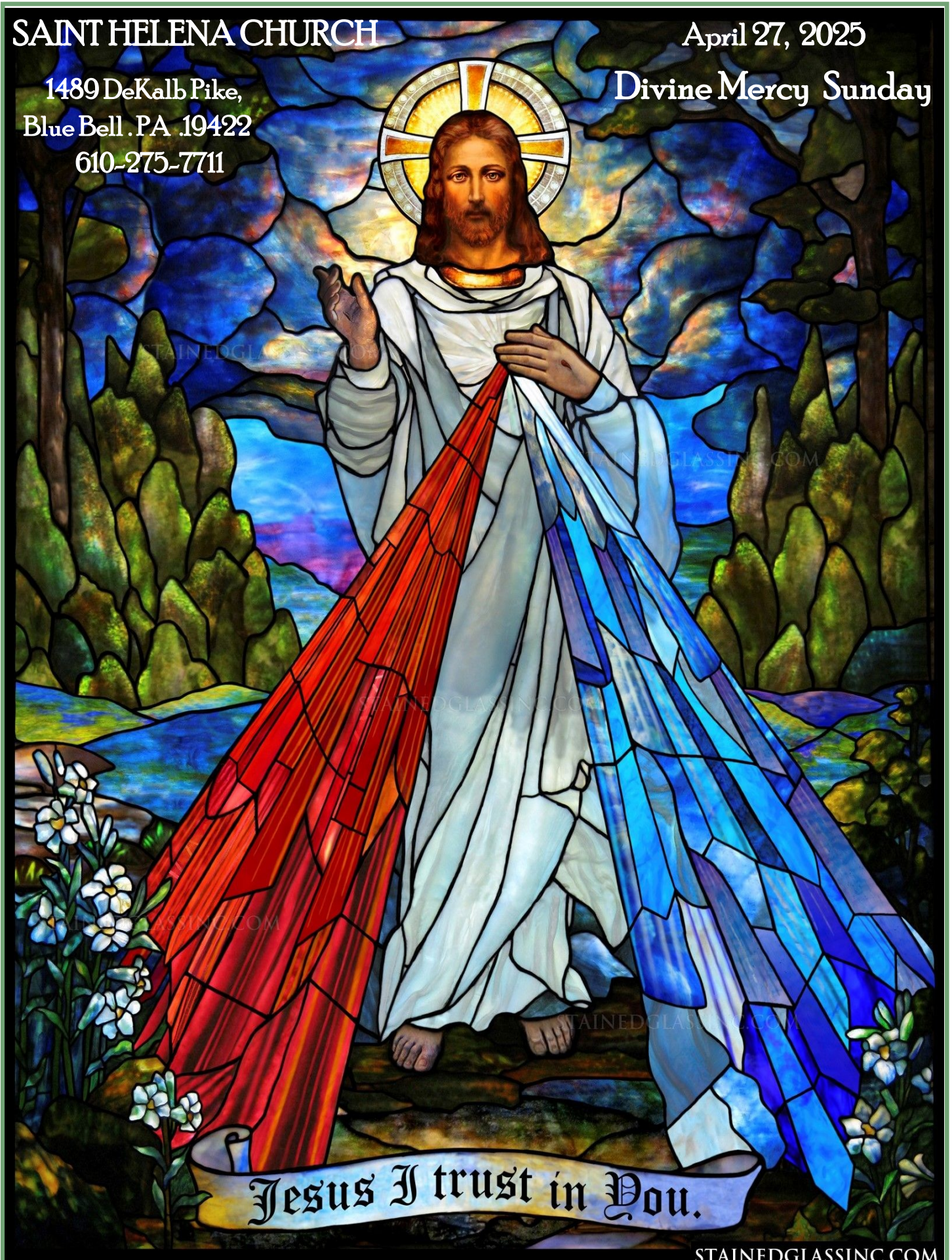


SAINT HELENA CHURCH

April 27, 2025

1489 DeKalb Pike,
Blue Bell . PA .19422
610-275-7711

Divine Mercy Sunday





OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

ONE FAMILY

United as members of the One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church, we are committed, as **ONE FAMILY**, to be messengers of God's love and presence in the world, and to welcome and invite others to become part of this family and this mission.

ONE HEART

Called by our Baptism to a life of service in the Lord, we are committed, with **ONE HEART**, to live in charity, practice the works of mercy, and work for peace and justice.

ONE FAITH

Strengthened by God's Word and nourished by His Sacraments, we are committed, in **ONE FAITH**, to promote lives of learning, living, and proclaiming the Gospel message, as we continue to grow in the knowledge, understanding, and appreciation of all that embodies these awe-inspiring truths.

