



January 9, 2022
The Baptism of the Lord

"If we wish to serve God and love our neighbor well, we must manifest our joy in the service we render to Him and them. Let us open wide our hearts. It is a joy which invites us. Press forward and fear nothing!"
~Saint Katharine Drexel

SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL PARISH

Our Mission Statement

We, the parishioners of Saint Katharine Drexel Parish, serve Southeast Washington County with a spirit of welcome, compassion and charity.

We are a community rooted in the Eucharist and nourished by the Sacraments.

We come together to joyfully celebrate our faith in prayer and worship, respecting our spiritual diversity and cultural heritage. We are sent forth from this Eucharistic community, in response to the call of Jesus our Savior, to reach out to youth, families, elderly, and all those in need in our parish, communities and beyond. In the pioneering spirit of our patroness, we offer support through witness, prayer and good works, and we embrace the challenges and opportunities of what it means to be a Christian in an ever-changing world.

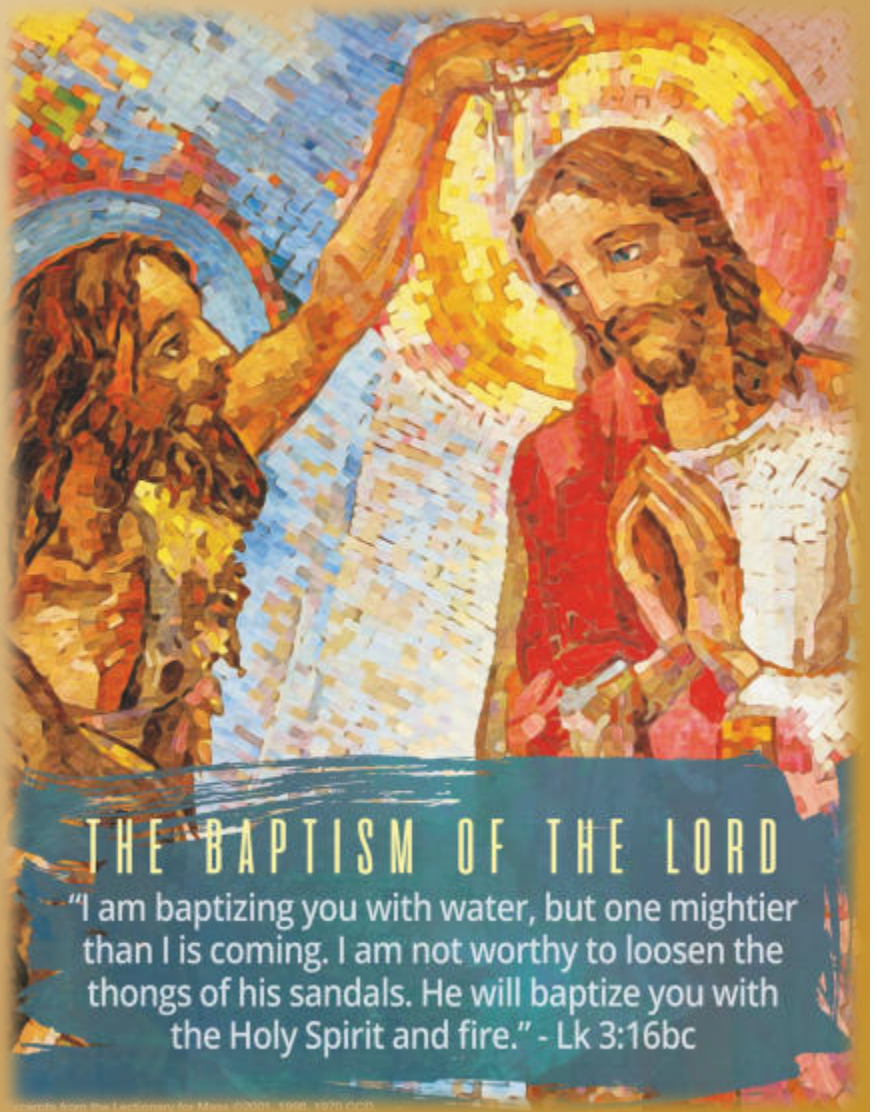
Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 p.m.
Bentleyville Main Church

Sunday - 9:00 a.m.
Richeyville Mission Church

Sunday - 11:00 a.m.
Bentleyville Main Church

Parish Website:
www.katharinedrexelpgh.org



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

"I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." - Lk 3:16bc



Welcome to Saint Katharine Drexel Parish!



