

*June 16, 2019  
Trinity Sunday*

THE MOST  
**HOLY TRINITY**  
JUNE 16, 2019



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*O Lord our God,  
how wonderful your name in all the earth!*

*Psalm 8:2*

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**June 16, 2019**  
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**Mass Intentions For**  
**The Week of June 16, 2019**

<b>God's Plan for Giving-Tithing-A Way of Life</b>	
<b>Collection for weekend of June 8 &amp; June 9</b>	
<b>Income: Plate = \$4,760.00 + AWC = \$85.00 =</b>	<b>\$4,845.00</b>
<b>Bills Paid= Total Disbursements =</b>	<b>(\$54,353.24)</b>
<b>Total =</b>	<b>(\$49,508.24)</b>

**Living Stewardship-Living God's Word:**

*"True love does not eliminate legitimate difference, but harmonizes them in a superior unity that is not ordered from the 'outside', but gives form from 'within', so to speak, to the whole. It is the mystery of communion."*

**Automated Withdrawal Contributions (AWC):**

Your Church contributions can be electronically withdrawn monthly from your account and deposited directly to your parish. Your offering can be in any amount. Please call the Rectory for more information. Thank you!

**Sick Relatives & Friends**

**Please pray for all the sick that they may be comforted:**

Jeanette Albanese, Rosario Allia, Blaise Ambrosini, Dottie Arcuri, Neil Baldwin, Maryann Baranek, Martha Basualdo, Raymond Baxter, Elaine Belfi, Enrico Belfi, Ralph Berarducci, Kelly Anne Bodine, Shyla Boetter, Emmanuel Borgesi, Mr. & Mrs. Bracy, Donna Bria, Dominick Bucciarelli, Rose Cappelto, William Carbo, Vincent Carchidi, Kelly Carr, Arthur Carrado, Doris Castagno, Elaine Cipparone, Robert Costello, Sister Jeanne Crane SSJ, Donna Cunningham, Jill Daly, Antonio D'Angelo, Bea DeCaro, Ron DeJulius, Anna Del Vecchio and the Del Vecchio Family, Matthew D'Imperio, Lynn DiOrio, Teri DiOrio, Veronica Dolan, Marie Donato, Lucy Dougherty, Dolores Edmondson, Trish Ezzie, Louis Falciani, Virginia Faulkner, Frank Filippello, Samuel Fiore, Russell Fiugalski, Marlene Flocco, Joan Gain, Evelyn Gardella, Keith Green, Margie Gurbuz, Carol Holman, Kimberly Honeschuck, Howard Horner III, Dakota Hussein, Lucy Intelisano, Ann Ippolito, Thomas P. Jones, Frank Kane, Vito LaFranci, Barbara Lalli, Ronald Lalli, Samantha LaSpada, Ashleigh Leone, Bob Lutz, Julia Lynch, Kathleen Magnotta, Domenick Maiorano, Mario Marchetti, Marie Marino, Pat Marsico, Carmela Martini, Lilian Mattioli, Danielle McDevitt, Rita Mendicino, Louise Mento, Lucy Michielli, Kayla Minore, Florence Mooney, Cecelia Moore, Philomena Nardello, Thomas Nardone, Kathleen Nardy, Theodore Norkus, Patrick Oldfield, Matthew Padgeon, Louis Pagano, Rose Pagano, Ronald Palumbo, Jaycee Park, Jason Perri, Madeline Perri, Sophia Phillips, Theresa Quieti, Angela Raffa, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Reed, Jason Rindone, Stella Rizzo, Keith Ross, Joann Rua, Maria Russo, Carmen Rutolo, Lorraine Saia, Theresa Salvatore, Mina Sammarone, Domenic Santaguida, Steven Scanlon, Lorraine Schellinger, Patricia Schiela, Anthony Sergontoni, Grover Simpson, Evelyn Spina, Ralph Spina, Regina Stanley, Thomas Sweeney Jr., Savannah Taylor, Mary Toscano, James Trainor Jr., Alessandra Trimarco, Lori Trischler, Terry Troiano, Cindy Tuohey, Allyson Turner, Alicia Viray, the military disabled, the home-bound, and their families.

