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— PARISH —

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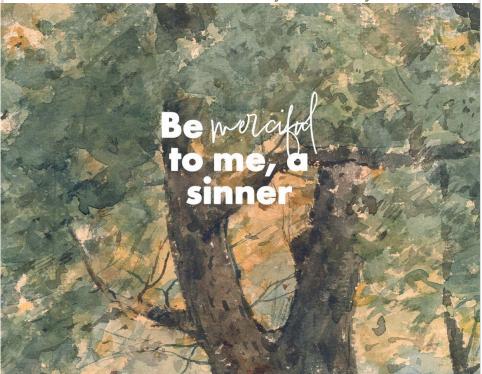
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Masses: M-T-Th 8:30am, W: 12pm | Saturday 4pm | Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am

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

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

October 26, 2025: 30th 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"The parish is not an outdated institution; precisely because it possesses great flexibility, it can assume quite different contours depending on the openness and missionary creativity of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.

Monday	8:30 AM	Patricia Lavelle & Karen McCool (Jacqueline & John Marrone)
Tuesday	8:30 AM	No Scheduled Mass
Wednesday	12:00 PM	No Scheduled Mass
Thursday	8:30 AM	No Scheduled Mass
Saturday	8:30 AM	All Souls Intentions
	4:00 PM	All Parishioners living & deceased
Sunday	8:30 AM	All Souls Intentions
-	10:30 AM	Judy Pantuso (Fran Pantuso & Maria Klotz)

## **Sanctuary Candle**

In memory of Judy Pantuso (Fran Pantuso & Maria Klotz) In memory of Ann & George Strasburger (John, Liz Strasburger & Family)

#### **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 November 1	4:00 PM	Jay Sochoka Sheryl Sochoka	Deborah Guzy Natalie Knight Paulette Nish	Claira Gilpin Bartkovsky Lucas McConnell Mary Zaluski
Sunday November 2	8:30 AM	Eric Deabill Paulette Nish	Barbara Steinmetz Edward Steinmetz Rebecca Wargo	Alessio Arcurie Amelia Cole Cooper Stracka
	10:30 AM	Elena Murphy Ashley Reedy	Ann Gazoo Jane McNulty Mem Petriello	Arya Ameika Brady Matulevich James Walsh

#### 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—



"Evangelical justice does not detract from human justice, but rather questions and reshapes it, challenging it to go ever further in pursuit of reconciliation." September 2025

# ADULT ED in NOVEMBER The Prophetic Voice

Join us for a 3 week Adult Ed series as we pray together with Sacred Scripture. This series will explore the biblical concept of the Prophetic Voice through prayerful reflection and dialogue. Each week, we will pray and share on a specific area of Sacred Scripture. The hour-long sessions will be held in the Gathering Room of the Parish Center at 10:45 a.m. on Wednesdays beginning November 5th thru November 19th. Each Wednesday, the session will conclude in time for the participants to attend Noon Mass if they would like to do so. The focus for our first session on November 5th will be the Book of Jonah.

For registration, please email your name and contact information to Ellen Dermody at pastoralassociate@saint-eulalia.com by November 1, 2025 All links and resource materials will be emailed to you prior to the start of the sessions.

# <u>Hospitality Committee & Welcome Receptions</u> VOLUNTEER NEEDED:

1st Sunday of the month 8a.m to 8:30a.m.

If you are an early morning person and make a great cup of coffee, we are in need of a volunteer to make the coffee once a month for the Sunday morning Welcome Weekend receptions. All coffee supplies are provided! The time commitment is only 30 minutes! Please contact Ellen at pastoralassociate@saint-eulalia.com if you are able to help with this service. Thank you!

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

The sacrament of baptism was celebrated recently in our church. We congratulate and ask God's blessings on Elizabeth Jane, daughter of Thomas & Rebecca (Noll) Butler. Welcome into God's family here at St. Eulalia Parish.

## **Hospital Ministry**

Lori Carlin and Helen Hilborn will serve GCMC Hospital Ministry on Sun., Nov. 2.

#### Parish Breakfast Thank You

Thank you to our 272 guests who attended the monthly breakfast last Sunday. And our continued gratitude to the tireless volunteers who make it a great success. Mark your calendars for our next breakfast on November 16.

# **Weekly Financial Report**

<u>October 11-12</u>	
Offertory Envelopes & Loose	\$4,843.00
Weekly Electronic Average	\$2,328.00
Total Offertory Income	\$7,171.00
Care & Education of Priests	\$66.00
Dues	\$110.00
Fuel	\$967.00
October 18-19	
Offertory Envelopes & Loose	\$6,076,00
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Weekly Electronic Average	\$2,328.00
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Weekly Electronic Average	\$2,328.00
Weekly Electronic Average  Total Offertory Income	\$2,328.00 <b>\$8,404.00</b>

Electronic giving options are available on our website.