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Diocese Victims Assistance Hotline:

Phone: 888-808-1235 or 412-456-3093

Reporting Child Abuse

Phone: 1-800-932-0313

Call 911 Immediately if a child is in danger.

The ChildLine and Abuse Registry is available 24 hours to receive reports of suspected child abuse. Any person may report suspected abuse and remain anonymous.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday & Tuesday 9:30 AM -1:30 PM

Wednesday & Thursday CLOSED

Friday 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

PARISH ADMINISTRATION CENTER

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PARISH PHONE

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724-987-7204

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Sacraments

BAPTISM

Contact the administration center to make arrangements. Pre-Baptism classes are obligatory.

MARRIAGE

Couples must contact a priest at least six months prior to the proposed date. Marriage instructions are compulsory.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If a parishioner is seriously ill or about to have surgery, please notify the administration center.

PENANCE

Saturday 3:20-3:45 PM Bentleyville

Main Church

Sunday 8:20-8:45 AM Richeyville

Also available by appointment.

Contact the administration center.

RCIA & RCIC

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults & Children: For those who have not received all sacraments of initiation and for those who would like to become a Catholic. Please contact the Parish Office at 724-209-1370.

College Campus Ministry

Reverend Thomas J. Lewandowski

Director of Campus Ministry at California University, Waynesburg University & W & J College



College Masses:

Beginning August 29, 2021

Sunday's at 10AM in the Natali Student Center

Vulcan Theater, First Floor

Visit Cal U website for weekly Mass schedule

Email: tlewandowski@diopitt.org

Food Bank Collection is taken the 2nd weekend of each month.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

If you or someone you know needs assistance please call the

Saint Vincent de Paul Society Help Line at 724-249-4715

"Let us love God, my brothers, let us love God, but let it be through the works of your hands. Let it be by the sweat of our brow."

Parish Website

Go to: www.katharinedrexelpgh.org

Drexel Hall Rental

Contact Stan Glowaski - 724-239-3673

Clothing Bin at Bentleyville Campus

Bring your clean gently used, or new clothing for the Saint Vincent de Paul Society Clothing Bin which is located on the Bentleyville Campus. Next to Drexel Hall Chapel.

Saint Katharine Drexel Parish Membership Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

CHECK ONE New Registration Change of Address Moving out of Parish

Note: Use of this form does not automatically register you with the parish.
For more information contact the Parish Administration Center at 724-209-1370.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 8 - Vigil: The Baptism of the Lord

4:00 p.m. (Bentleyville) **Walter Bular, Sr., 5th Anniversary Remembrance** (Wife & Family)

Sunday, January 9 - The Baptism of the Lord

9:00 a.m. (Richeyville) **Mary Kay Roule-Cronin, Birthday Remembrance** (Family)

11:00 a.m. (Bentleyville) **People of Saint Katharine Drexel Parish**

Monday, January 10 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. (Richeyville) **Helen Marie Tworzydlo** (Darlene Shemansky)

9:00 a.m. (Bentleyville) **Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus #5826** (Stan & Anna Marie Glowaski)

Tuesday, January 11 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. (Richeyville) **Jack Huffman, Birthday Remembrance** (Rose Rudolph Huffman)

9:00 a.m. (Bentleyville) **Peg Carroll** (Daughter, Marian Lese)

Wednesday, January 12 - Weekday

9:00 a.m. (Bentleyville) **Marianne Gurdish** (John & Mary Dziak)

Thursday, January 13 - St. Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:30 a.m. (Richeyville) **John Havrilesko** (Wife, Betty Havrilesko)

9:00 a.m. (Bentleyville) **Steve Perchinsky, Sr.** (Carmine Mattozzi)

Friday, January 14 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. (Richeyville) **Margaret Czerwinsky** (Bonnie Molk)

9:00 a.m. (Bentleyville) **Larry Gaso** (Rosemary Skovran)

Saturday, January 15 - Vigil: 2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. (Bentleyville) **George Kabay** (St. Katharine Drexel Choir)

Sunday, January 16 - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. (Richeyville) **People of Saint Katharine Drexel Parish**

11:00 a.m. (Bentleyville) **Byron & Agnes Schrader, Anniversary Remembrance** (Granddaughters, Sharon & Stacey & Families)

We reserve the right to make unavoidable changes in the Mass Schedule.

