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— MARK 4:32 —

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Adoration

Monday: 9:30AM - 6:00PM (Benediction)

Contact Information

Parish Office: 610-647-2345

School Office: 610-644-5797

PREP Office: 610-296-8899

Music Ministry: wnorman@stpatrickmalvern.org

Liturgy Schedule

Daily Mass: 6:30AM & 9:00AM

Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM

Sunday Mass: 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM

Reconciliation

Saturday: 9:30AM - 10:30AM



11th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

11th Sunday of Ordinary Time SUNDAY, JUNE 16

7:30AM – Albert H. Mancini
9:30AM – Joseph Loeffler
11:30AM – John Duffey

MONDAY, JUNE 17

9:00AM – For the Parish

TUESDAY, JUNE 18

9:00AM – Laura & Anthony Venditti

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19

9:00AM – John Moran

THURSDAY, JUNE 20

9:00AM – Eleanor Tiernan

St. Aloysius Gonzanga

FRIDAY, JUNE 21

9:00AM – Mary & John Rossi

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

9:00AM – Theodore Baffa
5:00PM – Nellie & John Korpusik

12th Sunday of Ordinary Time SUNDAY, JUNE 23

7:30AM – Eleanor Falasco
9:30AM – Joseph Loeffler
11:30AM – Marie & John Daily

Week of June 16

The Sanctuary Candle
burns in memory of:
Rita McNally

Blessed Mother Candle
burns for in memory of:
Emanuel Luongo

The St. Joseph Candle
burns in memory of:
Liza Meredith

Staff Reflection

For We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight

In today's world things can get very hectic. It seems to me the more we depend on technology the faster things need to happen, and our lives can get very crazy, even some times it can feel like it is getting out of control. This to me is a sign that I need to give my trust to God. It's time to reflect on what we hear today from St. Paul in the Reading from the second Letter to the Corinthians. He tells us to walk by faith and not by sight, meaning we need to put our trust in Jesus. If we allow ourselves to trust in Jesus, any anxiety and/or anxiousness will disappear especially if we are willing to accept the will of God. What we must always remember is what really matters is that Jesus gives His merciful love to us.

One of the things I love and reflect on is what is said by the Priest during the Communion Rite at Mass. After we pray the Our Father, the Priest says the prayer to deliver us from every evil and to grant us peace in our days, and through the help of Christ's mercy, we may always be free from sin and safe from all distress. Then through the faith of the Church we are offered the peace of the Lord. These words help me in my faith, in trusting in the Lord.

Reflecting on these words can help, especially on days that seem too hectic or days that seem like we have lost control, instead of getting distressed. Our faith reminds us that through the merciful love of Christ we have peace in our days, we just need to put our trust in the Lord and He will supply us with what we need to get through the situation.

God Bless,
Deacon Lou



Sacraments

Our Parish will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on **October 24, 2024**. If you are a member of our parish and your child attends a private Catholic academy and will be in 7th grade this Fall (currently in 6th grade), please contact Mrs. Monica Bartoldson to have your child included in our parish celebration of Confirmation. (610-296-8899 or mbartoldson@stpatrickmalvern.org) Thank you.



If you would like your child to be baptized here at St. Patrick Parish, please email Sr. Eileen at etiernan@stpatrickmalvern.org for information and guidance on the process of preparing for this Sacrament.

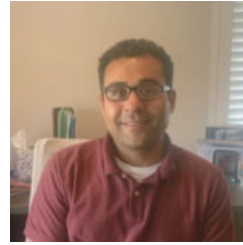
Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 9:30AM to 10:30AM



Parish Staffing Changes

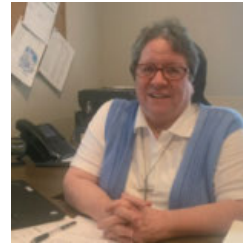
Mr. Julian Swiggett

We are happy to announce that Mr. Julian Swiggett will be assuming the role of **Director of Religious Education** for our parish. Mr. Swiggett is a lifelong member of our parish. He is married to his wife, Margaret, and they have two children, Jayden and Madeline. His children are enrolled in our PREP program. This past year he was a catechist in our PREP program on Monday evenings. He is also a lector and an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist in our parish. Mr. Swiggett is an educator by profession and teaches English at West Chester East High School. We welcome Mr. Swiggett and look forward to his enthusiastic leadership of our Religious Education program.



