

"Peace I leave
with you; my
peace I give
to you."

JOHN 14:27

ST ELEANOR CHURCH

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Welcome

May 26, 2019
Sixth Sunday of Easter

PARISH REGISTRATION: New to the parish? Please call for an appointment with one of the priests
PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday: 8am to 7pm, Friday: 8am to 5pm, Saturday: 9am - 1pm

CLERGY

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

PARISH STAFF

Mrs. Linda Coyne, Finance Director
Ms. Janet Genuardi
Mrs. Laura Jusko
Mrs. Jean Phillips
Mrs. Madelyn O'Hara

SACRED MUSIC

Ms. Elizabeth Calabro, Director
Mrs. Mary Barbuto, Organist

YOUTH MINISTRY

Mr. Matt Kirsch



COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

Week Ending May 3, 2019

Regular Collection	\$	23,774
Other Collection	\$	285
Easter Flowers	\$	81
Easter	\$	3,241
Total	\$	27,381
Diocesan Collections	\$	3,664

Regular Sunday Collections Fiscal Year-to-Date**

June 30, 2018—May 3, 2019	\$	1,240,743
June 30, 2017-May 3, 2018	\$	1,233,827

YTD Tithing

June 30, 2018—May 3, 2019	\$	37,017
June 30, 2017—May 3, 2018	\$	36,840

Mass Schedule

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am,
12:00 Noon and 7:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday: 6:30 am
Monday to Saturday: 9:00 am

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

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

PERPETUAL ADORATION

In Our Lady Chapel
(except 9am Saturday—2pm Sunday)

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: after-school religious instruction for children in grades 1 and up. Three components: One-week summer program, 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 elected & appointed members who advise the Pastor concerning pastoral circumstances and needs of the parish/parishioners.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS: Scheduled most Sundays at 1:00 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).

ANOIDING 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.

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@steeleanor.com.



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



Dear Friends,

Last weekend saw the ordination of 7 men to the priesthood by Archbishop Chaput at the Cathedral Basilica. Ordination weekend is also the time for the announcement of priest personnel changes. At all the Masses last weekend, we shared the news of Father Buck going to Archbishop Ryan High School, Northeast Philadelphia.

Father Buck, a few months ago, shared with me his interest and desire to enter High School Ministry. After prayer and reflection, he wrote to the Archbishop expressing his willingness to enter High School Ministry, if there was a need. Given the needs of the archdiocese, the Archbishop has reassigned Father Buck to High School Ministry.

Father Buck has been with us for such a short time but his energy, zeal, funny stories and enthusiasm have touched many. These very traits will help him greatly in ministering among our high school age students. While sad to see him leave Saint Eleanor, we offer him our prayers for every success. We know he will do well.

We also announced last weekend that the Archbishop is sending us a brand new priest, just ordained last weekend ~ Father Alessandro Giardini. Many of you will remember him since he spent a year with us during his seminary training as an acolyte. We welcome Father Giardini with great joy.

These changes will take place June 17, so we have time to say thanks and good-bye to Father Buck before welcoming Father Giardini. Keep them and all our priests in your kind prayers.

An update on maintenance. After much discussion and reviewing multiple options, we reached the decision to outsource our parish and school maintenance needs. The company, First Property Management Solution, is already doing this work at three other parishes very successfully. There will be a full-time onsite technician/mechanic who will have the back-up assistance of fellow mechanics for larger projects. The technicians/mechanics are skilled in all of the trades and therefore able to do almost all of the maintenance repairs and projects themselves. They are very hands on and focused on good relationships with parish and school staff as well as parishioners and visitors. They work effectively on immediate needs and have an eye on preventative maintenance as well. The other parishes have found them exemplary. With this change of direction, we offer a word of public gratitude and thanks to Ted Locker and Rich Bechtel for their understanding and for the service they gave to our parish and school.

Finally, on Memorial Day at our 9 am Mass, we will have a special Memorial Day celebration. After the Mass, we will offer additional prayers for all our fallen heroes who gave their lives in defense of our country and freedom around the world. As in past years, we anticipate the active participation of many of our veterans, scouts and local first responders. It is a moving, stirring and honored way to begin whatever holiday plans you may have for the day. Hope to see you here. To everyone, a happy and blessed Memorial Day!

