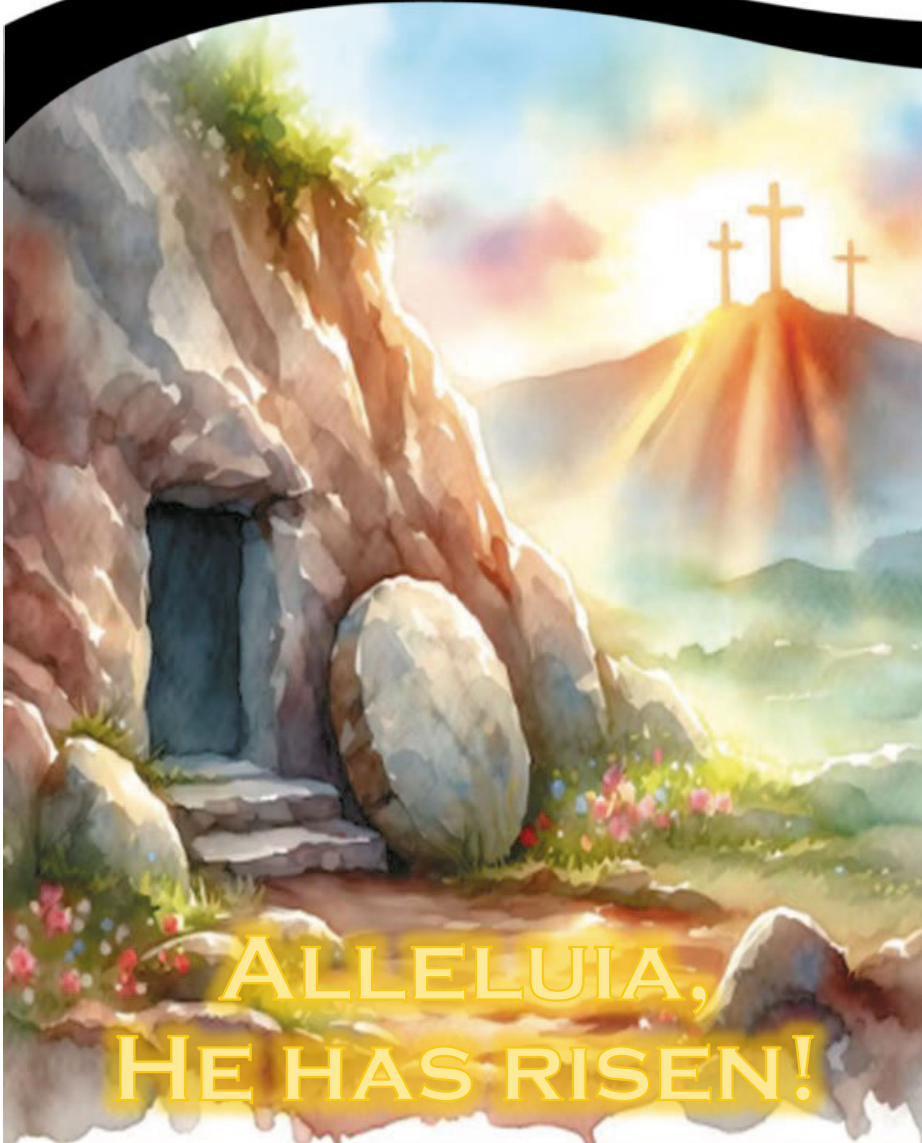


OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY PARISH



Easter Sunday ■ April 20, 2025

Our Lady of the Valley Parish,
a Roman Catholic Community, shares the Word of God
with all people of the Beaver Valley through
the Sacraments, prayer, service, and evangelization.

Clergy Team

Father Howard W. Campbell, Pastor
Father Paul Kuppe, O.F.M. Cap.,
Senior Parochial Vicar
Brother John Harvey, O.F.M. Cap.,
Senior Parochial Vicar
Deacon Mark Marvenko
Deacon Rick Ernst
Deacon Dominic A. Barracchini
Deacon Joe Basko

Weekend Mass Schedule

Vigil Masses

New Brighton: 4:00 p.m.
Rochester: 5:00 p.m.
Beaver: 6:00 p.m.

