

# *Saint Richard Parish*

*3010 South 18th Street*

**Holy Spirit Church**

*Worship Site*

*1845 Hartranft Street*

**Father Matthew D. Brody**

*Parochial Administrator*

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*Director of Faith Formation*

Ms. Maryellen Carroll [dre@strichardchurch.org](mailto:dre@strichardchurch.org)

*Pastoral Associate*

Sr. Marian Gregory, IHM

**Baptisms**

Baptisms are celebrated at St. Richard Church on the first and third Sundays of each month following the 11:30 AM Mass. Please contact Fr. Brody to make arrangements.

**Reconciliation—Confession**

Saturdays at St. Richard Church 3:30—4:15 PM  
And before all Masses on Sunday.

**Marriage**

Couples planning a Catholic Wedding should contact Fr. Brody a minimum of six months in advance to begin the marriage processes.

**Anointing of the Sick and Homebound Visits**

Arrangements can be made for anointing or communion to be brought to the sick or dying by calling the rectory.

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

Any adult wanting to join the Catholic faith or any adult who was baptized but never received First Communion or Confirmation please contact Fr. Brody or Maryellen Carroll.

**Exposition and Benediction** (Tuesdays September through May)

Exposition following 8:30 AM Mass and  
Benediction with Prayers for Vocations at 2:00 PM.

**Novena Prayers** (Following the 8:30 Mass)

Monday Miraculous Medal Novena  
Thursday Novena to Our Lady of Knock

**Parish Registration**

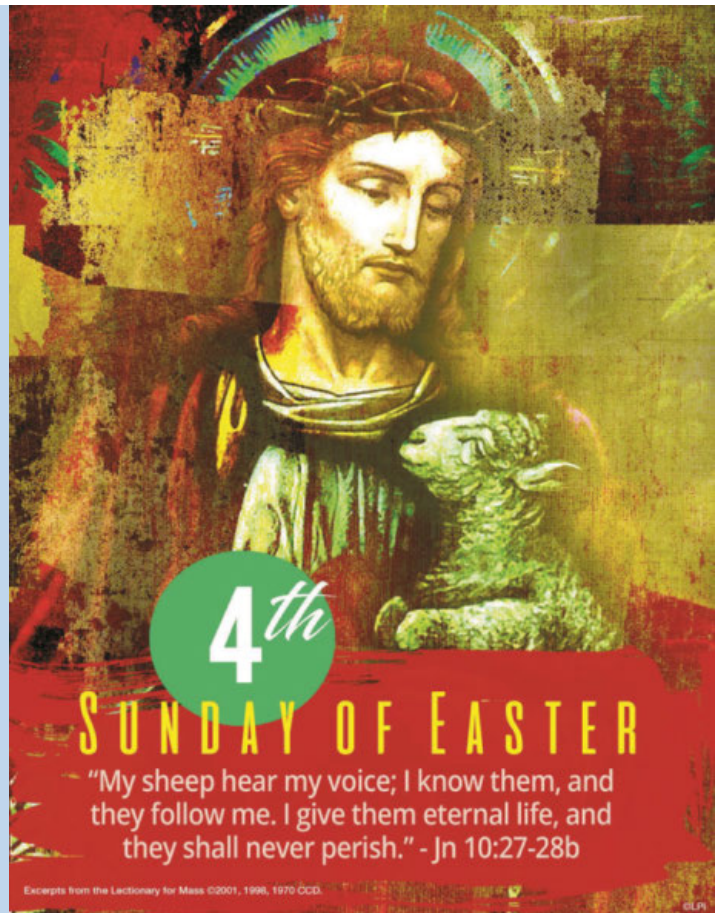
New parishioners are welcome and should register. Registration may be conveniently done by contacting the parish office.

**Choir**

Our 11:30 Mass is enhanced by our choir. New members welcome

**Saint Vincent de Paul Society**

Provides charitable outreach to the community. Members meet monthly. See bulletin for details and events.



## ***Celebration of the Eucharist***

### Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM at St. Richard  
Sunday 8:00 AM at St. Richard  
Sunday 10:00 AM at Holy Spirit  
Sunday 11:30 AM at St. Richard

### Weekday Mass

Monday through Saturday 8:30 AM at St. Richard  
Holy Day Mass as Announced

## ***Parish Rectory***

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### **Office Hours:**

Monday to Thursday 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM  
and any time by appointment

## ***Saint Pio Catholic School***

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## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY May 7

4:30 Vigil Mother's Day  
Intentions

### SUNDAY May 8

8:00 All Mothers  
10:00 HOLY SPIRIT Living and  
11:30 Deceased

### MONDAY May 9

8:30 Isabel Palermo  
Requested by Children

### TUESDAY May 10

No 8:30 am Mass - Priest Convocation

### WEDNESDAY May 11

No 8:30 am Mass - Priest Convocation

### THURSDAY May 12

8:30 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Dennis Capuano  
Requested by wife, Debbie

### FRIDAY May 13

8:30 St. Richard Memorial Society

### SATURDAY May 14

8:30 Rosario Mazzotta  
Requested by Teresa and Nicola Procopio  
4:30 Vigil Anna and Edward Mount  
Requested by Mount Family

