

Mother of Divine Providence Church

333 Allendale Road, King of Prussia, PA 19406
www.mdpparish.com

February 19, 2023

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



Parish Office Phone: 610-265-4178

CLERGY

Reverend Martin T. Cioppi, Ed. D. - Pastor

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 AM - 8:30 PM
Friday: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Saturday: Closed
Sunday: Closed

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

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PARISH DEVOTIONS

MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Monday through Saturday:

8:00 AM

Holydays and Holidays: as announced

ROSARY

After morning Mass.

(Monday through Saturday)

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA PRAYERS

After Saturday morning Mass.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

(SERVANTS OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT)

After 8:00 AM Mass until 7:00 PM each Tuesday.

REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our area! Please phone the Parish Offices to schedule an appointment to register. Parish registration is required to schedule baptisms or marriages as well as to obtain certificates of eligibility for godparents and/or sponsors.

OUTREACH

CARE MINISTERS

Our Care Ministers are parishioners dedicated to assisting fellow parishioners in times of sickness or bereavement and visiting the homebound. Contact the Parish Offices for details.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE CASSEROLE PROGRAM

Due to a slow decline over the past year St. John's needed to take us off of their pick-up route temporarily! This program is being put on hold. Will keep you updated.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE TOILETRIES

Toiletries, such as tooth brushes, deodorant, tooth paste, etc., can be left in the labeled basket in the vestibule of the church.

GIFT OF SIGHT

Prescription eye glasses can be left in the marked box in the vestibule of the church. They will be donated to be refurbished and given to those in need of glasses.

NORRISTOWN FOOD CUPBOARD

Non-perishable items can be left in the blue bins in the vestibule of church at any time. The items are collected on Mondays after Mass and donated to Catholic Social Service's Food Pantry. The pantry is most in need of feminine hygiene products.

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Celebrated every other Sunday of the month at 12:00 PM. Call the Parish Offices to schedule.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS

Pre-Jordan is held monthly in the Parish Office. Please call Parish Office to register.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM

Also by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Persons intending to marry must visit the priest six months in advance so that the proper preparation may be made.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND THE EUCHARIST

The priest will gladly come to shut-ins with the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick. Parishioners who are planning surgery should contact the priest to receive the Anointing of the Sick before the surgery.

PREPARING ADULTS TO RECEIVE SACRAMENTS

All adults interested in becoming Catholic or completing their sacraments should please call the Parish Office. All are welcome.

EDUCATING OUR CHILDREN IN THE FAITH

Children not attending the Parish School are educated in the faith through our Religious Education Program. Various class options are available during the school year. Contact the Parish Office for details.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

Jennifer Cottini
Elliot Crowley
Bet Ferguson
Frances Krouse
Chip Lloyd

Cliff Lucas
Jeannette Medina
Lauren Nigro
Hap Trainor
Tom Traister

Kathleen Yates

Ex Officio: Deacon Mark Dillon
Alexandra LaMastra
Claire Pinto

FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS

Ed Campbell
Phil Fogli
Steve Gibbons
Michael McDevitt
Rich Nigro
Sue Saraceni

Consultant to Finance Council:
Marianne Houston

*Worship God first above all things, and then
“go out and make disciples”!
Parish Mission Statement*

Occupy your mind with good thoughts, or the enemy will fill them with bad ones!

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

**PLEASE VISIT OUR PARISH WEBSITE FOR COMPLETE CONTACT
INFORMATION AT WWW.MDPPARISH.COM**

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

- BIBLE STUDIES
- RCIA–RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION
- MEN’S EARLY MORNING GROUP

ALTAR SOCIETY

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

CARE MINISTERS

CARNIVAL

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD

CHOIR AND CANTORS

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR & CRAFT FAIR

CYO ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

EUCH. ADORATION / SERV. BL. SACRAMENT

GREETERS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

LAY LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

- EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
- LECTORS
- ALTAR SERVERS

LEGION OF MARY

55 & OVER CLUB

MTC REGIONAL SCHOOL

PARISH HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

PREP/CCD/RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RESPECT LIFE GROUP

