



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: 2nd 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

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Rectory Office Hours

Monday – Wednesday, 8 am - 1 pm
 Thursday and Friday – No Office Hours
 No evening hours

November 21, 2021 – Christ the King

First Reading: Daniel 7: 13-14

The one in human form, which is what is meant by the term “son of man,” is not a real person in this context, but a symbol. His kingdom is to be everlasting.

Second Reading: Revelation 1: 5-8

Jesus, the firstborn of the dead, deserves “glory and praise forever.”

Gospel: John 18: 33b-37


Scholars call this section of John “Scene two” of Jesus’ trial before Pilate. It is high drama, as Jesus not only assures Pilate that His kingdom “does not belong to this world,” but also that He came to testify to the truth.

Reflection:

Jesus’ kingdom, his world, is with us now. We have, through our baptism and the gift of the Spirit, been given the vision to see the presence of the kingdom and its life-giving possibilities. It is a world of community, equality, respect, and dialogue. In the kingdom, under Jesus’ rule, each person’s gifts are recognized. The poor and neglected are empowered and no one is left out. Justice is given to each, regardless of their political influence, race, gender, or economic status.

So, we ask ourselves:

- Who or what set of values rule my life and guide my daily decisions?
- What can I do to respond more fully to Jesus’ rule in my life?



Readings for the Week – November 21, 2021

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Dn 6:12-28; Dn 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74; Lk 21:20-28
Thanksgiving Day, Suggested: Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19
Friday: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81; Lk 21:29-33
Saturday: Dn 7:15-27; Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87; Lk 21:34-36
Sunday: Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14; 1 Thes 3:12 — 4:2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, November 21, 2021

8:30 Cyrenian Society
11:30

Monday, November 22, 2021, Memorial of St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

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

Tuesday, November 23, 2021

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

Wednesday, November 24, 2021, Memorial of St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

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

Thursday, November 25, 2021, Thanksgiving Day

8:30 All Souls Remembrance

Friday, November 26, 2021

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

Saturday, November 27, 2021

8:00 All Souls Remembrance

Visit Presentation BVM Parish’s FaceBook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/PresParishCheltenham/>



REMEMBER OUR DECEASED

Pray for all members of the Presentation Faith Community who have been welcomed into the happiness of eternal life, especially Hugh Connor.

REMEMBER OUR SICK



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

Miriam Abaladejo, Joseph Affet, Edward Anstotz, Sonny & Paul Andris, Matthew Balent, Bill Bambery, Regina Carberry, Sr. Marie Cella, Debbie Chakler, Joanna DeNofa, Stanley Grey, Bob Gottschalk, Charles and Donna Frush, Fred Henderson, Carol Jean Hertkorn, Joey Lanzi, Mary Hillenbrand, Brian Hinchey, Stanley Hrynko, Ethel Iannuzzi, Russel Kahny, Jaime Loyola, Katharina Marx, Mary McGlinn, Donna McGonigle, Bill Mahoney, Eileen Myer, Norah Mason, Mary Rowland, Mary Ellen Murphy, Theresa Noraka, Ann Schlimer, Anthony Piotrowski, Patty Rowley, Ann Ruocchio, Aiden Smith-Kirk, Eileen S. Smith, Michael R. Smith, Ethel Thomas, Josephine D. Smith, Theresa and Bill Sheviver, Rita Marie Smith, Marie Verna, Steven Specht Jr., Howard Stickley III, James White, Patricia Wilbert, Joan Unterkofler, Chris Vogel

Feast Day Tip: Thanksgiving

Obviously, this isn’t a Catholic feast day. But it is often celebrated most beautifully by Catholics. Many parishes hold a special Mass on Thanksgiving for those who want to spend the day at the table of the Lord. It is also a beautiful reminder that Eucharist means thanksgiving. Consider attending Mass on Thanksgiving and give all glory to God.

Visit feastday.co for more help celebrating the feasts and seasons.

Pres Events, 11/21– 11/27		
	Parish	School
Sun., 11/21	Feast of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
Mon., 11/22		Let's Talk Turkey Dress Down Day, \$1
Tues., 11/23	PREP; 6:45 pm – 8:05 pm; Illuminated Prayer Tree Service, 7:30 pm	.
Wed., 11/24		Thanksgiving Prayer Service, 11:00 am; Dismissal, Noon
Thurs., 11/25		Thanksgiving. School Closed
Fri., 11/26		School Closed
Sat., 11/27		

Pray for Life

Fourth Saturday, November 27, 6:30-7:30 am, at the abortion clinic on Tabor below Broad (behind Einstein Hospital).

