

“Honor your
Father as the
Lord your
God
has
commanded you”



Deuteronomy 5:16

**SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH
LAFAYETTE HILL, PENNSYLVANIA**

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JUNE 19, 2011
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

Second Collection: Peter's Pence
Second Collection Next Weekend:
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, John Cacchio, Jr., Ed Coach, Mary Connery, Patricia Coscia, Susan DiBonaventura, Mary DiDonato, Charles DiLullo, Jr., Hector DiGiacomo, Lillian Doherty, Claire Fleming, Marge Gallagher, Bill Geppert, Jason Hamilton, Arthur Hellebusch, Sharon Hofknecht, Vincent Jacoby, Catherine Kershaw, Laretta Kolb, Thomas Kropinski, Lauren Lamar, Lillian Linton, George and Molly Lozinak, James Maggetti, Jack Mailey, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, Julia McLaughlin, Margaret McLaughlin, Jean McLenigan, Carmen and Helen Morelli, John Mullahy, Lisa O'Brien, Thomas Mortimore, IV, Dolores O'Neill, James V. Pienkowski, Barbie Preston, Ann Rathke, John Rees, Gloria Reilly, Tim Schwartz, Peter Shields, Sr., Betty Smith, Irene Schindler, Mary Szoffara, Jamie Tannenbaum, Baby Emma Wittig, Rhoda Younglove and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.

PLEASE PRAY for those who died and those we remember in the silence of our hearts, especially: Sisters Mary Alice Snyder, Josephine Merchant, Marie Dorothy Brown, Elizabeth Kredatus, Sisters of Saint Joseph, Dr. Erwin Schmidt and Mildred Fulginiti.

BAPTISIMAL INSTRUCTIONS are scheduled for Tuesday, July 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.

WE WELCOME Liam Jeffrey, son of Jeffrey and Bridget Dutill, Francis Anthony, son of Francis and Susan Giovannone, Connell Dennis, son of Seamus and Mary Elizabeth McGroary, Joseph Thomas, son of Joseph and Lisa Mancuso, and Michael Anthony, son of Michael and Angela Testa.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

MONDAY

8:30 AM Joan Carroll

TUESDAY

8:30 AM Charles Ponietowicz

WEDNESDAY

8:30 AM Anthony J. Basile, Sr.

THURSDAY

8:30 AM Tullio Leomporra

FRIDAY

8:30 AM Mary L. Basile

SATURDAY

8:30 AM Ernest Behr
Charles and Jane Dunne

Father's Day Cards

At the doors of the Church there are Father's Day cards for living and deceased fathers. All the Masses on Father's Day will be offered for them as well as Masses said during the month of June. Please fill in the information on the outside envelope and drop it in the collection basket or the church office. The card may be given to your father on Father's Day, or if your father is deceased, keep it as a keepsake.

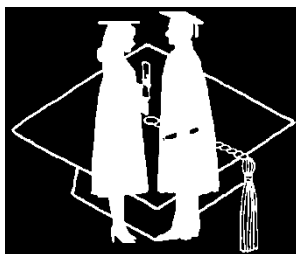
HELP WANTED

Qualifications: Dedication, ability to work in all kinds of weather, creativity, nimble fingers, and a desire to serve the parish, following in the footsteps of Ted and Mary Jane Rodgers who have held this job of keeping the sign on Germantown Pike current with the events of the parish. It will be hard to fill their shoes as they have done a stellar job, but if you are ready to accept the challenge (could be done as a family), please let Monsignor Vance know.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What signs of God's love have you witnessed in your life?

Congratulations and God Bless
Graduates of Saint Philip Neri School Class of 2011



Michael Amoroso
Kevin Bier
Angelo Bonanni
Joseph Borek
Christopher Ciolelli
Jared Coles
Peter Connolly
Matthew Conway
James Corr
Michael Crone
Gianna DeBellis
Alissa DeGeorge
Anna DeRusso
Olivia Delone
Matthew Dessner
Michael Dowling
Ryan Gorman
Emily Hall
Charles Hemcher
Conor Higgins
Megan Horan
Zachary Irwin
Rachael Isackman
Mary Kate Keenan
Georgia Kelly