SCRIP PROGRAM

TRANSPORTATION MINISTRY

YOUTH GROUP

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, February 19, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - Joseph Narewood

10:30 AM Mass - Anna Mae Cipollini

Monday, February 20, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - Greg C. Pak

Tuesday, February 21, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - Jean Miller

Wednesday, February 22, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - Rose Barbone

12:05 PM Mass - Anna Mae Cipollini

7:00 PM Mass - Stephen Guminski

Thursday, February 23, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - For the People of the Parish & Benefactors

Friday, February 24, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - Stephen Guminski

Saturday, February 25, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - Living & Deceased Members of the McCuch & Farkas Family

4:00 PM Mass - Sue Krajnik

Sunday, February 26, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - Tony D'Orsogna

10:30 AM Mass - Anna Mae Cipollini

Weekly Collection

February 12, 2023

Sunday collection basket \$ 6,933.00

Sunday donations received via mail \$ 3,962.00

Parish Giving (on-line) \$ 3,368.00

Total \$14,263.00

The second collection for the Care of the Aging and Infirm Priests of the Archdiocese totaled \$1,967.00.

The second collection this weekend is for the Parish Fund.

Thank you for your faithful and generous giving to Mother of Divine Providence!

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

Gifts made to the Catholic Charities Appeal will provide vital support to almost a million people in need. These individuals are served by a range of organizations, programs, and ministries throughout the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. The beneficiaries of the Catholic Charities Appeal focus on five key areas: Education; Social Services; Evangelization, Parish, and Spiritual Life; Clergy; Local Mission Activities. To see a full listing of beneficiaries, please visit catholiccharitiesappeal.org/beneficiaries.



MDP SHORE UP THE FUTURE

As of February 12, 2023, we have received \$199,965.50 in donations from 229 families for our 2020 Year 3 Challenge – renovations to the Parish Offices and creation of our Family and Youth Center. To date, we have spent \$172,745.40 on renovations including an enlarged office for the Director of Religious Education, several enlarged rooms for youth gatherings, new HVAC throughout both sides of the first floor of the building, upgraded electrical throughout the building, improvements to the front meeting room, and new carpeting and painting throughout much of the areas. More renovations to the Family and Youth Center side are planned in the future. Thank you to all those who continue to contribute to this Appeal.

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Ash Wednesday

February 22nd, 2023

Masses at:
8:00 AM* 12:05 PM 7:00 PM*

*Will be livestreamed to www.facebook.com/mdpparish

FAST & ABSTINENCE AND OTHER ACTS OF PENANCE FOR LENT

The Bishops of the United States prescribe, as minimal obligation, that all persons who are fourteen years of age and older are bound to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday, and on all the Fridays of Lent & Good Friday. Further, all persons eighteen years of age and older, up to and including their fifty-ninth birthday, are bound to fast by limiting themselves to a single full meal on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday, while the other two meals on those days are to be light.

All the faithful are encouraged, when possible, to participate at Mass and to receive the Holy Eucharist daily, to celebrate frequently the Sacrament of Penance, to undertake spiritual reading, especially the study of the Sacred Scriptures, and to participate in parish Lenten devotions as well as Lenten education programs. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is especially recommended.

All are encouraged to participate in Operation Rice Bowl which has aided countless hungry persons here in the Archdiocese as well as throughout our nation and our world.

IN OUR PARISH

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER ROTT

As we get ready for Ash Wednesday, it is good to think about what we want to experience or get out of the Lenten season. Please remember that the purpose of Lent is not to give up something so we can show our strength or resilience but to allow the sacrifices, passion, and death of our Lord to permeate our hearts. The church constantly reminds us that our faith involves engaging our hearts and our bodies.

