

# ST. MARY'S PARISH

*A Living Faith - in a Historic Place*

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**W**ELCOME TO ST. MARY'S CHURCH. Please introduce yourself to Fr. Haynes or to one of our usher/greeters, and sign our guest register so that we have a record of your visit. We hope you will come again. If you have questions, need more information, or have other concerns, please contact the Parish Office at [parishoffice@stmarysburlington.org](mailto:parishoffice@stmarysburlington.org) or call at us (609) 386-0902. The Parish Office is located in the Guild House, Broad & Talbot Streets. The Rector is available at any time by appointment.

***THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR** this weekend are given to the glory of God, as a memorial for Mitsue Anisiewski and Harriet Hawkey; those at the Pulpit are given as in loving memory of Loretta Stoer; those at the Lectern are given in loving memory of Joanne Miller; those given at the Shrine are given in loving memory of Marion K. Steinmetz.*

***THE SANCTUARY LAMP** burns this week to honor the Sacramental Presence of our Lord, in memory of William Johnson.*

## THE WEEK AHEAD

<i>Friday 5/16</i>	12:00 p.m. Low Mass – New St. Mary's Church
<i>Saturday 5/17</i>	5:30 p.m. Low Mass – New St. Mary's Church
<i>Sunday 5/18</i>	7:30 a.m. Low Mass – New St. Mary's Church
	9:00 a.m. Sung Mass – New St. Mary's Church

**PRAYER QUILT MINISTRY** will be meeting on **Thursday May 15th from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. upstairs in the Guild House.** If you would like to request a prayer quilt, please complete a request form found outside the parish office in the Guild House or at the back of the church. Once completed, return it to the parish office or contact **Sharon Walton 609-658-3893 or Susan Harnischfeger 609-387-0099.** We can help you choose a quilt and have it blessed the following weekend.





**ST. MARY'S LADLE OF LOVE** operates as a **Food Pantry** for the community on the **2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday** of each month at St. Mary's Guild House. **The Food Pantry** is open from **4 p.m. to 6 p.m. on May 14th, May 21st, and May 28th.**

**LOL Donations:**

- Anna Cook-Karwacki
- Jennifer Mendez
- Tomiko Thompson
- Nina Morreale

Thank you, parishioners of St. Mary's, for your support of this ministry... for your prayers, contributions, and service. Thank you, volunteers, who make this ministry possible.

**RETURNING AS REQUESTED!** Have you noticed the increasing number of gleaming white gravestones between the Old and New Church buildings? Thanks to our industrious and skilled cleaning teams last fall, St. Mary's Gravestone Restoration Project enjoyed a robust launch with 16 parish and community members (including the South Jersey Home Schoolers Key Club crew) restoring over 50 graves. You've requested spring dates to continue the progress, and they're scheduled! Mark your calendar for **11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on May 21 and June 4 (all Wed.)** with rain dates of May 22 and June 5 respectively. Sign-up sheet on the tract table ensures we can reach you with any weather issues on your chosen date/s. You'll be amazed by the dramatic difference a short session will make: grey to white – overnight! Contact Judy Burr [jeburr1@verizon.net](mailto:jeburr1@verizon.net) with any questions.



## BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 5/10	Linda Bowker & William Logue (anniversary)
Tuesday 5/13	Bernadette Boyle
Thursday 5/15	Oliver McCann, Donald Hawkey
Friday 5/16	Barbara Elstone

**COFFEE HOUR DATES FOR 2025:** Thanks to everyone we have all our hosts lined up through August. If you still want to help one of our future hosts, please reach out to Barbara Frake. Thanks to Mary Wirth, Don Hawkey and Amy Ancharski for help with last Sunday's Coffee Hour.

- June 22nd - Mikell & MJ Dolo/Old St. Mary's
- July (Date to be Determined) - Cindy Robertson & Jennifer Martin/Old St. Mary's
- August 10th - St. Mary's Choral Society/Old St. Mary's



Coffee Hour and Pre-Mother's Day Teacup Succulent event. Special thanks to Maway Dolo ably assisted by Sharon Walton and Amy Ancharski for hosting Coffee Hour on May 4<sup>th</sup>. Our next



Coffee Hour is scheduled for Sunday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> in Old St. Mary's. Thank you to Amy Ancharski, Grace Gardellin, Marie Johnson, Arlene Tieman and Judy Burr for their contributions of teacups, food, time and help in setting up and cleaning up for our Teacup Succulent event that day. Thanks to all who participated in this fun event.

**Guild House Floor Cleaning:** On Tuesday, April 29th we had our Guild House dining room floors stripped and waxed professionally. This could not have been possible without the help of Bill Frake, Bernadette Boyle, Steve Quinn (and grandsons!), Bob Bacon, and Tony Hampton. Thank you to all who helped on our Pre Easter workday in April and all those who worked on the floral decoration of the New Church for Eastertide. Please know that the beauty of our church and property would not be possible without the volunteer help that gets everything ready.

**FORWARD DAY BY DAY: The May/June/July 2025** edition is available at the back of the church, or in the Parish Office. Many have found this devotional booklet a good way to deepen their familiarity with Scripture, and a valuable tool in their spiritual journey. You could find it helpful as well! A \$1.00 donation is requested.



## IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS



*We encourage you to take our prayer list with you and pray for them at home. Those on the list are remembered during worship services. Request forms can be found at the back of the church, if you would like to ask that a name be added to the prayer list. Give the completed form to an usher or to the rector. Please pray for*

**THE ILL AND THOSE IN NEED:** Beverly Alers & Family, Dorothy Aleshire, Allen Conard, Helen Conard, Alison Farmer, Irene Gares, Lt. Commander Jay Gasbaro, Gary Geier, Joanne Grimes, Melinda Ives, Rich Janulis, Kathleen Junkerman, Robert McCrystal, Glenn Mettrock, Renee Miller, Mandy Picone, Cindy Potts, Harry Rebeck, George Schoener, Camille Zagaroli.

**THE DEPARTED:** Lincoln Corbin, Dolores Caro-Soto

**THE CHRONICALLY ILL/SHUT-IN:** Betty Baird, Bill Baird, Rita Barber, Judy Battista, Kitty Birkett, Linda Bowker, Christopher Browne, Renee Calderone, Barbara Candelaria, Luise Cherubini, Linda de la Rosa, Jackie Fine, Harry Fisher, Esther Franklin, Christine Gakeler, William Gares, Bronwyn Haynes, Diane Koger, Dwight Koger, Brett McCaw, Courtney Page, Davis Parker, Barry Petty, Mandy Picone, Marian Pierpont, , Barbara Reynolds, Dae Rebeck Sanchez, Michael Stoer, Rick Thomas, William Ward, Joe Whitehouse.