

Welcome to the Catholic Communities of

St. Ann, St. John Neumann & St. Vincent de Paul

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

16 NOVEMBER 2025

The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

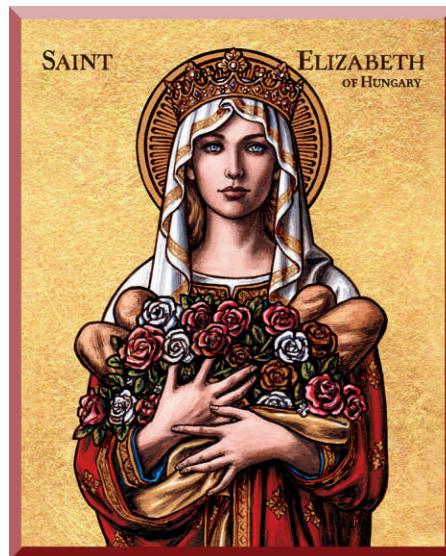
NOT WATCHING FOR THE SECOND COMING

As we near the end of the Church year, the scriptures become more urgent. Both the prophet Malachi and Jesus in the Gospel according to Luke offer graphic pictures of a terrible future. But we are missing the message if we use these passages to speculate about when the world will end. The troubles predicted have already occurred, and then some. In the last century alone we have seen devastation beyond anything the ancient prophets could have imagined.

We weren't given these passages to strike fear in our hearts, but faith. The sun of justice will rise, Malachi assures us, for those who are faithful. And Jesus promises, "By your perseverance you will secure your lives." But it is Paul who brings the message down to earth. The Thessalonians were so sure that the end of the world was upon them, some of them had stopped working! Paul states his case clearly: "If anyone was unwilling to work, neither should that one eat." We are not called to worry about how things will end, but to live today faithfully. © Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

Reverend Edward J. Casey
PASTOR

Reverend Binesh Joseph Kanjirakattu
SENIOR PRIEST



How could I bear a crown of gold
when the Lord bears a crown of thorns,
and he bears it for me.

Saint Elizabeth of Hungary



RESEMBLANCE

The dignity of resembling the Almighty is common to all people; we should then love them all as ourselves, as living images of the Deity. It is in this that we belong to God. -St. Francis de Sales



PEACE

First keep the peace within yourself, then you can also bring peace to others.

~Thomas à Kempis

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

We are faced with strong and disturbing readings today that hold a certain fascination, since they seem at first glance to be blueprints for future inevitable wars and hardship. A fundamentalist interpretation focuses on this aspect. Yet we hear them at our Sunday celebration of the Eucharist, which infuses them with hope and optimism. Rather than dreading the future, today's liturgy assures us that God is with us in all of life's inevitable trials, and that we have a role in shaping the outcome of human history. Occasionally, some Christians have attempted to decode these readings for an exact measure of the world's end, but they have thus far been disappointed.

"Nothing lasts forever" is a lyric from a Broadway show. Stars fall from the sky, leaves wither and fall, mountains wash into the sea, human projects and governments totter and collapse with great regularity. Today's liturgy opposes this idea as incomplete, reminding us that Christ has made a permanent change in human history, and that life in him is life forever. Rather than inviting us to throw in the towel, today's liturgy strengthens us for acts of goodness and grace in our families, communities, and world. ~James Field

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MONDAY

1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63
Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158
Lk 18:35-43

TUESDAY

2 Mc 6:18-31
Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
Lk 19:1-10

WEDNESDAY

2 Mc 7:1, 20-31
Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15
Lk 19:11-28

THURSDAY

1 Mc 2:15-29
Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15
Lk 19:41-44

FRIDAY

1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59
1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd
Lk 19:45-48

SATURDAY

1 Mc 6:1-13
Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19
Lk 20:27-40

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading – Malachi 3:19-20a

There will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays.

Psalm – Psalm 98

The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

Second Reading – 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

Paul speaks of his hard work among the Thessalonians.

