

Delaney Named First Women Chair of the Board of Directors



Neumann University, chair of the Neumann University Scholarship Gala; and chair of the Archbishop's Benefit for Children. Both she and her husband, James, are members of the Philadelphia Chapter of Legatus, Aquinas Society of the Faith in the Future Foundation, and the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulcher. As a resident of Malvern, PA., Jacki and her husband Jim are the proud parents of three children and five grandchildren.

According to Mark Poletunow, President, "Jacki Delaney brings not only a deep commitment to our mission and thorough knowledge of Malvern Retreat House, but also a breadth of professional experience with non-profit and faith-based Boards. She is well prepared and ready to hit the ground running. I look forward to working with her, our new Executive Committee, as well as our new Board members who bring abundant and fresh energy that will carry us into the foreseeable future."



ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3RD THE Board of Directors voted for Jacqueline Jester Delaney to assume the responsibility of chairing the Board of Directors as the first woman in Malvern's history.

Delaney succeeds Steven MacNamee as the chair of the Board, effective immediately serving a three year term.

"I would like to thank my fellow Board members and two previous Board Chairs, Joe Nardi and Steve MacNamee. Without their support and encouragement I would not have this opportunity to serve Malvern Retreat

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House," shared Delaney. "I am honored and humbled by the opportunity to serve as the first woman chair of the Board of Directors. I am proud to be part of a team of professionals focused on ensuring our mission, vision and values and Catholic faith are integrated in all that we do," Delaney continued.

Upon graduating from the Archdiocese of Philadelphia's Church Ministry Institute in 2006, Delaney began volunteering her time and talents. She served as ministry coordinator at St. John Vianney parish; a board member of Mercy Spiritual Ministries; secretary of the Board of the Philadelphia Chapter of Legatus, a member of the Development Committee of

Assisting Delaney in her new responsibilities is:

- 1- James R. Molinari – Vice Chair
- 2- Sarah W. Christmyer –Secretary
- 3- Patrick R. Laphen – Treasurer
- 4- Francis P. Egan – Assistant Treasurer
- 5- Michael T. Gillespie, Jr. –Member-at-large
- 6- Stephen L. MacNamee, Jr –Immediate Past Chair

***Congratulations,
Jacki!***



Mark J. Poletunow President

Actions Not Words – the Impact of Sr. Pauline Mary McShain, SHCJ



ON MARCH 16, I ATTENDED THE funeral for Sister Pauline Mary McShain, SHCJ. If the name sounds familiar, it is because Sister Polly, as she was known, was the only child of John McShain and Mary Horstmann. John McShain played a significant role in not only building Washington, DC from the 1930s to the 1960s – including structures like the Pentagon, Jefferson Memorial, and the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts – he was also responsible for providing Malvern Retreat House with Upper and Lower McShain.

Upon her mother's death, Sister Polly was focused about dissolving the McShain Charities Foundation. Because of her father's relationship with the retreat house, she contacted Fr. Dennis O'Donnell, who was rector at the time, regarding any special needs for MRH. Fast forward, Sister Polly decided to contribute \$3 million from the family foundation to assist with constructing the new \$5.9 million McShain Horstmann Family Life center on our campus.

It is important for us to recognize and remember the historic significance of Sister Polly and her parents. They made a difference in building up MRH to what it is today. That thought triggered some reflection for me about a few important points regarding our apostolate and the life and contributions of the McShain's.

- Sister Polly was quoted in the "Irish Edition" periodical from February 22, 2011 as saying, "Our lives of love and peace should speak

louder than words" while reflecting on the motto of the Society of the Holy Child Jesus, which reads: "Actions not words." Not only did Sr. Polly live that motto during her 70 years as a religious sister, but it was also bred in her by her parents through their own example of philanthropy and faithfulness to Catholic causes. That motto and the words of Sister Polly resonate with us, as well as challenge our work at MRH. We are called to be people of action not just words.

- As a lay- owned and operated organization throughout the past 100 years, we have been entrusted with making this apostolate



function and flourish apart from official Church support. We receive no funds from the Archdiocese of Philadelphia nor from the United States Catholic Conference. We have critically depended and thrived upon the generosity and faithfulness of pillars like John, Mary and Sr. Polly McShain. While we seek other exceptional pillars who can make significant contributions to our work, it is also the ongoing generosity of countless "ordinary" people who believe in the mission of MRH that keeps us going year after year. The significance of MRH being lay- owned is not lost. Our retreatants carry the torch of support passed on from one generation to the next.

