



MAY 26, 2024  
SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

# ST. LAURENCE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

WWW.SAINTLAURENCEDELCO.ORG  
8245 WEST CHESTER PIKE, UPPER DARBY, PA 19082



## MASS SCHEDULE/ HORARIO DE MISAS

Monday – Saturday  
8:30AM  
Último martes del mes/  
Last Tuesday of the month  
6:30PM en Español  
Saturday Vigil/Vigilia del sábado  
4:30PM  
7:00PM en Español  
Sunday  
7:30AM, 10:45AM, 12:15PM  
Domingo  
8:30AM en Español  
St. Alice  
Sunday 10:30AM in Vietnamese

## DEVOTIONS/CONFESSION

Adoration of the Most Blessed  
Sacrament/Adoración del Santísimo  
Sacramento  
Saturday 3:15-4:15PM  
Wednesdays 9:30AM – 7:00PM  
Confessions/Confesiones  
Saturday 3:15-4:15PM  
Rosary  
Daily at 8AM and Monday at 7PM  
Divine Mercy Chaplet  
After daily Mass  
Miraculous Medal Novena  
Saturday after 8:30AM Mass

## OUR SACRED PURPOSE

The purpose of St. Laurence parish is to be a home where everyone knows the loving embrace of God their Father. We use our cultural diversity and our faith in God's providence to motivate and form each other to be Missionary Disciples sent by the Holy Spirit to love and serve one another.

## PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

Parish Office & Mailing Address: 30 St. Laurence Road  
Upper Darby, PA 19082  
Phone: 610-449-0600 FAX: 610-449-4299  
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thur. 9-7; Tues. and Fri. 9-5  
Horas de Oficina: Lunes, Mier., Jueves 11-7; Martes 9-5  
Pastor: Rev. Thomas Whittingham, x. 221  
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Parochial Vicar: Rev. Anthony Albanese  
Email: franthony@saintlaurencedelco.org  
In Residence: Rev. Anthony Raymundo  
Permanent Deacons: Dcn. Samuel Ortiz & Dcn. Mark Wallace

## SCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION

School Office & Mailing Address: 8245 West Chester Pike  
Upper Darby, PA 19082  
Phone: 610-789-2670 FAX: 484-452-6271  
Principal: Sr. Regina Matulka, IHM  
Website: www.saintlaurence.org

## PARISH STAFF

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Hna. Dominica Lo Bianco, OSF  
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## SACRAMENTS/SACRAMENTOS

Arrangements for Baptism, Matrimony, Anointing of the Sick, Reception of Holy Communion at home, and appointments for Confession may be made at our parish office or visit our website.

Los arreglos para el Bautismo, el Matrimonio, la Unción de los Enfermos, la recepción de la Sagrada Comunión en el hogar y las citas para la Confesión se pueden hacer en nuestra oficina parroquial o visite nuestro sitio web.

[www.saintlaurencedelco.org](http://www.saintlaurencedelco.org)

## WEEKLY MEETINGS/ REUNIONES SEMANALES

### ST. LAURENCE MEN'S GROUP

Mondays at 7:00PM, Main school entrance

### VIRTUAL ROSARY

Mondays at 7:00PM, On computer, tablet, or  
smartphone go to: <https://meet.goto.com/681543997>  
Password: 5432 By Phone: 1(872)240-3212,  
Access Code: 681-543-997# Audio PIN: 25#

### PRAISE & WORSHIP PRAYER GROUP

Tuesdays at 2:00PM, St. Laurence Rectory

### PRE-JORDAN BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Second Monday of the month at 7:00PM, Rectory

### NEEDLECRAFTERS

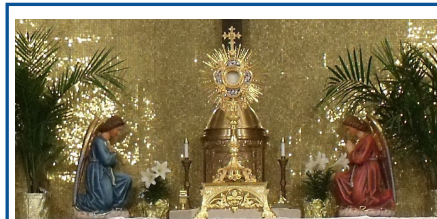
Fridays 1:30 - 3:30PM, St. Michael Room in the rectory

### ULTRELLA - CURSILLO DE CRISTIANDAD

Miércoles, 7:00 - 9:00PM, Iglesia

### CLASES PRE-BAUTISMALES

Tercer jueves de cada mes, 6:30PM, Rectoría



### ADORATION EVERY WEDNESDAY

Starting May 29  
and continuing  
through the  
summer, weekly adoration will be in the parish hall  
from 9:00AM until 7:00PM