God bless you, God love you,
Monsignor McCulken

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 25

Saint Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church/ Saint Gregory VII, Pope/ Saint Magdalene de Pazzi, Virgin

9:00 Deceased members of the Waldron Family

4:30 Peter Sciarra

Sunday, May 26

7:30 Anne Marie Milligan

9:00 The People of the Parish

10:30 Dino Ciccarelli (13th Anniv.)

12:00 Mary Maieron (19th Anniv.)

7:00 No 7PM Mass

Monday, May 27

Saint Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

6:30 No 6:30 Mass

9:00 Memorial Day Mass

Tuesday, May 28

6:30 Mary and Connie Della Pietro

9:00 Anne Conkle

Wednesday, May 29

6:30 Donald Maheadey

9:00 John Michael Smith, Jr.

Thursday, May 30

The Ascension of the Lord, Holy Day of Obligation

6:30 The People of the Parish

9:00 Craig Killough

12:05 Deceased members of the Heil Family

7:00 Charles Knaide

Friday, May 31

The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 Albert and Nancy Viola

9:00 Edwin Coyle (1st Anniversary)

Saturday, June 1

Saint Justin, Martyr

9:00 Mark and Curtis Reichenbach

4:30 Lawrence Corrigan

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.

Cameron Benjamin, son of David and Kelly Doyle

Samuel David, son of Justin and Kellyn Hubert

Keira Elizabeth, daughter of Michael and Monica McCusker

Evelyn Joyce, daughter of Joseph and Laura Ross

Noah Joseph, son of Daniel and Lisa Trott

*Our next Pre-Jordan Program will be held on Sunday, June 2nd at 2 pm in Kateri Hall. First-time parents need to attend & may attend this program before the birth of your 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 of:

Ann Scott on the 9th anniversary of death given by the Scott family

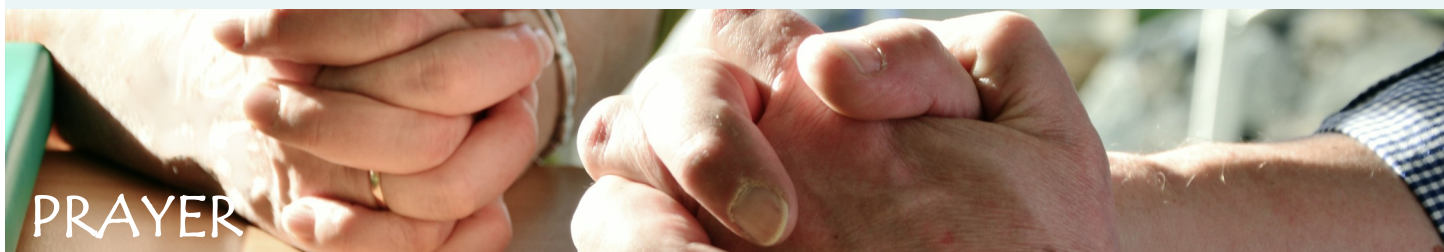
For a Rose of Resurrection to remember those who have passed away, call Paula Pezzano at 610-489-0533. Please request roses at least one month before the rose is to be placed on the altar.

Rose for Life

For the special intention of Aida Mazzulla

To reserve a Rose for Life, call Donna Kolb, 610-547-0478

Cost is \$8 per request. **Rose requests will not be accepted from June 10 through June 26**



FOR OUR DECEASED: Randy DeOrio (wife of Lee), Elizabeth Schreiber (wife of George), Alfred Krisch (husband of Johanna), Elizabeth Mack, (mother of Suzanne Finger)

FOR OUR SICK: Catherine Alexander, Cass Buben, Ralph Bucher, Connie Clarke, Joseph Clarke, Georgia Cordrey, Tom Fuller, Charlie Gordon, Kristen Gramazio, Amy Hahn-Kirsch, Carl Janicki, Courtney Kirsch, Phyllis Maniscalco, Msgr. James McBride, Martha Meng, Debbie Palumbo, Doris Palumbo, Dennis Ritchie, Paul Schneider, Dr. Edward J. Szymala, Barbara Tulio, Bernadine Wahalla.

OUR LITTLE ONES: Corey Gramazio, Noah Ellingsworth
When your loved one recovers, please notify the Parish Office so we can offer a prayer of thanks!

