



Saint Maria Goretti Parish

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Web Site: www.stmariagoretti.net

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated every Sunday at 12:45 pm (except the first Sunday). Please call the Parish Office to set up an appointment to meet with a priest or deacon to complete the necessary paperwork. Pre-Jordan classes required for parents and optional for godparents, they are offered the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center unless otherwise noted in the bulletin. Letters of eligibility are due at the Parish Center before a date can be given for Baptism.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made with a priest at least six months in advance. You must speak to a priest before making arrangements for a reception hall. Scheduling, rescheduling or cancellation **MUST** be done by a priest. Pre-Cana classes are required for all couples. Please visit the archdiocesan website at <http://phillycatholiclife.org/marriage-and-family/preparing-for-marriage/>

ANNULMENTS

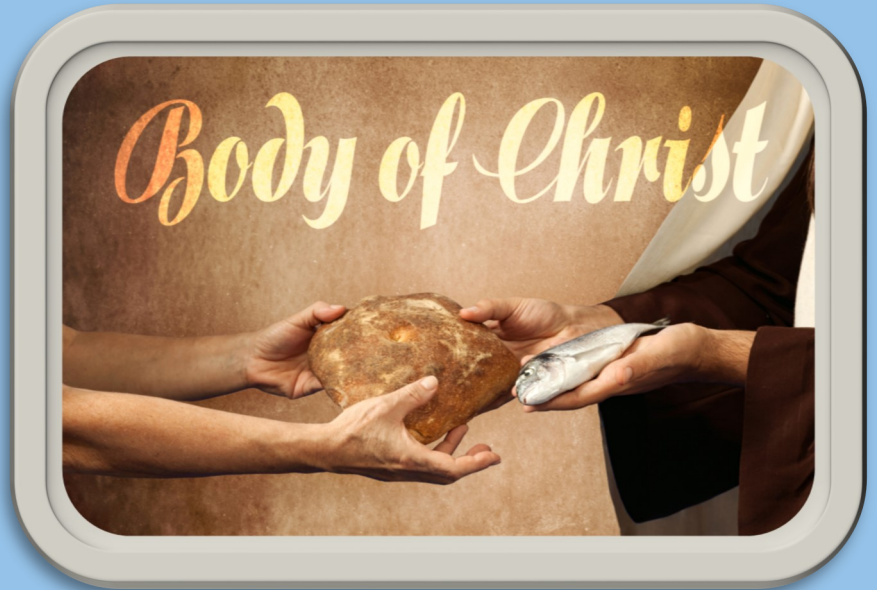
Archbishop Charles Chaput, following the directive of Pope Francis, is offering annulments without cost to the petitioners. There are additional changes which would make annulments easier to obtain. Contact the Parish Center to speak with Fr. Chung for more information on the annulment process.

ANOIDNTING OF THE SICK

Arrangements can be made by calling the Parish Office.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm or any time upon request. Call the Parish Center.



PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. John C. Nguyen

Pastor Emeritus:

Rev. Leonard N. Peterson

Vietnamese Apostolate:

Rev. John C. Nguyen

Permanent Deacons:

Deacon Phuong Nguyen

Deacon Peter Niche

Deacon Stephen Vondercrone

Mater Dei Regional Catholic School

Principal: Ms. Diane McCaughan

Director of Family Faith Formation,

Religious Education & Parish Ser-

vices: Maria Richardson

Admin. Assist. of Religious Educa-

tion: JoAnn Prahl & Pat Kendig

Director of Adult Faith Formation:

Angela McClellan

Director of Music: Eileen Ericsson

Pastoral Assistant: Patricia Conroy

R.C.I. A. Coordinator: Al Pandolfo

Elder Care Assistance Program:

Amey Juarez

Office Manager: Cheryl Ryan

Parish Secretary: Mary Faymore

Business Manager: Douglas Smith

Asst. Business Mgr.: Geri Salanik

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, & 11:30 am

Vietnamese Mass: 2:30 pm

Weekdays & Saturday Mass: 8:30 am

Holy Days: Vigil 7:00pm, 7:00am,

8:30am & noon, Vietnamese Mass at 7pm

DEVOTIONS

Adoration: Mondays after the 8:30 am Mass - Concludes at 5pm with Benediction

Marian: Saturday after the 8:30 am Mass.