### SHARE THE NEWS & EVENTS AT ST. LAURENCE

If you have an announcement for an upcoming bulletin, please submit any content 10 days before the issue date. Content may be edited or omitted based on space limitations. Submit content to: [bulletin@saintlaurencedelco.org](mailto:bulletin@saintlaurencedelco.org)

# MASS INTENTIONS

**SUNDAY, MAY 26**

**THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

- 7:30AM Donata Gallozzi
- 8:30AM Misa Comunitaria
- 10:45AM Fr. Philip Neri 50th Anniversary (L)
- 12:15PM Sean Cawley

**MONDAY, MAY 27**

- 8:30AM For all deceased Veterans

**TUESDAY, MAY 28**

- 8:30AM Martha Whittingham (L)
- 6:30PM Misa Comunitaria

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 29**

- 8:30AM Nadine Venuti

**THURSDAY, MAY 30**

- 8:30AM Marguerite & Andrew Sivak

**FRIDAY, MAY 31**

- 8:30AM Fr. Daniel Rice and Fr. Zinjin Iglesia  
Ordination Anniversary (L)

**SATURDAY, JUNE 1**

- 8:30AM Fr. Chris Hanley & Fr. Celso (L)
- 4:30PM William E. Stewart, Sr.
- 7:00PM Misa Comunitaria

**SUNDAY, JUNE 2**

**THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST**

- 7:30AM Priests of Archdiocese of Philadelphia
- 8:30AM Misa Comunitaria
- 10:45AM Hugh & Susan McGee
- 12:15PM Pro Populo

**(L) denotes living**

# PRAYER REQUESTS

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please pray for all those suffering from serious illnesses, incurable diseases, & substance abuse.

**PRAYER FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS** of the faithfully departed.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Through the mercy of God, may they rest in peace. Amen.

# DONATIONS



OFFERTORY	MAY 19
Offertory	\$ 8,102
Online	\$ 477
Capital Campaign	\$ 5,819
Thank you for your generosity!	

## BLESSED MOTHER & ST. JOSEPH SIDE SANCTUARY LAMPS

Unbaptized children of St. Laurence Parish  
By Katina C. Vignola

## ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

David & Vignola Families by Katina C. Vignola

# ELDERCARE

## Weatherization Services

Community Action Agency of Delaware County (CAADC) now offers weatherization services at a low affordable cost. Low-interest loans are available. Weatherization can help save up to 30-35% on your energy costs. Services include: attic insulation; air sealing; heater service, repair, and replacement; window/door repair or replacement; sidewall insulation, and free energy education. CAADC weatherization crews are certified by Pennsylvania & EPA. For information: 610-521-8770

## Digital Technology Training

RSVP offers free one-on-one training twice per week to older adults who either want to improve their skills or learn from scratch. RSVP can also come to the church to offer a digital literacy workshop to introduce what they offer. If interested in either, please contact me.

Wishing you an enjoyable and meaningful Memorial Day.

Jennifer Rose 610-449-0600, ext. 234  
[jrose@chs-adphila.org](mailto:jrose@chs-adphila.org)



*National Eucharistic Pilgrimage* Sunday, June 2 at 7:00pm

We will welcome and adore Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist.  
There will be adoration and testimonies. All are invited to join us.

# ANUNCIOS



## PARA DESTACAR EN LA ESCUELA SAN LORENZO Hna. Regina Matulka

Feliz Día de los Caídos. Rezamos para que todos tengan unas vacaciones seguras. Honre y celebre a todos aquellos que murieron por nuestra libertad. También oramos por todos aquellos que hoy continúan protegiendo esa libertad para nosotros. Ore por nuestros estudiantes que se preparan para tomar sus exámenes finales esta próxima semana.

Dios los bendiga a todos.



### HORARIO DE OFICINA DE VERANO

Del 27 de mayo al 30 de Agosto la oficina cerrará los viernes a las 12:00 horas. ¡Que tenga un verano seguro y agradable!



### DÍA CONMEMORATIVO

Pidamos a Dios que se acuerde de aquellos que murieron al servicio de su país.

Dios de poder y misericordia,  
Destruyes la guerra y derribas el orgullo terrenal.  
Desterrar la violencia de entre nosotros  
y enjuga nuestras lágrimas,  
para que todos merezcamos ser llamados hijos  
tuyos e hijas.

