

### **OUR LADY OF MERCY**

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#### **SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA**

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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

#### **STAFF**

Tammy Reid, Finance Manager
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Anette Maritza Gallego, Bilingual Secretary
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Linda Moyer, Cemetery Coordinator
Michael Buckelew, Maintenance

#### 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

#### STAFF

Rose Allshouse, Office Manager James Allshouse, Finance Joseph Fink, Director of Music and Worship Karina de Jesus Severino, Director of Religious Education

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#### **PASTOR'S NOTES**

A 15th century Dominican friar, Alanus de Rupe received the following 15 promises to those who pray the Rosary devoutly from the Blessed Virgin Mary herself through a private revelation. We hope that they encourage you in meditating on the mysteries of Christ by praying the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

- **1.** Those who faithfully serve me by the recitation of the Rosary shall receive signal graces.
- **2.** I promise my special protection and the greatest graces to all those who shall recite the Rosary.
- 3. The Rosary shall be a powerful armor against hell. It will destroy vice, decrease sin, and defeat heresies.
- **4.** The recitation of the Rosary will cause virtue and good works to flourish. It will obtain for souls the abundant mercy of God. It will withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities, and will lift them to the desire of eternal things. Oh, that souls would sanctify themselves by this means.
- **5.** The soul which recommends itself to me by the recitation of the Rosary shall not perish.
- **6.** Those who recite my Rosary devoutly, applying themselves to the consideration of its sacred mysteries, shall never be conquered by misfortune. In His justice, God will not chastise them; nor shall they perish by an unprovided death, i.e., be unprepared for heaven. Sinners shall convert. The just shall persevere in grace and become worthy of eternal life.
- **7.** Those who have a true devotion to the Rosary shall not die without the sacraments of the Church.
- 8. Those who faithfully recite the Rosary shall have, during their life and at their death, the light of God and the plenitude of His graces. At the moment of death, they shall participate in the merits of the saints in paradise.
- **9**. I shall deliver from purgatory those who have been devoted to the Rosary.
- **10.** The faithful children of the Rosary shall merit a high degree of glory in heaven.
- 11. By the recitation of the Rosary you shall obtain all that you ask of me.
- **12.** Those who propagate the holy Rosary shall be aided by me in their necessities.
- **13.** I have obtained from my Divine Son that all the advocates of the Rosary shall have for intercessors the entire celestial court during their life and at the hour of their death.
- **14.** All who recite the Rosary are my beloved children and the brothers and sisters of my only Son, Jesus Christ.
- 15. Devotion for my Rosary is a great sign of predestination.

**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 prebaptism 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.

#### PREP & SACRAMENTS

#### **PREP NEWS**

#### Attention all PREP families:

Our PREP year is underway. Just a reminder please be sure all children are in Church by 9:00 AM. Classes are held from 9:00 – 10:10 AM. Please pick up your children no later than 10:15 AM.

Our next PREP FAMILY SESSION will be Sunday, October 13th

#### **CONFIRMATION CLASS NEWS**

It is hard to believe we are nearing the end of our preparation for Confirmation.

**Confirmation Retreat:** Blue Army Shrine on Sunday October 20th 1:30 – 5:00 PM

**Confirmation Practice:** Our Lady of Mercy on Saturday November 2nd at 10:00AM

Confirmation: Our Lady of Mercy on Wednesday,

November 6th at 4:30 PM





## **PARISH EVENTS**

	READINGS	
Monday 14	Galations 4 Luke 11	22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1 29-32
Tuesday 15	Galations 5 Luke 11	1-6 37-41
Wednesday 16	Galations 5 Luke 11	18-25 42-46
Thursday 17	Ephesians 1 Luke 11	1-10 47-54
Friday 18	2 Timothy 4 Luke 10	10-17b 1-9
Saturday 19	Ephesians 1 Luke 12	15-23 8-12
Sunday 20	Isaiah 53 Hebrews 4 Mark 10	10-11 14-16 35-45

#### ST. ANTHONY GOLDEN AGE BUS TRIP

Trip to Mogehan Sun!
November 19, 2024
Depart at 9:00am, Return at 5:00pm
Cost is \$50.00 per person
All are welcome!
Contact: Grace Castronuovo