Sunday

Beaver: 7:30 a.m.
New Brighton: 9:00 a.m.
Rochester: 9:15 a.m.
Beaver: 10:00 a.m.
Freedom: 11:00 a.m.
Beaver: Noon

Confession

Rochester

Monday: 6:00 to 6:45 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:00 to 6:45 p.m.

Beaver

Saturday: Noon to 1:00 p.m.

New Brighton

Saturday: 3:00 to 3:45 p.m.
Other Times: By Appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Beaver

Friday: Noon to 4:00 p.m.

Pastoral Center

200 Third Street
Beaver, Pennsylvania 15009
724.775.4111

Website: www.olotv.org

Beaver
200 3rd Street
Office- Next Door
Beaver, PA
15009

Freedom
450 13th Street
Office- Next Door
Freedom, PA
15042

New Brighton
521 7th Avenue
Office- 1851 3rd Avenue
New Brighton, PA
15066

Rochester
628 Virginia Avenue
Office- Next Door
Rochester, PA
15074



Sacraments

Baptism: *In Baptism, the Holy Spirit moves us to answer Christ's call to holiness. In Baptism, we are asked to walk by the light of Christ and to trust in his wisdom. Please contact Gary or Tina Grimm at 724.495.2385 one week prior to class.*

Reconciliation: *The Sacrament of Penance is God's gift to us so that any sin committed after Baptism can be forgiven. In confession, we have the opportunity to repent and recover the grace of friendship with God.*

Eucharist: *In the celebration of the Eucharist, bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ. Christ is truly present – body, blood, soul, and divinity – under the appearances of bread and wine. This is what the Church means when she speaks of the "Real Presence" of Christ in the Eucharist.*

Confirmation: *In the Sacrament of Confirmation, the baptized person is "sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit" and is strengthened for service to the Body of Christ.*

Matrimony: *The Sacrament of Marriage is a covenant, which is more than a contract. Covenant always expresses a relationship between persons. The marriage covenant refers to the relationship between the husband and wife, a permanent union of persons capable of knowing and loving each other and God. The celebration of marriage is also a liturgical act. Arrangements should be made with a priest at least six months in advance. Pre-marriage classes, and meetings with the priest, are necessary. One party to be married must be a registered parishioner and a practicing Catholic.*

Priesthood: *Ordination to the priesthood is always a call and a gift from God. Christ reminded his Apostles that they needed to ask the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into the harvest. Contact our Pastor.*

Anointing of the Sick: *When the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is given, the hoped-for effect is that, if it be God's will, the person be physically healed of illness. Even if there is no physical healing, the primary effect of the Sacrament is a spiritual healing.*

Liturgy Schedule/Mass Intentions

Our Liturgies are celebrated at Saint Cecilia Church, 628 Virginia Avenue, Rochester; Saint Felix Church, 450 13th Street, Freedom; Holy Family Church, 521 7th Avenue, New Brighton; and Saints Peter and Paul Church, 200 3rd Street, Beaver.

Sunday, April 20-Easter Sunday

7:30 a.m.	B	Living and Deceased of Our Lady of the Valley Parish
9:00 a.m.	NB	Living and Deceased of Our Lady of the Valley Parish
9:15 a.m.	R	Living and Deceased of Our Lady of the Valley Parish
10:00 a.m.	B	Living and Deceased of Our Lady of the Valley Parish
11:00 a.m.	F	Living and Deceased of Our Lady of the Valley Parish
Noon	B	Living and Deceased of Our Lady of the Valley Parish

Monday, April 21

7:30 a.m.	B	Michael Ezzo (Family)
8:30 a.m.	NB	Helen Piekarski (Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners)
7:00 p.m.	R	Biago Pagani (Brian Haffey Family)

Tuesday, April 22

7:30 a.m.	B	Michael Ezzo (Joseph and Ana Maljevec)
8:30 a.m.	F	Frank Puhalla (Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners)
7:00 p.m.	R	Florence and Jack Mignanelli (Pauline)

