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Parish Mission Statement

**One Family**
United as members of the One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church, we are committed, as **ONE FAMILY**, to be messengers of God’s love and presence in the world, and to welcome and invite others to become part of this family and this mission.

**One Heart**
Called by our Baptism to a life of service in the Lord, we are committed, with **ONE HEART**, to live in charity, practice the works of mercy, and work for peace and justice.

**One Faith**
Strengthened by God’s Word and nourished by His Sacraments, we are committed, in **ONE FAITH**, to promote lives of learning, living, and proclaiming the Gospel message, as we continue to grow in the knowledge, understanding, and appreciation of all that embodies these awe-inspiring truths.

### Priests/Deacon
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Lawrence F. Kozak
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Robert M. Gross
Deacon: Deacon A. Kenneth Belanger
Deacon: Deacon Francis Cavaliere

**Parish Office:**
Monday through Friday: 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM (closed for lunch 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM)
Business Manager: Ms. Cathy Neugebauer
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Web Site: [www.sainthelena-centersquare.net](http://www.sainthelena-centersquare.net)
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### Education Center
School Principal: Mr. Carl P. Jankowski
School Secretary: Mrs. Phyllis Cissone
School Phone: 610-279-3345
Director of Religious Education: Mrs. Madeleine Fitzgerald
PREP Phone: 610-279-3870
Director of Youth/Young Adults/Adults: Mr. Kurt Zampier
Phone: 610-930-0349
Facilities Director: Mr. Vince Thompson
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### Mass Schedule
- **Saturday Vigil:** 5:00 PM
- **Sunday:** 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, & 11:00 AM
- **Weekdays:** Mon - Sat 9:00 AM  *St. Theresa Chapel*
- **Holy Day Vigil:** 7:00 PM
- **Holy Day:** 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, & 12:15 PM (Except Saturdays)

### Devotions in the St. Theresa Chapel
- **Most Holy Rosary:** Mon - Sat 8:25 AM
- **Adoration:** Mon - Fri 9:30 AM - 7:30 PM
- **Divine Mercy Chaplet:** 3:00 PM Mondays

**Chapel Hours:** The St. Theresa Chapel is open Monday through Friday from 6:15 AM to 9:00 PM; Saturday from 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM; and Sunday from 7:00 AM - 5:00 PM.

### Baptism
Baptisms are celebrated the second Sunday of each month after the 11:00 AM Mass. Please stop by the Parish Office for information on scheduling Baptism for your child. Pre-Jordan classes are required for parents and optional for godparents and are **usually** offered the first Monday of the month at 7:00 PM in the Education Center. Call the Parish Office to register for class. Letters of eligibility are due at the Parish Office before a date can be confirmed for Baptism.

### Marriage
Arrangements must be made with a priest at least six months prior to your desired wedding date. The Archdiocese requires that all couples attend a Pre-Cana class. Our next Pre-Cana class will be scheduled in the Spring of 2019. Please contact the Rectory at 610-275-7711 or e-mail tveasy@sainthelenachurch.org for class information and registration.

### Anointing of the Sick
Arrangements can be made by calling the Parish Office.

### Reconciliation/Confession
Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 PM in the Church or any time upon request. Call the Parish Office for an appointment.

### Memorials
**Memorial Cards, Candles, Bread & Wine**
If you are interested in having a Memorial said in memory or in honor of a loved one, please visit the Parish Office.

### Altar Flowers
If you are interested in having flowers placed on the Altar in the Church or Chapel, please contact Theresa Smith at 215-646-7636.

### “Tithing is God’s Plan for Giving!”
- Contributions November 18: Plate $TBA
- E-giving: $TBA
- Mail in: $TBA

Our material gifts to God are our way of pledging our time and talent and our very lives for the glory of Christ, our King. Thank you for your weekly tithe, your pledge of loyalty.”

Msgr. Nicolo
Dear Saint Helena Families,

We have been very busy here at school. So many special moments and activities, it is very hard to keep track of them all.

Students from kindergarten through the 5th grade met with members of the Whitpain Recreational Development Team regarding the concept phase of a new playground that is to be constructed in a local park. The students enjoyed sharing their ideas and dreaming BIG for the architects. We were very happy to be included in the concept phase as all of the local elementary schools were asked to give input. Thank you to the Whitpain Recreational Development Team for including SHS!

In Pre-K they were rocking out to the letter “Gg” for guitar. WOW they look like they are having so much fun!

