

# *Saint Francis of Assisi Roman Catholic Church*

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## *Pastor*

Reverend Monsignor Victor F. Finelli, Th. M., J.C.L.

## *Permanent Deacons*

Deacon Robert Young  
Deacon Ricardo Reyes



## *Mass Schedule*

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM

Daily: see Mass Schedule

Holy Day: (Vigil 7:00 PM) 8:00 AM & 12:05 PM



## *Sacrament of Reconciliation*

Saturday: 3:15-4:00 PM

Anytime by appointment



## *Adoration Chapel*

Please consider spending some time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Our Adoration Chapel is open daily from 6:00 AM—9:00 PM.



*August 18, 2019*

*Twentieth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time*

We, the people of Saint Francis of Assisi Church, a Roman Catholic Parish in the Diocese of Allentown, a faith-filled people, united in the Holy Spirit and nourished by the Eucharist, strive to be the Body of Christ. We manifest our unity through the joyful celebration of the Sacraments. We pledge to use our gifts and resources to live the Faith, preach the Word, and Service others as we welcome all into our faith community.



## SACRAMENTAL AND PARISH INFORMATION

### **New Members**

Welcome to Saint Francis Parish. Please call the Parish Center Office in order to register in our parish, or stop in during office hours or on the weekend after all Masses. One needs to be a member of our parish three months in order to receive a certificate of eligibility. Please notify the office if you change your address or move away.

### **Religious Education (PREP)**

All children of the parish should be receiving religious instruction through our parish school or through our Parish Religious Education Program offered on a Sunday morning from 9:00 to 10:15 AM. Please contact Mrs. Camille Stockdale, our Director of Religious Education, for more information regarding our PREP (610-435-0364).

### **Marriage**

We look forward to celebrating God's gift of love in the sacrament of marriage for any registered and practicing parishioner. Diocesan policy states that contact should be made one year, but no later than six months, prior to the proposed date of marriage in order to begin pre-nuptial instructions. Call the Parish Center Office for further information.

### **Baptisms**

Baptisms are held for our registered and practicing parishioners normally the first Sunday of the month immediately after the 10:30 Mass. Parents are to register for a Baptismal Preparation Class held normally on the Wednesday before each baptism in the Parish Center. At least one Godparent must be a practicing Catholic for the valid reception of baptism. That person must also be able to receive a certificate of eligibility from their Catholic parish. A Non-Catholic Christian is permitted to act as a witness. Parents should begin to make arrangements for a baptism during pregnancy.

### **Ministry to the Sick**

Visits to the hospital are made on a regular basis. Please notify the Parish Center Office when a parishioner is in the hospital or home and would like to receive communion or the anointing of the sick. Visits can also be made to those parishioners who are homebound and would like to receive communion.

### **Saint John Vianney Regional School**

We encourage all our parents to consider sending their children to our parish school, Saint John Vianney Regional School. Our school is located at 210 North 18th Street in Allentown. Please contact our school principal, Dr. Emily Kleintop (610-435-8981), to register your child for a faith based, middle-states accredited, Catholic education.

### **Allentown Central Catholic High School**

We encourage our high school students to consider attending our local Catholic high school - Allentown Central Catholic. Please contact Cara Meskill, the Director of Admissions, at (610) 437-4601 for more information.

### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**

We welcome and support all whose faith journey brings them to seek full communion with the Catholic Church. Please call the Parish Center Office for further information.

### **Wills and Memorials**

As a lasting remembrance or final gift to your parish, all parishioners are encouraged to include St. Francis of Assisi in their wills or as a beneficiary on an insurance policy. At the time of passing of a relative or friend, consider enrolling them in the Sanctuary Memorial Fund. Memorials are available in the Parish Center Office and are often used in lieu of flowers.

### **Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator**

Sr. Meg Cole, S.S.J., M.S., LMFT  
610-332-0442, ext. 2019

### **Victim Assistance Coordinator**

Wendy Krisak, MA, NCC, LPC  
Direct Telephone Number (800)791-9209

The Diocese of Allentown provides assistance to anyone who, as a minor, was sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or employee/volunteer of the Diocese/Parish. Parents, guardians, children, and survivors of sexual abuse are invited and encouraged to contact the Diocese of Allentown for more information about this program. The fullness of compassion should be extended to these victims by the Church. To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, please visit [www.allentowndiocese.org](http://www.allentowndiocese.org) and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner of the page.