Lectors Serving January 15-16
Bentleyville | Sat. 4:00 p.m.
J. Dziak

Richeyville | Sun. 9:00 a.m.
J. Smereczniak

Bentleyville | Sun. 11:00 a.m.
M. Alton

Money Counters

Monday, January 10
Andrea Remish, Theresa Moser

Monday, January 17
Sheila Palonis, Jerry Blackburn

Readings for the week of January 9, 2022

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19/Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28

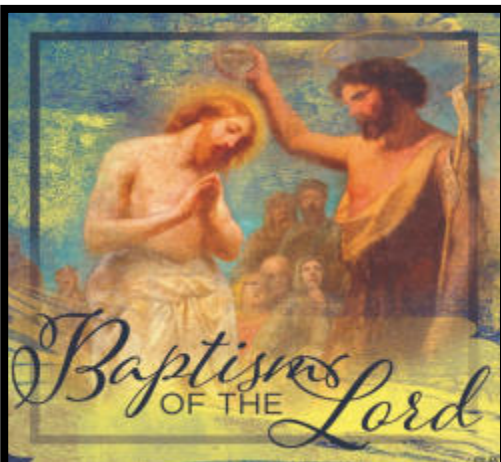
Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17

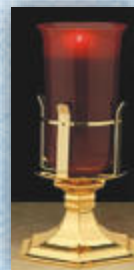
Next Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11



The Sanctuary
The Sanctuary Candle will burn at our church this week for the following intention:

Bentleyville Main Church:
Loretta Forte

by Jessica & Frank Besedick



Baptism of the Lord Mass Hymns

When Jesus Comes to Be Baptized
BB 111

Sprinkling Rite—Baptized Water
BB 649

God of Mercy
BB 527

I Have Loved You
BB 616

O God Beyond All Praising
BB 541

Pastor's Corner



Dear Friends in Christ:

The glorious season of Christmas concludes this weekend with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Through this liturgy we recall the baptism of Jesus in the river Jordan by Saint John the Baptist who announced the coming of Christ our Messiah and Lord.

The Gospel of Saint Luke we hear at Mass as selected by the Church for this feast relates the baptism of Jesus as another epiphany, making known to everyone that Jesus is the beloved Son of God. The call of Jesus as servant is found in our First Reading today from Isaiah the prophet. Jesus is the one chosen to bring light to those in darkness, to open the eyes of those who are blind, and to free those who are held captive.

We, too, share this calling through the Sacrament of Baptism which we have received. We are called to the responsibilities of being a Christian with our own God-given personal gifts and talents, recognizing that it is Christ who came to teach us how to serve God and one another. To be baptized means to accept the call to serve, a call to lifelong discovery of God's will for our life and in service of God and the Church. This vocation is lived out in four ways: married life, single life, religious life or priesthood. Each vocation is a call to enter into a lifelong committed relationship with God.

The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* teaches us: "Through Baptism the Christian is sacramentally assimilated to Jesus, who in his own baptism anticipates his death and resurrection. The Christian must enter into this mystery of humble self-abasement and repentance, go down into the water with Jesus in order to rise with him, be reborn of water and the Spirit so as to become the Father's beloved son in the Son and 'walk in the newness of life'" (CCC, paragraph 537).

In addition to marking this weekend as the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, it is also the beginning of what the Church has declared as National Vocations Awareness Week in order for us to reflect on how well we are living the vocation to which has called us through our baptism into his family, the Church.

Happy Fifth Anniversary Saint Katharine Drexel Parish! It was five years ago on January 8, 2017 that Bishop Zubik established Saint Katharine Drexel Parish in Southeast Washington County!