Saint Maria Goretti: Monday after the 8:30 am Mass.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9am to 8:00pm

Friday and Saturday:

9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

PRO-LIFE ESSAY WINNERS

Thanks to an anonymous donor and parishioner of SMG for offering the cash prizes to youngsters in our area to write essays on their thoughts about Pro-Life. Much thought and time went into writing, grading and promoting this important topic. Thank you to all that participated and our Pro-Life committee for your time and efforts. Below are the 6 winners, 3 in each group of Seniors and Juniors. Each week for the next 6 weeks we will print the winning essays. Congratulations and keep up the good work!

Junior Category

1st Place—Sophia Bora

2nd Place—Billy Mazeroski

3rd Place—Dominic Farzetta



Senior Category

1st Place—Julianna Jones

2nd Place—Shayla McCarthy

3rd Place—Erin Kelly

Congratulations Billy Mazeroski! 2nd Place Winner in the Junior Division

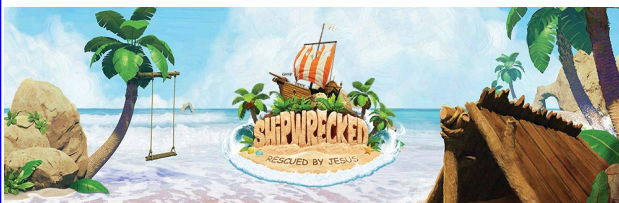
The heart is considered to be one of the top five strongest muscles in the human body and certainly one of the most necessary. In fact, in order to be declared legally dead, one's heart needs to stop beating or lungs stop breathing. In our society, it is illegal to shoot or stab someone in the heart and that person would be convicted as a criminal. Why then are doctors allowed to stop approximately 41 million hearts from beating world wide each year? The reason is that, sadly, abortion is still legal around the world.

As a Catholic, I believe that life begins at conception. However, I know that many people question when conception even occurs and when those cells that are multiplying become a human being. At 22 days after conception, there should be no doubt. This is because the heart begins to beat at this time. Therefore, I believe it should be illegal to have an abortion once the baby's heart starts beating. Fortunately, by the time a mother knows she is pregnant, usually the heartbeat can already be detected. This would eliminate nearly 66% of abortions done by 8 weeks. Considering the other 34% of abortions are performed after 8 weeks, these would be illegal as well.

In recent years, you may have noticed Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) in many public places. All fifty states have laws or regulations requiring these machines be placed in public gatherings because they can save people who are undergoing a cardiac arrest. These AEDs can help the approximately 400,000 people each year who experience a cardiac arrest. Ironically, over 600,000 hearts stop in America each year due to abortion and there are no AEDs to help them.

Many people who argue against the pro-life movement claim that a woman has the decision to do what she wants with her body. They argue that the woman's right is most important and feel that it would go against the Constitution to make abortion illegal. The one thing they are leaving out of this argument, however, is the child. Doesn't the child have rights too? Laws need to be made to protect these children's rights.

Growing up, my mom and dad have told me many stories of when I was little. The stories didn't start on August 31, 2005 when I was born, but as soon as I was created. I was told I kicked my mom so hard that she could see my foot pop from her stomach. As it turns out, I am a travel soccer player now. I have realized through writing this that all of our stories have started way before the day we were born. In addition to the heart, did you know that the uterus is also one of the top strongest muscles? I think God purposely created it to be this way to protect human life and I think we should do the same.



SMG VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL LAST CHANCE—SIGN UP TODAY!

June 24-28, 2019 Cost: \$35.00

Sign up now! Registration forms are available in the church narthex! And on the parish web site at www.stmariagoretti.net
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090444A5AD22A3FA7-vbs2019>

FATHER CHUNG IS TURNING 50!!

Mark your calendar for Saturday, July 20th following the vigil Mass to celebrate Father's BIG 50!