# Special Collections

Nov. 1-2: Care & Education of Priests Nov. 15-16: Campaign for Human Development

# New Safety Procedure Committee Volunteers Needed!

As a result of the unthinkable and tragic events which occurred in a church in Minnesota on August 27, Father Dave has asked that we develop a committee to review and develop safety procedures for our Church. We are fortunate to have parishioners who work in law enforcement and mental health specialties who have agreed to provide their knowledge and experiences to this committee. In addition, our parishioner, Addi Rocco has recently been appointed Safe Environment Coordinator for the Diocese of Scranton. Addie has agreed to meet with our volunteers to help establish a safe environment for our parish community. If you are interested in working on this committee, please contact Ioe Nish at joepnish@gmail.com.

#### Call for 75th Anniversary Celebration Photos

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the 75th Anniversary celebration Mass and/or Luncheon on October 12! If you have any photos from that day that you are willing to share, kindly email them to office@saint-eulalia.com. Thank you!



#### 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 <a href="mailto:pastoralassociate@sainteulalia.com">pastoralassociate@sainteulalia.com</a> or 570-842-7656 (Opt 7).

Please keep our Week 4 Team in your prayers as we serve our Free Community Meal on Tuesday, October 28

## Remember: St. Francis Free Clothing Trailer

Here Next: Tuesday, 11/11

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

#### Welcome Back to Religious Ed!

Religious Education began Sunday, September 14th, but we welcome your children to join our program at any point in the year. Reach out to us at religiousedu@saint-eulalia.com about new student registrations - all are welcome!

#### **OCTOBER**

Oct 26—RE Week 6. Halloween Celebration—costumes welcome for class and Mass!

#### **NOVEMBER**

Nov 2—RE Week 7

Nov 9—No Class. Veterans Day Weekend 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.



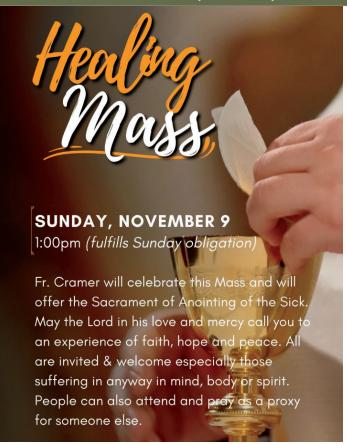
This stunning
Victorian dollhouse
was donated by parishioner Gene Dubinsky who originally received it from a woman named Kathleen Brown. Her husband, Larry Brown,

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!



Dearly Departed Remembrance Mass
During 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday November
2nd we will pray for our beloved parishioners
who have died throughout the past year. The
death and loss of a loved one is never easy, yet
through our experience of community as the
Body of Christ, we pray for comfort and consolation in the sure and certain hope of eternal life. A
light reception will be held after Mass as part of
our welcome weekend gatherings. Please plan to
join together in prayer and fellowship. All are
welcome!







#### First Friday & First Saturday Mass

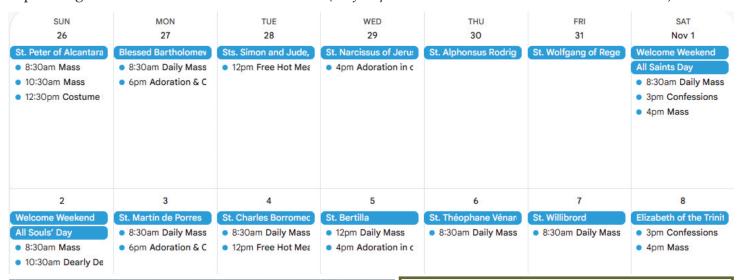
For the month of November, First Saturday Mass will be celebrated at 8:30am on All Saints Day, November 1 (not a Holy Day of Obligation). First Friday Mass will be celebrated at 8:30am on November 7.

#### **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.



Upcoming Events At a Glance: Oct 26—Nov 8 (the full parish calendar is also available on our website)





#### Welcome Desk Update

We are very grateful to our parishioners: Mary Perry, Lori Carlin and Kallie Bartos for their willingness to serve at the parish Welcome Desk on select Sundays of each month! The Welcome Desk is located in the Atrium foyer and is open from 9:30 to 10:30 on most Sunday mornings. Parish registrations and Mass Cards are available for visitors and parishioners. If you are interested in volunteering for this ministry, please contact Ellen at pastoralassociate@saint-eulalia.com

## This Week's Family Reflection for the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time —

## Gospel Reading—Luke 18:9-14

Jesus tells the parable of the proud Pharisee who prayed from his self-importance and the tax collector who prayed humbly.