*"These three things God requires of all the Baptized:
Right faith in the heart, truth on the tongue, temperance in the body."
- Saint Gregory Nazianzen -*

Parish Weekly Calendar

<p><u>Sunday, January 9</u></p> <p>Mass 9:00 AM-Richeyville Mission Church</p> <p>9:15 AM-Sacramental Prep Session/Drexel Hall</p> <p>Mass 11:00 AM-Bentleyville Main Church</p> <p>FOOD BANK WEEKEND</p>	<p><u>Monday, January 10</u></p> <p>Mass 8:30 AM-Richeyville Mission Church</p> <p>9:00 AM-Drexel Hall Chapel</p> <p>6 PM Fundraising Board Meeting Drexel Hall/Wiggins Room</p>	<p><u>Tuesday, January 11</u></p> <p>Mass 8:30 AM-Richeyville Mission Church</p> <p>9:00 AM-Drexel Hall Chapel</p>	<p><u>Wednesday, January 12</u></p> <p>Mass 9:00 AM-Drexel Hall Chapel</p> <p>7:30 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting Drexel Hall/K of C Room</p>
<p><u>Thursday, January 13</u></p> <p>Mass 8:30 AM-Richeyville Mission Church</p> <p>9:00 AM-Drexel Hall Chapel</p> <p>6 PM LIFT Core Team Meeting Drexel Hall/Conference Room</p>	<p><u>Friday, January 14</u></p> <p>Mass 8:30 AM-Richeyville Mission Church</p> <p>9:00 AM-Drexel Hall Chapel</p>	<p><u>Saturday, January 15</u></p> <p>Mass 9:00 AM -Richeyville Mission Church</p> <p>4:00 PM -Bentleyville Main Church</p>	<p><u>Sunday, January 16</u></p> <p>Mass 9:00 AM-Richeyville Mission Church</p> <p>9:15 AM LIFT Family Catechesis Drexel Hall</p> <p>Mass 11:00 AM-Bentleyville Main Church</p>

Seminarian Corner

The Baptism of the Lord, Jesus Christ

Today we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord Jesus Christ, and in a special way we also celebrate the great gift of the Sacrament of Baptism. The sacrament of salvation which claims us for Christ and is shared among all Christians.

Did you know that the Sacrament of Baptism was instituted by our Lord today when, having been baptized by John, He gave to water the power to sanctify? St. Gregory Nazianzen and St. Augustine, two doctors of the Church, testify that the water was then imparted with the power of regenerating spiritual life. St. Augustine says: *“The Lord is baptized, not because He had need to be cleansed, but in order that, by the contact of His pure flesh, He might purify the waters and impart to them the power of cleansing.”*

Baptism was indeed instituted by Christ at his baptism by John since the most Holy Trinity, in whose name Baptism is conferred, manifested Its divine presence on that occasion. The voice of the Father was heard, the Person of the Son was present, the Holy Spirit descended in the form of a dove; and the heavens, into which we are enabled to enter by Baptism, were thrown open!

Happy Feast!



Seminarian John L. Kist

Parish News

Drexel Hall Reception Center/Bentleyville– Available for Party Rentals

Drexel Hall/Bentleyville is available for rent for your gatherings/ parties [Baptism receptions, First Holy Communions, graduations, birthdays, anniversaries, baby showers, wedding showers, etc.] Please contact Stan Glowaski, Scheduling Manager – for a complete list of available dates/ times, rental fees, etc. Stan can be reached by telephone at: 724-239-3673.



Parish News

January 22: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), no. 373, designates January 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance for abortion, called the “Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children.” Full relevant section from the GIRM: “373. Masses for Various Needs and Occasions are used in certain situations either as occasion arises or at fixed times. Days or periods of prayer for the fruits of the earth, prayer for human rights and equality, prayer for world justice and peace, and penitential observances outside Lent are to be observed in the Dioceses of the United States of America at times to be designated by the Diocesan Bishop.

In all the Dioceses of the United States of America, January 22 (or January 23, when January 22 falls on a Sunday) shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion. The liturgical celebrations for this day may be the “Mass For Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life” (no. 48/1 of the Masses and Prayers for Various Needs and Occasions), celebrated with white vestments, or the Mass “For the Preservation of Peace and Justice” (no. 30 of the Masses and Prayers for Various Needs and Occasions), celebrated with violet vestments.”

On Saturday, January 22, 2022, at the conclusion of the 4 PM Mass, Father Ed will lead a Eucharistic Holy Hour with Solemn Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament followed by benediction and reposition. Father Ed will lead the Litany for Life during the Holy Hour. Come and join us for this time of prayer and a greater respect for human life!

