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212 Meredith Street, Kennett Square, PA 19348

www.stpatrickkennettsquare.org

MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM

Weekday Mass:

7:30 AM — Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

7:00 PM - Wednesday

8:00 AM - Saturday

CONFESSIONS

Reconciliation Room located in Narthex

Wednesday: 6:00PM-6:45PM

Saturday: 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Mondays: 8:00 AM—7:00 PM in Church

First Fridays: 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM in Church

PARISH OFFICE

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Clergy

Rev. Mark A. Tobin, Parochial Administrator

Rev. Andres Garcia, **In Residence**

Deacon Alan T. Haley

Deacon James K. Madonna, Retired

Sunday Assistance:

Rev. James T. McCabe

Oblates of St. Francis DeSales

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Patrick Church, in the process of strengthening its Catholic Community, seeks to make the gospel of Jesus Christ better known and loved through prayer, stewardship and good works.

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Mass Intentions

Monday, June 23, Weekday

7:30AM Ben Rodia
r/o Rick Bochanski

Tuesday, June 24, The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

7:30AM Joe Harkins
r/o Joan DePoulter

Wednesday, June 25, Weekday

7:00PM Angelo DiMedio
r/o Angelo & Rita Mastrippolito

Thursday, June 26, Weekday

7:30AM Ginny Basilio
r/o Husband

Friday, June 27, The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

7:30AM Mildred Sclafoni
r/o Renee

Saturday, June 28, The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00AM Special Intention

Vigil, Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

5:00PM Joe Harkins
r/o Joe & Pat Hines

Sunday, June 29, Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles

7:30AM Mass for Parishioners

9:00AM Adam Szablewski
r/o Conrad

10:30AM Mom, Dad, John Michael
r/o Johnny, Frankie, Wives &
Grandchildren

12:00PM Joseph Harkins
r/o Marie Elliott

POPE LEO XVI QUOTE:

"In the family, faith is handed on together with life, generation after generation,. It is shared like food at the family table and like the love in our hearts. In this way, families become privileged places in which to encounter Jesus, who loves us and desires our good, always."

QUOTES FROM OUR NEW HOLY FATHER



POPE LEO XVI

PRAYER INTENTIONS

All praise and glory is yours, Lord our God, for You have called us to serve You in love. Bless our sick:

John Pellegrino, Thomas Kelleher, Giovanna Sankus, Marc Palfy, Joshua Brown, Maria Rowe, William Morey, Miles Kennedy, Diane Stansberry, Pamela Maldonado, Mary Anne Proch, Aaron Pogue, Susan Walker, Barry Fragale, David Brice, Jim Feiler, Dianne & Anthony Smith, Shannon Quinn, Florence Ciliberto, Clint Norris III, Samantha Brown, Mary Ellen Rorke Ventrella, Diane Jones, Chris Baker, Linda Harris, Millie Basile, Vira Smith, Bob McCaffrey, Ed Homa, Chris Santos, Alan Hobbs, Jeff Hammaker, Karen Amato, Jessica Moorhead, Carmen Rossini, Joe Posse, Maria Ireson, Karen Neyerson, Brent London, J. A. Shiner, Kaia Rae Watson-Seery, Tony Brown, Joan Ricevuto, Tracy Conway, Lucy Carroll, Randy Myers, Ronald J. Caputo, Gary Levon, Nancy Maillie, Gina Serra, Patti DeFazio, Melissa MacCleery, Rebekah Simunek, Anne Marie McCarthy, Theresa Evans, Joyce Pellegrino, Doris Gillis, Mia Staley, Megan Heller, Dee Chandler, Brian Chandler, Bob Regenye, Dave Gilpin, Virginia Cappella, Angela Vitola-Langtry, Vince Poole, Lisa Mangini, Eileen & Joe Posse, Joe Watson, Jay McEvoy, Mark & Lynelle Robuck, Fran Vlasses, Cookie Kealey, Stu Stabley, Tony Slezak, Janet Forte, Barbara Hartman, Adelaide Marie Casavant that they bear this illness in union with Your Son's obedient suffering, restore them to health, and lead them to glory. Amen



Good and loving Father, watch over and protect all who serve in the Armed Forces of our nation. Surround them with your love and care and bring them safely home.

SGT Richard Baffa

SFC Raymond Burke III

LCDR Michael Crawford

Major Dominic Paul DellaPelle, USMC

SPC Joseph Dettore, Jr.

Army LTC Matthew R. Emerson

LCPL Ben Farrell, USMC

1st LT. USAF Natalie King

Army Major Robert C. McDonough

SFC Tyler Nellens

E1 Airman 1st CI Andrew Szonntag

1st LT. USAF Scott Seidenberger

Major Ian C. Whiteman



**St. Patrick Parish
welcomes
Father Mark Tobin,
Our New Shepherd**





CULTURE OF LIFE CORNER

ST. JOSEPH'S SPIRITUAL BOUQUET

Thank you to all who have participated thus far in our spiritual bouquet to St. Joseph in celebration of Father's Day. This offering will remain available to all throughout the rest of June and will serve as a visual remembrance of the important vocation of fatherhood and the gift of life. Intention cards can be found in the pews. Whenever you come to Church during the month of June, maybe during Adoration or before/after Mass, spend some time in prayer with St. Joseph – write down your prayer intentions and then place them in the basket that will be in front of the St. Joseph statue. Let us all cherish the gift of life we receive from our fathers and entrust all men to the care and protection of St. Joseph. St. Joseph, Pray for Us!

