

Saint Eulalia

— PARISH —

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November 16, 2025: Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



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"The parish is not an outdated institution; precisely because it possesses great flexibility, it can assume quite different contours depending on the openness and missionary creativity of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 ~ November 17-23

Monday	8:30 AM	James & Denise Matlock (Toots Amendolaro)
Tuesday	8:30 AM	All Souls Intentions
Wednesday	12:00 PM	Paul Perechinsky Sr (wife, Ann Perechinsky)
Thursday	8:30 AM	All Souls Intentions
Saturday	4:00 PM	All Parishioners living & deceased
Sunday	8:30 AM	Irene Yunko (Family)
	10:30 AM	Jane & William Noll (Ken, Lois Noll & Family)

Sanctuary Candle

In memory of Jill Jaggars (Ann & Gino Arcurie)

In memory of Jill Jaggars (Donna & Jeff West)

Bread and Wine

In memory of Mary Lavergata (Rose Marie Lavergata)

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 November 22	4:00 PM	Jay Sochoka Sheryl Sochoka	Paulette Nish Lois Runco Teri Taynton	Claire Gilpin Bartkovsky Brody Lafferty Cole Lafferty
Sunday November 23	8:30 AM	Patty DeScipio Paulette Nish	Loren Caparo Susan Caparo Kristine Padula	Rory Deabill Gabe DeScipio Zander Kinney
	10:30 AM	Sixth Grade	Ann Gazoo Linda Naro Mem Petriello	Arya Ameika Brady Matulevich AJ Moyles

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.

A Weekly Quote from Pope Leo XIV—

"Those who suffer know how great even a small gesture of affection can be, and how much relief it can bring. No sign of affection, even the smallest, will ever be forgotten by the Lord, especially if it is shown to those who are suffering, lonely, or in need."

DilexiTe

Christmas Kindness

As the holiday season approaches, if you are in need of Christmas kindness for children, please reach out to Fr Dave.

All inquiries will be kept confidential.

Angel Tree

Once again the Christmas Tree will be set up in the Atrium, adorned with Angel Tags.

Tags will be available on the weekend of November 15 & 16. Please consider helping to bring some joy to a local child by purchasing a gift!

Angel Tree gifts should be wrapped with the tag attached, and should cost approximately \$25.

Please include gift receipts for all purchases, if possible.

Kindly return all gifts to Eulalia's Sleigh no later than Sunday, December 7.

Gifts, along with our prayers, will be delivered for the feast day of St. Eulalia.

The **Bereavement Support Group** will meet on Wednesday, November 19 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.

Weekly Financial Report**November 8-9**

Offertory Envelopes & Loose	\$4,643.00
Weekly Electronic Average	\$2,328.00
Total Offertory Income	\$6,971.00
Care & Education of Priests	\$691.00
Dues	\$95.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$15.00

Electronic giving options are available on our website.

Special Collections

Nov. 15-16: Campaign for Human Development

Dec. 6-7: Care & Education of Priests

Dec. 13-14: Retirement Fund for Religious

ShopRite Gift Card Program

ShopRite gift cards will be sold following Masses on Sat., 11/15 and Sun., 11/16. 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.

Annual Fall Mums

In memory of

Dorothy & Domenick Franceschelli
by Donna & Jeff West

In memory of

Dorothy Dubinsky and Rose & Ed Steinmetz
by Barb & Ed Steinmetz



If you volunteer your time in ministry, service, or any capacity during the year for our parish, we invite you to attend our annual Volunteer Christmas Party. Please RSVP no later than December 5 at 12noon by emailing office@saint-eulalia.com or completing the online registration form: <https://forms.gle/K5gGKH9vyKPykbi76>.

LOVE IS IN THE AIR....

Congratulations to all who are newly engaged! We invite you to consider a Church wedding here at St Eulalia's. We would be honored to help you prepare for your marriage. Please contact Ellen for more information at [570-842-7656](tel:570-842-7656) or pastoralassociate@saint-eulalia.com

CONSIDERING A DESTINATION WEDDING? Please contact Ellen to discuss available options to have your marriage blessed as one of the seven Sacraments. Even if you aren't sure what the Sacrament of Marriage is all about, we are here to help.