- The McShain's stepped up in exceptional and exemplary ways to support our ministry

because they experienced the sacred mystery of MRH. This place provides a safe, unique and exceptional space where people come to encounter Christ, unburden their soul, search for the truth, find renewal and healing, and leave energized by faith to make a difference in the world. Although we are flawed and incomplete people, the Lord uses our grounds, facilities and the ministry at the retreat center as a means of inviting people to know him better, to reassure them of his love, to call them to a deeper conversion, and to send them out as disciples fortified to face the challenges of the world. What the McShain's experienced

here is repeated thousands of times every year.

- Sister Polly spoke of the impact of her father's relationship with MRH. From the book Malvern Retreat House: Celebrating 100 Years of Faith, Prayer and Service, In 2011, Sister Polly shared:

The date of my father's first retreat may be recorded in Malvern's archives. Although I do not know this, I am acutely aware of the lasting impression those days made on him. For the rest of his life, his retreat weekend at Malvern was sacrosanct; nothing could interfere with that.

For the rest of his life, Daddy looked

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Rector's Reflection

THIS IS MY FIRST ARTICLE FOR PROSIT so I would like to share some information about myself. My dad and mom were born in Ireland and met in Philadelphia. They both worked for Tastykake and met in the elevator after their shift. (That is not very important, but it is cute. And the elevator was going up!) My dad worked in Nice Ball Bearing factory his whole life and my mom worked in Williamson's Restaurant on City Line Ave. My brother and his family live in Massachusetts and my three sisters and their families in the Philadelphia area. I have seventeen nieces and nephews and Katie is my favorite. (Just kidding, I love them all, but Katie is the funniest-no filter, if you know what I mean.) I am really lucky to have a great family that all get along. I share all this with you because I am just a city kid from a middle class family and that's who I am.

I grew up in the Olney section of Philadelphia, was part of St. Helena' parish, and graduated from Cardinal Dougherty High School in 1978. I went to college in Worcester MA. and after college lived in a monastery in Pittsburgh as I discerned joining a religious congregation of priests and brothers called The Passionists. When I left the Passionists I attended St. Charles Seminary and was ordained in 1988. Since then, I have served as an associate pastor, a high school teacher and chaplain, the campus minister for the Newmann Ministry at Drexel University and the University of Pennsylvania, and pastor at several parishes. I have been involved with retreats my entire priesthood but I have never been the priest on staff at a retreat house, so there is a lot I need to learn. For now, I just want to observe and learn about the great things

happening at Malvern. I also want to visit other retreat houses and centers to learn what they are doing, to see what is working and not so much.

This sounds so odd to say but I really love the Church. There are plenty of things I do not love about the Church, (just watch the news or check out your favorite news feed,) but I still really love the Church. For you theologically geeky people who might be reading this, the word "church" never appears in the Gospel of Mark, Luke or John. The word only appears in Matthew's Gospel and there it appears two times. What I really love about the Church is the mission of the church, the reason she exists at all. At the end of Matt hew's Gospel, many feel that Jesus gives the clearest explanation of the mission that he entrusts to the Church. He says, "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you." There are basically two parts to that great commission, to make disciples and then to make fully devoted disciples. I love that mission.

The Catholic Church calls this mission of making disciples of Jesus Christ and then helping them to be the best disciples possible, the mission of evangelization. The Church goes further and says that her mission is the mission of evangelization. In a spectacular example of mission clarity, the Catholic Church states in her documents, "The Church exists to evangelize." (Evangelization in the Modern World) I love that mission. Now I know how most of you feel. You would sooner go to the dentist that evangelizes. (No offense to you dentists, especially to you Joe C.) But most Catholics feel this way about evangelizing because they do not

properly understand evangelization and because there are so many misunderstandings about evangelization out there.

