

SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH

JANUARY 24, 2016

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND **CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES**

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, Steven 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, Paul Willemin 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 Mary Berardi and Sister Thomasina Farley, SSJ.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS are scheduled for Monday, February 15th 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.

SPN Tuition: Tuition was due on January 15th. Tuition can be paid in the church office or sent through school to the main office labeled "Tuition Payment". Any questions regarding tuition can be directed to Michael Pastorius at mcpastorius@comcast.net
Please do not call the church office.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday

6:30 AM Esther Frangiosa
8:30 AM Deceased members of the Fisher and Gallagher Families

Tuesday

6:30 AM Walter Kennedy, Jr.
32nd Anniversary
8:30 AM Jerri Lee Tierney

Wednesday

6:30 AM Brian Bennett
8:30 AM Betty Jane Kennedy
5th Anniversary

Thursday

6:30 AM William Keenan
8:30 AM John Gillin

Friday

6:30 AM Rowland Myers
8:30 AM Louis Backe

Saturday

8:30 AM Jack Spratt, Sr.

Pastor's Note:

I have ordered a new Holy Water Sprinkler for the parish at a cost of \$750. If you would like to donate it in memory of a loved one, please let me know or call the Parish office.

PREP CONFIRMATION PARENT'S NIGHT

There will be a meeting on Monday, January 25th at 7:00 PM for PREP Parents whose children will be receiving the sacrament of Confirmation this April. This meeting is for parents only.

Montgomery County Stand Up For Life Rally

Please attend this Rally today from 2:00-3:00 PM at Epiphany Church in Plymouth Meeting. This Rally features Dr. Monique Ruberu, Commissioner Joe Gale and others active in our area's pro-life movement. This Rally observes the 43rd anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court's infamous *Roe v. Wade* decision and invites people to join this great cause of protecting the sanctity of all human life.

SPN Confirmation Retreat Volunteers 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 a 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!

Thank You Notes:

Thank you to all those who contributed to the giving tree to help make our children's Christmas such a joyful event! Some of our children would not receive anything if it weren't for such generous people from St. Philip Neri Parish. You really make a difference in the lives of so many! Blessings & Gratitude!

Kind regards,

St. Francis Cabrini Regional School

Dear Parishioners of St. Philip Neri Parish;
Thank you all so much for your generous continued support of donations of holiday gifts for the children and adolescents at Devereux Children's IDD Services (CIDDS). The children at CIDDS "Thank You" for all the special gifts. The 2015 Operation Santa program was a huge success again this year. This program would not exist without your continued support and generosity. We are incredibly fortunate to have friends like you who willingly gave your time, service and gifts to help make Christmas morning brighter for our children and adolescents. Please know that you have our greatest appreciation for all that you have done for us. Thank you again for your contribution and for sharing our vision to enrich the lives of CIDDS children and adolescents.

Sincerely,

Jackie Townsley

Devereux CIDDS

Home and School will be in the narthex this weekend selling tickets for the Spaghetti dinner occurring on Saturday, January 30th in the school hall. There will be Two Seatings: 4:00 - 5:15pm or 6:00 - 7:30pm Flyers are at entrances of Church.

Marriage Preparation Day is scheduled for Saturday, February 13th at Saint Philip Neri Church. For more details and to register please contact the Church Office at 610-834-1975. Please pray for all couples participating and preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage.

St. Philip Neri CYO Intramural Basketball 3rd and 4th Grade Girls/Boys

On-line Registration Only

Registration **Deadline: Wednesday, February 17th**

Register at www.spncyo.org and click on "Online Sports Registration" on the left hand column.

Or you can click this link directly:

www.spncyo.org/online-sports-registration.html

Questions? Please email the IBL Coordinators:

Cathy Peduzzi @ cathypeduzzi@gmail.com

Kristin Shoup @ ksshoup100@comcast.net

SPN Women's Guild Donut Sale Donut "Fastnacht" Weekend February 6 and 7 sponsored by St. Philip Neri Women's Guild. Delicious Suzy-Jo glazed donuts will be sold after all the Masses in the Church vestibule. No need to pre-order. First come, first served! Prices for glazed donuts are \$9 per dozen, \$5 per half dozen, and \$1 per donut. Please support our fundraiser! Volunteers are needed to sell donuts; please contact Maria Colavita @ 215-767-0756 or email mariacolavita@comcast.net.

SPN ANNUAL SUPER BOWL HOAGIES SALE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed on both Saturday, February 6th and Sunday, February 7th to help make the hoagies from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday and 6:00 a.m. to about 9:00 a.m. on Sunday. Community Service hours are available to all High School and SPN Students who need hours. Special Note: The Hoagie Maker Alumni Parents are more than welcome to come back and capture those onion smelling memories!!! The Hoagie sale benefits the SPN Home and School.