PRIESTS/DEACONS:

Rev. Joseph W. Bongard: Pastor of St. Helena & Parochial Administrator of St. Titus

Rev. Samuel A. Verruni: Senior Priest

Rev. Dr. Kyle M. Adamczyk: Parochial Vicar

Msgr. Joseph J. Nicolo: Pastor Emeritus

Deacon Przemek Rozestwinski

Deacon Claude Granese

Deacon A. Kenneth Belanger, Retired

PARISH OFFICE:

Phone: 610-275-7711

Web Site: www.sainthelena-centersquare.net

Email: parish@sainthelenachurch.org

Monday through Friday: 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Business Manager: Ms. Mandy Valentin

Parish Administrative Assistant: Mrs. Gina Malony

NEW REGISTRATIONS, call the office to make an appointment.

EDUCATION CENTER:

1499 DeKalb Pike Blue Bell PA 19422

Phone: 610-279-3345 <> Fax: 610-279-3272

School Principal: Miss Denise Britt

School Secretary: Mrs. Megan Tronoski

School Nurse: Mrs. April Maxwell

PREP (PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM):

Phone: 610-279-3870

Interim Dir. of Religious Education: Rev. Dr. Kyle Adamczyk

DIRECTOR of PARISH SERVICES:

Phone: 610-930-0349

Mr. Christian Thompson

FACILITIES MANAGER:

Phone: 610-322-5749

Mr. Vince Thompson

FACILITIES DIRECTOR:

Phone: 610-275-7711

Mr. Jay Maiale

GLUTEN SENSITIVE OR WHEAT ALLERGY?

Any individual in need of receiving a low-gluten host should get in the communion line of the Priest who is the Main Celebrant of the Mass and request one when presenting oneself for Holy Communion. At all Masses, the Main Celebrant will have a pyx containing low-gluten hosts. There is no need to pre-arrange or notify anyone before Mass.

ST. HELENA MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday - Saturday: 9:00 AM Chapel

Saturday: 4:00 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, & 11:00 AM

Holy Days: Vigil: 7:00 PM,

Holy Day: 9:00 AM, & 12:15 PM

ST. TITUS MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 10:00 AM

Holy Day: 10:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

St. Helena - Saturday at 3:00 PM in the Church

St. Titus - Saturday at 3:30 PM in the Church

or call St. Helena Parish Office to make an appointment

ST. THERESA CHAPEL HOURS:

The Saint Theresa Chapel is open Monday - Friday from 6:30 AM to 9:00 PM; Saturday from 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM and Sunday from 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

SPIRITUAL DEVOTIONS:

Eucharistic Adoration: Mon-Fri 9:30 AM-7:30 PM

Most Holy Rosary: Mon-Sat 8:15 AM (Chapel)

Wednesdays: 11:30 AM (Grotto)

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Mon-Sun 3:00 PM (Chapel)

followed by recitation of Rosary

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptisms are celebrated every Sunday *after* the 11:00 AM Mass. Please stop by the Parish Office for information on scheduling Baptism for your child.

A *Pre-Baptism class* is required for parents & optional for Godparents, and are *usually* offered the first Monday of the month at 7:00 PM in the Convent. Call the Parish Office to register for a class.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

At least 6 months prior to your desired wedding date, contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment with a Priest.

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia requires that all couples attend a Pre-Cana class before marriage. At this time we ask you to go to Archphila.org, under Marriage preparations to take the class on-line.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Arrangements can be made by calling the Parish Office at 610-275-7711.