P.R.E.P. Religious Education 2019 – 2020 is now open!

Two Options:

Take the Plunge ~ One-week summer program

OR

Family Option ~ home study program

New families: please visit www.steleanor.com/prep and complete online application!

Returning Families: information was emailed directly to all currently registered P.R.E.P. families.

Please contact **Teri Lahey** at 610-489-4677 llahey@steleanor.com

PRAY for THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY

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

Ascension Thursday—May 30th—Holy Day of Obligation

Masses at 6:30 & 9:00 am , 12:05 & 7:00 pm

Divine Mercy devotions will not be held on Ascension Thursday

DIVINE MERCY

The Divine Mercy theme for the month of May is "Misery-Mercy".

Jesus told St. Faustina: "There is no misery that could be a match for My Mercy.....The soul that trusts in My Mercy is most fortunate, because I Myself take care of it".

Please join us for Divine Mercy devotions every Thursday evening at 7:00 pm in Our Lady's Chapel. If you would like more information call Mary Ann at 610-409-2622.

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. May 26: Larry & Irene Pennypacker

ROSARY

All are welcome

Monday thru Friday after the 9am Mass;
Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM- Chapel

PERPETUAL ADORATION

We need a few good men and women! We have some times, especially in the overnight hours, that have your name on them!
perpetualadoration@steleanor.com

PRAYER WHEEL FOR PRIESTS and DEACONS

For the month of **May**, we will be praying for **Msgr. Thomas A. Murray**, 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.

JOIN US FOR A MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

Monday, May 27th, 2019

9:00 am Mass followed by Ceremony (front of church)