Pope Francis invites us to think about Lenten practices to draw closer to the Lord. In his Lenten message in 2019, he stated:

"Fasting, that is, learning to change our attitude towards others and all of creation, turning away from the temptation to 'devour' everything to satisfy our voracity, and being ready to suffer for love, which can fill the emptiness of our hearts. Prayer, which teaches us to abandon idolatry and the self-sufficiency of our ego, and to acknowledge our need of the Lord and his mercy. Almsgiving, whereby we escape from the insanity of hoarding everything for ourselves in the illusory belief that we can secure a future that does not belong to us. And thus to rediscover the joy of God's plan for creation and for each of us, which is to love him, our brothers and sisters, and the entire world, and to find in this love our true happiness. Let us not allow this season of grace to pass in vain! Let us ask God to help us set out on a path of true conversion. Let us leave behind our selfishness and self-absorption, and turn to Jesus'. Let us stand beside our brothers and sisters in need, sharing our spiritual and material goods with them. In this way, by concretely welcoming Christ's victory over sin and death into our lives, we will also radiate its transforming power to all of creation."

Here are some things we can consider as we get ready for lent (taken from Hallow.com):

Adult Prayer Ideas:

- Join the *Holy Is His Name* Series on Tuesday Nights beginning February 21 at MDP
- Subscribe to a daily Catholic prayer newsletter
- Each morning, scroll through the contacts on your phone. Randomly stop and say a prayer for whichever person you land on
- Spend a few minutes with Scripture each day
- Start the Bible in a Year or Catechism in a Year Podcast with Fr. Mike Schmitz
- Attend daily Mass once a week
- Attend or pray the [Stations of the Cross](#) every Friday
- Invite a friend to attend Mass with you
- Attend Adoration of the Eucharist
- Go to confession
- Pray the [Rosary](#) once a day

Kids/Teen Prayer Ideas:

- Pray on the way to school
- Play Guess the Saint each day
- Pick a relative each day and pray for that person
- Call a grandparent after church and discuss the Gospel/homily
- Go to bed five minutes early and spend extra time talking with God
- Research the name of your church and learn about its origins
- Pay special attention to the intercessions at Mass and choose one to pray for during the week
- Go to confession

General Ideas for Lenten Sacrifices:

- Give up coffee (or only brew it at home)
- Give up alcohol
- Give up certain social media sites, or limit them to certain days/times
- Give up electronics after a certain time in the day (i.e., no screens after 8 p.m.)
- Park in the back of the parking lot and say a prayer as you walk to the grocery store
- Abstain from reading gossip/rumor sites

Kids / Teen Fasting Ideas:

- Give up a favorite toy or game
- Fast from social media for a day
- Give up a favorite snack
- Drink only water at school
- Give up a favorite chair at home or seat at school
- Go without headphones/air pods for a day
- Play your favorite game, focusing on helping others instead of winning

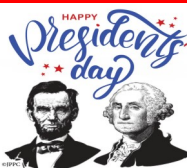


Is Our Lady calling you?

Are you a Catholic looking for deeper meaning of your faith and a way to actively serve Jesus and Mary?

The Legion of Mary offers you many ways to serve the Church and practice the spiritual works of mercy.

Contact us through our website LOMNorristown.org or email LOMNorristown@gmail.com



The Parish Offices will be closed on Monday, February 20th in observance of President's Day!

YOUTH CHOIR

Singers in 6th grade through high school are invited to join our new youth choir. We will practice after 4:00 PM Mass beginning Saturday March 4th. Singers are most welcome to attend 4:00 PM Mass and sit by the piano and sing for Mass or just come at 5:00 PM for practice. Rehearsals will last a half-hour to forty-five minutes. We will have practice on the following dates:

March 4

March 11

No rehearsal on March 18

March 25

April 1

Choir will sing on Easter Sunday at 9:30 AM Mass. Please contact Cecilia Beatty, Director of Music Ministries at Cbeatty@mdpparish.com if you have any questions.

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Invites you to enjoy a

Little Black Book

Lenten Devotional

BOOKS ARE \$1 EACH

Available during Lent in
the main vestibule.



HOLY IS HIS NAME

You shall be holy, for I am holy. ... These words in 1 Peter 1:16 remind us of our call to holiness. But what is holiness? Join us in this new parish-wide Bible study entitled, "Holy is His Name", as Scott Hahn traces the meaning of holiness from its origins in Scripture to its appearance in our own lives today.

