

SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH
September 20, 2015

TWENTY – FIFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

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: Jose Alvarez, Bella Jones Borkowski, Dolores Bucci, Kathy Caputo, Bill Coogan, Howard Daywalt, Mary DiDonato, Lillian Doherty, Emily Donhauser, Lisa Dougherty, Christopher Greuters, Larry Falkowski, Irene Foley, Bill Keenan, Jean Keenan, Pat Kost, Patricia Kucheruk, Nicholas Lannutti, George and Molly Lozinak, Phyllis Luther, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, Toby Merrill, Julia McLaughlin, Stephen Merlin, Melanie Moletsky, Joe and Betty Mulligan, Catherine Niche, Lisa O'Brien, Baby Addison Pfeffer, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, Sue Roccia, Xavier Ross, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Kristin Shearon, Robert Smith, Janice Swan, Kena Thompson, Mike Whitaker 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, Tom Morrison.

Papal Pot Luck Dinner: For those parishioners who wish to stay in the area, St. Philip Neri will be hosting a pot luck dinner in the school hall on September 27. Doors will open at 2 pm and we will be live streaming the events on the parkway culminating with the Papal Mass schedule to begin at 4 pm. In order for us to have a sense of how many people to expect, sign-up sheets are located at each door of the church. Beverages, plates, and utensils will be provided. If you have any questions, please contact Tammy Tenaglia at (215) 836-1164 or via e-mail at ntenaglia@aol.com. I look forward to joining you for this memorable and blessed family event.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday

6:30 AM Thomas Kopach
8:30 AM Mr. Kevin Cusack

Tuesday

6:30 AM Jennifer Stagnaro
8:30 AM Deceased Members of the Armillei and Zumpano Families

Wednesday

6:30 AM Gerri Pellicone
8:30 AM Stephen Petka

Thursday

6:30 AM William T. Hutchinson
8:30 AM Claire Halter

Friday

6:30 AM Henry and Cecelia Kropp
8:30 AM Jack Hoffman

Saturday

8:30 AM John Weiland, Sr.

Don't Stall, Just Call!

Please join parishioner Mary Sabia Ciammetti as she shares her mission "Don't Stall, Just Call!" a new alcohol poisoning education initiative. October 1, in the Church @ 7:00 pm.

Census Envelope Mailing: The Census mailing was mailed out. Due to an error by the publisher, vital parish information was not included on the return envelope. The publisher has since sent a second mailing with a corrected return envelope. If you have not already returned your Census envelope, please use the envelope included in the second mailing. Sorry for the inconvenience and thank you in advance for your contribution to the Census collection.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS . . .
BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH 2:00 PM**

Forty Hours Celebration

Speaker: Rev John Masson

Sunday, October 4

11:30 AM Mass

1:30 PM Solemn Exposition

7:30 PM Evening Service

All Night Adoration

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Benediction and Procession

8:30 PM Reception - Parish Hall

Choir Notes

Do you have a good voice?

Musical talent? Choir experience?

Now is the time to join St. Philip's Music Ministry and share your gifts with our parish community.

We invite you to join our talented parishioners who form our parish choirs. Rehearsals for the Adult Choir are held on Tuesday evenings in the Church Chapel 7 PM to 9 PM.

St. Philip's *Schola* of young adult voices has been a great success. We would like to welcome more of our high school, college/young adult parishioners to join this group. St. Philip's *Schola* sings for the Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve.

If interested in joining St. Philip's Music Ministry, please contact Jean Martin for more information. 215-704-0508 jeanm1@comcast.net

Women's Prayer Group The next meeting will be Thursday, October 1st in the Rectory Dining Room from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm. All are invited! Join us and bring a friend. Sister Therese Michele, SSJ.

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 by 9:00 AM. The next delivery date is October 7th.

PREP Volunteer position available There is an opening for a Grade 5 catechist for Tuesday afternoons. Please call Dane Connelly at 610-834-9868 or 610-828-3082 ext. 2 or email d.connelyspn@gmail.com if you are interested in helping out.