PARTNER PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., April 26

9:00 AM - St. Helena Chapel

† Living & Deceased Members of the
St. Theresa Guild

4:00 PM - St. Helena

† Ed Kurek

Req. by Rita Kurek

4:30 PM - St. Titus

† Gregory Loeper

Req. by Lisa Piegon

Sun., April 27 - Divine Mercy Sunday

7:30 AM - St. Helena Church

† For the People of the Parish

9:00 AM - St. Helena Church

† Vincent Moughan

Req. by the Klenk Family

10:00 AM - St. Titus

† Concetta & Alessandro Ciccaglione

Req. by the McCracken Family

11:00 AM - St. Helena Church

† Lee Schmalbach 30th Anniversary

Req. by his Parents

Mon., April 28 - St. Peter Chanel

8:00 AM - St. Titus

† John Giamo

Req. by Liz & Andrew Oreo

9:00 AM - St. Helena Chapel

† Anthony D'Aquila

Req. by the Hansen Family

Tues., April 29 - St. Catherine of Siena

8:00 AM - St. Titus

† Ann & Robert Duncan

Req. by Helen Ducan

9:00 AM - St. Helena Chapel

† James Pagliaro

Req. by Joan & Jeff McQuade

Wed., April 30 - St. Pius V

9:00 AM - St. Helena Chapel

† Marie Parisse

Req. by Cindy & Mike Parisse

Thur., May 1 - St. Joseph the Worker

8:00 AM - St. Titus

† Living & Deceased Parishioners of St. Titus

9:00 AM - St. Helena Chapel

† Daniel Kishbaugh

Req. by Linda Diehl

Fri., May 2 - St. Athanasius

8:00 AM - St. Titus

† John Giamo

Req. by Bea Perna

PARTNER PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

9:00 AM - St. Helena Chapel

† Robert & Elizabeth Murray

Req. by Dierdre Collins

Sat., May 3 - Sts. Philip & James

9:00 AM - St. Helena Chapel

† Living & Deceased Members of the
St. Theresa Guild

4:00 PM - St. Helena

† Roseann Sulock

Req. by the Schmidt Family

4:30 PM - St. Titus

† Antoinette Granese

Req. by the Granese Family

Prayer for the Sick



In your charity, please pray for our sick
& home-bound parishioners, as well as
those living in health/nursing facilities.

In particular, please remember the
following individuals:

Patrick Banicki, Dave Colman, Juan Barba, Sue Eason,
Lorraine Perri, Mike Piskai, Jr., Linda Weikert,
Patty Kurkowski, William Lawrence, Joan DiDonato,
Alec Jensen, Kristen Gilia, Al Slusarz, Bruce Shepherd,
Jong Soo Sohn, Carletta Sohn, Kevin Hogan,
Charlotte Yacovelli, Sr. Fran Reinhardt O.S.F.,
Kaye Grasso, Thomas Grasso, Marsha Tinti,
Richard Kellerman, William Yacovelli, Danny Matoney,
Nicolette Theisen, Nancy Matozzo, Sarah Jammer,
Anthony Grasso,

To add a name, please call the Parish Office at
610-275-7711. Names will remain listed for 2 weeks.



PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Please pray for all our military
Personnel.

Lord God, Almighty Father,
Creator of humankind and Author of peace, we
are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty
we possess, we ask You to bless the members of
our Armed Forces. Give them courage, hope
and strength. May they ever experience your
firm support, gentle love and compassionate
healing. Be their power and protector, leading
them from darkness to light. To You be all
glory, honor and praise now and forever. Amen.

LTJG Rebecca McCool, LT. Brendan Koch,
ENS John W Bushner, CPT Christopher Rongione



In your Christian charity and mindful of the Communion of Saints, please pray for

ALL OUR BELOVED DECEASED

**CATHERINE "CASEY" INTERRANTE,
ANITA DiFULVIO**

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

MAY 3 & 4

CELEBRANTS & DEACONS

Saturday, May 3

4:00 PM Fr. Sam (Deacon Claude)

4:30 PM Fr. Kyle

Sunday, May 4

7:30 AM Msgr. Beach

9:00 AM Fr. Joe

10:00 AM Fr. Kyle (Deacon Claude)

11:00 AM Fr. Sam

MEMORIALS FOR THIS WEEK



The Sanctuary Candle in the Church
burns for in memory of

THE PARISHIONERS OF ST. HELENA PARISH



Bread & Wine

The Bread & Wine this week is
offered in memory of

Maureen Joly

Requested by her Family.

In Prayerful Remembrance

Pope Francis

1936-2025



PARISH EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

- Masses: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 AM - Church

MONDAY, APRIL 28

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- Prayer Shawl Ministry: 12:30 PM - Lady of Fatima
- Robotics: 6:00 PM - Cafeteria
- Walking with Purpose: 7:00 PM - Convent

TUESDAY, APRIL 29

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Church
- Adult Basketball: 5:30 PM - Rec. Center
- PREP: 6:00 PM - Education Center
- 3 on 3 Basketball: 7:30 PM - Rec. Center

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel

THURSDAY, MAY 1

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- Walking with Purpose: 9:00 AM - Convent
- Robotics: 6:00 PM - Cafeteria
- RCIA: 7:00 PM - Our Lady of Mercy
- 7th Grade Parent Mtg.: 7:00 PM - Library

FRIDAY, MAY 2

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- Senior Board Mtg.: 10:00 AM - Our Lady of Mercy
- NOON DISMISSAL - School
- Brownies: 12:00 PM - Cafeteria

SATURDAY, MAY 3

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM - Chapel
- Men's Fellowship Group: 7:00 AM - Convent
- **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: 10:30 AM - CHURCH**
- Vigil Mass: 4:00 PM - Church

SUNDAY, MAY 4

- Masses: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 AM - Church

HELP KEEP ST. HELENA BEAUTIFUL BY ADOPTING A GARDEN!

The Garden Club maintains various flower beds on the Church campus grounds. We are asking for your help in keeping our gardens looking beautiful. Maybe a family or a Church ministry group could adopt one of the gardens to upkeep during the spring, summer, and fall months. We are asking that the gardens are weeded weekly or as needed. If area is dry when you are weeding, please water. The areas in red are already adopted. Please start as soon as possible. Initial weeding and mulching was done which should make it much easier to keep up.

