



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil – 5:00 pm | **Sunday** – 8:00, 9:45 & 11:30 am

Daily – Monday through Friday 8:00 am

Confessions – Saturday 4:15-4:45 pm; Sunday 7:15-7:45, 9:20-9:35,
and 11:05-11:20 am; Wednesday 8:30-9:00 am & 5:15-5:45 pm

Adoration - *Wednesdays* 8:30 am to 6:00 pm

Office Hours – Mon.-Thur. 9:00 am -4:00 pm. Fri. 9:00am- 12:00 pm

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Bulletin Submissions

Deadline for submissions for Bulletin - Friday Noon. Please email notices to bulletin@hgaparish.com.

Holy Guardian Angels Regional School

We encourage all our parents to consider sending their children to Holy Guardian Angels Regional School. The school is located at 3125 Kutztown Road, Reading, PA 19605. Please contact Kelly Prechtel, Head of School at 610-929-4124 for more information or to register.

Berks Catholic High School

We encourage our high school students to consider attending our local catholic high school – Berks Catholic. Please contact the Director of Admissions, Nicole Smith at 610-374-8361, ext. 244 for more information or to register. www.berkscatholic.org.

Religious Education (PREP)

All children should be receiving religious instruction through one of our Regional Catholic Schools or through our Parish Religious Education Program offered for grades K-8.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

We welcome and support all whose faith journey brings them to seek full communion with the Catholic Church. Please call the Parish Office for further information.

For PREP and RCIA questions, please contact Please contact Kari Mallozzi, Director of Religious Education at 610-921-2729, ext. 2203 or at kmallozzi@hgaparish.com.

Wills

As a lasting remembrance or final gift to your parish, all parishioners are encouraged to include Holy Guardian Angels Parish in their wills or as a beneficiary on an insurance policy. For more information or to speak to someone about a lasting gift to HGA, please contact the Guardian Society at guardiansociety@hgaparish.com.

Memorials

At the time of passing of a relative or friend, consider enrolling them in the Holy Guardian Angels Memorial Fund. Memorials are available in the Parish Office and are often used in lieu of flowers.

Diocese of Allentown

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator
Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC
Direct: (800) 791-9209

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Pamela J. Russo, M.S.W., M.S
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Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service
If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse reporting service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 800-276-1562.



MASS Intentions

Note that all Daily Masses Monday through Friday & the 5:00 pm Vigil Mass are livestreamed on our Facebook page.

Monday, June 10

8:00 am Rita Porambo, Pasquale, and Della Lawrence, requested by Deacon John Gallagher

Tuesday, June 11 St. Barnabas, Apostle

8:00 am Phyllis Gogluizza, requested by Mary Borrell

Wednesday, June 12

8:00 am Pat Sheldon, requested by Bob Sheldon

Thursday, June 13 St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church

8:00 am Tammy Swavely, requested by parents and brothers.

Friday, June 14

8:00 am Andrew Olock, requested by wife, Cindy, and family.

Sunday, June 16 The Eleventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday

5:00 pm Vigil (Live-Stream) Living and Deceased Fathers

Sunday

8:00 am Living and Deceased Fathers

9:45 am Living and Deceased Fathers

11:30 am Living and Deceased Fathers

SANCTUARY LAMP & CANDLE INTENTIONS Week of June 9, 2024

Sanctuary Lamp in Church: Living and Deceased Parishioners. **Sanctuary Candle in Chapel:** Living and Deceased Parishioners. **Blessed Mother Candles:** For the Intentions of Fr. James Harper requested by parents, Mary and Jim Harper. **St. Joseph Candles:** For the Intentions of Fr. James Harper requested by parents, Mary and Jim Harper. **Guardian Angels:** Living and Deceased Parishioners. **Anyone who would like to sponsor the Sanctuary Lamps, the Candles by St. Joseph, the Blessed Mother or the Guardian Angels for a week may stop by the Rectory Office. The cost is \$10**



Padre's Piece

The Book of Sirach

The author of Sirach, a sage who lived in Jerusalem, was thoroughly imbued with love for the wisdom tradition, and also for the law, priesthood, Temple, and divine worship. As a wise and experienced observer of life he addressed himself to his contemporaries with the motive of helping them to maintain religious faith and integrity through study of the books sacred to the Jewish tradition.