Phone: 610-253-8854



#### **CATHOLIC WOMENS CONFERENCE**

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia is once again presenting the Catholic Womens Conference on Saturday October 19, 9 AM - 4 PM at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa 654 Ferry Road Doylestown, PA. It will be a wonderful day in a beautiful setting, filled with talks, worship and food. Individual registration is \$60/pp but if we can get a group of 5 or more to register together, then the cost would be \$50/pp. For more information, or to register as an individual, visit: https://www.catholicwomensconference.org/registration/. If you'd like to register as part of our group, contact Valerie: luvstowrite 2003@yahoo.com

#### PARISH ROSARY CHALLENGE

Help us reach our goal of 10,000 Rosaries said for the month of October. We are asking all members of Our Lady of Mercy and Saint Anthony Parishes to pray the Rosary daily. Each week when you come to Mass write down on the slips provided how many rosaries you said for the week. We will keep a running total. If just half of the people of our parishes said the rosary once a day for the month of October, we could reach our goal!!! Start Praying! You could do more than one a day if you have the time.

#### **EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL**

"It's time for faithful Catholics to stop trying to live for God. Instead, we should start living from him. The body and blood of the Lord is the source of our life, our energy, and our joy. So, let's eat and drink here and every day to our heart's content and then let's rush out into a starving world and tell everybody we meet, 'Starving people, listen! We found where the food is!"



- Monsignor James Shea

#### **CLOTHING DRIVE**

Our Lady of Mercy Women's Guild clothing drive will be held this weekend and next weekend. Saturday, October 12, 12:00 - 3:00 PM / Sunday, October 13th, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Saturday, October 19th, 12:00 – 3:00 PM / Sunday, October 20th, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Drop off Location: Our Lady of Mercy - Side Parking Lot

#### GAIN INDULGENCES WHEN THE BISHOP VISITS

Bishop Alfred Schlert will be presiding at the upcoming Confirmation Mass on Wednesday, November 6th at 4:30 PM. When the Bishop is present for his canonical Visit the following indulgences may be gained:

- 1. A plenary indulgence to the faithful who assist at ceremonies at which the bishop presides during his pastoral visitation.
  2. A partial indulgence to the faithful who make a visit to
- 2. A partial indulgence to the faithful who make a visit to their church at the time of the bishop's visitation.

#### **PARISH PILGRIMAGE**



Reserve your seat on the bus! On Thursday, November 14th Father Keith will be leading our parishes on a pilgrimage to Mount Saint Mary's Seminary and Mother Seaton Shrine in Emmitsburg MD. We will be leaving at 7:00 AM from Our Lady of Mercy. Bring a bagged lunch. We will be stopping on the return trip so we can grab something to eat. Returning home 8:30 – 9:00 PM. The cost is \$40.00 per seat. Please contact Karen at Our Lady of Mercy to reserve your seat. 610-252-7381

#### **EUCHARIST PROCESSION**

Sunday, October 27, 2024 at 3:30 P.M. the Angelic Sisters of St. Paul will host a Eucharist Procession. ALL are welcome. 3724 Knollcroft Street, Easton, PA 18045

## ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH LIFE

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sunday, October 13

Daniel Finelli 9th Anniversary 10:30am

Mary Bray

Tuesday, October 15

Nancy Gazzana & 8:00 am

Bernice Kushnerick

Thursday, October 17

Barbara Miller 6th Anniversary 8:00 am

Saturday, October 19

St. Anthony's Golden Age 4:30 pm

Ida Gabrielli

Sunday, October 20

Deceased Parents of Frank & Carolyn Creazzo 10:30 am

Special Intention

**CANDLE INTENTIONS** 

Blessed Mother: St. Anthony's Golden Age

Saint Joseph: St. Anthony's Golden Age

Saint Anthony: Deceased Members of Victor S. Patti Family

St. Placido: Deceased Members of the San Placido Society

St. Jude: Souls in Purgatory

Blessed Mother Grotto: Carmelo Lisinicchia

Padre Pio: Carmelo Lisinicchia
St. Anne: Stella Patti Grossman

PARISH PRAYER REQUESTS

Contact Valerie: luvstowrite2003@yahoo.com

#### LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY	OCTOBER 19		4:30 PM
SACRISTAN	P. Titus		
LECTOR	J. Piagesi		
E.MINISTERS	J. Donofrio	L. Fowler	J. Schinstine
SERVERS	M. Titus		
CANTORS	J. Convery		