### SUNDAY Month

8:00 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of Danny Ricci  
Requested by Family  
10:00 HOLY SPIRIT  
Antonio and Florinda D'Angelo  
Requested by D'Angelo Family  
11:30 Luigi & Mary Santacroce and Theresa DeDetta  
Requested by Bob and Sue Nataloni

## A Parochial Point

Dear Friends in Christ,

Our celebration of the Lord's Resurrection continues on this Fourth Sunday of Easter. The readings this weekend remind us that Jesus is truly a good shepherd to all of us, His people. We hear in the first reading that Paul and Barnabas, even while they were rejected by the people in Antioch, left the city "filled with joy and the Holy Spirit" (Acts 13:52). At the same time, the Gospel teaches that we are the sheep of Christ's flock. He says of us "I know them and they follow me" (Jn 10:27). With these encouraging words, we should all remember what a good thing it is to be in the hands of God at all times.

As much as we struggle and suffer at times, the Lord gives the gift of joy and peace when we turn to Him. It is all too easy to be overwhelmed with the individual cares and concerns that burden us on a daily basis. What matters most is placing our relationship with God above the worldly cares that we must face. Together as a parish community, we also support one another in order to build up a true family of disciples. This happens most easily when we come together for important celebrations.

This coming Wednesday, May 11, we will celebrate the annual May Procession at 6:30 PM in church. After a short prayer service, we will process around the block (weather permitting) with the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is a beautiful devotion and one of those opportunities that we can gather together to proclaim our faith in God and in His mother. Please consider joining us if you can!

Finally, as is announced in this bulletin, the priests of the Archdiocese are meeting in Hershey, PA with Archbishop Perez for our bi-annual Priest Convocation. We will be presented with new initiatives for the Archdiocese and have opportunities to gather and to pray together with our brother priests. As a result, there will be no 8:30 AM Masses on Tuesday or Wednesday of this week and no Adoration or Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday. Please pray for all of us as we meet together in these days!

May God Bless you!

*Rev. Matt D'Amico*  
Parochial Administrator



### THE SANCTUARY CANDLE

*burns in loving memory of*  
**Thomas DiCampli, Sr.**  
*Requested by wife, Lucille*

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SUNDAY  
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Fr. Brody is leading a 10-day pilgrimage this Fall to see the Passion Play in Oberammergau (Germany). The trip will also include visits to Budapest, Prague, and Vienna and departs on August 31. Flyers are available at the entrances. Please see Fr. Brody with any questions.



**St. Richard Memorial Society**  
**Newly Enrolled Member**  
 Margaret Mary Joyce



We are now offering online giving!  
 To get started log on to:

<http://strichardchurch.org> and click on the Parish Giving Logo and follow the easy registration steps.

**VOTIVE CANDLES**



- ILM 33<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of Mae Ceraso**  
*Requested by Tom and Rosalie McManus*
- ILM Birthday of Mary McAvey**  
*Requested by Pat*
- IMO Joan Tasca**  
*Requested by Louis and Nina DeCarlo*
- IMO Joseph Chiliberti**  
*Requested by Rich and Joanne Donnelly*
- IMO Rita Spear**  
*Requested by Rich and Joanne Donnelly*
- ILM 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of Frank Villone**  
*Requested by sister, Carol*
- ILM 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Frank D'Angelo**  
*Requested by wife and children*
- IMO Joseph Chiliberti**  
*Requested by Ted and Debbi Scairato and family*



Saint Richard Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) is now accepting registration for the 2022-23 School Year. The year begins with a week long (June 20-24) formation and continues throughout the school year with spiritual and service activities. We offer classes for children who will be going into grades 1-6 in September. For additional information, contact Maryellen Carroll, the Director of Religious Education, at [dre@strichardchurch.org](mailto:dre@strichardchurch.org). All new families have to meet with Maryellen prior to registering.

**2022 Lucky Numbers Winners**

- April 25: 437 \$ 45 Peter Paone
- April 26: 211 \$ 45 Edward Cavanaugh
- April 27: 802 \$ 45 Connie Clark
- April 28: 160 \$ 45 Not Sold
- April 29: 544 \$ 45 Not Sold
- April 30: 833 \$ 50 St. Pius X Winner
- May 1: 928 \$ 50 Richard & Joanne Tremonte

May 8, 2022

The priests of the Archdiocese are gathering with Archbishop Perez this coming Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday in Hershey, PA. This "priest convocation" happens every other year to discuss various topics relevant to the parishes and the faithful of the Archdiocese.

Fr. Brody will be attending with the other priests of Philadelphia and will be away from

Monday morning after the 8:30 AM Mass until Wednesday evening. As a result, there will be no 8:30 AM Masses on Tuesday (May 10) or Wednesday (May 11) and no Adoration or Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday. The church will be open for private and group prayer during the usual hours.

Please pray for all of our priests as they gather in Hershey this week!



*Donations have been made to the St. Richard Altar Fund*

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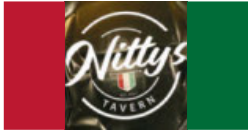
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