The book contains numerous well-crafted maxims, grouped by affinity, and dealing with a variety of subjects such as the individual, the family, and the community in their relations with one another and with God. It teaches friendship, education, poverty and wealth, laws, religious worship, and many other matters that reflect the religious and social customs of the time.

Though not included in the Jewish Bible after the first century A.D., nor, therefore, accepted by Protestants, Sirach has been recognized by the Catholic Church as inspired and canonical. The Foreword, though not properly part of the book, is always included with it because of its antiquity and importance.

The contents of the Book of Sirach are of a discursive nature, not easily divided into separate parts. Chapters 1–43 deal largely with moral instruction; 44:1–50:24 contain a eulogy of the heroes of Israel. There are two appendixes in which the author expresses his gratitude to God and invites the unschooled to acquire true wisdom.



Barbara Schwartz, Pattie Mihalak, James Waldman, John Perate, Cindy Klymchuk, Daniel Bastek, Sandra Clayton, Harmony Chiccarine, Aubrielle Beidler, Barbara Coco, Kim Bonner, Mary Ann Wensus, Daneen Poticher, Lisa Wrede, Bob Desherlia, Doris Day, Joan Adams, John Gaetani, Kirsten Snyder, Robert Brannon, Jennifer Toplak-Sedlacek, Giada Caruso, Elaine Egan, Sharon Witman, William Ondich, Marie Scholl, Gene Toplak, George and Kathy Helms, Dennis Dautrich, Melissa Neff, Arlene Kunstek, Robert Keim, Irvin Lindinger, Msgr. John Grabish, Marian & Al Masi, Beverly Oudinot, Thomas Greth, Damaris Diaz, Jim Selig, Peg Devine, Anne Lazar, Linda Swavely, John Gaetani, Sadie West, Justin Shiffer, Giancarlo Diaz, Susan Janney, Julia Shemanski, Kira Christman; Mary Lou Faller, Richard Christ, Paul Dawson, Carole Lotz, Mandy Eckert, Will Wagner, Donna Re; Erin Aregood, Richard Lewis, Scott Masi, Rose Quaglia. **Names will remain on the list for one month.**

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, June 9 - Mass 8:00 am, 9:45 am and 11:30 am; Confession 7:15 am, 9:20 am, and 11:05 am; Baptism 12:45 pm; Angel Fest Volunteer Meeting 12:30 pm; BINGO Doors Open 12:30 pm, 1st Game Called at 2:00 pm; Angel Fest Set Up

Monday, June 10 - Mass 8:00 am; 5:30 pm; Spanish Marriage Prep 6:00 pm; Girl Scouts 6:00 pm

Tuesday, June 11 - Mass 8:00 am; Home & School Meeting 6:00 pm; Adult Rec Basketball 7:00 pm

Wednesday, June 12 - Mass 8:00 am; Adoration 8:30 am to Benediction at 6:00 pm; Confession 8:30 am & 5:15 pm; Senior Club Meeting 1:00 pm; Pen 2 Paper Meeting 6:30 pm

Thursday, June 13 - Mass 8:00 am; Legion of Mary 6:30 pm; BSA Troop 161 6:30 pm

Friday, June 14 - Mass 8:00 am; Angel Fest 5:00-9:00 pm; LCCSA Meeting 8:00 pm

Saturday, June 15 - Confession 4:15 pm; Vigil Mass 5:00 pm (live-streamed), Angel Fest 6:00 -10:00 pm; Fireworks Show 9:45 pm