Mantén en tu misericordia a esos  
hombres y mujeres  
que han muerto por la causa de la libertad  
y llevarlos sanos y salvos  
en tu reino de justicia y paz.  
Te lo pedimos por Jesucristo nuestro Señor.  
Amén.



## Peregrinación Eucarística Nacional Domingo 2 de junio a las 7:00pm

Daremos la bienvenida y adoraremos a Jesús en la Santísima Eucaristía. Habrá adoración y testimonios. Todos están invitados a unirse a nosotros.



¡Registraziones abiertas!

Conferencia de mujeres católicas  
19 de Octubre del 2024 ~ Doylestown, PA  
[catholicwomensconference.org](http://catholicwomensconference.org)

### COMPARTE LAS NOTICIAS Y EVENTOS EN SAN LORENZO

Si tiene un anuncio que le gustaría incluir en un próximo boletín, envíe cualquier contenido entre 8 y 10 días antes de la fecha de publicación. El contenido puede editarse u omitirse según limitaciones de espacio. Envíe contenido a:  
[bulletin@saintlaurencedelco.org](mailto:bulletin@saintlaurencedelco.org)



Cuando su horario cambie durante el verano, no permita que sus donaciones a San Lorenzo cambien! Regístrese para donaciones electrónicas utilizando el código QR o visitando [saintlaurencedelco.org/es](http://saintlaurencedelco.org/es) y haciendo clic en el ícono de Donaciones Parroquiales.



# FROM OUR PASTOR



Paragraph 221 of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, building on the revelation from 1 John that "God is love" explains: "God's very being is love. By sending his only Son and the Spirit of Love in the fullness of time, God has revealed his innermost secret: God himself is an eternal exchange of love, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and he has destined us to share in that exchange." This wording is blatantly similar to the wording of the *Collect*, the opening prayer for Mass this weekend:

"God our Father, who by sending into the world the Word of truth and the Spirit of sanctification made known to the human race your wondrous mystery..."

We have just completed the celebration of the Passion, Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of Jesus Christ during Lent and Easter. Last Sunday we celebrated the sending of the Holy Spirit in Pentecost. Having now been introduced, in a manner of speaking, to every member of the Blessed Trinity we now celebrate their one Godhead on this Trinity Sunday. The opening prayer and the related excerpt from the Catechism make clear that what we believe about the Holy Trinity is key for us because it tells us how God has destined us to spend eternity with Him if we accept his gift of salvation and redemption here on earth. We are meant to understand the innermost secret of God's communion among Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and to live forever in that same eternal exchange of love.

While that can seem like so much theoretical theology my hope is that it isn't. The eternal exchange of love that sends the Holy Spirit flooding upon the disciples and which raised Jesus Christ from the dead on Easter Sunday is what God wants to share with you and with me. The love that triumphs over sin and death is what the Father has for you and for me. Nothing could be more practical and more life changing if we can only appreciate what God offers to us. As we adore the Holy Trinity this Sunday - let's keep that truth in the forefront of our minds.

The last weeks of school are coming up! Please pray for our SLS school children that they may run the race to the end of the school year, enjoy fun learning and safe recreation this summer, and return refreshed in the fall! St. Laurence School has openings in Pre-K, grades 1-3, and 6-7. If you have any family members or friends who seek a faithful and academically strong Catholic education for their children, please share this information with them!

**Finally, we have some upcoming work in the church:** marble repair around the church walls and polishing the main floor of the church body. Due to this work, we will move adoration downstairs to the parish hall starting May 29 and continuing on throughout the summer. Thank you for your patience with this change as we continue to improve our worship space!

*~Father Tom*

Párrafo 221 del Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica, basándose en la revelación de 1 Juan de que "Dios es amor" explica: "El ser mismo de Dios es el amor. Al enviar a su único Hijo y el Espíritu de Amor en la plenitud del tiempo, Dios ha Reveló su secreto más interno: Dios mismo es un intercambio eterno de amor, padre, hijo y espíritu santo, y nos ha destinado a compartir en ese intercambio ". Esta redacción es descaradamente similar a la redacción de la recolección, la oración de apertura por la misa este fin de semana: "Dios Padre nuestro, quien enviando al mundo la palabra de verdad y el Espíritu de santificación da a conocer a la raza humana tu maravilloso misterio ... "

Después de haber sido introducido, en forma de hablar, a cada miembro de la Bendita Trinidad, ahora celebramos su única Dios en este Domingo de Trinity. La oración de apertura y el extracto relacionado del catecismo dejan en claro que lo que creemos sobre la Santísima Trinidad es clave para nosotros porque nos dice cómo Dios nos ha destinado a pasar la eternidad con él si aceptamos su don de salvación y redención aquí en la Tierra. Estamos destinados a comprender el secreto más interno de la comunión de Dios entre el Padre, el Hijo y el Espíritu Santo y vivir para siempre en el mismo intercambio eterno de amor.