Wednesday, April 23

7:30 a.m.	F	John Pander (Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners)
8:30 a.m.	NB	Gloria Fuller (Nora Stay)
7:00 p.m.	R	George Harris (Wife: Suzanne)

Thursday, April 24

7:30 a.m.	B	Theodore and Vera Konetsky (Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners)
8:30 a.m.	F	Michael Emery (Sister: Cindy)
7:00 p.m.	NB	Becky Boyde (Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners)

Friday, April 25

7:30 a.m.	R	Maria and Franz Dorr (Family)
8:30 a.m.	NB	John Matotek (Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners)
9:00 a.m.	B	Michael J. Stay Sr. (Family)

Saturday, April 26

9:00 a.m.	B	Stephen Jarosz (Joe and Joyce Matsko)
4:00 p.m.	NB	Cathleen P. Sofranko (Jay and Catie Wooley)
5:00 p.m.	F	Margaret Gill (Family)
6:00 p.m.	B	Harry Frank Fry (Tom and Sherry Pravlik)

Sunday, April 27-Divine Mercy Sunday

7:30 a.m.	B	Joseph Mulroy (Deelo Family)
9:00 a.m.	NB	Joshua Antoon (Family)
9:15 a.m.	R	Reno Vince and Antoinette Dioguardi (Richard,Eda,Maria)
10:00 a.m.	B	Mildred McGowan (Anniversary) (Children)
11:00 a.m.	F	Vera and Larry Biros (Daughters: Debra and Laurene)
Noon	B	Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners

*"Do not abandon yourselves to despair.
We are the Easter people
and hallelujah is our song."
— Saint John Paul II*

A Letter From Our Pastor

Dear Friends:

Christians, to the Paschal Victim
offer sacrifice and praise.
The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb;
and Christ, the undefiled,
hath sinners to his Father reconciled.

Death with life contended: combat strangely ended!
Life's own Champion, slain, yet lives to reign.

Tell us, Mary: say
what thou didst see upon the way.
The tomb the Living did enclose;
I saw Christ's glory as He rose!
The angels there attesting;
shroud with grave-clothes resting.
Christ, my hope, has risen:
He goes before you into Galilee.

That Christ is truly risen
from the dead we know.
Victorious King, Thy mercy show!
Amen. Alleluia.

The Easter Sequence (Praise to the Paschal Victim)

Thanks to all those who helped to make our Holy Week celebrations so inspiring. Thanks to our musicians, cantors, choir, readers, servers, church decorators, ushers, greeters, and all who participated in our services. Thanks to our staff for all that they do to organize everything and make it all work so smoothly.

Congratulations to our newly baptized and those receiving their Confirmation and First Communion at the Easter Vigil. Thanks to Nora and the OCIA team who accompanied them on this journey into our faith.

And on behalf of Father Paul, Brother John, Deacons Mark, Dominic, Rick, Joe, and our staff, I wish you all a Happy Easter!

Next Sunday, April 27th, we will pray the Chaplet of Mercy with Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction beginning at 3:00 p.m. at Saints Peter and Paul Church in honor of Divine Mercy Sunday.

God bless,
Father Howard

Seven Deadly Sins Continued

Since we ran out of time on March 18th, we will gather on Monday, April 28th, at 6:30 p.m., in the Saint Cecilia Hall to complete our reflections on the Seven Deadly Sins and the Seven Lively Virtues.



Weekend Retreat for Post-Abortion Healing

Rachel's Vineyard is a weekend retreat for women and men who struggle and suffer from the emotional and spiritual wounds of abortion. It will be held April 25-27, 2025 at The Ark and the Dove. The retreat begins at 1:00 p.m. on Friday. In a confidential and supportive atmosphere, the retreatant will find the love and acceptance of the retreat team and will experience the healing peace and love of Jesus. To register or for more information, call Toni Jester 412.352.5348, or email toniafj1@comcast.net. You can also visit our website www.rvofpgh.com

Next Sunday is **Divine Mercy Sunday**. The Rosary Rally group will meet in Saints Peter and Paul Church at 3:00 p.m. to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and the Holy Rosary. All are invited and please bring a friend. We all need His Divine Mercy.