Let me give you just four examples of how you evangelize without even knowing it. When you have a conversation with someone who is curious about Christ and nudge them closer to having at least some type of a conversion, you are evangelizing. When you support a person who is in the process of making a commitment to Jesus Christ, you are evangelizing. When you participate in anything that helps Catholics, Orthodox and Protestants get along with each other and celebrate what they share in common, you are evangelizing. When you grow in your own holiness and help other Catholics do the same, you are evangelizing. See, many of you have been evangelizing and didn't even realize it. Keep on evangelizing.

As I begin my service here, I am looking forward to meeting many of you who are part of the Malvern Retreat House family. I also look forward to working with a great team of people on staff and with the members of the Board of Directors who steward so well all that Malvern is. Finally, I am really looking forward to working here at the Malvern Retreat House and being part of the mission of evangelization--a mission that Malvern has been achieving since 1912. That is one hundred and seven years of evangelization.

All the best,

Rev. James T. McGuinn

Fr. Jim

Welcome to the New Members of the Board of Directors



Mary Bea Damico

Mary Bea Damico is the President of Voveo Marketing Group, Malvern, PA. A graduate of St. Joseph University, Damico serves on the Haub School of Business Advisory Board of St. Joseph's University. She is a leader in branding; strategy and web design for non-profit and for profit organizations; having worked with the World Meeting of Families, the Miraculous Medal Shrine, The Pink Sisters and the National Center of St. Padre Pio. As an active member of St. Patrick's parish in Malvern with her husband, Samuel and children, Damico is also a grandmother. She has assisted with multiple special projects for Malvern Retreat House including the redesign of the Malvern website.



Michael Flanagan

Michael Flanagan is the Vice President, Provider of Network Management for Change Healthcare. As a graduate of University of Colorado (Boulder), is an Aresty scholar, University of Pennsylvania, The Wharton School Aresty Institute of Executive Education. Flanagan holds a patent for an Enterprise Management System.



Gordon Jeffries

Gordon Jeffries is a 7 year retreatant as a Man of Malvern. As a Judge of Elections in East Goshen Township, Jeffries has served in Chair positions at Catholic University. He has served on multiple long-range planning committees, by-law committees and nominating committees. He is an active member of the Knights of Columbus and a member of St. Simon & Jude parish.



Brian Keith McCormick, Sr.

Brian Keith McCormick, Sr. a 33 year retreatant with the Epiphany Group, McCormick is the Chairman of the Malvern Retreat House Golf Committee. As a 2nd degree member of the Knights of Columbus, McCormick graduated from Belmont Abbey College and is the owner of McCormick Packaging Solutions, LLC. Married with one son, McCormick volunteers countless hours coaching youth basketball and soccer.



Deacon Thaddeus (Ted) Raczkowski

Deacon Thaddeus (Ted) Raczkowski graduated from St. Joseph University, is a Philadelphia lawyer and adjunct professor at St. Joseph University. Raczkowski is a deacon at St. Anastasia Church in Newtown Square, PA.

Michael Norton

Vice President of Institutional Advancement



Development News

Art Show a Major Success

THE 8TH ANNUAL MALVERN Retreat House Art Show was held from January 30 through February 3, 2019 in the McShain-Horstmann Family Life Center. Over 100 juried artists brought over 2,000 fine art pieces including paintings, sculptures, photography, jewelry, fiber art, glasswork, ceramic and wood.

The theme for the show was "Water-in-all-its Forms." The "Meet the Artist" wine and cheese reception was, once again, well attended by newcomers and repeat visitors.

The Art Show is considered one of the largest fundraisers of the year for the retreat house. A portion of all sales benefit special retreat programs for the retreat house.



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The Good Shepherd Club, frequently asked questions include:

What is it? The Good Shepherd Club is our way of honoring those who helped secure the future of Malvern by including a gift to Malvern Retreat House as part of their estate plan.

What is the benefit? Becoming a member our Good Shepherd Club is a win-win. You win in two ways, 1) You will have peace of mind and good feelings knowing that your legacy will continue at Malvern and 2) A gift from your estate does not impact your current daily cash flow.

Malvern wins by receiving your gift, thus ensuring the future of your beloved retreat house for generations to come. This is your Legacy of Faith.