ALREADY CIVILLY MARRIED?

Or married in another faith tradition? We would love to talk with you about having your marriage blessed in the Catholic Church. Contact Ellen for more information.

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 pastoralassociate@saint-eulalia.com or 570-842-7656 (Opt 7).

Please keep our Week 3 Team in your prayers as we serve our Free Community Meal on Tuesday, November 18

Remember: St. Francis Free Clothing Trailer

Here Next: Tuesday, December 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.***



Volunteers needed for Monthly Sunday Buffet Breakfast

In order for the breakfast to continue into 2026, we need volunteers. Specifically, we need one or two volunteers to serve as team leaders. The job would include inventorying and ordering food and supplies each month; supervising the progress of events leading up to the breakfast; opening the doors on breakfast morning at 6 AM and supervising and assisting all food prep; ensuring all stations are covered by volunteers, etc. We also need at least two additional food prep people and one additional dishwasher. Please contact Cathy Kochis for more information at 570 780-7116.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RE Classes are Spreading Fall Cheer

This month, our Religious Education students will be making cards Thanksgiving cards to be included in the food basket giveaway through the Friends of the Poor. Thank you to our Religious Education students for spreading joy through their handmade cards and messages.

Snack Donations Welcome!

Our students love to enjoy a snack in their classroom as they learn about our faith each Sunday morning! Donations for classroom snacks, such as fruit snacks and granola bars, can kindly be placed in the designated basket in the foyer or sent in with Religious Education students. Thank you for keeping our kiddos bellies full!

Join the Religious Education Remind!

Keep up to date with RE updates, including winter weather cancelations, by joining our Remind text group. To join, text @steulali to the number 81010.

Confirmation Class Service Hour Opportunities

Confirmation students are invited to serve at the monthly parish breakfast on the 3rd Sunday of each month before and after Religious Ed classes. During this fall season, students are also encouraged to help rake leaves and do yardwork for neighbors in need. This is a great opportunity for service hours right in their own neighborhood! Students can also see updates on service opportunities with our youth ministry program by joining the youth ministry Remind. To join, text @npcym2 to 81010.

NOVEMBER

Nov 16—RE Week 8. First Reconciliation Meeting & Practice at 9:30am (1 adult attend per student)
Nov 23—RE Week 9. (6th Grade Mass at 10:30am)
Nov 30—No Class. Thanksgiving Weekend.

DECEMBER

Sat, December 6 – First Reconciliation @ 9 am
Dec 7 – RE week 10. (5th grade Mass @ 10:30am)
Dec 14 – RE week 11. (4th grade Mass @ 10:30am)

NORTH POCONO DRY GOODS PANTRY COLLECTION INITIATIVE



Each month, St. Eulalia's and other church communities in our area will be collecting one specific item for the North Pocono Dry Goods Pantry.

NOVEMBER: DEODORANT

Donations can be dropped in the usual Pantry Collection basket in the Atrium. Thank you!

All **submissions for the bulletin** are due no later than 12noon on the Monday before the weekend. Submit bulletin announcements for consideration to office@saint-eulalia.com. Thank you!

ALL YOUTH ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN
ST. CATHERINE'S & ST. EULALIA'S

Christmas Pageant

Rehearsals begin
OCTOBER 19

NEW UPDATE

Performance on
DECEMBER 14
at 3:00pm

All Rehearsals and Performances will
take place at St. Eulalia's Parish

ST. CATHERINE'S & ST. EULALIA'S
YOUTH MINISTRY
NORTH POCONO CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

SIGN UP VIA REMIND!
TEXT @NPCYM TO 81010



2026 Calendar Collection

We are collecting 2026 Wall Calendars for St. Mary's Villa. These calendars will decorate the walls for the residents and will help remind them of the day and date. A collection box is in the Atrium for your donations.

Thank you!

