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Office Hours:

Monday-Friday: 9:00am-4:00pm

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Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:30PM (Vigil)
Sunday 7:30AM, 9:00AM, & 11:00AM*
Weekday 8:00AM* (Mon.-Sat.)

*8:00AM & 11:00AM Masses also livestreamed on our parish website.

Eucharistic Adoration:
First Friday of each month 10:00am-12:00pm.

Confession

Saturday 3:00-4:00 PM

Msgr. Edward J. Coyle, Pastor

Msgr. Thomas E. Hoban, Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Abraham Ha, Parochial Vicar

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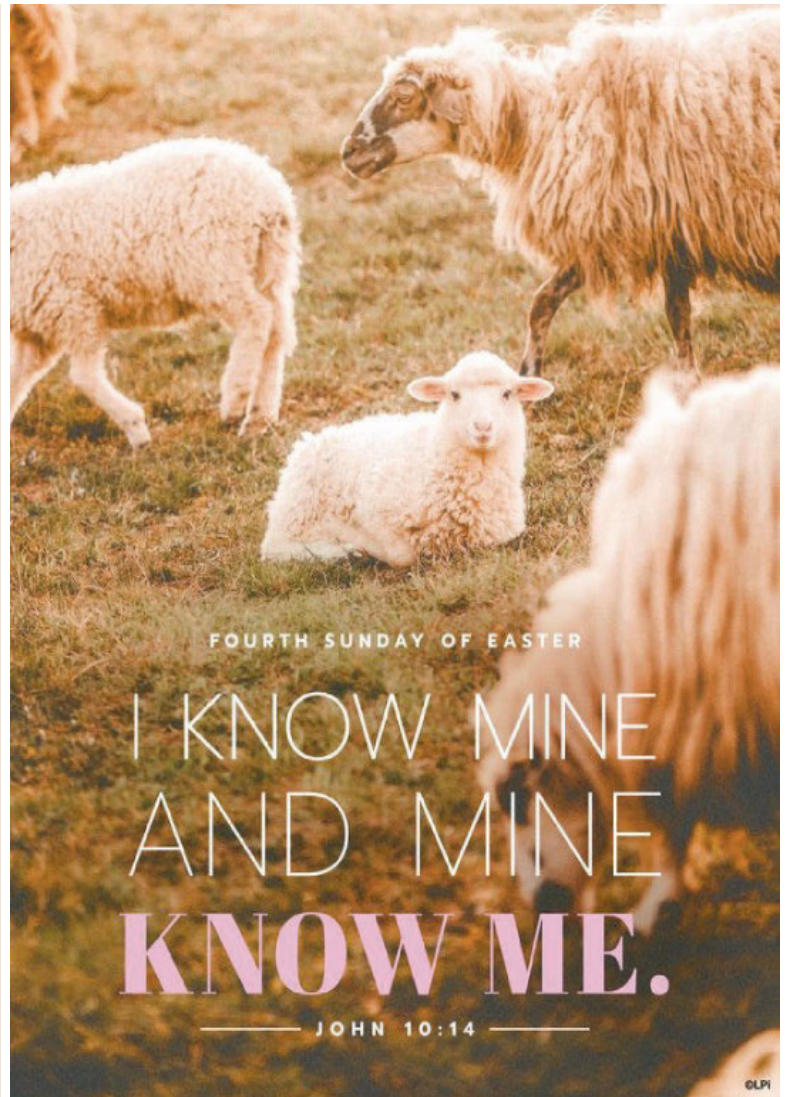
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St. Ann's Church is committed to bringing people to encounter Jesus Christ through Word, Sacrament, service, and community.

We're a WARM place to gather—Welcoming, Active, Relevant & Mission-driven!