Evan McKeever
Catherine Morris
Tara Murphy
Luke Myers
Maira Nolan
Matthew Nowak
Thomas Nowak
Christina Pascali
Christian Pico Fazzi
Carly Polizzi
Michael Quarino
Kera Rampone
Kathleen Robertson
Kyle Rodier
Hannah Rosato
Patrick Russo
David Rutkowski
Kelly Sabia
Felice Santoro
Stephen Schanes
Alison Spinelli
Matthew Strosser
Claudia Sztandera
John Troy
Christopher Wellman

Claire McCreavy
Darby McEleney
Keelin McEleney

Zachary Ziernicki
Maria Zonies

Scholarships Awarded

Roman Catholic High School

Michael Amoroso Matthew Conway
Michael Crone Evan McKeever Matthew Nowak
Kyle Rodier Felice Santoro

Archbishop Carroll High School

Michael Amoroso Darby McEleney
Evan McKeever

La Salle College High School

Matthew Strosser

Merion Mercy Academy

Emily Hall

Mount Saint Joseph Academy

Darby McEleney Maria Zonies

SAINT PHILIP NERISCHOOL REGISTRATION

Saint Philip Neri School is accepting registration for the 2011-2012 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

CYO THANK YOU

The CYO Board would like to thank Mike Quarino for his service and dedication to the SPN CYO Program. Thank you for everything you have done for our student-athletes.

CONGRATULATIONS!!

The CYO Board would like to congratulate Emily Hall and Matthew Strosser who are the 2010/11 CYO Scholar-Athletes of the year! Congratulations to both of you for receiving this prestigious award and good luck in high school.

HIGH SCHOOL CYO

Co-ed intramural volleyball will be played in the Saint Philip Neri Gym on Tuesday nights this summer. Any parishioner, who will be a high school student in September, 2011 is welcome to play. To register please contact Mike Quarino at mquarino@verizon.net or 610-940-1116.

SCHOOL CHOICES School choice will benefit thousands of Philadelphia area students. Senate Bill 1 proposes a significant increase to the Education Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) program and vouchers for the poorest students in chronically failing schools. The program starts small, but by the third and fourth year families in every school will qualify for a voucher. Parents can use the EITC or voucher scholarship to pay tuition at any school they choose, including a Catholic school if they wish. Visit or call your state legislators and tell them to vote YES on Senate Bill 1. Sample script: *When it comes before you, please vote in favor of Senate Bill 1 – the Opportunity Scholarship and Educational Improvement Tax Credit* Or send your message online. Log on to www.pacatholic.org/schoolchoice and click “Contact your legislator” to send an easy e-mail message.

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

REGISTRATION for the Parish Religious Education Program (CCD) is now being taken for 2011-2012. Those registered at Saint Philip’s with an incoming child in Kindergarten and Grade 1 already received a letter and registration form. Those currently enrolled have already received their materials. The cost of the program is \$175 for one child and \$225 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. 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!

Frozen Casseroles for St. John’s Hospice

Could you find time to make a casserole for the homeless of 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 Wednesday, July 6. Please consider this work of mercy in your busy schedule. They are greatly needed and appreciated.

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 email: ann59bil@gmail.com, or Loretta Zych at 215-836-1127. Additional weekday drivers and group leaders are needed.

WOMEN’S PRAYER GROUP

Please consider joining our Women’s Prayer Group. We meet from 10:00-11:00 every Thursday morning in the Rectory Conference Room. 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 AM. 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!

WEDDING MUSIC

The Sacrament of Matrimony is enhanced by the use of Liturgical Music. Our Music Director is available to help you prepare Music and Liturgy for your Wedding Mass or Ceremony. After placing your wedding date on the parish calendar, contact Jean to confirm this date and to set up an appointment to discuss details. All Parish Cantors will be recommended at that time. Should you desire additional instrumentalists; contacts will also be made at that time. Jean Martin: 215-704-0508 or Jeanm1@comcast.net.

Shop with Scrip

Scrip gift cards purchases could provide St. Philip’s with free money! All you have to do is buy your groceries with SCRIP gift cards. SCRIP is sold at the weekend Masses as well as during the summer in the church office. For more information contact Patti Hinchey at 215-836-2129.

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 215-247-2267. This group meets every third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Conference Room. The next meeting is Tuesday.

SAVE THE DATE!

**SAINT PHILIP NERI HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION
DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION
NOVEMBER 12
Una Bella Sera in Tuscany**

Update from Father Brandt - Be Part of
“Creating a Monument to Mother Teresa of Calcutta” www.blteresacalcutta.com

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