SUPPORT THE PARISH!

Our parish offers online giving. Sponsored by the Catholic Foundation of Greater Philadelphia, support our parish by visiting www.thecfcp.org/parish. Using your credit card or ach/direct debit from your bank account, you'll be able to make a one-time contribution or setup a recurring gift so that presentation bvm parish, Cheltenham, can receive a steady avenue of support. **Be sure to select the correct presentation bvm in the dropdown menu** - there are two presentation bvm parishes in the archdiocese - but only one presentation bvm-cheltenham.



SCRIP NEWS and Fall Schedule



Monday: 8 am – 10 am; **Tuesday:** 2 pm – 3 pm
Wednesday: 2 pm – 3 pm; 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm
Thursday: 8 am – 10 am; **Friday:** 8 am - 10 am;
Saturday: CLOSED; **Sunday:** 9:30 am - 11:30 am

Our scrip sellers are local and very passionate about our Scrip Program. Should you find yourself in need of Scrip, outside of normal business hours, PLEASE CONTACT:
Nicole Herbert (215) 939-3900;
Kathleen Hurst (215) 870-8251

They will do their very best to accommodate you!

SCRIP IS AVAILABLE 24/7 @ www.shopwithscrip.com or by using the Raise Right App on your mobile device.

Any questions? Need help? Call us, text us, email us! We will help you not only earn money for yourself, but also for our school!

The Scrip program is the easiest, no cost fundraiser there is. There is no gimmick, no catch. It takes a few minutes of pre-planning and a smidge of discipline, but the payoff is great!!!!

Monies earned through Scrip can be used at ANY school (AOP, Private Schools/Academies, etc)...from Pre-School through College, student loans, and any school related fees.

And one last reminder: It is much easier to support your school while it is open than it is to save it from closing.

Answers to this week's "Theology Trivia"

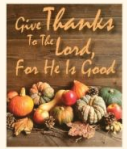
1. Amen 2. Easter 3. Forty days 4. Two men 5. None

Thanksgiving Blessings



"Thanksgiving Is"

Thanksgiving is a time of gratitude to God, our Creator and Provider, whose guidance and care go before us... and whose love is with us forever.



Thanksgiving is a time to reflect on the changes, to remember that we, too, grow and change from one season of life to another.

Thanksgiving is a time of changing seasons, when leaves turn golden in Autumn's wake and apples are crisp in the first chill breezes of fall.

Let us remember the true meaning of Thanksgiving.

As we see the beauty of Autumn, let us acknowledge the many blessings which are ours... let us think of our families and friends.. and let us give thanks in our hearts.

- Author Unknown



As the Year of St. Joseph Draws to a Close...

The Holy Year of St. Joseph ends on December 8. We express our gratitude to our Holy Patron for all the graces and blessings we have received from his hand this year.

PREP FOOD DRIVE and ILLUMINATED PRAYER TREE SERVICE

All students, parents, and guests are encouraged to participate and pin a prayer intention or something they are thankful for on the tree during the prayer service. This is a great way to teach our children about gratitude and the true meaning of Thanksgiving.



Presented by: Level 7 Prep

When: Tuesday November 23, 2021, 7:30 pm in Church
Decorated boxes will be at the back of the church for PREP FOOD DRIVE

2nd Annual "Thank You, Father" Letter Writing Campaign

The Serra Missionaries invite you to send a letter to show your love and support for our wonderful priests. Catholics of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia are encouraged to send a letter or email of gratitude to the remarkable priests in their lives between Priesthood Sunday, September 26, 2021, through Thanksgiving, November 25, 2021.

More info: Please mail or email letters directly to the priests. If you have any questions, please contact Kathryn Slaats at serramissionaries@gmail.com.

Save the Date: Archdiocesan Family Festival

Speakers: Archbishop Pérez, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, Mike and Alicia Hernon from The Messy Family Project and Corazón Puro

When: Saturday, April 30, 2022, 9 am - 4:30 pm

Where: Cardinal O'Hara High School

More Info: shorturl.at/loHX6

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Winter Jacket Donation

Please bring new or clean and gently used winter jackets, **sizes medium and larger**, for residents of Tabor Manor. A box will be in the vestibule of the church. We will collect until Thanksgiving. Tabor Manor is an adult group home within our parish located at Tabor and Knorr. 48 residents live there - 2/3 are men and 1/3 are women. The folks who live there share tight quarters and a bare-bones existence. During a recent visit to the home to drop off socks and underwear from our parish collection, the Tabor Manor staff voiced a need for winter jackets for 25 of the residents. And so we bring that need to you - as you go through your closets and prepare for this winter, please keep the Tabor Manor residents in mind. Thank you!