How do I become member? Becoming a Good Shepherd Club member is easy. You can join by:

1. Including Malvern in your will or estate plan
2. Naming Malvern as a beneficiary of your retirement plan of life insurance, or
3. Making a life-income gift

What if my financial situation changes? Membership in the Good Shepherd Club is voluntary and without obligation. These gifts are revocable, and you can adjust your plans if circumstances change or change your mind at anytime.

Where can I get more information? For more information contact: Michael Norton at 484-321-2539 or email mnorton@malvernretreat.com

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Clean-up Day Is Quickly Approaching

Sunday, May 5 from 10AM-2PM

Mark your calendars! Coffee and donuts, pizza and soft drinks will be available for all who volunteer. Contact Jim Hall at 484-321-2541 or jhall@malvernretreat.com for more information. Teens seeking service project/community hours, families, carpenters, painters, landscape devotees are all welcome for this fun-filled day of service.



Start Spreading the **NEWS**

All the latest details about our upcoming retreats are available on our website at malvernretreat.com

New High Visibility Retreats Creating Excitement for the Summer

The summer line-up of retreats is the talk of the town! Catholic radio networks are buzzing with excitement with the high visibility line-up of retreat directors and conference speakers for the summer of 2019.

Starting the summer line-up is **Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers**, noted television, radio and conference host will be directing a retreat for men and women entitled, **"Encountering the Joy of the Lord," June 7-9**. As a featured speaker at Man-Up Philadelphia and the Catholic Tent Revival, Deacon Harold, with his booming delivery, will direct a retreat to kick-off our summer series. Music will be provided by noted praise and worship leader Mark Griswold.

A new women's retreat will be introduced created and hosted by **Sarah Christmyer and Heather Makowicz** at the Family Life Center, **June 7-9** entitled **FLOURISH** with the theme, "I Have Chosen You to Go and Bear Fruit." John 15. The FLOURISH retreat for women creates space for a fresh encounter with the God who made us, the Son who loves us, and the Holy Spirit who enlivens us with grace.

Dr. Mary Healy, a professor of Scripture at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit, a best-selling author and international speaker will be directing her first retreat here, **June 21-23rd** for men and women. **"Healing; Bringing the Gift of God's Mercy to the World"** is the theme for this intense, uplifting weekend. Appointed by Pope Francis as one of the first three women ever to service on the Pontifical Biblical Commission, Dr. Healy will assist you in the journey of asking, "Is Jesus still healing people today?" Are these healings real and do they last? Come and find out.

To augment the Catholic Tent Revival of 2018, a dynamic duo will be taking men and women to a new level of hope, courage and healing. **Fr. Larry Richards and Jesse Romero, June 28-30** will close the month of June with the dynamic duo directing a retreat weekend for men and women. Fr. Larry Richards will preach on Friday evening on the theme, **"Surrender: The Life-Changing Power of Doing God's Will."** He will end the evening with Mass. On Saturday morning, Jesse Romero will ignite the crowd with his theme of, **"Letting Jesus Set You Free"** with several different talks on Saturday on Catholicism, Healing and Deliverance. How to Get to Heaven is another one of his selected talks. Romero will end the retreat weekend on Sunday morning. Prayer, adoration, Masses, quiet time and power-packed talks are awaiting those who register for this exciting weekend.

Back by popular demand for the 13th year, **Women of Grace** will be returning for to Malvern Retreat House with its founder, **Johnnette Benkovic-Williams**. "...By His Stripes, we are Healed" (Isaiah 53:5) **At the Foot of the Cross: God's Infinite Mercy** is the theme for this popular retreat weekend. Father Nathan Cromly, Dr. Carrie Gress, Jack Williams and Thomas Sullivan will be featured guests. The retreat will be preceded by **Benedicta Leadership Enrichment Seminar** at the Family Life Center, **July 11-12**; the Young Women of Grace Retreat, "Dare to Prepare for True Friendship," in the Family Life Center for teen girls, age 13+.

When it's time to praise and thank the Lord, look no further than a weekend with **Fr. James Blount, SOLT and Kathleen McCarthy** as they co-direct the annual **Charismatic Retreat for men and women, August 2-4** in the Main retreat house. "You Will Receive Power when the Holy Spirit Comes on You; and You will be My Witnesses." (Acts 1:8) Uplifting prayer and praise music by Mark Griswold.

