“WHEN HE REACHED THE PLACE, JESUS LOOKED UP AND SAID, ‘ZACCHAEUS, COME DOWN QUICKLY, FOR TODAY I MUST STAY AT YOUR HOUSE.’”

LUKE 19:5

SAINT ANN ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

3 NOVEMBER 2019

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Welcome to St. Ann!

We’re so glad that you’re here. We strive to make all feel at home here and to build community.

Please let us know if we can assist you in any way.

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Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Parish Website:  www.churchofsaintann.org
Parish Email Address:  stannphx@comcast.net
St. Ann Cemetery:  305 W. Pothouse Road
Sacred Heart Cemetery:  1258 Fillmore Street

HOPE VOLUNTEERS drive people in need to appointments or on essential errands, Monday - Friday, 7:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Schedule a ride 4 days in advance. If you call on a Friday the ride will not be scheduled until Tuesday or Wednesday.

November 1 to 15: Ted Galeone 610-935-9294
November 15 to 30: Peter Sitkowski 732-428-2566

Today:  Wis 11:22 — 12:2; 2 Thes 1:11 — 2:2; Lk 19:1-10
Monday:  Rom 11:29-36; Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday:  Rom 12:5-16ab; Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday:  Rom 13:8-10; Lk 14:25-33
Thursday:  Rom 14:7-12; Lk 15:1-10
Friday:  Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8
Saturday:  Ez 9, 1247:1-2,8; 1Cor 3:9c-11,16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Sunday:  2Mac 7:1-2,9-14; 2Thes 2:16-3:5; Lk 20:27-38

Roadmap for the Week

St. Ann (026)
“The Proper of Time”

SOULS… – Each November we remember the Holy Souls, that is, those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith and we pray for the “Poor Souls”. In what sense are souls going through purification poor? In what specifically does the poverty of the poor souls consist? What need is it that souls going through the process of purgatory are not able meet for themselves?

...& BODIES – Peter Kreeft has written, “A soul without a body is exactly the opposite of what Plato thought it is. It is not free but bound. It is in an extreme form of paralysis. The human soul needs the body to express itself---not only on earth but in heaven as well. That is why the resurrection of the body is...not a dispensable extra. When earth separates the two we have a freak, a monster, and obscenity. That is why we are terrified of ghosts and corpses, though both are harmless: they are the obscenely separated aspects of what belongs together as one. That is why Jesus wept at Lazarus’ grave: not merely for his bereavement but for this cosmic obscenity.”

BODIES & SOULS – The Month of the Holy Souls is a good time to face our own mortality and to plan for the disposition of our earthly remains after death. Copies of our Pastoral Handbook for Saint Ann Cemetery & Sacred Heart Cemetery are available through the parish office. This publication is intended to help our members make calm, considered and informed decisions about the disposition of their bodies before they and/or their loved ones are in the midst of acute grief. This book is to help us think when we can rather than trying to think when we can’t due to grief. This publication is also available on our parish website.

SPECIAL COLLECTION – During November our Archdiocese conducts the annual collection for the support of Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary where our future priests, deacons and lay leaders are formed. Each registered household in our parish should receive a direct solicitation in the mail and donations should be remitted directly to the Seminary.

You are invited to an Open House at the Phoenixville Code Blue Overnight Emergency Warming Center from 12:00 to 2:00 PM today (Sunday Nov. 3). Learn about what is done, who is served and how you can get involved. The Center is located in the lower level of Sacred Heart Church (146 Church ST).

STAIN GLASS & GRACE – Fr. Newns will lead a tour of the stained glass windows in St. Ann Chapel today (Nov. 3) at 4:00 PM. A great way to extend our celebration of All Saints and All Souls Day!

“DO THE WORK” – Let’s honor those who have fought and died to preserve our right to vote by doing the work now to be ready to cast an informed ballot on the Commonwealth’s General Election on this Tuesday (Nov. 5). Also, let’s do the work to include Scripture and Catholic Teaching as we form our conscience before entering the voting booth.

VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK – will take place throughout our nation this week and we ask Our Lord for more dedicated, healthy and holy priests, deacons and consecrated men and women. May the young men and women of our own parish respond generously to God’s gift.

Copies of the New...Saint Joseph Sunday Missal - Prayerbook and Hymnal for 2020 are available for purchase for $3.00 in the Parish Office. Call 610-933-3732 to reserve a copy.

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 4
St. Peter’s Church Kitchen
121 Church Street

Monday: Lunch 12-1 PM and Dinner 5-6 PM
Tuesday to Friday: Lunch 12-1 PM
Saturday: Breakfast 8:30-9:30 AM and Pantry 9-10 AM

Today’s Marriage Tip
End the day by saying a prayer together right before bed. Make sure to kiss your spouse and children good night. To receive daily marriage tips, go to foryourmarriage.org.
### Calendar for the Week

#### Sunday, November 3  Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
- **Mass** 7:30am @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Mass** 9:30am @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Children's Liturgy of the Word** 9:30am Mass @ 602 Living Room
- **Spanish Mass** 9:30am @ St. Ann Church
- **PREP Class** 10:35am - 12:05pm @ Holy Family School
- **Spanish RICA** 11:15am @ Parish Office Dining Room
- **Mass** 11:30am @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Vietnamese Mass** 12:00pm @ St. Ann Church
- **Parish Registration** 12:30pm @ Parish Office
- **Vietnamese Social** 1:00pm @ Church Hall
- **Stained Glass Window Presentation** 4:00pm - 5:00pm @ St. Ann Chapel

#### Monday, November 4  St. Charles Borromeo
- **Rosary** 7:30am - 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **Mass** 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **Caregiver Support Group** 6:30pm - 8:00pm @ Church Hall Room #1
- **Cub Scouts** 7:00pm @ Holy Family School
- **Women at the Well** 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ Parish Office Dining Room
- **Legion of Mary** 7:30pm - 8:30pm @ Church Hall Room #2

#### Tuesday, November 5
- **Rosary** 7:30am - 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **Mass** 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **Confessions** 8:30am @ St. Ann Church
- **Holy Family School Mass** 9:30am @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Emmaus Bereavement Ministry** 5:00pm - 6:30pm @ Church Hall Room #3
- **RCIA** 7:30pm - 9:00pm @ Parish Office Dining Room
- **Spanish Bible Study** 7:30pm @ Church Hall Room #3

#### Wednesday, November 6
- **Rosary** 7:30am - 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **Mass** 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **Eucharistic Adoration** 8:30am - 7:00pm @ St. Ann Church
- **Charismatic Prayer Group** 7:00pm @ C Hall Rm #2
- **Spanish Choir Practice** 7:00pm @ S H Church
- **Women's Scripture Study** 7:30pm - 9:30pm @ Parish Office Dining Room

#### Thursday, November 7
- **Rosary** 7:30am - 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **Mass** 8:00am @ St. Ann Church
- **SoulCore Exercise/Prayer Group** 9:00am - 10:00am @ Church Hall
- **Youth Choir Rehearsal** 5:45pm - 6:45pm @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Grupio de Oracion Mateo** 6:00pm @ C Hall Rm #3
- **Healing Hearts Card Making Ministry** 6:30pm - 8:00pm @ Church Hall
- **Adult Choir Rehearsal** 7:00pm - 8:30pm @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Pre-Jordan Baptism Class for Parents** 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ Parish Office Dining Room

#### Friday, November 8

#### Saturday, November 9  The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
- **Men’s Bible Study** 7:00am @ Church Hall
- **Confirmation Practice** - Confrimandi Only 8:00am - 11:30am @ Church Hall
- **Book Club** 10:00am - 12:00pm @ Parish Office Dining Room
- **First Penance Retreat** 2:00pm - 4:00pm @ Church Hall
- **Confessions** 3:15pm - 4:00pm @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Mass** 4:30pm @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Youth Altar Server Practice** 5:30pm - 6:30pm @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Alpha/Omega Spanish Prayer Group** 7:00pm - 9:00pm @ Sacred Heart Spanish Prayer Group