Sister Eileen Tiernan, IHM

After serving for 9 years as Director of Religious Education, Sister Eileen now will serve Saint Patrick Parish in another capacity. We are grateful to Sister Eileen for her wonderful work, and we are very glad that she is remaining involved in the life of Saint Patrick Parish. While continuing as Coordinator of Christian Initiation (Baptism arrangements, OCIA), Sister Eileen now will serve also as Coordinator of Pastoral Care. Sister Eileen will be the contact for visits to homebound parishioners and will assist in bringing Holy Communion to those parishioners, as well as those in nursing homes.



Eucharistic Adoration



Adoration is regularly offered on **Mondays** following the **9:00AM Mass** and concluding with Benediction at **6:00PM**.

Night Prayer

Night Prayer will not gather for the summer months.



Knights' Corner

Prolife Initiatives

The St. Patrick Knights of Columbus annual Pro-Life Baby Bottle Campaign concludes this weekend.

Please return any bottles you've taken to the Knights.

We thoughtfully use these contributions to support pro-life chastity education, pregnancy support centers, post abortion grief healing, and other life affirming causes which are consistent with Catholic teaching as needs arise.



Summer of Ice Cream with the Knights Returns

Mark your calendars for this summer's monthly opportunities. Our partners have generously agreed to donate a portion of your bill to the Knights to help support our charitable causes. Our first host for the summer will be:

Dairy Queen

in the Lincoln Shopping Center

on **June 25, 2024**



Summer Schedule

The Parish is now operating on our summer schedule as outlined below:

- **The Church** will be opened for the 9AM Daily Mass & locked at 4PM Tuesday through Thursday. On Mondays, it will be locked after Benediction.
- The **Parish Office** will be closed on Fridays. The Church will be locked at 10AM.
- The **6:30AM Daily Mass, Wednesday Night Prayer and Thursday Morning Confessions** will not be celebrated.

We wish everyone a safe and relaxing summer!

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Pray for the Sick

Pat Clark, Marianne Ohler,
Julie Ann Yarwood,
Daryl Walters, Jeff Hynd,
Craig Bartoldson,
Kathy Stryker, Zara Wendowski,
Michael Cox, Henry Centore,
Allan Anderson, Stephen Ziel,
Ed Bodam, Brian Sweeney,
Gavin Duffy, Nick Bonlli,
Mark Allen Ruegg,
Chuck Marvil, Jay Holland,
Jack Reynolds,
Roses Madrigale, Karen Walsh,
Nancy Meredith, Sophia Borzillo,
Carmen Bevilacqua,
Lindsay Dillon,
Kevin Baffa, Colin Dwyer (child),
Isabella Rambo (child),
Jennifer Anderson,
Linda Barton,
Chrissy Brown, Lisa Bove,
Gina Butcher, Andrew Butler,
Sue Castaldi, Dolores Christmas,
Audrey Clarke, Mary Cola,
Rosemary Crecco,
Alicia Dellario, Eve DelSoldo,
Anthony Diels, Nerisa Eachus,
Stephanie Elko, Nellie Emigh,
Samantha Falcone, Cara Grim,
John Hendricks,
Sr. Immaculata, IHM,
Mary Huhtenan,
Karen, Elizabeth Kelly,
Carol Lubecki, Daniel Luther,
Margaret Martin, Riley Palmer,
Elizabeth Pentek,
Priscilla Pfizenmayer,
James Rizzo, Jodi Schmon,
Claire Sieracki Clardy,
Howard Shellem, Kim Spada,
Aya Rock Stryker,
Lily Walker, Patricia Warren,
Rita Yeost, Barry Zimnoch.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...

