

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 30, 2022

Saturday, January 29

St. Charles Borromeo Church
4:00 PM Gloria Haluska

Sunday, January 30

St. Charles Borromeo Church
9:30 AM Leanne Krieger

Regularly scheduled weekday Masses are in Ashland

St. Anne Chapel is the lower level of our Church.

Mon., January 31 – NO MASS

Tues., February 1

8:30 AM Roseanne Dutton and
Bernadette Moran

Wed., February 2 – NO MASS

Thurs., February 3 – NO MASS IN ASHLAND
**Frackville 8:30 AM - St. Blaise - Blessing of the
throats will take place directly after Mass**

Fri., February 4 – First Friday


8:30 AM Memorial Society


Saturday, February 5

St. Charles Borromeo Church
4:00 PM Elena Herb
Bridget Brno

Sunday, February 6

St. Charles Borromeo Church
9:30 AM Gertrude and Earl Sr. and
Earl Jr. Steinhilber
In Honor of St. Brigid of Ireland

 **Please pray** for all our military men and women, our policemen and women, our sick at home and in the hospitals, and nursing homes, and also our deceased brothers and sisters in Christ, especially William Delinsky.

The Vigil Lights burn brightly this week: 

1) In St. Charles Borromeo Church, in loving memory of Edward Klimas, from the family.

Our **regular** collections at all of our Masses last weekend amounted to \$3,007.39. The Christmas Collection was \$500.00. Thank you for your generous contributions and may God bless you!

There will be a special second collection at all Masses this weekend, January 29th and 30th, for the Annual Catholic Relief Collection.

First Friday Confessions

First Friday Confessions will be Monday, January 31st from 6:15 PM to 7:00 PM in Ashland and 7:15 PM to 8 PM in Frackville.

Blessing of the Throats

Blessing of the Throats will take place on Thursday, February 3rd in Frackville after morning mass. Mass begins at 8:30 AM in St. Ann's Church.

Daily Mass Change

There will be no daily Mass on Tuesday, Feb. 8th and Friday, Feb. 11th. Father will be away on vacation. Anyone who has a scheduled Mass that week, will be moved to the following week. Thank you.

Fundraising Meeting

There will be a fundraising meeting on **Wednesday, February 9th at 6:00 PM** in the Parish Hall. We will be discussing all fundraising activities for the new year.

Everyone is welcome to attend!

2022 Sacramental News: Mark your Calendars

First Penance: Saturday, March 12th at 11 AM

First Holy Communion: Saturday, May 14th at 11 AM

2022 Mass Book

2022 Mass book is still open. Please call or stop in the Parish Office if you would like to book a Mass or Vigil Light.

Donations for the Babies

If you would like to donate to the babies, please place your donations in the collection basket or drop off at the parish office. The baby bottle is no longer available in the back of the church. Thank you for your support of the babies!

St. Charles Borromeo "Text Alerts"

With the upcoming Winter Season, St. Charles want to send out a reminder to be added to the St. Charles Borromeo's "Text Alerts". Please text @acb3gga to 81010. This will be a great way to keep up on Mass cancellations or changes. If anyone has any questions regarding the Alerts, please do not hesitate to call the Parish Office.



Cooks with Collars

HELP SUPPORT OUR PARISH AND OUR PASTOR! 🙌

The Cooks with Collars website is open from Jan. 15 to Jan. 28 to review the 2021 videos.

NEW COOKS WITH COLLARS videos start January 28!

Chef de Cuisine, Fr. Brian Miller, needs your help!

Fr. Brian will represent St. Charles Borromeo and St. Joseph the Worker and in COOKS WITH COLLARS, an online cooking competition to raise funds for parishes and Catholic Charities in the Diocese of Allentown.

