SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH

AUGUST 8, 2010

Nineteenth Sunday
In Ordinary Time

Second Collection:
Mission Cooperative Plan

PLEASE PRAY for the sick so that they may be comforted by the concern and love of their families and the family of the Church: Joie Nicole Barr, Addison Birney, Margaret Caviston, Michael Cefaratti, Gregory Cenevino, Ed Coach, Mary Connery, Nicholas Cocron, Eva Colella, Anita Coletta, Patricia Coscia, Susan DiBonaventura, Mary DiDonato, Charles Di Lullo, Jr., Lillian Doherty, Loretta Dziuban, Michael Egan, Kevin Flanagan, Claire Fleming, Marge Gallagher, Bill Geppert, Jason Hamilton, Arthur Hellebusch, Sharon Hofknecht, Vincent Jacoby, Catherine Kershaw, Lauretta Kolb, George and Molly Lozinak, Joan Marine, Mary McLean, Sue Male, Barbara Martinick, Carmen and Helen Morelli, Thomas Mortimore, IV, John Mullahy, Lisa O'Brien, Dolores O'Neill, James V. Pienkowski, Barbie Preston, Kathryn Rawling, John Rees, Gloria Reilly, Erica Roberts, Betty Skibjak, Betty Smith, Thomas Smith, Lorraine Sirianni, Tim Schwartz, Ward Thomas, J. Donald Wagoner, Mary Whalon, Rhonda Younglove, and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.

<u>PLEASE PRAY</u> for those who died and those we remember in the silence of our hearts, especially: John Shertz and Loretta Wynne Morris.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS are scheduled for Tuesday, September 7, 7:30 PM, in the Rectory Conference Room. Your baby is always welcome in Church, however, for the instruction itself, please try to schedule a babysitter so you may be free to concentrate. Also, please call the Church Office at 610-834-1975 for sign up purposes.

Question of the Week

Other than Jesus, which of the ancestors of Christian faith has served as the greatest example to you? Why?

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday

8:30 AM J. Walter and Catherine Carroll

and Family

Tuesday

8:30 AM Mary L. Basile

Wednesday

8:30 AM Roseanna Colangelo

Thursday

8:30 AM Charles McLaughlin

Friday

8:30 AM Mary L. Basile

Saturday

8:30 AM Anthony and Pauline Porreca

H.O.P.E.

If you, or anyone you know, needs transportation to a doctor or dentist appointment, or to Church on Sunday, please call Anne or Bill Franks at 610-828-2530 or (E-mail: ann59bil@gmail.com), or Loretta Zych at 215-836-1127. Note: Additional weekday drivers and group leaders are needed. For more information please call Anne, Bill or Loretta.

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP

Men of different ages meet every Wednesday morning in the Rectory Conference Room from 7:30 to 8:30. There are no experts, just men searching for a deeper relationship with God. If you are interested in joining and wish more information, call Duane McCarthy at 610.825.5237.

WOMEN'S PRAYER GROUP

Please consider joining our Women's Prayer Group. We meet from 10:00 to 11:00 AM every Thursday morning during the summer in the Church Chapel. We would be glad to have you join us.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith? If you are interested in becoming a member of the faith community here at St. Philip Neri, call the Religious Education Office at 610-834-9868. We are interested in learning more about you too!

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

HELP NEEDED FOR CCD!
Two 5th Grade Catechists for our Monday and Tuesday sessions. **Secretary for the office on Monday** afternoons

If you like children, have faith in God and would like to get involved at Saint Philip's we will supply you with catechetical training, teaching manuals and resources. Please call Jeanette Paul at 610-834-9868 if you can lend a hand!

Registration for the Parish Religious Education **Program (CCD)** is now being taken for 2010-2011. The cost of the program is \$150 for one child and \$200 for 2 or more children. If you only have one or more children in Kindergarten, the cost is \$100. Kindergarten classes are on Sunday mornings from 10:00-10:50 AM. Grades 1-5 have their classes on Monday and Tuesday afternoons from 4:00-5:30 PM. Grade 6 will only meet on Tuesday. Bus transportation is available from Whitemarsh Elementary, Ridge Park, and Colonial Elementary both days for \$50 per family. A child needs to attend only one class per week. The day of choice will be limited to the number of children who can ride the bus meeting a safe and legal limit.

Registration

Saint Philip Neri School is accepting registration for the 2010-2011 school year. For a registration packet and a tour of our school call 610-828-3082. Additional information may be viewed on the school's website at

www.saintphilipnerischool.com.

Saint Philip Neri School Scrip Program

The Saint Philip Neri Home & School in conjunction with the Parish Finance Committee is implementing a new scrip program. We are looking for an individual to work approximately 10-12 hours per week, have an accounting/bookkeeping background and good organizational skills to maintain the program. Qualified candidates should contact Bob Dunne at rdunne@devereux.org.

Frozen Casseroles for St. John's Hospice

Could you find time to make a casserole for the homeless at St. John's? Pans, lids and recipes are available in the Church Office and at Barbara McCarthy's (610-828-2058). Frozen casseroles are brought to Barbara's house before 9:00 AM the first Wednesday of each month. The next delivery is this Wednesday, September 1. Please consider this work of mercy in your busy schedule. They are greatly needed and appreciated.