Immediately following the vigil Mass plan to celebrate with plenty of food, drinks and music outside church (weather permitting, otherwise the celebration will be held in Drexel Hall). If you would like to help in planning Father's birthday bash, please contact Cheryl at 215-721-0199 or by e-mail at Cheryl.ryan@stmariagoretti.net. Hope everyone can make it!



MASS FOR THE WEEK

SUN., June 23	7:30 A.M. Paul Bennett Req. by Dot Bennett & Family 9:30 A.M. The Senay Family Req. by Kathy Senay 11:30 A.M. Jackson & Dolores Hall Req. by The Salanik Family
MON., June 24	8:30 A.M. Joseph Flynn Req. by Dolores Flynn
TUES., June 25	8:30 A.M. John Conroy Req. by The Salanik Family
WED., June 26	8:30 A.M. Bob Endrick Req. by Rosemary Endrick
THURS., June 27	8:30 A.M. Frank Hilbert Req. by Dick & Dottie Eckard
FRI., June 28	8:30 A.M. Carmel Cosgrove Req. by The Schussler Family
SAT., June 29	No Morning Mass 5:00 P.M. Stella Maquire Req. by James & Sharon Hoffmayer
SUN., June 30	7:30 A.M. Robert Pagan Req. by Maria & Dave Richardson 9:30 A.M. Skip Lentz Req. by Beth Lentz 11:30 A.M. Stanley & Mary Rita Golazeski Req. by Theresa Golazeski

SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light for this week is lit in memory of **Thomas Roberts** requested by Bruce & Patti Pollock.



MONTHLY HOLY HOUR

A great opportunity for stewardship!

Holy Hour gives the parish an opportunity to pray for the needs of the church especially vocations to the priesthood and religious life. The Holy Hour will include public prayer (Liturgy of the Hours) and private prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone is welcome. Holy Hour is held the Thursday evening before First Friday at 7pm.

Reuniones de los Retiristas del Movimiento

Juan XXIII Hatfield PA. Todos los Martes a las 7:00 PM Aquí en la Capilla de La Iglesia. Para más información Contactar a Carlos Zuluaga Presidente Parroquial Juan XXIII Hatfield . Al 954-309-177 Acércate al Grupo para que tengas un Encuentro Personal con Jesús



PRAYER LINE

Our Parish Prayer Line consists of five adult prayer groups. Requests for prayers for the prayer line may be given by calling **the Parish Center at 215-721-0199**. Your prayer request is mentioned in the prayers of those on the line for 2 weeks and then included in their prayers for the following weeks in an inclusive prayer.



PLEASE KEEP IN MIND the following people who at this time need your prayers and support: Warren Allison, Immaculata Antonucci, Ruth Adams, Jennifer & Kimberly Agnew, Mark Altroggi, Christina Augustine, Paul Baril,

Ray Baril, Joey Berical, Jerilyn Bowler, Linda Burbank, Mary Callaghan, Mary Campagna, Caridad Carlos, Aldo Carnara, Danny Catts, Kristen Chipollini, Joanna Cavacini, Michael Costello, Jerry Cronin, Helen Curren, Leo Dennis, Ernest Doherty, Sally Esbensen, Peter Fallon, Marybeth Hentschel Fiorelli, Sebastian Fillion, Carol Galinski, Patrick Gardenier, Lianessa Gonzalez, Andrew Green, Dionne Greim, Sharon, Fernando & Ian Griffin, Frank Holloway, Lori Hanson, Gloria Harris, Ron Hoffman, Jeanette Hoy, Kevin Iavecchia, Lindsay Jaso, Richard Jedlicka, Gerald Kenny, Emily Keiser, Charles Kline, Bernadette Kubej, Sue Kunze, Peg Krempf, Jama Lecore, Angelique Lee, Keenan Lee, Curt Lechrone, Dina Lukasko, Mary Magnarella, Patti Maguire, Barbara Masser, William & Kristen Morrow, John McLaughlin, Bridget Micshener, Diane Moll, Frank Monroe, Munson Family, John Mye, Terry Shields Neumann, Joan Nickerson, Mele Lee-Nippins, Ernie Nippins, Zachery Olberholzer, Bill O'Brien, Anthony Paone, Catherine Pagano, Al Palatucci, Robert Pauloski, Floccerfida & Salvador Penganon, Michael Praher, Marian Quinn, Michael Rafter, Scott Randall, Jim Richardson, Sheila Rothenberger, Linda Santana, Barbara Scally, Susan Schmidt, Helen Shekalis, Melissa Shelly, Joseph & Michael Thomas, Judy Turner, Peg Trexler, Mae Veneziale, Sofia Wagner, Jim Ward, Glenn Watt, Charles Wetzell, Paula Jayne White, John Willstaudt, Arlene Wyatt, Salem Yabut, Joe Zdun & Jack Zampirri.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC ?



