

# SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH

October 4, 2013 7PM

August 11, 2013

## ANNOUNCED MASSES

### Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Second Collection This Weekend: **2013 Year of Faith Missionary Appeal** **Society for Faith and Children's Education,** **India (S FACE)**

Reverend Anthony Boothali will be our guest speaker. The Society for Faith and Children's Education (S FACE) will graciously present information pertaining to its call to "Hear the cries of the poor." S FACE currently sponsors 200+ young adults, and it looks to commit to an additional 100 scholars this year. In a country, like India, with over 230,000,000 children who do not attend school (at all), the need is vast. Every year S FACE receives over 300 new applications. Jesus said, "Blessed are the Merciful for they shall receive mercy." Matthew 5:7.

#### Second Collection Next Weekend: **Catholic University**

**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: Margaret Berkey, Bella Jones Borkowski, Martha DiCesare, Mary DiDonato, Lillian Doherty, Emily Donhauser, Lisa Dougherty, Steve Hedrick, Rachel Horvath, Betty Jacobs, Vincent Jacoby, Bill Keenan, Michael Koneski, Pat Kost, George and Molly Lozinak, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, James McBride, Jr., Joan McGill, John McLaughlin, Julia McLaughlin, Margaret McLaughlin, Stephen Merlin, Jen Meszaros, Cecilia Moore, John Mullahy, Lisa O'Brien, Jean Marie O'Pella, Sue Roccia, Baby Peter Sayegh, Tim Schwartz, Kristin Shearon, Jennifer Shertz, Yvonne Stephens, Esther Timbario, Kena Thompson 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, the deceased members of the military.

Save the Date **SPN Women's Guild**  
**Designer Bag Bingo**

### **Monday**

8:30 AM Mary L. Basile

### **Tuesday**

8:30 AM Charles McLaughlin

### **Wednesday**

8:30 AM Ken Gallagher

### **Thursday**

6:30 AM Henry and Cecelia Kropp

8:30 AM Tullio Leomporra

12:05 PM Bill Shaw

7:00 PM John P. McCarthy

### **Friday**

8:30 AM John DiDonato

### **Saturday**

8:30 AM Charles Ponietowicz

#### Please Note:

The 6:30 AM Mass will resume on September 3.



*Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>.*  
*The Feast of the Assumption*  
*of the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
*is a Holy Day of Obligation.*  
Masses are: 6:30 and 8:30 AM  
12:05 and 7:00 PM

**BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS** are scheduled for Tuesday, September 3rd at 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.

**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](mailto:ann59bil@gmail.com), or Loretta Zych at 215-836-1127. Additional weekday drivers and group leaders are needed

**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 as early as 6:00AM and before 9:00 AM the first Wednesday of each month. The next delivery will be September 4<sup>th</sup>. Please consider this work of mercy in your busy schedule.

**Women's Prayer Group** Our Women's Prayer Group meets on the first Thursday of the month from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM in the Rectory Conference Room. Please call Sister Barbara at 484-213-8177 if you wish to join the group or for more information

**Men's Prayer Group** Men of different ages meet every Wednesday morning in the Rectory Conference Room from 7:30 to 8:30. If you are interested in joining and wish for more information, call Duane McCarthy at 610-825-5237.

**RCIA—Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** 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!

**SCRIP Gift Cards** Every SCRIP gift card purchase is a fundraiser for Saint Philip Neri Parish. Gift cards are sold after the Masses on Sunday (except 7:00 AM) and during Church Office hours. For your convenience you can go "high tech" for more choices of vendors and

register at [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com) with SPN code 7D53E11E329L. Questions? Contact Patti Hinchey 215-836-2129 or [spnscrisp@gmail.com](mailto:spnscrisp@gmail.com).

**SPN CYO FALL SPORTS REGISTRATION**

Please go to the school website <http://saintphilipnersischool.com/> for Fall sports registration under CYO. Co-ed soccer (5th-8th grade), Girls Field Hockey (5th-8th grade), girls volleyball (5th-8th grade) \$90.00, and co-ed cross country (4th-8th grade) \$50.00. Any questions contact Marc Marrone [a31796@aol.com](mailto:a31796@aol.com).

**WANTED - Varsity Volleyball Coach**

Our CYO Varsity Volleyball Team is in need of a coach. If you are interested, please contact Marc Marrone @ 215-901-3810 or [A31796@aol.com](mailto:A31796@aol.com)

**PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM**

**HELP NEEDED!**

**Catechist needed for our Monday PREP program for 5th grade.**

**Please call Jeanette Paul at 610-834-9868 for more information.**

REGISTRATION for the **Parish Religious Education Program (CCD)** is now being taken for 2013-2014. 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 1-6 have classes on Monday and Tuesday afternoons from 4:00-5:30 PM. Bus transportation is available from Whitmarsh 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!

**St. Joseph's Preparatory School** will be hosting a Class of 2018 Pre-Applicant Social for 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys on Tuesday, August 13, 2013. Students will be able to participate in a variety of indoor activities such as soccer, basketball, and dodgeball. Please RSVP by visiting [www.sjprep.org/apply](http://www.sjprep.org/apply) no later than August 12<sup>th</sup>.

