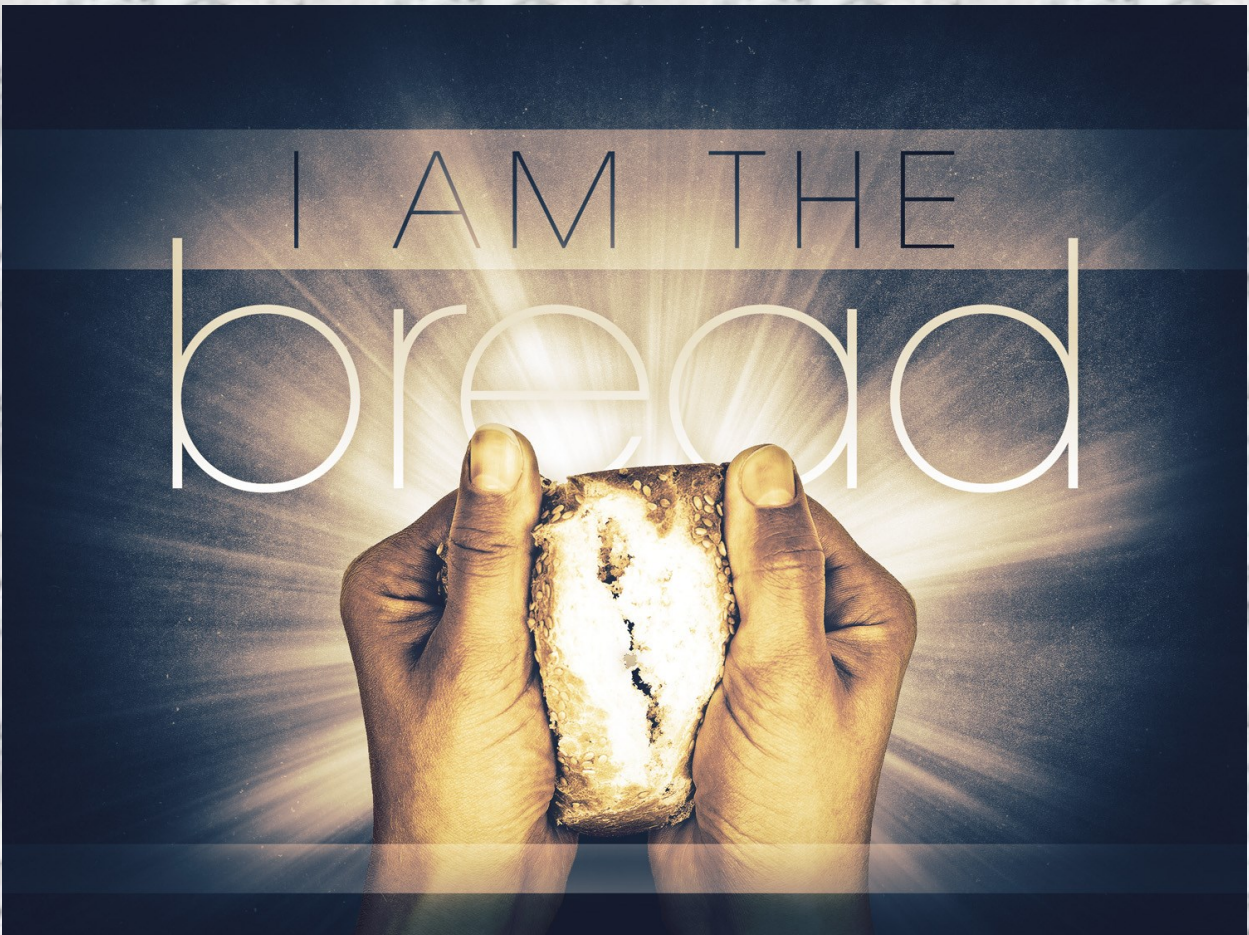


St. Robert Bellarmine Church



*August 2nd 2015
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
856 Euclid Ave • Warrington • PA
www.saintrobertwarrington.org
Phone: 215.343.0315 Fax: 215.343.8592*