For more information, visit <http://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/resources/january-22-day-of-prayer.cfm>

Synod on Synodality

Pope Francis has called the universal Church to journey together. This Synod is not just another meeting with people providing presentations and written reports. This Synod is a process of journeying together by listening, dialoguing, praying, discerning and making decisions together for the purpose of proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Pope Francis is asking each diocese in the world to gather – clergy, religious and laity together – to listen to each other. The goal of this journeying together is not to create a new vision or pastoral plan. The goal of our journeying together is to be present with one another, to listen and learn with each other, and to grow closer to the Lord and His Church, especially in a post-pandemic world. Below is the Prayer for the Synod that all of us are called to pray.

Prayer for the Synod

2021-2023

Communion, Participation & Mission

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,
as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us,
make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go
and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity
so that we may journey together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth
and what is right.

All this we ask of You,
who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son,
forever and ever.

Amen.

Parish News

January 30th 2022
Saint Katharine Drexel Parish
Sunday Supper



Image not the actual dinner

“Cabbage Roll Dinner”

Dinner includes

Corn | Mashed Potatoes | Dinner Roll

\$12 per dinner

Limited Dinners – Until Sold Out

Eat-Ins start at 11:00 AM

Take-outs too with curbside pick-up

Order Early – 10:00 AM – 724-209-1370 ext

Additional option add-on

Mini Bundt Cakes - \$4.00 each

Our homemade individual Mini Bundt Cakes are deliciously moist, frosted and filled, and available in your favorite “flavors of the week.”



Drexel Hall, 208 Abromaitis Street

Bentleyville, PA 15314

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Parish News

Saint Vincent de Paul Shoe Box Project

In previous years, we had teamed up with the Appalachian Christmas Project/Shoe Box Drive for Adults and Disabled Person. We are once again sponsoring the drive during LENT. This is because there are too many projects at Christmas. Below is a list of items needed and instructions. You can leave them at Church in the SVdP totes any time during Lent. The cutoff date is April 24, 2022. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Priority Items

- Disposable Razors
- Calendars
- Shaving Cream
- Shampoos
- Bar Soap
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Wash Cloth
- Purse Size Kleenex
- Comb or Hairbrush
- Q-Tips/Cotton Balls
- Notepads/Pencils/Pens

Optional Items

- Stamps/Envelopes
- Chapstick/Vaseline
- First Aid Cream
- Socks
- Magnifying Glass
- Knee Highs
- Hand Lotions
- Hand Sanitizer
- Nail Clippers/Tweezers
- Jar Grip/Pot Scratcher
- Small Puzzle Book
- Denture Cleaner

Please put a signed Christmas Card inside the shoe box to add to the recipients Holiday Cheer. If unable to wrap, we will wrap for you.

Label the boxes “L” =Ladies; “M” =Men, “E” =Either. No ribbons or bows.



Food Bank Collection Non-Perishable Food Items—THIS Weekend

In the spirit of our parish patroness, the next collection of non-perishable food items that will be donated to the Washington County Food Pantry will take place at our parish **this weekend** January 8/9, 2022. Will you consider donating non-perishable food items? Thank you in advance for your generosity!



Upcoming Fish Fry's in February 2022



Saint Katharine Drexel Parish is pleased to announce that we will begin our **parish Fish Fry's on the following Fridays: February 11, 18 and 25, 2022 from 10:30 AM until 6:00 PM.** The Fish Fry's for Lent begin on Ash Wednesday, March 2, 2022 and each Friday of Lent. Eat in and take outs will be available. [Our parish will follow all Covid-19 restrictions]. Save the dates and plan to join us for our February Fish Fry's and for all the Lenten Fish Fry's!

End of the Year Statements

For any parishioner of all four of our parish who wishes to receive an end of the year statement of contributions for 2021, please complete the request for below and drop it in the weekend collection basket or mail it to the parish administration center of the parish where you are registered. Once we receive your completed form, statements will be mailed in January 2022.

CONTRIBUTION RECORDS REQUEST FORM

I/We would like a record of my/our parish contributions for 2021.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

ENV. NO.: _____ PHONE # _____

Parish News

Second Collection NEXT WEEKEND January 15/16, 2022

The second collection NEXT WEEKEND January 15/16, 2022 will be taken for the Saint Anthony School Programs and the DePaul School for Hearing and Speech.

