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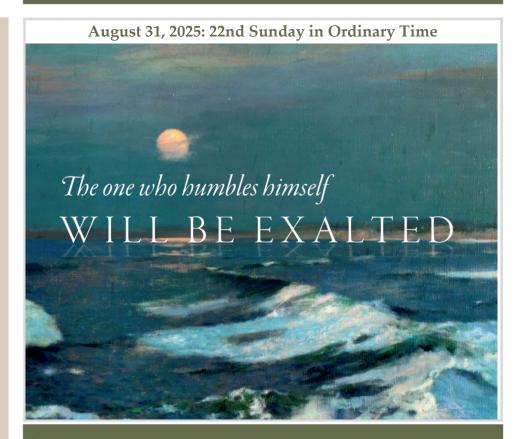
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Masses: M-T-Th 8:30am, W: 12pm | Saturday 4pm | Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am

Adoration & Confession: Monday 6-7pm | Confession: Saturday 3-3:45pm

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-2pm | Friday 9am-Noon



Missionary Creativity

"The parish is not an outdated institution; precisely because it possesses great flexibility, it can assume quite different contours depending on the openness and missionary creativity of the pastor and the community. While certainly not the only institution which evangelizes, if the parish proves capable of self-renewal and constant adaptivity, it continues to be the Church living in the midst of the homes of her sons and daughters"

Pope Francis in EVANGELII GAUDIUM #28

Saint Eulalia Parish Mission Statement

We are an evangelizing Catholic community living and sharing the Gospel values of faith, hope, and love.

Mass Intentions ~ September 1-7						
Monday	8:30 AM	No Scheduled Mass				
Tuesday	8:30 AM	Teddy Scoblick (M/M Louis Rickard)				
Wednesday	12:00 PM	Peter Harding (George & Mary Ellen Kohler)				
Thursday	8:30 AM	Daniel Dimaria (DeScipio Family)				
Friday	8:30 AM	Mary DeSales Walsh (Ellen, George & Family)				
Saturday	8:30 AM	Vito Amendolaro (Toots Amendolaro)				
	4:00 PM	Charles Kakareka (Kakareka Family)				
Sunday	8:30 AM	All Parishioners living & deceased				
	10:30 AM	Marilyn Watkins (Pati Pawlik)				

Sanctuary Candle

In memory of Deceased Parishioners of St. Eulalia Church

Bread and Wine

In memory of Deceased Parishioners of St. Eulalia Church

Honor a Loved One at Mass

In addition to mass intentions you can also sponsor a sanctuary candle, and the bread and wine used during Mass for one week to honor family and friends. Please note that there is a \$10 stipend for each sponsorship, and sponsorship can be requested by stopping by the Parish Office, giving us a call (570 -842-7656) or sending an email to secretary@saint-eulalia.com.

		LECTOR	EMOHC	ALTAR SERVER
Saturday September 6	4:00 PM	Paulette Nish Jay Sochoka	Lois Runco Teri Taynton Holly Zaluski	Olivia Schirg Monroe Singer Mary Zaluski
Sunday September 7	8:30 AM	Lisa Cummings Mollie Magnotta	Susan Danna Mary Farley-Mell William Waller	Joshua Magnotta Lucas McConnell Cooper Stracka
	10:30 AM	Erin Pencek Mary Perry	Ann Arvay Kristine Padula Mem Petriello	Jaxon Bott Drew Heckman Zander Kinney

Welcome to Saint Eulalia Parish

Thank you for joining us for Mass

Whether you are visiting or are new to the area we are grateful you have chosen to worship with our faith community. We invite you to become a member of our parish family. To join, please call the office, download the registration forms on our website, or ask an usher for a registration form.

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A Weekly Quote from Pope Leo XIV—



"Dear young people, I hope that everyone may see in you the face of Christ. Therefore, love and serve others freely in daily life because you have experienced the joy of being loved first, and because you have received everything

freely from God the Father."
Jubilee of Youth July 2025

Welcome Weekend: Volunteers Welcome

We look forward to the return of our Welcome Weekend for September 6-7 following all the weekend Masses. We are delighted that so many people have enjoyed these receptions throughout the past years and invite fellow parishioners to help support this great ministry of hospitality!