SUNDAY OCTOBER 20 10:30 AM

SACRISTAN C. Minotti LECTOR P. Smith

E. MINISTERS J. Reidda J. Gensheimer M. Gano

SERVERS N. Diaz A. Diaz CANTORS C. DeRaymond

#### **STEWARDSHIP**

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

Weekly Budget: \$7,000.00 October 6th: \$5,868.00

Special Church Repair Fund as of September 29th: \$36,582.31

#### SILENCE!

"Be still & know that I am God." - Psalm 46:10

Please talk to God before Mass & to each other after Mass.

#### COFFEE & THE WORD

Beginning immediately, Coffee and The Word will begin meeting on Tuesdays at 8:30 AM in the Gathering Place, following 8 AM Mass, with the study beginning at 9 AM.



#### ST. ANTHONY'S GOLDEN AGE

A meeting will be held on Monday, October 14 at 12:30pm in the Gathering Place 910 Washington Street. Members and guests are welcome; hoagies will be served.

#### **BACKPACK PALS DONATION**

Backpack Pals Donation of unsweetened applesauce (6 pack) begins in September. Our participation helps needy students and their families with food insecurities existing in the Easton School District. We are grateful for the support shown in the past from our parish and look forward to another successful and generous school year. Look for the blue collection bin in the vestibule next to the doors. Thank you!

#### THE PARISH MASS BOOK 2025

Church Law states that we cannot accept more Mass intentions than we can fulfill within one year. The Mass book will open on Tuesday, November 5, 2024. Permission has been given for two separate intentions to be said per Mass, however due to the large number of requests and the limited number of Mases offered, only ONE weekend and ONE weekday Mass can be scheduled by a family at this time. Additional Masses may be scheduled after the first of the year. You only need to call the parish office to check on the availability of a Mass date 610-253-7188



#### WELCOME OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED

Sienna Theresa Viglianti daughter of Steven and Rebecca Vigliant Bennett Thomas Hultgren son of Steven and Dominique Hultgren Norah Dorothy Desmond daughter of Kristy and John T. Desmond IV Joseph James Manento son of Maraya and Samuel J. Manento

## **OUR LADY OF MERCY'S PARISH LIFE**

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### Sunday, October 13

Parishioners with an October Birthday 8:00 am Joe & Karen Corpora 35th Wedding Anniversary

Blanca Lydia Cruz 12:00pm (Spanish)

Gratitude for the birth of Thea Anchundia

Monday, October 14

Souls in Purgatory 8:00 am

William Colombell

Wednesday, October 16

Ronald Minotti 12:10 pm

Jane Nagy

Locario Pedeaza 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Hermino Carrazco

Friday, October 18

Maria Elena Carela 50th Birthday 8:00am

Alfonso & Isabel Severino Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, October 20

Gregory Carr 8:00 am Living & deceased members of the Catholic Daughters

Michael Alejandro Valencia Vergara

Luis Alberto Espinoza

12:00pm (Spanish)

#### **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						
SUNDAY	OCTOBER 20	8:00 AM				
LECTOR E. MINISTERS GREETER	Zena Wambold Jason Wambold Jeanne Young					
MONDAY	OCTOBER 21					
COUNTERS	Erich & Kathy Hammerstone and Fran Tone					

#### **STEWARDSHIP**

You may make donations directly to Our Lady of Mercy online at: www.olomercy.com or use your weekly offering envelopes.