Please encourage them to contact Al Pandolfo at 267 688 9475 or the parish center at 215 721 0199 or email RCIA@stmariagoretti.net as soon as possible. We would love the opportunity to tell him or her about the wonderful process for spiritual

growth called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - RCIA. In this process adults learn with other adults about Church teachings and prepare to receive the Sacraments of Initiation - Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion. Baptized Catholics who have not completed their Sacraments are also welcome. Don't delay !

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please send your bulletin announcements by 12 noon on the Monday prior to publication. The preferred method is by e-mail to cheryl.ryan@stmariagoretti.net with the word **"bulletin"** in the subject line. Thanks for your cooperation.

ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE**Saturday, October 19, 2019**

Bus Departure: 7:00 AM—Saint Maria Goretti Church Lot

Approximate Arrival Home: 7:30 PM

Cost: \$50.00 per adult and \$10.00 per child

Join Saint Maria Goretti Parishioners as we embark on a spiritual journey with other parishes from across the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and make our way as pilgrims to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC. We will also make a brief stop at the Saint John Paul II National Shrine where his first-class relic can be venerated and the self-guided tour of the nine gallery exhibit on his life and legacy can be viewed. Pack your own snacks and lunch; cost of dinner stop on your own. For more information contact: angela.mcclellan@stmariagoretti.net or 215-721-0199 (ext. 202). Please register using the form that can be found on the Adult Faith Events page of our parish website at www.stmariagoretti.net.

ADORATION—GUARDIAN PARTNER

Guardian Partners needed at the following times: 10:30 to 11 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. to 4p.m.



Each Monday in the chapel, after the 8:30am morning Mass until 5p.m., we have the opportunity to adore Our Lord's body, blood, soul and divinity in the presence of the Eucharist. While adoring Our Lord, we must also ensure that the Holy Eucharist is never left unattended. A Guardian helps to ensure that the Holy Eucharist is never left alone by committing to spend thirty minutes or more each Monday with the Holy Eucharist. You share this holy commitment with a partner so that if something unforeseen occurs in your schedule you can feel confident that Jesus will not be left alone. Substitute Guardian positions are also available. Contact: Nancy Boak nancyboak@aol.com or 215-393-3763.

BAPTISMS*Welcome to the newest members of our parish:*

Landon David son of David & Angela Broderick, **Lillian Rose** daughter of Brian Rowe & Stacy Callaghan, **Jacob** son of Steven Ding & Julie Mai, **Brantley Lawrence** son of Ronald & Andrea Gallagher, **Sophia Grace** daughter of Alex & Nicole Latchum, **Annie Kathryn** daughter of Andrew & Amy Burns, **Brendan James** son of Joseph & Jenna Drum, **Charlotte Ann** daughter of Scott Maroney & Alexandra Seifert, **Hailey** daughter of David & Jenna Messerschmidt, **Benjamin Michael** son of Jason & Nicole Ruppert, **Owen Samuel** son of Timothy & Amanda Christman, **Meghan** daughter of Emmanuel & Lindsay Calatan, **Eve Isabella** daughter of John & Gabriella Ericsson, **Lucas** son of Christopher & Ashley Cruz.