Gospel – Luke 21:5-19

Jesus foretells the destruction of Jerusalem, the persecution of his followers. But their perseverance will be their salvation.

anyone
UNWILLING
to work
should not
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ST. JOHN NEUMANN'S PARISH

705 Route 739
Lords Valley, PA 18428
570-775-6791 Fax: 570-775-1527
Good Shepherd Church, Blooming Grove

Office Hours: Thursday & Friday
9:30am to 2:00pm
Email: sjnfin@ptd.net
www.sjneumannchurch.com
Joan Dingee, Secretary/Bookkeeper

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday (November 17)

Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

9:30 a.m. (SJ)

† Charlie Denniston

Tuesday (November 18)

*Dedication of the Basilicas of
Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles
Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin*

9:30 a.m. (SJ)

† Barbara Schwartz

Wednesday (November 19)

Weekday

No Mass

Thursday (November 20)

Weekday

9:30 a.m. (SJ) *deceased members of the*

† Domenici family

Friday (November 21)

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:30 a.m. (SJ)

† Norman Berger, Jr.

Saturday (November 22)

Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe

3:15-3:45p.m. Confessions (SJ)

4:00 p.m. (SJ)

♥ For the People

Sunday (November 23)

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

11:30 a.m. (SJ)

† Jim Aragona

(SJ) - St. John's (GS) - Good Shepherd

Offertory and Mass Attendance

Offertory includes money from weekly envelopes and loose checks from registered parishioners.

October 26th	4:00pm	107	205
\$3,338	11:30am	98	

Offertory to Date \$49,258

Weekly Average \$2,898

Summer Collection to Date \$23,776

AUTOMATED TITHING

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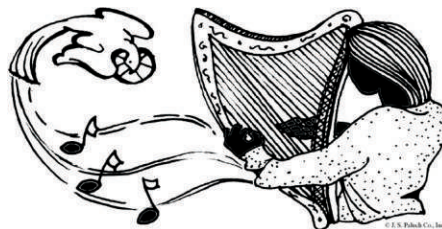
St. John Neumann Parish Hall

Alcoholics Anonymous[®]

Wednesdays 7:00pm

SUNDAY READINGS DISCUSSION

Meet every Tuesday at 3:00pm in Saint John's Hall. The meetings usually last about 90 minutes. All are welcome to come and participate. Call Peter at 570-775-1647 for more information.



*Let my heart and
my tongue praise
the living God.*
-St. Cecilia



*The Sanctuary Votive Candle
will burn the week of November 16th
at St. John Neumann Church
in Loving Memory of
Charlie Denniston*



**FOODS
OF THE
MONTH**

**BLOOMING
GROVE
FOOD
PANTRY**

Please consider including these items with your food donations. Thank you for your continued support and generosity to this worthwhile cause.

Toilet Paper &

*Thanksgiving side dishes
like: Yams, Cranberry
Sauce, Gravy, Stuffing, etc.*

*We also have several clients
who are also in need of pet
food- for both cats & dogs.*



SAINT ANN'S PARISH

121 Richardson Avenue
Shohola, PA 18458
570-832-4275

St. Mary's Church, Lackawaxen

Office: 125 Richardson Avenue
Tuesday - Thursday 8:00am to 2:00pm
Email: stann@ptd.net
www.stannshohola.org
Carol Laput, Administrative Manager

Offertory and Mass Attendance

Offertory includes money from weekly envelopes and loose checks from registered parishioners.

October 26th 5:30pm 37
\$4,413 8:30am 57 201
10:15am 107

Offertory to Date \$54,942
Weekly Average \$3,232

AUTOMATED TITHING

Choose the convenience of online giving more information can be found at www.stannshohola.org

Thank you for your generosity!

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"It's used to sweep out evil spirits? Hmm... mind if I borrow it to see if it works on the school's old boiler?"

ST. ANN'S EMAIL PRAYERLINE

If you would like to join our email prayerline please email Mary Agnes at: prayerlinemary@gmail.com

WALKER LAKE WOMEN'S CLUB



A group of ladies with a common interest ... quilting!

If you're interested in participating in future charitable projects, please feel free to reach out to Chris Cancemi.