Church Hours Weekdays

Saints Peter and Paul Church

7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Monday - Friday

Saint Cecilia Church

8:00 a.m. to noon

Monday - Friday

Parish Office Hours

Saints Peter and Paul: Monday-Thursday

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Saints Peter and Paul: Friday - 9:00 a.m.

to 4:00 p.m.

Saint Cecilia: Monday-Friday - 9:00 a.m. to noon

Holy Family: Monday-Friday - 9:00 a.m. to noon

Saint Felix: Monday, Thursday, and Friday 9:00 a.m. to noon.

The offices are closed for lunch.

Cemetery Information

724.323.0033 cpcapca@cpcapca-pgh.org

Report Abuse/DIOPITT

1.888.808.1235

ChildLine

1.800.932.0313

Capuchin Website

www.capuchin.com

Diocesan Archives

412.456.3158

Diocesan Website

www.diopitt.org

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults:

OCIA (formerly RCIA) provides faith formation, spiritual enrichment, and preparation for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist. Contact Nora Stay at 724.775.4111 x207 or email: nstay@olotv.com

 **RaiseRight**  **ST. PETER & PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL**
Simply the right way to fundraise.

Gift Cards Available

Sts. Peter & Paul School has gift cards in the amount of \$10.00 for the following retailers:

Giant Eagle (\$25.00)

Dick's

Chipotle

Eat 'n Park

Dunkin' Donuts

(Cash or Check)



Contact the School Office

724-774-4450

Events of the Week

Sunday, 4/20 - Easter Sunday

B Easter Sunday Mass, 7:30 a.m.

NB Easter Sunday Mass, 9:00 a.m.

R Easter Sunday Mass, 9:15 a.m.

B Easter Sunday Mass, 10:00 a.m.

F Easter Sunday Mass, 11:00 a.m.

B Easter Sunday Mass, Noon

Monday, 4/21

R Sacrament of Reconciliation, 6:00 to 6:45 p.m.

Parish Offices Closed

School Closed

Tuesday, 4/22

R Chair Yoga Class, noon to 12:45 p.m., Social Hall

Wednesday, 4/23

R Sacrament of Reconciliation, 6:00 to 6:45 p.m.

NB Bingo, 7:00 p.m., Hall

R Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 p.m.

SSPP Dine to Donate, Panera Bread, Center Township

Thursday, 4/24

B Holy Name Society Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Keating Hall

Friday, 4/25

SSPP Bingo, 6:00 p.m., Cafeteria

Saturday, 4/26

B Sacrament of Reconciliation, noon to 1:00 p.m.

NB Sacrament of Reconciliation, 3:00 to 3:45 p.m.

Sunday, 4/27

F Youth Mass (2nd grade), 11:00 a.m.

NB Middle School Youth Group, 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., Bingo Hall

Middle School Youth Group (Grades 6th, 7th, 8th)

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer." Romans 12:12

Questions: Caitlin Cavaliere - Youthminister@olotv.org

4/20	<u>No Youth Group – Happy Easter!</u>
4/27	<p><u>Move-Up Night</u></p> <p>If you are in 5th grade and interested in coming to Youth Group next year, come and see what we do and meet some of the Middle-Schoolers. We would love to see you!</p> <p>Time: 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., Religious Education Building, New Brighton</p>

Contemporary Group: Leading Music

Sunday, May 4, 9:15 a.m., Saint Cecilia Church

Sunday, May 25, noon, Saints Peter and Paul Church



Save the Date!

Our Lady of the Valley

Vacation Bible School

Summer 2025

July 14th to 17th

Saints Peter and Paul School Cafeteria

STEWARDSHIP

Weekend Of: 3/15/25 - 3/16/25

Weekly Total: \$19,960.00
 Weekly Budgeted Needed: \$27,378.93

Parish Appeal Goal 2025

Parish Appeal Goal: \$221,900.00
 Monthly Goal: \$18,492.00
 Balance Due: \$191,204.00

Thank you for your support and generosity.