Sunday, June 16 - Mass 8:00 am, 9:45 am and 11:30 am; Confession 7:15 am, 9:20 am, and 11:05 am; Baptism 12:45 pm; Cub Scouts Pack 161 6:00 pm



Angel Earnings
HGA GIFT CARD FUNDRAISING PROGRAM

Upcoming order dates:

Due June 23rd - Pick up - June 27th - 30th

Due July 7th - Pick up - July 11th - 14th

Due July 21st - Pick up - July 25th - 28th

Things to know:

- The current Angel Earnings Program Year ends on Friday, May 31st. All tuition credit earned during the program year will be automatically applied to next year's (2024-2025) tuition.
- The new Angel Earnings Program Year begins on Saturday, June 1, 2024.
- In stock Gift Cards (Giant, Redner's, Weis, Sheetz, and Walmart) are sold after every weekend Mass and at the Rectory during regular business hours (Monday-Thursday 9am-4pm and Fridays 9am-12 Noon).
- You may order gift cards at any time and on-the-go using the Raise Right app! Sign up at www.raiseright.com.



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**Congratulations to Olga Lopez,
the winner of \$1,000 in
the Memorial Day Lottery!**

**The next lottery will be on
Labor Day, September 2, 2024!**

SERVER/LECTOR/EM SCHEDULE - JUNE 15-16

	5:00 pm	8:00 am	9:45 am	11:30 am
Servers	Collin Kroenig Evan Kroenig Lia Martina Laceda	Nate Holland William Johns Sophia Lezette	Dane Prechtl Marcus Rundle Vincent Tartaglia	Matthew Glembocki Diego Gonzalez <i>Volunteer Needed</i>
Lector	Rozanne Thompson	Beth Slater	Wendy Freeman	Marianne Hertzog
EM	Marge Collins Lillian Hart	Patrick Holland Anthony Wiencek	Cathy Moyer Dan Rundle	Kelli Glembocki Martha Weida

READINGS FOR THE WEEK



Monday 1 Kgs 17:1-6 Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 Mt 5:1-12
 Tuesday Acts 11:21b-26; 12:1-3 Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 Mt 5:13-16 St. Barnabas, Apostle
 Wednesday 1 Kgs 18:20-39 Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11 Mt 5:17-19
 Thursday 1 Kgs 18:41-46 Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13 Mt 5:20-26 St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church
 Friday 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16 Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14 Mt 5:27-32
 Saturday 1 Kgs 19:19-21 Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10 Mt 5:33-37
 Sunday Ez 17:22-24 Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 2 Cor 5:6-10 Mk 4:26-34

LAST WEEK *Collection* ©JPPC

STEWARDSHIP	MAY 26	JUNE 2
WEEKLY	\$9,521.00	\$11,892.75
LOOSE	540.00	\$696.00
CANDLES	\$177.00	\$163.00
EMERGENCY	\$138.00	\$339.00
MORTGAGE	\$178.00	\$1,330.00
MAINTENANCE	\$100.00	\$80.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$1,937.00	\$2,857.00
OTHER	\$100.00	\$128.00
TOTAL	\$12,691.00	\$17,485.75



Knights of Columbus

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be on Wednesday, June 19th at 6:00 pm in the Rectory Basement Meeting Room.

Reflection by Rev. Leonard N. Peterson

I'm told that 7 is the number. Not the "Lucky 7," or even the "Magic 7." Just that 7 is the age when young Junior (or Jane) reaches the "age of reason." By that our Church means that he or she knows the difference between right and wrong. What that means is that the star of a thousand smart phone photos and the official "Curator of Cute Doings" can turn less than cute at times. All of this is the natural way for human creatures to grow.

The Bible, specifically the Book of Genesis that we hear from this weekend, tells us that God's original plan did not include anything like sin. In fact, our ancestors brought it forward by their disobedience to the one command from God to stay away from just this one tree in the garden. Century upon century ever since that wily snake that spoke would use all his know-how and trickery to keep us as trapped and imprisoned by hatred as he is. Despite being made for goodness and love, mankind succumbed to sin. Love was lost. Hatred won. Until...

