# SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH SEPTEMBER 25, 2011 TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Second Collection Next Weekend: Pro-Life Union

There will be a second collection next weekend for the benefit of the Pro-Life Union. Please be generous with your offering. We Catholic people must always be Faithful to the great cause. Your generosity will allow the Pro Life Union and Generation Life to continue and to expand their vital work.

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: Peter Black, Mary Connery, Patricia Coscia, Mary DiDonato, Hector DiGiacomo, Lillian Doherty, Claire Fleming, Marge Gallagher, Sharon Hofknecht, Rachel Horvath, Vincent Jacoby, Catherine Kershaw, Lauretta Kolb, Pat Kost, Thomas Kropinski, George and Molly Lozinak, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, Julia McLaughlin, Margaret McLaughlin, Jean McLenigan, Carmen and Helen Morelli, John Mullahy, Lisa O'Brien, Thomas Mortimore, IV, John Rees, Gloria Reilly, Baby Peter Sayegh, Tim Schwartz, Betty Smith, Gabriel Vereczkei, 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: Charles Genuardi.

BAPTISIMAL INSTRUCTIONS are scheduled for Tuesday, October 4, 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** Kyle Michael, son of David and Marie Buczkowski and Maia Rae, daughter of Justin and Marie Oechiogrosso into the Parish Community of St. Philip Neri Church. These babies were baptized last weekend.

# ANNOUNCED MASSES

### Monday

6:30 AM	Maureen Gallagher
8:30 AM	Konstanty and Julie Staranowicz

## Tuesday

6:30 AM	Helen Tatlow
8:30 AM	James Keenan

## Wednesday

6:30 AM	Kathryn LaFontaine
8:30 AM	Sheila Maguire

## Thursday

6:30 AM	Peter and Geraldine Shields
8:30 AM	Mary L. and Anthony J. Basile, Sr.

## Friday

6:30 AM	Andrew and Gloria Cafagna
8:30 AM	Charles McLaughlin

## Saturday

8:30 AM	Raymond DiDonato
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## **Forty Hours Celebration**

Speaker: Reverend James DeGrassa "THE EUCHARIST"

<u>Sunday</u>

11:30 AM Mass and Solemn Exposition 7:30 Evening Service *"GREAT GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST"* All Night Adoration

<u>Monday</u> 8:00 AM Rosary 7:30 Evening Service *"GREAT POWER OF THE EUCHARIST"* All Night Adoration

### Tuesday\_

8:00 AM Rosary 7:30 Evening Service *"GREAT LOVE OF THE EUCHARIST"* Benediction and Procession 8:30 Reception - Parish Hall

## <u>The New Translation of the</u> <u>Roman Missal, Third Edition</u>

The USCCB, United States Catholic Conference of Bishops, has directed Diocesan Bishops to allow gradual implementation of the various musical settings of the Order of Mass from the Roman Missal, Third Edition, effective September 2011. St. Philip's Music Ministry will present some of these changes prior to the Masses beginning September 25. We will continue to sing the Heritage Mass by Alstott, which is familiar to the congregation. There are only slight changes to the Holy. The Gloria will also be introduced and we ask that the congregation follow along and participate as the melody and text become familiar to you. Inserts containing the new translation for the Holy and Gloria will be supplied to you in the pews, along with the Mystery of Faith. We have already been singing the Mystery of Faith, "When we eat this bread...." The Great Amen and the Lamb of God will remain the same with the familiar melody of the Heritage Mass. Thank you for your patience as we introduce the new musical settings for the Mass.

Jean Martin, Director of Music



## Faith Formation is a Lifelong Journey Contact: LindaBaneckerAFF@aol.com or 610-828-0344

<u>New Roman Missal</u>: Please read the inserts in the Sunday bulletins to familiarize yourself with the upcoming changes but most especially to learn a little more about our Sacred Mass.

<u>Small Christian Community</u>: Reflect on the Sunday Scriptures Tuesday mornings after the 8:30 Mass in the sacristy. Material Cost is \$6.

**Book Club**: Left to Tell by Immaculee Ilibagiza. October 11 and 25 at 7:00 in the school library. The true story of God-inspired forgiveness by a young woman who after suffering the atrocities of genocide and the brutal death of her family, emerged from her suffering having discovered the true meaning of unconditional love--a love so strong she was able to seek out and forgive her family's killers. For our first session, read Part I and Part II.

## **Volunteers Needed...**

Saint Philip Neri Church is in need of volunteers to help clean the Church. Can you spare one hour on a Friday morning, once a month, to be part of a group that helps keep our Church beautiful? If you are interested please call Mary in the Church Office at 610-834-1975.