ADOPT A GARDEN CONTINUED

- **Right Side of Church incl. area near steps - G.Gilllin**
 - **Front of Empress Room – George Gillin**
 - **Blessed Mother Statue at Right Side of Church – Janice & Bob Waitkus**
 - Two Large Plots leading up to the Church
 - Wayside Garden near Stations
 - **St. Joseph Statue - Mike Pelone**
 - **Sacred Heart Statue - Mike Pelone**
 - Pond in Front of Rectory
 - **Four Urns at Social & Rec Center – Ann Kerns**
 - **Father Higgins Grave - Karen DeLeonard**
 - Eight Urns at Church, 2 Urns at Chapel
 - Ten Urns on Lower and Upper Sides of School
 - Hedges in Front of Rectory
 - **Stations of the Cross – Sue Haberin**
 - Rosary Garden
 - Left Side of Church incl. Divine Mercy Hydrangea Garden
 - Left Side of Church from Divine Mercy Corner to Transformer
 - Behind the Grotto Altar
 - **St. Francis Garden- Thom Mrazik**
 - St. Theresa Statue and Plot Behind Statue
 - St. Helena Statue and Plot Behind Statue
 - Garden on side of Chapel
 - **Calvary Garden – Marie Guilardi**
 - Row of Holly Bushes between Church and Chapel
 - Light Posts and Mailbox in Front of Rectory
 - **Garden by Transformer across from Stations of the Cross – Joseph Ruskiewicz**
 - **Island in front of Empress Room – Joseph Ruskiewicz**
 - **Right Side of Convent Meeting Rooms – H.S. Y. Group**
 - Azalea Garden and Fence on Top of Grotto
 - Front of Meeting Center (Convent)
 - Front and Side of Bell Tower
 - School – Front of Library
 - School – Front Left Side
 - School – Front Right Side
 - Islands in School Parking Lot
 - Front of Rectory
 - Front and Side of Information Center
 - Six Angels going in and coming out of Campus
 - Rhododendron Garden by School Kindergarten
 - Berm (Would need several people)
 - Grotto (Would need several people)
 - Entrance side of Pre-K and Pre-K Gardens
- If you can help, please call Theresa Smith at 215-646-7636 or email at theresacsmith@verizon.net.

WHAT IS DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Divine Mercy Sunday is a Catholic feast day celebrated on the second Sunday of Easter, focusing on Jesus's Love and Mercy. It is particularly associated with the visions and messages received by St. Faustina Kowalska in the 1930s, who was asked by Jesus to establish a feast day dedicated to His mercy.

ST. HELENA CHURCH
will celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday , April 27
from 2:00 PM till 3:00 PM

We will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction, the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Confessions, in the main Church. During this Holy Hour one can receive a **Plenary Indulgence** by devoutly participating in the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, worthy Reception of Holy Communion that morning, recent Confession, detachment from sin and praying for the Pope's intentions. The Sacrament of Confession will be available immediately after the service

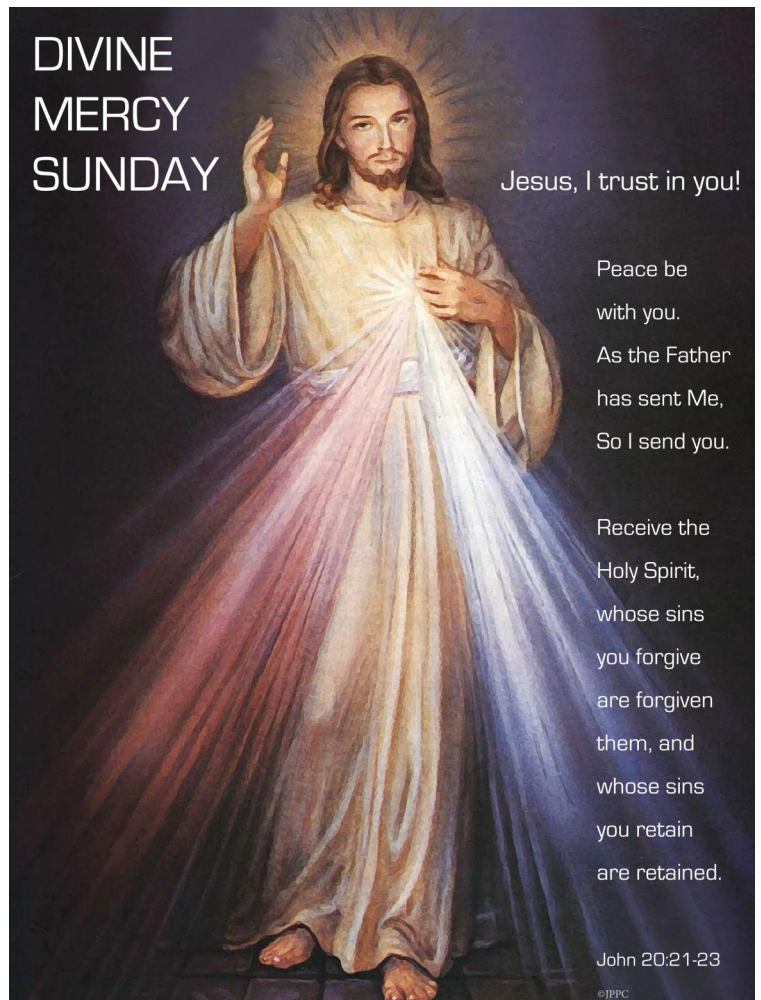
What is a plenary indulgence?