When: Tuesdays starting February 21 from 7:15 to 8:45 PM

Where: Parish offices

Sign up at <https://stpaulcenter.com/holystudy/> to view the free streaming videos and to purchase either Option 1: The Study Guide, or Option 2: The Study Guide and the book, Holy is His Name. Please contact Deacon Greg for more information at gmaskarinec@mdpparish.com.

MEN OF MDP PARISH – COME AS YOU ARE



MEN'S RETREAT

Are you looking for some time away from the stresses and activities of everyday life? Could you use some time to refocus and strengthen your relationship with God? Then come join approximately 30 other men from MDP at the Malvern Retreat House on February 24th to 26th for a weekend of prayer, reflections, recommitment, and camaraderie. Check out the retreat site at www.malvernretreat.com. Feel free to contact Chris Welde cwelde@lowermerion.org / 610 645-6141 for additional information or to register for the weekend.

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Mary's Way of the Cross

A special program that walks us
through the Passion from the
Blessed Mother's perspective

Friday, February 24th

7:00 PM

Program will be held in The Church

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Forty Hours

Sunday, February 26th

Adoration 11:30 AM - 7:00 PM

Vespers at 7:00 PM

Monday, Feb. 27th & Tuesday, Feb. 28th

Adoration 8:30 AM - 7:00 PM

Confessions at 12 PM in the Parish Office

Vespers at 7:00 PM

Vespers followed with a homily by Father Andrew Lane, Parochial Vicar at St. Timothy Parish.

Visit our parish website for the sign up genius, or find the sign up sheets located by the entrances of the church.



MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Stations of the Cross

Wednesdays in Lent at 2:00 PM

Mar. 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th;

Fridays in Lent at 7:00 PM*

Feb. 24th: Mary's Way of the Cross

Mar. 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st

Mar. 10th: Led by PREP Students

*Friday Stations will be streamed to www.facebook.com/mdpparish

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Evening Prayer & Benediction

Sundays during Lent at 4:00 PM

March 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th & April 2nd



Please **P R A Y**
for the sick of our parish
and their caregivers

As you pray this week please remember those in our community and families who are in need of our prayers for God's healing touch, especially:

Tracy Marx
Margaret Algeo Golden
Joseph Maro
Lisa Hahn
Nick & Tony
Marinaccio
Adrianne Montgomery
Joseph Gow
Karen Manneke
Rosario Fajardo
Regina Campbell
Marie Rovner
Gale Mahoney
Karen Pedano
Jim McCarthy
Fr. Tom McGann
Kathleen Geier
Loretta Belz
Michaela Noble
Bill Stead
Luis Sanches
Bonnie Watkinson
Joe Faith
Philip Rothenburge
Richard Brzezicki
Joan Brzezicki
Roseann DeSpirito
Rita Walsh
Sandra Scott
Bill McQuaid
Bill Sherwin
Theresa Sherwin
Rita McNally
Dave Auxer
Ursula Degonda
Chrissy Strovink
Michelle Ritrovato
Steve Stasuk
Kathy Walsh

Roy Cony
Bridget Róisín Nolan
Colleen Áine Nolan
Leona Ruddy
Kathryn Stone
Julia Whalon
Kyle Sheahan
Rita Carney
Louise Cirelli
Bob Fenlon
Mary De Maria
Joan Venezia
James Walton
Betty Ray
Judy Dowd
Brooke Penny
Sandra Scott
Paul Carney, Sr.
Kait Hagan
Frank Casey
Helen Rosetti
Ted Quillen
Betty Short
Jesaniel Marrero
Anna Dobra
Mary Faude
Marie Jackson
Lisa Shendge
Marie Cinalli
Bill Gribbin
Richard Kline
Danielle McClam
Brayden
John Leonard
Barbara McCann
Rose DiDonna
Matthew Aprile
Dolores DiSanto
Elizabeth Finnin

If you would like to add someone to the sick list please email Carol Murray at cmurray@mdpparish.com or call the office at 610-265-4178. Thank you.