Aunque eso pueda parecer tanta teología teórica, mi esperanza es que no lo sea. El intercambio eterno de amor que envía al Espíritu Santo inundando a los discípulos y que resucitó a Jesucristo de entre los muertos el domingo de Resurrección es lo que Dios quiere compartir contigo y conmigo. El amor que triunfa sobre el pecado y la muerte es lo que el Padre tiene para ti y para mí. Nada podría ser más práctico y más que cambie la vida si solo podemos apreciar lo que Dios nos ofrece. Mientras adoramos a la Santísima Trinidad este domingo, mantengamos esa verdad en la vanguardia de nuestras mentes.

¡Se acercan las últimas semanas de escuela! ¡Ore por nuestros niños de la escuela SLS para que puedan correr la carrera hasta el final del año escolar y disfrutar de un aprendizaje divertido y una recreación segura este verano, para que regrese renovado en el otoño! La escuela San Lorenzo tiene aperturas en los grados Pre-K, 1-3, y 6-7. ¡Si tiene familiares o amigos que buscan una educación católica fiel y académicamente fuerte, comparta esta información con ellos!

**Finalmente, tenemos algunos trabajos próximos en la iglesia:** reparación de mármol alrededor de las paredes de la iglesia y pulido del piso principal del cuerpo de la iglesia. Debido a este trabajo, trasladaremos la adoración al salón parroquial a partir del 29 de mayo y continuaremos durante todo el verano. ¡Gracias por su paciencia con este cambio mientras continuamos mejorando nuestro espacio de adoración!

*~ Padre Tom*

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## SPOTLIGHT ON ST. LAURENCE SCHOOL Sr. Regina Matulka

Happy Memorial Day. We pray that everyone has a safe holiday. Honor and celebrate all those who died for our freedom. We also pray for all those who continue today to protect that freedom.

Please pray for our students who prepare to take their finals this upcoming week.

God bless all of you.

### **NUN RUN: A 5K Run/3K Walk June 1**

Enjoy a family day and great opportunity for all those who like to run or walk. Proceeds benefit Camilla Hall, the convent home and health care center for the Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Camilla Hall, 100 Maxis Drive, Malvern, PA

For more information or to register go to:

[www.ihmnunrun.org](http://www.ihmnunrun.org)

### **MAIN LINE SINGLES DINNER CLUB (AGES 52-68)**

Catholic men and women are invited to join the "Main Line Singles Dinner Club" to share common interests & dine together at least monthly. Our next event is on Sunday, June 16 at 5:15PM. A Summer Sizzler/Mad hatter contest party at a member's lovely home in Havertown, PA. For more info, call (please do not text) Barb at 610-896-6542.

We thank God for the three priests who were ordained for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia on May 18. Please pray for them as they embark on their vocation of serving Jesus Christ and His people.

**Father Bernard O. Ekeagwu**  
**Father Gregory H. Miller**  
**Father Brendan R. Zehner**

## MEMORIAL DAY

Let us ask God to remember those who died in the service of their country.

*God of power and mercy,  
you destroy war and put down earthly pride.*

*Banish violence from our midst  
and wipe away our tears,  
that we may all deserve to be called  
your sons and daughters.*

*Keep in your mercy those men and women  
who have died in the cause of freedom  
and bring them safely*

*into your kingdom of justice and peace.  
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

*Amen.*

### **SUMMER OFFICE HOURS**

May 27 to August 30, the offices will be closed on Fridays at 12:00 noon.

Have a safe and enjoyable summer!

## Arise! Youth Evening of Adoration

Live music, reflection, 1-on-1 Healing Procession, Intercessory Prayer Teams, and Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Sunday, June 9th at St Laurence**

8245 West Chester Pike, Upper Darby, PA 19082



**Evening Program, 5:30pm to 7:30pm. Social to follow.**

Event open to 8th through 12th grade teens | Teens must be accompanied by minister or parent/guardian | We invite you to bring snacks to share!

For details visit [www.PhillyOMY.org](http://www.PhillyOMY.org) | #PhillyOMY