



# Saint Eleanor Catholic Church

647 LOCUST ST. COLLEGEVILLE PA 19426

## Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time *Celebration of the Eucharist* October 18, 2020

### THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

**ENTRANCE HYMN:** All Hail the Power of Jesus Name

**CORONATION**

**SIGN OF THE CROSS AND GREETING**

**PENITENTIAL ACT**

LORD, have mercy. **All: LORD, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy. **All: Christ, have mercy.**

LORD, have mercy. **All: LORD, have mercy.**

**GLORIA**

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, LORD God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. LORD Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, LORD God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the LORD, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**COLLECT**

### THE LITURGY of the WORD

**FIRST READING:**

**ISAIAH 24:1, 4-6**

Thus says the LORD to his anointed, Cyrus, whose right hand I grasp, subduing nations before him, and making kings run in his service, opening doors before him and leaving the gates unbarred: For the sake of Jacob, my servant, of Israel, my chosen one, I have called you by your name, giving you a title, though you knew me not. I am the LORD and there is no other, there is no God besides me. It is I who arm you, though you know me not, so that toward the

### CONFITEOR

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the LORD our God.



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CATHOLIC CHURCH

rising and the setting of the sun people may know that there is none besides me. I am the LORD, there is no other.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 96:1,3-5,7-10**

*Give the Lord glory and honor.*

Sing to the LORD a new song, sing to the LORD, all you lands. Tell his glory among the nations; among all peoples, his wondrous deeds.

For great is the LORD and highly to be praised; awesome is he, beyond all gods. For all the gods of the nations are things of nought, but the LORD made the heavens.

Give to the LORD, you families of nations, give to the LORD glory and praise; give to the LORD the glory due his name! Bring gifts, and enter his courts.

Worship the LORD, in holy attire; tremble before him, all the earth; say among the nations: The LORD is king, he governs the peoples with equity.

**SECOND READING: 1 THES 1:-5B**

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy to the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: grace to you and peace. We give thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers, unceasingly calling to mind your work of faith and labor of love and endurance in hope of our Lord Jesus Christ, before our God and Father, knowing, brothers and sisters loved by God, how you were chosen. For our gospel did not come to you in word alone, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with much conviction.

**VERSE BEFORE THE GOSPEL**

Shine like lights in the world as you hold on to the word of life.

**GOSPEL READING: MATTHEW 22:15-21**

The Pharisees went off and plotted how they might entrap Jesus in speech. They sent their disciples to him, with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are a truthful man and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. And you are not concerned with anyone's opinion, for you do not regard a person's status. Tell us, then, what is your opinion: Is it lawful to pay the census

tax to Caesar or not?" Knowing their malice, Jesus said, "Why are you testing me, you hypocrites? Show me the coin that pays the census tax." Then they handed him the Roman coin. He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?" They replied, "Caesar's." At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God."



**AMAZING PARISH PRAYER**

Heavenly Father, You have gathered us together as a parish to be Your visible life in our world. Here we unite in worship, proclaim Your word, celebrate the Eucharist, and are sent forth to share Your love and make disciples. LORD, we take your Great Commission seriously and long for our parish to be so on-fire that we draw people to You. Help is in that endeavor, as we strive to work together; ordained, religious and laity. Please make our parish amazing through Your power and Your grace. Amen.

**THE NICENE CREED**

I believe in one God, The Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one LORD Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the father

Before all ages, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (*At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.*) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins And I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## THE LITURGY *of the* EUCHARIST

### PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

### PRAYER OF THE OFFERINGS

### EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

### SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy LORD God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

### EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

### AMEN

## THE COMMUNION RITE

### LORD'S PRAYER & DOXOLOGY

### AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

## INVITATION *to* COMMUNION

*The priest prays:* Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

**All:** LORD, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

## COMMUNION HYMN:

O Sacrament Most Holy

FULDA



## A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## THE CONCLUDING RITE

## GREETING, BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

## RECESSIONAL

## PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; may God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen



**IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND DIRECTION ABOUT RETURNING TO MASS**  
**SAINT ELEANOR CATHOLIC CHURCH**

We here at Saint Eleanor have been blessed to welcome back so many of our Parish Family. **Let us keep our eyes fixed on Jesus as we celebrate in-person together the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.** All of us need to do our part to make sure that this return to public celebration of Mass is a peaceful and safe experience for all. Please take the time to read the instructions below. We ask everyone to follow these guidelines when attending Mass during this restricted period.

**GENERAL POINTS**

- The obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation continues to be lifted. You are **not** required to attend Mass at this time.
- Please stay home if you are sick, feel ill or have a fever.
- Please stay home if you are at higher risk of severe illness with COVID19. If you are uncertain about your risk status, please consult your doctor and also the CDC Guidelines at the link below.
  - Follow link to read the CDC Guidelines for those at higher risk: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-at-higher-risk.html>
- Mass will continue to be available to all **via live-stream.**
  - Our 10:30 AM Mass will be live-streamed. You will be able to find it on our website, our YouTube channel, our Facebook page. Once it is aired, it remains available on those various platforms. Remember there are many live-stream Masses around the country including at our Cathedral. Mass is also available on television such as at EWTN.