CONGRATULATIONS!**DANUBE RIVER CRUISE****Wine & Cheese Information Night—July 15th**

Please join us to learn more about this amazing River Cruise led by Father Zachary Navit from **July 10-20, 2020**. With an option to extend from July 19-21 to see the Oberammergau Passion Play. Come hear the exciting plans for this exceptional trip. Hope you can make it, please call Pat Conroy if you plan on attending at 215-260-5480.

Parish Ministry Update!**CLUB + 50 GAMES DAY**

The first Wednesday of the month!
Cards, Rummikub, Mexican Train,...
1PM – 4PM Parish Library

In an effort to keep the Donut Social going we need ministries to volunteer to run them. Please check with your Ministry Leader to pick a date!

Ministry Questions:**Contact Maria Richardson**maria.richardson@stmariagoretti.net**SUMMERTIME PLAY & PRAY
MOM & TOTS GROUP!**

Join us! Moms/Grandmothers and their little ones infant through age 5 are most welcome to join our weekly playgroup! What a great way to find support in other moms as well! This summer we hope you will join us at our summer meeting spot, Plains Park in Hatfield

on Thursdays from 9:30am-11am. Older siblings are welcome to join us at the park. There is no need to register, but for more info please contact Kendra at itpmentor209@yahoo.com

ELDERCARE CORNER

Farmer's Market Vouchers will be available beginning June 3rd at Generations Senior Center in Souderton. You will get \$20.00 in vouchers to be used at local Farmer's Markets between June 3rd and October 31st.

A recipient must:

- ⇒ Be a MontCo resident
- ⇒ Be at least 60 years old
- ⇒ Have an income no more than \$23,107/year (one person)

Generations will have the vouchers available on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 11:00-1:00 and Wednesday from 9:30-11:30am.

Please contact Amy Juarez at 215-721-0199 x 225 or ajuarez@chs-adphila.org with any questions or assistance.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

The St. Stanislaus Community of Eucharistic Adorers invites you to spend an hour with Jesus exposed in the Blessed Sacrament. At any hour of the day or night, perpetual adoration is a haven of quiet prayer open to everyone, wherever they may be. 'I look at Him and He looks at me,' said a humble man to St. John Vianney to describe his time before our Eucharistic Lord. Adorers who wish to commit to one hour per week from other parishes are most welcome and needed. We also occasionally need substitutes when people are ill for an hour of your time. We like to have at least 2 people each hour in the chapel throughout the entire week. Please prayerfully consider visiting and maybe joining us on a regular basis. For more information contact Susan Gillen at 215-362-8643 or scgwindows@gmail.com or Caroline Niesley, 'Outreach Coordinator' at 267-218-5657 or chansonette@outlook.net.

MINISTRIES SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 30th

E.M. of Holy Communion

5:00pm – Sacristan, S. Lyman, D. Blanche, **Sub Needed**

7:30am – Sacristan, P. O'Hara, B. Smith, B. Braun

9:30am – Sacristan, M. Lee-Nippins, V. & L. Lelii

11:30am – Sacristan, A. Russo, T. McGann, B. Santulli

E.M. Home Visits

A1–K. Clapper, A2–D. Grant, A3–D. Mischak, A4–B. Hudak,

A5–D. Fuse, B1–J. Gressang, B2–S. Steklenski ,

B3–T. Nguyen, B4–E. McBride, B5–J. Burke

Lectors

5:00pm – A. & R. Whitley

7:30am – B. Healy, **Sub Needed**

9:30am – P. Vilucci, M. Mays

11:30am – P. Shelly, T. Prykowski

Cantors

5:00pm – Michael

7:30am – Joe V.

9:30am – Kristen

11:30am – Andrew

Altar Servers

5:00pm – T. & N. Burr, E. Walsh

7:30am – S., G. & C. Heim

9:30am – B. Braun, J. & J. Hier

11:30am – J. DeFazio, T. & G. McGann

ATTENTION ALTAR SERVERS

Mark your calendar for our annual Dorney Park Trip!



