

*Mass Intentions*

**Monday April 23, 2018**  
 6:30 Sean Gallagher req. by John & Eileen Haines  
 8:00 Joan Hackett req. by Husband Bob

**Tuesday April 24, 2018**  
 6:30 Frederick Weiss req. by Dolores Snell  
 8:00 Josephine Rapone req. by Bill Fitzgerald

**Wednesday April 25, 2018**  
 6:30 Evelyn Kapchinski req. by Natalie Kosherzenko  
 8:00 In Thanksgiving req. by Mary Anne Benner

**Thursday April 26, 2018**  
 6:30 Mary Teson req. by Teson Family  
 8:00 Edith Spera req. by Spera & Lucarini Families

**Friday April 27, 2018**  
 6:30 Anna Mae Reilly req. by Family  
 8:00 Anna Pindyski req. by Burns Family

**Saturday April 28, 2018**  
 8:00 James & John O'Donnell req. by Joan O'Donnell  
 5:00PM Henry Battestelli req. by Battestelli Family

**Sunday April 29, 2018**  
 6:30 M& M. John DeSandro req. by Family  
 8:00 Theresa Dzwoniarek req. by John & Becca Klein  
 10:00 Bill McTague req. by Carol McTague  
 12:00 John N. Taglienti req. by Ed & Maryann Murray  
 6:00PM Terence Graham req. by Macauley Family

**LITURGY SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 29, 2018**

Mass	Communion	Lector	Altar Server
<b>5:00PM</b>	C. Gola	D. Haggerty	M. DiBello
	C. Lepre	A. Bell	B. Issel
	S. Wilson		L. McCauley
	L. DeLisi		
	J. Teson		
<b>6:30AM</b>	E. Petrosky	A.M. Coyle	R. Flynn A. Johnson M. Connelly
<b>8:00AM</b>	M. Bloesch	R. Juliano	M. Grace
	W. Wesolowski	R. Rysak	M. McKenna
	J. Fowlkes		S. Carr
	J. Sweeten		
	F. Pfeiffer		
<b>10:00AM</b>	J. Hopkins	D. Makowiecki	J. McCurry
	G. Bateman	J. Lynch	K. Nolan
	M. Bateman		N. Benrahou
	B. Wagner		
	P. Cummings		
<b>12:00PM</b>	J. Spear	B. Gibbons	B. Norton
	R. Spear	D. Bores	J. Gontz
	A. Broscius		
	C. Pfeiffer		
	M. Costello		
<b>6:00PM</b>	J. O'Malley	J. O'Malley	J. Swift
	J. Walton		L. Pagano
	D. Fox		C. McGuigan

**PRIEST MASS SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY,**  
**APRIL 29, 2018**

5:00PM Fr. Kirk  
 6:30AM Fr. Kirk  
 8:00AM Fr. Kirk  
 10:00AM Fr. John  
 12:00PM Fr. John  
 6:00PM Fr. Jacob John



Amanda Kelly & Jason Cataldi



On Sunday, April 15, 2018, one boy received the sacrament of Baptism by which he was incorporated into the Body of Christ:

*Liam James Ulrich* – son of M/M Keith Ulrich



**All sick parishioners, their relatives and friends:**  
Dennis Carroll – brother-in-law of Walush Family  
**All deceased parishioners, their relatives and friends:**

Janice Lynch - wife of Joe Lynch

**For those in the armed forces:** Joseph Erbrick, III –Marines; Joseph Costick-Coast Guard; Tyler Jernigan-Army; Liam Herron-Navy; Christopher Smith-Navy; Alex Mcaneney-Air Force; Brian McGinty-Marines, Dan O'Brien-Air Force; Ashley O'Brien-Air Force; Daniel Patty-Navy, Michael Sheppard- Air Force, Hoku Teson – Army, John McFillin-Navy, Trevor O'Malley-Army, Daniel DiGiuseppe-Marines, Daniel Taylor-Air Force, Stephen Winther-Marines, Bobby Winther-Navy, Amanda Smith-Navy, Joseph Patti-Army, Christian Curtis-Marines, Thomas Campbell-Marines, Michael Bones, Jr-Navy, Brandon Fox-Navy