## **<u>Children's Liturgy of the Word</u>** Age 5 and up.

Please join us on Sundays at the 10:00 AM in the Preschool Building for a Children's Liturgy instruction. Our group follows the kindergarten CCD Schedule; please refer to the website for exact days. If you are interested in being a parent volunteer, please e-mail Nancy Williamson at <u>nlcwillliamson@comcast.net</u>.

#### Question of the Week

What are the three most important values motivating your daily decisions?

#### **RESPECT LIFE MONTH**

October is "Respect Life Month". Items for mothers and babies in need may be placed in the crib in the lobby. We will accept your donations such as clothes, blankets, etc. Any large items (walker, cribs, and strollers) please call me before donating them. Do not put them in the church lobby. We cannot accept car seats. Our biggest need is for larger size diapers and formulas. If you would like to lend a hand with this community service, please call Loretta. A sincere thank you for all that you do. Loretta Zych – 215-836-1127.

#### 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. 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!

#### Music Notes

Wedding Music/Funeral Music

Please contact Jean Martin 215/704-0508 Please be mindful of the ministry of the parish musicians and their concentration on the liturgy.

*"If the space occupied by the choir and instruments is visible to the assembly, it must reflect the sacredness of the music ministry."* 

Church Document: Sing to the Lord, Music in Divine Worship, USCCB

## 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 this Tuesday.

**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.

## The Philippians

Anyone interested in joining our organization, please call Joan Meade at 610-828-6641. New members are always welcomed.

#### 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, **October 5.** Please consider this work of mercy in your busy schedule. They are greatly needed and appreciated.

## High School Youth Group News!

It's time to get things started for another great year! Our first meeting will be on Wednesday, October 5, from 7-8:30 PM *outside the library. We will be working on our first service* project! Our annual flag football event will be Saturday, October 15, at the SPN field. We will start at 10 AM and break at 11:30 for a pizza lunch! Hope to see you there! Please email MaryBeth McGroary for more details or to be added to the contacts list for all parish youth group events! mbmcgroary@saintphilipnerischool.com

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Car Wash

Come out and help suppor the 8<sup>th</sup> grade class at SPN. They will be having their Fall car wash Saturday, October 1 farom 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM in the Saint Philip Neri school parking lot. All donations are welcome!

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14. 5:30-9:00 PM Fall Festival

**Ticket Sales** Buy early and save money!!! Tickets are: \$.50 each; 24 for \$10; 48 for \$20; 96 for \$40. Make checks payable to St. Philip Neri Home and School and mail c/o Linda Pizzi, 104 Cardinal Drive, Conshohocken, PA 19428. For more information: 610-940-1331. **SPN Gift Cards!** Did you know that the SCRIP gift card program raised \$16,000 for SPN during the 2010-2011school year? The SCRIP Program also helped SPN school parents to earn thousands of dollars in tuition credits. If you don't participate yet, here's how to get started. Buy a grocery store gift card after a weekend Mass or during church office hours. Pay for your groceries with the gift card. Make it a part of your weekly routine. Best of all, it doesn't cost you anything extra. Save your paper vouchers for tuition credits OR for gift cards. For more information, please call Patti Hinchey 215-836-2129.

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

# St. Philip Neri Church

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 and CONFIRMATION Keepsakes.

#### TOP TEN NEEDS LIST for the CATHOLIC WORKER

**FREE CLINIC** Disposable razors, generic multivitamins with Iron, Vitamin C 500 mg tablets, Hotel sized toiletries, body lotion, SEPTA tokens, men's new white socks, washcloths, deodorant-spray and stick, toothbrushes, toothpaste. The following items would never be turned away: used bath towels, used popular novels, snack-sized Ziploc baggies, large bottles of shampoo & lotion, body powder, OTC reading glasses, paper towels, bleach, cough drops & Chap Stick. As usual, items can be dropped off at the Muller Home at 472 Poplar Lane, Lafayette Hill. For more information, contact

mullerkathleenb@gmail.com or 610-828-4267.

#### <u>Pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Immaculate</u> <u>Conception, Washington, DC Saturday,</u>

**October 15**. Please join us and our fellow parishioners from IHM and the Archdiocese as we travel to Washington DC for a day of prayer and worship at the Basilica of the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Departure from IHM parking lot at 7:45 AM. Refreshments on board. Returning to IHM at approximately 8:30 PM. The bus will leave all passengers off and also pick up everyone at the Shrine. The Cafeteria at the Shrine will be open for lunch or bring a brown bag lunch. Seating is limited on the bus. Cost is \$20 per person. To reserve your seat and for further details please contact Olga Kostic at 215-482-0828. Schedule of Events: Welcome at Noon; 12:15 PM Opening Prayer with invitation to Penance; 12:45 PM Confessions available as well as a tour of Basilica and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament; 2:00 PM Procession and Crowning of image of the Blessed Virgin Mary; 2:30 PM Rosary and 3:00 PM Solemn Celebration of the Eucharist. 014phil