As a thank you to our altar servers a trip to Dorney Park is planned for **Thursday, July 11th**. Permission forms and more details were sent home with the last schedule. Don't forget to turn your permission form in to the parish center no later than July 9th. If you need a form they can be found in the narthex or at the parish center. Hope you can make it!!

POOR BOX STEWARDSHIP

The total collected last week was: **\$72.00**

BENEFITS ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

Before leaving our church building each weekend, please consider stopping by one of our poor boxes located in the narthex, with your contribution. For the months of **May** and **June** 2019, all offerings from the poor box will be designated to **St. Vincent de Paul Society**. The SMG Conference of the Society was newly formed in 2007 and meets each Monday evening in the Parish Center to review the needs of individuals within our community. The Society works in collaboration with other organizations to provide person-to-person service, recognizing Christ in the face of those in need. The Society also supports the initiatives of the International Society, including clothing and food drives, as well as other special projects. This collection will provide much needed funding to fulfill our mission to serve the poor and needy. As quoted in the Society's motto... "No form of charity is foreign to the Society." **If donating by check, please make payable to St. Maria Goretti. Thank you!**

Join Our Golf Outing



SMG 13th ANNUAL GOLF OUTING July 19, 2019

SMG will host its 12th annual golf outing on Friday July 19, 2019. Registration is from 12:35 PM—1:05 PM and golf will begin at 1:30

PM at Macoby Run Golf Course in Green Lane, Pa. The outing is open to ALL parishioners and friends. Beginners, families, and seasoned golfers are encouraged to participate! One experienced golfer must be included in each foursome.

We will play a scramble format. All golfers will tee off each hole, then proceed to the best shot and hit the next shot and proceed until the hole is complete. The cost is \$80 per adult and \$60.00 for children age 12 and under. Call Fred C. Cicacci (267-663-9841) or email (FredCicacci@comcast.net) if you have any questions/concerns.

The outing includes greens fees w/ cart, a snack upon arrival, hotdogs & beverages at the turn. Following golf, we will have a buffet dinner including chicken, another meat selection, hamburgers, salads, birch beer and beer. There will be door prizes for each golfer, mulligan purchase, and a fun time for all is anticipated. Registration forms are available in the narthex and also on SMG's website, which is www.stmariagoretti.net. and on SMG social media. ALL CHECKS (payable to St. Maria Goretti) AND REGISTRATION FORMS MUST BE RECEIVED to Fred C. Cicacci by Wednesday, **July 11th** to play in the outing. See the Registration Form for the mailing address.



CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES SPOTLIGHT

The House appropriations committee has recently passed bills on the budget out of committee and the first of those connected to foreign aid is expected to be voted on soon in the entire House of Representatives. Funding for foreign aid is essential to upholding the dignity of our human family around the world and helping our brothers and sisters living in poverty thrive in their communities. Visit www.crs.org to learn how to voice your opposition to cuts to funding for the budget for foreign aid!

"It is not just a question of eliminating hunger and reducing poverty... On the part of the rich man, it calls for great generosity, willing sacrifice and diligent effort. Each man must examine his conscience, which sounds a new call in our present times. Is he prepared to support, at his own expense, projects and undertakings designed to help the needy? Is he prepared to pay higher taxes so that public authorities may expand their efforts in the work of development?" ~ Pope Paul VI

HOPE IN CHRIST

Spiritual Support for Addictions

"I will heal my people and will let them enjoy abundant peace and security." ~ Jeremiah 33:6

Seeking solace and spiritual support in the journey towards recovery? Many local parishes are offering ways to experience Christ's extended hand of love and mercy in your time of need. Find Catholic resources for addiction for you or a loved one at www.archphila.org/hope

SUNDAY OFFERING



COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

	June 17, 2018	June 16, 2019
Sunday Offering	\$16,233.08	\$14,615.92
Online Parish Giving	\$ 1,782.00	\$ 2,682.00
TOTALS:	\$18,015.08	\$17,297.92
Total # of contributors	538	
Misc. Offerings		
Heat & Energy Offering:		\$301.45
Poor Box Offering:		\$72.00
Annual Census Collection:		\$10,550.00

WAYS TO GIVE & SUPPORT YOUR PARISH

Each week check this column for ideas to support your parish (some that will cost you nothing)

AmazonSmile - Choose St. Maria Goretti Parish as the recipient, and Amazon will donate 0.5% eligible AmazonSmile purchases to St. Maria Goretti Parish whenever you shop on AmazonSmile. AmazonSmile is the same Amazon you know. Same products, same prices, same service. <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/23-1433916>. Support your parish by starting your shopping at smile.amazon.com.