*Rest in Peace* **We Pray for our Deceased Parishioners, Relatives and Friends:**

**HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY**

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let Perpetual Light shine upon them.  
May their souls, and all the souls of the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

**Sunday—June 16**

8:00 + Living and Deceased Fathers of Stella Maris  
9:30 + Living and Deceased Fathers of Stella Maris  
11:00 + Living and Deceased Fathers of Stella Maris

**Monday—June 17**

8:00 + Mass

**Tuesday—June 18**

8:00 + William, Anna, and Robert Green

**Wednesday—June 19**

8:00 + Living and Deceased Members of Stella Maris

**Thursday—June 20**

8:00 + Josephine Latorre

**Friday—June 21**

8:00 + Anne Marie McDonald

**Saturday—June 22**

8:00 + Frank and Anna Palesano  
5:00 + Marty D'Ambrosio-12th Anniversary

**Sunday—June 23**

8:00 + Salvatore Moffo  
10:30 + Rosemarie Rago

**Church Sanctuary Lamp**

In Memory of  
Frederick "Pop" Manning

Requested by  
Archie and Denise



**Bread & Wine**

In Memory of  
Vincent Vernose

Requested by  
His Wife Rita



**PARISH FROZEN FOOD PROGRAM**

Our Parish Frozen Food Program is in great need of frozen dinners: pasta, chicken, beef, ham, pork and fish. We kindly ask that the meals you prepare contain meat or fish, a starch (pasta/potatoes/rice) and a vegetable. Those who receive these meals are elderly and it is healthy for them to get a balanced, nutritious meal.

**Thank you for helping those in need!**



**WORKSHOP AT ST. MONICA'S**

You are invited to St. Monica's for a complimentary educational workshop on the topic, *"Getting Your Documents in Order: Wills, Powers of Attorney, Healthcare Directives Trusts and Other Tools"*, on **Tuesday, June 25, 2019, from 6PM to 7:30PM, at St. Monica Junior School, 1720 Ritner Street.** Your questions will be answered by an elder law expert, Robert Slutsky, Esq. Light refreshments will be served. Invite a friend! Please **RSVP** to: Bonney Dos Santos at **215-334-0285 by June 18, 2019.** Please include your name, contact number, and email address.



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Soon our diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection. Our participation supports the charitable work of Pope Francis as he reaches out to those who are marginalized and suffering around the globe.

Our brothers and sisters in Haiti, for example, have faced difficult challenges as they recover from the 2010 earthquake and then Hurricane Matthew in 2016. Homes and structures have been destroyed, and many communities have struggled to rebuild in the wake of these natural disasters. But our generosity to this collection provides much-needed support for Haiti. Pope Francis calls each of us to "respond with faith and charity" and to see in each person "a human being with a dignity identical to my own, a creature infinitely loved by the Father, an image of God, a brother or sister redeemed by Jesus Christ" (Apostolic Exhortation Gaudete et Exsultate, no. 98). When you support the collection, you affirm the dignity of our brothers and sisters in Haiti and around the world.

This year the Peter's Pence Collection will be taken at all Masses on the weekend of June 23, 2019. Let us join with our brothers and sisters in faith from around the globe to help Pope Francis reach the marginalized. Please prayerfully consider how you can best support the collection this year.

Gratefully and with best wishes in Jesus Christ,

+Most Reverend Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M. Cap  
Archbishop of Philadelphia

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**The second collection next weekend, 06/22/19-06/23/19, will be for Peter's Pence.**

**CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR RETIREMENT, FR. McCABE**

**After 48 years of active ministry, Fr. McCabe will be retiring, effective this Monday, June 17, 2019. Today, Sunday, June 16, 2019, after the 11:00AM Mass, we will have some light refreshments and goodies in the hall, so that anyone who wishes to thank Fr. McCabe for his dedication and wonderful ministry to the priesthood, and to us here at Stella Maris, will have the opportunity to do so.**

**PLEASE NOTE NEW SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE**  
**EFFECTIVE NEXT WEEKEND, 06/22/19-06/23/19**  
**Saturday evening Vigil Mass-5:00PM**  
**Sunday Masses-8:00AM and 10:30AM**  
**(As of 06/23/19, there will no longer be 9:30AM or 11:00AM Masses on Sundays)**



**PREP/CCD NEWS**

Registration for PREP/CCD classes for the 2019- 2020 school year continues. You may register at the Rectory, Monday to Friday, between 9:00AM and 3:00PM.

**The following is required for Registration:**

- 1) Completed Registration Form and Fee  
(Registration fee of \$175 per child for Stella Maris Parishioners; \$200 per child for non-parishioners)
- 2) Signed copy of "**Appendix B**" from the CCD Handbook
- 3) Signed letter of permission from your pastor (only if you are not a member of Stella Maris Parish)
- 4) Baptismal certificate for all **new** registrations (only if your child was **not baptized** at Stella Maris)

Please note: CCD classes are held on Sunday mornings.

