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Mass Schedule

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| 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

Deacon Dominick F. Amedeo, Jr.

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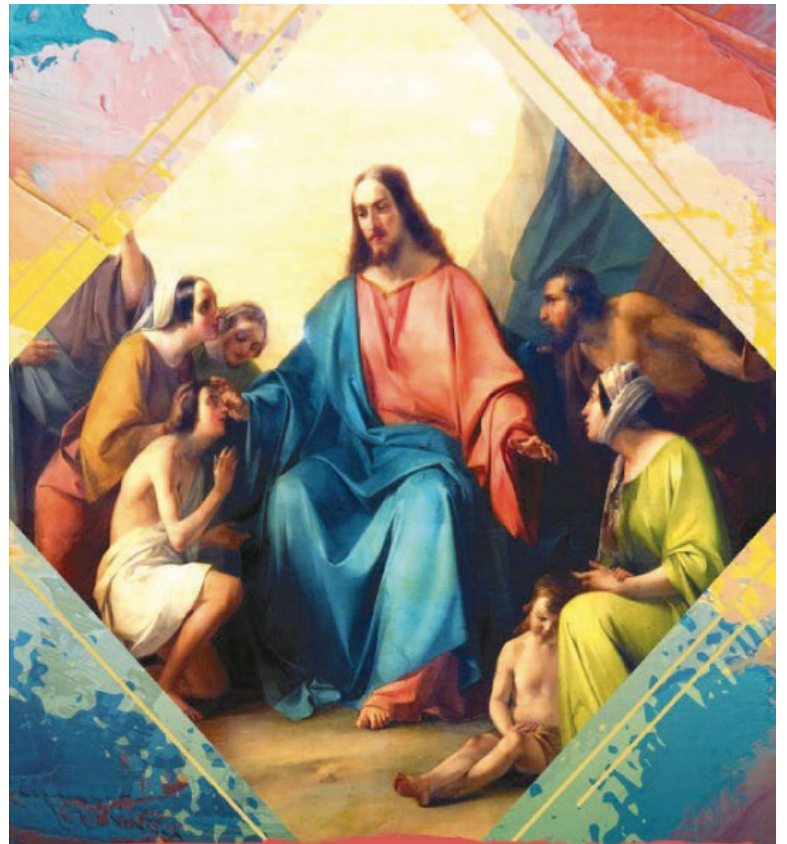
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6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love." - Jn 15:10

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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 5/6/24*

Monday, 5/6 Easter Weekday
8:00am* George Cosmos *by* Wife, Eleanore Cosmos

Tuesday, 5/7 Easter Weekday
8:00am* Michael Sacco *by* Anthony

Wednesday, 5/8 Easter Weekday
8:00am* Rose Marie Gaumer
by Husband, Ross, Krasley & Burch Families
9:00am Special Intentions of the Coyle Family
(School/May Crowning Mass)
7:00pm Mary Cestone *by* Son, Daniel Cestone *(Vigil Mass)*

Thursday, 5/9 The Ascension of the Lord
8:00am* Father George Winne *by* Rick & Marlene
9:00am* Ernest Stoudt *by* DeCristofano Family *(School Mass)*
7:00pm* Paul Herwig *by* Joe and Joanne Jasinski & Family

Friday, 5/10 St. John of Avila, Priest & Doctor of the Church
8:00am* Lucas Pierog *by* Your Dad, Greg

Saturday, 5/11 Easter Weekday
8:00am* Antonino & Franca Ingui
by Daughter, Anna & Joseph Galante

Seventh Sunday of Easter
4:30pm Living & Deceased Mothers of the Parish

Sunday, 5/12 Seventh Sunday of Easter
7:30am Living & Deceased Parishioners
Living & Deceased Mothers of the Parish
9:00am Living & Deceased Mothers of the Parish
11:00am* Living & Deceased Mothers of the Parish

*Church & Online

Daily Readings for Your Week

Sunday: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 (see 2b)/
1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26—
16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/
Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 16:16-20

Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23 or
Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28

***"Say to the Lord, 'I am clay, and you, Lord, the potter.
Make of me what You will.'"***

St. John of Avila—Feast Day: May 10

Liturgy & Word

A Faith Retreat

Have you ever longed to deepen your faith through a Catholic retreat experience?