**Actual: September 22nd: \$8,421.00** 

Month at a Glance

Knitting Group - 1:00 PM Tuesday weekly

Tuesday Book Study - 7:00 PM weekly Zoom to join,

Contact the Parish Office

Sunday Book Study - 9:00 AM weekly in the Social Hall Divine Mercy Cenacle - 7:00 PM Monday, October 14th

**Pro-Life Group-**7:00 PM Tuesday, October 15th **Women's Guild -** 4:30 PM Thursday, October 17th

PAX -DEI Holy Hour - 6:00 PM Friday weekly

Safe Harbor Meal – Tuesday, October 22nd to help contact the Parish Saint Monica Ministry Holy Hour – 8:30 AM Saturday, November 2nd

#### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN

40 Days for Life Campaign began on Wednesday, September 25th and will run thru Sunday, November 3rd. Please pray to end abortion! Take a list of needs from our Life Crib and consider donating to Cay Galgon Life House to help mothers who have chosen life and their babies! Go to the website for more information caygalgonlifehouse.org.

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#### MEMORIAL AND ENDOWMENT SOCIETY

Each month the First Friday Mass is offered for those enrolled in the Memorial and Endowment Society. If you would like to enroll a loved one, please contact the parish office. A one-time offering of \$25.00 may be made in their name and they will be remembered on the First Friday of each month.

#### BASKET RAFFLE AND BAKE SALE

Thank you for your help!

Our Lady of Mercy Women's Guild Basket Raffle and Bake Sale Saturday, November 16th and Sunday, November 17th We need your help filling baskets. Baskets will be available for pick up in the rear of the church after all Masses in October.



## **COMUNIDAD HISPANA**

#### **ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR**

Según el Beato Alano, estas son las promesas de Nuestra Señora para quienes rezan frecuentemente y con devoción la oración mariana:

- **1.** Aquellos que recen con enorme fe el Rosario recibirán gracias especiales.
- **2.** Prometo mi protección y las gracias más grandes a aquellos que recen el Rosario.
- 3. El Rosario es un arma poderosa para no ir al infierno: destruye los vicios, disminuye los pecados y nos defiende de las herejías.
- 4. Se otorgará la virtud y las buenas obras abundarán, se otorgará la piedad de Dios para las almas, rescatará a los corazones de la gente de su amor terrenal y vanidades, y los elevará en su deseo por las cosas eternas. Las mismas almas se santificarán por este medio.
- 5. El alma que se encomiende a mí en el Rosario no perecerá.
- **6.** Quien rece el Rosario devotamente, y lleve los misterios como testimonio de vida no conocerá la desdicha. Dios no lo castigará en su justicia, no tendrá una muerte violenta, y si es justo, permanecerá en la gracia de Dios, y tendrá la recompensa de la vida eterna.
- 7. Aquel que sea verdadero devoto del Rosario no perecerá sin los Sagrados Sacramentos.
- 8. Aquellos que recen con mucha fe el Santo Rosario en vida y en la hora de su muerte encontrarán la luz de Dios y la plenitud de su gracia, en la hora de la muerte participarán en el paraíso por los méritos de los Santos.
- **9.** Libraré del purgatorio a a quienes recen el Rosario devotamente.
- **10.** Los niños devotos al Rosario merecerán un alto grado de Gloria en el cielo.
- 11. Obtendrán todo lo que me pidan mediante el Rosario.
- **12.** Aquellos que propaguen mi Rosario serán asistidos por mí en sus necesidades.
- 13. Mi hijo me ha concedido que todo aquel que se encomiende a mí al rezar el Rosario tendrá como intercesores a toda la corte celestial en vida y a la hora de la muerte.
- **14.** Son mis niños aquellos que recitan el Rosario, y hermanos y hermanas de mi único hijo, Jesús Cristo.
- 15. La devoción a mi Rosario es una gran señal de profecía.

**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 PARROQUIALY 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:

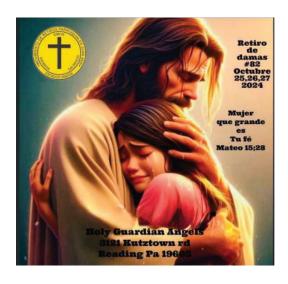
Si un ser querido ingresa en el hospital, en una residencia de ancianos o está enfermo en casa, por favor notifíquelo al Centro Parroquial (610-252-7381).

