Welcome to the Church of Saint Richard of Chichester

Rev. Robert T. Finlan, Pastor

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July 24, 2022 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mon. 7/25, St. James, Apostle

Tues. 7/26, Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Wed. 7/27, 8:00 am, Weekday Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Webb offered by Roy & Anne Paisley

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 8:30 am (after Mass) followed by Benediction ${f Confession}$

Wednesday 8:45 am-9:15 am

Thurs. 7/28, 8:00 am, Weekday Mary Drosdak offered by Family

Fri. 7/29, Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus

Sat. 7/30

Confessions at 4:45 pm - 5:15 pm

Vigil Mass at 5:30 pm

Florence Nolan offered by Tom & Ann (Collins) McGee

Sun. 7/31

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 10:30 am

Tom Eichman offered by Kelly & Kyle Karlavage

Please Lift Up in Prayer those in need of Healing and Encouragement:

Linda Agosti, Robert Allesch Sr., Ann Balas, William Bednar, Mark BeYoung, Joe Bones, Bob Bonner, Marci Bonner, Marge Coassolo, Ella Connolly, Paul Curley, Nina Day, Margie Felsoci, Pat Firkal, Eddy Freer, Marci Gill, Mike Grigalonis, Peg Grigalonis, Bob Harvan, Dee Harvan, Valerie Higgins, Dr. Francis Kane, Al Korutz, George Koval, Linda Light, Theresa (Tess) McManus, Bonnie Morgan, Bobby Moucheron, Pastor Jack Murray, Eric Richardson, Joel Rivera, Mary Rudy, Cathy Sanchez, Dorothe Schmerfeld, Joe Shustack Sr., Dominic Streisel, Edward Surfield, Mary Ann Thompson, Marilyn Tolan, Paul Yost, Sr.

Devotional Candles:

Blessed Virgin Mary: Special Intention by Duke & Joan

Intercessory Candles:

Rest in God's Peace Jer, Love wife Pat In Loving Memory of my Al, Love Fran Special Intention by Sue & Jay R.I.P. Bobby Ryan Jr. – Prayers of Comfort & Strength for the Ryan Family by Williams Family

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:

Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, July 31st:

Ecc 1:2, 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS:

Regular: \$1,572

SECOND COLLECTIONS:

7/3~Parish Facility Fund; 7/4~Independence Day 7/10~Parish Festival 7/17~Catholic Church in Eastern/Central Europe 7/24~Parish Utilities; 7/31~Parish Utilities

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS:

Available in the vestibule.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY:

Wednesday evenings, 6:30-8:00pm in the Meeting Room. (Please use the rectory/office side entrance by the St. Francis statue). ALL are welcome to attend.

SOUP KITCHEN COOKS/SERVERS NEEDED:

Provide a welcoming, respectful environment for the homeless and those in need. Individuals are in need to serve a meal at the Pottsville Area Kitchen once a month. Meals are served Monday through Thursday from 5:00pm-6:00pm and Sundays at 12:00pm. Currently, we are providing grab and go meals and follow CDC guidelines. All volunteers must complete background checks, trainings and forms. For more information, please contact Terry Alexander at 570-617-2957 or terry-pak@comcast.net OR Bob Olney at 610-435-1541 ext. 327 or rolney@allentowndiocese.org.

PARISH FESTIVAL UPDATES / REMINDERS:

The schedule for the next 2 weeks is posted with time slots on a Volunteer Board in the back of the Church. This also includes the stations needing volunteers to serve and sell the day of the Festival.

We greatly appreciate any time you can spare to lend a hand.

Food Prep Schedule:

Tues. August 2nd at 8:30 am - Coring and cooking cabbage Wed. August 3rd at 8:30 am - Making halupkie Fri. August 5th at 8:30 am - Making bandukie

In addition, if you are more interested in donating tangibles (food items or supplies), there are donation sheets for items and dishes we need on the tables in the back of the church. As always, we look forward to your specialties every year!

If you have any questions, or need further information, please contact Erica Stoyer @ 570-778-4029.

WELCOME AND THANK YOUS:

Welcome back Father Finlan!

and thank you to the Apostles of Jesus for filling in with the weekend Masses <u>and</u> to all who helped in making sure everything ran smooth while Father Finlan was away.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

St. Jerome Regional School (School Year 2022-2023)

Part Time Physical Education Teacher Monday and Thursday during the school year, Substitute Teachers for our sub list (PreK-8)

Download the Diocesan Teaching Application

Part Time Cafeteria Worker Monday-Friday 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; Substitute Aides for our sub list, (PK-8); Part Time Aide (K-8) 8:30-2:00 Monday-Friday during the school year. Download the Non Teaching Application

*Must send clearances along with application Contact (no phone calls please):

Mrs. Amy M. Hannis-Miskar,

Email: ahannismiskar@sjrschool.com

${\bf Sponsor\ Eligibility:}$

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 victimsassistance@allentowndiocese.org

Diocesan Secretary for Office of Safe Environment

Pamela J. Russo, MŠW, MS P.O. Box F Allentown, PA 18105-1538 (610) 871-5200 ext. 2204 prusso@allentowndiocese.org

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.