**Charismatic Mass and Healing Service** – Catholic Charismatic Prayer Communities will hold a Mass and Healing Service on Friday, April 27, 2018 at St. Martha Church, 11301 Academy Road – Prayer and Praise: 6:45PM; Liturgy: 7:15PM – Celebrant: Rev. Matthew Biedrzycki. If you need any addition information or directions call Bobbie at 215-637-5441. \*Wheelchair Accessible\*



**Father Chuck's Challenge** – The second collection this weekend is for *Father Chuck's Challenge*. Father Charles Kennedy spoke on this program last weekend, and the great needs of our desperately poor brothers and sisters in Nicaragua and in Haiti. Your love and sacrificial gift make a tremendous difference for the poorest families.

Please do be generous in prayers and donations.

*“Whatever you do for the least of My brothers, you do unto Me.” (Mt. 25:40)*

### **GRADUATION AWARD DONATIONS**

A special word of thanks to the many generous parishioners and other friends of Our Lady of Calvary School who have endowed scholarships and awards for our school graduation classes over the years. Your financial support has often made a difference in the ability of our students to continue their Catholic education. If anyone would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one or a positive Christian ideal for the purpose of establishing a graduation scholarship or award, please call the school office at 215-637-1648. Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated.

### **BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

The Spring session of the OLC Bereavement Ministry will begin on April 4 in the rectory conference room. Please enter by way of the steps on the church side of the rectory.

The sessions are from 7:00PM until approximately 8:30PM on the following Wednesdays:

April 25	Surviving Stress & Loneliness
May 2	Feelings of Denial, Bargaining, & Guilt
May 9	Spiritual Elements of Grief & Healing
May 16	The Value of Memories & Personal Bereavement Reflections

### **MEMORIAL FUND**

Thank you to Paul & Joan Gaul and Family and Michelle & David Hopping for the donation in memory of *Robert Fischer*.

Thank you to Betty Fischer for her donation in memory of *Janice Lynch*.

**GOLD LEAFS** – we still have some LEAFS available that are located on the back wall in the upper church. If you would like to buy a leaf in memory of a family member or you would like more information, please call the rectory office at 215-637-7515.

**Hospital Visits** - If you are in the hospital and would like a visit from a priest, please call the rectory office at 215-637-7515. Due to HIPPA laws we are unable to get information from the hospital, therefore, we must hear directly from the patient.

**Knights of Columbus #4921** – has an Ultra Sound Incentive Program throughout the country and lives are being saved every day. Local Councils including your Regina Coeli Council #4921 have donated two ultra sound machines in the area to the Legacy of life. It works and families have been affected. Mothers have chosen to keep their child and some have given the child to a couple who have been waiting to adopt. For more information about the Knights and how you and your family can be a part of programs like this contact Nick at 267-243-6108.

**Flame of Love Event** is being held May 5 at St. Anthony's in Ambler with Father Bill McCarthy who has spoken at over 200 parishes and at conference across the United States. For more information contact [anbmyers2021@gmail](mailto:anbmyers2021@gmail.com)

**St. John Neumann Center & Adult Day Services**, 10400 Roosevelt Blvd – Our Adult Day Services continues to extend their ministry to the elderly. The day program provides a secure, caring, home-like setting with an array of leisure activities, dementia care, personal hygiene, nursing care & Daily celebration of the Eucharist. Call Diana Barton 215-698-5656 for a tour & free lunch.

**PARISH EVENTS**

**Monday, April 23, 2018**

8:30AM Rosary Prayer Group (M-F) LC  
 7:30PM Legion of Mary LC

**Tuesday, April 24, 2018**

10:00AM Calvary Seniors II AA

**Saturday, April 28, 2018**

7:00PM AA Meeting Rectory

**Sunday, April 29, 2018**

1:15PM Baptism UC  
 7:00PM Al Anon Meeting LC

**THE SCRIP OFFICE** is open 7 days a week - Monday through Thursday from 9:00AM to 12:00 Noon; 1:00PM to 3:00PM and 6:00PM to 8:00PM. Friday, Saturday/Sunday from 9:00AM to 12:00PM.