Finally, we would like to thank everyone for celebrating our Memorial Day for John, Erin, and Landan. It was a wonderful afternoon of sharing and caring. We especially thank Sr. Cathe for sharing the day with us.

Have a wonderful weekend and happy Thanksgiving!

Sincerely,

Mr. Jankowski

Dear Parishioners,

I thank everyone who participated in the Thanksgiving Mass and Simple Supper on Monday, November 19. It has been a tradition in this Parish that our School sponsors this wonderful opportunity for people to come together and give thanks to Almighty God and then go to the Social and Recreation Center to share a simple meal. A Free Will Offering is made while everyone is eating soup and bread in the Social and Recreation Center. Each year this assists different charities. This year’s speaker was Sister Cathe who spoke to us on behalf of McAuley which is the infirmary for the Sisters of Mercy!

Our Thanksgiving Day Mass was absolutely beautiful. All those who participated, realized that there is no better way to give thanks to Almighty God than to participate in the greatest act of Thanksgiving – The Eucharist, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

This weekend as a parish we will do an Act of Consecration to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. It is a wonderful tradition that we started several years ago. There is no better way to end the Liturgical Year on the feast of Christ the King as we prepare to begin the new Liturgical Year with Advent then by dedicating and consecrating ourselves individually and as a parish to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

As we begin the Liturgical Year with Advent let us prepare ourselves during this holy season to welcome Jesus more deeply into our hearts. As part of this preparation I would ask that you please mark the date of Tuesday, December 11. We will be having two Penance Services on that day. The first Penance Service will be at 1:15 PM. The second Penance Service will be at 6:45 PM. We will have over 10 priest at each of these services. What a wonderful way to spiritually prepare ourselves during this Advent season for Christmas.

Please keep in your prayers our second grade children in our School and PREP. They will be making their First Reconciliation on Monday, December 3. Let us pray that through this wonderful Sacrament they and their families who receive the mercy of God through the Sacrament of Penance will “fall” more deeply in love with Jesus.

May God through the intercession of St. Helena bless us!

Love and Prayers,

Msgr. Nicolo
**Mass Intentions**

**MON., Nov. 26**
9:00 AM
IMO Landon Vargas
Req. by the D’Orazio & Vargas Families

**TUE., Nov. 27**
9:00 AM
IMO Henry & Agnes Piotrowski
Req. by the Winterbottom Family

**WED., Nov. 28**
9:00 AM
IMO Jay V. Taylor
Req. by Louis R. Drozd

**THU., Nov. 29**
9:00 AM
IMO the Lupica Family
Req. by the Bozzelli Family

**FRI., Nov. 30**
9:00 AM - St. Andrew
IMO Marie Hilferty
Req. by the Hilferty Family

**SAT., Dec. 1**
9:00 AM—For living & deceased members of the St. Theresa Guild

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**Pray For Our Deceased**

Please remember in your prayers all those who have died including Regina Donovan, Max Woodward, Sr., Mark Maiale, Anthony Angelo.

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**Pray For Our Sick**

Please keep in your prayers our sick, homebound and those in healthcare facilities including:


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**Memorials for the Week of November 25**

The Sanctuary Candle in the Church burns this week in memory of
**Tom Burns 5th Anniversary**
requested by the Burns Family

The Sanctuary Candle in the Chapel burns this week in memory of
**John Paravati, Sr.**
requested by Msgr. Nicolo, Fr. Kozak, Fr. Gross & Rectory Staff

A Candle burns this week at the Blessed Virgin Mary Statue in memory of
**Landon Vargas**
requested by the D’Orazio & Vargas Families

A Candle burns this week at the St. Joseph Statue in memory of
**Edward A. Lock**
requested by Msgr. Nicolo, Fr. Kozak, Fr. Gross & Rectory Staff

A Candle burns this week at the St. Joseph Statue in memory of
**Matthew F. Mazza**
requested by Msgr. Nicolo, Fr. Kozak, Fr. Gross & Rectory Staff

A Candle burns this week on the Chapel Altar in memory of
**Joan Shea**
requested by Msgr. Nicolo, Fr. Kozak, Fr. Gross & Rectory Staff

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**Pray For Our Military**

Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To You be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever.