Are you available to volunteer?

Volunteer tasks such as setting up, smiling, and cleaning up help everyone feel welcome at these gatherings. Your donations of savory snacks and baked goods, soft drinks or juice are always appreciated too! New volunteers are always needed and welcomed!

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Ellen at 570-842-7656 (option 7) or email pastoralassociate@saint-eulalia.com.

Our Welcome Weekend is set for September 6-7!



Hospital Ministry

Ann Arcurie and John Hall will serve GCMC Hospital Ministry on Sunday, August 31. Susan Caparo and Maureen Castaldi will serve GCMC Hospital Ministry on Sunday, Sept. 7.

Weekly Financial Report

August 23-24

Offertory Envelopes & Loose	\$5,556.00
Weekly Electronic Average	\$2,328.00
Total Offertory Income	\$7,884.00
Dues	\$240.00
Care & Education of Priests	\$45.00

Electronic giving options are available on our website.

Special Collections

August 30-31: Humanitarian Aid in Gaza September 6-7: Care & Education of Priests

ShopRite Gift Card Program

ShopRite gift cards will be sold following Masses on Sat., 9/6 and Sun., 9/7. Gift cards are also available in the parish office during the week.

Communion for the Homebound

If you or someone you know is homebound and would like to receive communion, please call or email the parish office.

Hospital Visits

If you or a family member are hospitalized and would like a pastoral visit from Father Dave, please call the parish office. Hospitals and healthcare facilities do not make the parish aware when someone is admitted.



We are filled with joy and gratitude as we prepare to celebrate a very special milestone – the **75th Anniversary of Saint Eulalia Parish.**

Our celebration on Sunday, October 12, 2025 will begin with a special Mass at 10:30 a.m celebrated by Bishop Joseph C. Bambera, and will then be followed by a catered lunch in our parish hall.

Tickets for the lunch will be on sale after Masses beginning the weekend of September 6 and 7.

Lunch tickets will be \$20 for adults and \$10 for children. Information to further support this special event as a sponsor has been sent out in the mail to all parishioners. This information can also be found on our website at sainteulalias.com/75. We thank you for your kind consideration of support, and look forward to celebrating with all of you in October!



Annual Fall Mums

Honor a loved one (living or deceased) by donating \$10 for a mum which will be displayed outside, in front of our Church. Place an envelope containing the name of whom you wish to honor and your name along with your donation in the Sunday offertory collection box or mail to the parish office.

Hot Meal Program: Every Tuesday 12-12:30pm

In conjunction with the Saint Francis of Assisi Kitchen, St. Eulalia's provides a free, hot, nutritious meal to members of the North Pocono community. All in our community are welcome to come for the meal and enjoy the company of others. If you'd like to volunteer or have any questions, please contact Ellen Dermody at <u>pastoralassociate@sainteulalia.com</u> or 570-842-7656 (Opt 7).

Please keep our Week 1 Team in your prayers as we serve our Free Community Meal on Tuesday, September 2.

Remember: St. Francis Free Clothing Trailer

Here Next: Tuesday, 9/9

The St. Francis free clothing trailer is in our parish parking lot the second Tuesday of every month during our free community meal, 12-12:30pm. Anyone in the community is welcome to visit the trailer for clothes. The trailer's motto is: If you have some, give some ... if you need some, take some.

Love to Sing? Join the Choir!

St. Eulalia's Choir will resume rehearsals for the fall season on **Sunday**, **September 7**. All individuals in high school and older are welcome! We rehearse each Sunday at 9:15am, and sing at the 8:30am and 10:30am Masses depending on the weekend. We welcome any and all new singers!

75th Anniversary Mass Music Children's Choir & Instrumentalists Needed!

As part of our fall choir season, we will be preparing music for the 75th Anniversary Mass on October 12 at 10:30am. The adult choir, parish musicians, and children's choir will all be participating in this special liturgy. If you or your child play a woodwind, brass, or string instrument or would like to sing for this Mass, please contact Josh Carey at music@saint-eulalia.com.