**ELIZABETH MINISTRY**

Elizabeth Ministry responds to the needs of women during their childbearing years by offering like to like ministry through personal visits. Follow-up contacts are made in person, by phone, and by mail. Please feel free to take a rose for your personal intentions that are in the Adoration Chapel.

**PRE-JORDAN BAPTISM CLASS**

All parents are required to attend this class in order to have their child baptized. The next class is **MAY 6, 2018 at 1:15PM** in the lower church. Thank you for registering in advance to this class by calling the rectory at 215-637-7515.

**Men of Calvary Night** – The Men of Calvary meet at 7:00PM in the rectory meeting room. All men of the parish are welcome to attend.

**CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP** “Community of Hope” invites you to Rejoice in your Baptismal Gifts from the Giver of All Good Gifts on Tuesdays at 7:00PM. All are welcome in the lower church at Our Lady of Calvary.

**PRAYER LIST** – If you are calling in prayers for the sick/deceased for Sunday, please do so by Friday Noon. Requests received after Friday Noon will be prayed for the following Sunday.

**DIVINE MERCY PRAYERS** – we have Divine Mercy Prayers every third Sunday after the 10AM Mass in the Adoration Chapel.

**Happenings Around the Parish**

**MILLBROOK CIVIC ASSOCIATION** – invites EVERYONE to a special meeting on Tuesday, April 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM. We meet at CAA Clubhouse and refreshments will be served. A great time to find out what is happening on YOUR BLOCK and how to safeguard your house and neighborhood! Any question, please call Mary Anne at 267-280-2034. \*A special guest speaker is also expected to attend\*

**OLC Mercy Ministry Group**

**In Support of Young Women Who Have Chosen Life You can become a part of this life-changing OLC Mercy Ministry by donating monthly Scrip gift cards purchased only for the following Stores:** Acme, Burlington Coat Factory, CVS, Kmart, ShopRite, Target, Walmart. SEPTA token packs also can be donated. If you need more info or would consider volunteering, please contact Barbara Janiszewski 215-219-1430 or John Robbins 215-637-3876.

**Host Families Needed** – Nacel Open Door needs several families to host international students who want to attend Archbishop Ryan for the 2018-19 school year. Host families provide room and board and receive a generous stipend. Please contact Renee Lopez at 267-538-1222 or [Rlopez@team.nacelopendoor.org](mailto:Rlopez@team.nacelopendoor.org)

**CALVARY SENIORS** is sponsoring a trip to TROPICANA CASINO on Wednesday, September 19<sup>th</sup> – cost \$470.00 – lunch at Carmine’s. Coin package T.B.A. Payment due June 6<sup>th</sup>. Leave 10:00AM. Return around 7:00PM. For more information call Ed or Mae Wojcik at 215-245-0213.

**Christ the King School** is seeking a highly motivated self-starter and experienced professional to serve as full-time Advancement Director. They will be responsible for planning, coordinating and directing those activities that will enhance enrollment and development and attract necessary philanthropic, corporate and governmental resources to insure excellent educational programs and the long-term viability of the school. For additional information, please refer to [christthekingschool.net](http://christthekingschool.net)

**FLYNN O’HARA UNIFORMS** – Now Hiring!! – April 28, 2018 – 11:00AM-3:00PM – In-person application day- Please bring your resume and be prepared for an interview. (10905 Dutton Road). Questions call 1-800-441-4122.

**St. Katherine of Siena** – 9700 Frankford Avenue will have *Wednesday Prayer* at 7:00 PM. Rosary. Chaplet and Divine Office by Deacon Robert H. Hall.

**MEDICAL MISSION SISTERS THRIFT SHOP** – A *Designer Handbag Bingo* to benefit the Medical Mission Sisters Thrift Shop is being presented at the Administration Building, 8400 Pine Road, Philadelphia, PA 19111 on Friday, April 27, 2018. Doors open 6:00PM, games begin at 7:00PM. Basket raffles and door prizes. Light refreshments will be served. Beverages and outside food will be permitted. Tickets \$30.00. Reserved tables of seven. Tickets available at the Thrift Shop or call 215-745-7930.