St. Philip Neri's Annual Father-Daughter will take place Friday, February 5th from 7:00-10:00 pm in the SPN Parish Center. There will be a Dinner Buffet from 7:30-8:30 pm, entertainment, and price includes a photo. The price is \$45 per family. A corsage will make the evening extra special! NO HIGH HEELS, PLEASE. Please contact Kalen Walker with any questions any (215) 837-3214 or kalenwalker@verizon.net

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 February 3rd.

Women's Prayer Group The next meeting will be Thursday, February 4th 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.

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.

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. For more information, contact Patti Hinchey, 215-836-2129 or spnscrisp@gmail.com.

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 call 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.

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 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

St. Philip Neri Theatre Company Presents



Weekend of

March 11th thru March 13th, 2016

Send a special message to your favorite actor by
buying a patron

(hand written notes are fine all messages are retyped
in proper format)

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\$1 – One Line

\$5 – ¼ of Page

\$10 – Half of Page

\$20 – Full Page

Forward message and payment

no later than Sunday, February 21st
c/o school office attn: Miss McMenamin



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SPN Spaghetti Dinner

Kicking Off Catholic Schools Week

Saturday - January 30, 2016

Two Seatings:

4:00 - 5:15pm or 6:00 - 7:30pm

Cost:

In advance (by Jan 22nd)

At the Door

Adults: \$10.00

\$12.00

Children: \$ 5.00

\$ 7.00

***Spaghetti (gluten free available) - Meatballs - Salad -
Bread - Dessert***



Beverages: Iced Tea, Lemonade and Water



Return Slip and payment to: Erin McMahon , c/o Kiley Grade 5 Room 8

Family Name: _____

Adults: _____

Total # of People: _____

Children: _____

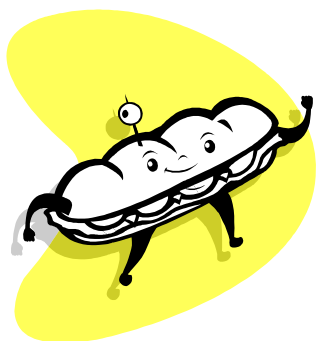
Total included in envelope: \$ _____

Children 3 and Under (free): _____ (Cash or check made payable to SPN H&S)

Please Check one: 4:00 - 5:15pm seating _____

Take Out: 6:00 - 7:30pm seating _____

R.S.V.P. by January 22nd



St. Philip Neri
Home & School Association's
ANNUAL SUPER BOWL
HOAGIE SALE

Yes, it's that time of the year again for the annual hoagie sale.

PRE-ORDER TO GUARANTEE PICKUP

Don't Delay - The Last Several Years Sold out!

We will be selling Turkey, Italian and, Tuna

All at only \$6.00 each. Checks payable to SPN Home & School

All orders can be picked up on Saturday, Feb. 6th or

Sunday, Feb 7th after all Masses in the **rear of church**.

All hoagies have Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Onions and Oregano. The Italian Hoagies have Oil. The Turkey Hoagies have Mayonnaise and the Tuna Salad hoagies are made with the Mayonnaise already mixed in.

For more information or to volunteer please contact :

Sean Walker 215-837-3215 or E-Mail: seanpwalker@verizon.net



All pre-orders should be sent to school no later than *Thursday, Jan. 28th* Attn: Sean Walker c/o Julia Grade 7 Room 18

(CUT HERE and return by 1/28/16) Make checks payable to St. Philip Neri Home and School

Student's Name: _____ Room _____ Will Pick up after _____ Mass
(TIME OF MASS)

_____ (#) of Italian Hoagies @ \$6.00 each = \$ _____

Contact Phone Number _____

_____ (#) of Turkey Hoagies @ \$6.00 each = \$ _____

Total Amount enclosed \$ _____

_____ (#) of TUNA Hoagies @ \$6.00 each = \$ _____

Special Requests _____

Yes, I can help make the Hoagies on:

_____ **Saturday from 3 to 6 p.m.**

_____ **Sunday from 6 to 9 a.m.**

Your Name _____ **E-Mail** _____



St. Philip Neri CYO

Intramural Basketball

3rd and 4th Grade Girls/Boys

Have Fun Playing Basketball in a Fun Environment

- ***Open to all St. Philip Neri Parishioners/Skill Levels***
- ***Separate Boys and Girls Leagues- played on 10ft Rims***
- ***All Games Played at SPN Gym (Tuesdays/Thursdays/Sundays)***
- ***Season Will Run from March to Beginning of April***
- ***Teams Coached by SPN Parish High School Students***
- ***No Records or Playoffs, Everyone Plays Equally***
- ***Sponsored by SPN CYO / Cost \$40 per player***
- ***Volunteers Needed to Referee and Work Snack Stand***

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