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DIOCESE OF SCRANTON CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM WELCOMES NEW PRINCIPALS



Mr. Jason Morrison, Secretary of Catholic Education/CEO and Mrs. Kristen Donohue, Superintendent, welcome our new principals for the 2019-20 school year.

Earlier this week, the principals from the Diocese of Scranton's 20 schools met at the Diocesan Pastoral Center in Scranton. New principals include, seated from left to right, Mrs. Kara Ware, St. Clare/St. Paul School; Mrs. Brittany Haynos-Krupski, All Saints Academy; Mrs. Doreen Dougherty, Holy Redeemer High School; (back row, left to right) Mrs. Ann D'Arienzo, Our Lady of Peace School; & Mrs. Alisia McNamee, St. John Neumann Regional Academy.

Our principals and administrative teams will focus on the four gifts of excellence, vision, promise and identity as we start the 2019-2020 school year.

Please keep our schools, our teachers, our students and their families in your prayers as we begin this year of preparing faith-filled leaders and life-long learners dedicated to serving the Church and society.

BISHOP'S YOUTH AWARDS MOVING TO FALL



In response to Bishop Bambera's Spring Confirmation schedule, the Diocese of Scranton's Office for Parish Life will begin hosting the Bishop's Youth Award Masses annually this Fall. The Bishop Youth awards will be presented in four parishes of our Diocese. Nomination information has already been sent out.

Southern Region

Monday, September 23, 2019
7:00 p.m.
Saint Nicholas Parish, Wilkes-Barre

Eastern Region

Monday, September 30, 2019
7:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Victory Parish, Tannersville

Northern Region

Tuesday, October 1, 2019
7:00 p.m.
Saint Paul Parish (Saint Paul Church), Scranton

Western Region

Monday, October 7, 2019
7:00 p.m.
Saint Boniface Parish, Williamsport

MASS IN ITALIAN TO TAKE PLACE SEPTEMBER 1 IN SCRANTON



The annual Mass in Italian will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Sunday, September 1, at the Cathedral of Saint Peter, in Scranton. All are welcome to attend.

The liturgy is celebrated in conjunction with La Festa Italiana, which occurs over the Labor Day weekend, Friday through Monday, August 30 through September 2, on Courthouse Square, one block away.

This year's principal celebrant is Father David Cappelloni, La Festa chaplain. Bishop Joseph C. Bambera will preside and give the homily.

Concelebrants will be priests from the Diocese of Scranton. Deacons from the Diocese will also participate.

The Mass will be broadcast live by CTV: Catholic Television and will be rebroadcast on Tuesday, September 3, at 8 p.m., and Wednesday, September 4, at 10 a.m. It will be available for viewing later in the week on the Diocesan website at www.dioceseofscranton.org.

This year's Mass is dedicated to the late Bishop Robert C. Morlino, a Dunmore native who was raised in SS. Anthony and Rocco Parish there. A graduate of Scranton Preparatory School, he was ordained for the Society of Jesus.

Subsequently he became a priest of the Diocese of Kalamazoo, Michigan. On July 6, 1999, St. Pope John Paul II appointed him the Ninth Bishop of Helena, Montana. He

was then appointed the Fourth Bishop of Madison, Wisconsin, on May 23, 2003 and installed on August 1, 2003.

Bishop Morlino served as chairman of two committees of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) and chaired the Board of Directors of The National Catholic Bioethics Center (NCBC) which conducts research, consultation, publishing and education to promote human dignity in health care and the life sciences.

Bishop Morlino served as principal celebrant and homilist for the Italian Mass in Scranton in 2017. He died in Madison on November 24, 2018.

This year's Italian Mass is also being offered in memory of Pat Aita, Frank J. Blasi, Father Joseph Cipriano, John "Jack" Costanzi, Marie Lalli and John Valvano.

CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL OF THE DIOCESE TO HOLD ANNUAL FALL RETREAT



SEPTEMBER 13-14
(Friday & Saturday)

7:00PM FRIDAY to
8:00PM SATURDAY

VILLA OF OUR LADY
RETREAT HOUSE
IN MT. POCONO

For more information
and registration
forms, please contact
CCR Office at
570-344-2214

Registration
deadline is
September 3rd!