Amen.
PARISH CALENDAR OF EVENTS
WEek of Nov. 25, 2018 - Dec. 2, 2018

SUNDAY, November 25
- Mass Schedule: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 AM - Church
- H.S. Youth Group Advent Sales: After All Masses
- CYO: 1:00 - 9:00 PM - Social & Recreation Center
- Christmas Concert Rehearsal: 2:00 PM - Church

MONDAY, November 26
- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- Divine Mercy Chaplet: 3:00 PM - Church
- Girl Scouts (71024): 6:00 PM - Cafeteria/Dining Hall
- CYO: 4:30—9:00 PM - Social & Recreation Center

TUESDAY, November 27
- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Church
- PREP Classes: 6:30 - 8:00 PM - Education Center
- Reach More Training Group: 7:00 PM - Convent/Our Lady of Mercy
- Adult Basketball: 6:30 - 9:00 PM - Social & Rec Ct
- Ignatian Spirituality For Men: 7:00 - 9:00 PM - Convent/St. Anne

WEDNESDAY, November 28
- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- CYO: 4:30 - 9:00 PM - Social & Recreation Center
- Cub Scout Den Mgt.: 6:30 PM - Cafeteria/Dining Hall
- RCIA: 7:00 PM - Parish Meeting Room

THURSDAY, November 29
- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- Walking with Purpose: 12:45 PM - Convent
- Girl Scouts (#71219): 6:00 - 8:30 PM - Science Lab
- Scripture Study: 7:00 PM - Parish Meeting Room
- Children’s Chimes: 7:00 - 8:00 PM - Counting Room
- Adult Bell Choir: 7:00 - 9:00 PM - Church

FRIDAY, November 30
- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- Senior Board Mtg.: 10:00 AM - Parish Meeting Room
- Advent by Candlelight: 7:00 PM - Social & Rec. Ct.
- Communion & Liberation: 6:30 PM - Parish Mtg. Rm.

SATURDAY, December 1
- Daily Mass - St. Theresa Guild: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- H.S. Youth Group Advent Sales: After 5 PM Mass
- Men’s Fellowship Group: 7:00 AM - Parish Mtg. Rm.

SUNDAY, December 2 - Advent
- Mass Schedule: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 AM - Church
- H.S. Youth Group Advent Sales: After All Masses
- Christmas Concert Rehearsal: 7:00 PM - Church
- Advent Evening Prayer: 7:00 PM - Chapel
- H.S. Youth Group: 7:00 - 8:30 PM - Parish Mtg. Rm.

WEEKEND MINISTRIES SCHEDULED: December 1 & 2

Celebrant
- 5:00 PM  Fr. Kozak
- 7:30 AM Fr. Kozak
- 9:00 AM  Fr. Bob (Deacon Ken)
- 11:00 AM Msgr. Nicolo (Deacon Frank)
- Both Species

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- 5:00 PM J. Eisele, R. McDugall, J. Nicoletti, J. Smith, T. Smith
- 7:30 AM L. Banicki, D. DeLaRosa, J. Kang, J. Oberlies, T. Reigle
- 9:00 AM L. Iannello, S. Iannello, D. Nolan, K. Ryan
- 11:00 AM B. Aquino, D. Galanti, C. Interrante, A. Wales

Lectors
- 5:00 PM J. Pomeroy
- 7:30 AM J. McCloskey
- 9:00 AM T. Yezzi, R. Henry
- 11:00 AM R. Rodriguez, K. Rodriguez

Music
- 5:00 PM Organ/Cantor
- 7:30 AM Organ/Cantor
- 9:00 AM Contemporary
- 11:00 AM Adult Choir

Altar Servers
- 5:00 PM O. Duffy, C. Schoppe, L. Seegers, M. Shields
- 7:30 AM J.P. Capperella, L. Fitzpatrick, A. Gleba
- 9:00 AM B. Flatow, M. Lau, V. Moore, K. Yezzi
- 11:00 AM M. Banmiller, P. Banmiller, K. Gallagher, K. Rolley

PROTECTING CATHOLIC FAMILIES SINCE 1882
St. Helena is pleased to announce that the Knights of Columbus has now made it easier to join their Fraternal Order.

The Knights of Columbus is the largest organization of Catholic men in the world. It has helped countless families through its insurance program and has contributed time, energy and financial support to people in need around the world.

For more information, please contact Dexter De La Rosa at dexter.delarosa@kofc.org or 917-941-5381.
Highlighting our Families - Part of the 100th Anniversary Celebration

“Getting to know you…….”

