

SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH

JANUARY 3, 2016

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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, Dolores (Dee) Downs, Phyllis Galanti, Christopher Greuters, Larry Falkowski, 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, Joan Murphy, Catherine Niche, Lisa O'Brien, Baby Addison Pfeffer, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, Sue Roccia, Xavier Ross, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Kristin Shearon, Robert Smith, 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 Diana C. Greco and John P. Zerkle, Sr.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS are scheduled for Monday, January 18th 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.

PREP Volunteer position available

There is an opening for a Grade 4 catechist for Monday 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.

We Welcome James Theodore, son of Jason and Lisa Schnell into the Saint Philip Neri Church Community. James was recently baptized.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday
6:30 AM George Khatchadourian
8:30 AM Thomas Kopach

Tuesday
6:30 AM Frank and Dorothy Braun
8:30 AM Thomas Kopach

Wednesday
6:30 AM Thomas F. Keane, III.
Frank and Concetta Lupinacci and Family
8:30 AM Deceased Members of the Brennan and Lowry Families

Thursday
6:30 AM Marie Marziano
8:30 AM Alfred Januzelli

Friday
6:30 AM Deceased Members of the Gaulin and Blard Families
8:30 AM Josephine Cucchi

Saturday
8:30 AM Christian Ciammetti

**2015 ANNUAL CENSUS/
BLOCK COLLECTION REPORT
TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED FAMILIES
2068**

**TOTAL NUMBER OF CENSUS ENVELOPES
RETURNED
601**

Please remember to fill-out and return your census envelope as soon as possible. It can be returned by mail to the church office or may place it in the collection basket on Sunday.

**ADORATION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT
Monday, January 11th
9:00 AM TO 7:00 PM
CHAPEL**

SPN FLEA MARKET -

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16th -9:00am - 12:00pm

Do you feel like you have too much "stuff"? Are your garages, attics and closets packed? Rent a table at the SPN Flea Market and sell your unwanted items to someone who does. At the end of the flea market, a truck from a charity will be there to take anything you would rather donate than bring back home. Table rentals are \$25 each. Contact Marianne McLaughlin at mclaughlinmarianne@hotmail.com or 215-508-5887 to reserve one. A limited number of tables for sale so get yours now! Table sales benefit the SPN Theater Company.

Help Needed!

High School and Young Adults who have been confirmed with the seal of the Holy Spirit are asked to share their time and talent. Could you be a leader of small group for the Confirmation class retreats? They take place **January 30 and February 6 from 8:30 am until 12:30 pm**. Please call Dane Connelly at 610-834-9868 or 610-828-3082 line 2 or email d.connellyspn@gmail.com if you can help at one or both retreats. Your witness to Christ will help our candidates recognize the need for the Holy Spirit to live the Christian life. Please join us!

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 January 6th.

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.

Saint Philip Neri

Home and School Association

Presents

TRIVIA NIGHT XIII

Save the Date: January 22, 2016

LuLu Temple in Plymouth Meeting

Register quickly and pay online via www.TriviaEvents.net or send contact name, phone number, mailing address, email and name of team members with payment to

Kristi Johnson c/o SPN School or SPN Church Office. Only payments received will hold your spot at the table. A confirmation email will be sent when your reservation with full payment is processed. Questions??? Contact Kristi Johnson at 267-716-4540 or KristiJohnson615@comcast.net.

Sponsorship Opportunities Available!

\$175 Bar or Buffet Sponsor - Great food and spirits! No one will miss your support of SPN Trivia with your name/company proudly displayed at the bar or buffet.

\$50 Table Sponsor - For a nominal donation, you can have your name/company/team name advertised on one of the 50 tables.

SPN Trivia is powered by McM Entertainment (484.999.0180/www.McMEnt.net)

2017 Mass Book Please stop in the Church office to reserve masses for your deceased loved ones.

Women's Prayer Group The next meeting will be Thursday, January 7th 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.

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.

SPN SCRIP Gift Cards Earn free gift cards or SPN tuition credits, and generate revenue for SPN! The church office stocks a great selection of gift cards. Buy them after the weekend Masses or during church office hours.

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.

For the Jubilee Year of Mercy, Fresh Brew Bible Study will present, "Consoling the Heart of Jesus"

a do-it-yourself mini retreat program produced by the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception. This retreat program is inspired by the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius and gives us an awareness of God's infinite mercy and how we can give Him joy, showing us the way to console His heart by accepting His love and trusting in Him completely.

The 10-week mini retreat consists of: Reading. Read the selected readings in the retreat book. Answering. Answering the questions in the retreat companion.

Meeting. Meeting regularly with your group over a 10-week period. During this meeting we view a ten 35-minute video lessons on DVD and hold faith sharing discussions. The retreat starts on Wednesday night, 1/27 from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in the Rectory Basement. For additional information, contact Joe Banecker at 610-828-0344 or

josephbanecker@aol.com

March for Life

Friday, January 22, 2016

The bus will leave Immaculate Heart of Mary parking lot, 819 Cathedral Road at 7:00AM and will return approximately between 8 -9 PM.

Archbishop Charles J. Chaput will be the main celebrant and homilist at the 10:00 AM Mass at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington. The bus fee is \$10.00. The Metro tickets will not be sold on the bus. They will be available at the station; the cost of each ticket is \$6.50 round trip, please bring exact change. Also, bring a brown bag for lunch. Dinner is available at the Shrine. To sign up call Ann Marie Beaver 215-483-8204.



*You are cordially invited to
St. Philip Neri's annual
Father-Daughter Dinner Dance
Friday, February 5, 2016
7:00-10:00 p.m.
in the SPN Parish Center
Dinner Buffet from 7:30-8:30*

*Entertainment provided by
D.J. Bill McMenamin
Price: \$35 per family, if purchased
before January 22, 2016,
after January 22, 2016
price is \$45 per family
price includes photo*

*Please fill out form below and return it
with your payment to Kalen Walker c/o
Julia, Grade 7, Room 18 or
4013 Marquis Road,
Lafayette Hill PA 19444
by Friday, January 22nd
Any questions 215-837-3214, or
kalenwalker@verizon.net
NO HIGH HEELS, PLEASE*

*Family Name*_____

*# Attending*_____

*Phone Number*_____

*E-mail address*_____

*Make checks payable to St. Philip Neri
Home & School Association*

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