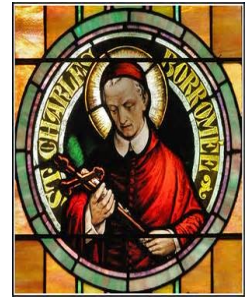




# Welcome to Saint Charles Borromeo Parish



St. Charles Borromeo Church - Ashland  
Saint Vincent de Paul Worship Center - Girardville  
**Rev. Brian M. Miller, M. Div., M.A., Pastor**  
Parish Office: 1115 Walnut Street, Ashland PA 17921  
Phone: 570-875-1521 (fax) 570-875-2635

Parish Website: [www.stcharlesashland.com](http://www.stcharlesashland.com)

[Parish Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/stcvmoj](https://www.facebook.com/stcvmoj)

**DRE/Music:** Susan Klinger **Business Manager:** Shannon Butler **Office:** Abby Smith

## Mass Times

Saturday 4:00 PM St. Charles Borromeo Sunday  
9:30 AM St. Charles Borromeo

For holy days and weekdays, consult the Bulletin.

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Cancelled until further notice.

## Communion Calls

Communion is normally distributed to the home- bound on the Thursday morning before First Friday of each month, except by special arrangements.

## Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays: 3:15 PM to 3:45 PM, Ashland  
Sundays: 9:00 AM to 9:25 AM, Ashland

## Sacrament of Holy Baptism

Baptisms take place in the main Church in Ashland. They occur on Saturday Mornings. Prior to the day, parents must attend a class, and be regularly attending weekend Masses for at least three months. Pre-register for this class with the Parish Office.

## Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

## Sacrament of Holy Matrimony

At least six months before a couple hopes to get married, he and she must talk face to face with the priest and get a firm wedding date and time from him. Only after this initial contact should a couple set the dates for a reception or a honeymoon.

## Parish Religious Education

CCD Grades 1-8

Contact the Parish Office to enroll your children.

**RCIA / Adult Education** Contact the Parish Office

**Hall Rentals** may occur for private events.

## Parish Funerals

Any family who desires a priest other than the Pastor to celebrate the funeral Mass of a deceased loved one *on parish premises* must first obtain the Pastor's explicit approval. Such approval, as for other special requests, must be sought in each and every case, but can normally be expected to be granted.

## St. Anne Chapel Hours

Located in the lower level of our Church in Ashland, this chapel is unlocked daily, except on Sundays. Monday through Friday it opens at 6 AM, and at 8 AM on Saturday. It remains open until 4 PM.

## Regional Catholic Schools

**Marian High School, Tamaqua,**

Grades 9-12, 570-467-3335

**Nativity BVM High School, Pottsville,**

Grades 9-12, 570-622-8110

**St. Joseph Center for Special Learning, Pottsville,**

All levels, 570-622-4638

## Diocesan Coordinators for Minors

Pamela J. Russo, MSW, MS

Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator

Diocese of Allentown

1515 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive

P.O. Box F Allentown, PA 18105-1538

610-871-5200, Ext. 2204

610-871-5211 (Fax)

[prusso@allentowndiocese.org](mailto:prusso@allentowndiocese.org)

Ms. Wendy Krisak, MA, NCC, LPC

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

1-800-791-9209

**If you are new to the area, please consider registering with us.**

Contact the Parish Office to establish a relationship with us through registration.



**Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
**May 15, 2022**

**Saturday, May 14**

St. Charles Borromeo Church  
4:00 PM Al and Shelia Zataveski and  
Catherine Yourgatis

**Sunday, May 15**

St. Charles Borromeo Church  
9:30 AM Larry Wood  
Mass for the Unborn

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**Regularly scheduled weekday Masses are in Ashland**

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

**Mon., May 16 – NO MASS**

**Tues., May 17**

8:30 AM Mary and John Scully and,  
Agnes Burns  
Teresa Karavage

**Wed., May 18– NO MASS**

**Thurs., May 19 – NO MASS**

**Fri., May 20**

8:30 AM Misiewicz, Zealburg, and Switoj  
Peter DeLuca

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**Saturday, May 21**

St. Charles Borromeo Church  
4:00 PM Larry, Danny, Jack, and Peg Wood  
Rose Winters and Catherine and  
Stephen Dyszel

**Sunday, May 22**

St. Charles Borromeo Church  
9:30 AM Peter, Violet, and Peter Jr. Sherman  
John and Mary Stepanchick

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**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 John Bane.

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**The Vigil Lights burn brightly this week:**

1) In St. Charles Borromeo, in loving memory of the Adrullewicz Family, from family; 2) In St. Anne Chapel, in loving memory of Rose Winters and Catherine and Stephen Dyszel.

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**Cemetery 50/50 chances are on sale after Mass and in the parish office! First drawing will be June 7<sup>th</sup>.**



Our regular collections at all of our Masses last weekend amounted to \$4,556.00. Mother's Day Collection was \$170.00. Thank you for your generous contributions. **May God Bless You!**

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**R & K Hoagie Sale**

*Last weekend to place your orders! All orders must be in the parish office no later than May 16<sup>th</sup>!* You have the option of purchasing a 12" Italian Sub Roll and/or a Pretzel Sandwich. Sub choices are: Italian, Ham, or Turkey and Pretzel Sandwich choices are: Italian, Ham and Cheese, Turkey and Cheese, Roast Beef and Cheese and Sweet Lebanon Bologna and Cheese. **Subs are \$6.50 and Pretzel Sandwiches are \$5.50.** All subs are prepared with individual packets of lettuce, tomato, and onions, and include a condiment packet. Thank you to everyone who has already placed their orders!