570-296-7216 (home)
570-228-8442 (cell) or
sewchris@ptd.net



ST. ANN'S FOOD PANTRY

Salad Dressing & Fried Onions for Holiday Baskets
Seeking volunteers to help unload trucks and stock pantry. Contact Laura at 845-239-3605 if you are interested.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday (November 17)

Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

8:30 a.m. (SA)

† All Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday (November 18)

*Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles
Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin*

8:30 a.m. (SA)

† Donald Dubowski

Wednesday (November 19)

Weekday

No Mass

Thursday (November 20)

Weekday

8:30 a.m. (SA)

† William Wulfhorst

Friday (November 21)

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 a.m. (SA)

† Kevin Duffy

Saturday (November 22)

Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe

5:30 p.m. (SA)

† Sean Goodwin

Sunday (November 23)

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:30 a.m. (SA)

† Caroline & Harold Hess

9:30-10:00am. Confessions (SA)

10:15 a.m. (SA)

† Tommy DiVicarò

(SA) - St. Ann's (SE) - St. Eligius Room (SM) - St. Mary's

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will burn the week of November 16th
at St. Ann's Church
in Loving Memory of
Ed & Arthur Klebes*





St. Vincent de Paul Church
101 St. Vincent Dr.
Milford, PA 18337

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

570-686-4545 Fax: 800-565-1762

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Liz Actisdano, Administrative Assistant

Jo-Ann Fay, Financial Secretary

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Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

No Mass

TUESDAY (NOVEMBER 18)

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Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

8:45 a.m. (C)

† William Guillorn

WEDNESDAY (NOVEMBER 19)

Weekday

8:45 a.m. (C)

† Paul Smerkanich

THURSDAY (NOVEMBER 20)

Weekday

8:45 a.m. (C)

† Timothy Galeano

FRIDAY (NOVEMBER 21)

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:45 a.m. (C)

† Brittany Heaney

SATURDAY (NOVEMBER 22)

Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe

3:15-3:45p.m. Confessions (SV)

4:00 p.m. (SV)

† Timothy Galeano

SUNDAY (NOVEMBER 23)

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:30 a.m. (SV)

† Benjamin Knoblock

11:15 a.m. (SV)

† Jennifer Pierce Twitty

(SV) - St. Vincent de Paul (C) - Chapel

The Lifestyle of Generous Hearts

Offertory and Mass Attendance

Offertory includes money from weekly envelopes and loose checks from registered parishioners.

October 26th

Envelopes	\$1,579	4:00pm	127
We Share	\$1,769	8:30am	145
		11:15am	112

Offertory to Date \$73,152

Weekly Average \$4,318

Online Giving

Choose the convenience of online giving more information can be found at stvdepaulchurch.org

Thank you for your generosity!

Wednesdays
at St. Vincent de Paul Church

Adoration

9:15am

Benediction

10:15am



SHARING THE SUNDAY READINGS

Tuesdays 6:30pm via Zoom

Relax at home and join us online - PJs welcome! Each week, we reflect on the Sunday scriptures, exploring their meaning and how they guide our lives. No commitment—share your thoughts or simply listen.

For details, call the Parish Office at 570-686-4545.

IN-PERSON COFFEE HOUR



After 8:30am Mass Reconnect with other parish members with coffee, tea, baked goods and fellowship. Held in the parish hall each Sunday.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL LOAVES AND FISHES GIFT CARDS

Support our parish! Buy gift cards in the narthex before and after weekend Masses. Order or view available cards by scanning the QR code or call 570-686-4545.



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OUR PARISH COMMUNITIES

BULLETIN
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Submit announcements to:

Carol at bulletin@stannshohola.org
by **Thursday at 1:00pm**, at least **10 days prior to the publication date.**

(Earlier deadlines may apply for holidays.)



*Scan code to submit
announcement online*

Please note, due to limited space, not all submissions can be accommodated, but I'll do my best.

VIRTUS® SAFE ENVIRONMENT
REMINDER

If you have attended a Protecting God's Children training session, please remember that your participation will not be credited until you also complete your online registration in VIRTUS.

After your initial training, you are required to stay current by completing the ongoing online Training Bulletins.

In addition, Mandated and Ethical Reporter Training 1.0: Caring Adults and Reporting Child Abuse is now available online in VIRTUS for all participants.

Thank you for your commitment to providing a safe environment for our parish community.

Commemoration of all the
FAITHFUL DEPARTED

The Parishes of St. Ann's, St. John Neumann and St. Vincent de Paul extend our heartfelt condolences to all those who feel the loss of the physical presence of a loved one. May you find comfort in the everlasting love of our heavenly Father.

