



Saint Teresa of Avila Parish



June 3, 2018

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

LOVE GOD. LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR. MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS.

PARISH CLERGY

Reverend J. Jerome Wild, Pastor

Deacon Francis C. Lally, Permanent Deacon
Reverend Richard M. Jacobs, Sunday Assistant
Reverend Kail C. Ellis, OSA, Sunday Assistant

LITURGY

Saturday Vigil: 4:15PM
Sunday: 9:00AM & 11:00AM
Holy Days: as published in the bulletin
Daily Mass: 10:00AM Mondays
7:00AM Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
Communion Service: 8:00AM Saturdays
Confession: 3:15PM Saturdays, or by appointment
Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesdays 7:30AM to 8PM
Rosary: 6:30PM Mondays

PARISH STAFF

Gina MacDermott, Admin. Asst. to the Pastor
Ursula Lawrence, Parish Secretary/Receptionist
Mare Barbuto, Coordinator of Music Ministry
Sarah Stong, Adult & Children's Choir Director

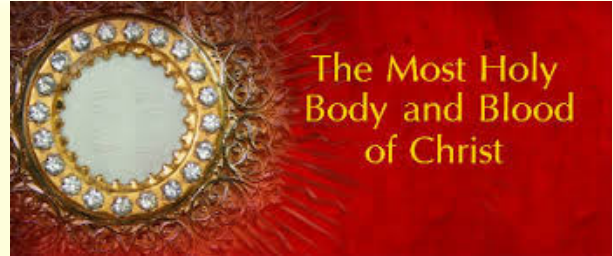
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MOTHER TERESA REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

405 Allendale Road, King of Prussia, PA 19406
Principal: Christine Pagan
Phone: 610-265-2323
Website: www.MTCschool.org



A warm greeting is extended to all who have come to worship with our community of faith. We are grateful for our faithful parishioners who are here every week. We also welcome all our visitors and invite you to consider joining our parish. If you are not Catholic, we encourage you to contact our Parish Office for information about becoming a member of the Church.

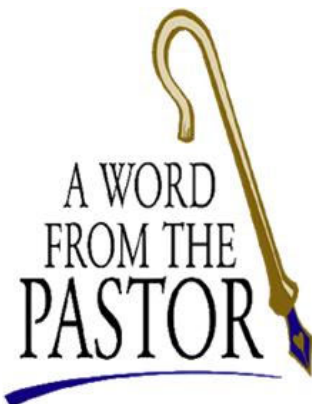
PARISH REGISTRATION is held in the vestibule of the Church after all Masses on the 1st and 3rd weekends of the month. You may also register at the Parish Office on weekdays during business hours.

BAPTISM is usually celebrated on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 12:00PM. Please call Mrs. Gauntner at 610-666-0167 for upcoming baptism dates. Parents must attend our Pre-Jordan Class prior to their child's baptism. Our next Pre-Jordan class will be held at 7:00PM on Wednesday July 18, 2018 in our Parish Center.

MATRIMONY: Couples must make arrangements for matrimony in person with the Pastor at least six months prior to date of their anticipated wedding ceremony. One of the parties must have family registered in the parish at the time the couple comes to make arrangements. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment with Father Wild.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Parishioners who are seriously ill, weakened by advanced age, or entering the hospital for surgery are encouraged to request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Homebound sick and elderly may receive Holy Communion in their homes on a regular basis. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange for a home visit or to request an anointing.

MOVING? Please let us know by calling or emailing the Parish Office so we can update our records.



My Dear Parishioners,

On this solemnity we focus our attention on the Body and Blood of Christ. We listen to the story of the renewal of the old covenant, which Moses sealed by splashing the blood of animals on the altar of sacrifice, as well as on the people. Jesus, whose blood is the blood of the new covenant, shed that precious blood on the cross, saving us from sin and promising us everlasting life. Blood is the life source that courses through our bodies. The precious blood of Christ is the life source for our spirits. Today may we, like the psalmist, offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving to the Lord, whose Body and Blood strengthen us to bring the Good News to everyone we meet.

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**SAVE THE DATE for our PARISH PICNIC!
Sunday June 10 from 12:30-4:30 PM.**

Please plan to join us for food and fun. Your presence strengthens our parish community. You and your family are important to the parish today. Let's continue to celebrate our 100th Anniversary with an afternoon enjoying one another and giving thanks to God.

Please kindly respond to help us plan the event.

Blessings!