Mass Intentions *Week of 4/22/24*

Monday, 4/22 Easter Weekday
8:00am* Thomas Sullivan *by* Frank and Maria Ferrandina

Tuesday, 4/23 St. George, Martyr
8:00am* Rick Haberacker *by* Mary Helen Markowitz

Wednesday, 4/24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Martyr
8:00am* Stanley & Mary Grois *by* John & Patricia Litak

Thursday, 4/25 St. Mark, Evangelist
8:00am* David Phy *by* Beverly Smull

Friday, 4/26 Easter Weekday
8:00am* Carla Dimler *by* Donna Zwick

Saturday, 4/27 Easter Weekday
8:00am* William "Burns" Moore *by* Molly Troxell

Fifth Sunday of Easter
4:30pm Eric Bobal *by* Jared & Mary Helen Markowitz

Sunday, 4/28 Fifth Sunday of Easter
7:30am Living & Deceased Parishioners
Father William Carter *by* Reynold & Aurora Bogert
9:00am Jack & Catherine Farrell *by* Phil & Kay Baney
11:00am* Lillian Epstein *by* Paul & Margo Steiner

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*Worthy are you, Lord our God,
to receive glory and honor and power,
for you created all things;
because of your will they came to be
and were created.*

(Rev 4:11)

Daily Readings for Your Week

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 (22)/
Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14

*Jesus looked at them and said,
"For human beings it is impossible, but not for God.
All things are possible for God."*

Mark 10:27

Liturgy & Word

Recently I was with my little dog Libby at a retreat center in the Arizona desert. I sat in a chair near a ravine filled with shrubs. Unbeknownst to me, Libby wandered down there and disappeared. Suddenly an animal's wild shriek erupted from the area. Without thinking, I bolted down into the ravine fully expecting to see coyotes, javelinas, or rattlesnakes. I didn't care. I desperately wanted to get Libby out of there, without any self-regard. Before I could face whatever danger lay hidden, my dog blissfully trotted out from an entirely different area, utterly unaware that I had (quite heroically) just placed my life on the line.

When the adrenaline wore off, I thought to myself: how far would I have been willing to go to save her? I don't know. But I do know, if I had literally died, my friends and family would have certainly thought me insane for dying for a dog. No offense, Libby.

How passionately Jesus wants us to know him and his willingness to die for us! This week he says, "I know my own and my own know me," and "I lay down my life for the sheep." Here we encounter an insanely excessive love for us. Christianity is a relationship and not simply a religion or ethical code. In Jesus, God rescues and saves us. He laid down his life for you and me — and he has taken it up again. So often we are like Libby — blissfully ignorant of the reality of both our spiritual danger and his saving love. This Easter season, the risen Jesus calls us to be more conscious than ever before about his love. He never ceases to lay down his life for us.

Fr. John Muir ©LPI



Parish Life

Good Shepherd Sunday



I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep.

I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep.

(Jn 10:11-15)

We pray today for our parish shepherds, Msgr. Coyle, Fr. Ha, Deacons Amedeo and Fenton, and our Diaconate candidates Friend and Servagno.

WASA May 6 Meeting: Fashion Show

ALL ladies of the parish are invited on Monday, May 6, to join WASA at 6:30pm, in the school gym for a fashion show and desserts!



You don't have to be a member of WASA to attend, and please bring a friend! **Le Femme Boutique**, newly opened on Main Street in Emmaus, will showcase some of their gowns and dresses—right in time for spring and summer weddings and celebrations! You'll recognize some of your parish friends as they model these beautiful gowns and formal wear. The boutique's owner, Jane, will give us fashion tips and ideas on dressing for special occasions! We'd love to have you join us on May 6 in the school gym for the show, desserts, and our meeting.



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Pictured left to right: Anne Kiernan, President of Our Lady's Helpers, receives a donation check from Fred Flemming and Mark Schaaf from St. Ann's KOC Chapter 12886.

Valentine Dance Money Donated

At their recent meeting, St. Ann's KOC donated \$4,000 from the February Valentine's Dinner Dance proceeds to Our Lady's Helpers toward their mobile ultrasound program providing immediate and compassionate help to women in crisis pregnancies by assisting each mother in choosing life for her baby.

Parish Contacts

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Do you need the parish Prayer Group to pray for you or a loved one or friend?
 Email Donna at walkwwings@aol.com.