YA Advent Retreat & Bonfire: A Night of Hope

Peak Encounter Ministries invites young adults (college, 20s, 30s) for an inspirational and fun retreat with outdoor Adoration, plus a bonfire with s'mores and hot chocolate!
When: Friday, December 3, 2021, 6:30 pm -9:00 pm
(Registration at 6:00 PM)
Where: Malvern Memorial Cabin, 600 Monument Ave., Malvern, PA 19355
Registration: By Nov. 29 at peakencounter.org/new-events.

Retired Teachers.... Looking for Something to Do?

Presentation BVM School is looking for YOU! If interested in being a substitute teacher, check out the requirements on our school web page: <https://presentationbvmschool.org/>
Please contact the principal, Mrs. Flanigan, at: mrs.flanign@presbvmschool.org or 215-379-3798 or send her your resume.

Holy Hour with the Good Shepherd

Need some encouragement in these difficult times in the world and the Church? Join us for a holy hour with fellow priests, religious and lay faithful as we seek strength and hope from Jesus, our Good Shepherd, the saints and one another. The Holy Hour includes Rosary, Litany and Benediction. Afterwards join us for a short talk on a saint, exploring how he or she remained faithful to Christ and His Church during the trials of his or her time.

Talk topic: *How Carmelite Nuns Brought an End to the French Revolution*

When: Sunday, December 5, 2021, 2 - 4 pm
Where: St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church
3422 Dennison Ave, Drexel Hill, PA
RSVP: Visit phillyevang.org/events.

Archdiocesan wide Annual Eucharistic Devotion, Forty Hours

The Forty Hours at the Cathedral Basilica, which typically begins with the new liturgical year, will be an Archdiocesan wide observance with exposition throughout the night to encourage in person adoration.

When: November 28-30, 2021

Where: Cathedral Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul

More Info: <https://archphila.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/40-Hours-flyer.pdf>

Anyone throughout the Archdiocese can participate by signing up for a Holy Hour on the website: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f044eada72ba0fd0-40hours>



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Lottery Calendar Fundraiser

**31 chances to win —
\$2,700 in total prizes
ranging from \$50 to \$500!**

Winner based on the daily 7pm
Pennsylvania Evening Pick 3
(straight as drawn)

**Your \$10 donation supports
the students and staff at Presentation BVM School.**

Calendars are available to purchase at school, at the Scrip office
or after Mass on the weekends.

If you are interested in selling/buying calendars,
please contact Bill Boyce at wboyce@presbvmschool.org

Thank you for your support!

Immaculée Ilibagiza:

Finding Forgiveness in God's Mercy

St. David Church invites you to join us for an evening reflection on forgiveness from the perspective of a Rwandan genocide survivor. Immaculée Ilibagiza will share her beautiful account of how God inspired forgiveness in her heart for the murderers that raged outside her cramped hiding spot for 91 days. You are invited down to our Church Hall afterwards for light refreshments and a book signing by Ms. Ilibagiza.

When: Wednesday, December 15 at 7 pm

(Doors open at 5:30 pm and close at 6:30 pm)

Where: St. David Church, 316 Easton Road, Willow Grove

More Info and Tickets:

<https://stdavidparish.org/advent-2021/>

Pope's Monthly Intention November 2021 Universal- People who suffer from depression

We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

Monthly Prayer

Good Father, who looks at your sons and daughters with love, we know that You feel sorry to the core for those who suffer the most.

Your Son Jesus healed so many, restoring sight to the blind, hearing to the deaf, speech to the mute, and walking to the disabled.

Today, we pray for those who have darkened hearts with sadness and pain; brothers and Sisters lost in depression and extreme exhaustion.

Send your Spirit upon them to find rest and comfort, and give us a heart to love and support them, opening to them paths of hope and new life.

Amen.

https://www.pray.com.au/monthly_intentions/popese-monthly-intention-november-2021/

Theology Trivia

1. What one word do we say at the end of each prayer that means, "Yes" or "So be it?"
2. What is the most important feast of the Church year?
3. How long did Jesus fast and pray in the desert?
4. How many other men were executed with Jesus?
5. How many brothers and sisters did Jesus have?

(Answers on p. 3)

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