Please remember in your prayers our deceased parishioners and benefactors especially,

**Iva Bonelli,
Mario Quattrochi &
Francis Way**

Sick List Information:
If you would like to add an intention to the list, please contact Dan Milani:
dmilani@stpatrickmalvern.org



St. Patrick
PREP
Growing in Faith

Registration is currently underway for the 2024-25 Religious Education Program. If you are on our mailing list, you have received registration materials in the mail.

Any family who wishes to register and is new to PREP may find information on our website www.stpatrickmalvern.org/prep, or please call Monica Bartoldson at 610-296-8899 to request a registration packet. Thank you!

Sunday Collection Report

May 26th: \$26,102

Thank you for your continued generosity to our parish. We now offer an online giving option through Parish Giving. Giving online offers the convenience of recurring payments so you never forget to make your contribution. Sign up to give online at: <http://saintpat.net/give>

**Sanctuary Memorial Fund**

In order to provide for the liturgical needs of the Church and Sanctuary, I am establishing a Sanctuary Memorial Fund. The fund will enable us to purchase new vestments as we need them. (Some of our vestments are getting worn and tattered.) Improvements to the altar would include, altar cloths trimmed in red for certain occasions and a cloth trimmed in blue for Masses and celebrations in honor of Our Lady, along with 2 additional candlesticks for the altar for Solemnities, Forty Hours Devotion, etc.. Another goal is to construct a shrine for our Saint Patrick statue, as well as to purchase a statue of Our Lord with His Sacred Heart. The Sacred Heart statue would be placed in the narthex of the Church.

Donations to this fund are a simple way of memorializing our deceased loved ones. They also could be made in honor of those who are living. Please consider supporting this fund, particularly when planning for the funeral of a loved one. This is a gift to Saint Patrick Parish that will enhance our Divine Encounter.

-Monsignor Duncan

Join the Flock!

We are so glad you're here today. Stay in touch and receive our weekly parish Flocknotes (email) which includes updates and invitations to parish events and activities. Text the keyword **"saintpats"** to 84576 and you will receive all the latest news.



Summer Outreach Opportunity

St. Agnes Outreach Services

Summer is here and with it needs for our children and elderly. St. Agnes provides camps and pop up activities for children throughout the summer. Can you help by donating:

- prepackaged salty and sweet snacks**
- juice boxes**
- small bottled waters?**

St. Agnes is also in need of new fans (box or stand up) which will be given to families with young children and elderly guests.

Please leave your donation in the blue bins in the back of the Church where they will be brought to St. Agnes. If you have questions please email Marie Holland at marieholland@comcast.net. Thank you for keeping families cool and children looking forward to a fun summer



CYO Fall Sports

Cross Country (Grades K-8)
Flag Football (Grades 1-4)

Mini Cheer (Grades 1-4)
Field Hockey (Grades 5-8)

Registration is now open for CYO Fall Season Sports. There are opportunities for all grades and all levels of experience!

Support CYO and participate in one of the many options we offer! Visit <http://stpatrickmalverncyo.com> to register and learn more.

WE ARE IN NEED OF COACHING VOLUNTEERS FOR ALL SPORTS!
PLEASE VISIT OUR CONTACT US PAGE OR EMAIL ATHLETIC DIRECTOR MATT BUSH TO INQUIRE. damian8532@gmail.com



St. Patrick Young Adults

Bible Study - 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30PM in the Parish Office

Young adult men's night - 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at 6:30PM (Parish Office)

St. Patrick's Young Adult Group is an active community of young adults (20s and 30s) growing in virtue and understanding. We invite all young adults in the area to join us for bible study, adoration, hangouts and service opportunities each month.