Please also remember those who have died in the hope of rising again, and for those who mourn their passing and are in need of God's healing and strength:

Mary Ann Tuturice

All who have died from the Coronavirus

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Lenten Opportunities for the

Sacrament of Confession

Saturdays:
3:00 - 3:45 PM (Church)

IGNITE Penance Service:
Sun. March 26th at 6:30 PM (Church)

40 Hours
Mon. February 27th and Tues. February 28th
12 PM in the Parish Offices

Holy Week:
Sun. April 2nd - Wednesday April 5th
7:00 - 8:00 PM (Church)
Monday April 3rd - Wednesday April 5th
12:00 - 1:00 PM (Parish Offices)

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Are you retired or have some free time on your hands?
Are you looking to get out of the house or make new friends?
We invite you to be a part of our

55 & Over Group

Our next meeting will be

Tuesday, March 7th at 12:30 PM

At Peppers by Amedeo's Restaurant and Bar
175 Town Center Road, King of Prussia, PA 19406

Please let Claire know if you are coming by emailing cpinto@mdpparish.com

MOTHER OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHURCH

CRS RICE BOWL

Poor Box donations throughout Lent will be donated to Operation Rice Bowl. Your donations will help fight hunger and poverty in the U.S. and around the world.

Learn more at crsricebowl.org

Weekend Masses
Saturdays at 4:00 PM
Sundays at 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Daily Mass
Mondays - Saturdays at 8:00 AM

Ash Wednesday Masses

Wednesday, Feb. 22nd at
8:00 AM,
12:05 PM, & 7:00 PM

40 Hours

Sunday, February 26th

Adoration 11:30 AM - 7:00 PM
Vespers at 7:00 PM

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Confession 12PM in Parish Offices
Vespers at 7:00 PM



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Come Spend Time with Jesus



**The Church is open for quiet prayer during
Eucharistic Adoration
Every Tuesday --
8:30 am - 7 pm**

February 21 – May all the faithful repent and
believe in the Gospel and be raised on the last day
to eternal life in Christ.

SAVE THE DATE: 5TH ANNUAL MTC GOLF OUTING

The 5th annual MTC golf outing at St. David's Country Club
will be held on Monday, April 24th, 2023.. Please save the
date and get your foursome ready. If you are interested in
sponsoring at the golf outing, please contact Drew Heinerichs
at 610-724-6481 or heinerichs@lmsd.org.

Go Forth
Deepen Your Discipleship • Grow in Mission

Join Archbishop Pérez in his mission to create a
culture of missionary disciples in the Archdiocese of
Philadelphia! Subscribe to receive a weekly text
from the Archbishop with one action step you can
take that week to deepen your friendship with
Jesus or grow in your mission to bring Jesus to
others. Texts begin Ash Wednesday, Feb 22, 2023.

To subscribe: Text *goforth* to the number 84576
Or visit phillydisciples.org/goforth

**Follow us
on social
media!**

Facebook:
@mdpparish

Instagram:
@mdpparishkop

Twitter:
@mdpparish

Join us Saturday, March 18th following the 8:00AM daily mass for a brief talk and devotional prayer dedicated to Saint Joseph. The event will be followed by a gathering with coffee and traditional Saint Joseph pastries!



SAINT JOSEPH SATURDAY
SATURDAY, MARCH 18TH, 2023
FOLLOWING THE 8:00 AM MASS



A PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, who wills that all men be saved and come to the knowledge of Your Truth: We beg You to send Laborers into Your harvest, and grant them grace to speak Your Word with all boldness; so that Your Word may spread and be glorified, and all nations may know You, the only God, and Him whom You have sent, Jesus Christ Your Son, Our Lord. Amen.



15th Annual Man Up Philly

Men's Spirituality Conference - Saturday, March 4, 2023

The Road to Emmaus- Finding Christ in the Breaking of the Bread

The men of our parish are invited to join Catholic Men from throughout the Archdiocese for the 15th Annual Man Up Philly Men's Conference on March 4th at Cardinal O'Hara HS.