Saint Anthony School Programs

Saint Anthony School Programs offers inclusive education to students ages 5-21 with the primary diagnosis of autism, Down syndrome and other developmental delays. Students attend regular classes based on their individual abilities and supplement their learning with fully-certified special education teachers in their Resource Rooms. The inclusive nature of their program allows the students to develop academically, socially and spiritually in a caring and respectful environment.

Students between the ages of 18-21 attend the vocational program at Duquesne University. At the post-secondary level, students train vocationally at local job sites to learn the functional aspects of jobs as well as proper business attire and appropriate work related behaviors. In addition, they practice independent living skills such as cooking, shopping and cleaning at the Life Skills Training Apartment. It is the goal to provide the education and resources each student needs to live life as independently as possible after graduation.

Saint Anthony School Programs provides hope and encouragement to families in need of their services. As an inclusive program, it allows siblings to attend the same school and interact together as part of the same student body, while meeting the special learning needs of each child. It helps children develop friendships and a deeper love for God, while preparing them to become active and contributing members of the community.

Visit the website: www.stanthonyschoolprograms.com for additional information.

DePaul School for Hearing and Speech

DePaul School for Hearing and Speech, founded by the Diocese of Pittsburgh and the Sisters of Charity of Seton Hill as DePaul Institute, is a State Approved not-for-profit school dedicated to auditory/oral education as well as spiritual and personal development of deaf and hard of hearing children from birth to age 14. Students are offered a full scholarship for academic programs. A comprehensive continuum of clinical and family support programs are also offered free of charge to parents and caregivers.

Auditory/ oral education teaches children to learn to use whatever hearing they have, in combination with lip-reading and contextual clues (speech-reading) and the latest technologies such as cochlear implants and digital hearing aids, to understand and use spoken language. The goal is to give children the necessary academic language skills to fully participate in the speaking and hearing world. Virtually all of the students mainstream to their neighborhood schools during their elementary or middle school years with minimal supports.

DePaul School for Hearing and Speech is the only program of its kind in western Pennsylvania and among just a handful of state providers to offer a center-based educational program for children under the age of three. Visit the website: www.speakmiracles.org for more information.

You are invited to be as generous as you are able to the second collection NEXT WEEKEND January 15/16, 2022 which will benefit the Saint Anthony School Programs and the DePaul School for Hearing and Speech.

*****Important note: The amount collected for Saint Anthony School and De Paul School will be credited towards our 2021 Parish Share goal. We invite you to be as generous as you are able.*****

Annual Diocesan Parish Share Campaign for 2021

Our annual Parish Share Campaign for the 2021 calendar year will soon come to a close. The Parish Share Program supports the needs of older adults and the less fortunate: Catholic Charities, Roselia Center and Mon Valley Social Services are among the many social programs that receive support through Parish Share. In addition, your contribution provides a vital role in helping more than 85,000 young Catholics receive a firm grounding in their faith through parish based religious education programs as well as through campus and youth ministry, helping to bolster the spiritual development of young adult Catholics. Supporting Parish Share promotes new vocations to the priesthood and religious life, provides for the continuing spiritual and educational formation of our current diocesan priests, and the care of retired priests who have given their lives in service to us. Parish Share also helps in educating parishioners on pro-life issues, counseling women and teenagers in crisis, and reaching out to women and men suffering from the trauma of abortion. In all, Parish Share helps parishes achieve things they cannot do on their own. Your contribution helps to provide our parishes with property planning and insurance expertise, legal and judicial counsel, stewardship and development services, financial and auditing services that allow the parish to serve you better.

The assessment as issued by the Diocese of Pittsburgh for Saint Katharine Drexel Parish in 2021 is \$83,554.00

As of the date of this bulletin, our parish still has a balance owed for parish share for this current year of \$41,000.00. Your help is urgently needed! If you have not yet made a contribution, would you please consider making a check payable in the amount of \$350.00? You are asked to be as generous as you are able according to your means. Also, a reminder that all funds collected over our assessment again remains for use by our parish and not considered income that is assessable. May God abundantly bless you for your generosity!