**St. Martha School** will be hosting our annual golf outing at the Bensalem Country Club on Saturday, April 28. Registration is at 12:30 and a shot gun tee off will be at 1:30PM. The price is \$125/golfer and this includes green fees, golf cart, dinner, refreshments, and prizes. You can also sponsor a hole (your family or business name will be displayed at the tee) for \$50. So save the date, get a sitter, call the in-laws... We're golfing! Please contact Art Calvo at 215-632-3720 for details and registrations.

**“Little Flower Alumnae Association’s”** *Kick off for the Spring Season* at Maggie’s on the River on Friday, April 27, 2018 from 7 to 10PM. Cost \$40 in advance \$45 at the door. Contact Barbara McGovern at [babica.mcgovern@gmail.com](mailto:babica.mcgovern@gmail.com) for additional information.

**Archbishop Ryan Musical Theatre** presents *“Guys & Dolls”* Friday and Saturday, April 27 and 28 at 7PM and Sunday, April 29 at 1PM. Tickets are \$12 (\$8 for seniors and children). Come see this wonderful show and help support the arts in our schools!

**The Archbishop Ryan Spring Craft & Vendor Fair** – on Saturday, May 12, 2018 from 9:00AM to 2:00PM. Just in time for Mother’s Day...Come, Shop and Support Archbishop Ryan! There will be vendors/crafters/raffles/50-50 and more. For more information or to reserve a table contact: [ARVendorFAir@gmail.com](mailto:ARVendorFAir@gmail.com)

**Father Judge High School** *7<sup>th</sup> Grade Practice Test* on Saturday, April 28 at 8:00AM. Must pre-register @ [fatherjudge.com](http://fatherjudge.com)

**St. Hubert Alumnae Association** presents... *Bob Pantano’s Dance Party* on Friday, April 27, 2018 from 7:30PM -12:30 AM at Connstatter Volksfest-Verein. Tickets: \$40 includes food, beer, wine and soda. Contact Louise at [lfwinski@verizon.net](mailto:lfwinski@verizon.net) or 610-724-6061.

**Nazareth Academy High School.** For additional information, please visit [NazarethAcademyHS.org](http://NazarethAcademyHS.org) or Ms. Derassouyan at 215-268-1026 or [Admissions@NazarethAcademyHS.org](mailto:Admissions@NazarethAcademyHS.org) *Beach Bag Bingo* for 7<sup>th</sup> grade girls on Friday, May 11, 2018 from 6:30 to 9PM. There will be 10 games of bingo with prizes, pizza and summer-themed refreshments. For more info and to register visit [NazarethAcademyHS.org/7thBeachBagBingo](http://NazarethAcademyHS.org/7thBeachBagBingo) or call the above number.

*Pre-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer Enrichment Program* for girls who will be entering 8<sup>th</sup> grade in Fall 2018. This program is Monday through Thursday, June 25 thru July 19 from 8 AM until 1:30PM. We also offer Academic Summer Camps (Rocketry, Art and Glee) as well as Athletic Summer Camps. For information or to register visit [NazarethAcademyHS.org/Summer18](http://NazarethAcademyHS.org/Summer18) or contact Ms. Derassouyan at 215-268-1026.

**Nazareth Academy HS** is holding their spring *Naz Bag Bingo* on Sunday, April 28, 2018. Doors open at 12 Noon, games begin at 1:00PM. \$30 per person in advance. Every BINGO wins a bag. For tickets or more information contact Terri Evans at 215-268-1047 or [alumnae@NazarethAcademyHS.org](mailto:alumnae@NazarethAcademyHS.org)

**John W. Hallahan CGHS Alumnae Association** is sponsoring their annual *“50 years & Beyond”* luncheon on Wednesday, May 2, 2018 at Connstatter Volksfest-Verein. Cost is \$35.00 per person and \$20.00 for religious. If you are a graduate of Hallahan for over 50 or more years and are interested in attending this event, please contact, Marge West Kiefski '66 at 215-913-4482 or [mmkiefski@aol.com](mailto:mmkiefski@aol.com) for the Alumnae Office at 215-568-3081.