We are looking for as many families as possible to help celebrate and partake in the 100 year celebration of our wonderful Parish. We are requesting families and parishioners from all generations to help us in this “Getting to know your fellow parishioner” project. Please quickly answer the questions below and send in pictures that relate to your answers (up to 5 photos) via email (SH100YearCelebration@gmail.com) or drop them off in the Parish Office. Please have all answers typed. We will be highlighting all families who participate starting this month and running until the year of celebration is completed in 10/2019. All participants will be highlighted during all services on the TV screen in the Narthex.

100th Year Celebration Parishioner Questionnaire

How long have you/your family been parishioners of St. Helena?
How many are there in your immediate family? (Full names and ages)
What parish, city, and state were you and your family born into/baptized?
What Mass at St. Helena’s is your favorite to attend, and why?
Who was the first family/friend you met through St. Helena Parish?
Where do you/your family vacation?
List some of your family, holiday, and seasonal traditions?

Please email your responses along with your pictures to SH100YearCelebration@gmail.com.

You Are Invited to
The St. Helena 2018 Christmas Concert which will feature
Christmas Songs to Remember, Honor, and Celebrate
as part of our “100th Anniversary Celebration”
December 16, 2018 at 4 PM in St. Helena Church
The Concert is FREE. A Free Will offering will be graciously accepted.

You are also invited to dine in the Empress Room following the Christmas Concert.
As part of the 100th Anniversary Celebration, dinner will be a special price of
$15.00 per Person.
(Thanks to Paravati Catering and St. Helena Church!)
Menu Includes:
BYOB  Wine & Beer
Mixed Green Salad
Chicken Francaise, Pork, Chicken Fingers
Italian Mac and Cheese and String Beans
Dessert
Coffee, Tea, Iced Tea
For more information and for reservations which are required call
Theresa Smith at 215-646-7636 or email theresacsmith@verizon.net
Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, commonly referred to as the Feast of Christ the King, is a relatively recent addition to the Western liturgical calendar, having been instituted in 1925 by Pope Pius XI for the Roman Catholic Church. In 1970 its Roman Catholic observance was moved to the final Sunday of Ordinary Time. Therefore, the earliest date on which it can occur is 20 November and the latest is 26 November.

Pope Pius XI instituted the Feast of Christ the King in his encyclical letter Quas primas of 1925, in response to growing secularism and in the context of the unresolved Roman Question. According to Cyril of Alexandria, "Christ has dominion over all creatures, ...by essence and by nature." His kingship is founded upon the hypostatic union. "...The Word of God, as consubstantial with the Father, has all things in common with him, and therefore has necessarily supreme and absolute dominion over all things created."

"From this it follows that to Christ angels and men are subject. Christ is also King by acquired, as well as by natural right, for he is our Redeemer. ...' We are no longer our own property, for Christ has purchased us "with a great price"; our very bodies are the "members of Christ." A third ground of sovereignty is that God bestowed upon Christ the nations of the world as His special possession and dominion. "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me." (Matthew 28:18)

The feast has an eschatological dimension pointing to the end of time when the kingdom of Jesus will be established in all its fullness to the ends of the earth. It also leads into Advent, when the Church commemorates the arrival of the newborn king.

The title of the feast was "Domini Nostri Jesu Christi Regis" (Our Lord Jesus Christ the King), and the date was established as "the last Sunday of the month of October – the Sunday, that is, which immediately precedes the Feast of All Saints". In Pope St. John XXIII's revision of the Calendar in 1960, the date and title were unchanged but, according to the simplification of the ranking of feasts, it was classified as a feast of the first class.

In his motu proprio Mysterii Paschalis of 1969, Bl. Pope Paul VI amended the title of the Feast to "D. N. Jesu Christi universorum Regis" (Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe). He also moved it to the new date of the final Sunday of the liturgical year, before the commencement of a new liturgical year on the First Sunday of Advent (the earliest date for which is 27 November). Through this choice of date "the eschatological importance of this Sunday is made clearer". He assigned to it the highest rank of "solemnity". In the extraordinary form, as happens with all Sundays whose liturgies are replaced by those of important feasts, the prayers of the Sunday on which the celebration of the feast of Christ the King occurs are used on the ferias (weekdays) of the following week. The Sunday liturgy is thus not totally omitted.

In 2018, the Solemnity day falls on 25 November. The liturgical vestments for the day are colored white or gold, in keeping with other joyous feasts honoring Christ.