Radio host, author, conference and retreat master **Kathleen Beckman, L.H.S.** will be hosting a **24-hour retreat for women, September 6-7th** in the Family Life Center. **"Woman: God's Special Weapon against Evil, intercessory prayer and putting on the armor of God"** is the theme for this intensive, informative and prayer-filled retreat. Beckman will be integrating the retreat with her new workbook for the retreat.

Our Lady of Peace Women's Traditional Group, September 13-15 in the Main Retreat House. It is the oldest women's retreat weekend with 30+ years of bringing women closer to Christ. This year it will be directed by **Fr. James McGuinn, Rector**. Past, present and new women are welcome to attend.

Men's Traditional Retreats –all are welcome!

If you have never made a retreat or, if you haven't been back to the serenity of the 125 acres of wooded countryside, visit our website at: www.malvernretreat.com for a year-long selection of life-changing retreats. With a tradition of 106 years of men's retreats, our staff will assist you in choosing a special weekend. Become a Man of Malvern this year. . . a time-honored tradition.

**Attention
All Men!**

Overcoming Hurdles through Faith, Family and Fortitude

Malvern Golf Outing Special Dinner Speaker

KEVIN REILLY'S STORY isn't merely about survival. It's a tale of overcoming tremendous adversities and realizing the potential to be a true champion.

When cancer surgery left Kevin Reilly without his arm, four ribs and a large portion of his left shoulder, many well-meaning people told Kevin he would no longer be able to carry on the life he'd been leading. Fortunately, Kevin ignored them. He went on to achieve incredible goals and overcome overwhelming obstacles that will make you marvel at the strength of the human spirit. Because when a human being is forced to come to terms with a serious disability, their personal victories frequently happen during those dark hours in the middle of the night when no fans will cheer for you and your toughest adversary is yourself. Kevin's natural leadership skills and athletic abilities secured him a full athletic scholarship to Villanova University. Fellow Villanova alumni include close friend and NFL great Howie Long and former Philadelphia Eagles All-Pro running back Brian Westbrook. While at Villanova, Kevin was voted the team's MVP and first team All-East linebacker.

In 1975, Kevin's NFL career was cut short when he was diagnosed with a rare desmoid tumor. To halt the spread of cancer, Kevin's left arm, most of his shoulder and four ribs were amputated. He was told he'd never be able to tie his shoes or a tie, much less play sports. He didn't listen. After retiring from the NFL, Kevin worked as a Senior



Executive in Sales and Marketing at the Xerox Corporation. Kevin hosts the pre-game and post-game radio show for all Philadelphia Eagles games live on 94.1 WYSP-FM, Sports Radio 610WIP-AM and WDEL. He never gave up sports altogether – he is an avid runner and golfer, two of the many things people told him would be impossible after his surgery.

Come and hear Reilly share his personal witness of the Lord's role in his life. You and your friends will enjoy a delightful, inspiring evening.



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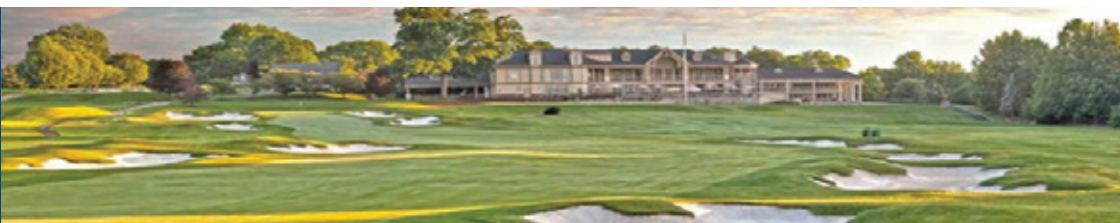
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NEW LOCATION!

**Whitemarsh Valley
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For More Information, contact Tara at 484-321-2534 • tmccormick@malvernretreat.com

Awards Dinner Honorees

The annual Awards dinner will be hosted on May 1st honoring a notable cross-section of retreatants.

A delicious dinner for the families of awardees, acceptance of custom plaques and inclusion on the Wall of Honor in Memorial Dining Hall, the evening offers a memorable evening for all.