**MASS SCHEDULE ~ All Masses are celebrated in Main Church.**

- **WEEKDAY** ~ 6:30 & 9 AM – Monday through Friday; 9 AM Saturday
- **WEEKEND** ~ VIGIL MASS – 4:30 PM Saturday, SUNDAY – 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM and 12:00 PM

**BEFORE COMING TO MASS**

- Please wash your hands for 20 seconds using soap and water.
- Before entering the Church, please put on a face mask or cloth covering. Exceptions to this are “children younger than 2 years old, anyone who has trouble breathing or is unconscious, and anyone who is incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the cloth face covering without assistance” (CDC Guidelines).
- Please do not come to Mass if you are sick or are at higher risk for severe illness with COVID19 (see above).
- Missalettes will not be in the pews during this period. You are welcome to bring your own missal/readings with you. A WORSHIP AID (included in the Parish Bulletin) will be available both on-line and for pick up coming into Church. When leaving, please take this with you, it cannot be reused.

**PARKING & ENTERING THE CHURCH**

- Please use the two top level parking lots ~ the one as you come in off Sixth Avenue and the one off the driveway from Locust Street in front of the Church main entrance.
- For now, there is one way into Church — one door at the Main Entrance of the Narthex facing Locust Street. For leaving church at the end of Mass, the main Narthex doors will also be available for exiting after Mass (left side of church) as well as the doors located near the cry room going out towards the Sixth Avenue parking lot (right side of church).
- Hand sanitizers will be available at the Church entrances and throughout the church. . Please use the hand sanitizer upon entering and exiting the Church.
- As you enter into the Church proper, you will be able to pick up a Worship Aid (which will be included in the Parish Bulletin) to use during Mass and then to take home with you. Please do not leave it in Church.
- Also, as you enter our main Church, there will be a basket to accept your Sunday donation envelopes as well as for any other collections. . *All envelopes for any weekend or even second collections can be placed together in the same basket.* We will not take up a physical collection during the Offertory of the Mass.
- You will also notice round disc markers on the pavement and floors indicating six feet distancing to help you social distance coming into, going from, and moving around in the Church.
- In the event that the number of people coming to a particular Mass, exceeds the available seating in the Church/Chapel, we will have an “overflow” option available in the school gym. Information concerning that, if needed, will be provided by our team of ambassadors at that time.

**SEATING**

- When taking a seat in Church, please honor all posted signs and painter’s tape markers about where you may sit. Every third pew will be available to ensure proper social distancing.
- Due to these current restrictions, you most likely will not be sitting in your usual place in Church. Your cooperation is deeply appreciated.
- Members of the same household may sit together as normal. Please place 6 feet between your household and members of a different household. We have the Church divided into sections to facilitate areas for families, couples and single attendees.
- We have a team of helpers (our Ambassadors) to welcome you and to help you navigate your way into Church and your way out of Church.

**DURING MASSES**

- There will be a cantor and organist at all the Masses. However, there will be no congregational singing. Much of the music will be instrumental.
- As noted above, there will be no collection taken up during the Offertory of Mass. Please place your collection envelope into the marked baskets as you enter the Church.
- There will be no Sign of Peace during Mass.
- The Precious Blood will not be distributed during Mass.
- There should be no holding of hands during the Our Father.

**RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION**

- If you are uncomfortable about receiving Holy Communion during this time, that is fine. You do not have to receive and you can make a Spiritual Communion in your place.
- For the reception of Holy Communion, we will **not** use the main aisle to approach the Sanctuary. Those in the pews off the center aisle, please go out of your pew to the side aisle, move to the front where the Communion Minister will be and return by the center aisle to your seat. Those on the side sections, are asked to use the same aisle for Communion and to return by the far outside aisles (near Stations of Cross) to your seat.
- Please maintain social distancing in the Communion line by keeping several pews between yourself and the person in front of you while in line and when returning to your pew. Also, hand sanitizers will be available at the front of the Communion line for your personal use if you wish before receiving Holy Communion.
- Those in the back portion of church please follow the instructions of the Ambassadors to receive Holy Communion. A Communion minister will come to each of the sections along the back to distribute Holy Communion.

- **The faithful are asked to receive Holy Communion in the hand at this time.** If you will be receiving Holy Communion on the tongue, please wait until Holy Communion has been distributed to the rest of the Church. You will see a Priest or Deacon go to the center of the Sanctuary, main aisle. You are asked to approach him there, remembering social distancing. He will purify/sanitize his fingers in-between each communicant. Then return to your seat in Church.
- Those who receive a low-gluten host are also to wait until the congregation has received Holy Communion. Then proceed up the center aisle to the front of the church where a Priest or deacon will have the small pix of low gluten hosts to distribute. Return to your seat in church afterwards.
- Gloves may not be worn to receive Holy Communion in the hand. Please remove the gloves to receive Holy Communion or consider receiving on the tongue as outlined above.
- When you approach the Communion Minister, please keep your mask on until you have responded “Amen.” Once the Host has been placed onto your hand, move to the side a few feet, remove your mask, receive Our Blessed Lord, then replace your mask to return to your pew.