PARISH ADMINISTRATION

Rev. Msgr. James D. Beisel
Pastor

Rev. Msgr. Joseph T. Kane
Pastor Emeritus

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Parochial Vicar

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Permanent Deacon

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Transitional Deacon

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Director of Religious Education

Mr. Kevin Lutz
Director of Music Ministries

Deacon George Morris
Director of Financial Services

Mrs. Barbara Palo
Director of Teen Ministry

Mr. James Crumlsh
Facilities Supervisor

Mass Intentions 

FOR THE WEEK
SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 2015
5:00 P.M. - Nancy Wood

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 2015
7:00 A.M. - Frank Gramer
9:00 A.M. - Rose Kreuzburg
11:00 A.M. - Anna-Nancy Carroll ~ 2nd Anniversary

MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 2015
8:00 A.M. - Parishioner

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2015
8:00 A.M. - Teodoro Spinosa

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2015
8:00 A.M. - Philip Lecklikner

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 2015
8:00 A.M. - Deceased Members of the Spinosa & Giammarco Families

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 2015
8:00 A.M. - Veronica McPartland

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 2015
9:00 A.M. - Falco & Laura Giammarco
5:00 P.M. - Nancy Wood

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 2015
7:00 A.M. - Deceased Members of the Wnek & Wrobel Families
9:00 A.M. - Deceased Members of the Malandra Family
11:00 A.M. - John Murzyn

Please pray for our sick parishioners, relatives, and friends, especially:

Nicholas Chess	Frank Waltrich	Kevin Christopher Fox
Joseph Neill	Jeannette Lee	Pat Bocchicchio
Bill Zarkowski	Alexis Schirling	Paige LaRosa
Lou Huber	Steven Geib	Theresa Stemock
Mike Walton	Kevin McDevitt	Rita Ann Leonard
Tom Mullen	Brendan Mullen	Erica Sheehan
Lorraine Henson	Andreas Shaftacolas	
Mary McGrath	Reenie Stephens	Ellyanna Stephens
Joann Bonagart	Brian Charlton	



In an effort to keep our prayer list current, all names will appear on this list for 30 days and then will be automatically taken off. We are happy to keep a name on the list, just call the parish office or email strobertsecretary@verizon.net.



OUR PARISH GIVING

Sunday (07/26/15): \$ 13,663

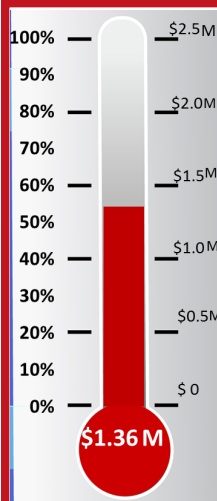
Online Bank Services Funds: \$1,010 in 21 envelopes.

Year to Date Totals - Sunday Collections:

FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	Difference
\$58,440	\$59,006	\$ 566

(Fiscal year runs from July 1 to June 30)

Thank you for your Sacrificial Generosity



EXPANSION CAMPAIGN:
Our Goal: \$2,500,000
Pledged as of 07/20/15: \$1,355,990

Our capital campaign is still underway. There is still time to make a pledge or gift to this expansion and renovation project. We are getting much closer to the start of this endeavor. I will give you as much notice as I can as we "adjust" to the inconveniences that will accompany this work.

Building On Our Faith... Expanding Our Legacy



Additional Disabled parking spaces have been added to the parking lot. 3 more have been added to the front of the church and 5 have been added on the side. These have been added to help those who need them during our construction.



The Eighteenth Sunday

Dear Friends,

This week we continue our series of readings from the Gospel according to Saint John. We heard Jesus conversing with the crowd, which badgers him for signs that he is the One sent by God. In our own times, people still long for signs, for certainty, that Jesus is God. We may not be able to give those we meet signs, but we can pray for the grace to show them by the way we live, that God is indeed Lord in us!