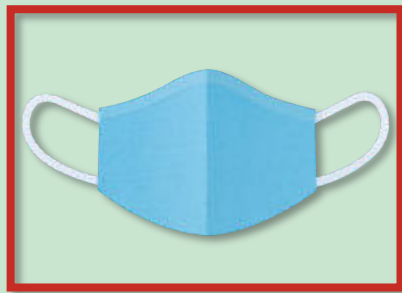
Safe Environment Requirements for Renewing Volunteers

Several parish volunteers have asked me about the requirements for renewing volunteers. I am listing them here for you to clear up any confusion there may be. Three items need to be updated when they expire.

- 1) **FBI Waiver.** This needs to be read and signed every five years.
- 2) **Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Clearance.** This needs to be redone every five years. The form requires that you list where you have lived since 1975 and household members since 1975.
- 3) **Protecting God's Children Maltreatment and Vulnerable Adults Training.** There is new training every three years which involves watching twelve videos and then answering a question for each situation. It takes about 90 minutes to complete. This is a new renewal requirement as of May 2021.

Please contact me if you have any questions at 724-209-1370 (ext.410) joanosec@gmail.com.

Sincerely,
Joan Organiscak, Safe Environment Coordinator



Masks Required

Effective the weekend of August 7/8, 2021 due to increase of Covid-19 cases, Bishop Zubik is requiring in the Diocese of Pittsburgh for all Greeters, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers, Priests and Deacons to wear masks at Mass when in direct contact with people. **This mask requirement includes fully vaccinated individuals.** This mask requirement remains in effect until further notice. As the Covid-19 virus continues to change, you will be kept up to date on changing restrictions. The CDC (Center of Disease Control) earnestly recommends all individuals to wear masks in public settings in areas of high or substantial transmission, such as Washington County is currently experiencing.

Social & Outreach Organization Goody Bags

The Saint Katharine Drexel Social and Outreach Organization would like to thank those parishioners who donated items for the goody bags for two of our local nursing homes. These goody bags were delivered to Lasosky's Personal Care Home in Clarksville and Dunlevy Manor in Dunlevy. The residents of these homes were so grateful to receive the items. Again, thank you for your generosity.

2022 Mass Book Now Open

Saint Katharine Drexel Parish is pleased to open the 2022 Mass Book. You may book your intentions by completing the form below. Notes: You MUST include the \$10 stipend when scheduling Masses. Only *TWO Masses per year can be scheduled on weekends.* **We are in great need of weekday Masses.** Any questions, contact Patty Prekrel, Office Assistant: 724-209-1370, extension 404.

NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

CHURCH: BENTLEYVILLE _____ RICHEYVILLE _____

MASS INTENTION: _____ DATE REQUESTED _____ MASS TIME _____

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Please Remember in Your Prayers

Prayer for the Sick



Almighty and Eternal God, You are the everlasting Health of those who believe in You. Hear us for Your sick servant (N...) for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy, that being restored to bodily health, he (she) may give thanks to You in Your Church. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.



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Stewardship/Collections

Second Collections

OFFERTORY REPORT FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING 7/1/2021		
Weekly Amount (includes Christmas & Easter)	—	\$ 7,748.34
Christmas Collection		\$ 17,513.00
Christmas Charities (Children & Youth)		\$ 2,439.00
Sunday, December 26, 2021 (Week 26 of 52)		\$ 4,964.00
Drexel Charities		\$ 694.00
Solemnity of Mary Collection		\$ 2,180.00
January 2, 2022 (Week 27 of 52)	—	\$ 3,995.00
Extraordinary Expenses	—	\$ 791.00
Over/Under for week 27	—	\$ <3,753.34>
Budgeted Offertory Amount to Date	—	\$209,205.18
Actual Regular Offertory Amount to Date	—	\$136,227.00
Over/Under for year	—	\$ <72,978.18>
184 envelopes received. Attendance 1/2/22: 244		

Second Collection This Weekend
1/8-9, 2022
Capital Improvement

Second Collection Next Weekend
1/15-16, 2022
Saint Anthony/DePaul Schools

Parish Share 2021 - Update:
Parish Share Goal: \$83,554.00
Received to Date: \$44,408.00
Balance Due: \$39,146.00

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