Weekly Sanctuary Candle Intentions

Saint Cecilia Church
 Our Lady of the Valley Parishioners

Saint Felix Church
 Michael Emery
 By: Sister, Cindy

Holy Family Church
 Jared Patrick Krut
 By: Grandma Krut and Family

Saints Peter and Paul Church
 Spiritual and Temporal Welfare of Paula Morgan
 By: Society of Saint Vincent de Paul



Our Lady of the Valley Bingo Games:

Our weekly fundraiser takes place every Wednesday at the Holy Family Social Hall in New Brighton. Our bingo games have been voted "Best in The Valley" numerous times. We are truly grateful for the love and support as the monies contribute to the maintenance and upkeep of our Church. Hot foods, snacks, and some of the best desserts in town are available to our bingo players. The kitchen is open from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. It's a fun night out! Doors open early. Games start at 7:00 p.m. We have a great group of volunteers, and we welcome anyone who would like to help. If you are interested in having fun while volunteering, call Bill at 724.384.8888.

STS. PETER & PAUL SCHOOL Day of Giving

SUNDAY, JUNE 29, 2025
12 PM - 3 PM



— UPON THIS ROCK —

12 PM THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

We are honored to welcome Bishop Zubik as he celebrates Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Church at 12:00 noon to kick off our Day of Giving. There's no better way to celebrate our Feast Day—come worship with us and be part of this special occasion!

1 PM FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

Join us for a free celebration feast on the school campus. Enjoy a delicious meal and take the opportunity to learn more about Catholic education. We look forward to celebrating with you!

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 Beaver, PA 15009

www.BeaverCatholic.com

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SAINTS PETER AND PAUL PTG
PRESENTS
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BINGO

NIGHT

15 BINGO ROUNDS - 50/50
BASKET RAFFLES - CONCESSIONS

FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 2025

\$30 PER PERSON | FIRST GAME @ 7PM

DOORS OPEN @ 6PM; EARLY BIRDS @ 6:30PM

OVER \$1000 IN CASH AND PRIZES
AWARDED THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT

SSPP CAFETERIA
 370 EAST END AVE., BEAVER, PA 15009

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Our Lady of the Valley Society of Saint Vincent de Paul: Blessed Easter

The Mission of The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul at Our Lady of the Valley Parish is to serve the poor of our community. We offer care and compassion when there is not enough food to eat and when a crisis overwhelms families in their homes. The stories in the Sunday Bulletin highlight our work with families visiting the Food Pantry in Keating Hall and Vincentian visits to our Friends in Need in their homes. Each of these stories show Friendship and Spirituality are the guiding principles in our ministry of Charity. We care for all with gentleness, humility, and honesty as we ask for their trust. We strive to meet their suffering and concerns with zeal and selflessness to offer renewed hope. These are the virtues Vincentians aspire to emulate to promote love and respect for the poor. We see the poor through our hearts as sons and daughters of God. We see the poor as our brothers and sisters united in Christ. And we are devoted to draw closer to Christ as we walk with our Friends in Need. During this Lenten season, Catholics endeavor to draw into a closer relationship with Christ as we prepare for His Resurrection. The Vincentians of Our Lady of the Valley wish our fellow parishioners a Blessed Easter. Christ is risen. Rejoice!

Dear Parishioners,

On behalf of Our Lady of the Valley Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, and all the food pantry volunteers, we extend a big THANK YOU for your donations for the month of April. Through your support we were able to provide groceries and a \$25.00 certificate to 104 Friends in need to help make their Easter a little more doable. As soon as the food distribution ends, we begin the next month's collection.

These are the items needed for the May 13th food distribution!

Sunny Delight (1/2 gal), breakfast bars, rice, beans, taco shells, Sloppy Joe mix, diced tomatoes, bags of nacho chips, paper towels, Kleenex, toiletries.

Additionally, we would like to give a special shout-out to the Felician Sisters and their staff, as well as the Girl Scouts, for their generous donations!