#### EXITING THE CHURCH

- At the conclusion of Mass, please exit the Church and proceed to your car following the guidance of our Ambassadors. Right side of church please exit by the cry room doors. Left side of Church, please exit by the Narthex doors. Please do not congregate for any reason nor stay behind in Church. The Church needs to be cleaned and sanitized before the next celebration.
- Please take the parish bulletin/worship aid home with you.
- Please leave your mask on until you exit the Church.

#### OUR COMMITMENT TO YOU

Our parish staff and team are committed to following the guidelines from the CDC for sanitation as we resume public Masses.

- To view the CDC guidelines, visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/faith-based.html>
- Our service company, Transcend Facility Management Company, accomplished a deep cleaning of the Church before we opened. We took care of several maintenance items beforehand as well~ wiring for our live streaming, replacement of many light bulbs along with dusting of the higher elevations of the Church.
- In between the Masses, they are providing the appropriate sanitizing liquids to be used within the building. We also are ensuring that the Church is vacant for at least an hour before the next Mass begins.

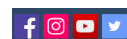
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#### Current Mass Times

**Monday—Friday—6:30 & 9 am**

**Saturday—9 am**

**Saturday—Vigil Mass—4:30 pm**

**Sunday—7:30, 9:00 am, 10:30 am  
12:00 pm (no 7 pm)**

#### CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:00 to 8:45 am; 3:30—4:15 pm  
(Wednesdays after Masses,  
by appointment anytime.)

#### CLERGY

Msgr. Michael T. McCulken, Pastor  
Rev. John A. Franey, Pastor Emeritus  
Rev. Alessandro Giardini, Parochial Vicar  
Msgr. Thomas A. Murray, In Residence  
Deacon John A. Hasson  
Deacon Edward T. Hinson

#### PARISH STAFF

Mrs. Linda Coyne, Finance Director  
Mrs. Darlene Gaspar  
Ms. Janet Genuardi  
Mrs. Laura Jusko  
Mrs. Jean Phillips  
Mrs. Jane Watson

#### SACRED MUSIC

Ms. Elizabeth Calabro, Director  
Mrs. Mary Barbuto, Organist  
Mr. Frank Orman, Organist

#### YOUTH MINISTRY

Mr. Matt Kirsch

*While Masses are being celebrated in person, please check the website for our  
live stream Mass  
(10:30 am, Sunday)- [www.stleanor.com](http://www.stleanor.com).*

#### SACRAMENTS

**BAPTISMS:** Scheduled most Sundays at 1:30 pm. Please make arrangements in advance with one of the priests. First-time parents attend Pre-Jordan, a Baptismal Preparation meeting usually held on the first Sunday of the month at 2:00 pm. **Pre-registration with the parish office is required at least 7 days prior to the class. 610-489-1647.**

**MARRIAGES:** Arrangements must be made with one of the priests or deacons at least six months before the desired wedding date. Couples attend the Archdiocesan Marriage Preparation Program (also held here at St. Eleanor).

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** For anyone needing the Anointing of the Sick, call the Parish Office or see a priest after Mass.

**HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS:** Communion is brought to the sick in their homes. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

#### EDUCATION

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults):** For adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith or adults in need of Confirmation. Meetings are held during the school year.

**HOLY CROSS REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL:** Serves the families of Saint Eleanor and Sacred Heart Parish, Royersford. Christ-centered teaching and strong academic emphasis for Pre-K through Grade 8. Mrs. Theresa Healy, Principal. 610-489-9434 ext. 2225

#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**PREP:** Religious instruction for children in grades 1 and up. The components are Six-week summertime At-Home program, Fall Family Option and Confirmation program. Teri Lahey, Director. 610-489-4677 X 31.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** Offered to the younger children during the Liturgy of the Word at the 9:00 & 10:30 am Masses on Sundays September through May.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL** Composed of registered and active members of the parish family who advise the Pastor concerning pastoral circumstances and needs of our parish family.

**FINANCE COUNCIL** Meets five to six times a year to advise the pastor on financial and administrative matters of the parish.

From  
the  
Pastor

Dear Friends,

It's here! It's live! I am not talking about some bodily creature but rather the link to our **parish wide survey** called **Disciple Maker Index**. Every parishioner, age 18 or older, is invited to fill out this 10-15 minute survey on discipleship and on what avenues the parish can pursue to support discipleship among us and for our children and their children.

We have endured a long period of isolation and disruption of ordinary life with the attendant stress that this pandemic has brought. But God is God! He walks with us through all of this. He cries with us. He suffers with us. He laughs with us. He leads us forward into the future. No one has a crystal ball concerning the future but we know this through and through ~ Jesus has entrusted the Great Commission to us, each and every one of us ~ young and old, female and male, married and single, laity, religious, ordained.

Jesus is simple and direct. *"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."* Jesus commissions and challenges us. Jesus provides what we need ~ He is *with us always*!

We need your help! How do we live discipleship here in Collegeville? How do we help one another to be disciples? AND, how do we help our children and their children embrace the Faith, become intimate friends with Jesus? Take 15 minutes of your time and complete the survey, either online or paper copy. Be a part of this great adventure and the work that lies ahead.

