

SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH

October 26, 2014

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

Second Collection this 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: Bella Jones Borkowski, Thomas Beaty, Brian Bennett, James Buchanan, Mimi Citrone, Martha DiCesare, Mary DiDonato, Lillian Doherty, Emily Donhauser, Lisa Dougherty, George Forbes, Steve Hedrick, Rachel Horvath, Vincent Jacoby, Diane Kraus, Bill Keenan, Pat Kost, Nicholas Lannutti, George and Molly Lozinak, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, Maureen Micolli, James McBride, Jr., John McLaughlin, Julia McLaughlin, Margaret McLaughlin, Stephen Merlin, Betty Mulligan, Lisa O'Brien, Baby Addison Pfeffer, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, Sue Roccia, Baby Peter Sayegh, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Kristin Shearon, Robert Smith, Janice Swan, Kena Thompson, David VonGlahn, Connie Wagoner 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, Peter Vacca and John B. Hoy.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS Please note date change are scheduled for Monday, **November 10th** 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.

The Mayo Association started in 1905. This is a benevolent society who originally helped Irish immigrants secure jobs, find places to live and help with expenses. During the past 25 years the Association has turned toward helping special needs children and adults, including special needs schools, as well as individuals. Several special needs children in St. Philip's parish are

recipients of our funds. Chances will be sold after the masses this weekend.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday

6:30 AM Mary Whalon
8:30 AM Joseph and Beatrice Thomas

Tuesday

6:30 AM Tad Sowa
1st Anniversary
8:30 AM Marisa Plata

Wednesday

6:30 AM Dorothy Kelly
8:30 AM Fred J. Parone

Thursday

6:30 AM Cynthia Swift
8:30 AM Carol Tierney

Friday

6:30 AM John Martin Gibbons
8:30 AM John Loschiavo

Saturday

8:30 AM Thomas F. Keane, III
Frank and Concetta
Lupinaci and Family

Pastor's Note: I would like to congratulate Catherine Gansz on her 100th Birthday. Catherine is a long time faithful member of St. Philip Neri. Please keep her in your prayers.

October Count Please Note: During all weekend Masses in October; the ushers will be counting the number of people attending each Mass. These attendance numbers are reported to the Archdiocese to use for long-term planning.

2014 ANNUAL CENSUS/BLOCK COLLECTION

REPORT

TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED FAMILIES

2218

TOTAL NUMBER OF CENSUS ENVELOPES

RETURNED

383

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 you can place it in the collection basket on Sunday.



SPN CYO Basketball 2014 – 2015
Mandatory Parent Information Meeting:
Thursday, October 30, 2014 7:30 PM
SPN Cafeteria

Player Evaluation Dates

<u>Boys:</u>	<u>Girls:</u>
7th/8th Grade	7th/8th Grade
Sunday, November 2 nd 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM SPN Gym	Sunday, November 2 nd 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM SPN Gym
5th/6th Grade	5th/6th Grade
Monday, November 3 rd 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM SPN Gym	Monday, November 3 rd 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM SPN Gym

IMPORTANT NOTES

- All Players **MUST BE REGISTERED** by October 30th
NO EXCEPTIONS.
Register on-line at: <http://www.spncyo.org>
- Parents will be required to work the snack stand at home games.
- Additional fee, to be determined, will be required for Varsity A players to cover additional tournaments.

Copies of this announcement are available outside the church office door in the vestibule.

SAVE THE DATE: 1st Annual St. Philip Neri All Saints Run Saturday, November 1st

Fort Washington State Park – Lot 3 Pavilion
For more information or registration go to
https://www.runtheday.com/registration/race_info/28625

An Opportunity to Remember... On Monday evening, November 3, at 7:00, there will be a special Mass of Remembrance for all of the St. Philip Neri parishioners who have died within the preceding year. If you are a parishioner with a loved one who passed away and was buried from another parish since ***All Souls Day 2013***, and

you would like to participate in this liturgy, please contact the church office 610.834.1975 to submit the name of your loved one by Friday, October 31st.

Fresh Brew Bible Study The group meets on Thursday at 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM in the SPN Rectory Conference Room.

Congratulations to Allison Meisch and Craig Zagata on their wedding nuptials last Friday.