Speakers include Timothy Cardinal Dolan, acclaimed speaker, author, and Archbishop of New York City, Jim Wahlberg, writer and producer of Mother Teresa - No Greater Love, Deacon James Mahoney, instructor at St Charles Seminary. Mark Houck, pro-life champion, will offer our reconciliation talk. And back by popular demand, Mark Forrest, internationally recognized Irish tenor, who will lead our Eucharistic Adoration. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available, and the Conference will conclude with Mass celebrated by our archbishop Most Reverend Archbishop Nelson Perez.

For more information and to register go to the website: www.manupphilly.com



First Reading: Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7

Psalm: Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17

Second Reading: Romans 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19

Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11

SCHEDULES FOR LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Wednesday, February 22, 2023 - Ash Wednesday

8:00 AM Mass - S. Mai, A. Mai

12:05 PM Mass - S. Angelucci, TBD

7:00 PM Mass - TBD, TBD

Saturday, February 25, 2023

4:00 PM Mass - K. Sion, M. Bevenour, MA O'Brien, H. Trainor

Sunday, February 26, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - MA Marchese, M. Mangan,

M. D'Agostino, J. Mintzer

10:30 AM Mass - A. Czarkowski, E. Crowley, M. Maskarinec, C. Hammond

Lectors

Wednesday, February 22, 2023 - Ash Wednesday

8:00 AM Mass - M. Houston

12:05 PM Mass - D. Bernardo, T. Brophy

7:00 PM Mass - K. Mindock, TBD

Saturday, February 25, 2023

4:00 PM Mass - P. Krouse, F. Krouse

Sunday, February 26, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - V. Nguyen, T. Brophy

10:30 AM Mass - M. Estock, J. Czarkowski

Servers

Monday, February 20, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - M. Bonkoski, L. Plechner

Tuesday, February 21, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - S. Dsouza, L. Plechner

Wednesday, February 22, 2023 - Ash Wednesday

8:00 AM Mass - C. Cottini, S. Cottini

12:05 PM Mass - M. Bonkoski, TBD

7:00 PM Mass - TBD, TBD

Thursday, February 23, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - M. Kazanjian, AJ Kazanjian

Friday, February 24, 2023

8:00 AM - S. Dsouza, D. Wanner

Saturday, February 25, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - MJ Ryan

4:00 PM Mass - D. Prusacki, A. Prusacki

Sunday, February 26, 2023

8:00 AM Mass - R. Herman, J. Herman, G. Herman, A. Becker

10:30 AM Mass - M. Bonkoski, P. Crowley, A. May, A. May

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sunday, February 26, 2023

T. Boyle

Altar Society Linen Preparation

Sunday, February 26, 2023

MJ Ryan

SCHOOL NEWS



**SAVE THE DATE
AND HELP DONATE!
FEBRUARY 25TH, 2023**

MARDI GRAS!

Annual School Auction Fundraiser

- *Join us for the celebration! Purchase tickets when they go on sale so that you can eat, drink, and bid on fantastic items in our silent and live auctions at a Mardi Gras themed celebration.
- *Donate gift cards, items, and services for our auction!
- *Become an event sponsor and support our community while also receiving great exposure for your company.

Contact:
Auction@mtcschool.org



AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

VISITATION BVM (TROOPER) SPRING CRAFT FAIR

VENDORS NEEDED. Date: April 15, 2023, **Time:** 8am - 1pm, **Cost:** \$75 per one six foot table. **Location:** Visitation BVM School Gym, 190 N. Trooper Road, Norristown, Pa 19403. You can write check out to: HASA Visitation BVM. Please mail check to: Attn: Angela Zampogna, Spring Craft Fair, Visitation BVM School, 190 N. Trooper Road, Norristown, Pa 19403 or You can Venmo @VisitationBVM -HASA and in the comments please put # of tables and Spring Craft Fair.

ST. TERESA OF AVILA PARISH USED BOOK SALE

Join us for the St. Teresa of Avila Parish Used Book Sale! Saturday, February 25, 2023 and Sunday, February 26, 8 AM to Noon in St. Teresa of Avila Parish Center. Browsers of all ages are welcome. Individual titles and "bags o' books" will be available for purchase (\$1 - \$5). All proceeds will benefit STA Outreach Ministry.

UMSSC BIG BINGO

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