Spring & Winter Bus Trips: SOLD OUT

St. Ann's Prime Timers bus trips for May 21 ("Still Surfin'") and Nov. 19 (Irving Berlin's Winter Wonderland) are sold out. There is a wait list for both trips. Please call Regina at 610-417-6541 to be added to the wait list.

Student Scholarship Applications Available

St. Ann's Knights of Columbus Council 12886 is accepting applications through May 4th for their Scholarship Program which offers one **\$2,000 award (Thomas Mulkern Scholarship)** to a college-bound student and one **\$1,000 award (Andrew Schock Scholarship)** to an 8th-grade student who will attend a Catholic high school. All students of St. Ann's parish (public or parochial school attendees) are eligible. Details found on the KOC website: www.koc12886.org. Good luck to all applicants!

Ongoing Carmelite Collection

Would you like to assist the Carmelite sisters in Center Valley? The Carmelites are cloistered and live a simple life surrounded by God through prayer. They are sustained through the charity of others. If you would like to contribute a few items to their daily needs, there is always a collection bin at the information desk in the lobby.

Suggestions: cleaning products; paper products (white); plastic storage and trash bags; applesauce cups; cooking oil; canned goods: soups, vegetables, fruit; PB (creamy) & jelly; non-stick cooking spray; sugar; boxed potatoes (any kind)

Ministries & Meetings

WASA: May 6, 6:30pm, school gym

Come join WASA and Le Femme Boutique of Emmaus for a spring formal wear fashion show! It's free and you don't have to be a WASA member to attend—bring a friend or two. A lovely evening of dresses, desserts, and fashion, sprinkled with a spiritual share and socializing. Join us!

Friend Ship Ministry: 3rd Sundays

2-4pm, Parish Life Center. For young adults with disabilities (19+ yrs.).

Signup: <https://forms.gle/cBMG7UaPfxwzjKLZ8>

3 C's Widow/Widower Group: 3rd Tuesdays

8:45am, Perkins, Lehigh St. To reserve call Rose at 610-967-3894.

Moms & Tots Group: Mondays

Meets most Mondays from 9-10:30am in the Parish Life Center. To join, send a text "@stannsmom" to 81010.

Small Faith Group/Bible Study: Tuesdays

Watch and discuss *The Chosen: Season 2*. Join us Tuesdays, 7pm, Parish Life Center. Zoom link available. Online signup: <https://forms.gle/z4WsFAxv5gMqdt2x5>

Becoming Catholic Program

For info on adults receiving their sacraments or joining the Catholic faith, please email ckimock@stann-emmaus.org.

Morning Mass with Bishop Schlert

Wed., May 22: 8:30 am

St. Joseph the Worker, Orefield

Join Bishop Schlert as he attends Mass monthly around the Diocese. For other locations: allentowndiocese.org.



St. Ann School

Students Learn Sewing in FCS Class

Seventh grade students in Family & Consumer Sciences have begun learning the basics of sewing on the machine in preparation for beginning their first machine project—a drawstring bag!

Mrs. Bogert says, "Yes! You are seeing things right! Students are sewing on paper first to learn the skills needed for a successful fabric project."



Lots of creative projects happen in FCS classes!



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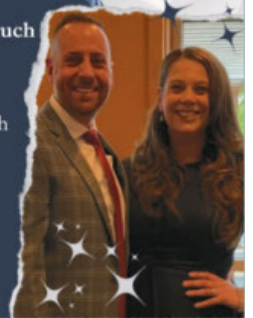
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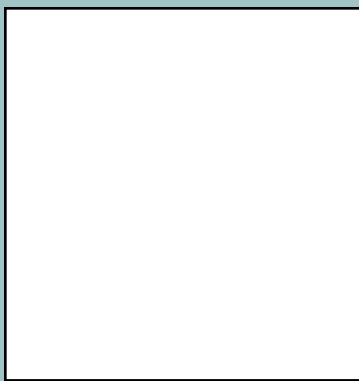




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