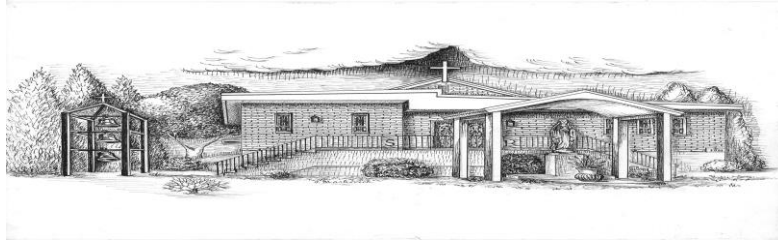


Welcome to the Church of Saint Richard of Chichester

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August 28, 2022 Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mon. 8/29

The Passion of St. John the Baptist

Tues. 8/30, Weekday

Wed. 8/31, 8:00 am, Weekday

Pat and Al Skelson

offered by John and Lillian Malasavage

Eucharistic Adoration

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

Confession

Wednesday 8:45 am-9:15 am

Thurs. 9/1, 8:00 am, Weekday

Jer, Joseph, and Daniel Tracy offered by Pat Tracy

Fri. 9/2, Weekday

Sat. 9/3

Confessions at 4:45 pm – 5:15 pm

Vigil Mass at 5:30 pm

Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Paisley

offered by Roy and Anne Paisley

Sun. 9/4

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 10:30 am

Living and deceased members of

St. Richard & St. John XXIII parishes

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:

Fr. Finlan will be administering the sacrament following the Saturday Vigil and Sunday Mass this weekend

(8/27 & 8/28) Mass.

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 Felosci, Pat Firkal, Eddy Freer, Marci Gill, Mike Grigalonis, Peg Grigalonis, Bob Harvan, Dee Harvan, Valerie Higgins, Dr. Francis Kane, Al Korutz, George Koval, Margaret Kufrovich, 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 Surfild, Mary Ann Thompson, Marilyn Tolan

Devotional Candles:

Blessed Virgin Mary: Special Intention by Duke & Joan

Intercessory Candles:

Special Intention by Sharon
 Special Intention by Michelle Prydsa
 Prayers for Strength & Healing for Gus by Family
 In Loving Memory of my Al, Love Fran

Special Intention by Sue & Jay
 In Memory of Mizzer & Rajkowski families
 by Family
 Rest in God's Peace Jer, Love wife Pat

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.

HOLIDAY HOURS:

In observance of the Labor Day holiday, the office will be **closed** Monday, September 5th and Tuesday, September 6th and **reopen** Wednesday, July 6th at 9:00 am.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, September 4th:

Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17;

Phmn 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS:

Regular: \$1,592 ~ Candles: \$68

SECOND COLLECTIONS:

8/28~Parish Utilities;

9/4~Parish Facility Fund

9/11~Triennial National Collection

for the Archdiocese for the Military Service (USA)

9/18~St. Vincent de Paul;

9/25~Latin America Churches

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS:

Available in the vestibule.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Grades 1 – 4; Sunday, September 18th @ 9:30 am

Catechetical Sunday, September 18th - 10:30 am Mass

Grades 5 - 8; Sunday, September 11th @ 9:00 am

Grades 5 - 8; Sunday, September 25th @ 9:00 am

All classes are held in the hall except when noted.

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED:

If you have questions or need more information, please contact Krissy at 732-687-0433 or call the office during business hours.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY:

Wednesday evenings, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm in the Meeting Room. (Please use the rectory/office side entrance by the St. Francis statue). ALL are welcome to attend.

HALUPKI DINNER UPDATE:

Advance Order Halupki Dinner

Saturday, September 10, 2022 from 11 am to 2 pm

The cost is \$12.00 per dinner.

The deadline to order is **next** Sunday, September 4th.

Please contact Joann at 570-640-1034 with any questions.

Dinner Prep Schedule:

Wed. Sept. 7th at 5:30 pm - cooking and coring cabbage

Thurs. Sept. 8th at 8:30 am - making halupkie

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

COMING SOON:**Rite Of Christian Initiation Of Adults (RCIA)**

RCIA sessions will be available for adults completing the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist). These sessions will be held at St. Richard and open to both St. Richard and St. John XXIII parishes. Please check the bulletin for updates as more information becomes available.

To register, please contact Teri at (570) 467-2315 during business hours or email strichard@frontiernet.net. Please type "RCIA" in the subject line.

SAINT JEROME REGIONAL SCHOOL CYO:

This program is open to ALL young people who either attend St. Jerome Regional School OR belong to one of the following parishes AND attend their CCD/Prep Classes -

All Saints, St. Richard, St. John XXIII, St. Joseph of the Panther Valley, St. Joseph of Jim Thorpe, Immaculate Conception, St. Peter the Fisherman, and Sts. Peter and Paul.

A schedule of events with grades of participation, and sign up form with instructions, are in the vestibule for your convenience.

SOUP KITCHEN COOKS/SERVERS NEEDED:

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. All volunteers must complete background checks, trainings and forms. For more information, please contact Terry Alexander at 570-617-2957 OR Bob Olney at 610-435-1541 ext. 327.

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

Pamela J. Russo, MSW, MS
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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.