**Mother & (Adult) Daughter Retreat** – May 11-13 (Mother’s Day Weekend) at Marianist Family Retreat Center, Cape May Point, NJ – Knowing that your relationship is special, and the need to nurture it through out the years, this is a wonderful opportunity to walk upon common ground while celebrating your differences. Eucharist, small group sharing, prayer experiences, socials and fun are included – beach walks too! Cost:\$135 per person – Sign up online at [www.capemaymarianists.porg](http://www.capemaymarianists.porg) or call 609-884-3829.

**DEEPENING CENTERING PRAYER** will be led by Fr. Carl Arico and Roseanne Havird on May 6-10, 2018 at Mother Boniface Spirituality Center. This intensive silent retreat features up to three hours of Centering Prayer each day. For more information and/or to register call 267-350-1830.

**Blessed Among Us**

**St. Adalbert – Bishop and Martyr (956-997)**  
St. Adalbert, who was born in Bohemia, was sent to Magdeburg for studies. Upon his return nine years later, he was ordained a priest. Following the death of the bishop of Prague, Adalbert – though only twenty-six – was chosen as his successor. Despite his youth, he became a stern reformer, setting a high standard of personal devotion and self-sacrifice.

His efforts at evangelization were less successful. In 990 he abruptly departed Prague, his flight prompted by bitter political tensions in Bohemia, where his family had fallen into disfavor with Duke Boleslaus II (only slightly more clement than his father, Boleslaus the Cruel). Settling in Rome, Adalbert entered a Benedictine abbey, where he remained for two years, until the Duke – supported by the pope- entreated him to return.

Almost immediately he fell into further trouble after providing refuge in a convent for a noblewoman who was convicted of adultery and facing the penalty of death. Violating the sanctuary, her accusers dragged the woman from the convent and killed her. In reply Adalbert excommunicated the guilty parties, including several prominent figures. Once again Adalbert departed Prague for Rome.

Though he was commanded to return, the situation in Prague remained dangerous, and he was given the option of preaching to the non-Christian Prussians in Pomerania. This too was perilous. He and his companions were taken for Polish spies and murdered on April 23, 997.

*“It is easy to wear a miter and carry a crozier, but it is a terrible thing to have to give an account of a bishopric to the Judge of the living and the dead.”*

*-St. Adalbert of Prague*

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**SPIRITUAL REFLECTIONS**

**Of Caterpillars and Butterflies**

Jesus is saying that the Father is seized with love, admiration, gratitude to him because he lays down his life fully. Why should the Father be so enamoured of this act of Jesus laying down his life, accepting to die?

In the first place because the Father can only find an outlet for his love when a human creature consents to die to his own limited, merely natural life.

The condition for being transformed into God’s likeness, for entering into his own dimension is – being ready to go beyond ourselves, allowing ourselves to be taken away from self, consenting to leave the limitations of our merely natural being.

This acceptance of dying has to be done in the dark, in blind trust in the promise of the Father.

The dimension into which we are called in “God”: so “other,” so mysterious as to be beyond thought or imagination; and therefore, in a sense, meaningless to us.

We live a caterpillar existence and are completely incapable of conceiving of a butterfly existence. It is an awful thing to be told- or rather asked – to be willing to die to our caterpillarness in order to be something we have no notion of and no desire for.

We like being caterpillars – we have cabbage leaves to feed on, our world is circumscribed and manageable, it’s solid. “What’s all this about a new way of being...? Flitting about in the air...? No thanks – I’d rather be as I am!”

God’s agonizing struggle is to get his human creatures to love and trust him enough to make the decision, to accept to die to their caterpillar life...

But Jesus accepted. This is the great triumph. He accepted, with all the adoring love of his heart, to lay down his life. This act was his supreme expression for the greatness of his love for his Father – that he, the Father, mattered alone, and that all Jesus wanted was to do his will, and to allow the Father to do in him and through him whatever he pleased.

And it is then God’s good pleasure to fill his creature with blessings.

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