*Next weekend we will participate in the annual Missionary Cooperation Plan Appeal mandated by the archdiocese. This year our collection will be sponsoring the works of the De LaSalle Christian Brothers. Brother Francis Ells will be with us at all the Masses on August 8/9 to speak on behalf of the Brothers' missionary work. The collection for the **De LaSalle Christian Brothers** will be the Second Collection next weekend. I trust in your usual generosity to support this important missionary outreach.*

I forgot to mention in my letter last week of the situation which occurred in our school on Sunday evening, July 19th. In the latter hours of that evening, an alarm was sounded in school to indicate a problem with the security and suppression systems in the school. What was discovered was that one of the sprinkler heads in the attic activated, causing hundreds of gallons of water to pour through a portion of the school from the top floor through to the dining hall. The water caused considerable damage to the ceiling tiles in the hallways, the carpets and walls in the library and administrative center and some storage closets as well as materials and books. We must thank God that more damage did not occur. Our insurance will cover the entire cost of the damage for which we are most grateful. I am also grateful to Mr. Bill Kelly, a parishioner and president of ServPro, who came within minutes of a call to begin the clean-up and restoration process for us. We are deeply indebted for their fine work and speed to minimize the effects of the malfunction. Everything will be ready for the beginning of school and, in fact, the school office will once again be open beginning this Monday.

As you can see, progress continues on the new narthex and office expansion project. Many of the necessary infrastructure components are happening. It may be awhile until we see some things rising from the ground but it won't be that long. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding during this entire process. In the end, we will be up and running in an even better way!

*The Fund raising committee for the campaign **BUILDING ON OUR FAITH...EXPANDING OUR LEGACY** will meet this Wednesday, August 5th in the parish office. It is my hope that through their efforts more families will participate in this worthy project. If you have not made a pledge or gift, there is still plenty of time to do so. You may do this by using the monthly expansion envelope you receive in the mail or pick up a pledge card and brochure in the cry room or at the entrance to church. Thank you in advance for whatever you can do to support this project.*

As we turn the calendar to another month, may these summer days give us all the opportunity to bask in the sun and be reminded that it is in the warmth of THE SON that we know God's love, peace and joy!

Saint Robert Bellarmine, pray for us!

With prayers,

Monsignor Beisel



In Ordinary Time

ST. JOSEPH/ST. ROBERT CATHOLIC SCHOOL REGISTRATION



St. Joseph/St. Robert School offers a curriculum from Pre-K – 8th Grade. Registration is now open for the 2015/2016 academic year. Please call the school at 215.343.5100 to schedule a tour at your convenience & discuss enrollment.

**Limited Space Available for
Kindergarten ** Enroll Soon****

2015/2016 Tuition Rates

(5 Day) Half Day Pre-K & Kindergarten:

8:10am -11:45am Monthly Tuition - \$300 (10 payments)

(5 Day) Full Day Pre-K & Kindergarten:

8:10am -3:00pm Monthly Tuition - \$360 (10 payments)

Grades 1st – 8th (10 payments)

One Child – Monthly - \$300.00

Two Children – Monthly - \$600.00

Three Children – Monthly - \$675.00

Four Children – Monthly - \$770.00

** Before and After School Program Available

FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

Please call the parish office with the name and branch for relatives who are on active duty.

PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS :

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. AMEN

PLEASE PRAY FOR:



US Navy:

Michael W. Zarkowski
Barbara Ann Mullen
Jenny Malandra
Joshua Velas

Edward W. Devinney II
Connor Fitzgerald
John Wurtenberg III

USMC:

Joseph Mc Menamin
Daniel Harvey
Clint Hajek
Vincent J. Flannery, Jr.
Kevin A. Daly

James McMenamin
Elizabeth Harvey
Leo J. Keller Jr.
Anthony Taylor
Mark Piccirelli
Lisa Ann Burgy
Patrick Kilkenny

US Army:

Rev. Stephen Mc Dermott
Danny Pritchard
Michael McBride
Matthew Sawaya
Philip Mc Cusker

John Healey
Robert F. Leimer
Keith Carter
Ryan T. Krawczyk

Michael Malandra
Nicholas Sabatini

US Air Force:

Karl Weinbrecht
Max J. Sempowski
Anthony Comtois
Thomas Rook

Francis Lemma
Michael Sempowski
Andrew J. Velas

US Coast Guard:

Brendan Williams
Todd J. Warga

Daniel Moschitti



OFFICE FOR CHILD AND YOUTH PROTECTION | ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM

On December 31, 2014, 23 pieces of Pennsylvania State legislation were enacted that impact the way we prevent and report child abuse. As a result, all people who volunteer for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia are required fulfill the following obligations:

CLEARANCES:

- ◆ PA State Police Criminal Record Check
- ◆ PA Department of Public Welfare Child Abuse Clearance Check
- ◆ Federal History Fingerprint Clearance ~ ONLY if you lived outside of PA within the last 10 years

Go to childyouthprotection.org
select Staff & Volunteers,
then select Checks & Clearances

***** MUST BE RENEWED EVERY 3 YEARS *****

- ◆ Disclosure Statement Application for Volunteers

Go to childyouthprotection.org
select Staff & Volunteers,
then select Information for Volunteers

TRAINING:

- ◆ Safe Environment Training
- ◆ Technology Addendum
- ◆ Mandated Reporter Training
- ◆ Signed Mandated Reporter Acknowledgement Form

Go to childyouthprotection.org
select Staff & Volunteers,
then select Required Training

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS Next Class –

Thursday, September 17th at 7:00 pm in church. Pre-registration is necessary in order to attend the class. No date for Baptism can be set until parents fulfill this requirement.

Parents and Godparents should register for this class as soon as they know of the upcoming birth, and always prior to the actual birth of the child. Register by calling the parish office between 9a & 4p weekdays.



Classes are held every other month - Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep, & Nov.

SJR CYO



Fall Sports registration is now open. SJR offers the following sports in the Fall; Soccer for boys & girls in grades 3 through 8, Volleyball for girls is grades 5 through 8 and Cross Country for boys & girls in grades K - 8.

Please visit www.wagdogs.com to register.

CLERGY/MUSIC SCHEDULE (8/8 & 8/9)

- ◆ 5:00 PM Msgr. Beisel **Cantor**
- ◆ 7:00 AM Fr. Stokely
- ◆ 9:00 AM Msgr. Beisel/Dcn. George **Cantor**
- ◆ 11:00 AM Fr. Stokely/Dcn. George **Cantor**

Subject to change without notice



Ever thought about sending your weekly contributions to St. Roberts electronically? Use your bank's online bill payment feature.

ST. ROBERT PREP PROGRAM

Phone: 215.343.9433

INCOMING 1ST GRADE & NEW FAMILY REGISTRATION

Fall Program -- Registration for incoming 1st graders and new families is now open. We ask that you please register as soon as possible but no later than August 1st. If your child was not baptized at St. Robert Bellarmine Parish, please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate. Tuition information can be found on the parish website saintrobertwarrington.org. Go to the PREP tab and scroll down to Registration and tuition. For more information, please contact our office 215.343.9433.

RE-REGISTRATION AND TUITION

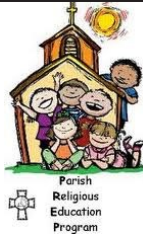
Our Fall families are asked to please return their registration forms and tuition right away. Thank you for your cooperation.

FALL PREP

Classes for the 2015-2016 school year will begin on Monday, September 14th. We will begin with our Family Prayer Service/ Meet our Catechists at 5:00 PM in church.

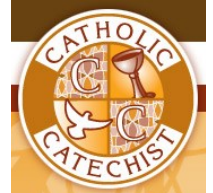
At least one parent needs to attend with your child (ren).

Class assignments will be mailed to families who are registered in the program the week of August 31st.



REWARDING OPPORTUNITY AVAILABLE LOOKING TO ENRICH YOUR FAITH?

We are seeking innovative and creative individuals with a passion for their faith to staff 2 positions (Grades 3 & 5) in our Parish Religious Education Program. You will be responsible for teaching the Catholic faith to students and helping them to cultivate their relationship with God. Full training and support will be provided to help you succeed in this rewarding ministry. Applicants must be Catholics in good standing. The positions require a weekly commitment of 1.25 hours on Mondays, 5:00 to 6:15 PM from September to May. If you are interested in specific details or would like to apply, please contact Donna Heeney at 215-343-9433 or donnaheeneydre@gmail.com.