Catholic School & Homeschool Families

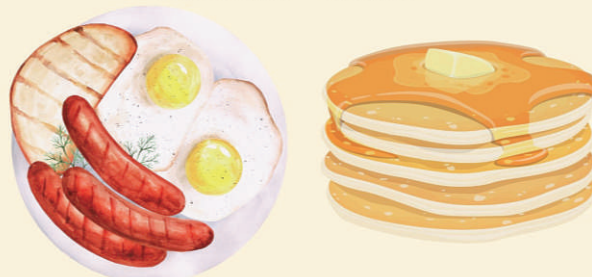
If your family sends your children to Catholic School or homeschools, we would love to know! Our parish offers many fun events and opportunities for children throughout the year, and we want to be sure to include all children in the parish. If you could kindly email office@sainteulalia.com with the names, ages, grades, and school of your children, we will be sure to keep you informed about youth opportunities in our parish.

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.

All-You-Can-Eat Parish Breakfast

Sunday, November 16
8:30am - Noon




CRAFTY CORNER BOUTIQUE CHRISTMAS SALE
NOV. 16 AT THE MONTHLY BREAKFAST
CASH AND CREDIT CARDS "MERRILY" ACCEPTED.



This stunning **Victorian dollhouse** was donated by parishioner Gene Dubinsky who originally received it from a woman named Kathleen Brown. Her husband, Larry Brown, was the original "builder" and it was in much disrepair when Kathleen gave it to Gene. Gene painstakingly restored it to include new flooring and wallpaper, paint, and much more and then generously donated it to St. Eulalia Church. You must see it up close to appreciate it. We are selling \$1 raffles for a chance to win this dollhouse. The drawing will take place at 10 am during the December monthly breakfast. Tickets can be purchased anytime the church is open including before and after masses as well as during each monthly breakfast. Please stop by the Parish Center foyer to see this beautiful dollhouse and take a chance!



Upcoming Events At a Glance: Nov 16—29 (*the full parish calendar is also available on our website*)

SUN 16	MON 17	TUE 18	WED 19	THU 20	FRI 21	SAT 22
St. Margaret of Scotland	St. Elizabeth of Hungary	Dedication of the Basilica	St. Agnes of Assisi	St. Rose Philippine Duchesne	Presentation of the Lord	St. Cecilia
8:30am Monthly Br 8:30am Mass 10:30am Mass 12:30pm Christmas	8:30am Daily Mass 6pm Adoration & C	8:30am Daily Mass 12pm Free Hot Meal 4pm Christmas Pa	12pm Daily Mass 12:30pm Bereavem 4pm Adoration in c	8:30am Daily Mass		3pm Confessions 4pm Mass
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Christ the King	St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc	St. Catherine of Alexandria	St. Leonard of Port M	St. Gregory of Sinai	St. Catherine Labourer	St. Clement
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St. Francis of Assisi Kitchen

Toiletries Collection

Bring your donations to the church November 1-16

ITEMS REQUESTED:

- Shaving Cream/Razors
- Body Wash
- Soap
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste

ITEMS REQUESTED:

- Tissues
- Dental Floss
- Band Aids
- Wipes/Hand Sanitizer
- Shampoo/Conditioner

ITEMS REQUESTED:

- Socks
- Deodorant
- Combs
- Nail Clippers
- Chapstick

KIDS ITEMS NEEDED: SOCKS, SCARVES, HATS, GLOVES

This Week's Family Reflection for the Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time—

Gospel Reading—Luke 21:5-19

Jesus predicts the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem and warns his followers that persecution will come before the end time.

Children, while innocently naïve about most world events, are also profoundly sensitive to the concerns felt by adults. We can help children interpret adult concerns by sharing information about current events in appropriate ways. We can also put these concerns in the light of God's kingdom and the assurance of God's care for us.

Discuss with your children one or more current events or a situation in your family which shows difficulties that may challenge our trust in a God who cares for us. Then read together today's Gospel, Luke 21:5-19. Notice how Jesus said that even when his disciples are persecuted, God would be with them.

Together with your children, talk about ways in which God might bring good out of the difficult events you discussed. Talk together about some actions you might take as a family to make better the situations you discussed.



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