After this date, invitations
will be extended outside
the Diocese of Scranton

Catholic Charismatic Renewal of the Diocese of Scranton

FALL RETREAT

Sharing in the Cross; Empowered for Mission

"...they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke the word of God with boldness." (Acts 4:31)

"All renewal in the Church must have mission as its goal..."

(St John Paul II, quoted by Pope Francis in his Letter establishing October 2019 as an Extraordinary Month of Mission)

PRESENTER: FR. BEN ST. CROIX

You are invited to gather with us as Fr. Ben St. Croix dynamically leads us to open our hearts to receive a greater outpouring of the Holy Spirit for more effective evangelization. Fr. Ben is a Canadian priest of the Companions of the Cross, an order which promotes being baptized in the Holy Spirit to be a more fruitful missionary disciple.



In addition to Fr Ben's teaching presentations, we'll experience:

- o Inspiring music and songs
- o Joyful praise and worship
- o Mass
- o Confession
- o Healing prayer ministry
- o Eucharistic Adoration

The Catholic Charismatic Renewal of the Diocese of Scranton will hold its annual Fall Retreat September 13-14 at the Villa of Our Lady Retreat House in Mount Pocono. Reflecting both the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Sept 14) and the Extraordinary Month of Mission designated by Pope Francis (Oct 2019), the theme for this year's retreat will be

"Sharing in the Cross; Empowered for Mission."

Canadian priest Father Ben St. Croix of the Companions of the Cross will lead this year's retreat. He has a passion for evangelization and forming disciples of Jesus for mission. The Exaltation of the Holy Cross is the patronal feast of his religious order. Father Ben joined the Companions of the Cross community in 1993, and was ordained in Ottawa in 2001. Over the past 18 years he has done campus ministry, parish work, and itinerant preaching at parish missions and retreats. He has recorded programs for Shalom World TV. He serves as the Liaison to the CCR for Cardinal Collins in the Archdiocese of Toronto.

The deadline for paid registrations is September 3rd. For more information and registration forms, please contact the CCR office in Scranton, via email at ccrenewal@comcast.net or by phone at 570-344-2214.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT PLANNED




Our Father is calling you home to heal.

An intimate spiritual journey for those seeking to heal the impact of abortion in their life.
November 1 - 3, 2019

For registration information contact:

Denise Mengak
(570) 822-7118 ext. 3333
drowinski@cswb.org

~or~ Susan Walters
suezq22@verizon.net



For information about the retreat experience or other locations, call: 1 - 877 - HOPE - 4 -ME, or visit
www.rachelsvineyard.org

REGISTRATION UNDERWAY FOR UP & OVER RETREAT



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UP & OVER

RETREAT FOR 6TH, 7TH, & 8TH GRADERS

September 27th - 29th

Camp Orchard Hill - Dallas, Pa

Registration Fee: \$140

Cabin Style Lodging

- Learn Teamwork & Problem Solving Skills
- New Friends
- New Prayer Experiences
- Outdoor Obstacle Course

Arrival:

7:00pm Friday

Departure:

12Noon Sunday

Register Online at
www.dioceseofscranton.org

The "Up & Over" Retreat is a weekend of fun, friendship and faith at the beautiful wooded Camp Orchard Hill in Dallas.

Students will be able to spend time outdoors, meet new friends and learn how their God-given gifts can be used when they work with others as a team!

Built into the weekend are opportunities for Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation.

There will also be a number of fun activities and events, including a movie, free time and an outdoor obstacle course.

Come join us for an outstanding experience. You will have a great time, meet new friends and come closer to God who loves you!

Registration includes cabin lodging, delicious home-cooked meals, a T-shirt and unforgettable memories!

Deadline for registration is September 20, 2019.

For more information, call (570) 207-2213.

SUMMER BAZAARS, PICNICS AND FESTIVAL SEASON IS IN FULL SWING!



Even though school is starting again and Labor Day is right around the corner, some parishes across the Diocese still have events planned! The Summer Bazaars, Picnics and Festivals List on our website has been viewed by thousands of people since it launched....thank you for submitting all your events and keep them coming!

For the current list, visit:

<https://www.dioceseofscranton.org/media/summer-bazaars-picnics-and-festivals/>

If you have an event that you would like to feature in the listing, email information to:

EDeabill@dioceseofscranton.org

For a listing of all Diocesan and parish events, visit: [Calendar](#)

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