Perpetual Adoration Holiday Schedule

**Will be reposed at 9 am
Mass on Friday, May 24th**

**and resumed after the 9:00
AM Mass on Tuesday, May
28th.**

Easter Flower donations in memory of: Jacob Bible; Przyborowski & Fabiani Families; Ann & Jeff Milligan; Carl Buggey; Caroline Bolognese; Parents of Harry Walzer; Loretta McDermott, Fran & Tony Cicippio; Carmen & Anna Bozzelli, Edward Gaspar; Deceased members of Brownell & Kyle Families; Mary & John Eskie, Mary & Andrew Evan; Roche, Lodzuk & Kowal Families; Kayla Buddy; Barbara Lopez, John Hogan & Jim Hogan; Gerna Saloma; Lou DiGiovann; Nabil Ata; Ava Kinney Griffiths; Anthony & Helen Duhovis; Our Service Men & Women; Kathryn & Anthony Andrzejewski, Olga & Patrick J. Cello; Peter A. Marinari; Anthony L. Greco; Bob & AJ O'Donnell; Monica Murolo; Deceased members of Dougherty & Girone Families; Lorraine M. Calitri; Norton, Nowotarski, Sherwood & Mikos Families; Anthony & Christina Fanaro; Sylvia Carfagno, Stephen Krajnik; Marie Lewine; Emily Antoniuk; Richard & Mary DellAngelo, Angeline Lundgren; Parents of Mr. & Mrs. Gabriel Muscella; Kern & Konoza Families; Walter Helenski, Sr.; Anna & John Fritz, John Fritz, Jr., Macrina Cobb, Mary & John Bogda, Vilma & Frank Panfile, Baby Isabella Grace Howell; Brad Stoudt, Tommy D'Antonio, Julia Madden, Rosalie Keirse, Tom Winberg; Deceased members of McNally & Krokowski Families; Gus Sergio, Matthew Sergio; Eileen Dorbin; Preston & McCann Families; Paluch & Acampora Families, Chris Kleemann, Carol Minkus; Virginia Loeper; Fred Capoferri, Jean Capoferri Hakun; Richard & Barbara Karwoski; Mr. & Mrs. John Rennekamp; Peter Stoy; Dorothy Marek; Mary & Irvn Ostrander, Richard Ostrander, Mary Killeen, Joseph Locashio, Pamela Morgan; John Cisick; Ellen E. Coffey; Edward V. Miller, Jeffrey Miller; Thomas Lytle, The Yonas Family, Veronica & Samuel Detwiler; Dykie, McManus, Pawloski, Kashatus family members; Edward Majkowski; McCandless & McLoughlin Family; Colliluori & Sabol Families; Jackie Zaengle, Phyllis & Charles Verrillo, Jane & Zane Zaengle, Charles Verrillo, Tom Quintois, Anna Rossi, June Terry; Drummy & Dylinski Families; James & Alma Diccianni; Jim Adams; Cywinski & McDonnell Families; Eugene & Anna Bangert; George & Kathryn Parker; Schneider & Vetter Families; Deceased members of Shelton Family; McDermott & Kovach Families; Bridget Botero; Deceased members of Mongradi & Sharkoski Families; Rita Donley; Carfagno, Dybicz & Lukens Families; Deceased members of Duka & DeBias Families; Gerry & Eleanor Dillon, Ann & Bill Leach; Frank Blanche; Anthony R. Capaldi, Cynthia J. Sombers; Gaspare Interrante; Baby Molly Gibson; McGuffin & Hilferty Families; Joseph Amento, Jr.; Catherine & James Boyce; Raymond G. Dunne, Lloyd A. DeNicolo; Moore & Boyce Families; Mrs. Virginia Berardo, Mr. Vincent McGlone, Mrs. Evelyn McGlone; Eliff & McGee Families; Mr. & Mrs. Mathews; Catherine M. Gray, Thomas W. Gray, George E. Thrasher, Jr., Lydia Margeret Thrasher; Michael Cermanski, Harry Jacobs; Ignacy Gardyas; Michael Falco; Bradley Family, Gray Family; Rose & Peter Kaeser; Tony Fillipino; Ruth & Raymond Kelley. Jerry Kelley, Anne & Francis Donovan, Anne Boyer, Janet Daloisio; Edward & Mary Schmitt, George & Helen Gullick; Michael Coluzzi; Deceased members of DiLullo, Fioravanti & Slizofski Families; Varunny Malickel; Sal & John DiBattista; Marguerite Gratz; Tillie Meltzer, Frank Palladino; Jason Minehart; Martin & Adele Strnad; Maria Elena Olszewski; Edwin Coyle; Anna Cantone; Mary Chieffo, Mary DePaul; Raymond R. Salamone, Steven Hales; Joseph Pascuzzi Family; Liz & Lee King, Dinsmore Family, George Dinsmore, Anna, Aunt Helen; Deceased members of Letter & Pews Families; Louis & Caroline Esposito & Family; Falsetta & Drabowski Families; Shaffer & Giovannone Families; Mariette Smith; Elwood & Fran Bernstiel, James Buccella; Deceased members of Dugery & LePera Families; Kathleen Gessitz; Covatta Family; Margaret & James Petaccio; Kane & Sturga Families; Kathryn & Jasper Santoro; Aunt Carmela, Aunt DeDe; Rich Coletta; Gerald Haines; Christine Gromalski; Jim Yeager, William Crossan; Getts & Scalzo Families; Edward Stewart; John Connor, Jr.; Albert SAGRANTZ; George M. Petrecz, Jr.; Henry & Mae Phillips; Deceased members of the Oakes, O'Connor, McKelvey, Lauer & Sander Families; Agnes McDade-O'Hara; Richard Hale; Jack McCann, Steve & Mary Clayback, John & Cass McCann, John & Carrie Coscia, Fred & Mary Giovanizzi; Wes Wilkinson; Ethel Behl; Stephen Hales; Robert Skellenger; Mary & Larry McGeehin; Morott Family; Mary W. Witman, Mary Beth Witman, David F. Witman; Malcolm Dominy, Billy Dominy, Ben Fernando; Deceased members of Beatty & Tomaszewski Families; Family & friends of Rebilas & Kruzik Families; Anthony & Nancy Tornetta, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Keeney; Deceased members of Rott & Socci Families; Bernadette Hollis; Horvath & Horn Families; Peter Beal; Stone & DeCerchio Families, Charlie Bishop; Deegan & Saladino Families; Helmut Hanus, Patrick Gannon; Antonio Filippini; Marino & Phillips Families; Nenita Victa; O'Neill & Russo Families; Mr. Robert Duggan; Kathy Brennan, Linda Durante, Beverly Reese; Domenic A. Codella, Jr.; Frances Tuono; Pete Marinari; Deceased members of the Marvel & Dunne Families; Meaghan Mary Janicki, David Setley; Romano, Tatasciore & DiToro Families; Susan Stein; Leon & Toribia Gonzales; Marie Valvardi & Michael Varlotta; Backus & Fiore Families; Jose Jacobo, Jr., Remedios Jacobo, Nelly Uy; Patricia Cerminara; Russo & Shay Families; Felix Valera, Rosa Cortez, Deceased members of Tropani, Easterly, Fromma, McMahon, Rafter, Arnold & Wawrczynck Families; Dave Evans; Maureen Carr; Edward Luther & Joseph Osisek Families; Patricia Tuturice; Martin & Dugan Families; Deceased members of Mower & Jackson Families; Bendu & Eva; Tom, Jean, Kay & Harry; Dom Ditri; Thomas & Lena Ritrievi; Martha Largent Kreder, Thomas Largent, Carl Scheetz; Mary & Frances & Family; Suzanne Cooper; Deceased members of Paranzino & Yanni Families; Gunn Family; Golab & Skilton Families, Barbara Jones, Art Jones, Arthur, Josephine & Elsie Jones, George & Rose George