RESPECT LIFE

"Parental love is vital. In homes where children are not adored by at least one parent (or a parent-figure), they wither like a plant without food."

WHITE HOUSE WITNESS

Every Child deserves a Mother and a Father

The institution of same sex marriage creates a society that does not acknowledge a commitment to its future: **CHILDREN**. Come and witness to our nation through prayer in defense of future generations.

Saturday, August 15, 2015 (10 am - 12 pm)

1600 Pennsylvania NW; Washington, D.C. 20036

More info: www.WhiteHouseWitness.com

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL *The Gospel tells us "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." By "listening" we are able to live the gospel. Gospel living is something so simple as taking the time to listen to those who need to spill out their hearts when seeking help.*

Through your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you enable the members of the Society to become a "listening heart" to the hungry, the homeless and the struggling poor.



Attention: Archbishop Wood Football Alumni & Fans

The back to back PIAA, AAA State Champions need your support for their upcoming 2015 season.

Annual Golf Outing

Saturday, Aug 29th **Five Ponds Golf Club**

Please consider being a sponsor or joining us for a round of golf!

Look for complete information at www.woodfootball.org or contact Luis Silva 215. 622.8192



HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

BISHOP EGAN 50TH YEAR REUNION -

Calling all Bishop Egan students from the Class of 1965 for a reunion on Saturday November 28th at Middletown Country Club. Send contact information to 1965behs@gmail.com and join us on Facebook at BEHS Class of 1965.

July 26, 2015

SAT., OCT. 3, 2015



**5 K RUN/1 MILE FUN RUN
TYLER STATE PARK**

Help Support A Baby's Breath!
Walking, Running & Raffles!

SIGN UP TODAY!

<http://ababysbreath.org/runwarminster.asp>

Questions? Ed Klenk at abbwarminstercpc@gmail.com
or call 267-275-4097

40 DAYS FOR LIFE™

ST. ROBERT'S DAY - THURS., OCT 15

*Come spend an hour in prayerful witness
at the Louis Drive Planned Parenthood*

More info call Jan 215/343-4572

RECHARGE, REFRESH, RENEW RETREAT -

St. Cyril's is sponsoring a one day retreat on Saturday September 12 in church from 9am - 3pm. Registration begins at 8:30am. Mass will start at 9am. Light lunch will be provided. Cost is \$45. Speakers: Suzanne Fowler, founder of "Light Weigh" and Fr. Chris Walsh, Pastor at St. Raymond's. The retreat will consist of prayer, fellowship, music, adoration, confession, speakers and refreshments. Tickets call 215.343.1288 or go online at www.saint-cyril.com



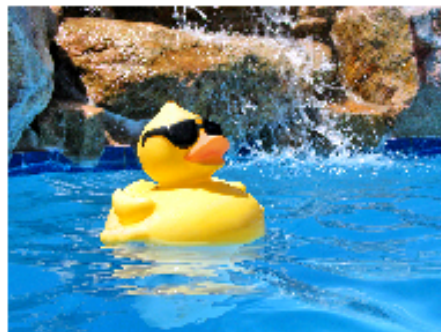
Parish Youth Ministry

Mrs. Barbara Palo (Director of Teen Ministry—mompalo@aol.com) •  Facebook: St. Robert Teen Ministry Program

FUN IN THE SUN! TEEN PARTY

All teens in 8th thru 12th grade & their families welcome!

- Sunday August 16, 2015 from 12pm - 7:30pm at Mary Barnes Swim Club (2501 Freedoms Way, Warrington, PA 18976).
- Mid afternoon Barbecue, snacks and drinks throughout the day, swimming, basketball, sand volley ball, tennis, game room w/ ping pong, pool tables, shuffleboard, baseball, soccer and more!



COME OUT AND HAVE A GREAT TIME, THE DAY WONT BE COMPLETE WITHOUT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY!