The Tuesday Evening Prayer Group/Renewal Alumni (first Tuesday of the month) at 5:30 pm at Saint Cecilia Social Hall will be taking a break beginning in May and will resume in September.

This is a wonderful group of prayer warriors who love our God and worship HIM by gathering, sharing our faith, and praying together. All are welcome - men, women, young adults!



On April 8th the Tuesday Evening Prayer Group/Renewal Alumni visited Rochester Manor and Villa Personal Care Facility. We had a sing-a-long, played Easter Trivia, prayed, and handed out some treats. It was very nice spending time with the residents, and a fun time was had by all.

We serve God by serving others.

Magnificat Prayer Breakfast for Women

Join us on Saturday, May 31, 9:00 a.m. to noon, for a prayer-filled breakfast at the DoubleTree by Hilton, Cranberry Township, 910 Sheraton Drive, Cranberry/Warrendale. In addition to a delicious breakfast, praise and worship, fun and fellowship, the featured speaker will be Monique Moussot. Registration is \$35 and includes music by Living Praise, speaker, and breakfast. Register online or download mail-in registration at <https://www.magnificatpittsburgh.org/>.



Celebrate
50 Days
of Easter
Hallelujah!

The Easter Vigil is the "Mother of All Vigils" and Easter Sunday is the greatest of all Sundays. The season of Easter is the most important of all liturgical times, which Catholics celebrate as the Lord's resurrection from the dead, culminating in His Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church. The octave of Easter comprises the eight days which stretch from the first to the second Sunday. It is a way of prolonging

the joy of the initial day. There are 50 days of Easter from the first Sunday to Pentecost. It is characterized, above all, by the joy of glorified life and the victory over death expressed most fully in the great resounding cry of the Christian: Alleluia! All faith flows from faith in the resurrection: "If Christ has not been raised, then empty is our preaching; empty, too, is your faith." [1 Cor 15:14]

29th Annual - 2025

Drive With the Saints

Benefits Saints Peter and Paul School, Beaver

Prizes Include:

Olde Stonewall Foursome - Winning Team

What: Four-Man Scramble Golf Outing

Where: **Beaver Valley Golf Club, Beaver Falls - 724.846.2212**, <http://www.beavervalleygc.com/>

When: Friday May 9th - **Registration 8:00 a.m. - Tee Off 9:00 a.m.**



This is a very important fund raising event for Saints Peter and Paul School. The proceeds from this event represent a significant portion of our PTG's annual budget. The outing has been successful and we need your help to match or exceed the recent success. We will again play at The Beaver Valley Golf Club. All participants will be automatically "PRE-REGISTERED" for the prize holes: closest-to-the-pin and longest drives. There will be ample food and drink at the crossroads.

Golfer Registration

Red Golfer: \$100 registration includes 18 holes with a cart, pre-registration for all prize holes.

Corporate Golfer: \$600 includes 4 x 18 holes with a cart, 4 x pre-registration for all prize holes and a hole dedicated in your honor.

Sponsor Registration

Red Sponsor: Monetary donations and gifts will be accepted.

Gold Sponsor: \$125 includes recognition "SIGN" on the golf course.

STAR Sponsor: \$500 includes a hole dedicated in your honor.



Please submit this form and fees by Sunday, April 20th, 2025.

Send Checks and Registration to: Saints Peter and Paul PTG
Attention: Drive With the Saints
370 East End Avenue
Beaver, PA 15009

Captain / Name: _____

Phone / Email: _____

of Golfers: _____ @\$ _____ = _____

Sponsorship: = \$ _____

Total: = \$ _____

Golfers Names:

Contact: **Jim Masterson 412.736.4804**
jmasterson@ardex.com

Choices Pregnancy Services, a local pregnancy medical center and their new emphasis on Men's ministry, needs your help to bless the men who come through the doors with 'Dad Bags' for Father's Day, as these men go through the Parent University program at Choices. Here are two ways you can help them.

1. Purchase a gift card to Home Depot so Choices can purchase the proper supplies for each bag to give away to the men.
2. Purchase a gift card from a local restaurant (Applebee's, Chick-fil-A, etc.) to bless them as they support their families in this new season of life.