# Mass Schedule

<b>Monday, August 19th</b> <i>Jgs 2:11-19; Mt 19:16-22</i> No Mass	Saint John Eudes
<b>Tuesday, August 20th</b> <i>Jgs 6:11-24a; Mt 19:23-30</i> No Mass	Saint Bernard
<b>Wednesday, August 21st</b> <i>Jgs 9:6-15; Mt 20:1-16</i> 8:00 AM Mary A. Tokash	Saint Pius X
<b>Thursday, August 22nd</b> <i>Jgs 11:29-39a; Mt 22:1-14</i> 8:00 AM Linda D. Spos Theresa Kuncio	Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
<b>Friday, August 23rd</b> <i>Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Mt 22:34-40</i> 8:00 AM Carole Koerbler	Saint Rose of Lima
<b>August 24th &amp; 25th</b> <b>Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> <i>Is 66:18-21; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30</i>	
4:30 PM Joey Sheehan	
8:30 AM Joyce Brower	
10:30 AM Dr. Donald Chaputa	
People of St. Francis of Assisi Parish	

## Sanctuary Lamp Memorials

If you would like to memorialize the red sanctuary lamp next to the tabernacle for a week, the cost is \$10 for the seven day candle. Please contact Stephanie Epler at the Parish Office, 610-433-6102, for information.

The Sanctuary Lamp Memorial for the week of August 18th is:

*In Memory of Mary and Frank Rutz  
by Annie and Henry Rutz*

## Catechism Classes For Men

Every first and third Tuesday of the month (August 20th) at 7:00 PM, The Catholic Men of Good News are showing videos to deepen our knowledge of the faith in our Franciscan Center. For info call the Parish Office.

Thanks to everyone who participated in some way to this year's Parish Festival, we made **\$23,750** for the church! What a wonderful testament to dedication and love for our parish! Thank you!

# SAVE THE DATE

**Next year's festival will be  
June 26-28, 2020**



Here's a Thought...

In Deuteronomy 10, Moses reminds the people that they were chosen by God and that they were to serve Him. In the Gospel reading from Matthew 17, the collectors of the temple tax ask Peter whether Jesus pays the tax. When Peter walks into the room where Jesus is, Jesus asks him a question. "From whom do the kings of the earth take tolls or census tax? From their subjects or from foreigners?" Peter replies, "From foreigners." Jesus says, "Then the subjects are exempt." He then works a most amazing miracle.

"The subjects are exempt." This reminds us of our responsibility to tithe. Notice that when you walk into church, no one exacts a tax upon you. You are not forced to give one red cent. There is no longer a "temple tax." You are free to give or not give. The question, really, is SHOULD you give? The answer is a resounding YES! We should be generous to God because of our gratitude for his generosity to us. No coercion. Just an open heart filled with love.

Father, may we be always generous in helping the Church spread the gospel message. Amen.

## Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults:

The process for welcoming new members into the Catholic Faith.

**IT IS FOR:** Adults (18 years or Older) who are:

- Not Baptized or
- Baptized in another Christian Church and interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith or
- Baptized into the Catholic Faith but have not received First Eucharist or Confirmation.



## WHAT IS THE RCIA?

**RCIA** is a direct result of Vatican II, which called for a revival of the Adult Catechumenate. This goes back to the early traditions of the Church where the Apostles welcomed newcomers into the community of faith. RCIA is the way all our Catholic communities throughout the world will be initiating newcomers into the Catholic Church.

**NOTE:** Four out of five individuals who investigate the Catholic community do so because friends, relatives or neighbors extend personal invitations. Spread the good news by inviting someone!