- \$10.00 per person (age 2 to 10 \$7.00 per person and under 2 FREE) with special discounts for families of 6 or more,
- feel free to bring a dessert, snack or something else to share!



Reservations are appreciated but not required- Payment will be accepted at the gate on the day of the event.

Email: mompalo@aol.com or bpalo@noolp.org or phone: 215-343-2083

Payment and Reservation forms can be dropped off at the parish office during normal business hours

Family name	
# attending @ \$10/ per	
# attending @ \$7/per	
Total	
contact phone number	

FOCUS ON FAITH

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Exodus 16:2-4,12-15; Ephesians 4:17,20-24; John 6:24-35

Singing the Communion Song: Part II — To express “gladness of heart” The communion song expresses the joy we experience in being called to the messianic table to feast on the Body and Blood of Christ. It expresses the joy we experience in being drawn beyond ourselves to become one Body of Christ. The hymns should express praise, thanksgiving, joy in being fed and filled, gratitude for being healed and forgiven, gladness in being one with Christ, etc. Songs of expectation during Advent and nativity carols are appropriate as well as hymns filled with alleluias during the Easter season fit right in with expressing our joy at approaching and participating in the banquet of eternal life. Even during Lent, songs we sing during Communion that express sorrow or penitence carry an undercurrent of joy, for it is at the table of the Lord that we are forgiven, reconciled to God and one another and made whole.

Joy is
sunshine for
your soul.

FOR YOUR REFLECTION...

Joy is prayer; joy is strength, joy is love; joy is a net of love by which you can catch souls.

God loves a cheerful giver. She gives most who gives with joy...

A joyful heart is the inevitable result of a heart burning with love.

Never let anything so fill you with sorrow as to make you forget the joy of the Christ Risen.

Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, *A Gift for God*

If you or someone you know is curious about becoming Catholic, you are invited to come and explore your questions. We are currently forming an inquiry group to discuss and answer any questions you might have about what Catholic are all about. The gathering will be in the chapel on August 12. This a very informal group and there is no obligation. If you'd like to join us, please call or email Joan Fitzpatrick: 215.343.0315 / jfitzaff2@verizon.net.



Gospel Contemplation — A Form of Prayer



The early Christians did not waste a lot of energy looking back and wishing they had been born a hundred years earlier so they could have walked with Jesus. Instead they focused on coming to know Christ in three powerful ways: through the sacraments, especially the Eucharist; the stories and emerging writings about Jesus; and his powerful presence when they gathered in his name. Saint Ignatius Loyola invited a person when an individual made a retreat in the pattern of his Spiritual Exercises to pray to come to know Christ so that one may love him in a more real way and following from this knowledge and love become a more faithful disciple. In order to grow in this faith knowledge, Ignatius invited the retreatant to engage in a prayer method called **contemplation**. This is not some kind of mystical prayer but a prayer form in which one uses his or her senses in an imaginative way to reflect on a Gospel passage. One uses the senses, seeing, hearing, tasting, touching, and smelling to make the Gospel scene real and alive.

Here is a way of engaging in this prayer form which is relaxing and rather easy.

1. Select a passage from one of the Gospels in which Jesus is interacting with others.
2. Recall what one is doing in engaging with the Word of God and what one desires from this encounter. God is present and because God is present one relies on God.
3. Read the Gospel passage twice so that the story and the details of the story become familiar.
4. Close one's eyes and reconstruct the scene in one's imagination. See what is going on and watch the men and women in the scene. What does Jesus look like? How do the others react to him? What are the people saying to one another? What emotions fill their words? Is Jesus touching someone? As one enters into the scene, sometimes there is the desire to be there. So a person can place oneself in the scene, perhaps as an observer, as one lining up for healing, or as one helping others to Jesus.
5. Some people's imaginations are very active so they construct a movie-like scenario with a Gospel passage. Others will enter the scene with verbal imagination, reflecting on the scene and mulling over the actions. Vividness is not a criteria for the effectiveness of this kind of prayer. Engagement is and the result is a more interior knowledge of Jesus.
6. As one finishes this time of prayer, one should take a moment to speak person to person with Christ saying what comes from the heart.