Your generous gift of a gift card can be included in the collection basket each week...marked CHOICES...

Please call Amy Wengryn-Hansen with any questions you may have, 724.622.2426.

Choices Baby Bottle Campaign



The Our Lady of the Valley Christian Mothers are sponsoring a "Baby Bottle Drive for Choices" during Lent.

The campaign begins on Sunday, March 9th and concludes on Easter Sunday, April 20th.

The money collected will stay in Beaver County to assist those in need.

Monthly Prayer Group

DATES: 5/06

TIME: 5:30 p.m.

PLACE: Saint Cecilia Hall

Facilitator: **Renee Marvenko**

Sponsored by:

Renewal Alumni Group

Everyone is Welcome!!

The more prayers, the better!!

Any questions, please contact:

Lori Ketterer

buddyball4u@hotmail.com or

724.544.8806

Sue Jamery

sjamery@hotmail.com or 724.312.0142

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO MAKE THE

2ND ANNUAL BEAVER COUNTY COMMUNITY BABY SHOWER

A SUCCESS!

We're preparing for the 2nd Annual FREE baby Shower for pregnant and new moms in need of love, support and items for their little ones. Our goal is to educate moms on healthy eating & feeding, and the importance of prenatal and postpartum mental health.

Here's how you can help:

SPONSOR A BABY DRIVE



Make an announcement in your church, business or community. We are looking for gently new or used baby items for our Boutique open to moms to shop for FREE during this event. Collect and drop off items at Grace Lutheran Church any Wednesday starting March 12th through April 30th between 10am and 4pm. A sign will be posted near the side door on Ohio Street.



CHECK OUT OUR AMAZON WISHLIST

We have combined a list of mom and baby's most essential needs. Purchase items to be raffled off as shower gifts.



SPREAD THE WORD

Help us get the word out to pregnant and new moms of newborns up to 18 months. The Shower will be held May 8, 2025 at Grace Lutheran Church from 9:00am to 2:00pm.



TRANSPORTATION

If you know a mom that can benefit from FREE baby items and parenting education being provided at this event, but she doesn't have transportation, **offer her a ride.**



DROP OFF LOCATION:
GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
353 ADAMS STREET
ROCHESTER, PA 15074
10:00AM 4:00PM
WEDNESDAYS ONLY
MARCH 12 THROUGH APRIL 30



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SCAM + FRAUD PREVENTION WORKSHOP

"How can older adults avoid becoming victims?"

"You will learn how to detect and protect yourself from scams"

"Buying a gift card to pay someone? STOP! It's a SCAM!"

Date: May 8, 2025

Time: 6 to 8 PM

Location:
First Presbyterian Church
252 College Ave
Beaver, PA 15009

Free Workshop
More Info Call 724-774-6398

Sponsored by the Beaver Police Department



Christian Mothers Upcoming Dates

Sunday, May 4th, Saint Cecilia, Mass, 9:15 a.m.

Tuesday, May 13th, Saint Cecilia, Rosary followed by Mass, 6:30p.m.

Thursday, May 22nd, Saint Cecilia Social Hall, Annual Picnic, Bingo, and Prizes, 6:00 p.m.

Pray For Our Military

Tanner Ambrose, 1st Lt., US Army, Cate Babcanec, LCDR, US Navy, Quentin Bliss, USAF, James Bonaparte, US Army, Capt. Mark R. Cahill, Sgt. Nicolas Campbell, Capt. Peary Cox, 2nd Lt. Tyler Cox, E1 Jack Cumberledge, Lt. Christina DiCicco, Spc. David DiCicco, Jacob Dishler, USMC, Major Jacob Enke, SrA Shane Everette, USAF, Capt. Christopher Fischer, John Garizas, USAF, Cpl. Paul Gennaro, Alyssa M. Gerello, USAF, Dominic Greco, US Navy ME-3, Nathan Habrle, USMC PFC, Nicholas Habrle, US Coast Guard ME-2, LTJG Daniel C. Haley, USN, PFC Nicholas Handwork, A1C Cortland R. Hawkins, Jodie Honeycutt-Huie, USMC, Col. Matthew Kinkead, A1C Stephen Kokan, USAF, Spc. Rachel Kullen, SSG Joseph Levato, L.Cpl. Jondavid Longo, USMC, MA3, USN Jonathan McRae, SSgt. Patrick T. Michael, USAF, Spec. Michael Moore, Capt. Lauren Nash, Capt. Matthew Orochena, SSGT Seth M. Peters, MSG David J. Przybysz, Benjamin Reid, US Army, FS-1 Russ Regney, USCG, US Army, Sgt. Tyler Sandusky, Kaytee Shaffer, US Navy, Joey Shubbuck, US Navy, MSG Brent L. Stanko, Lt. Col. Kylee Turbish, TSgt. Ryan Whipple, USAF, TSgt. Diane Whipple, USAF

