

Welcome

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

WE, THE CHURCH OF ST. GENEVIEVE, ARE A COMMUNITY OF THE BAPTIZED IN UNION WITH THE HOLY FATHER, THE SUCCESSOR OF PETER AND SHEPHERD OF THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH.

IT IS OUR COMMITMENT TO WITNESS TO OTHERS THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST AND INVITE ONE ANOTHER TO ACTIVE DISCIPLESHIP BY LIVING LIVES CENTERED ON GOSPEL VALUES.

WITH THE HELP OF GOD, WE:

Acknowledge that our community's reverent participation in the Eucharist is the source and summit of our Christian life;
Pledge to build Christian community in our world;
Recognize our obligation to provide Catholic-Christian education for all;
Will work for a more just and peaceful society, responding to the needs of the poor and the less fortunate;
Embrace all human life as sacred from conception to natural death.

STAFF

Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Matz, Pastor (215) 836-2828 rectory@stgensparish.com

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OFFICE HOURS www.stgensparish.com

The rectory office is open Monday-Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm and on Sunday 9am to 1pm

ST. GENEVIEVE SCHOOL www.stgens.com

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Mrs. Trish Murray, Secretary (215) 836-5644

MINISTRIES

Altar Servers

This ministry is for students in the parish in grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 (both from St. Genevieve School and all other schools) who are interested in serving the parish community by assisting the priest at Mass.

Lectors

Lectors proclaim the Word of God at Liturgical celebrations. They serve the parish by proclaiming Sacred Scriptures during Mass and at other services.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion serve the parish by facilitating the reverent distribution of Holy Communion during Mass and by bringing the Eucharist to the homebound and to those in nursing homes and assisted-living facilities.

This most important ministry requires training at the Archdiocesan level and commissioning by the pastor at a Sunday Mass.

Sacristans

These volunteers assist in setting up for daily and Sunday Masses and for other liturgies and services.

Ushers

These volunteers assist in welcoming people coming to Mass, taking up the weekly collection, distributing copies of the parish bulletin and offering help as needed.

For information on any liturgical ministry, contact Deacon Conroy at (215) 836-7219 or at mconroy@stgensparish.com

SACRAMENTS

EUCCHARIST

See “Mass Schedule” for times for celebration of Eucharist. You may call the rectory office to request that Communion be brought to the homebound.

RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard on Saturdays beginning at 3:30 pm and on Wednesday evenings beginning at 6:30 pm and by appointment. Please check the bulletin for Penance Services during Advent and Lent.

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of the month after the 11:45 Mass. For more information about scheduling and preparing for your child’s baptism, please call the rectory office.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning marriage should contact the rectory office at least six (6) months prior to the intended date to begin preparation.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

You may call the rectory office to request Anointing of the Sick. Also, check the bulletin for our parish’s annual Anointing Mass in October.

MASS SCHEDULES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 7:30, 8:45, 10:15 and 11:45 am & 5pm

Weekday Masses: 8 am Monday-Friday (year round) and 6:30 am Tuesday and Wednesday (Sept.-May)

Holy Days: Vigil 5:30 pm, 6:30 am and 8 am

Holy Day Schedule

OUR MOTHER OF CONSOLATION PARISH (Chestnut Hill)

Holy Days: 7 am, 12:10 and 7 pm