A Summer Week-long Catholic Family Retreat.

Retreat weeks start each Monday beginning June 29 through end of August. July 15-20 – Special Single-Parent Family Week. Marianist Family Retreat Center, Cape May Point, NJ. \$220pp ages 8+; \$145 ages 2-7; under 2 free. Financial Aid is available. Join together with other families for the week. 609-884-3829 or www.capemaymarianists.org



Coming Soon

May 27—Memorial Day Observance
June 1—Women's Guild Yard Sale
June 5—Mass for Healing
June 9—Family Rosary
June 15—Padre Pio Prayer Group
September 14—Amazing Harvest Festival

WOMEN'S GUILD YARD SALE

The Women's Guild will be having their 3rd annual yard sale in the Saint Eleanor parking lot on Saturday, June 1st from 8am to noon. For more information contact Shanise. ishopgr8@gmail.com

MASS FOR HEALING

June 5th —7:00 pm

PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

Next Meeting and Mass - June 15th
9:40—Prayer & Confession
10:30— Mass & blessing with Padre Pio's relics

SCRIP

SCRIP Gift Cards

are available for a variety of items: tools, clothes, entertainment, favorite restaurants & more.

SCRIP HOURS

Mon.—Thurs., Noon— 7:00 pm and Friday, Noon—4:00 pm in Parish Office; Before & after Saturday Vigil Mass & Sunday 8:00 am—12:00 Noon in Nartheex
No SCRIP sales May 25/26

FAMILY ROSARY

June 9th—Chapel— 1:15pm
Families and parishioners are invited to pray the rosary together to honor our Blessed Mother
Sponsored by the Jr Legion of Mary

Baccalaureate Celebration

Sunday, June 2nd

9:00 am Mass

All High School Seniors and their Families are invited

The **Chris Cusatis Memorial Fund** offers two \$250 scholarships for eligible 3rd and 5th grade students from Saint Eleanor and enrolled in the St. Eleanor PREP Program or Holy Cross Regional Catholic School. The scholarship honors Chris' commitment to service for the Church. If you are a 3rd or 5th grader who has performed service for the church in the past year, write a brief (1-2 paragraphs) essay about your service to apply for the scholarship.

The essay will be evaluated based on the genuine demonstration of service, as Chris admired hard work and commitment to the parish. All submissions can be sent to cjcscholarshipfund@gmail.com by June 1st.

Young Adult Summer Bible Study begins June 6th

Calling all young adults! St. Eleanor's is doing a young adult bible study Thursdays at 7pm during the summer. Whether you're home from school or have been in the area for a while now, come out to meet new people and encounter God in a new way. Text or call Melissa at 610 554 0846 if interested or just show up!



Catholic Charities Appeal Update—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 4-4-19, our parish family has:

- 334 donations (2nd in the Archdiocese)
- \$64,379 pledged (6th in the Archdiocese)
- 48% of parish goal achieved



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 to donate at catholiccharitiesappeal.org. Each and every gift, large or small, has an impact and accomplishes so much good. May God bless all our efforts on behalf of those in need.



Are you a Gardening Angel?