FALL CRAFTY CORNER BOUTIQUE

ST. EULALIA'S CRAFTY CORNER BOUTIQUE
WILL BE HOLDING ITS FALL CRAFT SALE
AT THE SEPTEMBER 21, 2025
SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET

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AS ALWAYS, ANY "CRAFTY" PARISHIONER WHO WOULD LIKE TO DONATE A FALL THEMED CRAFT ITEM FOR OUR SALE, YOU CAN DROP IT OFF IN THE PARISH OFFICE.





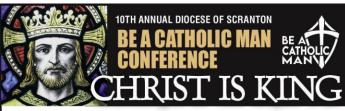
JOIN US

All-You-Can-Eat Parish Breakfast

Sunday, September 21 8:30am - Noon







SAT., OCT. 4, 2025, 8 AM - 3:00 PM

Holy Redeemer High School, 159 S. Penna. Ave., Wilkes-Barre Speakers: Mike Aquilina, David Bereit, Fr. Charles Connor Adoration, Reconciliation, Exhibitors, Mass-Bishop Bambera

\$40, (Early \$30 by 9-15-25) Students \$15, Priests/Deacons/Seminarians FREE Morning coffee & box lunch included

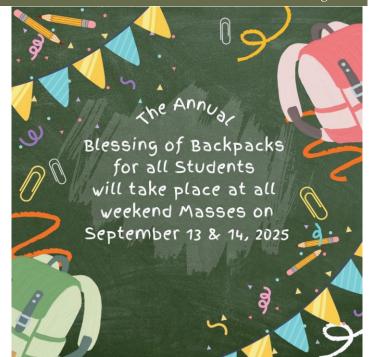
ONLINE info and registration:

BeACatholicMan.com

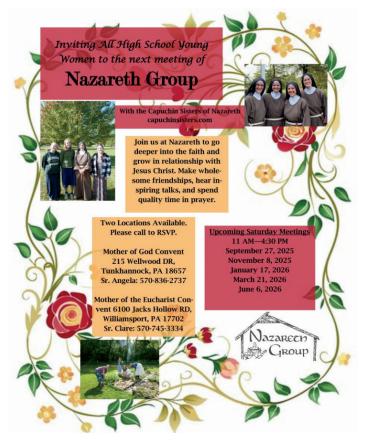
BY MAIL: Send name, address, email & parish with check or money order (payable to "Be a Catholic Man") Put "Men's Conference" in check memo.

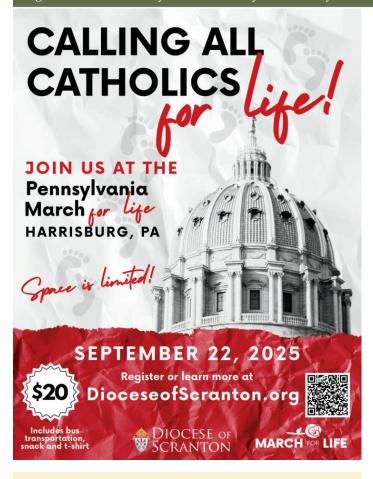
Mail to: **Be a Catholic Man,** PO Box 669, Wyalusing, PA 18853

Contact: Mike Kilmer 570-721-0872 • mkilmer@thekilmergroup.com



The **Bereavement Support Group** will meet on Wednesday, Sept 17 at 12:30 PM in the Gathering Room for a light lunch and reflection. Anyone who grieves a loss, recent or long-standing, is welcome to join this group for comfort and support.





Social Concerns Committee:

Our first meeting of the new season will be held on Wednesday, September 17 at 11am in the Gathering Room. Mass at noon will follow. New members are always welcome!

Help Support the IHM Sisters

Silver Circle is a membership program that benefits retired IHM Sisters. For a \$25 per membership, your name is entered in more than 324 drawings from October through June with cash prizes from \$50 to \$1,000. You will also be remembered in a monthly mass for benefactors and in the prayers of the IHM Sisters. Kindly contact Kenny Noll, 1 Christmas Lane, Spring Brook Twp., PA 18444 or 570-604-8808 for a Silver Circle membership form.