In the Catholic Church, a **plenary indulgence** is a full remission of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven, granted to a faithful Christian who is duly disposed and meets specific conditions

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Recited each day in the St. Theresa Chapel at 3:00 PM, at the hour Jesus died by crucifixion, which is called the Hour of Mercy.

Please join us!



RESPECT LIFE



From the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops:

Pray

Our Father, 3 Hail Mary, Glory Be

Reflect

Each year, on the Second Sunday of Easter, the Church celebrates the Sunday of Divine Mercy. In the 1930s, Jesus appeared to a humble Polish nun, St. Maria Faustina Kowalska. As Jesus continued to appear to St. Faustina, she recorded His messages in her *Diary*. On one such occasion, Jesus said to St. Faustina, "My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners" (*Diary*, no. 699).

When recalling our sins, we may feel discouraged or fearful of approaching God; however, we can cling to the truth that Christ's Passion on the Cross did not end in death, but in the joy of the Resurrection. The miracle of Easter gives us the courage to face our sins, confess our mistakes, and then humbly receive God's forgiveness and accept the joy that comes with new life in Christ. In His infinite love for us, God desires nothing more than to wash away our sins and offer us His mercy. He has a prepared place in His merciful heart for each of us, and no sin is bigger than His power to forgive.

No matter how we have fallen, the Resurrection of Christ is an assurance of *hope*. Christ's mercy is constantly available to us, if only we reach out to Him in faith and confidence through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The words Christ revealed to St. Faustina, He also speaks to us: "*Lay your head on my shoulder, rest and regain your strength. I am always with you*" (*Diary*, no. 498)

Act

Pray the [Chaplet of Divine Mercy](#) at 3:00 pm (the Hour of Mercy), with the intention of healing for all suffering from involvement in abortion.

One Step Further

Learn more about the experiences of those who suffer from having participated in one or more abortions and how you can be a messenger of God's infinite mercy:

usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy

THE SHEPHERD IS LOOKING FOR LOST SHEEP



Please help identify people who once attended Saint Helena or Saint Titus Parish and have not been here for months or years. The parish would like to reach out and invite our people home. Thank you for your help. Simply fill this out and drop it in the collection basket.

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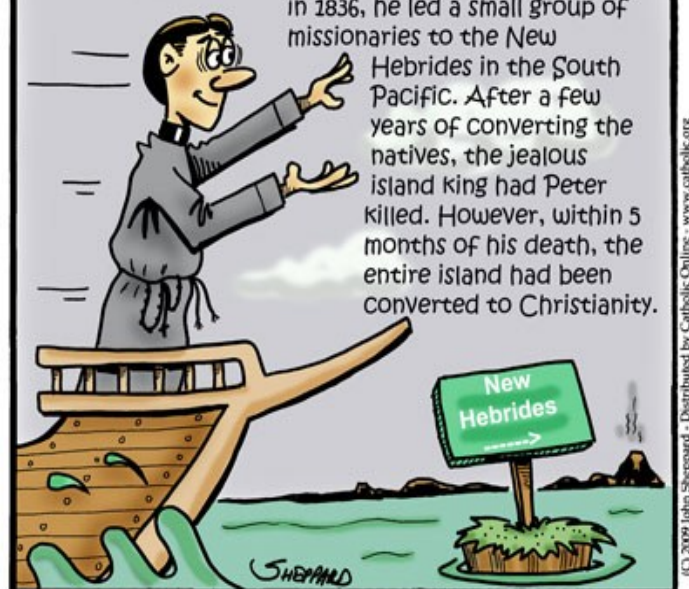
Phone # (& or) Address: _____

Comments: _____

SAINTS FUN FACTS

by John Sheppard

St. Peter Chanel was born in 1803 in France. After ordination to the priesthood, he desired to become a missionary. He was assigned to his hometown. Finally in 1836, he led a small group of missionaries to the New Hebrides in the South Pacific. After a few years of converting the natives, the jealous island king had Peter killed. However, within 5 months of his death, the entire island had been converted to Christianity.