MADELEINE’S MESSAGE

Prayer to Christ the King
O Lord our God, You alone are the Most Holy King and Ruler of all nations.
We pray to You, Lord, in the great expectation of receiving from You, O Divine King, mercy, peace, justice and all good things.
Protect, O Lord our King, our families and the land of our birth.
Guard us we pray Most Faithful One.
Protect us from our enemies and from Your Just Judgment
Forgive us, O Sovereign King, our sins against you.
Jesus, You are a King of Mercy.
We have deserved Your Just Judgment
Have mercy on us, Lord, and forgive us.
We trust in Your Great Mercy.
O most awe-inspiring King, we bow before You and pray;
May Your Reign, Your Kingdom, be recognized on earth.
Amen
Have a great week!
Madeleine

VOLUNTEER NURSES

If you are a Nurse or a retired Nurse please consider volunteering at our school.

St. Helena School is in need of a few Volunteer Nurses to help take care of our children throughout the school day.

If you have a few hours or even a day that you could volunteer we would love to hear from you. Please contact Mr. Jankowski at cjankowski@sainthelenaschool.org
SAINT THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS

Beginning on December 4th, Father Kozak will be offering a three week presentation on the Great Doctor of the Church; St. Therese of the Child Jesus and the Holy Face. She has had the most profound impact on our modern era than any other saint. Her spirituality is “pure Gospel”; and she teaches us how to live in a modern world in which atheism has a strong hold. She reveals how our daily life can be intertwined in God’s Will and how the most ordinary events of life become our self-offering to God, confidence and surrender in our relationship with Him. The dates of the presentation are December 4th, 10th and the 17th in the Convent.

Do you like to play Pinochle or Bridge?

We are forming a group at St. Helena, to meet on Thursday evenings at 7PM. If interested, please call James Humes at 484-636-9938.

GIVING TREE

We are again asking for your help in spreading Christmas cheer to the less fortunate. The Christmas gifts will be going to teens at St. Francis Home for Boys, St. Joseph Home for Girls, babies at St. Vincent’s Maternity, APHON (Children’s Oncology), Dawn’s Place, Brother House and local families. You are asked to take a tag from the tree and purchase the suggested gift. Please place gift cards in the box under the tree (do not wrap in wrapping paper or put in gift bag). Bring your gift cards and gifts to Church no later than December 2, 2018. For more information call Theresa Smith at 215-646-7636.

NORRISTOWN STATE HOSPITAL

The Norristown State Hospital would like our help in supplying Christmas Stocking Stuffers to their adult men and women patients. Suggested items: AA Batteries, puzzle books, pantyhose, handkerchiefs, stationery, earmuffs, gloves, washable slippers, change purses, powders, cards, washcloths, toothbrushes, toothpaste, lip balm, lotion, hand cream, deodorant, shampoo, powder, and plain white athletic socks for both men and women are useful. Only low-fat, sugar-free, low-calorie snacks. No sharp objects or glass containers. These gifts are not to be wrapped.

Devereux Children’s Behavioral Health Center

Devereux Children’s Behavioral Health Center, Christmas Gift Needs, Ages 5-16

Girls - Ankle height fuzzy socks, Hair brushes, Hair ties, Fingernail stickers, Fuzzy pillows (without buttons), Emoji pillows (without buttons), Pajama pants/sets (without drawstrings), Posters, Journals , Stuffed animals (without hard eyes/nose)

Boys - Nerf Balls, Sports balls, Socks, Sports posters, Sports t-shirts, Sports sweatshirts (without hoods), Baseball hats, Pokémon Cards, Sports trading cards

Girls/Boys - Winter Hats (without strings), Gloves, Slippers, Bound sketch pads (no metal spiral binding), Washable crayons, Adult coloring books, Construction paper, Playing Cards, Uno Cards, Foam floor puzzles, Puzzles, Fuzzy throw blankets.

Body wash/lotion (no alcohol in the first 4 ingredients), Bath sponges

All the above gifts for Devereux are not to be wrapped. If you like, you can donate wrapping paper and tape to Devereux and they will wrap them.

Please place the gifts for the State Hospital and Devereux in the basket by the tree by December 2, 2018. Questions on the State Hospital or Devereux, please call Theresa Smith at 215-646-7636.