In September the Diocese of Allentown will sponsor a Curcillo. Curcillo is a worldwide movement within the Catholic Church dedicated to the renewal of the faith and Christian service to our communities. Since 1970 Curcillo has been active in our diocese and open to all Catholics in good standing.

This once in a lifetime experience will take place at Mariawald Retreat Center in Reading. The retreat begins Thursday night until Sunday.

**The Men's weekend is September 19-22;
the Women's weekend is September 26-29.**

Curcillo inspires leadership and service to the Church, and deepens our relationship with Jesus Christ. Curcillo lays a foundation for true discipleship.

Consider making a Curcillo. You may speak to me or anyone you know who has made a Curcillo. A Catholic can only make one Curcillo in their lifetime—don't miss the experience to encounter the Risen Lord!

Msgr. Edward J. Coyle



May is the month of Mary!

Dating back centuries, the month of May has been a perfect time to recognize the awe and beauty of new growth around us and the special place that Mary has in our lives. She intercedes for us all. Make time during this month to honor the Blessed Mother Mary in prayer to celebrate her faith, love, and virtue. Ave, Maria!

Parish Life



The Feast of the Ascension of Jesus is a Holy Day of Obligation for Catholics. We celebrate Jesus ascending into heaven 40 days after His resurrection.

Wednesday, May 8
7:00pm (Vigil)

Thursday, May 9
8:00am, 9:00am, & 7:00pm

“As they were looking on, He was lifted up, and a cloud took Him from their sight.” (Acts 1:9)

This week, we celebrate the Ascension of our Lord. When Jesus ascended into heaven, He gave specific directions to his Apostles. "Go and make disciples of all nations." They listened! They made disciples, who made disciples, who made disciples, on down the centuries. And here we are! So what's next? The truth is that we're all commissioned and sent. It happened at our baptism, when we were made sharers in this sacred mission of Jesus. ©LPI (edited excerpt)



We all share
in making
new disciples.



We **WARM**-ly welcome several new families who recently joined St. Ann's Church. We're so glad you're here!

Aullo Agreda
Ayala
Dobersztyn
Hunt
Ryan

**St. Ann's is a WARM parish—
Welcoming, Active, Relevant & Mission-driven in all we do!**



This weekend, 48 parish second-grade students received the gift of their very First Holy Communion. May their hearts continue to be filled with joy each time they receive the Eucharist and are reminded of God's love for them. Congratulations on your first Holy Communion!

We also thank our students' families for their guidance and love in reaching this important milestone and to our parish second-grade PREP and St. Ann School teachers who faithfully and carefully prepare our students for this blessed sacrament. Thank you to our priests and deacons, our Director and Coordinator of our Parish Religious Education Program, Principal, music directors, cantor, and others for all they do to make this day special.

Monsignor Coyle, Father Ha & Deacon Fenton

Megan Clee—PREP teacher

Mary Denny—PREP teacher

Christine Rander—PREP teacher

Donna Sousa—PREP teacher

Kellee Heydorn—St. Ann School teacher

Jennifer Smith—St. Ann School teacher/CRE

Bridget Starry—DRE

Andrew D'Angelo—Principal, St. Ann School

Ariel Scholz & Susan McDermott—SAS Music Directors

Kathy Beck—Music Director

Ann Fox—Cantor

Kelsey Tranguch—Baker, speciality bread for retreat

Thank you to all our parish Prayer Partners who were an important part of the students' journey to make their First Communion.

Adult Confirmation on Pentecost Sunday

Bishop Schlert will celebrate Mass on Pentecost Sunday, May 19, 11:30am, at the Cathedral of St. Catharine of Siena, where he will confirm adults of our Diocese. Those to be confirmed are adults who were baptized in the Roman Catholic Church, received their First Holy Communion, are catechized, but never confirmed.

Please contact Msgr. Coyle before May 10 to discuss registration details: 610-965-2426. Baptismal certificate requested.

