



# PRESENTATION BVM

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## PARISH OFFICES

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:15 PM  
**Sunday:** 8:30 and 11:30 AM  
**St. Joseph:** 10 AM  
**Daily:** 6:30 AM (Adoration Chapel) Mon. through Fri.  
 10:00 AM (Adoration Chapel) Tues. and Thurs.  
 8:00 AM (Adoration Chapel) Sat.  
**St. Joseph:** 10:00 AM Mon., Wed., Fri.  
**Holyday:** No Vigil Mass at Presentation  
 Holyday: 6:30 AM and 7:30 PM  
 (Except Christmas & New Year's Day)  
**St. Joseph:** Vigil Mass, 7:30 PM  
 Holyday: 10:00 AM

## MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA DEVOTIONS

Each Saturday following the Rosary at 7:30 AM

## SACRAMENTS

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturdays: 4:00 PM to 4:45 PM  
**BAPTISM:** Third Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM  
**Baptismal Instructions:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at  
 7:00 PM in the rectory. Pre-registration is required;  
 please contact the Rectory.  
**MARRIAGE:** Arrangements must be made at least six  
 months before the date of the wedding.

## Deadline for Publication

The deadline for publication in the parish bulletin is Monday  
 at 11am. You can submit your notices either by email or by  
 dropping them off at the rectory. (Previously published  
 bulletins are available on the parish website.)  
[bulletin.pbvm@gmail.com](mailto:bulletin.pbvm@gmail.com)

## Rectory Office Hours

Monday – Friday, 8 am - 2 pm

## November 11, 2018 – Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

### First Reading: I Kings 17:10-16

The poverty-stricken but generous widow, having obeyed Elijah's command, or "word," receives God's assurance of care, as the miraculous replenishment of the jar of flour and jug of oil were the signs of it.

### Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28

The author rejects the idea of Jesus needing to repeat His one great sacrifice because it was perfect and eternal, unlike the earthly sacrifices made at the Temple.

### Gospel: Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

A poor widow exemplifies the generosity called for by Jesus, as she makes a true sacrifice of her livelihood out of reverence for the Temple.

### Reflection:

Jesus notes the rich donating money from their surplus, while the poor widow "from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood." The Greek literally says the widow "gave her whole life." Since this passage comes before the passion, Jesus' words take on special meaning for disciples who, like the widow, are asked to give their all to follow him.

### So we ask ourselves:

- Are we aware of the living conditions of the poor around us and the causes of their poverty?
- What can my church community and I do to address these conditions and improve the welfare of the poor?

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 17 – NOVEMBER 18			
5:15 PM	John Lynch	Gianna Morgan Moira Hurst	Ron Camp, Andrea Martin-Perry, David McCarron, Sheila Meehan
8:30 AM	Frank Byrne	Justis Davis Alexa Davis	Gerry Campion, Rocco Nicoletti, Patty Walsh, Dolores Gambescia
11:30 AM	Bailee Mason	Maria Brubaker Faith Flores	Annette Foley, Patricia Skiendzielewski, Rhonda White, Arlene Hudson

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

#### Sunday, November 11, 2018

- 8:30 Cyrenian Society
- 11:30 All Souls Remembrance

#### Monday, November 12, 2018, Memorial of St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

- 6:30 All Souls Remembrance
- 10:00 Mass at St. Joseph

#### Tuesday, November 13, 2018, Memorial of St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin

- 6:30 All Souls Remembrance
- 10:00 All Souls Remembrance

#### Wednesday, November 14, 2018

- 6:30 All Souls Remembrance
- 10:00 Mass at St. Joseph

#### Thursday, November 15, 2018

- 6:30 All Souls Remembrance
- 10:00 All Souls Remembrance

#### Friday, November 16, 2018

- 6:30 All Souls Remembrance
- 10:00 Mass at St. Joseph

#### Saturday, November 17, 2018, Memorial of St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

- 8:00 All Souls Remembrance

### REMEMBER OUR SICK

Please keep in your daily prayers, those who are sick and in need of God's healing touch.



