



Most Reverend Edward C. Malesic

It was announced on Thursday morning that Pope Francis has appointed the **Most Reverend Edward C. Malesic** bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland. Bishop-designate Malesic takes over the governance of the Diocese of Cleveland from Bishop Nelson Perez who was named the Archbishop of Philadelphia in February 2020. Father Don Oleksiak will continue as administrator of the diocese until Bishop-designate Malesic is installed as the 12th bishop of the Diocese of Cleveland on Monday, September 14 during Mass at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist.

Bishop Malesic is 59. He has been a priest for 33 years. He was born to Joseph A. and the late Elizabeth Schatt Malesic on August 14, 1960 in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. The bishop's 102-year-old father, who remains quite active, lives near Hershey, Pennsylvania. The bishop is of German descent on his mother's side; his father is of Slovenian descent. Bishop Malesic received the sacraments of initiation at the former St. John the Evangelist Parish -- which was a German national parish -- in Enhaut Pennsylvania. He is a 1978 graduate of Central Dauphin East High School, Harrisburg, and he attended Lebanon Valley College in Annville as a biology major for three years prior to entering the seminary in 1981.

Bishop Malesic earned a bachelor's degree in philosophy in 1983 from the Pontifical College Josephinum in Columbus. He continued his theological studies there and was awarded a master of divinity degree in 1987. He was ordained to the diaconate on May 24, 1986, and to the priesthood on May 30, 1987, at St. Patrick Cathedral in Harrisburg. Bishop Malesic comes to us from Southwestern Pennsylvania where he was the fifth bishop of Greensburg Pennsylvania since 2015.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, July 21, 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory.

CONFESSIONS

Fr. Hilinski will use the priest's sacristy to hear confessions on Saturdays, from 3:45-4:00 p.m. The sacristy will be set up with a kneeler and a chair. Father will be turned away from you to hear your confession unless you request face to face confession. Please use the door to the sacristy which is located in the hallway that leads to the single restroom.

Prayer List

Please pray for our parishioners who are ill and all who are in need of our prayers:

- Jim Adams, Phillip Adams, Renette Armstrong, Ed Barker, Stan Bellar, William Boutell, MaryAnn Boyer, Alan Bradny, Iola Natal, Loretta Budzinski, Sarah Burket, Shannon Burke, Phyllis Cielec, Donna Cuevas, Jean Fabian, Mary Jean Farren, Dorothy Friedl, Marcy Hill, Joan Kalemba, Paul Karbowski, Richard Konarski, Chris Krovich, Maria Kusmierczyk, Christopher Lenik, Rosemary Maier, Ed Montgomery, Dorothy Noga, Kathleen Patton, Linda Sikora, Marek Pietrzycki, Martha Plonski, Martha Vana, Mike Prock, Marc Rudolph, Ann Sagar, Robert Orahoske, Lindsey Sieniawski, Brandon Hrelja, Włodzimierz Wrobel, Sandy Kalemba Worden, Ray Yoder, Tom Zakarowsky

SOCIAL CONCERNS PROJECT: Back to School Gift Cards for Kids

Through **the rest of the month of July** we will be collecting donations of Walmart Gift Cards (\$20 each) to help selected students at **Metro Catholic School** prepare for the new school year. Parishioners can buy and donate a \$20 Walmart gift card or they can make a cash donation. Any cash collected will be used to purchase additional \$20 gift cards.

We received a nice note this week from Mary Lou Toler, Director of Metro Catholic School, grateful for our parishioners and their generosity and support. Included with the note was a little poem from Sr. Linda Marie Gecewicz SND who teaches at the school:

*Pen and pencils, Folders and glue,
These we can buy Because of you.
Pouches, backpacks We can fill,
Thanks to your love And your good will.
Gracias, Asante, Merci beaucoup-
For the Walmart cards, May God Bless you!*



FACE MASKS are to be worn upon entering the church and during the celebration of the Mass only to be removed momentarily to receive communion. If you or your guest does not have a face mask one will be made available to you. Face masks are on the table near the side entrance.

NOSIC MASKE NA TWARZ

Podczas wchodzenia do kościoła i podczas Mszy Świętej należy nosić maskę na twarz. Tylko na chwilę można usunąć ją przyjąwszy komunię. Jeśli ty lub twój gość nie ma maski, możemy ją dla was zapewnić.

The generosity of our Parishioners & Friends has brought St. Barbara Church the following:
Collection for July 11-12 - \$2,713 (50 envelopes)
Maintenance Fund - \$825 (17 envelopes)
Thank you! Dziękuję bardzo!