As we honor those who have passed away, we would like to pay special tribute to the individuals who departed in the past year:

*James Paul Aragona
Joyce (Vickie) Barrett
Mary Beisel
Virginia Bouwemans
Vincent Caputo Jr.
John Costiera, Jr.
Charles J. Denniston
Marjorie Shattuck Ernst
Donna Marie Familette
George Joseph Fluhr
Dominick Michael Furlipa
Timothy Galeano
Robert F. Gallagher
Christine Mary Haberzettl*

*Patricia Ann Hoare
Joseph Keyes, Jr.
William Klecha
Robert Kozakiewicz
Robert Lavanant
Artie Levin
Mabel Lopez
Robert Philip Lusardi
Raymond McArdle
Lorraine Marie Mincin
Anthony Joseph Morano
Kenate Hedwig Muller
John J. Nash
Edward Olejnik, Jr.*

*Elizabeth A Petkus
Raymond Podeszwa
Gloria J. Rossi
Paul R Roth
Carol Elizabeth Ruberto
Barbara Schwartz
Dorothy Szczesny
Jeanine Tenzi
Jennifer Ellen Twitty
Robert G. Walsh
Francis H. Wright
Susanne Wroblewski
Richard Charles Zirpoli*

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Welcome to St. Ann's, St. John Neumann and St. Vincent de Paul Parishes

To all who are celebrating with us today, if you are not registered, recently married, have moved or will be moving, or have a new telephone number, please scan the code to complete registration online. We encourage you to register as a member of our faith community. Registering in the parish is a declaration of your desire to be a part of the Catholic community and to make a commitment to the life of the parish. Registering also makes the process much easier when it is time for infant baptism, religious education registration, weddings and when asked to be a sponsor for baptism or confirmation.



REGISTER
ONLINE

OUR PARISH COMMUNITIES

HOLY DEACONS: MODELS OF SERVICE AND WITNESS



ST. PHILIP ST. FRANCIS ST. LAWRENCE ST. STEPHEN

YOU ARE INVITED TO CELEBRATE THE

DIACONATE ORDINATION

315 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton, PA 18503

DIocese OF SCRANTON

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2025
AT 10:00 AM

THROUGH THE IMPOSITION OF HANDS AND
THE INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
BY
THE MOST REVEREND
JOSEPH C. BAMBERA D.D., J.C.L.
BISHOP OF SCRANTON

CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PETER
315 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton, PA 18503
ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

Whoever serves me must follow me,
and where I am, there also will my
servant be. - John 12:26

Letters from Heaven

Start with the letter in the shaded square. Draw a path from letter to letter to complete the Biblical statement. Move one square at a time, up, down, right, left and diagonally until all letters are used once. Ignore any black squares.

Jesus said, "You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head ..."

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Answer: *will be destroyed*

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NOTICE TO THE CHRISTIAN FAITHFUL RE: JOSEPH SUDANO

Joseph Sudano, formerly an incardinated deacon in the Diocese of Scranton, has been dispensed from the clerical state, effective September 15, 2025, and is no longer authorized to provide ministry to Catholics.

In 2024, Mr. Sudano chose to leave the Catholic Church and exercise ministry within the Episcopal Church.

Mr. Sudano remains prohibited from representing the Catholic Church in any capacity. Catholic members of the Christian Faithful are not to approach Mr. Sudano for diaconal ministry in any capacity.

Faithfully yours in Christ,

† Joseph C. Bambera

Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L.
Bishop of Scranton



PRAYING TWICE

The Academy of Music (Accademia Nazionale di Santa Cecilia) was founded in Rome by Pope Sixtus V in 1585. Named for St. Cecilia, it was established under the invocation of the Blessed Virgin; Pope St. Gregory I, credited as the author of Gregorian chant; and St. Cecilia, the patron saint of music and musicians. The Academy's first location was the Church of Santa Maria ad Martyres, also known as the Pantheon. You can see pictures of its beautiful auditorium online.

On November 22 we remember St. Cecilia. Many choirs and music societies are named in honor of St. Cecilia and look to her as their patron. Is there a window or picture or statue of St. Cecilia in your church? Does your parish have a choir? Do you know how many members it has? What instruments help make music at your church? What is your favorite hymn to sing with the choir?

St. Augustine said, "The one who sings prays twice." What do you think he meant?

You might hear some of these instruments in a church. Color the ones that you have heard in your parish. Choose one to draw on the front of a card. Inside, write a note to the director of your choir describing how much you appreciate the music they provide. You can present your card to the choir directly after Mass one day or send it to your parish office. Remember, you are a member of the Church and so are responsible—with the choir or cantor—for much of the sung prayer at Mass.