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Youth, Young Adult, and Adult Faith Formation Opportunities

If you are interested in any of our youth, young adult, or adult faith formation opportunities, contact Christian Thompson at cthompson@sainthelenachurch.org or 610-930-0349

ADULT FAITH FORMATION: SPRING SERIES

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!

WE ARE CONTINUING OUR JOURNEY THROUGH “METANOIA”

While we have already started, you are welcome to join us for our remaining evenings...

- ✦ **April 30** – Experience Jesus' personal, empowering call to you by name.
- ✦ **May 7** – Learn how Jesus has already won the victory over evil—and how we can claim it.
- ✦ **May 14** – Wrestle with the hard teachings of Jesus and grow in freedom and obedience.
- ✦ **May 21** – Explore God's relentless love for you and how we can share that love with the world.

It's not too late to join us—whether you've been with us for the first five episodes or are jumping in now! Scan the QR code or email Christian to let us know you can make it!

Most adults and young people leave the Catholic Church because they know very little about **Who God is** and **what the Catholic faith actually says!** We are blessed to be able to offer programs, series, and studies for all to experience the beauty, truth, and goodness of the Catholic faith. We invite you to dive deeper into the Catholic faith and to **learn more about Who God is and what the Catholic faith actually says!**



SAINT HELENA YOUNG ADULTS

NEW TO THE AREA? BACK HOME AFTER COLLEGE? LOOKING FOR A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY?

Our young adult group meets for prayer, discussion, service, and social outings — all centered on growing together in our Catholic faith. If you're in your 20's or 30's, you're welcome to come and be part of our Christ-centered community! Email Christian to join our *GroupMe* for updates on our meetings and events.

Our next events are... **Thursdays, May 1, 8, 15** — “Why you should care about Luke's Gospel?”

Upcoming topics: The Annunciation, The Baptism of Jesus, and the Transfiguration

Class is from 7 to 8:15pm in the Parish Covent — bring a bible and a friend

Thursday, May 22 — Pasta Bake Service Night (more details to come!)

Our recent events were...

Wednesday, April 16 — Potluck snack night

Thursday, April 24 — Luke 24: The Resurrection and The Walk to Emmaus

Vacation Bible School 2025

Radical Ride: On the Wings of Prayer

Children will **travel the world** with **Amazing Angels and Super Saints**, discovering the **power of prayer** and how to bring it into their everyday lives!

Each day is packed with:

- ◇ **Faith**-filled lessons that inspire
- ◇ Creative **Crafts** to take home
- ◇ Exciting **Games** to get moving
- ◇ Uplifting **Music** to sing & dance
- ◇ Delicious **Snacks** to fuel the fun

When? August 4th — 8th, 9am to 12pm

Where? Saint Helena Education Center

Who? All rising K — 5 grade students (going into 2025/2026 school year)

For Teens: All rising 6 — 12 grade students are welcomed as Teen Leaders

Cost? \$40 for Child Campers and \$20 for Teen Leaders



Registration is now 100% online

Please scan the QR code to register!

Our VBS is a popular program and we are grateful to offer it to such a supportive community. **Spaces fill up very quickly and registration closes July 5.** Please sign up today!

Contact: Christian Thompson

610-930-0349 or cthompson@sainthelenachurch.org



SAINT HELENA YOUTH GROUP

Our youth group is open to all teens in 7th-12th grades. We try to live as disciples of Jesus and develop our personal and spiritual growth through prayer, formation, service, and community. Meetings are usually held on Sunday evenings in the parish convent from 7 to 8:15pm, with a mix of spiritual formation, service, prayer, and fraternal outings to help teens grow as disciples of Christ.



Our next event is...**April 27** — Hike and Picnic (Valley Forge Park, 1 to 4pm)

Scan QR code to receive emails on upcoming meetings!



A Jubilee Year of Hope 2025



The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,
may the *faith* you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of *charity* enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed *hope*
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within
both humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.

Amen.

On May 9, 2024, Pope Francis released a Papal Bull of Indiction which formally announced the Jubilee Year of Hope. The document was entitled *Spes non confundit* -- "Hope does not disappoint" (Rom 5:5). In it, Pope Francis writes on the reasons for this theme for the Jubilee Year: In the spirit of hope, the Apostle Paul addressed these words of encouragement to the Christian community of Rome. Hope is also the central message of the coming Jubilee that, in accordance with an ancient tradition, the Pope proclaims every twenty-five years.... For everyone, may the Jubilee be a moment of genuine, personal encounter with the Lord Jesus, the "door" (cf. Jn 10:7.9) of our salvation, whom the Church is charged to proclaim always, everywhere and to all as "our hope" (1 Tim 1:1). Everyone knows what it is to hope. In the heart of each person, hope dwells as the desire and expectation of good things to come, despite our not knowing what the future may bring. Even so, uncertainty about the future may at times give rise to conflicting feelings, ranging from confident trust to

Jubilee Year of Hope Continued

apprehensiveness, from serenity to anxiety, from firm conviction to hesitation and doubt. Often we come across people who are discouraged, pessimistic and cynical about the future, as if nothing could possibly bring them happiness. For all of us, may the Jubilee be an opportunity to be renewed in hope. God's word helps us find reasons for that hope. ...