Finding God in All Things: A Marquette Prayer Book (Marquette University Press 2009)

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



The walkway for the main church entrance has been removed. A new walkway to the side door has been added.

GOLF OUTING - On August 31, 2015 at 8:30 am -? Pinecrest Country Club will host the First Annual Friends of the Family Readiness Group Golf Outing. Proceeds will assist our service members and their families from the region surrounding the Horsham Air Guard Station. \$100.00



golf fee includes 18 holes, lunch, beverages, snacks and drawing tickets. For additional information please contact Jenny Pappas [215-740-5468](tel:215-740-5468) (cell) or Jennyt726@comcast.net. Deadline for registration is August 15, 2015.



MARKET DAY - We have been notified that Market Day has decided to retire. We thank each and everyone one of you who has been a loyal customer for so many years in helping raising funds directed to St. Joseph/St. Robert School.



Wow, can you believe how much space is available? They continue to make progress as the break down the Cranney Learning Center to prepare for the construction of the large meeting room, smaller meeting rooms and the parish office.





When asked why they became foster parents, Paul unselfconsciously responded, "The Holy Spirit."



PAUL & KAREN QUINN – "Typical" Foster Parents

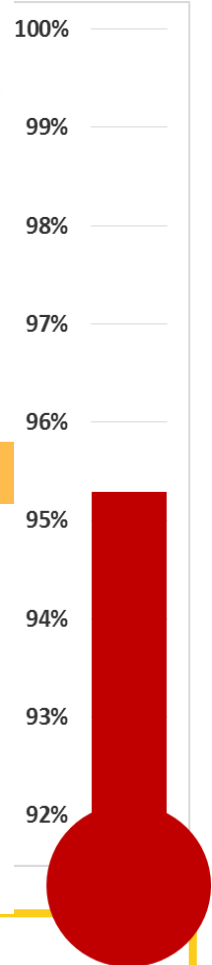
Working through Catholic Social Services (CSS) for 26 years, Paul and Karen Quinn have provided a safe and loving home to more than 30 foster children. They say "more than 30," because the truth is they've lost count.

Though most people would consider what they do beyond extraordinary, Paul and Karen just consider themselves typical foster parents. When asked why they became foster parents, Paul unselfconsciously responded, "The Holy Spirit." Their story is one of how God works his wonders in mysterious ways. After repeated, unsuccessful efforts to start their own family, Paul and Karen came to terms with the fact that they were unable to conceive. So they decided to adopt. But that proved more difficult than they thought.

Then one Sunday, their church bulletin changed their lives. They each saw the same CSS item about foster care, but neither mentioned it for a few days. Eventually, they started talking about what a blessing it would be to have a child in the house. They welcomed Jamie, four years old, into foster care and, in time, were able to permanently adopt her. Jamie is now 30, married, and a graduate of the University of Scranton with a Master's Degree in Medical Sciences from Arcadia University.

Raising Jamie was such a wonderful experience, they opened their home up to more and more foster children — again, more than 30 in all. They adopted four more of those and gained legal custody of a sixth. So that now, in addition to Jamie, their extraordinary family includes Monika, 21, a student at Delaware County Community College, Kristine, 21, a Junior at Neumann University, Gregory, 20, a graduate of the Mapleton School and currently working, Teresa, 17, a senior at Cardinal O'Hara High School, and Denzel, 13, a 7th-grader at St. Francis de Sales School. And the foster children keep coming. The Quinns currently share their home with a tiny, six-week-old preemie, who lights up their lives.

Tragically, there are many, many more children who need safe, loving homes. Your gift to the 2015 Catholic Charities Appeal can help provide the staff to supervise the visitations, help the biological or soon-to-be adoptive parents and track each child's well-being. And, maybe most important, give them the resources to conduct the necessary background checks to find other, loving foster families like the Quinns.



