

Welcome to the Church of Saint Richard of Chichester

Rev. Robert T. Finlan, Pastor
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January 15, 2023 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mon. 1/16, Weekday

Tues. 1/17, St. Anthony, Abbot

Wed. 1/18, 8:00am, Weekday

Stanley and Helen Krutsick

requested by Donna and Dave Kost

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 8:30am (after Mass) followed by Benediction

Confession

Wednesday 8:30am-9:00am

Thurs. 1/19, 8:00am, Weekday

David A. Schwick requested by Anna Brennan

Fri. 1/20, Weekday;

St. Fabian, Pope, Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr

Sat. 1/21,

Confessions at 5:00pm – 5:15pm

Vigil Mass at 5:30pm

Joseph Klatka requested by Kathy and Carmen Forke

Sun. 1/22, 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 10:30am

Mike Grigalonis

requested by Jack and Maryanne Guinan

INCLEMENT WEATHER:

St. Richard will follow Mahanoy Area School District. If the district has a cancellation or delay because of weather, there will be NO weekday Mass. Fr. Finlan will celebrate Mass for your loved one privately.

Please Keep In Your Prayers

Linda Agosti, Robert Allesch Sr., Ann Balas, William Bednar, Mark BeYoung, Joe Bones, Bob Bonner, Marge Coassolo, Ella Connolly, Paul Curley, Maria Cusati, Nina Day, Margie Felosci, Eddy Freer, Marci Gill, Peg Grigalonis, Bob Harvan, Dee Harvan, Valerie Higgins, Dr. Francis Kane, Paul Kerrick, Patrick Kotula, George Koval, Margaret Kufrovich, Linda Light, Theresa (Tess) McManus, Michael Matricion, Bonnie Morgan, Bobby Moucheron, Eric Richardson, Helene Richmond, Joel Rivera, Cathy Sanchez, Mattea Sanfilippo, Jonathan Schimpf, Dorothe Schmerfeld, Joe Shustack Sr., Dominic Streisel, Edward Surfild, Mary Ann Thompson

Devotional and Intercessory Candles:

Blessed Virgin Mary: Special Intention by Duke and Joan

Special Intention for our daughters by Marge & Steve
 Special Intention for Jason Dahm by Dahm Family
 Special Intention for Mick – Love Sharon
 Special Intention by Sue & Jay
 Rest in God's Peace Jer, Love wife Pat
 In Loving Memory of my Al, Love Fran
 Rest in Peace Joan Krasowski by sister-in-law Pat Tracy
 Special Intention for our 3 Children's Special Needs by Marge & Steve

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday ~ 9:00 am—12:00 pm
 Bulletin announcements may be emailed or called in **no later than** Wednesday 12:00 noon. Thank you.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, January 22nd:

Is 8:23-9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17;
 Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS:

Regular: \$3,424 ~ Candles: \$88

SECOND COLLECTIONS:

1/1~Initial Offering, Solemnity of Mary,
 Parish Facility Fund;

1/8~Catholic Medical Foundation

(Special Diocesan Collection –there is no envelope
 for this collection);

1/15~Parish Utilities; 1/22~Parish Utilities;

1/29~Catholic Relief Services

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS:

Available in the vestibule.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Grades 5 - 8; Sunday, January 15th at 9:00 am

Grades 1 - 4; Sunday, January 22nd at 9:30 am

Grades 5 - 8; Sunday, January 29th at 9:00 am

All classes are held in the hall except when noted.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY:

Wednesday evenings, 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm in the Meeting
 Room. All are welcome to attend.

RCIA UPDATE:

Baptized Christians aren't re-baptized, but after
 instruction are brought into full communion by professing
 the faith, going to confession, being confirmed, and
 receiving their First Communion.

New sessions will be forming in February.

A SPECIAL THANKS:

**A special thank you to all the people who helped
 undecorate the church! It was greatly appreciated!**

LOTTERY CALENDARS:**January 2023 Winners**

1/1 Fr. Bob George, #986, \$100

1/2 Not Sold, #945, \$25

1/3 Carole Garber, #371, \$25

1/4 Lenny Zakrewsky, #410, \$25

1/5 Not Sold, #475, \$25

1/6 Not Sold, #788, \$50

1/7 Not Sold, #962, \$50

Just a reminder, there are still January lottery calendars
 for sale.

LENTEN SEAFOOD DINNER:

Friday, February 24th is our Annual Lenten Seafood
 Dinner from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. You have the choice of
 Haddock, Crab Cake, or Shrimp dinner, cost \$15 per dinner
 OR the Combo dinner, cost \$18 per dinner. Each comes
 with Butter Parsley Potatoes, Green Beans, Coleslaw, a
 Dinner Roll and Choice of Cake.

**The dinner tickets and 50/50 chances are currently
 in the vestibule for pickup.**

Please return your dinner tickets and 50/50 chances in any
 of the Mass collections or drop them in the box marked
 "Fundraising" on the rectory porch.

Any questions or would like to volunteer to prepare &/or
 serve, please contact Joann @ (570) 640-1034.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

2023 FAMILY OFFERING ENVELOPES:

By this time, all parish families on record should have
 received their 2023 offering envelopes. If you, or someone
 you know, did not, please contact Mary at the rectory office,
 570-467-2315.

2022 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS:

Anyone wanting to receive a copy of their 2022
 Contribution Statement for tax preparation may call or
 email Mary at the rectory office; 570-467-2315 or
 saintrichard@ptd.net.

Sponsor Eligibility:

Certificates of Eligibility for Baptism and Confirmation require the
 sponsor to be a registered & active member of the parish, and if
 married, in a valid marriage recognized by the Catholic Church.
 Please call the parish office for additional information.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Baptisms are usually celebrated on a Sunday afternoon. Parents need
 to be registered parishioners and attend a Baptismal Preparation
 Class. At least one Godparent must be a practicing Catholic and also
 obtain a Certificate of Eligibility from their parish.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements should be made at least 6 months prior to the proposed
 wedding date to begin pre-nuptial instructions before making any
 arrangements. Please call the parish office for more information and
 schedule an appointment with the Pastor.

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator:

Ms. Wendy S. Krisak (800) 791-9209
victimassistance@allentowndiocese.org

Diocesan Secretary for Office of Safe Environment:

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 Allentown, PA 18105-1538
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Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service:

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, contact the Catholic
 Bishop Abuse Reporting Service @
www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 800-276-1562.