EASTER PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Father Zachary Navit invites you to join him for an **Easter Pilgrimage to the Holy Land (April 13-23, 2020)**. Departing the USA on Easter Monday will put us in Jerusalem for Orthodox Holy Week. Be part of a limited group of Catholic pilgrims joining the local people for the Holy Thursday Washing of the Feet ceremony, the Good Friday Way of the Cross and funeral procession for Jesus, and the amazing welcoming of the Holy Fire on Holy Saturday and resurrection ceremony. Of course we will celebrate Mass daily and visit other major sites of the Holy Land: Bethlehem, Jordan River, Sea of Galilee, Nazareth, Cana, Mount Tabor, and more! Find out more at an Information Night and Social: **Monday, June 24 at 7 PM in the Saint Mary Center Community Room** (701 Lansdale Avenue, Lansdale, PA; please enter through the main facility entrance [behind Mary statue at circle]), or contact Susan at Select International (800-842-4842 or susan@select-intl.com). Space is extremely limited on this rare pilgrimage.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Donations Needed for St. John Hospice

The Knights of Columbus are asking for donations of men's undergarments for the men at St. John's Hospice. They are accepting donations next weekend of men's boxer briefs or boxer shorts, and white tee-shirts. There will be a box in the narthex to collect your donations this weekend, **June 22/23**. Thank you in advance.



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- ◆ Search in the app store
- ◆ Click the link on SMG website homepage
- ◆ Go to www.parishsolutionsco.com/Goretti



2018 NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE



Congratulations to the 2019 Mater Dei Graduates!!



Enroll at Mater Dei



Additional space for your Three-Year-Old or Four-Year-Old has just been made available and you can now schedule a Tour at Mater Dei Catholic School and Enroll for the 2019-20 School Year!

All families with Preschool to Grade 8 children are welcome to visit Mater Dei. We are officially taking registrations for our **fifth Pre-K classroom**. This class will fill up soon, so register now while space is available! Tours are available and the Advancement Office can accommodate your schedule. **Our Pre-school and Kindergarten Programs have both Half and Full Day options!** Learn more about giving your child the gift of an exceptional Catholic education from a 2018 National Blue Ribbon School. For more information, please contact the Advancement Office at 215-368-9787 or gsmann@materdeicatholic.com

Employment Opportunity

The **Mater Dei Childcare Center** is currently searching for a high-energy Lead Toddler Teacher to join our team. Our Lead Toddler Teacher will need to provide and maintain a positive and appropriate educational program that meets the social, emotional, and physical needs of the children within their care. Candidates should have experience as well as an educational background in the field, should be energetic, patient, friendly and nurturing, and should enjoy working with young children and their families. We're looking for the best of the best for our childcare program. If that's you, please contact the center director Katherine Stansbury at kstansbury@materdeicatholic.com or 217-799-2211 for immediate consideration.

Mater Dei Child Care Center is an equal opportunity employer.

A reasonably-priced childcare program and a nurturing, safe environment for your child while you work

The Mater Dei Childcare Center, located at St. Maria Goretti Parish in Hatfield, watches over the youngest members of our community. Your child, ages 6 weeks to 36 months, is welcome to participate in an amazing program where he or she will learn and develop socially, emotionally, academically, and spiritually in a nurturing environment. Mater Dei Child Care Center is open Monday through Friday from 6:30 AM to 6:00 PM to accommodate the working parent. If you would like information about future availability for this wonderful program or would like to schedule a visit, please contact Katherine Stansbury, Center Director, at childcare@materdeicatholic.com or 215-799-2211.

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