**INTERESTED?** Want to learn more about your faith? Join the RCIA team as a sponsor. *If you know someone who wants to become Catholic, please have them call the Parish Office at 610-433-6102.*

## Rosary Holy Hours In The Adoration Chapel

Saturdays at 12:00 Noon and Sundays at 7:00 PM

For Our Church, Country, Families & Priests

The Chapel is open daily from 6 AM to 9 PM.

Questions: call Karin, 610-351-0835



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### The Vianney View

Many exciting things have been happening at St. John Vianney Regional School during our summer recess! Over the course of the summer, students participated in several camps: Art, STREAM Lab, Computer Programming and Web Design, Cooking and Robotics. We offer many Enrichment programs at SJVRs. Students will apply their skills in Clubs throughout the school year.

- We are also excited to announce that one of our own, Mrs. Linda Borosky, has been promoted to Director of Curriculum and Personnel Development. Mrs. Borosky has experience in various grade levels, a Masters in Education, and a strong passion for Catholic Education. She has a vision for continuing growth and improvement in all curricular programs, with a focus on supporting the whole student.
- The new school year begins on August 26. Teachers and staff are eager to begin another year of learning adventures. Enrollment is still open in some grade levels. Contact Mr. O'Keefe at mrokeefe@stjohnvianneyschool.org for more information.
- SJVRs is seeking a Morning and Afternoon Extended Care Aide. It's a great part-time opportunity! Morning hours: 6:45 to 8:00 AM. Afternoon hours: 2:45 to 5:30 PM. If interested, please contact Mrs. Milano in the Main Office 610-435-8981.
- Looking to fill some of your time and contribute to the growth of our youth? Volunteers always welcomed at SJVRs to help teachers, work with children, supervise activities, and influence the faith of children. Contact the school office if interested in giving a few hours per week in servicework.

Welcome to...



**September 8th** - Meet the Teacher/Open House 9:00 - 10:00 AM. All parishioners are welcome to come to the school building and tour our PREP classrooms. We welcome returning students and new students to meet their teachers, register and get their books.

**September 10th** - Confirmation Parents Meeting 6:30 PM - Heritage Hall


**September 15th** - First Class 9:00 - 10:15 AM. Parents meeting after assembly - please join your children in the School Hall for a brief meeting following Assembly

**September 18th** - First Penance Parents Meeting 6:30 PM - Heritage Hall

**September 22nd** - 9:00 - 10:15 AM - Class

**September 29th** - 9:00 - 10:15 AM - Class and Youth Mass, 10:30 AM

For any questions about our PREP program, contact Mrs. Camille Stockdale, DRE, 484-547-6270



You won't want to miss our next Children's Ministry Event, Friday, September 27th, 6:30-8:00 PM in the School Hall. Children in Grades 3 - 5 are welcome - open to ALL parish children, grandchildren and their friends! Join us for fellowship, fun and faith - all rolled into one fun evening!

### Movie Club News



Our first Saturday feature was not as highly attended as we would like - but we definitely want to try again!! Stay tuned for further Saturday night movies! Our next feature is Facing the Giants! "Never Give Up, Never Back Down, Never Lose Faith", on Thursday, September 26th 6:30 PM doors open/7:00 PM movie.

Facing the Giants is a faith filled, sports film. just in time for FOOTBALL season! Join us for an evening of faith, film, popcorn, fun, candy and soda - all FREE!!

Future films include Breakthrough, Do You Believe... and MORE!!!!

### Liturgical Ministers Schedule - Saturday and Sunday, August 24th & 25th

	<u>4:30 PM</u>	<u>8:30 AM</u>	<u>10:30 AM</u>
<b>Lector</b>	H. Moyer	M. Issermoyer	B. Macfarlane
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	J. Marcus, A. Moyer	T. Racek, J. Colom	G. Rodriguez, B. Nutting
<b>Cantor</b>	J. Seng	D. Lamparella	L. Hannis
<b>Organist</b>	D. Badesso	J. DeMatto	J. DeMatto
<b>Altar Servers</b>	J. Fittipaldi, V. Herman	H. Folligan	L. Sheaffer
<b>Sacristan</b>	T. Bartman	B. Sheaffer	