#### Sunday, November 10  Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
- **Mass** 7:30am @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Mass** 9:30am @ St. Ann Chapel
- **Children’s Liturgy of the Word** 9:30am Mass @ 602 Living Room
- **Spanish Mass** 9:30am @ St. Ann Church
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**Pope’s Universal Intention for November**

**Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East**

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.
November is the month of All Saints, All Souls, Thanksgiving as well as a time of anticipating the upcoming Christmas season. For the past 24 years, we as a parish community have gathered to remember and celebrate the lives of our deceased relatives and friends in Eucharistic liturgies as well as the November Tradition: Grief and the Holidays, which offers support to those who have lost a loved one and to others who will be facing such a loss. In addition to the bereavement ministry, Emmaus has extended its work in creating a caregiver ministry, called “Compassionate Listeners” which meets once monthly from September to May. Therefore, in this year’s Grief and the Holidays presentation, Sr. Patricia will speak to the gamut of loss from caregiving to death and dying, with some points on the spiritual, pastoral and ethical end of life decisions with which the dying person and family are confronted. She is an excellent speaker who combines professional expertise, grounded in the Catholic ethical tradition. Presently she is a consultant, lecturer, writer. From 2003-2016 she was Vice President: Mission Services of Catholic Health Association of the US. Centered in prayer and remembrance of deceased family and parish souls, this evening is opened to all interested in learning more about end of life care.

Mark Your Calendars! St. Ann Parish Christmas Bazaar
Sunday, December 8th, 9:00am to 2:00pm
St. Ann Church Hall

Handmade Crafts, Baked Goods, Mary Kay Products, LuLaRoe, Arts & Craft Activity for Children, and a visit from Santa

Please pray for the sick, disabled, homebound members of our Parish Family.

Alicia Andrews  Lucille Dickson  Irene Layden  Glen Philips  John Snyder
Chad Berish  Audrey Dombroski  Denise Long  Abigail Pilcicki  Evelyn Spitz
Stephanie Bilash  Kensley Eggeling  Ray Long  Dianne Ponzio  Christine Springer
Patricia Bogardus  William Eggeling  Claire Maestrale  Ann Racey  Bob Stancavage
Beth Booth  Andrew Fabian  Steve & Joanne Mardi  Christine Radoiss  Marc Stevenson
Ashley Rose Bukay  Dan Fennell  Thomas Mastrangelo  Katherine Raggazino  Sherri Stover
Sandy Burns  Daniel Flores  Bernadette Matta  Jerry Ratchford  Julie Szewczak
Lewis Busovsky  Ryan Gerhold  Heather McCann  John Riegel  Ethel Thomas
Ed Cain  Joe Gibson  John McKenzie  Kris Roberts  Glenn Thomas
Eleanor Calvecchio  Gordon Gladden  Michele Mellon  Stephanie Robinson  Don Troncelliti
John Calvecchio  Jennifer Golaszewski  Ron Motzer  Tom Sarnak  Helen Twargoski
Leroy Campbell  Christine Greger  Tom Moyer  Urs Schwabe  Doris Valerio
Sally Claverie  Angela Hogan  Karen Nesspor  Debbie Schwartz  Jeff Vance
Dave Cocci  Michael Hudak  Jacob Nichols  Al Scott  Mike Warring
Frank Cook  Jeanette Jelus  Georgene O’Donnell  Ken Shackleton  Mary Way
Estela Cruz  Ann Johnson  Marcelo Opiela  Maxine Sheman  Ann Wolff
Carol Daley  Terry Johnson  Helene Ouimet  Keith Sheridan  Talan Wolstenholme
Al DeMola  Betty Koch  Steve Pannella  Margaret Sim
Isabella DeSimone  Patrick Koch  Cindy Patton  James Smith
Michael DiArcangelo  Christine Koons  Jonathan Perez  Renee Smith
CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS OF
CHESTER COUNTY (CYACC)
(A ministry for young adults in their 20s and 30s)

CYACC - Holy Hour With Music and Night Prayer
Join CYACC—Chester County Catholic Young Adults on November 6 for one of our most beautiful events, and evening of adoration, music, and night prayer. We will begin at 7:30pm in the lower chapel of St. Agnes in West Chester. Access to the chapel is outside around the side of the church. Free parking is available in the large lot behind the church. Following the event, you are welcome to join us at Ryan's Pub (upstairs) for fellowship. For more information about our organization: check www.cyacc.org or email us at cyacc1@gmail.com.