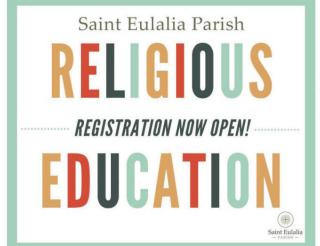
Thank you for your kind support of the IHM Sisters!

Prayer Requests & Assistance

Are you or a loved one in need of prayers or assistance? You can complete a *prayer request form* at any entrance and add it to the basket in the back of the church. You can also submit your request on our website, place it in the offertory basket, or email it to our **Prayer Connection coordinator**, Patrice Gasper (patclem9@aol.com). All intentions are prayed for at all Masses. If you need assistance, please feel free to include your contact information and we will reach out to you to help in any way that we can.

Interactive Mass Books

St. Eulalia's is excited to offer the *Children's Mass Activity Book* to use while at church. Filled with activities and illustrations, the book helps children better understand the parts of the Mass and the significance behind them. It's a great tool for making the experience more meaningful for your child while helping them actively participate and learn at Mass. Available at the entrances of the church, we hope this book will enrich your family's faith journey!





Upcoming Events At a Glance: Aug 31—Sept 13 (the full parish calendar is also available on our website)

SUN 31	MON Sep 1	TUE 2	WED 3	THU 4	FRI 5	SAT 6
8:30am Mass	St. Giles	Blessed John Francis	St. Gregory the Great	St. Rose of Viterbo	St. Teresa of Calcutta	Welcome Weekend
• 10:30am Mass	Labor Day6pm Adoration & C	 8:30am Daily Mass 12pm Free Hot Mes 	 12pm Daily Mass 4pm Adoration in c 	8:30am Daily Mass	8:30am Daily Mass	Blessed Claudio Grar 8:30am Daily Mass 3pm Confessions 4pm Mass
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Welcome Weekend	Nativity of the Blesse	St. Peter Claver	St. Thomas of Villano	St. Cyprian	Most Holy Name of th	St. John Chrysostom
Blessed Frédéric Oza	 8:30am Daily Mass 	 8:30am Daily Mass 	 12pm Daily Mass 	 8:30am Daily Mass 		 3pm Confessions
 8:30am Mass 	 6pm Adoration & C 	 12pm Free Clothing 	 4pm Adoration in c 			4pm Mass
• 10:30am Mass		 12pm Free Hot Meε 				

New Volunteers needed for Welcome Desk!

We are seeking volunteers to serve at the parish Welcome Desk on Sunday mornings from 9: 30am. to 10:30am. The Welcome Desk is located in the Atrium foyer and has Mass cards and parish registration forms available during this hour for parishioners and visitors! Volunteers are welcome to serve one Sunday a month or on a weekly basis if interested. This is a great way to add to the welcoming spirit of St. Eulalia's. We are so grateful to our parishioners: Mary Perry and Lori Carlin for

their willingness to serve on select Sundays of each month! If you are interested in volunteering for this ministry, please contact Ellen Dermody at pastoralassociate@saint-eulalia.com.

This Week's Family Reflection for the 22nd Week of Ordinary Time —

Gospel Reading—Luke 14:1,7-14

When you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind.

Parents and children often enter into "negotiations" over how much allowance is to be earned at certain ages. Typically, when a child seeks an increase in allowance, parents will attach an increase in chores and responsibilities for them to better earn the increase. Talk about what kind of allowance you received as a child and what kind of responsibilities your parents expected of you to earn your allowance.

Explain that in this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus talks about doing good deeds for others and expecting nothing in return. Read aloud Luke 14:1,7-14. Ask your children how they would feel if you told them to take on more chores without ever expecting another raise in allowance. Emphasize that Jesus teaches us that it is our duty as his followers to take care of the needs of others and to do so without expecting repayment. Discuss what other types of rewards we can find when doing good things for others.

Point out that we sometimes fall into the trap of wanting too many things and that, in the Our Father, we pray for "our daily bread," meaning that we pray for only that which we really need in life. Conclude this time together by praying aloud the Our Father.



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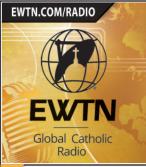








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