Put on the  
Armour of God

Stewardship: A Mission of Faith, invites you to join Fr. Michael Gaitley, Damon Owens, Msgr. John Esseff, Marty Rotella, Devin Schadt, Mark Forrest, Megan Murphy, Bishop Ronald Gainer and many more, for our second annual fall conference - Put on the Armour of God. The event will be held on Wednesday, September 18th and Thursday, September 19th, 2019 in Elizabethtown, PA, at the beautiful Stone Gables Estates ([www.stonegablesestate.com](http://www.stonegablesestate.com)) which features the iconic Star Barn Village and Ironstone Ranch. One and two-day tickets are available. In between talks you can enjoy 275 acres of God's creation including horseback riding, wagon rides, campfires, an outdoor stations of the cross, Marian grotto, vineyard, the Lincoln Train and more! For complete information, visit us at [www.stewardshipmission.org](http://www.stewardshipmission.org) and click on the Fall Conference link. Come and be encouraged, equipped and inspired!

Diocese of Allentown Women's Conference  
'Women Chosen for a Purpose'

Women of all ages are invited to hear about their call to be Disciples of Christ and what that means for their lives as women at "Women Chosen for a Purpose," the third Diocesan women's conference, Saturday, October 5th. Included will be keynote speakers and opportunities for Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament, the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop of Allentown, Alfred Schlert. A separate Spanish track will be offered.

The day will be from 9 AM to 4:15 PM at DeSales University, Center Valley. For more information or to register, visit [www.allentowndiocese.org/womens-conference](http://www.allentowndiocese.org/womens-conference).

Theologian, author, and well-known Catholic speaker Dr. Edward Sri will be present in the Diocese of Allentown for the Women's Conference. In addition to serving as the Keynote Speaker for the Women's Conference, Dr. Sri has graciously offered to present A Biblical Walk through the Mass: Understanding What We Say and Do in the Liturgy on the evening before the Women's Conference. Priests, deacons, seminarians and Liturgical Ministers who generously serve their parishes are invited to the Cathedral of Saint Catharine of Siena on Friday, October 4, 2019 at 6:30 PM for the Celebration of Mass, followed by Dr. Sri's presentation. The Office for Divine Worship in collaboration with the Office for Catholic Life and Evangelization are hosting this event and have created a website to assist in registration for this event: <https://www.allentowndiocese.org/Liturgy>. For any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact, Mr. Rick Dooley at Catholic Life and Evangelization at 610-289-8900, extension 2027 or at [rdooley@allentowndiocese.org](mailto:rdooley@allentowndiocese.org).

ADULT ESL CLASSES... with a Catholic touch!  
Do you want to learn English/improve your skills & learn more about the Catholic Faith? This English as a Second Language (ESL) course is a great way to learn English and your Faith in a friendly environment. Classes will meet once a week starting **Tuesday, October 15th.**

TWO LOCATIONS for your convenience:

- Bishop Thompson Room at Rectory of St. Catharine of Siena Cathedral, Tuesdays from 1:30-3:00 PM
- Conference Room at St. Paul's School, Tuesdays from 7:00-8:30 PM

COST: \$25 FOR THE YEAR

LIMITED SPACE, REGISTER TODAY!

CONTACT: Monica at [catholicsl@gmail.com](mailto:catholicsl@gmail.com) / call 610 845-1479 OR register online at: [www.allentowndiocese.org/oha](http://www.allentowndiocese.org/oha) (clases de inglés)

**\*\*Registration for the classes will take place at:**

**St. Paul's:** following the 9 AM & 1 PM Masses on Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>

**St. Francis:** following the 10:30 AM Mass on Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>

**Cathedral of St. Catharine of Siena:** following the 10:30 AM & 12:00 PM Masses on Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>.

These classes are for any adult who does not speak English.

Open registration for parishioners of St. Paul's or parents of children at St. John Vianney School. [*You can attend ESL classes and then pick up your children after school!*]

**DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY!**

CLASES DE INGLES [ESL] PARA ADULTOS...

con un toque Católico!