CYACC—One Upon a Dance, 2019 Fall Dance!
The evening will begin with a Ballroom lesson then we’ll open up the floor to some contemporary tunes and a scattering of songs to show off your Ballroom skills. Evening attire is recommended but not required (suits for the gents, dresses for the ladies). Get your tickets now! Tickets available for purchase at the dance for $15. Event held at the Meehan Center at Saints Simon and Jude Parish in West Chester on November 9th. Lesson begins at 7pm. Dancing until 11pm. Snacks and drinks provided. Alcoholic beverages for those 21+ with valid ID.

“GIVING HOPE TO ALL” – is the theme of the 2019 Catholic Charities Appeal. This annual appeal is our main corporate effort as the Body of Christ in the five counties of the Archdiocese to serve hundreds of thousands of our neighbors in need of material and social assistance. For more visit http://www.catholiccharitiesappeal.org

Holy Family School effectively educates young minds, while providing for the important development of a spiritual life! Please join us for our student driven Prayer Services and Liturgies held monthly in St. Ann Chapel. This Tuesday, November 5, our Eighth Grade will lead us in prayer at the 9:30 Mass. All are welcome to share in this beautiful dimension of a Catholic education! See our website calendar for future Prayer Service/Liturgy dates. At Holy Family, we educate the whole child! Reach us at office@myholyfamilyschool.org or 610-933-7562 for more information. Be sure to like us on Facebook and check out our website!

The Phoenixville Knights of Columbus will be holding their Annual Memorial Mass at Sacred Heart Church in Royersford on November 16 at the Saturday 4:15 Mass. In particular, please join us in honoring those Knights who have left us since last year's memorial Mass. In addition, let us honor all past deceased members of the Phoenixville Knights of Columbus.

HELP WANTED
Saint Eleanor Church in Collegeville is looking for a PT receptionist early evenings and Friday afternoons. Duties include answering phone and door as well as clerical responsibilities. Interested applicants can send their resume to Linda Coyne at lcoyne@steleanor.com. Will consider job sharing.

Polish Night
Date: November 9, 2019
Hosted by the Knights of Columbus, Council 1374

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting an authentic Polish Dinner featuring homemade foods
Dinner includes choice of stuffed cabbage rolls or kielbasa with sauerkraut platters. All meals served with pierogi, rye bread, a choice of beverage, and dessert. Take-out orders will be available.

Mark your calendars to support this event and enjoy an authentic Polish dinner and polka music!

Saturday Evening, November 9th, 2019
Dinners Served 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm
Sacred Heart Café 838 Walnut Street, Royersford

Adult Platter...$12.00 Children 5-12 $6.00, under 5 eat free
Combo Platter (very popular), kielbasa & cabbage rolls $15.00
Pay at the door or pre-order tickets (recommended)
from Mike Paster 610-933-6126

Seating is limited!
For more information go to www.kofc1374.org
or email Mike Paster, mpaster@verizon.net

St. Basil’s Women’s Fellowship November Meeting
Tuesday, November 12th, 7:00pm - Parish Gym
Fun Fitness Zumba Gold! (If you plan to participate, please wear comfy clothing & sneakers) All women arecordially invited.
Refreshments served - No Dues - No Charge
Contact Paul Ford for information fordtp60@yahoo.com

The IHM Sisters invite single young women ages 18-35 to a weekend Discernment Retreat from Friday evening, November 15 until Sunday afternoon, November 17. The weekend will include Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, spiritual conference, and time with the Sisters. If you are interested in attending or would like more information, email Sr. Mary Ann at ihmvoc@aol.com or text 570-573-2377.


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