**The survey is available online until November 16.** Check our website and social media. Paper copies are available in the narthex, in the parish office or you can download one from the website. You need to return paper copies by November 16, either in the basket, by mail or drop it off at the parish office. All surveys are confidential. The parish will receive an aggregate report of the results and not individual comments. We will share the results once they come in.

God bless you, God love you,  
*Monsignor McCulken*



A first aid kit and an AED are available in the Narthex across from the chapel.

### Mass Card and SCRIP HOURS:

**Monday-Friday: 9am to 4pm**

**Other parish office visits are by appointment.**

### PARISH REGISTRATION:

**New to the parish? Please call for an in person or Zoom appointment with one of the priests.**

Saint Eleanor Parish family cordially invites you, your family and friends to the annual

### **Mass of Remembrance Liturgy Sunday November 8th, 12 noon Mass**

All families who have lost a loved one during this year are invited to participate. Due to Covid restrictions, there will be no candles this year but we will pray for and read the names of the deceased at Mass. Please call the Parish Office at 610-489-1647 no later than November 4 with the name of your loved one.

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### **Sunday, October 18**

7:30 The People of the Parish  
9:00 Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus  
10:30 Sue Winters (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)  
12:00 Deceased members of Heil Family  
John and Sophie Karmazinski—  
Mass celebrated privately

#### **Monday, October 19**

**Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues,  
Priests and Companions, Martyrs**

6:30 Stephen Cizek (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)  
9:00 Rose Marie Scharle

#### **Tuesday, October 20**

**Saint Paul of the Cross**

6:30 William Jacobson, Sr.  
9:00 Anna T. Nase

#### **Wednesday, October 21**

6:30 Dominick Cuono  
9:00 James Beppel

#### **Thursday, October 22**

**Saint John Paul II, Pope**

6:30 Cecilia Marinacci  
9:00 Kathleen Heil

#### **Friday, October 23**

**Saint John of Capistrano, Priest**

6:30 John P. Keffer, Jr. (10<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)  
9:00 James Beppel

#### **Saturday, October 24**

**Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop/BVM**

9:00 Rose Marie Scharle  
4:30 Richard Angelo III (24<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)

#### **Sunday, October 25**

7:30 Catherine Russo (16<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)  
9:00 Thomas Coffey  
10:30 The People of the Parish  
12:00 Deceased members of Waldron Family  
Elizabeth Ann Harvey— Mass celebrated privately

## Next Generation Catholic Parish Initiative Disciple Maker Index Survey

It's here! It's official! The **Disciple Maker Index**, a parish wide Survey, opened this weekend. Now, we need *your* help!

**Please help us by completing this 10-15 minute survey on line as soon as possible. Go to [www.disciplemakerindex.com](http://www.disciplemakerindex.com)**

If you prefer, you can complete a paper copy of the survey. Pick up a paper copy in the Narthex, or stop by the **Parish Office** (weekdays between 9-4), or download a printable copy from the website.

The survey is only **available from October 17 through November 16**. It asks you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enables you to provide feedback on our parish efforts to help you grow as a disciple. All responses are confidential, and the parish will only receive an aggregate summary of the results. **Every parishioner, age 18 and up, is asked to complete a survey.** We are trying to get the highest response rate possible.

This information will be invaluable to Monsignor McCulken, our parish leadership team and our many ministries as we plan for the future, striving to be the best disciples we can be and preparing the path for our children and their children.

We will receive the results this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish. Thank you for helping with this important project!

### PERPETUAL ADORATION

The Adoration Team is excited to announce that Adoration has resumed in the Chapel on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Each day Adoration will begin after the 6:30 AM Mass and close at 9 PM. This time frame contained the fewest number of Open Hours for both days. Depending on the response, we will expand the number of hours each day and/or include other weekdays. We look towards a full restoration of our Adoration schedule as we are able to do so. Please respond to [perpetualadoration@steleanor.com](mailto:perpetualadoration@steleanor.com) if you are able to cover one of the hours and sit with our Lord.

### The Divine Mercy Devotion

"The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is an offering of the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Our Lord, Jesus Christ, to God the Father, in atonement for the sins of the world." Please join us in Our Lady's Chapel on Thursday evenings at 7 pm for Divine Mercy Devotions. Please mark the date of 10/8 for the celebration of the Feast of St. Faustina. For information please call Mary Ann at 610-409-2622.

Our Lady has been moved to safe keeping while a young parishioner, with the assistance of others, works on his Eagle Scout project of rebuilding the gazebo that protects our Lady outdoors. This is a rather large and impressive project for our young parishioner, especially since his ability to raise funds (part of the Eagle Scout protocols) is hampered by this pandemic. He is enthusiastic and confident. Anyone interested in supporting him, please call the parish office.



This young parishioner and Scout is undaunted in his pursuit to accomplish this project and to rebuild this structure for Our Lady as well as some landscaping. We are very grateful for his interests and efforts and are confident in the results. You will remember that a few years back another young parishioner for his Eagle Scout project refurbished all the Stations of the Cross outdoors. This present project will bring completion and beauty to this outdoor area for prayer and reflection.

**Bulletin**—All info and announcements to be published in the bulletin are due to the Parish Office by the Thursday ten days prior. Flyer inserts are due to the Parish Office two weeks ahead of the desired bulletin date. Bulletin information and inserts should be e-mailed to [jgenuardi@steleanor.com](mailto:jgenuardi@steleanor.com).