We have a beautiful campus and our Gardening Angels help to keep it beautiful. Why not consider becoming a Gardening Angel? Contact Rachel Holdsworth at 610-409-9408

SACRED MUSIC MINISTRY

We invite you to share your talents.

Did you know that there are over 1000 verses in the Bible that reference music—singing hymns of praise, blowing of trumpets, making a joyful song unto the Lord! You are invited to share your talents and become a member of St Eleanor's Sacred Music Ministry. All involved seek to celebrate the Liturgy in a manner that promotes participation by all with exultation and reverence.

A CALL FOR CANTORS

The primary role of a cantor is to lead & invite the congregation to actively participate in singing during Mass.

All parishioners who have received the sacrament of Confirmation are eligible to become a cantor.



Join the Adult Choir
Thursday sat 7:30 pm in the Church.

New members are welcome!

All inquiries for all Sacred Music Ministries, contact
Elizabeth Calabro at 610-489-1647 x 22 or ecalabro@stleanor.com



Programs for Young Disciples

YOUTH MINISTRY



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 4 Thirteens 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>

Upcoming Youth Ministry Events

June 2- Baccalaureate Celebration

BELONG

Steubenville Summer Youth Conference
Steubenville Youth Conference: Summer 2019
Friday July 19 - Sunday July 21
St. John's University in Queens, NY.

Cost: \$325

(transportation, registration and T-shirt included)
Open to those graduating 8th grade & those in high school
(including graduating HS seniors)



Collegeville's Holy Cross Regional students in grades 5, 6, 7, and 8 performed "United We Sing," featuring the music of Europe, Asia, Africa, and the Caribbean. The annual Spring Show took place on Monday, April 29, at Pope John Paul II High School, Royersford.



CYO News—<http://cyo.steleonor.com>

St Eleanor Catholic Youth Organization is open to all 5th through 8th grades, 9th—12th grades (Basketball only & Co-Ed Volleyball in Spring), and 1st through 3rd (Pee Wee Track/Cross Country) children of our PARISH. Please update your family information, including e-mail address. This is how CYO Registrar, AD, &/or your child's coach will contact you for meetings, practice schedule, etc.

Fall Sports Registration will begin Sunday, June 9th, and end on Sunday, June 23rd

Cross Country Pee Wee 1st-3rd, Varsity 4th-8th gr; **Field Hockey** JV 5th and 6th, Varsity 7th and 8th gr girls; **Soccer** JV – 5th - 6th, Varsity 7th-8th gr.; **CMC Lions Football** JV 5th-6th, Varsity 7th -8th gr boys; **Volleyball** JV 5th - 6th, Varsity 7th- 8th grade girls.

Registration/payment available at CYO website: Please update your family information. Contact Kathleen Regan, kmmregan@gmail.com . If you are interested in being a head coach? Contact Megan O'Donnell, at meganodonnellcyo@gmail.com

ANNUAL CYO Varsity Sports Banquet Sunday, June 2, 4 - 8 pm at the The Copperfield Inn at Lakeside in Limerick. Athletes and Coaches who participated in the 2017-18 season are welcome to attend free of charge. Siblings and parents are also welcome to attend for a fee of \$20 and \$25 respectively. Additional details and registration information can be found on St. Eleanor's CYO web site. Please note, everyone who will be attending must register so we can get an accurate headcount. i.e. all athletes and coaches.


Open Gym For CYO Girls' Basketball will be held on Tuesdays beginning on May 14, and ending June 11, from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. ALL GIRLS ENTERING 7th, 8th and 9th GRADES NEXT YEAR ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE! The open gyms are intended to provide an opportunity for those who would like to play CYO basketball, and those who are taking their CYO game to High School the opportunity to play in a fun environment! **Open Gym for CYO Boys' Basketball** will be held on the following dates: May 29th and June 5th from 7:00 PM - 8:30

CYO is in need of VOLUNTEERS willing to join the CYO Board in 2019-2020. Specifically we are looking to fill the Fall Athletic Director and Organizational Athletic Director positions and we are looking for a second person to assist with Uniform Distribution/Collection. Please consider adding your talents to a worthy organization. To that end, if you would like to discuss further please email Jim DeBald



