# SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH

## **SEPTEMBER 19, 2010**

#### TWENTY- FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Second Collection Next Sunday: Debt Reduction

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, Vincent Cellucci, Gregory Cenevino, Ed Coach, Nicholas Cocron, Patricia Coscia, Susan DiBonaventura, Mary DiDonato, Charles Di Lullo, Jr., Lillian Doherty, 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, Peg Mateja, Carmen and Helen Morelli, Thomas Mortimore, IV, John Mullahy, Lisa O'Brien, Dolores O'Neill, James V. Pienkowski, Barbie Preston, John Rees, Gloria Reilly, Erica Roberts, Betty Skibjak, Steven Silverio, Betty Smith, Lorraine Sirianni, Tim Schwartz, 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.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS are scheduled for Tuesday, October 5, 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.

<u>WE WELCOME</u> Sophie Madeline, daughter of Steven and Anne Marie Nesfeder and Julia Florence, daughter of Charles and Amanda Roman into the Parish Community of St. Philip Neri Church. These babies were baptized last Sunday.

## ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday	
6:30 AM	Roseanna Suder Eleanor Gallagher
8:30 AM	Angelo and Maria Donato Pacifico
Tuesday	
6:30 AM	Rosemary Lawrence Vesey
8:30 AM	Frances Januzelli
Wednesday	
6:30 AM	Fran and James Dunne
8:30 AM	William and Michael Stephens
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Thursday	
6:30 AM	Mary Olivieri
8:30 AM	Stephen Petka
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Friday	
6:30 AM	Mary L. Basile
8:30 AM	Charles McLaughlin
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Saturday	
8:30 AM	Armillei and Zampano Families
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## PASTOR'S NOTE

I would like to express our deepest thanks to *Sister Mary Scherr* who dedicated so many years of service to St. Philip's. Sister Mary directed our Music Ministry for many years as well as our outreach to the nursing homes and shut-ins in our community. Because of ill health Sister has retired to the Sisters of St. Joseph Villa. If you wish to send her a card and wish her well the address is: St. Joseph's Villa, 110 West Wissachickon Avenue, Flourtown, PA 19031.

At this time I would like to welcome to our Staff *Sister Barbara Ferraiolo.* Sister will be directing our Nursing Home Ministry and care of our shutins. Sister Barbara has already made a great impression on our many dedicated Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist who work with her. We are so happy to have her. If you have any family members at home who wish to receive Communion please call the Church Office at 610-834-1975.

## **Catechetical Sunday**

**"Matrimony: Sacrament of Enduring Love."** Those who have been designated by the community to serve as catechists will be called forth to be commissioned for their ministry at the 10:00 AM Mass.



<u>Forty Hours Celebration</u> September 26, 27 and 28 Speaker: Rev. Andrew C. Brownholtz "Pascal Mystery" "Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again" <u>Sunday, September, 26</u> 11:30 AM Mass and Solemn Exposition 7:30 Evening Service "CHRIST HAS DIED" All Night Adoration

> Monday, September 27 8:00 AM Rosary 7:30 Evening Service *"CHRIST IS RISEN"* All Night Adoration

<u>Tuesday, September 28</u> 8:00 AM Rosary 7:30 Evening Service *"CHRIST WILL COME AGAIN"* Benediction and Procession 8:30 Reception – Parish Hall

Question of the Week Can cheating and deception ever be justified?

## **Parish Religious Education Program**

Monday Session Classes for grades 2-5 start September 20. Grade 1 joins the program September 27.

**Opening Night for PREP Tuesday Session** will be Monday evening, at 7:15 in the School Hall.

All registered children, grades 1-6, and their parents are expected to attend. Classes for grades 2-6 start September 28. Grade 1 joins the program October 5. Please call Jeanette Paul at 610-834-9868 with any questions.

#### Help Needed for CCD -Secretary - Monday

<u>Afternoon</u> Please call Jeanette Paul at 610-834-9868 if you can lend a hand!