### Baptisms

*Congratulations and prayers from our Saint Eleanor Family to the parents, godparents, and families of the newly baptized incorporated into the Body of Christ.*

Nowlan Thomas, son of Richard and Michelle Wood

Our next Pre-Jordan Program November 1 at 2 pm in *Kateri Hall*. First-time parents need to attend & may attend this program before the birth of their child. **Pre-registration with the parish office is required at least 7 days prior to the class.** Baptismal paperwork is due **two weeks** prior to Baptism.

### Rose of Resurrection in Memory and Rose for Life:

Edward Miller on our 61st Wedding Anniversary given by wife Edith

For a **Rose of Resurrection** to remember those who have passed away, call Paula Pezzano at 610-489-0533. Please request roses at least one month before the rose is to be placed on the altar.

### Rose for Life -

To reserve a Rose for Life, call Donna Kolb, 610-547-0478. Roses recommended donation is \$8 per request.





### **FOR OUR DECEASED:**

**FOR OUR SICK:** Anthony Adamo, William Adams, Catherine Alexander, Bob Bielski, Henry Blaney, Joseph Brignola, Ralph Bucher, Connie Clarke, Joseph Clarke, Georgia Cordrey, Shirley Cox, Ruth Daukus, Ron DiNicola, James Donaldson, Joan Earhart, Molly Enright, Doods Fetalvero, Tom Fuller, Leroy Gallus, Betty Gephardt, Teresa Giunta, Charlie Gordon, Kristen Gramazio, Amy Hahn-Kirsch, Karl Hampton, Bill Howat, Helen Karchner, Stephen Lewis, Mary Marinari, Patricia Martin, Msgr. James McBride, Agnes McCarver, Martha Meng, Rebekah Nester, Patrick O'Rourke, Debbie Palumbo, Doris Palumbo, Steven Pinto, Paul Schneider, Jeanne Sproat, Anthony Stumpo, Dr. Edward J. Szymala, Mary Tybeski, Bernadine Wahalla, Joan White

**OUR LITTLE ONES:** Baby Clara Krsnich, Corey Gramazio, Noah Ellingsworth, Erica Roque

*When your loved one recovers, please notify the Parish Office so we can offer a prayer of thanks!*

### **PRAY for THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY**

Sgt. Thomas Albany	Alexander Franke, SN
1st Lt. Andrew Bone	Lt Sean Feeney
Cpl. Bryan Luther	Specialist Nicholas Bielski
Andrew Somplasky	Ryan Somplasky
Sgt William Ronan	1st Lt. Connor Lyons
CDR Wendy Arnold, MD	Ens. Katherine Heacock
CM/Sgt Charles Gordon	Jeremy Somplasky
Midn. 2 Class Zachary Sermarini	LCpl Thomas Busfield
Ens. Henry Schweizer	LCpl Jacob Coppola
Sgt. Daniel Stein	

### **PRAYER WHEEL FOR PRIESTS and DEACONS**

For the month of October, we will be praying Reverend Alessandro Giardini, and all his intentions. If you would like to be a part of the Prayer Wheel for Priests and Deacons, please call Betty Rowlands at 610-489-3742.

### **SCRIP**

is our fabulous Gift Card Program that pays you to shop. Each store has a rebate amount and that rebate is split 50/50 with St. Eleanor Parish. You receive your yearly rebate check at the end of the year. Scrip can be bought in the Parish Office M-Th 9am—3pm and Fri 9am—noon.

### **Mass for Healing**

Tuesday, November 3rd  
7:00 pm

### **PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE**

Call Kevin 610-489-4412 to schedule a week to host the Pilgrim Virgin Statue. We will deliver the statue for those who need assistance.

Oct. 18: Karen Cedrone, Oct. 25: Sandy Maiale, Nov. 01: Irene & Larry Pennypacker, Nov. 08: John Miller, Nov. 15: Todd Siska, Nov. 22: Kevin Strnad, Nov. 29: Lisa Fuges,

### **LEGION OF MARY**

An age in which God has made known, through the Blessed Mother, that he wishes the whole world to be devoted to her Immaculate Heart. The Legion presents itself as an ideal instrument for spreading devotion to Jesus through Mary. Members distribute Marian sacramentals as well as propagating the Holy Rosary in carrying out Legion work.

Visit us at one of our meetings. All Catholics are welcome. Meetings are every Monday 10:00 to 11:30 am

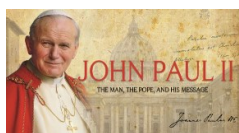
Come pray with us in the Kateri Room

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An intimate portrait of the man, the pope and his message, this series of documentaries reveals the epic proportions of the life and work of Pope John Paul. By special arrangements with the Vatican, this

timeless footage over the span of five hours, was produced by renowned Italian journalist, Alberto Michelini. Delving deep into the papacy of Pope John Paul II, embark on soul-stirring journey into the heart of his messages and world travels—and even into his private life within the Vatican.





Take part in the  
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PROJECT EVER!**

# SAINT ELEANOR ELVES

We need your help in making  
4,200 Christmas ornaments  
that will be delivered to each  
family in our parish.