BOOK OF THE NAMES OF THE DEAD

November is the month in which we remember the dead. During this time, we continue to pray for those who have gone before us in faith, that they may be embraced by God. A Book of the Names of the Dead will be available throughout November as an opportunity to remember loved ones by name.

SAINT JOHN NEUMANN

LET OUR LIVES BE FULL OF THANKS AND GIVING.



Happy
THANKSGIVING

Service at Hemlock Farms Church
2:00pm on Sunday 23 November 2025

Monetary donations will be accepted for a yet to be announced worthy organization.

All are welcome to attend.

**By your perseverance
YOU WILL SECURE YOUR LIVES**

Luke 21:19

THE DEANERY CHOIR PRESENTS
GOD NEVER SAYS "NO"...

AN INSPIRING SERVICE OF HEALING AND RENEWAL!

SPIRITUAL RESTORATION!



**FR. ED CASEY WILL BE JOINED BY MEMBERS OF THE CLERGY
FOR YOUR PERSONAL PRAYER AND THE LAYING ON OF HANDS**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2025 AT 2:00PM

ST. JOHN NEUMANN CHURCH RTE. 739 LORDS VALLEY, PA

EVERYONE WELCOME! COME AND BRING A FRIEND-YOU'LL BE GLAD YOU DID!

KNIGHTS CORNER

BECOME A KNIGHT
ASK A KNIGHT AT YOUR PARISH HOW

- ☆ Lead with Faith
- ☆ Protect your family with insurance
- ☆ Serve others
- ☆ Defend your Catholic Values

Rich Flora *Grand Knight Council 12571*
raf_619@yahoo.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



give the gift of warmth!

Coat Drive for Children and Adults
October 19th - November 23rd

Please consider contributing by placing gently used coats neatly in the collection box located in St. John's Parish Hall.

Collection Deadline
November 23rd

Your donation can make a significant difference in someone's life this winter. If you have any questions or require more information, please feel free to contact Rich Flora at 845-797-1850.

Thank you for your generosity and support.

FOOD FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS



1:00pm - 2:30pm

December 7th

Pork Dinner at St. John Neumann

December 14^h

Chicken Dinner at St. Ann's

SA Parish Office 570-832-4275

SJN Parish Office 570-775-6791

text or call 347-446-9631 or 201-575-6100

Orders due by the Wednesday prior to the dinner.

SAINT ANN'S

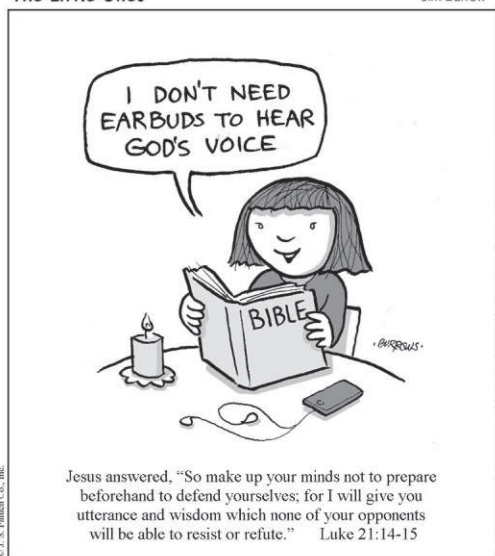


As we prepare for Christmas, come and enjoy an inspiring evening of choral music celebrating the Advent season. This special concert brings together the rich variety of musical traditions from churches throughout our area—each sharing their own joyful sound of anticipation and hope.

Stay afterward for coffee and cake as we gather in fellowship to welcome the season together.

The Little Ones

Jim Burrow



ST. ANN'S LECTOR SCHEDULE

The schedule for November 1st through February 2nd has been finalized!

Check your email or go onto the Ministry Scheduler Pro website to see when you are scheduled to serve. A copy of the schedule in the bulletin board, in the sacristy and at the parish office. If you are unable to make any of your scheduled services, please request a sub through the app.

THE BRIDGEPOINT CLERGY INVITES YOU TO OUR ANNUAL

THANKSGIVING

Service & Dinner

SUNDAY
23 NOVEMBER 2025
at 2:00pm

St. Ann's Church
121 Richardson Avenue
Shohola, Pennsylvania

Reservations to the Dinner are required
570-832-4275 or scan code

WOULD YOU LIKE TO PROCLAIM THE WORD OF GOD?