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

To all our Dads, Grandfathers, Great-grandfathers, Godfathers and all who fulfill the role of Dad, I extend a Happy Father's Day. May our heavenly Father bless all our Dads who are with us here, with good health and happiness. May all who have passed away be at peace and rest with God our Father in Heaven.

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. The Holy Trinity is a Community of love. The Catechism teaches that "by sending His only Son and the Spirit of Love in the fullness of time, God has revealed His innermost secret: God Himself is an eternal exchange of love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and He has destined us to share in that exchange". The Trinity holds all of creation, especially humanity, as the masterpiece, sincerely desiring and intensely wanting them as sharing members of the Trinity. This is the Trinity's dream, which Jesus fulfilled, and now sits at His Father's right hand waiting longingly and patiently for its conclusion.

Today's readings shed clear light on this mystery. This Trinitarian dream shows Jesus as the incarnate wisdom of God, the only mediator between God and creation. Indeed, Jesus stands as the only way, truth and life that leads to the Father. Fittingly, the Holy Spirit relies on the Son, Jesus, for His teaching, which flows from the Father's wisdom. In Baptism, we received the indwelling of the Blessed Trinity. "The complete Trinity dwells in us". By worshiping the Trinity, we realize the full truth of ourselves. "In the communion of grace with the Trinity, man's living area is broadened and raised up to the supernatural level of divine life. Man lives in God and by God". While it is important to know about God, it is more important to know God; therefore, today is a celebration that we can know something fundamental about God: God knows us and loves us, and God wants us to know it. God loves us so much that He has made Himself available to us throughout history and that He continues in this desire to have a relationship with us.

The Trinity is an expression of perfect love. It is a love that Jesus wants us to share. Even though we cannot understand this love fully, the Holy Spirit helps us to begin to approach an understanding. It is difficult to balance the very human "low" Christ and the "high" mysterious Christology of the Trinity, but doing so allows us to respond to the Holy Spirit's guidance as we discern life's new and always changing circumstances. So the challenge is, "How do we come to understand this love; how do we come to participate in it, and how can the Trinity become something we experience?" Faith does this for us. When we are "lined up with God," we begin to experience love as God experiences love: perfect unity. So, let us focus our love.

At this time of the year, many are blessed to be able to go away for the summer months or summer weekends. Be safe and enjoy yourself. God doesn't take a vacation from us, so we should remember to keep holy the Lord's Day by attending Mass when we are on vacation.

Also, thank you to those who continue their parish support even though they are away from Stella Maris on weekends or summer months. Please remember your weekly contribution for Stella Maris Church. Your support is so necessary for the parish expenses.

Be assured of my prayers and I ask you to pray for me.

God Bless!  
Fr. Di Orio



### BLESSING OF THE WATERS AND TRIP TO ATLANTIC CITY

The Sodality trip to **Ocean City, NJ** for the Blessing of the Waters will be **Thursday, August 15, 2019**. The cost of **\$75 per person is non-refundable, with full payment now due**. Cost includes Mass at Saint Damien's, procession to the Blessing of the Waters, sit-down lunch at the Tuckahoe Inn, a visit to the Resorts Casino (with a \$25 Slot Bonus), round-trip motorcoach, all taxes and gratuities (except driver). Please make checks payable to: **Stella Maris Sodality, 2901 South 10th St., Phila., PA 19148**. For reservations or information, please call Marge at 215-463-3386, Helen at 215-468-6618, or Cathy at 215-465-7451.



### STAR OF THE SEA SENIORS ATLANTIC CITY TRIP

The Seniors are sponsoring a trip to Atlantic City from **September 23rd through September 25th**. Cost is \$280 per person for Double/Triple Occupancy; \$395 for Single Occupancy. Cost includes: 2 night stay at **Resorts Casino** with \$25 slot bonus, two \$25 meal vouchers (valid at Breadsticks, Eastwind & Capriccio), \$5 meal voucher and Show Revue (based on availability), **Tropicana Casino** visit with \$TBA slot bonus and Carmine's meal voucher; **Caesars Casino** visit with \$25 slot bonus, buffet lunch, and "Carol King's Beautiful Tribute" Show; baggage handling (1 per person); all taxes and gratuities (except for restaurants and bus driver); round-trip motorcoach transportation via JC Tours. **Deposit of \$140 (double/triple occupancy) or \$197 (single occupancy) is now due. Final payment/balance (\$140/\$198) is due no later than 07/18/19. Make checks payable to Star of the Sea Seniors**, (mail payments to: Stella Maris Rectory, c/o Star of the Sea Seniors, Attention: Rose Giovanelli, 2901 S. 10th St., Philadelphia, PA 1948). For more information or reservations, contact:

Marge Varley at 215-463-3386, or  
Helen Wagenborg at 215-468-6618.