Father Jerry Wild

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The origins of today's solemnity lie in thirteenth century Belgium. In those days, people seldom received Holy Communion, and never from the chalice. A nun in a troubled convent, Juliana of Liège, devoted her life to stirring up love for the Eucharist, lobbying for a feast day to honor the Blessed Sacrament with Masses and processions.

Juliana may have been inspired by the Ascension Day processions in nearby Bruges. Crusaders brought a treasure home to Bruges from Constantinople in 1204: a reliquary said to contain a cloth from Joseph of Arimathea with which he had helped prepare the body of Jesus for burial. The stain on the cloth was said to be the holy blood itself, and so the people of Bruges built a great basilica to house the relic. Bruges became a great center of pilgrimage because of this treasure, and the procession of the Holy Blood is still one of the greatest festivals in Belgium today. The bishop carries the relic through the narrow streets, and the people wear medieval costumes and act out scenes from the Bible. -Rev. James Field

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Our parishioner **Dave Matour** will be ordained a deacon on June 9 for service in ministry for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

Dave will function as a deacon at liturgy for the first time at the 11:00AM Mass on June 10.

We invite everyone to join us for a Mass of Thanksgiving at the 11:00AM Mass on June 10 and the Parish Picnic following Mass to congratulate Dave.

We pray for Dave and his wife Sue and ask God's blessings on their family in this joyful time of preparation for ministry.

Mass Intentions, Saints and Special Observances

Sat. June 2 4:15 PM	Vigil Mass Frances Bunt
Sun. June 3 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	The Most Body & Blood Of Christ (Corpus Christi) Beatrice Hildebrandt Robert Whalon
Mon. June 4 10:00 AM	Weekday Dora Pedota
Tues. June 5 7:00 AM	Weekday Anne Brennan
Wed. June 6 7:00 AM	Weekday Frank Fillippo
Fri. June 8 7:00 AM	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus David Lyons
Sat. June 9 4:15 PM	The Immaculate Heart of BVM Donald Wright Patricia Hengemihle
Sun. June 10 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	10th Sunday in Ordinary Time Eugene Furlan, Sr. Beth Smith McDonnell



Mass Intentions

Looking for a special way to honor someone special or remember a loved one no longer with us?

Remember Mass Intentions

Many dates are available in 2018 to be dedicated for this beautiful expression. *The suggested offering is \$15 for each mass.* Please contact or visit the Parish Office to secure a date for your special Intention.

Offerings

May 27 -\$8152.50

Thank you for your faithful stewardship!



To sign up for the new Online Giving program through OSV, please go to this website and follow the posted instructions:

www.osvonlinegiving.com/4395

The Rose of Life is requested this week by Eileen & Frank Mielke in memory of Peg & Frank Mielke



Looking Ahead at St. Teresa

Monday, June 4	Rosary (Chapel)	6:30 PM
Tuesday, June 5	Eucharistic Adoration	7:30 AM-8:00 PM
	Legion of Mary Mtg. (Good Shep. Rm.)	1:00-2:30 PM
Thursday, June 7	Men's Bible Study (Good Shepherd Rm.)	7:00 PM
	Prayer Shawl Ministry (Faculty Rm.)	7:00 PM
Saturday, June 9	Communion Service (Chapel)	8:00 AM
	Women's Bible Study (Faculty Rm.)	8:45 AM
	Confessions (Chapel)	3:15 PM
Sunday, June 10	Parish Picnic	12:30-4:30 PM
	Adult Choir (Church)	7:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Teresa

All are invited to join us for Eucharistic Adoration in our Chapel any time from 7:30AM until 8:00PM on Tuesdays.



Men's Bible Study at St. Teresa of Avila



All men age 18+ are welcome to join us as we study the Books of the Bible on **Thursday Nights at 7:00PM** in the Parish Center. Come and see!

Contact Chris Kernozek: (610) 666-5945 or email biblestudysta@gmail.com

IT'S VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TIME!

STA VBS 2018
July 9-13 from
9-12 daily



Open to kids age 4 to gr. 4

Registration fee is \$30 for the first child per family and \$20 for each child thereafter. Adult and youth (gr. 6+) volunteers are needed to assist in a number of areas during this amazing week learning about God's love. **Online registration now open through the parish website:**

stteresaofavilaparish.com/vacation-bible-school

Please contact Erin Gauntner, CRE for more information or to volunteer or register: (610) 666-0167 or staprep@verizon.net



MOTHER TERESA REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL has been voted "BEST GRADE SCHOOL" by the readers of the Times Herald and its affiliates! MTC was also voted "BEST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL" in Montco Happening Magazine's Happening List!