Lectors needed at St. Ann's

It is an ancient teaching in the Church that Christ is truly present in His Word: the Word that is spoken, heard and acted upon. The Lector proclaims the Good News of Jesus Christ, making God present to the gathered community.

If you a confirmed, practicing Catholic and are comfortable with public speaking, please consider becoming a lector at Mass. Training will be provided. Lectors serve approximately once every 4-6 weeks and Holy Day Masses. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Carol at the Parish Office.

ST. ANN'S 100th ANNIVERSARY

ADDITION PROJECT

This is your chance to help our Parish. Sign up now to become a volunteer and make a difference!

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Tear off and return in the collection, drop off at the Parish office or email info to addition@stannshohola.org



SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Vincent de Paul
Our Lady of the Mountain Council #9832
KNIGHTS BREAKFAST
Breakfast sponsored by the Knights of Columbus **second Sunday** of each month from 9:00am to 11:00am.
Join fellow parishioners for a full hot breakfast. Cost \$5/person maximum \$20/family

SPEND A HALF HOUR WITH YOUR MOTHER

St. Vincent de Paul Church
Come Pray the Rosary 1st Saturday of the month 10am in the Chapel. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus #9832 Lady of the Mountain. Rosaries provided if needed.

Grow+Go

Grow+Go helps us reflect on the Sunday Scriptures and live as evangelizing disciples of Christ. Each week's message offers simple, concrete ways to GROW in faith and GO share it with others, following Christ's call in Matthew 28:19. Find Grow+Go on our parish website, Facebook, and in St. Vincent's Updates weekly email.



CHRISTMAS

CRAFT AND BAKE SALE

SPONSORED BY ST. VINCENT STITCHERS AND CRAFTERS

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHURCH

ROUTE 739

ACROSS FROM DG MARKET

SATURDAY, DEC. 6

2:00 TO 6:00

SUNDAY, DEC. 7

9:00 AM TO 1:00 PM

MANY NEW ITEMS

GIFTS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

RAFFLE BASKETS, 50/50 & MONEY TREE

PROCEEDS BENEFIT AIDING OUR COMMUNITY THE SHARING FUND

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide

We are looking for volunteers to help those in our community, who need it most, receive the income tax refunds they deserve. You can help.