**St. Philips's Women's 55+ Bowling League** is looking for new members. The league bowls on Wednesdays at noon at Facenda Whitaker Lanes in E. Norriton. The league runs from September to mid – May. If interested, please contact Suzanne Lily at (610) 825-8142.

**2013-2014 SPN AUCTION**  
**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Summer does not take vacation at St. Francis Inn!** Of the many that make up our little world here at the Inn - the Sisters, the Friars, the lay team, the numerous volunteers - it is St. Philip Neri Parish that holds a special place in our heart. You are the '*muscle*' of our operation providing abundant donations each week! Thank you for keeping our constant needs in mind! Deodorant, Disposable Razors, Shower products including Powder & Fragrances; Sugar, Cereal, Peanut Butter & Jam, Powdered Milk, Coffee, Instant Iced Tea & large Tea Bags; Metal Soup Spoons & Dinner Forks; Sz 5&6 Disposable Diapers (opened pkgs are great!), Feminine Protection Products, esp. POISE pads (opened pkgs are ok); Trash bags 13 & 30 gallon size and continuous Prayers! We are always in need of travel-size toothpaste & brushes, dish & laundry soap, canned food; Thermal tops & bottoms, new mens' & ladies' underwear &

socks; gently-used blankets, sheets, towels & washcloths.

**Celebrate the Year of Faith with the Archdiocese of Philadelphia** Pilgrimage of Faith, Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>. Let your Catholic Faith shine in the public square by joining with hundreds of others on a pilgrimage. Groups from all over the Archdiocese will journey to the cathedral on foot, by car or train (or any combo of these 3!) for music, prayer and Mass with Archbishop Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M. Cap. at 6:30PM. More information coming soon! [Archphila.org/yearoffaith](http://Archphila.org/yearoffaith)

**Saint John The Baptist Parish**, Manayunk, will sponsor a School/Parish Reunion on Sunday, August 18 at Lighthouse Point in Wildwood, NJ from 1PM – 5PM. For more information, please contact Marie Kwartnik at 215-317-2775 or [mkwartnik@comcast.net](mailto:mkwartnik@comcast.net)

**Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary**  
**Campaign for Camilla Hall**

Join us for a spectacular afternoon concert and reception following with the world-renowned La Diva Tenors (Three Tenors and a Diva) on Sunday, October 13, 2013 2PM – 4PM in the Alumnae Hall at Immaculate University. For more information, call 610-647-2160.

**St. Martin of Tours Parish in Northeast Philadelphia will hold its 8<sup>th</sup> annual Tours at the Shore reunion** for alumni, friends and current and former parishioners on Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, from 3PM-7PM at Keenan's Irish Pub, 113 Olde New Jersey Ave, in North Wildwood, NJ. For more information, call St. Martin's at 215-535-2962.

**Law, Life, Science & Faith Conference** Join us at Malvern Retreat House for a dynamic conference *Revolution or Revelation? Law, Life, Science and Faith*. August 13-14. Topics include: law, religious freedom, current science and medical ethics issues, and end of life issues.

For more info and to register:  
[www.MalvernRetreat.com](http://www.MalvernRetreat.com), 610-644-0400

**Archbishop Chaput Year of Faith Lecture Series** Thursday, Sept 12, 2013 Prof. Brad Gregory – *Science vs. Religion? The Compatibility of Catholicism and the Natural Sciences*. All lectures take place at 7PM-9PM in Vianney Hall Auditorium at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary. Cost is \$5.00 per lecture. To register: [archphila.org/yearoffaith](http://archphila.org/yearoffaith)

**Magnificat Day** is coming to Philadelphia on Saturday, November 9, 2013. Join us for a unique gathering for liturgical prayer, music, inspirational talks, reflection and more. The Day includes acclaimed speakers Father Robert Barron, author of *Catholicism* series, and Father John Peter Cameron, O.P., Editor-in-Chief of MAGNIFICAT. Location: Pennsylvania Convention Center and Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter & Paul. The day concludes with a Eucharistic Procession in the streets of Philadelphia. For more information & registration visit, [www.magnificatday.com](http://www.magnificatday.com)

**First Archdiocesan Catholic Women's Conference** The Feminine Genius: Every Woman's Gift  
Saturday, December 7, 2013 8:30AM – 4 PM at the Pennsylvania Convention Center, Philadelphia  
Please visit [www.CatholicWomensConference.org](http://www.CatholicWomensConference.org) to learn more and to register!



**National Shrine of St. Katharine Drexel** The Shrine is located at 1663 Bristol Pike, Bensalem, PA 19020.

Visit our website for directions and more information: [www.katharinedrexel.org](http://www.katharinedrexel.org) 215-244-9900 ext. 380

HOURS: Daily 10 AM to 5 PM; Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Daily 10AM-5PM.

**Volunteers Needed:** Volunteer(s) needed with a truck or large vehicle to pick up donated food from BJ's Wholesale Club in Oaks, PA on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. For more information, please call Catholic Social Services in Norristown –

610-279-7372 and ask for Phyllis.

Volunteers needed to help in our Food Cupboard. The hours are Monday and Thursday morning, 9AM – 11AM, and Thursday evening 5PM to 6:30PM. For more information, please call Phyllis at 610-279-7372.

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