Until a beautiful young girl living in a dusty little village in the Roman dominated land of Palestine said "Yes" to an angelic visitor who asked of her in God's own name to be the Mother of our Savior. That holy birth would end the reign of sin in the main, even if individuals were to keep falling for the lie. The age number her Son reached when His triumph came was 33.

Along the way to His victory, as we know, Jesus met resistance to His teaching. The snake still hovered in the background. Chief among the dissenters were the very people who claimed to be the teachers of righteousness. They it was who ultimately engineered Christ's crucifixion, even with an unspoken fear deep inside them that feared their hold on the people would self-destruct.

What you and I must remember is that no matter our age, there is always the possibility of an internally divided kingdom in our souls. The effects are that while we desire to do what is right, our very weakness lets us yield to the tug of temptation more often than we want. So, we need help. We need God. We need His healing mercy. That's the only way we can hope to attain heaven. It's the one place where the snake is forever gone, and age numbers do not count.

Of course, temptations never seem to cease. Case in point: Avery overweight man decided that it was time to shed a few pounds. He went on a new diet and took it seriously. He even changed his usual driving route on the way to the office precisely to avoid passing his favorite bakery. One morning, however, he arrived at the office carrying a large, sugar-coated, calorie-loaded coffee cake. For this he was roundly chided by his colleagues, but he only smiled, shrugged his shoulders, and said, "What could I do? This is a very special cake. What happened is that, by force of habit, I accidentally drove by the bakery this morning, and there in the window were trays full of the most scrumptious goodies.

Well, I felt this was no accident that I happened to pass by this way, so I prayed' "Lord, if You really want me to have one of those delicious coffee cakes, let me find a parking space right in front of the bakery.' Sure enough, on the ninth time around the block, there it was." God love you and give you His strength against temptation.

The St. Vincent de Paul Weekly News

STOCKING THE SHELVES - Condiments & Spices Collection Continues through June 30. Items needed:

- Iodized Salt / Black Pepper
- Sugar (small bags/boxes)
- Ketchup, Mayonnaise, Mustard
- Jars of Garlic & Olives
- Garlic Powder/Garlic Salt
- Onion Powder/Onion Salt
- Oregano
- Cinnamon
- Italian Seasoning
- Adobo Seasoning

LOOKING AHEAD

Opportunity House
Bagged Lunch – June 25



The St. Vincent de Paul Society of Holy Guardian Angels Parish is here for you! Our parishioners have consistently supported our efforts to address the needs of others; however, we hope and pray that parishioners in need will reach out to us so that we may be of service to them as well. Please communicate with us through the parish website or call 610-921-2729 (Option 4, then Option 1) if you are in need of food or assistance. ALL COMMUNICATIONS WILL REMAIN STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.



The flowers at the Crucifix, Tabernacle, Ambo, St. Joseph Altar, the Blessed Virgin Mary's Altar and the floral rosary are for the intentions of Fr. James Harper on the occasion of his 10th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination given by his parents, Mary and Jim Harper.

Altar flower memorials can be arranged by calling the rectory at 610-921-2729, ext. 2200.

Compassion and the love of knitting/crocheting have been combined into a prayerful ministry and spiritual practice which reaches out to those in need of comfort and solace, as well as in



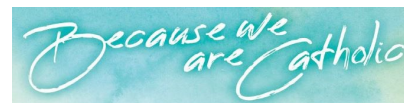
celebration and joy. Many blessings are prayed into every stitch as the shawl maker begins with prayers and blessings for the recipient. The intentions are continued throughout the creation of the shawl and upon completion, a final blessing is offered before the shawl is sent on its way.

HGA's Prayer Shawl Ministry will provide shawls or lap blankets to anyone who would like one; they do not have to be a member of our parish. If you know someone who would like the comfort of a shawl or lap blanket, please contact Pat Hansbury (at 610-698-4327 or phansbury16@gmail.com).