St. Helena Men's Group

Please consider joining the St. Helena Men's Group. We are open to all men of the parish. We gather every Saturday morning between 7:00 and 8:00 AM in the convent. After the opening prayer, we read and reflect upon that Sunday's readings and consider their meaning and application to our lives. As men searching for stronger faith, we encourage each other and often speak about subjects that should be important to Catholic men in today's world: Do I look for opportunities in my daily life or at work when I could help lead someone to Christ? How can I pray better and lead my family in prayer? What can I focus upon in the coming days or weeks that will help bring me and those around me closer to God? In essence, the men's group is an opportunity to spend some time with other Catholic men, refocus each week on what is truly important, and support each other through the trials and challenges that we all face. Please consider joining us on any Saturday morning, as we never take a week off!

Contact Joe Bushner at bushners@comcast.net for more information



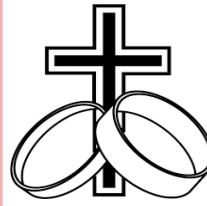


CHILDREN'S TITHE

The Children of St. Helena are taught how to Tithe by bringing a non perishable item to Mass each week. During the Mass they are asked to come

forward with their gifts and place them in the baskets that are on the Altar steps. These non perishable items are then given to the Patrician Society, a local food bank.

We "Thank you" for helping to feed the least of our brothers.



PRE-CANA CLASSES

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia requires that all couples attend a Pre-Cana class before marriage.

To register go to the Archdioceses website: Archphila.org, under Marriage preparations to take the class on line.



MEMORIALS AVAILABLE AT ST. HELENA

ANNOUNCED & UN-ANNOUNCED MASSES

Are available (\$20) in the Parish Office during business hours. We have Mass cards available for the Sick, Living & Deceased.

SAINT THERESA GUILD

Saint Helena Parish started a *Saint Theresa Guild* many years ago. We dedicate our Saturday 9 AM Mass to the living and deceased members of this Guild. The names of the members are in a book that is present at the Mass. To have the name of a friend or loved one entered into *Saint Theresa Guild* come to the rectory office during business hours. A donation of \$25 is requested.

CANDLES

Candles in the Church and Chapel can be purchased (\$20 each) in Honor or in Memory of a loved one. The candle will burn for a week, beginning Saturday's Vigil Mass till the following Saturday.

Candles are available in the Church at:

The Sanctuary Candle

The Blessed Mother Altar, up to 4 candles may be lit

The St. Joseph Altar, up to 4 candles may be lit

The Sacred Heart Statue on the Altar in the Narthex, up to 4 candles may be lit

Candles are available in the Chapel at:

The Sanctuary Candle

The Altar, up to 4 candles may be lit on the Altar

BREAD & WINE

The Bread & Wine can be purchased for a week (\$30) in Honor or in Memory of a loved one.

All Memorials can be purchased in the Parish Office during business hours.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

If you are interested in having fresh flowers placed on the Altar in either the Church or the Chapel, please call **THERESA SMITH** at 215-646-7636 to learn about details and availability.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO REMEMBER SAINT HELENA IN YOUR WILL?

Ask your attorney to include such words as these in your will: "I give, devise, or bequeath to Saint Helena Church, 1489 DeKalb Pike, Blue Bell, PA 19422, for its general purposes all, (or state a fraction or percentage) of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, whether real or personal." OR "I give to Saint Helena Church, 1489 DeKalb Pike, Blue Bell, PA 19422 \$X..00 to be used for the general purposes of Saint Helena Parish."

BEQUESTS

The following people have prayerfully made bequests in their Wills to Saint Helena Church. Please remember them in prayer as well.

Kathleen Schoemaker, Margaret Donahue, Lorraine Gigliello, Margaret (Peg) Tannenbaum, John H. Quillinan, III, David R. Bright, Mary Ann Christ, Elizabeth Foster, Marie Sommers, Martin J. Payton, Jr., Wanda James, & Angela M. Holbrook

WE REMEMBER

and we gratefully acknowledge the following families who so thoughtfully asked that donations in memory of their loved one be sent to Saint Helena Church.

We ask that you please keep them in your prayers:

Kathleen & James Fenerty, Louis R. DiMaria, Jim Dougherty, Elsie McDermott, Rita Sciarra, Maria C. Salvitti, Dorothy Barry, John "Jack" Keidel, Edward Wykstra, Daniel Bagley, Frank Groarke, & Connie Swan.