To become a volunteer visit:
www.aarp.org/taxaide

You do not need to have an AARP Membership to volunteer

Tax-Aide Volunteers Needed

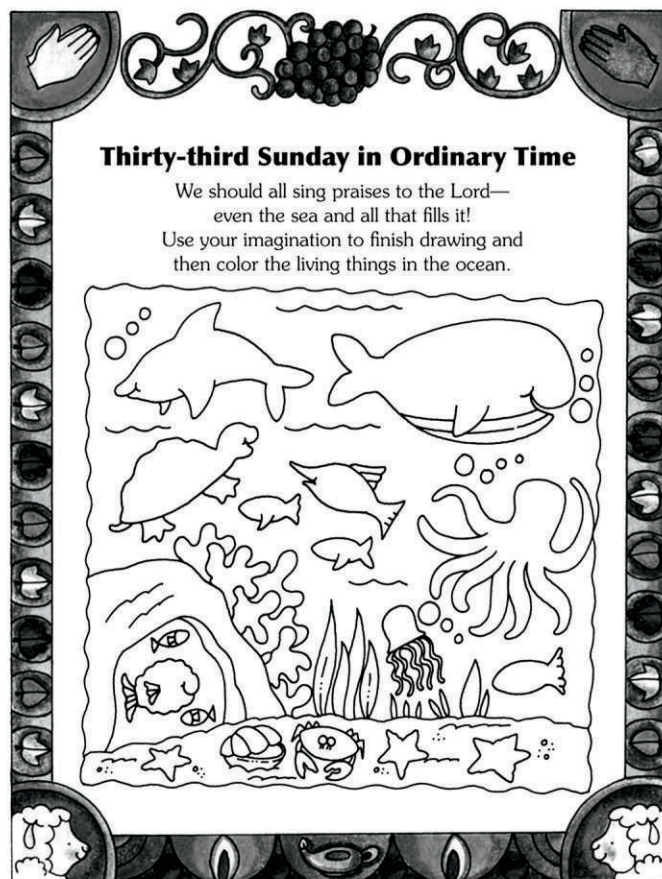
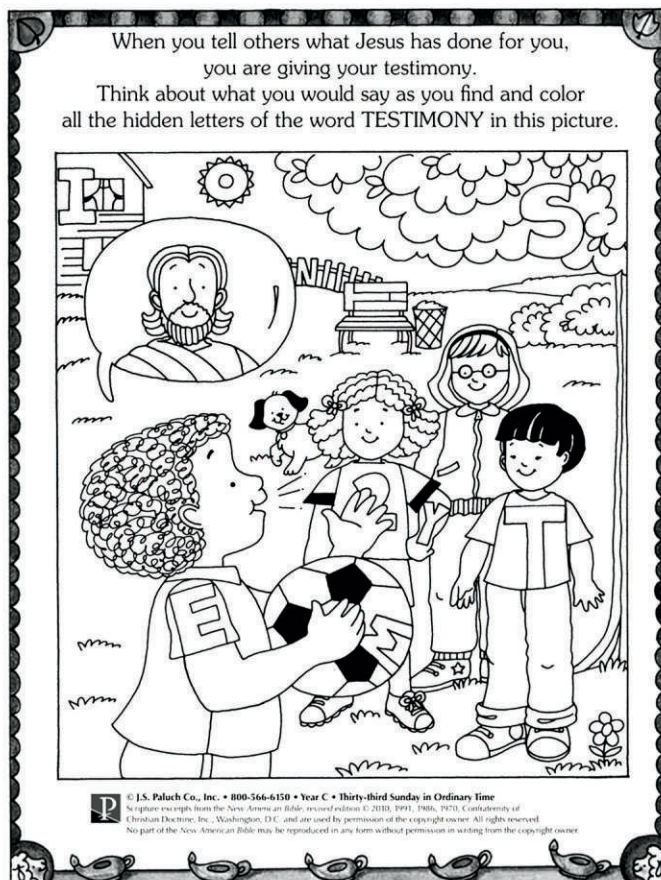
The Pike/Wayne AARP Foundation Tax-Aide District is seeking volunteers for the upcoming tax season. Tax-Aide offers free tax preparation for older adults with low to moderate income—no AARP membership required.

Training includes self-study and classroom sessions in January; the amount depends on your role. Volunteers serve February–April, one to three days per week, helping with tax preparation or greeting and organizing documents.

For details, contact District Coordinator Debra Croston at debra.croston@gmail.com or apply online at aarpfoundation.org/taxaidevolunteer

KID'S CORNER

God's Word for Children



33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

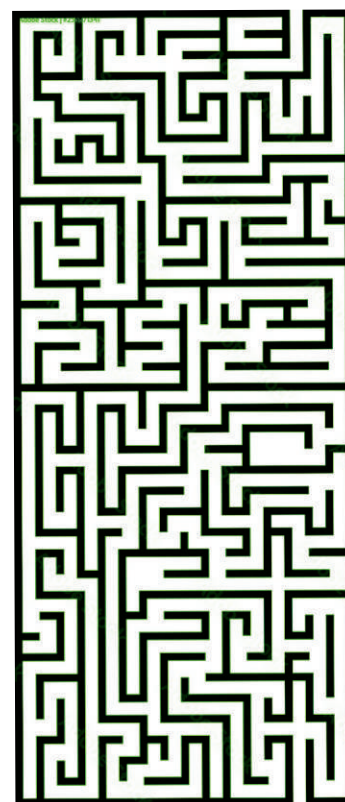
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- Name
- Wisdom
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- Secure



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NOTICE REGARDING REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hot-line (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis. This end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being.

Information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator Mary Beth Pacuska at 570-862-7551.

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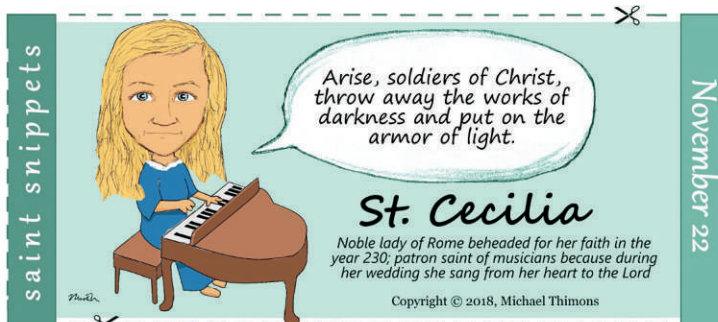
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