Godly Women of the Old and New Testaments: How Can We Imitate Their Boldness, Courage, Fidelity, and Love?



An Eight-Day Preached Retreat for Women Religious/Sisters & Lay Women – August 2 through August 9, 2024. Mariawald Renewal Center, 1094 Welsh Road, Reading PA 19607. Facilitator: Fr. Thomas Rosica, CSB (Congregation of St. Basil - Basilian Fathers)
Arrival Time: 3-4:30pm; Departure Time: 2:00 pm
For More Information or to Register, please call Mariawald Renewal Center at 610-777-0135 or email mariawaldcenter@gmail.com. The deadline for registration is July 15, 2024. Cost: \$550.00



As of May 31, 2024, Holy Guardian Angels parishioners have contributed

\$38,422.01 to the 2024 Because We Are Catholic Annual Appeal with an average gift of \$206. This represents 10% of our total number of registered families. Our Parish Goal is \$62,929.00. With 100% participation, we can make a major impact on the lives of friends, families, and neighbors in need. If you have not made your pledge of support, you may return your pledge form to the rectory office or make your gift online. Remember, every gift counts, no gift is too small. Every dollar helps those in need. If you have any questions or would like to make a gift, please call the rectory office or visit the Appeal website at



www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org

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ALL THINGS ANGEL FEST!

Get the Deal with Pre-Sale Tickets! Purchase \$20 worth and get \$5 for free! Tickets may be purchased after all Masses this weekend! Tickets are also available at the Rectory during regular business hours until 12 Noon on Friday, June 14th! Tickets will be on sale both nights of Angel Fest

The Angel Fest Menu is looking good! All of your favorites will be back including sausage sandwiches, pizza, hot dogs, hamburgers, bleenies, empanadas, street tacos, halulski, pierogies, chicken fingers, fries, funnel cakes, sno cones, popcorn, waffles & ice cream - and don't forget the Oasis with beer, wine, mixed drinks, and adult slushies!



ANGEL FEST NIGHT 1
FRIDAY, JUNE 14
5:00 PM
MUSIC BY
THE HANNAH VIOLET TRIO!




If you have any questions about Angel Fest, please contact Anne Malinowski at 610-921-2729, ext. 2216 or email amalowski@hgaparish.com. If you would like to volunteer for Angel Fest, please contact Kari Mallozzi at 610-921-2729, ext. 2203 or email kmallozzi@hgaparish.com.

FANTASTIC
FIREWORKS
SHOW
SATURDAY NIGHT
AFTER THE
DRAWINGS!

ANGEL FEST
SATURDAY, JUNE 15
6:00 PM
MUSIC BY
BUNCHAFUNK!



Any homebound parishioner, or family member of a homebound parishioner who would like to receive the weekly bulletin, please contact the Rectory Office at 610-921-2729, ext. 2200.



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**BINGO at HGA
SUNDAY JUNE 9TH!
DOORS OPEN 12:30. 1ST
GAME CALLED 2:00 PM**



Join us for BINGO on Sunday, June 9th! Doors open at 12:30 pm & the first game is called at 2:00 pm. Come have a fun afternoon with a fast paced program, specials, rip tickets, food & drink! Player packs for \$20 & \$25. Bring your friends!

Reservations are now open for the Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Italy with Bishop Schlert & Father Hoffa - Tuesday, March 25, 2025 – Saturday, April 3, 2025. The first Diocese of Allentown International Pilgrimage will “Follow the Footsteps of Saints Peter and Paul” through Florence, Assisi, and Rome. To sign up for the Jubilee Year Pilgrimage, please contact Father Allen Hoffa, directly at ahoffa@allentowndiocese.org or 610-921-2729, ext. 2205.