If interested in helping  
please contact the parish  
office.  
610-489-1647



## Faithful Citizenship:

2020 Voter Information from the  
Pennsylvania Catholic Conference



PCC.

**Presidential comparison:** <https://catholicphilly.com/media-files/2020/09/Pennsylvania-Presidential-Comparison-2020-Q-En.pdf>

**State:** <https://catholicphilly.com/media-files/2020/09/voter-guide-Archdiocese-of->

The Pennsylvania Catholic Conference, public policy arm of the state's Catholic bishops, presents information intended to inform and educate Catholic voters before the 2020 general election. Go to link below to see a comparison on issues of interest to Catholics for the two presidential candidates, in English and Spanish, and a scorecard on how Pennsylvania legislators voted on bills supported or opposed by the



## GIVING HOPE TO ALL 2020 CatholicCharities Appeal

### Catholic Charities Appeal Update—

Our parish response to the Catholic Charities Appeal this year is doing well. Thank you to all of you have taken the time to make your pledge or send in your donation.

This is a vitally important appeal that allows us to participate in the Archdiocesan efforts to share the love of Jesus with countless numbers of people who are in need.

As of 9-11-20, our parish family has:  
**703** donations (1st in Archdiocese)  
**\$113,780** pledged (9th in Archdiocese)  
Achieved **84%** of our parish goal

Please prayerfully consider your gift and participation in this beautiful work of Catholic Charities, Giving Hope to All. You may use the envelopes sent to your homes or pick up one at the Church entrances. You may also go online at [catholiccharitiesappeal.org](http://catholiccharitiesappeal.org).



We are grateful for your generous financial support. Without your sacrificial giving we would not be able to accomplish our mission.

In order to facilitate your donations to the parish, we have added a new convenience, an E-giving Text number for your mobile phone.

**610-347-8333**



The Archdiocesan website added a very helpful navigational tool to assist any person in locating the Churches that are physically accessible and offer other accommodations for persons with disabilities. Take time to view this page **How to Find an Accessible Parish**. <http://archphila.org/find-an-accessible-parish/> Be sure to click on the various access characteristics and then use the **Find Parish by** function.



# The Society of St. Vincent de Paul CLOTHING DRIVE

[www.SVdPPickup.org](http://www.SVdPPickup.org)

St. Eleanor Parish will be hosting a clothing drive to benefit The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, on

**Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM – 5 PM**

**Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup> from 8 AM - 1 PM.**

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be using the services of GreenDrop to support their clothing drive. Look for the **GreenDrop** truck in the church parking lot where an attendant will be available to assist you with your donations. Please place your donations of usable men's, women's and children's clothing in plastic bags or boxes. Household items such as: kitchenware, games/toys, small appliances under 50 pounds, electronics, sporting goods, books, CDs & videos are also accepted. Unfortunately, **furniture, large appliances, Tube TVs or computer monitors cannot be accepted.** For a full list of acceptable items visit [www.gogreendrop.com](http://www.gogreendrop.com)

To learn more about GreenDrop visit their website: [www.gogreendrop.com](http://www.gogreendrop.com)

Pope John Paul II High School will host a **VIRTUAL Fall Open House** on Tuesday, October 27, 2020, from 6:30-8:30 PM. You will have the opportunity to meet our administration, teachers, and coaches and learn more about our academic curriculum, athletics, clubs & activities -- and so much more!

We look forward to "virtually" seeing you and your family in October!

Register to attend the **PJP VIRTUAL Fall Open House!** Visit [www.pjphs.org](http://www.pjphs.org) for more details!

## Important Note:

Once again, a phishing scam has been affecting a small number of parishes within the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. This scam involves parishioners receiving a text message, email, or robotic call from a source alleging to be the pastor of the local parish.

In our community, you can report suspicious activity to law enforcement of any suspicious requests for donations or other funds.



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SOON  
ONLINE!!**

## Home & School Association Online Basket Raffle 2020

Our 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Holy Cross Basket Raffle is looking a little different this year. - we're taking the raffle online! A different venue but the same great cause. The online raffle will be active starting **Monday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at 12 pm and ending Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at 8 pm.** For more details, please visit our website: <https://www.hcrc.school/basket-raffle>

Join our Facebook Group to follow updates and get a sneak peek at some of the amazing prizes.  
[Holy Cross Regional Basket Raffle 2020](#)

## Support our school through our 2020 Annual Advancement Fund.



Go to our website:

[www.hcrc.school/advancement-fund](http://www.hcrc.school/advancement-fund)

The donations we receive directly impact our student's lives.  
**We are Stronger Together!**

## FULL DAY PRE-K (4 year old's) through 8th grade with AFTER-SCHOOL CARES Program

- Safe, Christ-centered Environment
- Full-day Pre-K (4) through 8th grade
- After-school CARES Program
- Advanced Honors Math
- Accelerated Reading Program
- Chromebooks for all 4th - 8th grade students
- State-of-the-Art Computer and Science Labs
- Middle States Accredited
- Interactive Panels in all classrooms



For more information contact: Susan Mollahan,  
Advancement Director: [smollahan@hcrc.school](mailto:smollahan@hcrc.school)

**610-489-9434 | [www.hcrc.school](http://www.hcrc.school)**

# Programs for Young Disciples

During this time while many regular programs are suspended, the Youth Ministry program is a conduit to online activities. Contact Matt at [mkirsch@stleanor.com](mailto:mkirsch@stleanor.com)



**BOLD (Becoming Our Lord's Disciples)** is Saint Eleanor's high school youth group. All students in grades 9-12 are invited to join us for BOLD nights and high school events.