**¿Te gustaría aprender inglés o mejorar sus habilidades mientras aprendes más sobre tu Fe Católica?**

Este curso de Inglés como Segunda Lengua (ESL) es una excelente manera de aprender inglés y más sobre su Fe en un ambiente amigable. Las clases serán una vez por semana comenzando el **martes, el 15 de octubre. DOS OPCIONES para tu conveniencia:** Salón Bishop Thompson en la casa parroquial de la Catedral de Santa Catarina de Siena martes de 1:30-3:00pm. Salón de conferencia de la Escuela de San Pablo martes de 7:00pm-8:30pm.

**COSTO:** \$25 por año

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**CONTACTO**

Comúniquese con Monica al [catholicsl@gmail.com](mailto:catholicsl@gmail.com) / (610) 845-1479

O bien inscríbete en línea en [www.allentowndiocese.org/oha](http://www.allentowndiocese.org/oha) Estas clases son para cualquier adulto que no hable inglés. Inscripciones abiertas para feligreses de San Pablo o padres con hijos en la Escuela de St. John Vianney!

**\*\*Las inscripciones tendrán lugar en:**

- San Pablo después de las misas de 9am y 1pm el domingo, 25 de agosto
- San Francisco de Assis después de la misa de 10:30 am el domingo, 25 de agosto
- La Catedral de Santa Catarina de Siena ués de las misas de 10:30 am y 12pm el domingo, 8 de septiembre

**¡NO TE PIERDAS ESTA OPORTUNIDAD!**



### Annual Diocesan Anniversary Mass

This year's annual Diocesan Anniversary Mass will be on Sunday, September 15, 2019 at 3 PM (will fulfill Sunday obligation) at Cathedral of St. Catharine of Siena, 1825 W. Turner Street, Allentown, PA 18104. The

Most Reverend Alfred A. Schlert will be the Celebrant. Married couples celebrating 1-5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 60+ years and their families are invited to the Mass and the social following. Register before September 9, 2019 at [www.allentowndioocese.org/anniversarymass](http://www.allentowndioocese.org/anniversarymass). If you do not have internet access, there are registration forms available on the Parish bulletin board, that can be filled out by hand and mailed. Questions? Call 610-289-8900 or email [mflf@allentown-diocese.org](mailto:mflf@allentown-diocese.org).

### Independent Reconciliation and Compensation Program

As a reminder to victims of clergy sexual abuse in the Diocese of Allentown, the deadline to apply for compensation as one aspect of your healing is Sept. 30, 2019. To learn more about the Independent Reconciliation and Compensation Program, call 1-833-267-6389 or visit [www.allentowndiooceseIRCP.com](http://www.allentowndiooceseIRCP.com)



### Congratulations!

Congratulations to Alexandra and Christian Llanos who received their First Penance on Saturday, August 10th. Many blessings to them and their family.

### Halupki Dinner

St. Elizabeth Parish is sponsoring a Halupki dinner on Saturday, September 14th from 4 – 7 PM in their Parish Hall, located at 435 Pershing Boulevard, Whitehall. The menu includes: Halupki, mashed potatoes, a roll, butter, dessert & a beverage. Take out will be available. Cost is: Adults - \$10 in advance/\$12 at the door; Children (5-10) - \$5 in advance/\$7 at the door. For tickets or more information, please call Joan Glover at 610-349-7791.



### Our Weekly Stewardship

#### Weekend of August 10th & 11th

# of envelopes mailed:	735
# of envelopes received:	203
% of envelopes used:	28%
Total of First Collection	\$5,683.70
Total of Second Collection	\$1,307.00

**Thank you for your continued financial support and your kindness you show to St. Francis by your weekly contribution. We need parishioners to give what they can for our parish. We can't do it without you.**

### Diocese of Allentown - Annual Golf Tournament

Monday, September 30, 2019 at The Steel Club, 700 Linden Avenue, Hellertown, PA. Proceeds to benefit Seminarian & Catholic School Education. For more information contact Michele Mullikin at 610-871-5200 ext. 2282 or [mmullikin@allentowndioocese.org](mailto:mmullikin@allentowndioocese.org).