Divine Mercy Chaplet

8. Repeat for four more decades, saying "Eternal Father" on the "Our Father" bead and then 10 "For the Sake of His sorrowful Passion" on the following "Hail Mary" beads.

Visit TheCatholicKid.com for a complete list of prayers used in the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

9. At the conclusion of the five decades, on the medallion say the "Holy God," the concluding doxology, three times.

10. Say the optional Closing Prayer

7. Say 10 "For the sake of His sorrowful Passion" on the "Hail Mary" beads.

6. Say the "Eternal Father".

4. Say the "Hail Mary".

3. Say the "Our Father".

2. Say the optional opening prayer.

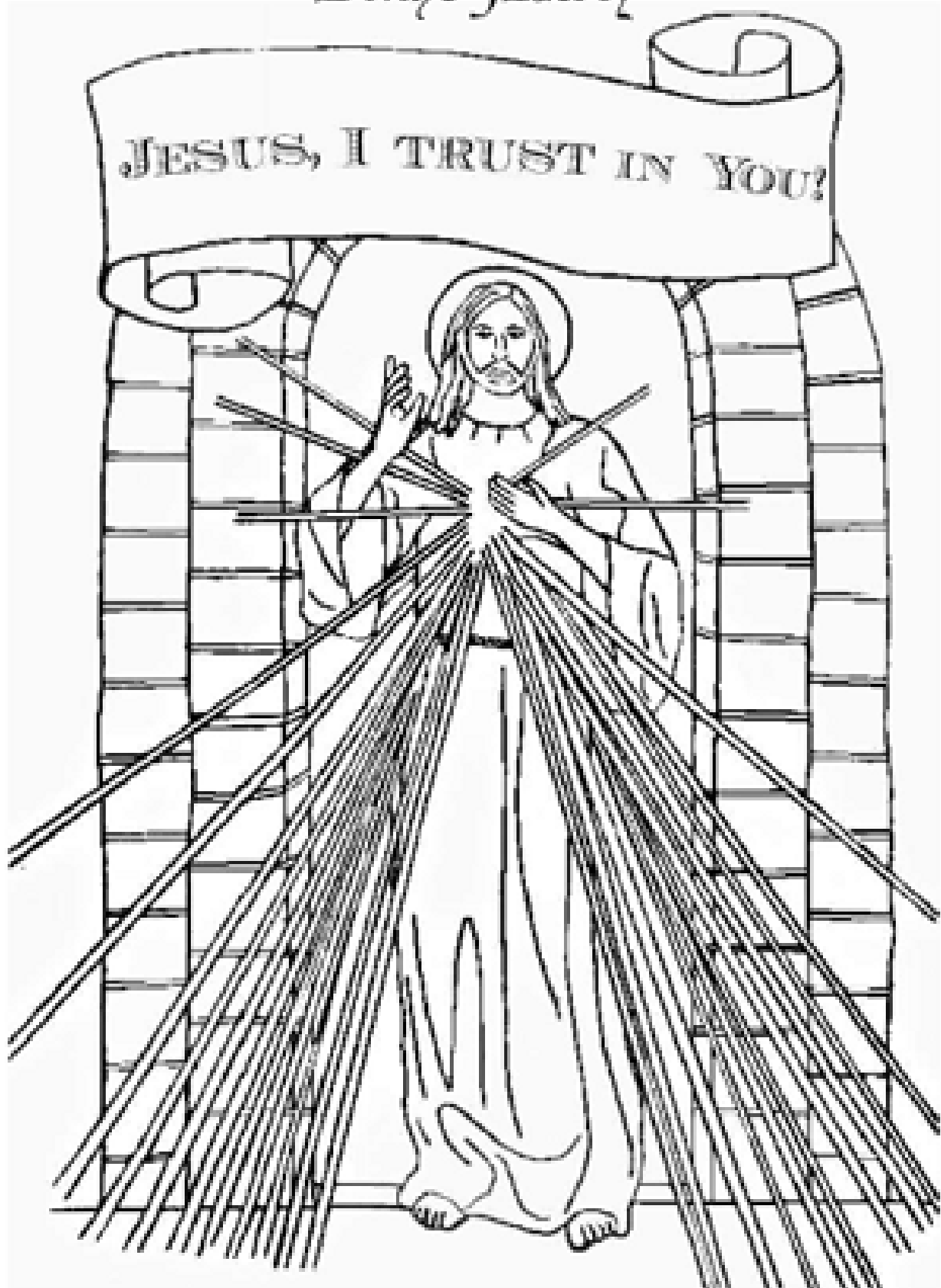
5. Say the "Apostles' Creed".



1. Make the Sign of the Cross.



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