RESPECT LIFE MONTH October is “Respect Life Month.” Items for mothers and babies in need may be placed in the crib in the lobby during the month of October. 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 formula. 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.

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.

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.

Children’s Liturgy Children PreK – grade 2 Pre-K building during the 10am mass. Please email Nancy Williamson at nlcwilliamson@comcast.net if interested.

SCRIP = Spectacular gift Cards for Retail and Internet Purchases! Really! For every \$50 you purchase, you earn \$1.25, and SPN earns an additional \$1.25. SCRIP is sold after the weekend Masses and during church office hours. Or go high

tech and order at shopwithscrip.com. Use code 7D53E11E329L. Questions? Contact Patti Hinchey at 215-836-2129 or spnscrip@gmail.com.

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 **December 3rd**.

Women's Prayer Group There will be a meeting in the Rectory on **November 6th** from 11:00 AM to 12:00 Noon. All are invited to come! Please bring a memento or a picture or holy card of a deceased loved one to this first gathering. We will share our life experiences and pray together. Join us and bring a friend. God bless you! Sister Therese Michele, SSJ

Welcoming Celebration: Save the Date! If you are new to St. Philip Neri Parish, or if you attend Mass here and are interested in learning more about the parish, you are invited to attend a Welcoming Celebration on Sunday, November 9 at 12:15 in the school hall. Invitations went out to those parishioners who have registered since September, 2013, but if you've been a member longer than that and consider yourself a "new" parishioner, please join us. If you know of someone who is a new parishioner or searching for a parish home please invite them to the celebration. All are welcome! Our Welcoming Celebration will allow you to meet several other parishioners, hopefully allow you to see some familiar faces, have a bite to eat and learn a little about the numerous ministries that the members of St. Philips are involved in. In order to plan, please RSVP to Linda Banecker (610-828-0344) or LindaBaneckerAFF@aol.com or the Church Office (610-834-1975). Please specify number of adults and number of children that will be in attendance.

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The Phillipians 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.

The Phillipians will be hosting a Christmas Luncheon on Thursday December 11th at the Plymouth Country Club. The price will be \$30 per person. Anyone interested please call George Ebner at (215) 483-2218 for more detailed information.

Blood Drive The American Red Cross will be in our school gym on **Thursday, November 6th from 2:00 to 7:00**. Please take this opportunity to give the Gift of Life. You may make an appointment by contacting Bob Dunne at 610-941-9162 (H), 610-542-3063 (W), or rdunne@devereux.org. Additionally, the Red Cross is looking for a volunteer to coordinate future blood drives at St. Philip's. If interested, please contact Bob. If you have any questions about your eligibility to give, please visit the Red Cross web site at www.pleasegiveblood.org

St. Francis Inn needs: Autumn has arrived at St. Francis Inn and it finds us in need of clean, warm blankets, comforters and throws; Men's Thermals (tops & bottoms) sz L & XL; plastic grocery handle bags, Deodorant & Liquid Laundry Detergent. Coffee, Tea, Sugar, 5-minute Oatmeal, Canned Soup, Tuna/Chicken, Chili would help tremendously. Individual Tissue pks, Chapstick and Travel-sz Toothpaste will help us prepare bags for our Homeless Shower Project, along with new, clean white athletic socks. We are so very grateful for you, St. Philip Neri Parish! When we see the Muller-mobile arrive packed with all the essentials we so desperately need every Monday, we say a special prayer for you! May God Bless You Abundantly, The Franciscans

Archbishop Kennedy/Saint Matthew High School

Football Alumni Reunion – Plans underway for a reunion of football team for all years. For more information and to be included, contact Dan Sheedy AKHS '72 at sheedydan2001@yahoo.com. Call 610-296-4828 only if you do not use email.

**Grade School Basketball Players—Join the LaSalle
College High School Varsity Players and
Coaches for a “Shoot Around” on October 26 at La
Salle's Gym** There will be 2 sessions---

Session I: 5th-6th grade- 4:00 - 5:30PM

Session II: 7th-8th grade- 5:30 - 7:00PM

Each session is \$30 **Space is limited.** Contact Jane
Krpmotich for more information @ 610-639-5345

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