



Church of St. Richard

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April 8, 2018 ☩ Second Sunday of Easter ~ Divine Mercy

Confessions: Every Saturday 3:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

1st Fri. Devotions: 8am Mass, Adoration All Day, Benediction & Sacred Heart Novena 4:00pm

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator: Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A.,NCC, LPC– Direct Phone: 800-791-9209
Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator - Sister Meg Cole, S.S.J., M.S., LMFT - Telephone: 610-332-0442, Ext. 19

St. Richard's Welcomes All!! ☩ No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church; no matter what your current family or marital situation; no matter what your past or present religious affiliation; no matter what your personal history, age, background, race, ethnicity, etc.; you are Invited, Welcomed, Accepted, Loved and Respected at the Parish of St. Richard's!

☩ Daily Mass Intentions ☩ (Masses are at 8:00 a.m. unls otherwise noted.)

Monday - Margaret Haehnlen by Estate

Tuesday ** **6:00 p.m.** ** - Michael L. Konidas by Family

Wednesday - Kevin & Linda Van Reed by Deacon John & Ellie

Thursday - Wanda Kenesky by Michael Lucas Family

Friday - Grandmother Rose & Aunt Mary Shemansky by Granddaughter Pat Tracy

Saturday - Dorothy Gallagher by Estate

Saturday ☩ April 14th - 4:00 p.m.

Intention - Deceased Members of Chilinskas & Cavanaugh Families by Bill & Karen Chilinskas

Lector - Beth Bialek

Eucharistic Ministers - Donna Yacilla plus need one more

Altar Servers - Myles Manjone, Tria Manjone

Sunday ☩ April 15th - 8:30 a.m.

Intention - John & Anna Demko by Duke & Joan Demko

Lector - Peg Schaediger

Eucharistic Ministers - Jim Kane, Peg Schaediger

Altar Servers - Noah Hayes, Lillian Stoyer, Kenna Wonsock

Sunday ☩ April 15th - 10:30 a.m.

Intention - Joseph & Anna Marcincin by Joanne & David Kuhns

Lector - Kelsey Macieunas

Eucharistic Ministers - Beth Bialek, Jim Bialek

Altar Servers - Cole Macieunas, Nicole Yost

Responsorial: Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.



Sacred Heart of Jesus: Continued Good Recovery for Mike Grigalonis by Duke & Joan

St. Francis Lamp: Available

Sanctuary Lamp: Special Intention for My Daughter ~ Love, Mom

Blessed Virgin Mary: Special Intention by Duke & Joan

St. Richard Lamp: Rest in Heavenly Peace Beverly ~ Love, Bill

St. Joseph Lamp: In Loving Memory of Clem Tracy by Sheral & Michael

Sunday Collection: No numbers provided ~ check next week's bulletin for latest numbers.

Fundraising Meeting: Tuesday, April 10th at 7:00 p.m.

Bible Study: Thursday, April 12th at 6:30 p.m.

Dear Padre

April 8, 2018

When our priest raises the host during the consecration at Mass, a parishioner says out loud, "My Lord and my God!" Am I out of line to feel this isn't right?

The liturgical assembly at Mass isn't a random collection of individuals; rather, the faithful form a holy people to give thanks to God. "They are consequently to avoid any appearance of singularity or division....This unity is beautifully apparent from the gestures and bodily postures observed together by the faithful" (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, 95–96). Moreover, unity is achieved in the vocal prayers and responses at Mass, "that, gathered into one body by the Holy Spirit," we "may truly become a living sacrifice in Christ" (Eucharistic Prayer IV).

The Eucharistic Prayer—the preeminent prayer of the Church—is voiced by the priest on everyone's behalf. All participate in the collective prayer by our acclamations throughout: the dialogue preface, Sanctus, memorial, and great amen. Here we express our belief in the mystery of faith and our unity in the Church's prayer.

The revised *Roman Missal* omitted the memorial acclamation, "Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again," because there's no equivalent text in the original Latin and also because it's more of a proclamation of faith than a prayer.

Likewise, "My Lord and my God" is a proclamation of faith that may be for some an entirely appropriate response for a believer as the host is raised, but the Church provides three communal prayers as acclamations immediately following the consecration. Any personal expression should be said quietly to preserve the unity of the Mass. —Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR

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Religious Education: Sunday, April 8th ~ 9:30 a.m. ~ Religious Education Class
Sunday, April 15th ~ 9:30 a.m. ~ Religious Education Class

Please Remember the Sick & Shut-ins in Your Prayers, and Especially: Ann Balas, Joe Bones, Joe “Tibbsey” Boyle, Steve Chakan, Nina Day, Sam Geissinger, William Godanis, Jr., Dee Harvan, Dr. Francis Kane, Jack Kehler, Francis Keiser, Nora Keiser, Vaal Kester, Joseph Klatka, George Koval, Marie Koval, George Kufrovich, Joe Kufrovich, Theresa (Tess) McManus, Joel Rivera, Dorothe Schmerfeld, Ellie Setlock, Gene Sault, Dominic Streisel, Elaine Sweeney, Marilyn Tolan, Jerry Tracy, Tom Whalen, Kevin White, and Celia Zukoski. **Added this week: Paul Curley.**

Basket Raffle: Ticket prices are as follows: \$6 per sheet or 5 sheets for \$25. Basket Raffle is Sunday, April 8th ~ doors open at 11:30 a.m.; drawings start at 2:00 p.m. Pre-shop and drop is Saturday, April 7th from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. **Remember ~ you need not be present to win** ~ You will get a phone call if you won! Plan to stop by after Mass this weekend.