CHRISTMAS ITEMS FOR SALE

St. Helena Christmas Balls: $10.00 each
St. Helena Glasses: $4.00 each
Wooden Replica of St. Helena Church: $20.00 each
Small Gift Bags for 4 for $1.00
Epiphany House Blessing Kit: (Polish Blessing) Suggested offering $2.00 each
Christmas Wafer (Oplatek): $1.50 each

Please contact Theresa Smith at 215-646-7636 if you wish to purchase any of these items.

THAT MAN IS YOU

On November 29th in the convent meeting space, we will have an information night on a spirituality program for men called THAT MAN IS YOU. The meeting will begin at 7:00 PM. This program highlights the need for an authentic masculinity in a world which devalues the roles of husband and father. It is a thoroughly Catholic understanding of manhood, something all men need to cultivate and develop. It is a dynamic presentation in line with the teaching of the Church with regards to masculinity and its relation to femininity, God’s plan for the complementarity of the sexes. Please join us for an introduction to this dynamic presentation on the particularity of man as husband and father. Speaker: Fr. Kozak.

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4. Enjoy and share with others in our local community!

We invite all women to join us for Walking with Purpose (WWP) at St Helena Church. WWP is a Catholic women’s Bible study that aims to bring women to a deeper personal relationship with Jesus Christ by offering personal study and small group discussion that link our everyday challenges and struggles with the solutions given to us through the teachings of Christ and the Roman Catholic Church. We meet most Thursday afternoons from 12:45 till 2:30 PM.

New in 2019! January/February 6 week Monday Evening Study:
Study Theme: “Living in The Father’s Love”

Dates are 1/7, 1/14, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11 & 2/25. Cost is $15 AND $20 for the book (plus additional shipping and tax cost). Register by December 4th to receive a $5 discount.

Please visit our tab on the St Helena website to find the calendar and registration form. For questions or to register for either course, call or email Margaret Malloy 215-696-4670 or StHelenaWWP@gmail.com. Financial assistance is available.

Your spiritually adopted baby is just finishing up his/her first 4 weeks of life. By day 21, the heart is beating and blood is pumped through tiny arteries and veins. The foundation for the spinal cord, brain and nervous system are laid. His/her backbone and muscles are forming. The arms, legs, eyes and ears are now beginning to show. Please remember to pray every day for the life of this baby, whom you have spiritually adopted:
Oh, my Jesus, by the intercession of Mary, your mother, who bore you so lovingly, and of St. Joseph, strong man of faith, who protected you both, I pray to you for the life of the unborn child I have spiritually adopted, who is in danger of abortion. Please give the parents of this child the grace and courage they need to bring this baby to birth. Amen.
We Remember

And we gratefully acknowledge the following families who so thoughtfully asked that donations in memory of their loved one be sent to St. Helena Church. We ask that you please keep them in your prayers:


Bequests

The following people made bequests in their will to Saint Helena Church. Please remember them in prayers as well.

Vivian Becker, Alice P. Devlin, Mary E. Flanagan, Hon. Robert W. Honeyman, Concetta Marchesani, Mary Ellen Sullivan, Laura E. Wisniewski, Estelle Noska, Elizabeth Ann Quillinan, Jean Stock, Lawrence Marinari, Catherine Frawley, Mary

Feeding the Hungry

A special “Thank You” to all our children who participate in the weekly giving of food at Mass.

Due to your donations we help to fill the shelves at the Patrician Society, in Norristown. The Patrician Society feeds hundreds of families each year.

NARTHEx TV

Please be sure to view the pictures on the Narthex TV. In the month of November, we will be featuring the second Church and school from 1948 to 2004.

Visit the Church & Chapel Live

Go to the Parish Website and on the Homepage select Church Live or Chapel Live on the right hand side of the page.

Do you tithe electronically?

Thank you very much to your continuing support of our Parish! Please remember the importance of placing your empty envelope in the collection basket each weekend. Simply check the electronic donation box and write “empty” on the amount line. Mass attendance is recorded by our Parish and the only means we have of knowing how often parishioners come to Mass is through the use of envelopes. Should you ever be asked to be a sponsor for Confirmation or a godparent for Baptism, your eligibility is based on the fact that you are registered in a parish and are a practicing Catholic.

If you are considering electronic tithing, it is very simple. Check the “Parish Giving” link on our website www.sainthelena-centersquare.net to set up an account for regular contributions. You are able to set up any giving schedule that works for you.

November 25, 2018

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