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Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening - 5:00 PM
Sundays - 8:00, 9:45 and 11:30 AM
(No 11:30 July - August)
Monday to Friday Inclusive - 8:00 AM
Holy Days - 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM



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On Rectory side of the Church.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Please register after Mass on Sunday or during the week at the Parish Center. Please notify us if you are moving from the parish, or if your address or phone number has changed.

BAPTISMS:

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the first Sunday of the month. Arrangements should be made at the Rectory or Parish Center during the month prior to the Baptism. Godparents need a letter of eligibility from their pastor. Instructions for parents are given in the week preceding.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Couples planning marriage should contact the parish priest at their earliest convenience, but no less than six months prior to the intended date. Participation in a Marriage Preparation Program is required.

www.archphila.org/evangelization/famlife/2010marpreproschedule.htm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday afternoon 4:00 to 4:45, Sunday Mornings from 8:45 AM to 9:15 AM.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

In case of serious illness, please call the Rectory. Anyone going to the hospital should notify the rectory.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN THE PARISH CENTER CHAPEL:

Monday through Friday from 9:30 AM until 3:00 PM.

CASSEROLES FOR ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE:

Second Tuesday every month. Please bring casseroles to the Altar Servers' Sacristy before 10:00 AM

SECOND SUNDAY FOOD COLLECTION:

Boxes will be at each Church entrance for donations of non-perishable food for the Archdiocesan Food Cupboard.

COMMUNION CALLS:

Eucharistic Ministers bring Holy Communion each Sunday. Parishioners unable to attend Mass regularly because of illness should call the Parish Center to make arrangements to receive Communion at home.

PREP:

Grades 1-5: Meet in the school on Wednesdays from 3:45 until 5:00 PM
Grades 6-12: Meet in the Parish Center on Sundays from 10:30 until 11:30 AM

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

The Miraculous Medal will be said on Mondays after the 8:00 AM Mass.



Lent

First Sunday of Lent

PRESENTATION BVM PARISH

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The First Sunday of Lent



February 18, 2018



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday	February 17, 2018
5:00PM	Robert H. and Robert A. Lessing
Sunday	February 18, 2018
8:00AM	Edward Wisley
9:45AM	Charles Smith
11:30AM	Nicholas D'Angelo
Monday	February 19, 2018
8:00AM	Kathleen McGoldrick
Tuesday	February 20, 2018
8:00AM	Burke Family
Wednesday	February 21, 2018
8:00AM	Parishioners of Presentation
Thursday	February 22, 2018
8:00AM	Mario Musso
Friday	February 23, 2018
8:00AM	Catherine, Christine and Kelly Kempf
Saturday	February 24, 2018
5:00PM	B. Edward and Catherine Uphoff
Sunday	February 25, 2018
8:00AM	Anthony Penna
9:45AM	Jim Wintz
11:30AM	Giuseppe Bucciarelli

Please remember in your prayers:

Krista Balderman, Maggie Balderman, Annette Bogle, Guido Giordano, Susan Elsass, Grace and Tom Hughes, Dennis Karpolus Jr, Mary Makoski, Bernadette Melvin, David Radwanski, Timothy Reiver, Ed Schmid, Nicole Small, Special Intention, Michael Torchiana, Thomas Sweeney.

2018 Mass Book

If you would like to book Mass Intentions please call (610-642-8341) or stop by the Parish Center between the hours of 10:00AM and 3:00PM.

Dear Parishioners,

Lent returns once again. It is remarkable what God can do with dust, for such we were and to such we shall return after death until the Second Coming. Created out of dust as an object of God's love, not only did he make us, call us, give us laws, but most importantly saved us from Sin for Eternal Life through the Life, Death and Resurrection of His Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Have you ever heard of Spring Cleaning? Well, that dust from which we are made sometimes forgets it is a child of the Father and a Temple of the Holy Spirit, and our beautiful souls which can be so graced, can get really messy.

How to clean house? You know the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Penance or Confession whichever name is most dear to you. It will be offered as usual **every Saturday** from **4:00 to 4:45PM** and on **Sunday** morning from **8:45AM to 9:15AM** and on **Spy Wednesday March 28, from 7 to 8PM.**

You may also participate in **The Stations of the Cross on Wednesday, March 28 at 7:00PM.** Please remember that you may give sacrificially on Sundays, fast and abstain from not only meat on Fridays but also those things which hinder you from being the Catholic that you are (i.e., gossip).

Father Montero

Lenten Adoration

To enhance your journey through Lent try coming each week on Thursday evening to Adoration in Our Lady's Chapel. Adore, Reflect and Pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Our Lady's Chapel which is located in the Parish Center (up the ramp) will be open for adoration and prayer Thursday, February 22, March 1, 8, 15 and March 22 from 7:30 to 8:30PM. Please consider an hour to spend with Jesus. Hope to see you there.