The Philippians - There are a few openings for new members. Please call our Membership Chairwoman, Angela Berry at 610-260-1211.

IN STOCK and available in church office PICK UP YOURS TODAY!



Keepsake in wood of our Church.

Truly a one-of-a-kind item-includes message on the back of the keepsake - \$25 each

Proceeds benefit St. Philip Neri Home & School Association ALSO AVAILABLE:

We have a limited supply of

COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION Keepsakes

SUMMER TIME NEEDS

As you pack your bags for vacation, please consider packing an extra one to drop off on the porch of 472 Poplar Lane (in Whitemarsh Woods of Lafayette Hill). The "baggage handlers" Kathy and Paul Muller will be delighted to deliver all donations to the poor and homeless of the Kensington area. The following items are most needed: Pampers (sizes 4, 5, 6), liquid dish soap (non-generic, please), feminine products, Lysol, sport socks (all sizes), paper towels Travel-size deodorant, bleach cleaning supplies disposable razors, toothpaste, multivitamins with iron, sugar, tea bags, coffee, sweetened drink mixes cold, sweetened cereal and jams/jelly. But, most of all, **PRAYERS** that the *Franciscans* will be able to meet the needs of all who knock on their doors. Call 610-828-4267 or contact mullerkathleenb@gmail.com for more details.

BLANKET STOCKPILING

Squirrels gather acorns, and Franciscans gather blankets. Hard to believe that in this heat, anyone can think about blankets. But the Franciscans at The Inn at Kensington do, for they know from experience that soon enough; people will be knocking at their doors in search of protection from the cold on the streets. At present, their supply of blankets is at an all-time low. If you have any gently used blankets, please drop them off at the Muller porch, 472 Poplar Lane for delivery to the Franciscan closets!



SAVE THE DATE!!!! SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17

SPN Women's Guild invites you to Travel the <u>United</u> <u>States</u> with us! If you would like to put together a gift basket to be raffled off at the Fashion Show, please contact Nancy Weir at <u>nancyweir@verizon.net</u> or 610-941-0295.

Basket Themes

Alabama Forrest Gump, Southern living

Alaska Winter
Arizona (Reserved)
Arkansas Christmas
California (Reserved)

Colorado Winter sports/skiing items
Connecticut Go green/recycling

Delaware Gift cards to stores in Wilmington

Florida (Reserved) Georgia (Reserved) Hawaii (Reserved)

Idaho Potatoes/Potato Products/utensils

Illinois Pizza-making items

Indiana (Reserved)

Iowa Corn/popcorn/movies

Kansas Toto/dog food, treats, toys, etc. **Kentucky** Kentucky Derby/horses/hats

LouisianaCajun FoodMaine(Reserved)MarylandCrab-themed itemsMassachusettsTea/Boston

Michigan Children's toys/Barbie dolls
Minnesota Double theme (items in pairs)
Mississippi Books/reading along the riverside

Missouri (Reserved)

Montana Ranch-flavored foods
Nebraska BBQ/meat/grilling utensils

Casino Nevada **New Hampshire** (Reserved) (Reserved) **New Jersey** Turquoise jewelry New Mexico (Reserved) New York **North Carolina** Sports/ basketball North Dakota Gourmet food Ohio Garden

Oklahoma Crafts/scrap booking/knitting Oregon Hiking/camping/REI Gift Card

Pennsylvania (Reserved)

Rhode Island Small, travel-size items

South Carolina Golf South Dakota (Reserved)

Tennessee Music/iTunes Gift Cards

Texas Oil (sun tanning oils, fragrances)

Utah (Reserved)

Vermont Breakfast Foods/Ice cream toppings

Virginia Romance
Washington (Reserved)
West Virginia Beautiful smile
Wisconsin Wine and cheese
Wyoming Candles

15 Baskets Reserved – Thank you.

Saint Joseph Prep PREP BEACH BASH

Saturday, August 14, 2:00-4:00 PM The Whitebrier, 260 20th Street, Avalon, NJ. Cost is \$25.

PREP AT THE SHORE

Sunday, August 15, Mass begins at Noon with a reception from 12:30-3:00 PM.

Avalon Yacht Club, 704 7th Street, Avalon, NJ.

Cost is \$50. RSVP for both events at:

www.sjprep.org/shore or 215-978-1018

<u>Saint Patrick - Norristown</u> <u>17th Annual Irish Festival</u>

Saturday, August 21 – 6:00-10:30 PM Irish Music, Irish Pub Night

Sunday, August 22 - Noon – Mass of the Golden Rose celebrating The Feast of Our Lady of Knock 1:00-6:00 PM dance, sing and experience the *Music of the Hooligans*.

<u>SAVE THE DATE:</u> THURSDAY. AUGUST 26

Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Parish Limerick, PA

In honor of Blessed Teresa's 100th Birthday

For more information on event and bus trip please call Betty Butera at 610-828-4474.



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