Pastoral Staff:
Pastor: Rev. Keith Laskowski
Permanent Deacon: Mr. Ricardo Ceballos
Permanent Deacon: Mr. Henry Fleck, Jr.
Catholic Ministry to the Sick: Rev. Elias D. Munyaneza, A.J.
Easton Area Catholic Youth Group: Mrs. Kelly DeRaymond
Office Manager: Jim Di Paolo
Parish Music Director: James Convery
PREP Coordinator: Mrs. Johanna Florez

Baptism/Bautismo: (Pre-registration is required)
English Preparation Class: Contact Parish Office
Baptisms in English: Contact Parish Office
Charlas Pre-Bautismales: Primer Domingo del mes
Bautismos en Español: Segundo Domingo del mes 2:00p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturday / Sabado 3:30 – 4:15p.m. at St. Bernard’s Oratory
or by appointment at any time.

Ministry to the Sick:
Communion Call List/Homebound Visits: Call Parish
center to be put on list.
Hospital Calls/Last Rites: Notify your hospital staff. They
will contact priest on call or dial 610-252-7381 x309.

Religious Education/Educación Religiosa
Notre Dame High School (610) 868-1431
Parish Religious Education Program
Classes are held:
Sunday/Domingo 9:00 – 10:15a.m. Grades 1-8 and Special
Sacramental Programs in the Parish Center.
For information call Johanna Florez at the Parish Center.

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator:
Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LCP
Direct Telephone: (800) 791-9209
Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator:
Sr. Meg Cole, S.S.J. - Telephone: (610) 332-0442

New Parishioners: WELCOME!
See the Priest after Mass to register.

March 20, 2016
Palm Sunday of the Lord’s Passion

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: St. Bernard’s Oratory
4:30p.m. (English)

SUNDAY MASSES: St. Bernard’s Oratory
8:00a.m. (English)
10:30a.m. (English)
12:00noon (Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASSES: St. Bernard’s Oratory
Monday: 8:00a.m.
12:10p.m.
Tuesday: 8:00a.m.
Wednesday: 8:00a.m.
12:10p.m.
12:00noon (Spanish)
Thursday: 8:00a.m.
12:10p.m.
Friday: 8:00a.m.
12:10p.m.
Mass Schedule

OUR LADY OF MERCY
ST. BERNARD ORATORY

Saturday, March 19 Feast of St. Joseph
9:00 am Rev. Michael Briggman [Bob/Jeannie Young]
4:30 pm James J. Hanlon Jr. [Wambold Family]

Sunday, March 20 Palm Sunday, Passion of the Lord
8:00 am Dolores Cortright [Cortright/Evans Family]
10:30 am William H. Schraff, Jr. [Mary Klein]
12:00 pm Liv. Int. 9th B’day-Angelina Florez [Parents]

Monday, March 21
8:00 am Joseph Marascio [Wife, Mary]
12:10 pm Spec. Int. Ronald DiPrinzio [Cimino’s]

Tuesday, March 22
8:00 am John H./Catherine Fagan

Wednesday, March 23
8:00 am Albert J. Kohler [Dorothy/Steve Kohler]
12:10 pm No Mass
7:00 pm Brett Christian Kline [Family]

Thursday, March 24, Holy Thursday
7:00 pm Mass of the Lord’s Supper [Bilingual]
8:00 pm Adoration 8-10 pm

Friday, March 25, Good Friday
3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion [Spanish]
7:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion [English]

Saturday, March 26, Holy Saturday
8:00 pm Easter Vigil [Bilingual-Southside-OLOM]

Sunday, March 27, Easter Sunday
8:00 am Living/Dec’d members of OLOM [St. B O]
10:30 am Living/Dec’d members of OLOM [OLOM]
12:00 pm Living/Dec’d members of OLOM [OLOM]

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

Scrip Closed for Easter!
The SCRIP table in the vestibule will be closed for all Masses for the Easter weekend. The parish would like to extend a “thank you” to the committee team who volunteer for this effort and to the parishioners who continue to support it.

Budgeted Sunday Offering $7,500
March 12th & 13th - $6,910

Please NOTE: No 12:10 mass on Wed. March 23rd and the Parish office will be closed Friday, March 25th, and Monday, March 28th.

Upcoming Weekend Schedule
For March 26 & 27

St. Bernard’s Oratory

Saturday, Bilingual Mass -8:00 pm
Celebrant: Priests
Lector: Christine Bradley, Need Volunteer (English),
Johanna Florez, Need Volunteer (Spanish)
Altar Servers: Campanelli Sisters, Need Volunteer
Greeter: Jeannie Young

Sunday, Easter -10:30 am
Celebrant: Fr.
Lector: Mia DiFelice
Eucharistic Ministers: Marcia & Kirk Colton, Dora Gaviria
Altar Servers: Anna DiFelice, Faith & Lauren Johnson
Greeter: Millie Reichard
Ushers: Need Volunteers

St. Bernard’s Oratory

GOOD FRIDAY- A special collection will be taken on Good Friday for the shrines and the people of the Holy Land.