CONGRATULATIONS

We would like to congratulate the following parish members attend Merion Mercy Academy and who were named to the Honor Roll list for the first semester.

Christina Sumin Walker	Distinguished Honors
Elaina M. Stuhlman	Distinguished Honors
Rebecca A. Naser	Honors
Katherine S. Stricker	Honors

First Communion Meeting

On Tuesday, February 20, 2018 we will have our First Holy Communion Parent Meeting at 7:30PM in Church. If your child is making First Holy Communion in April you will need to attend this meeting. Please mark your calendar

End of Year Financial Statement

If you would like your 2017 Statement of Contributions please call the Parish Center between the hours of 10:00 and 3:00 at 610-642-8341 and leave your name and address or e-mail parishcenter@presbvm.org.

Adoration Chapel

Our Lady's Chapel (located next to the Parish Center) is open for Adoration every Monday through Thursday from 9:30AM to 3:30PM, and every Friday from 9:30AM to **3:00PM**. On Friday you are invited to join The Flame of Love group that meet and pray from 1:30 to 3:00PM.

Sacrament of Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated after the last Mass on the First Sunday of the Month. Arrangements should be made at the Rectory during the month prior to the Baptism. Godparents need a letter of eligibility from their pastor.

Sacrament of Matrimony

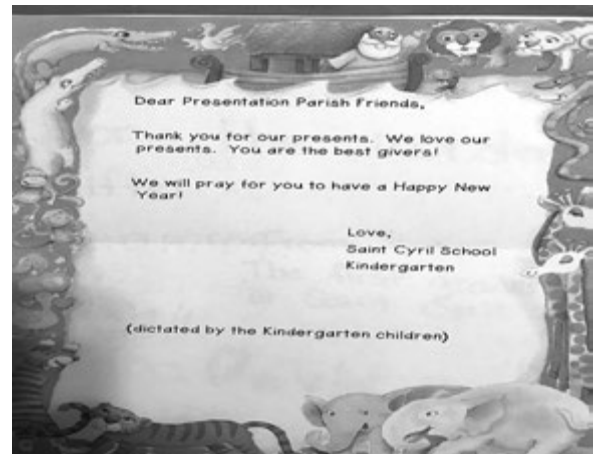
Couples planning marriage should contact the parish priest at their earliest convenience, but no later than 6 months prior to the intended date. Participation in a Marriage Preparation Program is required. For a schedule visit PhillyCatholicMarriagePrep.com

Dear Presentation Parish,

How can we thank you for all the wonderful gift for our children! I wish you could see how happy they were! We are all amazed by your kindness, and we want you to know how grateful we are! May God bless you from the bottom of our hearts.

Lovingly,

**Sister Barbara and the
St. Cyril School Community**



Concert at the Basilica March 18, 2018

Beethoven's great masterpiece, the Symphony No. 9, rings through the Cathedral Basilica as the Mendelssohn Club of Philadelphia joins forces with Symphony in C. This premiere program of the 2017-18 season brings two storied organizations into the glow of the Cathedral Basilica and lends the 'Cathedral sound' to Beethoven's themes of unity and brotherhood and the famous choral strains of the Ode to Joy.

Performed by large chorus, full symphony orchestra, and soloists from the Academy of Vocal Arts, Beethoven's Ode to Joy will be a concert experience to remember. The concert will begin at 2:30 at The Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul. For tickets or more information: concertsatthecathedral@gmail.com

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS WITH POPE JOHN PAUL II



THE FIRST STATION OF THE CROSS THE AGONY OF JESUS IN THE GAR- DEN OF OLIVES

Then they came to a place named Gethsemane, and he said to his disciples, "Sit here while I pray" He took with him Peter, James, and John, and began to be troubled and distressed. Then he said to them, "My soul is sorrowful even to death. Remain here and keep watch." He advanced a little and fell to the ground and prayed that if it were possible the hour might pass him; he said, "Abba, Father, all things are possible for you. Take this cup away from me, but not what I will but what you will."
Mark 14:32-36

Jesus felt sorrow and dread over what lay ahead of him. He prayed for the burden to be lifted and the cross to be removed, but only if the Father willed it so. When Christ saw clearly that he must drink of the bitter cup, then our Lord totally accepted his future. "Not my will, but thine be done." His example teaches us how to pray at all times, especially in the midst of our own crosses and cups of suffering.

Do not reprove me in your anger, Lord, nor punish me in your wrath. Have pity on me, Lord, for I am weak; heal me, Lord, for my bones are trembling. In utter terror is my soul.

Psalm 6:24a

Jesus in the garden praying, Fears before your Father laying. Yet obedient to His will.

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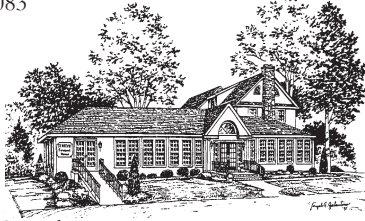
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