This year the awardees included:

Fifty Year Men (14)

- Joseph Tate (St. Pius X)
- Robert Lorine (Our Lady of Lourdes)
- William Falcone (St. Padre Pio)
- John Hogan D'Alessandro
- Mario Favacchia Jr.
- Joseph McCunney (Epiphany)
- Albert Scarcelli
- James Gemmel
- Robert Sanelli (Our Lady of Fatima)
- Michael Mays
- Patrick Bonner (St. John Neumann)

Retiring Board Member

- Steve MacNamee

Chairman's Award

- Joe Bevilacqua
- Mary Bea and Sam Damico
- Lou Cedrone
- Gerry McDevitt
- Bob Pericone
- Bill Walker

Kathleen Perri Award

- Joanne Bouvier

John Sullivan Awards

(recruiting past four years)

- Geraldine Baer (51).
- Reginald Hockenberry (90)
- William Moran (85)
- Michael Skinner (39; 23 new)
- Tom Smedlie
- Fred Wollner (52; 28 new)

Outstanding Service Awards

- Jason Cannon – Peter Maurin Retreat
- Eugene Coggins – Art Show
- Bob McCormick – Golf Outing
- Sean Mooney – Tent Revival Printing
- Cynthia Volkert – Dorothy Day

Joseph F. O'Donnell Hall of Fame Award

- Jack Maxwell – League of the Sacred Heart

John J. Ferreck Award

- Bob Perricone

William M. Lennox Award

- Dr. Joseph Capista

Congratulations!

Retreats2Go is a Heart-n-Soul Experience

Jennifer Hubbard's life was forever changed on December 14, 2012. On this date, Jennifer's two children were students at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, CT. Her youngest daughter, Catherine Violet was one of the twenty 1st graders and six adults who lost their lives that day. Jennifer shares her story of loss, hope, and new beginnings as part of our Retreats2Go program. She is one of several Retreats2Go Core Team members who bring "mini" retreats to parishes, schools, retirement homes, workplaces, and even the streets.

Retreats2Go talks have taken place at St. Mary of the Lakes in Medford, NJ, Our Mother of Perpetual Help parish in Ephrata, PA, St. Mary Magdalen parish in Media, PA., and St. Edmonds Home in Bryn Mawr, PA. Other locations have also embraced this new form of evangelization recognizing the spiritual B-12 shot it provides to parishes, schools, businesses, senior centers and prisons.

For more information, please check out the website at:
www.malvernretreat.com or call Nancy Hicks,
 Marketing Outreach Coordinator at 484-321-2562.



† In Memoriam

*“And the peace of God
which transcends all
understanding will guard
your hearts and your minds
in Christ Jesus.”*

Philippians 4:7



Mr. Charles Z. Beck	Archbishop Fitzmaurice Group
Mr. James P. Blackburn	Archbishop Fitzmaurice Group
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Ms. Theresa Borda	Legion of Mary Group
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Mr. Adrian M. Aikman III	Our Lady of Lourdes
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Mr. Victor E. Rainsford	St. John N. Neumann Group
Mr. Salvatore J. Correnti	St. Pius X Group
Mr. Francis J. Rice	St. Pius X Group
Mr. Conrad A. Martina	Thanksgiving IHM Group

Remembrance Mass

September 15, 2019



A Legacy IN TIME

ANNIVERSARIES

The Laymen's Retreat League congratulates the following Men of Malvern on having achieved these anniversary milestones. Our prayer is that they return year after year to Malvern Retreat House.

FULL NAME

GROUP NAME

70 Years

Mr. James J. Crowne, Jr. Edward J. Friel, Sr Memorial
Mr. Harold J. Boston Holy Spirit Group
Mr. Francis T. Foti, Sr. St. John N. Neumann Group

60 Years

Mr. Thomas J. Rios, Sr. Holy Spirit Group
Mr. Michael J. McLaughlin, Sr. St. John N. Neumann Group