Daniel Dalbey, Rita Marie Smith, Joan White, Joanna DeNofa, Donna McGonigle, Joey Lanzi, Chris Vogel, Patty Rowley, Howard Stickley III, Bob Gottschalk, Bill Mahoney, Mary Rowland, Josephine D. Smith, Michael R. Smith, Stanley Grey, Fred Henderson, Theresa Noraka, Ann Schlimer, Matthew Balent, Ethel Thomas, James White, Ann Ruocchio, Brian Hinchey, Patricia Wilbert, Debbie Chakler, Mary McGlenn, Norah Mason, Francis Lordan, Stanley Hrynko, Eileen S. Smith, Doris Dalbey, Marie Verna, Eileen Myer, Virginia Bonawitz, Ethel Iannuzzi, Joan Unterkofler, Joseph Affet, Steven Specht Jr., Regina Carberry, Julia Michel, Sharon Hartman, Josephine Hillenbrand, Edward Anstotz, Bill Bambery, Russel Kahny, Mary Ellen Murphy, Aiden Smith-Kirk

COLLECTION AMOUNTS	
November 4, 2018	\$4,382
October 28, 2018	\$5,014
October 21, 2018	\$4,507
October 14, 2018	\$5,100

Pres Events		
	Parish	School
Sun., 11/11	Adult Bowling, 6 pm	
Mon., 11/12		8 <sup>th</sup> grade Parent Graduation Meeting
Tues., 11/13	PREP- 6:45 – 8:05 pm Holy Hour, 8 pm (Chapel)	
Wed., 11/14		
Thurs., 11/15	Scripture Study, 7:15 pm (RMR)	Pick-up Corbi Fundraiser Items, 2 pm - 5 pm
Fri., 11/16	Parish Christmas Bazaar, 10 am – 2 pm; No NDS Lunch	
Sat., 11/17	Parish Christmas Bazaar, 9 am – 8 pm	

### Tabor Home Sunday

Next Sunday is **Tabor Home Sunday**. Socks and underwear—both men's and women's—would be appreciated. Thank you for your faithful support of Tabor Home.

### Scrip Hours

**Sunday:** 10:30 am – 11:45 am; **Mon.:** 8:30 am – 10:30 am  
**Tuesday:** 2 pm – 3 pm  
**Wednesday:** 2 pm – 3 pm; 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm  
**Thursday:** 8:30 am - 10:30 am; 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm  
**Friday:** 8:30 am - 10:30 am; **Saturday:** after 5:15 pm Mass

### CYO Pie Sale

THE PIES ARE COMING!!! Pie order forms will be in the back of church this week and they are also available in the Scrip Office. Once again we will be teaming up with our local Schenks Bakery. Any questions, please contact Nicole Herbert @ (215) 939-3900

### The CYO Needs Your Help!

During this holiday season Presentation BVM CYO will donate complete Thanksgiving and Christmas Dinners as well as toys to families in need. If you know of any family who needs help, could you please submit their name either directly to Father Harrison or put their names in the collection basket on Sunday. We will respect their need for privacy. Thank you.



### Sacrament of Confirmation

On Sunday, December 2, 2018, at the 11:30 am Mass, Bishop Fitzgerald will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to the students of Presentation BVM School and the students in our Parish Religious Education Program (PREP). Please keep the Confirmandi in your prayers during this special time in their lives.



### Red Cross Blood Drive

**When:** Monday, January 14, 2019; 2 pm - 7 pm  
**Where:** Presentation BVM Church Hall  
**More Info:** Call Jessica Stickle, 267- 909-4899.