### Saint Elizabeth's Offers

#### Low Impact Aerobics Sign-ups



Looking for a night out with friends? Our instructor, Karen Hoff, is offering 10 weeks of aerobics on Tuesday nights (6:00 - 6:45 PM) from September 3rd to November 5th. (No class Tuesday, September 17th – make-up will be on Thursday, September 26th) in St. Elizabeth's parish hall, 435 Pershing Blvd., Whitehall. The cost is only \$25.00 per person for the entire 10 weeks which includes 45 minutes of aerobic exercises followed by 15 additional minutes of toning and floor work exercises for all who wish to stay. (All that is needed is a towel or mat for the floor work exercises. Feel free to bring light weights, as well.) Registration deadline is August 31st or until the maximum number of participants is reached. Please contact Mary Spieker at the parish office to register [dirreled@sercc.org](mailto:dirreled@sercc.org) or 610-266-0695.

#### Beginner Low Impact Aerobic Class

Haven't exercised in a while but ready to ease your way back in? Other classes are not a fit for you? This 1/2 hour class will help you start the process of getting back to exercise while increasing your flexibility, moves and balance. Eight weeks on Wednesday – September 4th – October 30th. (No class Wednesday, September 18th) from 5:30-6:00 PM at Saint Elizabeth's Parish Hall – 435 Pershing Blvd., Whitehall, PA. Registration is required. Only \$15.00 for all 8 weeks. Call or e-mail for more information: Mary Spieker at [dirreled@sercc.org](mailto:dirreled@sercc.org) or 610-266-0695. Come and check out the class and see if it is a fit for you! Bring a friend!

### First Meeting of The Parish Welcoming/ Evangelization Committee



The First Meeting of the new Parish Welcoming/Evangelization Committee will be held on Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30 PM in Heritage Hall. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!

Please join together for an initial brainstorming session on how we as a parish community can better welcome new parishioners, encourage greater involvement in our church home and move forward with a vision towards evangelization of our Catholic faith. Snacks and drinks will be provided. Please contact Paula Rollins at [p1m41611@gmail.com](mailto:p1m41611@gmail.com) or 484-241-1986 and leave a message. Hope to see you there!



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## "Feed Your Faith" Gift Card Program

"*Feed Your Faith*" is the Parish's easiest fundraising program. It costs you nothing extra, but it benefits the Parish immensely! Each gift card you buy has a return of 1.5% to 10% profit to the parish. Please consider buying the gift cards to do your grocery shopping, give as gifts, or just to purchase instead of using cash at the retailers. Please see the list below for our participating retailers. *These gift cards are usually available every day in the Parish Office!*

**A.C. Moore: \$25**

**Amazon.com: \$25, \$100**

**Applebees: \$10, \$25**

**Banana Republic: \$25**

**Barnes and Nobles: \$10, \$25**

**Bath and Body Works: \$10, \$25**

**Bed, Bath & Beyond: \$25**

**Buy Buy Baby: \$25**

**Bethlehem Gallery of Floors: *mention St. Francis***

**Bonefish Grill: \$25**

**Boscov's: \$25**

**Carrabbas: \$25**

**Christmas Tree Shops: \$25**

**Dunkin Donuts: \$10**

**Gap: \$25**

**Giant: \$10, \$20, \$25, \$50, \$100**

**Home Depot: \$25, \$100**

**Kohl's: \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100**

**Longhorn Steakhouse: \$25**

**Lowe's: \$25, \$100**

**Macy's: \$25**

**Nikki H Nail & Hair Salon \$25**

**Old Navy: \$25**

**Olive Garden: \$25**

**Outback Steakhouse: \$25**

**Panera Bread: \$10**

**Red Robin: \$25**

**Red Lobster: \$25**

**Redner's Warehouse: \$20, \$25, \$50, \$100**

**Ruby Tuesday: \$25**

**Sam's Club: \$25, \$100**

**Target: \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100**

**Texas Roadhouse: \$25**

**Visa: \$50, \$100**

**Wal-Mart: \$10, \$25, \$100**

**Wegman's: \$25, \$50, \$100**

**Weis: \$10, \$20, \$25, \$50, \$100**

**Wendy's: \$10**