50 Years

Mr. John P. Hogan St. Joseph Group
Mr. John B. Schell Ave Maria/Furey Memorial Group
Mr. Joseph D. Tate St. Pius X Group
Deacon Joseph B Chandler, Jr. Atlantic City K of C Auto Club Group
Mr. Dominic J. D'alessandro, Jr. Epiphany Group
Mr. Mario L. Favacchia, Jr. Epiphany Group
Mr. Joseph B. McCunney, Sr. Epiphany Group
Mr. James B. Gemmell, Sr. Our Lady of Fatima Group
Mr. Robert J. Sannelli Our Lady of Fatima Group
Mr. Albert F. Scarcelli, Jr. Our Lady of Fatima Group
Mr. Patrick Bonner St. John N. Neumann Group
Mr. Allen J. Bommentre, Jr. The Saint Padre Pio Group

25 Years

Mr. James E. Chuchman SS Peter & Paul Group
Mr. Anthony F. De Cesaris Six-Three Group
Mr. Bernard Fiddler Six-Three Group
Mr. Stephen F. Gallagher Six-Three Group
Dr. Joseph P. Lamb, Jr. Six-Three Group
Mr. Frank T. Turchi Six-Three Group
Mr. David J. Arnold Our Lady Queen of Peace
Mr. Daniel C. Harris Our Lady Queen of Peace
Mr. Charles Trinkle Our Lady Queen of Peace
Mr. William Kilner L. J. Ferdinand-Hazleton
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Mr. Daniel R. Zima Our Lady of Perpetual Help
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News on the **GO**



Monday's in May with Mary
Lead by Sarah Christmyer, will begin on May 6th. Taking advantage of spring and the beautiful grounds of the retreat house, she will be leading us in praying the Way of the Cross with Mary, using Mary as an example and inspiration for our own lives. May 6th, May 13th, May 20th and May 27th, 8-10am, outside of St. Joseph's Hall. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome!

The Women's Tea

May 19th at Malvern Retreat House from 2-4pm. The speaker, Heather Makowicz, founder and president of Peak Encounter Ministries will speak on "Encountering God on Nature through Creation, the Creator and Creator Meet. Register online at malvernretreat.com/calendar or call 610-644-0400. \$25 per person.



WOMEN'S TEA
AT MALVERN RETREAT HOUSE



Father/Daughter Evening of Reflection

Sunday, June 3rd from 5-9pm.

Fr. Stephen DeLacy will be inspiring all with a conference, followed by quiet time and Mass. A delicious dinner will be served; a real favorite for fathers and daughters. Register early.

Actions Not Words – the Impact of Sr. Pauline Mary McShain, SHCJ

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forward to his annual weekend at Malvern and tried to convince many of his friends, relatives and colleagues to accompany him.

His secretary, Mary Tompkins Downey, still recalls Dad's enthusiasm on the Mondays following his retreats. Over a period of 50 years, John McShain had the pleasure of making annual weekend retreats at Malvern. He considered this a priority, something which he appreciated, enjoyed and wanted to share with others.

- John McShain, an accomplished business executive and builder, needed his annual respite before the Lord at MRH so that he could continue to be a righteous man, a loving husband and father, a person of integrity, an example to others, and an exceptional philanthropist. He realized that he could not be anything of significance apart from the Lord. He repeatedly returned to MRH to rest at the feet of our merciful and loving Jesus. Even today, his life serves as an example and challenge for each of us to set time with the Lord as an essential priority.

May Sister Polly McShain, SHCJ rest in peace. Thank you Jesus for the life and service of Sister Polly and her parents, John and Mary McShain!

The Catholic Tent Revival 2018



Spiritual Bouquet for Sr. Ann Shields



AS A FRIEND OF MALVERN RETREAT HOUSE, a favored retreat director over the past several years, Sr. Ann Shields, Renewal Ministries has graced our retreatants with her profound gift of preaching and teaching.

In the fall of 2018, Sr. Ann suffered a stroke. We are unsure of her current medical status and would love to offer a Malvern Retreat House Spiritual Bouquet. Her office at Renewal Ministries agreed to this loving action just before Christmas.

Would you kindly pray about hand-writing a note or card to Sr. Ann with a spiritual bouquet you will offer on her behalf? A spiritual bouquet is a prayerful action of offering a Rosary, Holy Mass, Adoration time, intercessory prayer in your Bible study, etc. for her recovery.

Please send to: Malvern Retreat House, P.O. Box 315, Malvern, PA 19355 c/o Sr. Ann Shields Spiritual Bouquet. As soon as we receive the bouquets, we will forward them directly to Sr. Ann.