la Misa. Las flores en el Santuario pueden marcar aniversarios, el nacimiento de un hijo, un matrimonio, bautismo, fallecimiento, o pueden usarse como expresión de alegría y donación en cualquier momento. Se hará un anuncio en la Misas del fin de semana señalando el memorial o ocasión por el cual. Actualmente la donación es de \$60. Si desea donar flores, comuníquese con la oficina parroquial para reservar la fecha.

**NUESTRAS PUERTAS ESTAN ABRIERTAS**

Todos los que deseen visitar para la oración privada son bienvenidos a pasar de lunes a jueves de 9:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m. Para acceder a la iglesia, por favor toque el timbre de la oficina parroquial.

**LA IMPORTANCIA DE LA ADORACION EUCARISTICA**

La importancia de la Adoración Eucarística se manifiesta en el hecho de que la iglesia tiene un Ritual que la regula: El derecho de Exposición y Bendición Eucarística, esta e una extensión de la Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento que ocurre en cada Misa: “He aquí el Cordero de Dios, he aquí el que quita el pecado de mundo. Bienaventurados los llamados a la cena del Cordero”. La exposición del Santísimo Sacramentó fluye del sacrificio de la Misa y sirve para profundizar nuestra hambre de Comunión con Cristo y el resto de la Iglesia. El Rito concluye con a bendición del ministro ordenando bendiciendo a los fieles con el Santísimo Sacramento.

**VELAS VOTIVAS**

¿Le gustaría recordar a un ser querido en Misa? (Cumpleaños, aniversarios, memoriales ocasiones especiales). Ahora tenemos velas votivas por las Estatuas de Nuestra Santísima Madre y San Jose. El nombre y la intención se anunciarán antes de la Misa El costo es de \$5.00. Por favor de comunicarse con la oficina parroquial para reservar sus fechas.

# THE DIOCESE AND COMMUNITY

**SAINT FRANCIS RETREAT HOUSE**

On August 9-11, Jeanne Hunt will lead a “Revive: A Return to Joy” retreat. She says: “Life throws us many challenges, constantly placing us in “new normal” situations. God provides the answers to sustaining these by providing simple ways to embrace change. Joy is ours for the asking!” Register by July 26 for this retreat at [stfrancisretreathouse.org](http://stfrancisretreathouse.org) These are the prices: Individual - \$310, Couple - \$500, Commuter - \$145, and Virtual - \$95.

On August 18, we will celebrate our annual Polka Mass at 1 p.m. and host our Franciscan Family Picnic outside afterwards. Save the date!

**BINGO BUFFET**

Incarnation of Our Lord Parish 617 Pierce Street Bethlehem, PA LaBuda Hall (Church Basement)  
August 24, 2024, Doors Open at 5:15 pm  
Tickets (adults 18 & over): \$25 advance, \$30 at the door  
Ticket Includes 15 Games, 2 Boards, Cash Prizes, Buffet Supper  
Early Bird and Book Specials available for purchase  
Advance tickets are available by calling the rectory at 610-866-3391

**LEBANESE HERITAGE DAYS**

Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church will hold their Annual Lebanese Heritage Days celebration on Saturday, August 3rd from 5:00 P.M to Midnight and on Sunday, August 4th, from 11:00 A.M to 10:00 P.M. There will be a variety of Middle Eastern foods, dance troupes and entertainment. Admission is free. Lebanese Heritage Days will be held rain or shine

**REDNERS SAVE-A-TAPE PROGRAM**

Please help!! You must be a participant in this Redners program in order for Catholic Daughters to redeem the Redners receipts. There can be no markings, and nothing cut off from the receipts in order for them to be accepted. The company is very strict about these requirements. The Catholic Daughters of America want to THANKYOU for your help. All money collected from Redners through this program will be donated to our local seminarians.”





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