**Jubilee Year
Pilgrimage to
ITALY**
with Bishop Schlert
and Fr. Hoffa
Follow the Footsteps of Saints Peter and Paul
FLORENCE • ASSISI • ROME
MARCH 25 – APRIL 3, 2025
\$5,499.00 Per person

Travel plans this summer?

If you miss out on a bulletin - get caught up by visiting the “Bulletin” page on the website where previous bulletins are available to view.

Upcoming
EVENTS

ANGEL FEST VOLUNTEER MEETING
June 9

HOME & SCHOOL MEETING
June 11

HGA SENIORS MEETING
June 12

PEN 2 PAPER MEETING
June 12

ANGEL FEST
June 14 & 15

HOPE, GRACE & ADULTING
June 18

ANGEL FEST TEAR DOWN
June 17

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING
June 19

HGA SENIOR BUS TRIP
June 20

DIOCESAN SPANISH GENDER IDEOLOGY EVENT
June 23

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEAL PREP
June 25

CYO VOLLEYBALL OPEN GYM
June 26



- Registration for the 2024-2025 school is now open! If you are interested in learning more about joining our amazing family, please email Head of School, Kelly Prechtel at kelpre@hgaschool.org to set up a tour today!
- HGA Regional School Summer Office Hours will begin the week of June 17 and go through August 23. The Office will be open Tuesdays-Thursdays from 9am-1pm.
- The Office will be closed the week of June 10, on July 4 and the week of July 11.

Got JESUS?

If you enjoy getting to know Jesus and would like to share that with our young people. Please consider joining the HGA Religious Education Catechist Team as a sixth-grade catechist! Our excellent curriculum with great

resources makes this a fun and engaging experience for you and your students. You will explore who Jesus was through stories from the scriptures, including the history of salvation. Each lesson is prepared for you, and there will be great video resources for you to use in the classroom for the 2024-2025 year! If you are interested, please call Kari Mallozzi at 610-921-2729 ext 2203. Added perk: If your child or grandchild is in our PREP program, their tuition is waived!

Do you enjoy music, videos, crafts, and snacks? The Kindergarten PREP class is all about introducing our wonderful catholic faith to our littlest PREP students!



The best part is everything you will need is right in the easy-to-use Word of Life curriculum. If this sounds fun, please consider joining our catechist's team this coming fall & call Kari Mallozzi at 610-921-2729 ext 2203. If your child or grandchild is in our PREP program, their tuition will be waived!!!

CYO NEWS!



Fall sport registration is now open for all Holy Guardian Angels Regional School students & student parishioners who attend other schools.

Volleyball is open to all girls in grades 5-8 in the 2024/2025 school year. Cross Country is open to all boys & girls in grades K-8 for the 2024/2025 school year. Sign up and pay online at www.hgaparish.com/cyo.

CYO needs to fill several important roles on the board for the 2024/2025 school year. Please email cyo@hgaparish.com for more information or if you are interested.

Calling the Class of 2024!

Do you have a child graduating this year? Please call the Rectory and let us know. High School graduates will be recognized at the 9:45 am Mass on Sunday, June 16th.



Go forth and set the world on fire.

- St. Ignatius of Loyola

families that
PRAY TOGETHER
stay together.

ART CAMP WITH MRS. K



LET'S GOGH!- VAN GOGH - 3 DAY ART CAMP!!!
JUNE 18, 19, & 20 -- 9AM - 12PM



AT THE BEACH 3 DAY ART CAMP!!!
JULY 16, 17, & 18 -- 9AM - 12PM

Questions - Email Mrs. Kasperowicz
katkas@hgaschool.org

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The Three Secrets to Sharing the Faith by Trent Horn

Want to tell others about your Catholic Faith, but don't know where to start? Afraid you're not smart enough, knowledgeable enough, or outgoing enough? Don't worry, says Catholic Answers apologist Trent Horn. With a few simple tips and a little practice, anyone can be an effective apostle and evangelist. In *The Three Secrets to Sharing the Faith*,

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Adoration and Apologetics

The next St. Monica Ministry Holy Hour of Petition and Hope will take place at St. Theresa Church (1408 Easton Road, Hellertown) beginning at 6:00pm on Tuesday, June 11. We will pray before the Blessed Sacrament for a return to the Church of our fallen-away loved ones.

