<u>Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time</u> September 19, 2021

Saturday, September 18

St. Charles Borromeo Church

4:00 PM William and Helen Rutecki

Sunday, September 19

St. Charles Borromeo Church

9:30 AM Anna and Joseph Chikotas Mary Eileen Reichwein

Regularly scheduled weekday Masses are in Ashland

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

Mon, September 20- NO MASS

Tues., September 21

8:30 AM Sister Elizabeth Ann Kealy and Sister Elaine Joyce
Dorothy Schadle

Wed., September 22- NO MASS

Thurs., September 23 - NO MASS

Fri., September 24

8:30 AM Peg Burke and Marie Oswald Mrs. Eileen Sincavage (10th Anniv.)

Saturday, September 25

St. Charles Borromeo Church

4:00 PM In Thanksgiving for the 50th

Wedding Anniversary, Joe and Betsy Woodward.

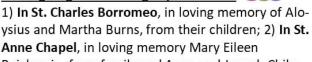
Sunday, September 26

St. Charles Borromeo Church

9:30 AM Fisher and Whytena Families
Walter (18th Anniversary) and
Loretta (30th Anniversary) Buehl

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, Florence Kelly.

The Vigil Lights burn brightly this week:



Reichwein, from family and Anna and Joseph Chikotas, from family.



Our <u>regular</u> collections at all of our Masses last weekend amounted to \$4,645.53. Thank you for your generous contributions!

St. Anne Guild Candy Sale

Thank you to everyone who supported St. Anne Guild Candy Sale. It was a great success!

Basket Auction News

Our second Annual Basket Auction will be held on September 25th and 26.th This is our biggest fundraiser of the year!! Our first shop and drop begins this weekend! We would like to thank everyone for their generous donations and as well as all the surrounding businesses. Without you all, this would have not been possible. Thank you for all your support!



Up-Coming Activities

Monday, September 20 – The Knights of Columbus from Father Sheridan Council #748 meet at 6:00 PM in the upper social hall of the Parish center in Ashland.

Monday, September 20 – The Girardville Food truck will be at 4th and B Sts. By the borough hall from 11:00 AM to 1 PM. All are welcome.

<u>Thursday, September 23</u> – The Ashland Food Pantry is open from Noon to 2:00 PM at Good Shepherd Church. Please use the back entrance, off the parking lot.

Lector, Altar Server, and Eucharistic Minister Schedules

Schedules will be sent out early next week. We apologize for any inconvenience. If you do not receive yours buy the end of the week, please call the parish office. Thank you for your understanding!

St. Vincent Mass, September 27th

There will be a special Mass on Monday, September

27th at 6:30 PM in St. Vincent Worship Center, in
honor of St. Vincent De Paul's Feast Day.

The new Mass book will open, Wednesday,
October 20th. Each parish family is limited
to booking two Masses, one weekend Mass

We have recently been given CD's and booklets on the 100th Anniversary of St. Vincent's. If anyone is interested, they are located in the Parish Office Lobby or you may call the parish office.

Music Expansion

Now, during the year of the Real Presence, is the time to expand our own music to enhance each liturgy. You are NEEDED!

- 1. Cantor (leader of song) for one Mass each month.
- 2. Adult Choir ages 12 to 100 are welcome! Children's Choir ages 6-11 (Grades1-6), to sing once a month. (Practices will be held after CCD.) If interested contact Sue Klinger at 570-874-2554. At times, musicians from Frackville join us!

Chapel Hours

St. Anne Chapel will be open from 6 AM to 4 PM, Monday through Fridays, and 7 AM to 4 PM on Saturdays. Sundays the chapel doors will be open at 8:30 AM for confession.

CCD News

<u>Confirmation Date:</u> Thursday, October 28, 2021.

<u>Tentative practice date is Sunday, October 17th.</u> The Confirmation class will participate in 40 Hours (October 24-26). More information to come.

Money Chances

Money Chances have been sent out to all parishioners. This year's money chance will run from September to December. Prize amounts are \$500 in September, October, and November and \$2,000 in December. Tickets are \$5.00 each and can be purchased each month. If you so not receive your chances or if you would like more, please call the parish office. Thank you to everyone who has already purchased their tickets! Our next drawing is October 4th.



Mass Book

The new Mass book will open, Wednesday,
October 20th. Each parish family is limited
to booking two Masses, one weekend Mass and one
weekday Mass. This allows all families the opportunity to book a Mass for their loved ones. Please note:
Two Masses may be booked on the same day and
Masses are booked on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Special Collection for Haiti

The total collection for Haiti was \$480.00. All proceeds from this collection will be distributed through Catholic Charities USA and Catholic Relief Services who will respond to immediate emergency needs and aid in rebuilding and recovery efforts. May God Bless them and thank you for your generous donations!

Adoration

Adoration takes place on Tuesdays, directly after Mass, until 11 AM. In order to extend the hours for adoration, we will need people to commit, for at least an hour at a time. If anyone is able to commit to an hour, please call the parish office. Thank you!

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God, grant me the Serenity
To accept the things I cannot change.
Courage to change the things I can,
And Wisdom to know the difference.
Living one day at a time,
Enjoying one moment at a time,
Accepting hardship as the pathway to peace.
Taking, as He did, this sinful world as it is,
Not as I would have it.
Trusting that He will make all things right
if I surrender to His will.

That I may be reasonably happy in this life, And supremely happy with Him forever in the next.

Amen.

Autumn Prayer

O God of Creation, you have blessed us with the changing of the seasons. As we embrace these autumn months, may the earlier setting of the sun

remind us to take time to rest. May the crunch of the leaves beneath our feet remind us of the brevity of this earthly life. May the steam of our breath in the cool air remind us that it is you who give us your

breath of life. May the scurrying of the squirrels and the migration of the birds remind us that you call us to follow your will. We praise you for your goodness forever and ever.

Amen.

Teresa Burns