Registration is now open!

Did you know MTC has: PreK 2, PreK 3, PreK4, PreK5, Kindergarten, and 1st through 8th grades?

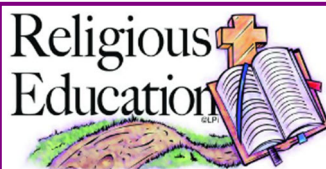
MTC also has before and after school care program: CARES. If you would like to hear more about MTC, take a tour or receive an enrollment packet, please contact Patsy Swope, Director of Admissions: 610-265-2323 x225 or patsy.swope@mtcschool.org.

An exciting and dynamic opportunity is in the air at for the coming school year, starting immediately. It is called "Recruitment"!

If you "recruit" a non-school family with a 5th or 7th grader (next year's grade) to attend our school, we will give the recruiting family and the recruited family 25% off their family tuition for each year the two students are enrolled at the school. For more information please contact the principal christine.pagan@mtcschool.org or Patsy Swope at patsy.swope@mtcschool.org

LEGION OF MARY NEWS

The Legion of Mary members assist the Pastor in duties such as home visitation, RCIA, distributing Catholic literature, medals and more. If you have felt Mary calling to you, now is the time to come and learn what the Legion has to offer. The next meeting is Tues. June 5 from 1-2:30 PM in the Good Shepherd Conf. Rm. in the Parish Center.

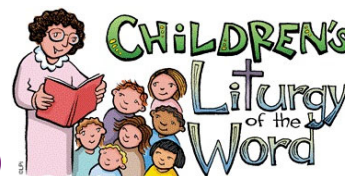


STA Parish Religious Education Program

2018-19 PREP REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

PREP classes are held on Monday evenings from Sept. to May and are open to all parish children in grades K-6 who attend public or non-Catholic private schools. Early-bird deadline is June 15.

Adult and youth (gr. 7+) volunteers are needed in several areas in PREP, YM and CLOW; resources and training are provided. A PREP tuition discount is extended to all full-time catechists and aides. Please download a registration form from the parish website or contact Mrs. Erin Gauntner, CRE at (610) 666-0167 or staprep@verizon.net.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (CLOW)

CLOW is a sending of children after the opening prayer of the 11:00AM Mass with catechists to reflect on God's word. CLOW runs from September to May and is open to all children age 4 to Gr. 3.

There is a great deal of exciting interaction between the children and leader, and it is a very rewarding experience for all! Please prayerfully consider volunteering with CLOW when it resumes after Labor Day for:

CLOW Leader: Commitment involves lesson preparation and Mass time only. Volunteers receive CLOW training and support.

CLOW Aide: Not ready to be a CLOW Leader but still want to be involved? Adult aides are needed to assist the Leader and help keep order during the Liturgy.

Teen Aide: Confirmed teenagers are encouraged to serve as aides and help keep order during the Liturgy. Teen volunteers should be at least 13 years old.

Available and Interested? Please contact Mrs. Erin Gauntner, CRE at (610) 666-0167 or staprep@verizon.net to offer your help. Thank you!

St. Teresa Outreach "The Month of Mary"

Thank you to all who contributed to the Outreach clothing collection for mothers and babies in need during the month of May. What a wonderful way to honor Mary.

God bless you all!

-Fr. Wild and the Outreach Committee



Volunteers Needed Many hands make light work!

Anyone who would like to donate beverages or dessert for our Parish Picnic on June 10, please contact Deb Carabini: dorabini@comcast.net or

Linda Capparella: capparla@yahoo.com.

Anyone who would like to volunteer to help with the event please contact Joanna Nice: nicers333@gmail.com.



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@saintteresaofavilaparish

Praying With Our Parish

Please pray for all of our recently deceased parishioners, especially **Philomena Potcher, mother of Joan Amorosi.**

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the all-faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Please pray for the healing of:

Alessio Gentile, Ann Picard, Frank Tagliaferi, Jeanne Russo, Betty Lee Horst, Theresa Smith, Anndreana Picard, Viola Clark, Joan Moore, Gerry Sauermelch, Jane Miecskowski, Jeanette Mallon, Raoul Garcia, Joe Lehman, Heather Bollinger, Sarah Neve, Eileen Swiech, Pat Leberman, Shannon Austin, Barrie Gehrlein, Max Maertzig, Don Pell, Eli & Ella Vivian, Helen Garcia, Eduardo Rojo, Michael Semach, Jean Brosso, Jeanette Collins, Tamara Proietto, Ron Roberts, John Bubser, Jack MacDonald, Marilyn Keis, Kaytie O'Hara, Jean Butera, Brooke Weidenfeld, Julie Noble, Lahra Birmingham, Ralph Pettine, Lauren Mendez, Anthony Jacquin Mendez, Mary Snyder, Barbara DeSantis, Diana Rava, Baby Alayna Lihn, Christine Tasker, Jonathan Auris, John Witlin, Baby Brock Immel, Barbara Tassoni, Melissa Williamson, Donna Hicks, Kristine Schafer, Thomas Dietzler, Chip Capinski, Janice Gilpin, Kathy Hall, Catherine Fisher, Sr. Dorothy Sullivan, RSM, Domenic DiPaolo, Alyssa Lackner, Gilbert Martinelli, Gloria Keppta, Dottie Keim, Tina Moyer, Margaret Cesare, Lawrence Reynolds, Jim Uckele, Jennifer Owens, Jack Walsh, Peggy Walsh, Al Caza, Terry Strainick, Debbie Scott, Bill O'Neill, Butch Cunningham, Barbara Breitbarth, Steven Kehoe, Rosemary Schlichtig, Diane Benton, Tony Polvino, Mollie Bowe-McCarthy.

Please pray for all those who serve our country:

Army Spec. Anthony Chiaravalloti, Vincent Bergandino, MGySgt Darin Chinavare; Cmdr. David L. Cute, Jr. USN; John Doran; Lance Hecker, Sp.Op; Cmdr. Matt Kosnar, LCPL Mikey Kirkpatrick; Capt. Thomas Lerner; Captain Valerie Smith; Msgt. Timothy R. Whalon; 1st Lt. Jaysen Satterwhite.



Quo Vadis Days 2018 - June 25-28

High school men are invited to gather for this 4-day, 3-night camp with the Philadelphia Seminarians. The camp includes dynamic talks, small group discussions, meaningful prayer experiences, and a fun environment including a ropes course, swimming pool, lake, basketball, soccer, frisbee and more. A sliding scale registration fee of \$25-\$300 includes lodging, meals, t-shirt, and activities. Deadline to register is **June 4**. To register, or for more info. visit: <http://heedthecall.org/event/quovadis/>

Around the Archdiocese & Local Area

"Main Line Singles Dinner Club" (Ages 52-66)

Catholic men & women are cordially invited to join "The Main Line Singles Dinner Club", to share common interests & dine together twice a month. Our next scheduled event is: **Sunday June 24 @ 5:00 P.M.**, "Summer Sizzler /Italian Fest House Party" @ a member's home in Broomall. More info call Barb (610) 896-6542.

Metanoia Young Adults is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montco. that supports Catholics in their 20's & 30's who are looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area. metanoiayoungadults.org

Tuesday, June 5: Froyo @ Swirled Peace, Lansdale @ 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 12: Bible Study @ St. Rose of Lima, North Wales @ 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 19: Theology on Tap @ Appalachian Brewing Co., Collegetown; Doors at 7:00pm, Talk Starts at 7:30pm

Tuesday, June 26: Holy Hour @ Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Parish, North Wales; 7:30pm

A 24-Hour Retreat for Men with Fr. Larry Richards



Fr. Richards currently serves as pastor of St. Joseph Church/Bread of Life Community in Erie, PA. He hosts the EWTN radio show "The Reason for Our Hope" and a live EWTN radio show called "Open Line."

Location: Malvern Retreat House, Main Retreat House, **Fri. June 8 at 6PM to Sat. June 9 at 6PM**
\$160pp single occupancy Register at: malvernretreat.com/register or call (610) 644-0400

CCA 2018 Night with the Phillies- Mon. June 25

Plan a night out to Citizens Bank Park and enjoy an evening benefitting the CCA! Come watch our Phillies take on the New York Yankees at 7:05 PM. Tickets are still available at three different price-points, and can be purchased online by visiting www.phillies.com/catholiccharitiesnight. All proceeds from tickets sold will directly benefit the Appeal and our thousands of beneficiaries. Go Phillies!



B.B.V.C. 2018 - July 13

Boys in Grades 6, 7, and 8 are invited to a summer day of fun, food, and faith at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary with the Philadelphia Seminarians! The registration fee of \$25 includes supplies, lunch and dinner. To register or for more information, visit: heedthecall.org/event/BBVC
Questions? Contact the Vocation Office for the Diocesan Priesthood at (610) 667-5778