### Courage/Encourage Ministry

Are you or a loved one struggling with unwanted same-sex attractions and looking for answers? Courage, an apostolate of the Roman Catholic Church, ministers to those with same-sex attractions and their loved ones, focusing on chastity, prayer, fellowship, support and good example.  
**More Info:** Call (215) 587-4505 to leave a message, email [courage.philadelphia@gmail.com](mailto:courage.philadelphia@gmail.com) or visit: [phillycourage.com](http://phillycourage.com). Confidentiality is assured

### Prayer for Veterans

God of peace,  
 we pray for those who have served our nation and have laid down their lives to protect and defend our freedom.

We pray for those who have fought,  
 whose spirits and bodies are scarred by war,  
 whose nights are haunted by memories  
 too painful for the light of day.

We pray for those who serve us now,  
 especially for those in harm's way.  
 Shield them from danger  
 and bring them home.



Turn the hearts and minds  
 of our leaders and our enemies  
 to the work of justice and a harvest of peace.

Spare the poor, Lord, spare the poor!  
 May the peace you left us,  
 the peace you gave us,  
 be the peace that sustains,  
 the peace that saves us.

Christ Jesus, hear us!  
 Lord Jesus, hear our prayer! Amen.

### Mother Boniface Spirituality Center Events

Watching faith in action through the generations of our families is often the catalyst for all those holding on to their faith or returning back to it.

#### Session 2: "The Faith of the Family in the Home"

We will talk about the dynamics of family life and discuss practical ideas on how to build Catholic traditions and family faith experiences at home.

**When:** -November 13; 10:00 am - 12:30 pm (Lunch included)  
 Both sessions will be interactive, with the opportunity for discussion and will end with lunch.

Both sessions will be led by the staff of the Mother Boniface Spirituality Center and will be based on statistical information, personal experiences and will provide practical tips.

**Where:** 3501 Solly Avenue in Northeast Philadelphia

**Registration:** Email your name and contact number to: [MBCretreat@msbt.org](mailto:MBCretreat@msbt.org) or call 267-350-1831

**Cost:** Free Will Offering

### Celebration of the Installment of the Tomb with Sacred Remains of Saint Katharine Drexel



Archbishop Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M. Cap. invites you to the celebration of the installation of the tomb with the sacred remains of Saint Katharine Drexel

**When:** Sunday, Nov. 18, 11:00 am Solemn Mass  
**Where:** Cathedral Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul, Phila

### Lily's Gift

If a Prenatal Diagnosis is poor, you are not alone. *Lily's Gift*, is a network of concerned parents and professionals who have experienced or worked closely with issues surrounding poor prenatal diagnosis. A collaboration of the Office for Persons with Disabilities, Catholic Social Services and the Office of Life and Family, this service can provide a peer support team to assist couples during this critical time.

**For support:** Call 215-587-3530 or email [LilysGiftLuke12.27@gmail.com](mailto:LilysGiftLuke12.27@gmail.com).

**More Info:** Visit [www.Lilysgift.org](http://www.Lilysgift.org) or [www.benotafraid.net](http://www.benotafraid.net).

### Ans. to this week's "What's What in the Bible?"

1. Sacred Scripture
2. St. Jerome
3. God
4. Pentateuch/Law/ Torah
5. Acts of the Apostles



**B Street Band  
Coming to Saint Basil Academy**

Join us for a night of great music and dancing with the B Street Band. The event is BYOB. This event and includes dinner from the famous Cescaphe Group and incredible music by the B Street Band, "The Original Bruce Springsteen Tribute Band."

**When:** Friday, January 4, 2019 from 7-11 PM

**Where:** Saint Basil Academy, 711 Fox Chase Road  
Jenkintown, PA 19046

**Cost:** Tickets are \$40.00. Tickets are limited, so please order soon. Purchase tickets online at:

<https://www.stbasilacademy.org/product/b-streetband-tickets/>

**More Info:** Contact Linda Powers (215)885-3771 ext. 130 or Carol Abel ext. 134.

**Christmas Concert  
at the Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter & Paul**

Our annual Christmas celebration is back and better than ever. Cathedral Music Director Charlene Angelini leads an uplifting program of beautiful carols and the traditional music of Christmas, performed by the combined forces of the Cathedral Choir and the choirs of the Philadelphia Archdiocese. Resounding brass add to the spectacle as voices rise in celebration of the festive season! Free parking available.