Visit www.cookswithcollars.com

to see your favorite priests from around the Diocese creating delicious kitchen concoctions. Vote early and vote often (January 28, 2022-March 1, 2022) for our Diocesan top chef! Each vote is just \$10.00. All voting proceeds benefit our parish. Thanks for making Fr. Brian Miller and St. Joseph the Worker or St. Charles Borromeo (whichever you are voting from) a winner!

Lottery Calendars

February and March Lottery calendars are now for sale. You may purchase them after Mass or in the parish office. As always, thank you for your support of our Parish!

God's Call to Be AN ALTAR SERVER!

If your child wants to serve during Mass, we would welcome this new experience. Contact the Parish Office at (570) 875-1521 if your child would like to become a server.

Marian Catholic High School

An exceptional education rooted in faith, family, and tradition.

OPEN HOUSE - Sunday, January 30th, beginning at 1:00 PM. Come meet some of the teachers, students, administration, and coaches. Take a tour of the school led by their students. Come see how we can make a Marian education possible.

RSVP by calling Mary Milosh at 570-467-3335 ext 117 or mmilosh@mariancatholic.org

Take Out Spaghetti Dinner

Sponsored by St. Patrick Church

Sunday, February 6th

11:00 am to 2:00 pm (or sell out)

313 Mahantongo Street, Pottsville

Spaghetti platter includes pasta with our homemade sauce, two meatballs, a salad, and bread - \$9. Extra meatballs and/or sauce available for purchase.

Any parishioner needing a Financial Statement for 2021 tax purposes please call the Parish Office at 570-875-1521.

Open Registration for the 2022-2023

Divine Mercy Pre-school Program

Under the Direction of Mrs. Sharon Tobin, B.A. Exceptional Child Study. Pre-school will be held at the Fr. Walter Cizek Education Center (Trinity Academy), 233 W. Cherry Street, Shenandoah, PA 17976 -

Phone 462-3927. Children ages 3, 4 and 5 welcome for half and/or full day Pre-school classes Monday through Friday. Attendance five days per week allows your child to benefit by participating in more of the learning opportunities provided. Please call Sr. Patricia Mount at 462-3927 for more information or to request a registration packet. **All registrations will begin the week of February 14th.**

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat ~ An intimate spiritual journey for anyone seeking healing after abortion. In a safe, supportive, non-judgmental environment you can focus on this painful time in your life and enter into the process of healing. Through scripture readings, guided meditations and activities flowing from the meditations, you can experience God's compassion and forgiveness. **For registration information contact:** Carol Swavely, MA, 1-866-3RACHEL (Toll Free) or 610-435-1541, ext. 373. You may also email Carol at carolswavely@ptd.net. The retreat will be held March 11, 12 and 13, 2022 at the Mariawald Retreat Center in Reading. Deadline for Registration is March 4, 2022. We will be following CDC guidelines for COVID and requiring participants show proof of vaccination and wear a mask.

Catholic Educator Retreats

The Office of Evangelization and Formation is hosting a series of Catholic Educator Retreats. Retreats are open to all Catholic educators, parents, Catechists, Directors of Religious Educators (DRE), Youth Ministers, Catholic teachers teaching in Catholic or Non-Catholic Schools. All Retreats will be held at St. Mary Catholic Church in Kutztown. (14833 Kutztown Road, Kutztown, PA 19530) For more information, please visit [Catholic Educator Retreats – Conference Registration \(allentowndiocese.org\)](http://CatholicEducatorRetreats-ConferenceRegistration.allentowndiocese.org).



Glorious St. Blaise

O Glorious Saint Blaise,
who by thy martyrdom
has left to the Church a precious witness to the faith,
obtain for us the grace to
preserve within ourselves this divine gift,
and to defend, without human respect,
both by word and example,
the truth of that same faith,
which is so wickedly attacked
and slandered in these our times.
You who miraculously cured
a little child when it was at the point of death
by reason of an affliction of the throat,
grant us your powerful protection in like misfortunes;
and, above all, obtain for us
the grace of repentance,
together with a faithful observance of our Church,
and avoidance from offending Almighty God.

