



Dear Friends, SS. Cosmas and Damian Parish is celebrating One-Hundred years of witnessing to our Catholic faith here in Conshohocken. Each year we reach out to family, community and far away places to share faith and have fun.

Both parishioners and pilgrims come together to strengthen our Catholic faith by getting together in celebrating our devotion to SS. Cosmas and Damian.

Invite a friend to come with you to one of our three Solemn Triduum Masses. Come meet old friends and classmates at our Block Party which begins on Friday evening and concludes on Sunday. Notice our new Saturday Matinee from 11:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Enjoy delicious food, games, rides and entertainment and plan on having a good time.

May God continue to bless your families and through the intercession of Saints Cosmas and Damian may you continue to experience God's healing joy and peace.

Yours in Christ,
Rev. Gasper A. Genuardi
Pastor



Schedule of Events

Thursday September 27th.
Solemn Triduum Mass
7:00 P.M.

White Mass of Thanksgiving for those of the
Medical Profession
Guest Homilist:
Rev. Monsignor John C. Marine, MDiv.

Friday September 28th.
Block Party

6:00 – 10:00 P.M.
Sean Gale will provide musical entertainment for
the whole family

Solemn Triduum Mass
7:00 P.M.

Saturday September 29th.
(NEW) Matinee – 11:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M. (NEW)
Solemn Triduum & Vigil Mass
4:30 P.M.

Block Party
6:00 – 10:00 P.M.
Philly Fun Timers will provide musical
entertainment for the whole family

Sunday September 30th
Feast of SS. Cosmas & Damian

Masses
8:00 A.M., 10:00 A.M., 11:00 A.M. &
12:15 P.M.

Block Party
11:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Solemn Procession
Following 12:15 Mass

Musical Accompaniment for the
Procession provided by Verdi Band
HEALING PRAYER SERVICE
Following the Procession, several
priests and deacons will be available for
healing prayers in the church.

Verdi Band Concert to follow

Our Grand Prize Drawing

Sunday, September 30th at 4:00PM
Grand Prize **\$1,000.00** plus many other
valuable prizes!

FOOD FAVORITES

HOT ROAST PORK SANDWICHES
HOT ROAST BEEF SANDWICHES
MEATBALL SANDWICHES
SAUSAGE & PEPPER SANDWICHES
STEAKS & CHEESE STEAKS
SOFT PRETZELS
HOT DOGS
FRENCH FRIES
FRIED DOUGH
TOMATO PIE
CLAMS
ITALIAN PASTRIES

COLD BEVERAGES

BEER
WINE
SODA
ICED TEA
WATER

Food & Drink Tickets Required
"All Prices Posted at Ticket Stand and Food
Booths"

**Ride and Food Tickets are
Non-Refundable**

Questions/Information

Call 610-828-0101

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St. Cosmas

St. Damian

WHAT IS THE WHITE MASS?

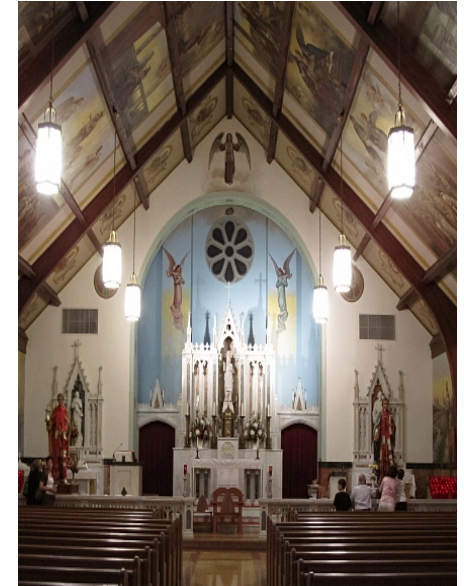
Saints Cosmas and Damian were twins, one was a Doctor and one was a Pharmacist. They are Patrons of Doctors, Pharmacists, Nurses and all other members of the Medical Professions. As a result we have instituted a Mass of Thanksgiving on the first night of our Triduum in gratitude for all members of the Medical Professions at 7:00 P.M. on September 27th celebrated by our Guest Homilist, Rev. Monsignor John C. Marine, MDiv., Pastor, St. Bede the Venerable Church, Holland, PA. The SS. Cosmas and Damian Choir will provide the music.

We dedicate Our 99th Annual Feast
to our Patrons,
Saints Cosmas and Damian

May you be magnified, O Lord by the revered
memory of your Saints Cosmas and Damian.
For with providence beyond words you have
conferred on their everlasting glory, and on us,
your unfailing help.

*Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who
lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, one God, forever and ever. .
Amen."*

*SS. Cosmas & Damian Parish
209 West Fifth Avenue
Conshohocken, Pennsylvania*



Verdi Band



SS. Cosmas and Damian were twin brothers born in Arabia. After studying medicine in Syria, they lived in Aegeae, Cilicia and became greatly renowned for their medical skills, as well as for their refusal to accept payment from anyone for their services.

During a persecution of Christians (around 303 AD), these devout men were arrested, tried before the Cilician governor, Lysias, and beheaded for their faith in Christ. Also put to death with them were their three brothers, Anthimus, Euprepus and Leontius.

Since the time of their martyrdom, many miracles have been reported, especially miracles of healing. SS. Cosmas and Damian are the Patrons of Physicians, Pharmacists and Barbers.



**O gloriosissimi martiri, Cosma e Damiano,
pregate per noi sempre!**

*Celebrates our
99th Annual*

Italian Festival

*In Honor Of
SS. Cosmas & Damian*

September 27 to 30, 2012