**When:** December 9, 2018, 3:00 pm -4:30 pm

**Where:** Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter & Paul,  
1723 Race St. Philadelphia, PA 19103.

**To purchase tickets:** Visit [cathedralphilaconcerts.org](http://cathedralphilaconcerts.org)

**St. Charles Seminary  
Open House and Christmas Concert**

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend our annual Open House and Christmas Concert, featuring our seminarian choir.

**When:** Sunday, December 9; the Open House and seminary tours begin at 1:00 pm and the concert begins at 4 pm in our St. Martin of Tours chapel.

**More Info:** Visit <https://www.scs.edu/node/2506>

**Early Bulletin Deadline**

Info for the 11/25 bulletin is due in the rectory or by email by Thursday, 11/15, 11 am.

**Theology: What's What in the Bible?"**

1. What do we call the inspired WORD of God?
2. Who translated the Bible into Latin?
3. Who is the author of the Bible?
4. What do we call the first five books of the Bible?
5. Which book contains a history of the early days of the Church?  
(Answers on p.3)

**45<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Bazaar  
and Craft Fair**

Come and check out our crafts, games, gifts, chances, baked goods, and a wide variety of vendors! Lunch will be served on both Friday and Saturday. This event is guaranteed to be a great time for everyone.



**When:** Friday, Nov. 16, 10 am - 2 pm

and Saturday, Nov. 17, 9 am - 8 pm

**Special Events:**

**Arrival of Santa:** Cheltenham Fire Truck around 4:45 pm on Saturday, November 17.

**Tree lighting ceremony and caroling:**  
Saturday, 4:30 pm until 5 pm

**Dinner:** Dinner and professional pictures with Santa will be available beginning at 5 pm on Saturday.

**Dinner choices:** Penne with marinara, Penne Alfredo, meatballs, roast pork, roasted potatoes, green beans, salad;  
Adults, \$10; kids, \$5

**Pictures with Santa-** \$10, 5 x 7

**Vendors**

Any interested vendors should contact Kathleen Hurst (215) 870-8251 or [Kvhurst@comcast.net](mailto:Kvhurst@comcast.net)

**Basket of Cheer - Bazaar**

We are in need of donations. Please bring your unopened "spirits" donation to the Scrip room during Scrip selling hours though November 15.

Monetary donations are also welcome. Please put it in an envelope, marked "Basket of Cheer Donation", drop it into the collection basket, and we will do the shopping for you. Thank you for your continued support!

**More Info:** Kathleen Hurst (215-870-8251)

**Green Thumb Alert!**

If you have extra house plants or if you need to thin out some of your overgrown beauties, please donate them to the Christmas bazaar! We will start accepting donations the week of 11/1. The plants will then be sold at the Bazaar

**Calling All Bakers—Please Help**

We all love the smell and taste of fresh homemade cookies, cakes, and pies. We need donations to be sold at this year's Christmas bazaar. Donations can be dropped off in the church hall at any time after school on **Thursday, November 15** or on Friday or Saturday morning. If you are able to bake an item, but are unable to drop it off, please call Sarah Herbert (215-939-7714) and leave your name and address. She will arrange for someone to pick it up

**Christmas Bazaar**

**URGENT—WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!** The Christmas Bazaar is **November 16 and 17**. We are in need of volunteers (parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, and older siblings, neighbors) to help man this event. It's a great opportunity for high school students who are looking for community service hours. Nicole Herbert (215-939-3900) needs help to coordinate this wonderful project. Please complete the form below and return it to the rectory if you are willing to help her. Some areas of service would be: setting up, cleaning up, helping out in booths, selling tickets, etc. Help is also needed two days before the actual bazaar.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Availability:** \_\_\_\_\_ Friday \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday \_\_\_\_\_ Both **Times:** \_\_\_\_\_