Good Friday is a day of STRICT FAST and ABSTINENCE- no meat and only one full meal.

THE SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK IS THE EASTER COLLECTION.

Holy Thursday: Attention Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers-You are invited to participate in the procession of the Blessed Sacrament after Communion. Pews will be reserved for you on the right side.

Would you like to donate a flower for the altar at Easter for the living/deceased members of OLOM? You can do so by enclosing $10 in an envelope appropriately marked. Your help in defraying the cost of our Easter flowers will be greatly appreciated. All the Masses on Easter Sunday in OLOM will be celebrated for those living/deceased members of OLOM.
Join Our Lady of Mercy Parish for a Jubilee Year of Mercy Pilgrimage to:
The Divine Mercy Shrine
Stockbridge, Massachusetts
Thursday, May 12, 2016
Cost $55 per seat
(includes snacks and drinks on the bus)
Bring a bagged lunch. (Picnic area located at the shrine) Stopping at Cracker Barrel on the return trip for dinner. (all are responsible for the cost of their dinner) Departing at 7 am from OLOM parking lot on (Davis and St. Joseph) returning approximately 10:30 pm. To reserve a seat please contact Our Lady of Mercy Parish Center 610-252-7381 or email Karen Corpora at KC8463@aol.com

OFFICE FOR MINISTRY WITH PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: You are Not Alone Ministry
If a Prenatal Diagnosis indicates a baby with a disability...You are not alone. There is help. The Diocese of Allentown has a network of concerned parents and professionals who have experienced or worked closely with issues surrounding poor prenatal diagnosis. For support, contact: Sr. Janice Marie Johnson, jjohnson@allentowndiocese.org or 610-289-8900 x 245.

SPORTS & SPIRITUALITY WORKSHOP
All CYO coaches, personnel and clergy are invited and encouraged to attend the workshop, Growing in Grace: The Integration of Sports & Spirituality, on Saturday, April 9, 2016 starting at 10 AM. This workshop features national, regional, and local speakers, including Mike Patin, Jim Rogers, Bill Hess, and Fr. Gene Ritz. This unique workshop will offer CYO personnel insight and practical ways on how to integrate sports/coaching and faith. There is no cost associated with this workshop, but all coaches and personnel must register at www.allentowndiocese.org/spirituality no later than April 1. Any questions, please contact OYYAM at 610-289-8900, ext. 23.
**Easton Area Catholic Youth Group**

**News & Upcoming Events**

**Sunday, March 20 – Stations of the Cross - 7:00**
in St. Anthony’s Church - be there by 6:30

**Youth Group Holy Week Schedule**

**Holy Thursday** (March 24th) Traveling to the Churches with OLPH and St. Jane’s Youth Groups

Meet at St. Jane’s by 8:30. We will be back at St. Jane’s by 12:00. We will be joining other Youth Groups from the Dioceses at Holy Ghost Parish in Bethlehem for Pizza.

Anyone who needs a ride should contact Mrs. De

**Good Friday** (March 25th) Fill Extra Easter Eggs

11:00 a.m. at the St. Bernard’s Oratory

**Confirmation Service Hours**

**Holy Saturday** – (March 26th) - Easter Egg Hunt

Meet at St. Bernard Oratory at 8:30 a.m.

**Confirmation Service Hours**

**Palm Cross Sale**

THANK YOU

The Youth Group would like to thank all those who purchased a Palm Cross.

Your support helped us fund our Retreat, our participation in Diocese events, the Egg Hunt, the Graduates’ Mass, the Shore trip, and many more. Thank you again!!

**Easter Egg Hunt**

The Easton Area Catholic Youth Group

Would like to invite all children ages 2-10

Saturday, March 26th at 10:00 a.m.

St. Bernard’s Oratory Hall

132 So. 5th Street

Donations Needed!!!!
of individually wrapped (SOFT) candies.

**CLOTHING DRIVE!**

As you putting away your winter clothing and clearing out your closets this Spring remember the Women’s Guild Clothing Drive which will soon be held. Dates and times will be posted in the bulletin closer to the event.

**PREP**

Emergency PREP closings! It’s called remind, to receive messages via text, text @mrsjflo to 81010 or use 484-929-2451. If you want to receive messages via email, send an email to mrsjflo@mail.remind.com.

**March**

Community Reconciliation March 21st for our First Penance service - Communion Class. & Teen confirmation class @ 7 pm.

A parent must accompany each student!

Sacraments for Teen Confirmation will be on March 26th, 8 pm vigil mass.

27th - NO PREP-Happy Easter!

**April**

**Communion**

3rd - Communion Parent mtg. @ 10:30 in Spanish.