MINISTRIES

Altar Cross Society	Take care of altar linens	Irene 610-287-8552
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 610-584-6552
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
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
Hospitality	Plans events to make all parishioners feel welcome.	Leslie 610-948-9122
Knights of Columbus	Meet 2nd Sunday of each month serving St Eleanor & St Mary	Robert 610-783-4106
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	Maureen 610-489-1647
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

Join Father Gorka of Sacred Heart Parish for our next Parish **Pilgrimage to Europe** - Spain and Portugal. August 11 - 24, 2019: Barcelona - La Sagrada Familia, Montserrat Shrine, Madrid, Avila - St. Teresa, Santiago de Compostela, Fatima and many more beautiful cities. 610-948-5915

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Women's Healing Retreat May 31 – June 1 at Mariawald Renewal Center. For women seeking deeper relationship with our Lord, 610.287.2989 or www.YouAreMadeNew.com/healing-retreats

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HM **Nun Run**- Join the IHM Sisters—5K Run / Walk. June 1, 8:30 am start time. Proceeds benefit Camilla Hall. www.ihmnunrun.org Registration closes May 3rd

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Welcome Home our Vietnam Veterans. Sunday June 2. Honor Flight Philadelphia will be returning home from a day of honor in Washington D.C. with 250 Vietnam Veterans to The Porch in Springfield, Pa. Join us for the Welcome Home they never received! Arrival Time is 6:15P. 610-627-1494

Jodean@honorflightphiladelphia.org

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FLOURISH - June 7-9 at Malvern Retreat House Family Life Center for women. "I Have Chosen You to Go and Bear Fruit" www.malvernretreat.com

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Catholic Pilgrimage to Italy June 2 – 14, 2019. Venice, Florence, Bologna, Assisi, San Giovanni Rotondo & Rome. \$4199 pp. Cathie/Michael 1-800-773-2660.

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IHM Sisters **Donor Education Event**, Wed, June 5, 10am —12pm. SEI Oaks. To receive invitation, please email **May 15** to missionadv@ihmimmaculata.org

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Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers- June 7-9, Malvern **Retreat** House- for men and women- "Encountering the Joy of the Lord." Register at malvernretreat.com

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Nourish for Caregivers Ministry—The Archdiocese of Philadelphia is pleased to announce its first Nourish for Caregivers support group: St. Anastasia, Newtown Square - Meets second Thursdays of each month from 10:00am – 11:30am starting Thursday, June 13. <http://www.phillyevang.org/nourish/>

Be Not Afraid! **Family Vocation Day**. June 15 speaker Leah Darrow, Bishop Timothy Senior and others at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa to share with you their way of life. <http://www.phillyevang.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/June-15-Cz-Family-Vocation-Day.jpg>

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Camp Glee, Mt St. Joseph Academy!- June 17-28- a song, dance workshop for girls grades 5-9. kochs@msjacad.org or www.msjacad.org.

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Camp Overbrook for children who are deaf or hard of hearing. June 19—July 2 at St. Joseph's University. Register at www.CampInSign.org or call 215-587-3913

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Dr. Mary Healy - June 21-23 at **Malvern Retreat** House. A retreat for men and women. Theme is: Healing: Bringing the Gift of God's Mercy to the World. Is Jesus still healing people today?" Are these healings real and do they last? Come and find out. www.malvernretreat.com or 610-644-0400.

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Relevant Radio National ELEVATE Conference. Sat, June, 22, National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown. Meet and pray w/ Relevant Radio hosts Patrick Madrid and others <https://relevantradio.com/Elevate/>

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Living Bridges announces **Camp Guadalupe**—June 24-28 at St Francis of Assisi, Springfield and July 15-19 at Malvern Retreat House. For children ages 4-12. Register at www.livingbridges.org. Call 610-525-4770 or staff@livingbridges.org. Also seeking adult and young adult volunteers

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Fr. Larry Richards & Jesse Romero—June 28-30 Malvern Retreat House Theme: The Life-**Changing Power** of Doing God's Will" and "Letting Jesus Set You Free." www.malvernretreat.com or call 610-644-0400.

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Living Every Day with Passion & Purpose with Speaker Matthew Kelly. Saturday, June 29, 7-10 pm Join us for Living Every Day with Passion & Purpose. St. Ephrem Catholic Church, Bensalem. <https://dynamiccatholic.com/passion-and-purpose-live-bensalem-pa-jun-29-2019/>