#### **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. Karina Severino.

#### **NOTICIAS**



#### SERVICIOS EN ESPAÑOL

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

Confesiones: Miércoles @ 6:00 pm

#### 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. iGracias!

#### CLASES (ESL) INGLÉS PARA ADULTOS

-Centro Diocesano Hispano: 219 W Susquehanna St. Allentown, PA 18103.
 Miércoles: 5:00-6:30 pm ó 7:00-8:30 pm.
 -Catedral Sta. Catalina de Siena: 1825 W Turner St, Allentown, PA 18104.
 Jueves 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm.

♦ 8-10 Semanas -Cuota no reembolsable: \$60.00.

Inscripción: -Miércoles Oct. 2. -5:00- 7:00pm Gimnasio San Pablo.
-Jueves Oct. 10. -2:30pm Rectoría de Sta. Catalina de Siena.

Más información

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#### 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.

#### **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.

### THE DIOCESE AND COMMUNITY

## ST. JUDE NATIONAL SHRINE AND BALTIMORE INNER HARBOR BUS TRIP

Wednesday, October 16th - \$75 includes driver tip.
Leave 137 Roseberry Street, Phillipsburg at 7:30am return 8pm.
Clinton pickup & Easton Park & Ride available upon request
Rosary at 11:30am, Noon Mass with Adoration afterwards
and visit Gift Shop. Return to Inner Harbor before final
departure at 5pm. Contact Camille 908-319-2719 for reservation.

#### ST. MONICA MINISTRY HOLY HOUR

The next St. Monica Ministry Holy Hour will take place at St. Theresa Church, 1408 Easton Road, Hellertown on Tuesday, October 15 at 6:00pm. All are invited to join in asking Our Lord's mercy and invoking the intercession of St. Monica for our prodigals. For information, please email StMonicaMinistry27@gmail.com.

#### ST. URSULA'S RAFFLE

St Ursula's Parish is having a BIG raffle on Saturday, October 19th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. & Sunday, October 20th from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be over 100 baskets, items such as gift cards, and some special value items such as a TV.

#### **OKTOBERFEST**

October 19th, 6:00pm - 10:00pm
St. Catharine of Siena Parish Activity Room
1825 W. Turner Street, Allentown, PA
Enjoy traditional Oktoberfest food, apple cider, cash bar, live music, dancing, stein holding contest, tricky tay, and silent auction.
Welcoming comments by the Most Reverend
Alfred A. Schlert, Bishop of Allentown
To purchase tickets or for more information,
emaill OurLadysHelpers@proton.me.
Tickets are \$65/person. All guests must be 21 or older.

#### SAINT ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY BASKET SOCIAL

Our 15th Annual Basket Social will be held at Saint Elizabeth's Parish Hall, 435 Pershing Blvd., Whitehall on Friday, October 11 from 5 - 7PM, Saturday, October 12 from 10 AM - 7 PM and Sunday, October 13 from 8 AM - 2 PM! Deliciously prepared food is available all weekend! Advanced tickets can be purchased by calling 610-266-0695 ext. 208 or e-mail dirreled@sercc. org for an order form. \$5.00/sheet or buy 4, get one free until October 11. Big Ticket prizes are available for \$10/sheet. Cash, Check or Credit Cards accepted! Hope to see you there!

#### **SAVETHE DATE**

The Angelic Sisters of St. Paul will host a Basket Raffle-Tricky Tray on November 2nd and 3rd at St. Jane's Parish Center, Hartley Avenue, Palmer Township.

#### **HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

The Holy Family Altar & Rosary Society is holding their annual Holiday Bazaar at the Parish Center at 508 W. Center St., Nazareth. Join us on Saturday, Oct. 26, 8am-2pm, and Sunday, Oct. 27, 8am-1pm. Lunch will be served on Saturday only. There will be a bake sale, crafts, tricky tray, raffles, Nice as New, and jewelry sales.



#### BOSCOV'S FRIEND HELPING FRIENDS COUPONS

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court 358 will be selling Boscov's Friend Helping Friends coupons at Our Lady of Mercy Church on Sunday, October 13 and Sunday, October 20th at the 8 AM and 12 PM masses. The \$5 coupon is good in-store or online on October 22 from 8AM until 11PM. This is a one day only sale with the 25% shopping pass. Thank you for your support.



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