16th - Communion practice 6:30 pm

23rd - First Communion Retreat 9-12 pm

First Holy Communion April 30th @ 10 am

Please mark your calendars! All dates are tentative to weather and emergencies.

**CONFIRMATION**

7th Grade Sponsor Sunday

Sunday, April 10th at 9:00 a.m.

In the St. Anthony’s Parish Center Basement

900 Washington Blvd.

*use the Walnut Street side door*

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**Monday March 21**

Monday of Holy Week Is 42:1-7 Jn 12:1-11 (257)

**Tuesday March 22**

Tuesday of Holy Week Is 49:1-6 Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 (258)

**Wednesday March 23**

Wednesday of Holy Week Is 50:4-9a Mt 26:14-25 (259)

**Thursday March 24**


**Friday March 25**

Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday) IS 52:13—53:12 Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9 Jn 18:1—19:42 (40)

**Saturday March 26**


**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Acts**

10:34a, 37-43 Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8 Jn 20:1-9 (42) or Lk 24:1-12 (41) or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Lk 24:13-35 (46)
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Los Sacramentos
Confesiones: Sábado 3:30 – 4:15 PM
Bautismo: La charla para los bautizados será el primer domingo del mes después de la Misa de las 12:00 del mediodía. Los bautizados se celebrarán el segundo domingo del mes a las 2:00 pm. Hablar con el Padre o el Diácono después de la Misa Dominical para hacer los arreglos.
Requisitos. Debe estar registrado y asistiendo a Misa por lo menos 3 meses y dar constancia, en preparación para todos los Sacramento. Favor de usar los sobres en la ofrenda.
Matrimonio: La Diócesis requiere un tiempo de preparación de 6 meses para matrimonios. Favor de hablar con el Padre con tiempo para más información.
Clases de Religión (catecismo)- todo niño estudiando en una escuela pública debe venir a las clases de PREP. Empezando el 1er grado.

Salmo: Dios mío, Dios mío, ¿Por qué me has abandonado?
Misa de Domingo 3/20-Padre
Lector: Jose L. Amaya & Ana Cabrera
Ministros de Eucaristía: Rosemira Monsalve, Nery M. Sanchez, Esteban Soto
Contadores: Carlos Rodriguez, Juanita Rodriguez, Veronica Morales
Monaguillos: Alexis Romero, Jefferson Meneces
Misa de Domingo 3/27- Padre
Lector: Carlos Orellana & Yessica Castillo
Ministros de Eucaristía: Roger Cruz & Lionoso & Marina Espinoza
Contadores: Evodio Mendez, Adan Campos
Scrip: Esteban & Paola Soto
Monaguillos: Jazmine Jimenez, Lupita Mendez
Intención de la Misa: Angelina A. Florez-(9 Años)
En sus cumpleaños [De sus Padres]
Tema de la Misa: Las aclamaciones de “Hosanna” que escucharon en el Evangelio proclamado al comienzo de la Misa se convertirán demasiado pronto en gritos de dolor y angustia, que culminarán en las palabras de abandono que Jesús pronunciará desde la cruz. Con sus últimas palabras Jesús perdona al criminal arrepentido que está en otra cruz junto a él. Al escuchar las sagradas Escrituras hoy, hagamos nuestras las palabras del criminal arrepentido: “Señor, cuando llegues a tu Reino, acuérdate de mí”.

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¡La Eucaristía, El Centro de Nuestras Vidas!
Monseñor Juan Campbell, párroco anteriormente, ofrece una mañana de reflexión, sábado 9 de Abril de 8:30 – 12. Msgr. Va a ofrecerle una reflexión en la Eucaristía y el día concluirá con una explicación de la Santa Misa. Todo lector, Ministro Extraordinario de la Eucaristía, Miembros del Coro, Ujieres, Catequistas, y líderes de grupos están especialmente invitados. Queremos animar a todos, incluyendo toda la parroquia en que asistan a esta mañana de alimento espiritual. Favor de llamar al centro de la parroquia para registrarse. Esto ayuda en las preparaciones.

SEMANA SANTA

Miércoles no habrá Misa del medio día!

Jueves Santo- Misa bilingüe en St. B 7 pm

Habrá Adoración de 8-10 pm

Viernes Santo- 3 pm- La Pasión del Señor @St. B

Vigilia de Pascua- Misa bilingüe en NSM 8 pm.

26 de Marzo- Búsqueda de Huevos en San B, @10 am!

Hombres del Reino-Próximas Reuniones

Abril 22-24 - Para Caballeros
Mayo 20-22 - Para Damas

Para mayor información visite la página de Asuntos Españoles / Movimientos Apostólicos Españoles

Escuela de Espiritualidad Ignaciana Liderazgo Hispano- 5 Módulos de Formación Junio 18, 2016 Explorar el proceso de crecimiento en la fe. Etapas del Desarrollo de la Fe.