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Donations Needed: We still are in need of donations of canned soda, bottled water and juice boxes for the reception following Confirmation on Wednesday, April 11th. Please contact Krissy Wonsock at 570-467-2197 if you are able to help in any way.



Baking Dishes/Plates: If you brought a baked good in a dish or on a plate for the recent fish dinner, you may pick it up in the hall. You'll need it next time we need you to volunteer to bring a baked good ~ like for the confirmation reception!



Please Take: Gentle reminder to please take with you your used, dirty tissues and any gum or candy wrappers after Mass. It would be greatly appreciated.

Roast Pork Dinner: Sunday, April 15, 2018 at Council Social Hall, 200 Miner Street (Seek), Coaldale. Adults: \$10; children 10 years of age and younger: \$5. Eat in or take out! Benefits Fr. Henry W. Baker, Council # 2711.

Anyway ~ Author Unknown

People are often unreasonable, illogical and self-centered; *Forgive them anyway.*
If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives; *Be kind anyway.*

If you are successful, you will win some false friends
and some true enemies; *Succeed anyway.*

If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you; *Be honest and frank anyway.*
What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight; *Build anyway.*

If you find serenity and happiness, some may be jealous; *Be happy anyway.*
The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow; *Do good anyway.*

Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough;
Give the world the best you've got anyway.

You see, in the final analysis, it is between you and God.
It never was between you and them *anyway.*

CANDLES

Special Intention

Special Intention for Mike & Sara ~ Love, Mom & Dad

Congratulations on Your New Job Samantha ~ Love, Mom & Dad

Special Intention for Children, Grandchildren & Great Grandchild by Nan

Special Intention for All Parish Personnel & All Our Military by Margie Kufrovich

For Health of Joe by Mom

Special Intention for Antonette & Kelly by Margie Kufrovich

In Thanksgiving for Our Daily Blessings by Margie Kufrovich

Prayers for the Johnson Family by Sleva Family

Special Intentions for Dante by Sleva Family

Special Intentions for Allishia & Brian by Mom & Dad

In Loving Memory of Daniel Jr. ~ Love, Mom & Dad

Healing & Strength for My Mom by Gale

Rest in Peace Gino Bruni by Mark & Gale

Comfort for Bruni Family by Mark & Gale

Intention for Mitch & Ricky by Mams & Unc.

Intention for Lisa & Family by Mom & Jeff

Intention for Jeff by Mom

Intention for Regina

Happy Easter to My Beloved by Peg Schaediger

Very Special Thanksgiving for Allen & Deana by Sheral & Michael

In Loving Memory of Paul Krukus by His Family

In Loving Memory of Toni Houser by The Dobecks

Prayers for Uncle Tom & Aunt Sandy by Amy

Speedy Recovery for My Cousin Jean by Mary

Special Intentions by Higgins Family

Special Intention for Marsha ~ Love, Jack

In Loving Memory of My Al ~ Love Fran

Thank You Barbara and Ladies by Birthright

For All of Our Family by Marge & Steve

Special Intention for Fran & Beth by The Neveroskys

Special Intention by The Neveroskys

Special Intention for Steve by Marge

Help Melley Get to Heaven by Julia

Special Intention & Prayers for Maria ~ Love, Mom & Dad

Special Intention & Prayers for Maria & James ~ Love, Mom & Dad

Prayers for Safe Travel by The Brunis

Prayers for Healing & Comfort for Mary Ann, Gina & Nicole by The Brunis

Special Prayers & Intention for Rachel, Laura, Abby & Tricia by The Brunis

Thank You for Prayers Answered by The Brunis

Prayers for Father Whalen by The Brunis

Special Intention by Duke & Joan

Continued Good Recovery for Mike by Duke & Joan

Health of Suzanne, EZ, Bob & Vaal by Lou & Margie

For All of Our Relatives & Friends by Lou & Margie

Special Intention by Lou & Margie

Special Intention for K—L—G by Mom

Special Intention by Michelle Pyrdsa

Special Intention for Stanley & Mary Schodowski by Michelle Pyrdsa

In Loving Memory of Steve Hercek

In Loving Memory of Charlotte M. Bowman

Special Intention by Patty

Prayers for Gemma by Patty

Special Intention for Vitek & Nelson Family by Francis M. Vitek

In Memory of Our Loved Ones by Senglar & Campbell Families

God's Healing for Jerome Tracy by Wife Pat

A Safe Trip for Kelly & Mom and Good Test Results by Louise & Bruce

Special Intention

In Loving Memory of John ~ Rest in Peace ~ Love, Niki

Special Intention for Bernie & Paul by Barbara

Special Intention for Mom & Dad by Barbara

Special Intention for Bill by Barbara

Special Intention by Barbara

Special Intention by Len Stokes

Special Intention by Marianne

Special Intention for Grandchildren by Marianne

Special Intention for Leah, Joe, Helen & Florence by M & S

Special Intention for Christine, KA, BS & BT by M & S