### STAR OF THE SEA SENIORS TRIP TO NEW YORK

Star of the Sea Seniors are sponsoring a trip to New York to see the Broadway Musical, "**Pretty Woman**" on **Wednesday, 10/09/19**. The cost is **\$230 per person**, which includes the show, dinner at Carmine's, and round-trip motor coach. A **non-refundable deposit of \$115 is due upon reservation, which is past due. The remaining balance of \$115 is to be paid no later than 09/09/19. Please make checks payable to Star of the Sea Seniors, and mail to: Star of the Sea Seniors, 2901 South 10th Street, Phila., PA 19148**. For information or reservations, please call Marge at **215-463-3386** or Helen at **215-468-6618**.



### Registration for Our Lady of Hope School

Registration for new students for the 2019-2020 continues. Appointments can be made by calling the school office at **215-467-5385**. Documents needed for registration are: Original birth certificate, Baptismal certificate, Social Security Card, Immunization Records, most recent Report Card, standardized testing for students entering grades 1 through 8, Registration fee of \$150, and a \$200 tuition deposit. For Financial Aid, Grants or Scholarship information, please call 215-467-5385. Make checks payable to Our Lady of Hope School. Tours of the school are available by calling the school office to make an appointment. If you have any questions, please call the school at **215-467-5385** or email the principal at: **pcody@ourladyofhopephilly.com**.

### NEWS FROM THE VOCATION OFFICE

**Quo Vadis Days-06/24/19-06/27/19:** This 4 day, 3 night camp held at Black Rock Retreat Center is an annual favorite for high school aged men (incoming freshmen to graduated seniors). The camp includes daily Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, outdoor activities, a ropes course, powerful prayer, great talks, and an opportunity to interact with Philadelphia seminarians.

### Philadelphia Catholic Scholars Program-07/08/19 -07/18/19:

This is a 10 day journey into the intellectual and spiritual heritage of the Catholic Church. Successful completion of the camp earns attendees 3 college credits from St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, where the camp is held.

**Going Deeper-07/28/19-08/01/19:** This is a 4 day, service oriented camp for high school junior and senior men or those with at least 2 years of Quo Vadis experience. Attendees participate in daily Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, multiple service activities, Eucharistic Adoration, talks, and small group discussions at the Spiritual Year House at St. Matthew's in Conshohocken.

More information for each camp can be found on the Archdiocese of Philadelphia Vocation website at:

**HeedTheCall.org/Summer**

### ROMAN CATHOLIC ALUMNI & J.W. HALLAHAN ALUMNAE

The Annual Day at the Bay is being held on Saturday, 08/03/19, from 2:00PM to 6:00PM, at Keenan's Irish Pub, 113 Old New Jersey Avenue, North Wildwood, NJ. \$30 per person in advance; \$40 at the door. For information, call:

**Roman Alumni-215-627-1890, ext. 315**  
**Hallahan Alumnae-215-568-8930, ext. 117**

### BURRS AT THE BEACH

The 32nd Annual "Burrs at the Beach" celebration, presented by the Alumni and Friends of West Catholic High School, will be held, rain or shine, on Sunday, **06/23/19**, from **1:00PM to 7:00PM** at **The Inlet on OLDE** (formerly Westy's Irish Pub), in North Wildwood, NJ. Proceeds assist needy Catholic students with tuition financial support. Tickets are \$20 in advance (\$25 day of event). For tickets and/or information about bus transportation from the Philadelphia area to North Wildwood, please contact any of the following:

Tom Dorrian ('61) 484-431-0781; George Light ('58) 610-996-2015; Marty Moran ('56) 610-356-6072; Peg (Sheffield) Panichelli ('65) 0.610-420-0987.



### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Please plan to attend a day of friendship, prayer, and faith formation at the **2019 Catholic Women's Conference!** This year's theme is "Unique and Unrepeatable: Your Mission as a Catholic Woman", in which we explore the amazing truth that God has given each one of us a personal and unique mission, a share in His plan to save the world. Speakers include Dr. Monique Ruberu and the Sisters of Life. Mark your calendars for Saturday, October 26, 2019, 9AM-4:30PM, at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown, PA. Talks will be offered in English, and Spanish. A mid-September sellout is expected. For more information or to register today, please visit: **http://www.catholicwomensconference.org**.



**SANCTUARY LAMPS,  
ADORATION CHAPEL CANDLES, AND  
OFFERINGS OF BREAD AND WINE**



Although the Mass Book for 2019 is full, there are Church Sanctuary Lamps, Adoration Chapel Candles and Offerings of Bread and Wine still available in 2019. Each of these are lit or offered for an entire week, seven days. Just like a Mass, you may offer these for a living or deceased person, or a special intention. The donations are: \$20 for each Church Sanctuary Lamp, \$20 for each Adoration Chapel Candle, and \$25 for the offering of Bread and Wine. Please call or come to the Rectory during regular business hours to see which weeks are available, or you may complete one of the forms on this page, being sure to include your phone number in case we need to contact you, attach your donation to the form, and place it in an envelope and drop it in the collection basket when you attend Mass.

**RELEVANT RADIO NATIONAL ELEVATE CONFERENCE**

On Saturday, June 22, 2019, at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown, meet and pray alongside Relevant Radio show hosts Patrick Madrid, Drew Mariani, Fr. Michael Simon, Fr. Matthew Spenser, Msgr. Stuart Swetland, and Sheila Liaugminas. The Day includes presentations, Mass, holy hour with adoration, continental breakfast and lunch. For information and fees, contact Mary Radford at:

or visit: [MRadford@RelevantRadio.com](mailto:MRadford@RelevantRadio.com)  
[www.RelevantRadio.com/Elevate](http://www.RelevantRadio.com/Elevate)

**NEWS FROM NAZARETH ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL**

Nazareth Academy High School is offering a variety of summer programs including a Pre-8th grade summer enrichment program for students who will enter 8th grade in September 2019, Rocketry Camp, Art Camp, and Glee Club. These programs run between **Monday, 06/24/19 and Thursday, 07/18/19**. Nazareth also offers athletic camps, including basketball, cheer, lacrosse, soccer, football, and volleyball. For more information, visit:

[NazarethAcademyHS.org/Admissions/Summer-Programs](http://NazarethAcademyHS.org/Admissions/Summer-Programs)



**CATHOLIC CHARITIES NIGHT  
WITH THE PHILLIES**

Catholic Charities Night with the Phillies is being held on **Friday, June 21, 2019 at 7:05PM at Citizens Bank Park**. Plan a night out with family and friends and head down to Citizens Bank Park to see our Phillies while also benefitting the Catholic Charities Appeal. A portion of all tickets sold will directly benefit the CCA and our incredible beneficiaries.

If 500 tickets are sold, a student from Catholic Charities OST Program will throw out the first pitch of the game and a beneficiary group will sing the National Anthem!

**To purchase tickets please visit:**  
[www.phillies.com/catholiccharitiesnight](http://www.phillies.com/catholiccharitiesnight)  
**Thank you for your support!**

**STELLA MARIS PARISH CALENDAR**



Monday, 06/17/19-Helping Hands-7:00PM,  
Msgr. JFC Conf. Rm.

Thursday, 08/15/19-Blessing of the Waters Bus Trip-Off-site



**CHURCH SANCTUARY CANDLE**

Our Church Sanctuary Candle is available to be offered for the living or deceased, and will remain lit for seven days. If you would like to reserve a candle, please complete the information below and return the form to Stella Maris Rectory with a \$20 donation. Please include your phone number on the form. All names and donors will be posted in our Church Bulletin accordingly.

**IN HONOR/MEMORY OF:**

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**ALTAR BREAD AND WINE**

Altar Bread and Wine may be offered for an entire week, for the living or deceased. If you are interested, please complete the information below and return the form to Stella Maris Rectory with a \$25 donation. Please include your phone number on the form. All names and donors will be posted in our Church Bulletin accordingly.

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**ADORATION CHAPEL CANDLES**



Two Adoration Chapel candles are available to be offered (\$20 each) for the living or deceased, and will remain lit for seven days. If you would like to reserve a candle, complete the information below and return the form to Stella Maris Rectory with a \$20 donation. Please include your phone number on the form. All names and donors will be posted in our Church Bulletin accordingly. Thank you!

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