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**Last CCD class will be held on Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, NOT, May 22.**

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**Lottery Calendars**

**Lottery Calendars for the month of June are now available for purchase in the Parish Office.**

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**Knights of Columbus**

**Monday, May 16** – The Knights of Columbus will be meeting in the Parish Hall at 6:00 PM.

**Friday, May 20** – Monthly Rosary for the protection of the unborn will be held by the Knights of Columbus at the Monument to the Unborn in the Ashland Catholic Cemetery at 7:00 PM. Everyone is invited to participate.

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## St. Charles Borromeo Parish Bleenie Sale

**\*\*Pre-orders are strongly encouraged. All pre-orders are due by Tuesday, May 17th. No exceptions.\*\***

**\$1.25 Each**  
12 for \$14.00



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12 for \$14.00

**Where:** St. Charles Borromeo Parish  
1115 Walnut St., Ashland  
(Courtyard, alongside the Church)

**When:** Saturday, May 21, 2022

**Time:** Pre-Order Pick Up will be 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Orders are welcome day of the sale from 1:30 PM to Sell Out.

**\*\*Please call the Parish Office at 570-875-1521 to place your order today!\*\***

All proceeds benefit St. Charles Borromeo Parish.

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### St. Charles Presents M & J Big Band

### Schuylkill Counties Jazz Band

*Come out and join us for an afternoon of fun and jazz music!!* Please call the parish office to reserve your ticket today!



**Where:** 1115 Walnut Street  
Ashland, PA 17921

**Cost:** \$15 per person

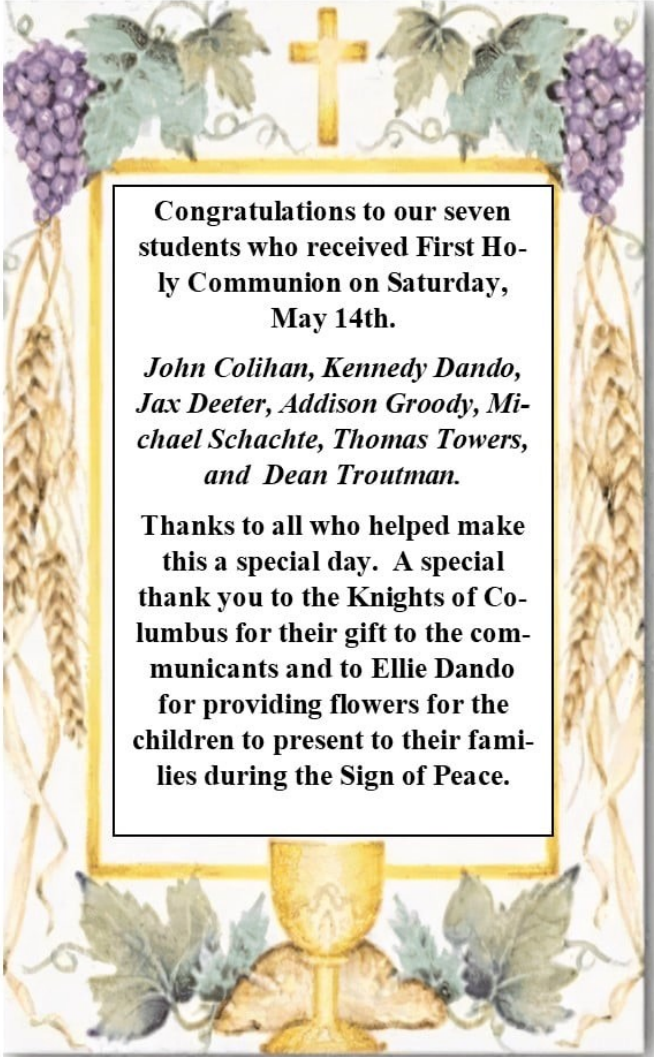
**When:** June 12, 2022  
Doors open 2pm  
Music 3pm – 5pm

**More info:** 570-875-1521

**BYOB**



**Snacks Included**



**Congratulations to our seven students who received First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 14th.**

***John Colihan, Kennedy Dando, Jax Deeter, Addison Groody, Michael Schachte, Thomas Towers, and Dean Troutman.***

**Thanks to all who helped make this a special day. A special thank you to the Knights of Columbus for their gift to the communicants and to Ellie Dando for providing flowers for the children to present to their families during the Sign of Peace.**

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### Frackville Knights of Columbus Ladies Aux.

The Knights of Columbus Ladies' Auxiliary, Council #2580, Frackville, are now taking orders for their Rolling Mac-A-Roni Truck Fundraiser. Items are Chicken Pot Pie, \$9.00 Per Quart, and Macaroni and Cheese, \$8.00 Per Quart. Pickup Only at St. Joseph The Worker Social Room (Annunciation Location), 34 South Line Street, Frackville, Between 3 P.M. and 6 P.M. on Wednesday, June 29, 2022. Order date deadline with payment is Sunday, June 12, 2022. If you wish to order, please contact Carole Syzdek, 570-467-3744, Mary Goncalves, 570-874-4307 or Mary Ann Hauser, 570-874-2757.

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## A Prayer for those who are preparing Children for their First Holy Communion

O Jesus, Thou hast loved us with an exceedingly great love by giving us the Ineffable Gift of Thy Holy Eucharist. In flame within us a burning zeal to promote Thy glory in Thy children, now worthily prepared, Thy children who will approach

Thy holy table for the first time.

Protect, O Sacred Heart of Jesus, these young souls from assaults of the Evil One, strengthen their faith, increase their love, and endow them with all the virtues that will make them most worthy to receive Thee.

Amen.