In the family, one sometimes observes a level of competition between children for parent attention, for acknowledgement of their abilities. Somehow, children seem to internalize that the attention given to one member of the family diminishes the attention given to another. In this way, children can often sound like the Pharisee in Jesus' parable. Parents who provide continual reminders to their children that they are loved for who they are, not for what they do, help children develop a healthy spirituality.

As a family, talk about what it means to compare oneself to another. Discuss whether it is helpful to compare oneself to another. In what ways might this be positive? (when it motivates one to use one's talents) In what circumstances might this be unhelpful? (when it proves discouraging, when it prevents one from valuing the abilities of another) As a family, read today's Gospel, Luke 18:9-14. Discuss: What was wrong about the prayer of the Pharisee? How can we emulate the prayer of the tax collector?



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#### Annual Fall Mums in memoriam and in honor of

King Joe Amendolaro by Toots Amendolaro...

Eugene Arcurie Sr. by Arcurie Family

Helen Arcurie by Arcurie Family

Mary Ann Arcurie by Arcurie Family

Edward & Erma Beavers by Clyde & Mary Ann Beavers

Joe Bochicchio by Sandy Bochicchio

Jack & Eileen Brady by Colleen Daniels

Mr. & Mrs. Philip Brady by Angela Brady Van Ness

Jane Browell by John & Linda Hall

Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Caputo Sr. by Tony & Donna Caputo

Joan Cardillo by Natalie Knight

Joe Cardillo by Natalie Knight

In honor of 72nd Wedding Anniversary of Frank & Angie Cerniglia by Arcurie Family

Lena J. Citriniti by Rose Marie Lavergata

John Copertino by Catherine Copertino

Marguerite Coulombe by Phyllis & Vernon Gross

In memory of our cousins by Diane & Jim Muniz

Arlene Cunningham by Kincel Family

Joan & Paul Daniels by Colleen Daniels

Dec. Dippre Family by Family

Donovan Family by George & Dorothy Slaier

Mary Eagen by Craig, Susan & Kirsten VanLouvender

Bill & Theresa Enkulenko by Tom & Mary Jo Enkulenko

Joseph Enkulenko by Tom & Mary Jo Enkulenko

Dec. Evans Family by Family

Mary Ann & Joseph Farley by Mary & Larry Mell

Sr. Kathleen Forster, Sr. Edmund Joseph Reif, Sr. Claudia Snyder, Sr. Jeanette Brier and

all members of the Sisters of Christian Charity by Kenneth Noll

Rosemary Garvey by Pat & Mary Ann Garvey

Anthony Gazoo by Ann Gazoo

Dec. Giovagnoli Family by Barbara Giovagnoli

Carl & Marie Graf by Kenneth, Lois Noll & Family

Donald & Rose Graff by Kenneth, Lois Noll & Family

Leonard & Loretta Guarina by Lori Bortree

John W. & Mary Hall by John & Linda Hall

Thomas Hanlon by Kincel Family

Michael & Helen Hyduchak by Michael & Michelle Hyduchak

Stanley Kakareka Jr. & Charles Kakareka by Kakareka Family

Ann Marie Kincel by Kincel Family

Karl J. Kincel by Kincel Family

Cecile Kodela by Mary Patel

Stephen Kodela by Mary Patel

Herbert & Loretta Forster Kuhn by Kenneth, Lois Noll & Family

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Peter Lavergata by Rose Marie Lavergata

Saverio & Mary Lavergata by Rose Marie Lavergata

Anna Lawler – Leonard Guarina Jr. by Lori Bortree

Frank Lombardo by Mary Lombardo

Linda Ann Lombardo by Mary Lombardo

Judy Mancuso by Craig, Susan & Kirsten VanLouvender

Betty Mapes by Matt & Bridget Mapes

McCaughan Family by Jim & Mem Petriello

Paul, Marion & Jeanie McGowan by Kenneth, Lois Noll & Family

Jim & Betty Mell by Mary & Larry Mell

Dec. Morano Family by Barbara Giovagnoli

Michael & Helen Nasevich by Michael & Michelle Hyduchak

Dr. Thomas & Mary Nauss by Kenneth, Lois Noll & Family

Lucille L. Neye by Rose Marie Lavergata

Leo C. & Mary Nagurney Noll by Kenneth, Lois Noll & Family

William & Jane Noll by Kenneth, Lois Noll & Family

In memory of our parents by Diane & Jim Muniz

Bipin M. Patel by Mary Patel

Krystal Brooke Pearce by Vivian & Glenn Wenrich

Debra Perry by Vivian & Glenn Wenrich

Petriello Family by Jim & Mem Petriello

Sr. St. Kenneth Polley, Sr. M. Romaine Krug, Sr. Anita Brown and all IHM Sisters by Kenneth Noll

Laura Pruss Stalker by Mom & Dad

Sister Edmund Joseph Reif by Tom & Mary Jo Enkulenko

Marcella Reif by Tom & Mary Jo Enkulenko

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