**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!!
DESIGNER BAG BINGO**



Friday, October 2, 2015

Doors open 7:00 pm

(First game starts promptly at 7:30)

SPN School Hall

\$25.00 per player

(Includes 10 rounds of bingo. snacks

\$35.00 at the door

For questions call: Deanna Marrone
267-358-8015 or dmdm31796@aol.com

We Welcome Samuel George, son of George and Lauren Shafer, Emilia Grace, daughter of James and Gia Rubbo, Avery Lynn, daughter of Joseph and Jaclyn McGovern, Brady Chase, son of Matthew and April Osborne, Molly Margaret, daughter of Matthew and Meaghan Fishbone, Seamus Patrick, son of James and Mallory McKeaney, Quincy Patrick, son of Marc and Mary Mannella, Emma Marie, daughter of Drew and Meredith Burton, and Noah Anthony, son of Brian and Lauren Burkavage.

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 An organization for senior citizens fifty years and older that offers trips, programs, service projects and entertainment. New members are always welcome. For information on becoming a member, please contact Angela Berry (610) 260-1211.



BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS are scheduled for *Monday, September 28th at 7:30 PM (DATE CHANGE)* 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. Please call the Church Office at 610-834-1975 for sign up purposes.

SCRIP Gift Cards: Try It - You'll Like It!
SCRIP is a gift card fundraiser that also stretches your budget! Buy a gift card or 2 of your favorite grocery store. Pay for groceries with the gift cards. As you use the gift cards, replace them, and your earnings will really add up! Our customers earn up to \$900 per year - and generate significant revenue for SPN! Gift cards are sold during church office hours and after weekend Masses. Please see the flyer in today's bulletin for more information.

Fresh Brew Bible Study Join us as we serve up the New Testament Letters of Peter, James and Jude and see how each of them strengthens the Early Christian Communities. We will be meeting on seven Wednesday Nights, from September 16th to October 28th, from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the Saint Philip Neri Rectory Basement. If you have any questions, contact Joe Banecker by email at josephbanecker@aol.com or call on 610-828-0344.

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Cleaning: PineSol, Bleach, liquid dish soap like Dawn or Palmolive, Liquid Laundry soap

Paper: TP, paper towels, tissues

Hygiene: DEODORANT!! Travel-sz. toothpaste, toothbrushes; Hotel soaps, shampoo, shower gel, small sz powder, fragrances, etc.; disposable razors & shave cream; feminine hygiene products (opened pkgs welcomed); adult diapers(underwear-style)

General: forks and soup spoons, gently-used towels & washcloths; beach towels; men's and women's new white athletic socks and underwear

Medical: generic multivitamin w/iron; 500 mg vitamin C; snack-sz zip loc bags; reading glasses.

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 will be in October.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES UPDATE: **Mass for Persons with Disabilities to be Celebrated During World Meeting of Families**

Thursday, September 24, 2015- 7:00 p.m.

Shrine of Saint John Neumann- Saint Peter Church

1019 North 5th Street, Philadelphia

The annual Archdiocesan Mass honoring the lives and gifts of persons with disabilities will be celebrated during the historic World Meeting of Families—Philadelphia 2015. This year's Mass is hosted by the Office for Persons with Disabilities and the Deaf Apostolate along with National Catholic Organizations who serve the needs of persons with disabilities and the Deaf community.

All are welcome to attend this special celebration, especially persons with disabilities, the Deaf community, and families, friends, neighbors, and caregivers of those with disabilities. A light reception sponsored by Our Sunday Visitor will be held immediately following Mass. Free parking is available near the Shrine of Saint John Neumann.

Information for Persons with Disabilities/Deaf Community Regarding World Meeting Events:
The World Meeting of Families is fully committed to providing a safe and accessible environment for all participants. Facilities and venues will be physically accessible to wheelchair users. For individuals that are deaf/hard of hearing, a team of sign language interpreters will interpret keynotes, liturgies and breakout sessions at the World Meeting of Families Congress.

A Prayer for the Family

O dear Jesus, I humbly implore You to grant Your special graces to our family. May our home be the shrine of peace, purity, love, labor and faith. I beg You, dear Jesus, to protect and bless all of us, absent and present, living and dead. O Mary, loving Mother of Jesus, and our Mother, pray to Jesus for our family, for all the families of the world, to guard the cradle of the newborn, the schools of the young and their vocations.

Blessed Saint Joseph, holy guardian of Jesus and Mary, assist us by your prayers in all the necessities of life. Ask of Jesus that special grace which He granted to you, to watch over our home at the pillow of the sick and the dying, so that with Mary and with you, heaven may find our family unbroken in the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Amen.

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