**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, good organizational skills to maintain the program as well as knowledge of EXCEL and Word. Candidate interviews will begin Wednesday. Qualified candidates should contact Bob Dunne at rdunne@devereux.org.

## <u>H.O.P.E.</u>

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: <u>ann59bil@gmail.com</u>), 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.

### 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 <u>Wednesday of each month</u>. The next delivery is October 6. Please consider this work of mercy in your busy schedule. They are greatly needed and appreciated.

ARE YOU A PARENT WHO HAS LOST A CHILD? An informal group of Moms and Dads get together to talk or just listen to others who understand how you feel. For more information contact: Marianne O'Connor 610-825-4975 or Rosemary McNichol 610-825-7367. The next meeting will be Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Rectory Conference Room.

#### WOMEN'S PRAYER GROUP

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

#### 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.

#### **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!



### Think About It! Adult Faith Formation

SPN Adult Faith Formation is sponsoring a pilgrimage to the National Centre for Padre Pio in Barto, PA on Saturday, October 2. The day will consist of First Saturday devotions, a rosary procession, a guided tour, a video of Padre Pio's last Mass, free time in the museum and a catered hot lunch on site. Cost including lunch, transportation and donation to the shrine is \$35 per person. Please don't let the cost prevent you from coming if you have an interest. We are limited to 25 people so reserve your spot immediately. The bus will leave at 8:00 AM and return around 3:00 PM. Contact Linda at 610-828-0344 or LindaBaneckerAFF@aol.com ASAP.

## CYO Fundraiser

#### 2011 Philadelphia Phillies Season Tickets

The CYO is conducting a new fundraiser this year and the prize will be a pair of 2011 Philadelphia Season Tickets. The winning ticket number will be the PA Lottery Daily three digit evening number drawn for December 24, 2010, so a lucky ticket holder will have a wonderful Christmas present. All monies from the fundraiser helps the Saint Philip Neri CYO provide for the thirty-one teams that represent our parish. There are over three hundred children who participate in our program that compete in eight different CYO sports over the school year.

### WOMEN'S GUILD FASHION SHOW

SPN Women's Guild invites you to Travel the United States 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 nancyweir@verizon.net or 610-941-0295.

Basket Themes (still available)		
Alabama	Forrest Gump, Southern living	
Alaska	Winter	
Arkansas	Christmas	
Colorado	Winter sports/skiing items	
Connecticut	Go green/recycling	
Delaware	Gift cards to stores in Wilmington	
Idaho	Potatoes/Potato Products/utensils	
Illinois	Pizza-making items	
Iowa	Corn/popcorn/movies	
Kentucky	Kentucky Derby/horses/hats	
Louisiana	Cajun Food	
Michigan	Children's toys/Barbie dolls	
Minnesota	Double theme (items in pairs)	
Montana	Ranch-flavored foods	
North Dakota	Gourmet food	
Ohio	Garden	
Oklahoma	Crafts/scrap booking/knitting	
Oregon	Hiking/camping/REI Gift Card	
South Carolina	Golf	
Tennessee	Music/iTunes Gift Cards	
Texas	Oil (sun tanning oils, fragrances)	
Vermont	Breakfast Foods/Ice cream toppings	
Virginia	Romance	
Wyoming	Candles	
26 Baskets Reserved – Thank you		

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Donations of Cheer are needed for three Baskets of Cheer that will be raffled off at the Fashion Show. If you would like to donate to these baskets, bottles of cheer can be dropped off at the Church Office. Thank you for your continuous support of our Fashion Show.

### Parkway Run/Walk for Pediatric Cancer **Research at CHOP** Sunday, September 26

Last year over 300 members of *Team Jacqueline* participated in the event and raised more than \$20,000! *Team Jacqueline* will be attending the 5:00 PM Mass (wearing our lime green team shirts!) on Saturday September 25.

To sign up for *Team Jacqueline* and/or make a donation, please visit the team's website at: http://giving.chop.edu/site/TR/Events/General?team id=6232&pg=team&fr id=1180.

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