WORD OF LIFE – Weekly Quote

“Christ's blood reveals to man that his greatness, and therefore his vocation, consists in the sincere gift of self...It is from the blood of Christ that all draw the strength to commit themselves to promoting life. It is precisely this blood that is the most powerful source of hope, indeed it is the foundation of the absolute certitude that in God's plan life will be victorious.”

Pope Saint John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae* © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana.

ROSARY FOR LIFE

Wednesday, June 25, 2025
6:30 PM in Church

All are welcome to join us as we pray the rosary and reflect upon the fact that every human being is sacred and valuable.

ASSUMPTION BVM SCHOOL-JOB POST-

Assumption BVM School is seeking a dedicated, compassionate and creative technology teacher for a part-time position (with the potential for full-time if also hired at another Archdiocese of Philadelphia School) working with 1-6 grade students. The current schedule has the teacher on staff one day per week (Thursday), but scheduling is flexible. The curriculum taught is prescribed by the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and is complemented by coding and Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art and Math (STREAM). **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Candidate of choice has a Bachelor's degree or is pursuing a technology or education-related degree
- Up-to-date Clearances and be able to meet the clearance requirements of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia
- A passion for working with children
- Technology proficient & exceptional communication skills

Email your resume to principalabvmschoolwg.us

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What is Lector?

This is a ministry of lay men and women who proclaim the readings from Sacred Scripture, with the exception of the Gospel, during the celebration of Mass. He or she may also announce the intentions for the Prayer of the Faithful when no deacon is present.

The desired assets for a Lector include:

- A registered parishioner who is fully initiated in the faith, in good standing and practicing the faith.
- Reverence for the Word of God.
- A basic knowledge of the Bible, Lectionary for Mass, and the Liturgy of the Word.
- Strong oral proclamation skills.
- Willingness to serve at Mass 1-2x per month.

Those interested in serving as a Lector must be approved by the pastor and then receive proper training. A Lector Workbook will be provided for the preparation of the readings.

If you feel called to serve as a Lector or would like to learn more about this important ministry, please contact John LaPelusa at:

ejlapel@aol.com

Music Ministry

Cantors:

Sign up for your training 9/25 8pm or 9/30 7pm

Children's Choir:

Any school age children with an interest in music please reach out. Choir practices every Thursday 6-7pm starting Sept 4th. Vocalists and instrumentalists welcome.

Adult Choir:



Starting Sept 4th, choir meets weekly on Thursdays at 7pm. Must have a basic level of musicianship, including pitch matching, but reading music is not necessary.

Instrumentalists:

Please reach out if you have a desire to add enrichment to any of our masses.

All Are Welcome in this Place!

Jessica Tanner: musicdirectorsaintpatrick@gmail.com





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"What can I offer the Lord for
all his goodness to me?"

Psalm 116:12

Today we celebrate the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ, (Corpus Christi). We celebrate the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. We give thanks for this great gift through prayers, songs, and processions. We are grateful that we can become what we receive in the Eucharist. As we go forth with Christ, remember God wants to be a friend to each of us. When partaking in the Eucharist, quietly reflect on how do we show that Jesus is in us.

Register for 2025-2026 PREP Year

Go to, <https://stpatrickkennettsquare.org/prep/>, click on YOUTH, then click on Parish Religious Education Program. Information about the programs and how to register can be found on the site. Please don't delay in registering your child (ren) for classes. **Returning families:** To avoid the late fee register **by July 15th**.

Anyone attending Camp Caritas must complete a paper form.



Catechesis of the
**GOOD
SHEPHERD**
"Let the little children come"
Matthew 19:14

We Are Called by Name

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

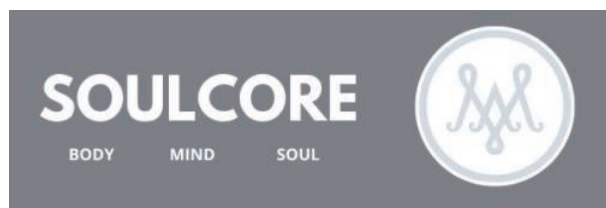
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is a program founded on the teachings and philosophy of Maria Montessori for children ages 3-6. The children will meet in the Atrium on Wednesday mornings 9:30-11AM to experience God through prayer, song, and exploring Biblical parables. The Atrium is central to the program; offers the place and time for the children to be who they are and hear God's voice and work independently.

Registration for the 2025-2026 CGS Year can be found on the parish website.

For inquiries about CGS contact

Kelly Pin or Maria Miller

Kpin.teacher@gmail.com or mmillerdresp@gmail.com



IT'S A SOULCORE SUMMER!