Prayer Requests for our Hospitalized, Sick, and Struggling

Please pray for all who are in the hospital, ill, and who have asked for our prayers: Autumn Bedolatti, Ronald Brozich, Pamela Byrne, Donna, Kathy Ebersberger, Mike Estermyer, Richard Fink, Kerien Fitzpatrick, Jim Flannick, SKG, Ken Hand, Monica Holliday, Cindy Hurst, Mike Hurst, Ernest Johnson Jr., Chris Justi, Katie, Donald E. Kittner, Janie Labasik, Lorraine Long, Paisley Louise, Robin Main, Mary, Dillon Mattern, Paula Morgan, Gerald Osmanski, Greg Osmanski, Philip, Judy Robertson, Cheryl Sciarro, Janice Spowal, John Strobel, John Surowiec, Lois Witt, and Tom Wolbert.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT – NEW PROTECTING GOD’S CHILDREN COURSE

Have you completed the Protecting God’s Children and Vulnerable Adults 4.1 course? This is a new recertification course. When you receive the email notification through VIRTUS, please complete this course as soon as possible.

Who must complete the training and safe environment clearance requirements?

All parish staff and volunteers including: Advisory Councils: Finance and Pastoral; Faith Formation: Catechists & Aides, Vacation Bible School, O.C.I.A. Team, Youth Ministry, Volunteers; Liturgical and Music Ministry: Adult Altar Servers, Cantors, Choir, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Greeters, Lectors, Ushers; Parish Organizations: Christian Mothers/Women’s Guild, Holy Name Society, Knights of Columbus, Saint Vincent de Paul, Parish dinners, Fish Fry, and all Fundraising Volunteers.

Two clearances must be renewed every five years: The PA Child Abuse History Clearance, and the FBI Fingerprint Clearance/Waiver. If you submitted your PA Child Abuse History Clearance and FBI Fingerprint Clearance/Waiver in 2020 or before, they are now expired/expiring.

Please register for the Protecting God’s Children 4.1 course by visiting virtusonline.org. You will need to know your USERID and password. If you have attempted to recover your password and/or user ID and have not been successful (including if you have an outdated email address in the VIRTUS system), please communicate with the VIRTUS Help Desk via email at helpdesk@virtus.org or call 1.888.847.8870.

If your contact information has changed, please contact me at Andrea@olotv.org or call 724.775.4111 extension 226. It is very important that we have current email addresses in the VIRTUS database.

There are two computers available at the St. Cecilia office. I am very willing to help you complete this course. If you need assistance completing the course or any child abuse clearance requirements, contact Andrea Korcan-Buzza, Safe Environment Coordinator, at 724.775.4111 or Andrea@olotv.org.

Thank you to all who have completed these clearances and training. Let us work together to build God’s kingdom.

As part of our Pastoral Plan, Our Lady of the Valley Parish is looking to expand our community outreach efforts to improve our impact in the community. We would like to organize a core team of people to work co-operatively with other local groups to identify the needs of our community, plan projects to satisfy those needs, and enlist the volunteers needed to do so. If you are interested in this opportunity to be on the core team, you can reach out via phone to Adrienne McFee at 724.561.7506 or via email to Albert Simoni at albert@hkequipment.com for more information and details.

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