Contact us or get more info: scan the QR code or visit: saintpat.net/YA



Dear young people,
Jesus' freedom
draws us in. Let us
allow it to resonate
within us, to challenge
us, to awaken in
us the courage born
of truth.

POPE FRANCIS

Outreach

Ongoing Needs

The Patrician Society and the Dorothy Day Room are serving approximately 200 families each week. Due to inflation, reduced SNAP benefits and the end of the Child Tax Credit, more families are experiencing food insecurity. **Please see the updated list of items that are extremely low in the pantries.**



DOROTHY DAY ROOM:

- Pasta Sauce (plastic bottles)
- Canned Vegetables
- 1-2 lb bags white rice
- 1-2 lb bags sugar
- 1 lb bags black/pinto beans
- Cooking Oil
- Spaghetti or Pasta
- Salt
- Wheat/Maseca Flour

THE NORRISTOWN SOUP KITCHEN:

- CapriSun
- Instant Coffee
- Lunchbox sized snacks

PATRICIAN SOCIETY

- Cereal / Oatmeal
- Bagged White Rice
- Cooking Oil
- Pasta
- Canned Meat: Tuna/Spam/Beef Stew/Chili/Chicken
- Beans - black/pinto/kidney
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Canned Fruit
- Sugar
- Salt/Pepper
- Masa Corn Flour

ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE IN PHILLY:

- Casseroles



PHILADELPHIA MARCH FOR LIFE

Collection for
PHILLY'S BIGGEST BABY SHOWER
Saturday, June 22, 2024

9am Mass
Cathedral of Sts Peter and Paul

10:30am March
Starts at Ben Franklin Pkwy & Race St

11:30am Rally
Independence Mall

Bring baby items to Cathedral for Philly's Biggest Baby Shower Collection




For Details and to Register:
prolifeunion.org



CYACC

(Catholic Young Adults of Chester County)
Meetings held on Wednesdays

Park Night

Join CYACC on **Wednesday, June 19** for one of our park nights with fun and games! If you have any lawn/outdoor games feel free to bring. We will begin at 6:30pm at West Goshen Park (1023 fern hill road) in West Chester.

For more information find us on Facebook, email us at cyacc1@gmail.com or visit www.cyacc.org.

Walking in Grief

Bereavement Program
6PM—7:30PM via Zoom

June 13—Grief Brain
August 7—Things We Keep

July 10—Anxiety & Grief
Attend one, two or all three!

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, no matter how much time has passed, please know that you are not alone. These sessions are for anyone grieving. Come share or just listen to others who also walk in grief. May you know that God is with you.

Contact Theresa Ferrari, MSN, RN at
484-459-1564 or DTPCMT@aol.com

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Adoration at St. Mary's Chapel

"To make reparation to the Eucharistic heart of Jesus is the work of our time...." - Fr. Donald Calloway

St. Mary's Chapel on Rt. 30 Exton recently opened its doors to adoration from 9 am to 7 pm, M - F. Adorers are needed. Come for a visit, and if possible commit to a weekly hour. Sign-up sheets are in the foyer. Contact person is Patti Callan 484-467-8807. Come to console Jesus! Come to be blessed!

Employment Opportunities

Camp of Light

St. Agnes, West Chester

Saint Agnes Outreach Services is looking for a fun loving, competent, education professional, who is a faithful Catholic, to run our summer camp programs. The individual would help to plan, organize and run our two week "Camp of Light" as well as "Pop-up Enrichment Programs" and assist with "Camp Guadalupe" which is hosted at Saint Mary Magdalen Parish. These summer adventures are for under privileged children in West Chester ages 5 - 11. All of the necessary clearances are required.

For more information please contact Barbara Kirby at bkirby@saintagnesparish.org.

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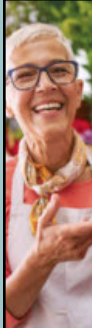
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