The Catholic Charities Appeal is the Archdiocese of Philadelphia's single most important fundraising initiative. The 2015 Catholic Charities Appeal: **GIVING HOPE** continues to build on last year's success and reach out to the entire Catholic community of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

The Catholic Foundation of Greater Philadelphia
 100 North 20th Street, Suite 301
 Philadelphia, PA 19103
 CATHOLICCHARITIESAPPEAL.ORG • 215.587.5650

All gifts to the 2015 Catholic Charities Appeal will be acknowledged by His Excellency Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M. Cap. and are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. Please consult with your tax advisor on the tax treatment of all gifts, as they may vary from individual to individual.

Make your secure payment, pledge or gift online today at: catholiccharitiesappeal.org

For more information on ways to make a gift please call Sarah O. Hanley, Director of Development and Fundraising Services, at 215.587.5650 or email cca@catholicfoundationphila.org

THE CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL FOR 2015

We are currently at 95% of our \$65,364 goal with a total of \$62,286 from 425 donors. Pledges and donations may be made by placing your donation in the collection basket or it can be mailed directly to the Archdiocese using the ledger cards and pre-addressed envelopes located in the Narthex and side vestibule. Thank you for your support to this worthy cause, that serves many in our Archdiocese, Should you have any questions please contact the Appeal office at 215.587.3650 or visit www.CatholicCharitiesAppeal.org

IMPORTANT PARISH INFORMATION

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: Vigil 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 7:00 am
 9:00 am
 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

7:00 & 9:00 am - Monday/Friday
 9:00 am - Saturday
 Summer:
 Weekday - 8:00 am
 Saturday - 9:00 am

HOLY DAYS

7:00 am
 9:00 am
 12:00 noon
 7:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30 to 4:30 pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9am-4:30pm
 Closed on Holy Days

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

First & third Sundays of the month at 12:15 pm. Baptism Classes for parents and godparents are held on an announced day in January, March, May, July, September and November at 7 pm in the Church. Call the Parish Office to pre-register.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

You must be a registered member of the Parish and must notify the priest **at least six months** prior to your marriage date. **Pre-Cana classes (2nd Sat. in March. & 2nd Sat. in November) are required.** Contact Parish Office for registration forms, due 2 weeks in advance of the Pre-Cana Class

COMMUNION CALLS

Monthly to shut-ins by the priests. Weekly - Extraordinary Ministers if requested. In an Emergency a Priest Should Be Called Immediately.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Please ask one of the priests after a weekend Mass to register your family. Please notify the parish office if you are moving from the parish or if you have changed your address.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration - **Each Monday (except Summer & National Holidays)** after the 9 am Mass, with simple Reposition (No Benediction) at 4 pm. **At 3 pm the Divine Mercy Chaplet is recited.**

SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM

All parish staff and volunteers who have **regular contact with young people** must attend a Protecting God's Children Awareness Session. In addition background checks **must be updated every 3 years. Links to background checks can be found on the website. Visit our website, click on Community, then Safe environment. It will direct you to the Child and Youth Protection Site. If you have not completed your background checks and the class YOU MAY NOT VOLUNTEER.**

BULLETIN DEADLINE - Monday 11am - Turn in material typed, with your name & phone number at the parish office or strobertysecretary@verizon.net.

PARISH RESOURCES

Adult Faith Formation	Joan Fitzpatrick	215-343-0315
Afghan Guild	Claire Coleman	215-343-2299
Al-Anon Contact		215-222-5244
Altar Servers	Deacon George Morris	215-343-0315
Bereavement Committee	Joan Fitzpatrick	215-343-0315
Bloodmobile	Mary Marquis	215-343-8635
Catholic Charities	Bill Fehrman	215-343-1752
Charismatic Prayer Group	Dolores Seif	215-343/8775
Christ's Housekeepers	Eleanor Crowley	215-675-8955
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Extraordinary Ministers	Deacon George Morris	215-343-0315
Family Fellowship	Bob Abecasis	215-343-8113
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Men's Prayer Group	Norman Racine	267-968-5905
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Ministers of the Word	Deacon George Morris	215-343-0315
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Pre-Jordan/RCIA	Joan Fitzpatrick	215-343-0315
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Respect Life	Len Cline	215-343-4572
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