Immediately following the Holy Hour, Dr. Michael Behe will give a presentation entitled, "Science as the Handmaid of Faith: How Nature Points Insistently to God." Dr. Behe will clearly and engagingly present the amazing evidence for an Intelligent Designer and will follow up his talk with a question-and-answer session. The presentation will take place in Friendship Hall. Refreshments will be served.

All are warmly invited to take part in this evening of adoration and apologetics. Please register by emailing stmonicaministry27@gmail.com.



Did you know that HGA has a YouTube channel? Subscribe today & be sure to check out Father Hoffa's "Wednesdays Walking with the Word" playlist!



WE ARE HIRING!

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Come join our HGARS Family!

Positions:

- ▶ Daily Substitute Teachers (PreK-8)
- ▶ Kindergarten-4th Grade

Please email: hgars@hgaschool.org

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NATIONAL CENTRE
for **PADRE PIO**

Save the Dates!

The Diocese of Allentown Pilgrimage Committee is pleased to announce the plan for a local pilgrimage for 2024 to The National Centre for Padre Pio in nearby Barto, PA.

“My Heart - A Pilgrimage to the Heart of Jesus”

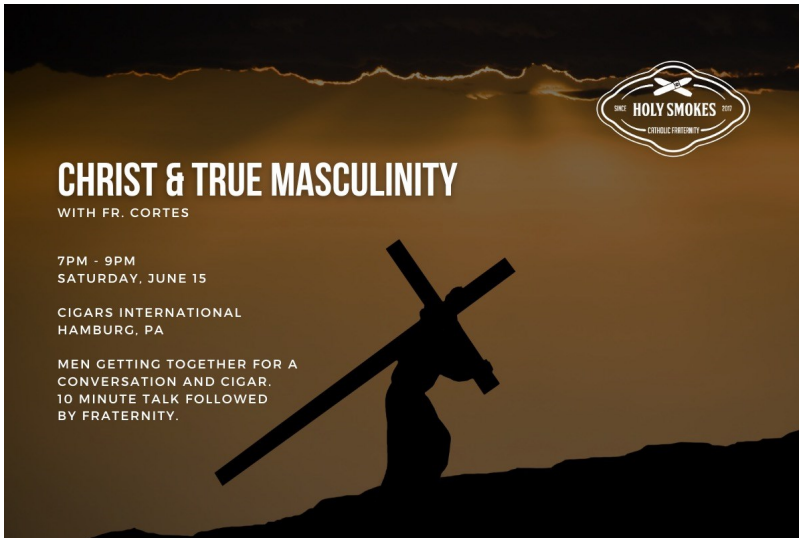
Diocesan High School Pilgrimage
Thursday, September 19, 2024

Diocesan Pilgrimage in English
Friday, September 20, 2024

Diocesan Pilgrimage in Spanish
Saturday, September 28, 2024

Pilgrimage will include:

- Mass with Bishop Schlert
- Confession
- Engaging Speakers
- Eucharistic Procession and much more!




CHRIST & TRUE MASCULINITY
WITH FR. CORTES

7PM - 9PM
SATURDAY, JUNE 15

CIGARS INTERNATIONAL
HAMBURG, PA

MEN GETTING TOGETHER FOR A
CONVERSATION AND CIGAR.
10 MINUTE TALK FOLLOWED
BY FRATERNITY.




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RETRouvaille
A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Ret-ro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties, or crises. The next program will be held August 9 - 11, 2024 and again on October 4 - 6 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA.

For more information, or to register, visit www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.



Pray with the Pope in June - For Those Fleeing Their Own Countries

Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

For more information about Praying with the Pope visit www.praywiththepope.net.

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