Parish Contacts

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Would you like information for a baptism or wedding? Is a family member in the hospital? Please contact our rectory by phone. For ministry or organization contacts go to: www.churchstann.org

Banns of Ordination

Mr. Robert Francis Rienzo, who was baptized in this parish, has been called to the Order of the Diaconate by His Excellency, Alfred A. Schlert, D.D. Bishop of Allentown. Mr. Rienzo will be ordained at the Cathedral of St. Catharine of Siena, Allentown, on Sunday, May 18, 2024.

We couldn't let

ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS DAY pass without
thanking our sensational Rectory office staff:

JOANNE, FRAN & MARLENE

We appreciate all you do for the parish!



Is today your lucky day?
Spring Fling Raffle Drawing
Sunday, May 5

Ministries & Meetings

In need of prayers for you or your loved ones?
Email our prayer group. walkwwings@aol.com.



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

Join WASA and Le Femme Boutique of Emmaus for a spring formal wear fashion show and meeting! 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!

PrimeTimers: May 14

Come out for desserts and socializing. Representatives from Holy Family Senior Living and Sarahcare (adult care) will be providing us with information about their services. Meeting begins at 1:00pm, Bethel Bible Church, 4th and Elm Streets, Emmaus. New Members (55+) always welcome!

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.

Tomorrow! May 6

All ladies of the parish invited to
attend WASA's May meeting
featuring a

Fashion Show

Monday, May 6

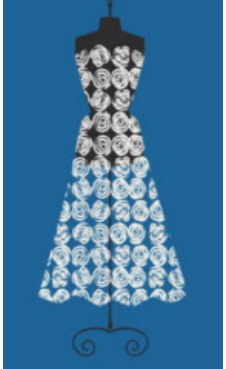
6:30pm, St. Ann School gym

Elegant dresses and gowns just in time for
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Bring a friend! You don't have to be a WASA member to attend!

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Spring Drive-Thru Food Collection

Food & Baby Supplies Collection May 18

St. Ann's Knights of Columbus, #12886, will host a **drive-thru collection** on Sat., May 18 at the Parish Life Center from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Easy drop off! Collected food items will go to Catholic Charities' Ecumenical Kitchen and the Allentown Rescue Mission. Baby and mom supplies will go to the Cay Galgon Life House in Bethlehem. *Looking for ideas?* Go to our parish website, churchstann.org, for a list of items that are most needed!



St. Ann School



**Sign up now for
Summer
Theatre Camp!**

**There's something for
all ages & interests!**

Is your child looking for some creative fun this summer?

Try our Summer Theatre Camps! St. Ann School has an amazing Drama program under the direction of faculty member Denise Binder. She's bringing another super summer program to families. *Any student can participate—public or parochial school.*

- **Reader's Theatre Camp:** June 24 - 28th, 9:00-11:00am. For students entering 1st-4th grades.
- **Broadway Styles Dance Camp:** June 24 - 28th, 12:00-4:00pm. For students entering 2nd-9th grades.
- **Musical Theatre Camp:** July 8-12 (M-Th) 9:00am-4:00pm, (F) 11:30am - 7:00 (*public performance, too!) For students entering 4th-9th grades.

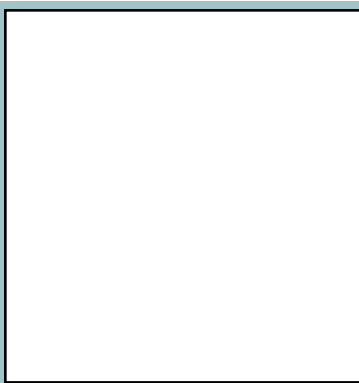
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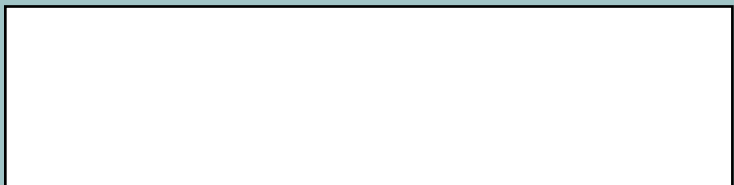
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