Get FIT this Summer at St. Patrick Parish PHYSICALLY and SPIRITUALLY by praying the Rosary with gentle stretching and movement.

Soulcore blends physical effort with spiritual surrender through prayer, movement, scripture, rest, reflection, and silence. The workouts feature core-strengthening and functional exercises, and are easily adaptable to your ability that day.

Soulcore Leaders Heather Smalley and Adrienne Jonsson will be offering multiple ways to move and pray through SoulCore. People of all ages and fitness levels are welcome.

FAMILY FRIENDLY CLASSES: Parents, Aunts, Uncles, Grandparents are all welcome to bring their children to move, stretch, and pray the rosary. Children entering 3rd grade may participate while children entering pre-school through 2nd grade will participate in age-appropriate activities (free childcare). **SIGN UP IS REQUESTED FOR THESE DATES TO HELP PLAN ACCORDINGLY:**

- Wednesday, June 25, 2025
- Wednesday, July 16, 2025
- Wednesday, July 23, 2025
- Wednesday, August 6, 2025

SIGN UP using the QR CODE or contact Jen Keller at

jenkellersp@gmail.com



ADULT CLASSES:

- Moderate/High Impact Class: **Saturday, June 28** from 9:15 AM – 10:15 AM (Saturday Dates in July TBD)
- Chair/Low Impact classes: **NEW Beginning July 6 – SUNRISE SOULCORE on Tuesday and Friday Mornings from 6:30 AM – 7:20 AM.** If your schedule permits, stay after for daily Mass at 7:30 AM.

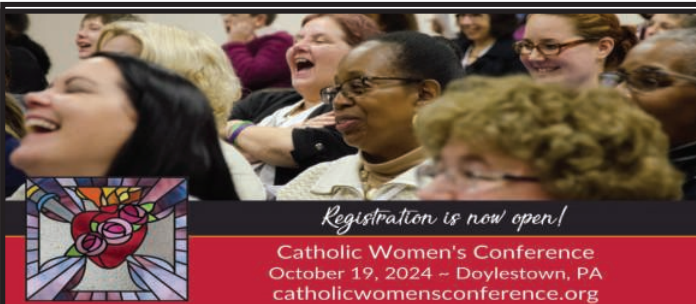
All classes will be in the St. Joseph's Room. Please join us - all are welcome!

Sunday, June 22		
Baptism	1:15PM	C
Monday, June 23		
Adoration	8:00AM	C
Rosary	7:00PM	C
Tuesday, June 24		
Flame of Love Prayer Group	1:00PM	C
Wednesday, June 25		
Family Soul Core	10:00AM	SJR
Confession	6:00PM	Narthex
Confirmation Meeting	6:30PM	SJR
Mass	7:00PM	C
Thursday, June 26		
Men's Group	6:30AM	CB
Friday, June 27		
Saturday, June 28		
Rosary	8AM & 4:30PM	C
SoulCore	9:15AM	SJR
Guitar Group Practice	10:30AM	Rel. Ed. Bldg.
Confession	3:30PM	Narthex

**SUNDAY COLLECTION**

June 15, 2025-\$14,305.00

Last Year-\$13,047.00

HELLO SUMMER**PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS****MONDAY - THURSDAY FROM 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM****FRIDAY FROM 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

Catholic Women's Conference
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catholicwomensconference.org

Catholic Women's Conference 2025

Join over a thousand Catholic women for the Catholic Women's Conference on our 10th anniversary! Our theme is "Women on Mission: The Feminine Genius in the New Apostolic Age" based on the book *From Christendom to Apostolic Mission: Pastoral Strategies for an Apostolic Age*. At this year's conference, we will explore the beauty of our feminine genius and the unique position of Catholic women, transformed by Christ, to bring the light of the Gospel to a society that no longer knows it needs Him. Breakout sessions will feature examples of holy Catholic women who lived this reality in the midst of their own apostolic times.

Saturday, October 18, 2025
9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

National Shrine of
Our Lady of Czestochowa
654 Ferry Road
Doylestown, PA

Divine Will Retreat-Friday, July 4, 2025 to Sunday, July 6, 2025

Location: Malvern Retreat House, 315 S. Warren Avenue, Malvern, PA 19355. Join us for a spirit filled weekend retreat based on the Divine Will. Fr. Thomas Celso will serve as Retreat Director. The weekend will include Mass, Adoration, Confession, conference talks, and time for personal prayer and reflection. The weekend will include an outdoor Mass on our newly dedicated altar at the foot of the Papal Cross from Pope St. John Paul II's 1979 Philadelphia visit. The weekend will also include a patriotic rosary at 2PM on Sunday. For more information and to register, visit: www.malvernretreat.com

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION**BAPTISM:**

Celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month.
Please call the parish office to schedule.

MATRIMONY:

Celebrated throughout the year.
Please contact Fr. Rogers.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Registration is held on the First Sunday of Each Month or at the parish office. Roman Catholics who live within the boundaries of the parish should register in the parish. This will regularize one's status and allow for the issuance of certificates and make possible the arrangements for Baptism, Weddings and Confirmations.

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