**4Thirteens** St. Eleanor's junior high youth group. All students grades 7-8 are invited for 4Thirteens nights & junior high events.

**GIFT (Growing in Faith for Teens)** is St Eleanor's service program for youth. All students grades 7-12 who wish to serve are invited to participate in GIFT programs.

We have 1 registration for all 3 programs. Registration is online and it is free!

Please follow this link to register for the Youth Ministry programs: <https://tinyurl.com/y6vopyrt>

## Junior Legion of Mary

Interested in growing in your relationship with our Lord through the guidance & love of the Blessed Mother? Our Heavenly Mother is waiting for the youth of our parish to aid her in good works and prayer. Meetings are Mondays 4:30-5:30 pm.,

Contact Laura at [laurajusko@gmail.com](mailto:laurajusko@gmail.com) or 215-390-0933

**NEW PREP Virtual FAMILY Learning Program** Saint Eleanor's Religious Education Program has created an virtual way to learn this year in response to COVID19 restrictions!

The **NEW Virtual Family Learning Program** is a parent/ child experience that features individualized learning on a flexible schedule.

## Components of the program include:

Saldier **NEW** Textbook Series, Video resources  
**(Flexible Parent / child learning experience)**

Student LEVEL **ZOOM** (Parent/child)  
Parish Devotional Experiences **(virtual option)**

Pricing for the **Virtual FAMILY Learning** is as follows:

One Child ~ \$100

Two Children ~ \$150

Three Children ~ \$175

Four Children ~ \$200

\*\*Please note that there is also a \$30 Sacrament material fee for Level 2.

**Online Registration is now OPEN to all Parish families! Contact Teri Lahey with questions at [tlahey@stleanor.com](mailto:tlahey@stleanor.com).**



## CYO NEWS

<http://www.stleanor.website.sportssignup.com>

**St Eleanor Catholic Youth Organization** is open to all 5th through 8th grades, 9th through 12th grades (Basketball only & Co-Ed Volleyball in Spring), and 1st through 3rd (Pee Wee Track/Cross Country) children of our PARISH. Please visit our web-site for more information.

- **CYO Basketball Registration now through October 25<sup>th</sup>.** Please visit our web-site to register. Please note that you will NOT be required to pay registration fees at this time. We are confident the Winter season will take place, but are awaiting final notification for the Archdiocese. Once the season is 100% confirmed, we will notify everyone to revisit and finalize payment. Mark your calendars now- Tryouts will be held November 2-5 at St Eleanor. We have worked out COVID protocol for gym use. We have limited access to "outside" gyms. The impact of this will be the number of teams we can field given the limited amount of practice time we will have. More details to follow as we approach November.
- **Looking for CYO SPIRIT WEAR for your Son or Daughter?** Maybe for a birthday, Christmas or Graduation Gift? St. Eleanor CYO Gear can be ordered on-line here: <https://ragtee.com/store/index.php/portfolio/stecyo/>
- **UNITED WAY** is an important source of funding for our program. Please consider SE CYO when you are making charitable donations, this includes company matching thru United Way. Our agency name is, St. Eleanor, and please specify CYO. Our number is 08018. Thank you!

**Has your email address changed?** If so, please visit our web-site and update your profile so we can keep you informed.





## MINISTRIES

Altar Cross Society	Take care of altar linens	Irene 610-287-8552
Ancient Order of Hibernians, Div 6	Irish Catholic charitable organization; Meet last Thurs ages 16 and up	Mike Brown 610-324-0486
Cenacles of Life	Meet each week to pray the rosary to end abortion. Tuesdays, 6:00 PM, Chapel	Rita 610-489-1929
Charismatic Prayer Group	Strives to develop a deeper understanding of the Holy Spirit, Scriptures & the Mass. Wednesdays 7:30pm Vianney Hall	Joann 610-306-6934
ChristLife	Helping people discover, follow & share Christ as members of the Church.	Frank 610-650-8457
Church Cleaning Ministry	Group who beautifies our church each Monday	Ginny 610-539-9543
Church Decorating Group	Enhance our church each season	Margarida 215-888-7509
Couples for Christ	Couples & families supporting each other in the quest to live for Christ	Jinky 610-454-5754
CYO (Catholic Youth Organization)	Provides opportunities for children to participate in spiritual, social and athletic activities	Jim DeBald 610-476-6756
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Assists with the distribution of Holy Communion at Mass and/or to our homebound.	Nancy 610-659-0237
Gardening Angels	Help keep our campus beautiful.	Rachel 610-409-9408
Knights of Columbus	Meet 2nd Sunday of each month serving St Eleanor & St Mary	Robert 215-783-4106
Lector Ministry	Read at weekend Masses, Holy Days and other special Masses. Must be age 14.	Mark-610-792-1679
Legion of Mary	Lay ministry giving service to parish, visiting parish households and meeting for weekly prayer	Richard 610-489-3891
Lupus Support Group	Providing support, prayer and hope for those with this autoimmune disease	Christie 610-489-2761
Men of St Joseph	Meet for prayer & reflection on the Sunday readings every Friday after the 6:30 am Mass	Anthony 610-489-8812
MOSES. (Men of St Eleanor)	Strengthen and encourage men to be strong husbands, fathers and neighbors	Sandy 610-409-0587
Pilgrim Statue	Traveling blessed image of the Virgin Mary	Kevin 610-489-4412
Pray the Rosary	M-F after 9:00 Mass; Wed evening 7pm, chapel	am Betty 610-489-3742 pm Angie 610-489-9903
Respect Life Committee	Promotes Gospel of Life through prayer, witness and education	Chris 610-409-0179
St Vincent DePaul Society	Through corporal works of mercy, SVDP bears witness to love of Christ by helping those in need	Richard—610- 489-3891
Ushers	Assist during weekend liturgies, Holy Days & special occasions	Butch 610-584-0225
Walking with Purpose	Catholic women's Bible study	Maureen—610-454-0650
Welcoming Ministry	Greet and welcome parishioners before Mass	Bettie 610-933-7243
Women's Guild	Gather to celebrate fellowship	Celeste 610-409-8808



## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Wednesday, October 21, 2020 - 7-8:30 PM. **Lecture: Built Upon Rock:** Finding Your Footing in a Period of Great Turmoil. Providentially, this year's tumultuous presidential election coincides with the 25th anniversary of the great papal encyclical, *Evangelium Vitae*, which contains the Church's fundamental teachings on the dignity of the human person and our unrelenting obligation to uphold that dignity in all aspects of life and society. Join for an evening lecture on how these teachings provide us with the grounding we need to keep our footing and navigate confidently through these difficult and turbulent time. Presenter: Christine Flowers, immigration attorney and columnist. Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul, Philadelphia Register at <http://cathedralphila.org/lecture/> †††

**2020 Catholic Women's Conference-** Saturday, October 24, 9 AM-4:30 PM. National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown <http://www.catholicwomenconference.org/given/> †††

The St. Teresa of Calcutta **Knights of Columbus** Council 15456 are hosting a smoked pulled pork take out dinner, and homemade donuts on Saturday, October 24th. To place an online order, visit the Knight of Columbus website at [www.kofc15456.org](http://www.kofc15456.org) <<http://www.kofc15456.org>> . †††

**Holy Hour for the Election:** 50 States – 50 People – An hour of prayer and adoration as we petition for grace and blessing upon our country, especially asking for God's will to be accomplished in the upcoming election. Sunday, Nov 1 – 2-3 PM at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul, Free parking is available. RSVP at [phillyevang.org/events](http://phillyevang.org/events). †††

Roman Catholic HS Scholarship **Entrance Exams:**  
Saturday, November 14, 2020  
Sunday, November 22, 2020  
Saturday, December 5, 2020

**JOB OPENING**—Pope John Paul II High School in Royersford is looking for an experienced facilities/maintenance person to join our team. Please send a cover letter and resume to Ron Williams at [rwilliams@pjphs.org](mailto:rwilliams@pjphs.org).

Wednesday, November 4, 2020 at 11:00 AM  
The Archdiocesan Office for Child and Youth Protection is hosting a **free webinar** on internet safety. It will be presented by the Network of Victim Assistance in Bucks County, PA. We invite you to join us! Registration is required for the session. The webinar will be 1.5 hours long. CTRL ALT Safety: Understanding Your Digital Footprint  
·What does it mean to be Smart Online?  
·When communicating online—who are kids talking to and how can adults recognize the differences?  
·What information do kids share online?  
·What "online presence" means  
·How can adults protect kids from becoming a victim  
·Recognizing signs of unsafe usage and how to have open communication with your child/student  
Registration link: [https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_H62wGIVkTomLZFxeSBijcA](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_H62wGIVkTomLZFxeSBijcA) †††

Friday November 13th-Sunday November 14-  
**Catholic Moms Summit-** So many of us struggle to find joy within our vocation of motherhood, and this Summit is here to help you do exactly that. I know it will be an experience unlike anything you've ever done before. Be sure to register, and then share this unique event with your friends To register go to: Catholic Moms Summit †††

**The Arise Podcast** explores Catholic life and offers reflections on the Word of God as it speaks to us in our own day. Featuring Father Richard Owens, O.F.M. Cap., Father Eric Banecker, and Gina Christian. The podcast presents the truth, beauty, and goodness of the Catholic faith to Catholics, fellow Christians, and all those who seek something more. [archphila.org/arise](http://archphila.org/arise)

St. Teresa of Calcutta School, 256 Swamp Pike, Schwenksville, PA is looking for a part time school nurse. Hours would be ½ day We are looking for a caring, compassionate, professional who loves taking care of children. Requires administrative work as well as one-on-one time with students. A BA Nursing is required. Email Principal, Anita M. Dixon at: [adixon@school.stteresacalcutta.com](mailto:adixon@school.stteresacalcutta.com) <<mailto:adixon@school.stteresacalcutta.com>>