

SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH

November 2, 2014

All Soul's Day

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, Steven Stanton, 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, Rev. John E. Fitzgerald.

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.

We Welcome Juliette Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph and Gena Bussell into the parish community of Saint Philip Neri Church. Juliette was baptized last Sunday.

Members of the Valley Forge detachment of the Marine Corps League will be in the vestibule after all Masses this weekend accepting donations that will benefit veterans and youth groups. Please be generous as we honor all those that have served our country.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday

6:30 AM Bill Logue
8:30 AM Earl Bruce Kirk

Tuesday

6:30 AM William Logue
8:30 AM Nancy and Lawrence Burdick

Wednesday

6:30 AM Margaret Casper
8:30 AM Jacqueline Fioravanti

Thursday

6:30 AM Margaret Walker
8:30 AM Mary L. Basile

Friday

6:30 AM Joseph and Mary Petrokubi
8:30 AM Margaret Walker

Saturday

8:30 AM Dan Rose

Pastor's Note: August Taglianetti, a seminarian from St. Philip Parish will speak at all the Masses on the weekend of November 15th – 16th regarding the Seminary Collection.

2014 ANNUAL CENSUS/BLOCK COLLECTION

REPORT

TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED FAMILIES

2227

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.

Congratulations - Wedding Nuptials to Kerry Bonner and John Heleniak on October 11, 2014.

Congratulations to Molly Sutcliffe and Michael Hermanson on their wedding nuptials last Saturday.

An Opportunity to Remember... On Monday evening, November 3, at 7:00 PM, there will be a special Mass of Remembrance for all of the St. Philip Neri parishioners who have died within the preceding year. For more information, please call the Church Office (610) 834-1975

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 **November 5th**.

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

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

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

SPN Home and School Association invites all parishioners to "Crossing the Digital Divide: The Cyber World of Kids for Parents" presentation by Deborah McCoy on **November 10th at 7:00 PM** in the School Hall. Ms. McCoy has worked with the FBI and law enforcement to help catch cyber criminals.

DON'T MISS THIS GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO PROTECT YOUR CHILDREN FROM INTERNET DANGERS!!!!!!

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.

Welcoming Celebration: Monsignor Vance will be greeting new parishioners at our Welcoming Celebration on November 9th beginning after the 11:30 Mass. If you are new to the parish or are searching for a parish home, please stop by. 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.

Name Tag Sunday: On Sunday, November 9th, St. Philips will be sponsoring "Name Tag Sunday". In solidarity as parishioners of St. Philip Neri, we are asking all attendees at Mass to consider wearing the color blue to Mass on that day. In addition, when you arrive in your pew, there will be markers and name tags. Tag everyone in your family and enjoy looking around to find out the names of all of the people you've been seeing for years yet didn't know their names.

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.

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

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.

LaSalle College High School Open House November 9th, 2014 from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM For more information, please contact the Admissions Office at (215) 402 – 4800 or admissions@lschs.org.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR & BAZAAR Mother of Divine Providence in King of Prussia is holding their 14th annual Christmas Craft Fair and Bazaar on Saturday, November 15th, from 9:00 am. - 3:00 pm. in their school facility. Shoppers and guests will find over 100 crafters selling their hand-made only items, a wide range of café selections for breakfast and lunch, children's games, white elephant, and much, much more. For directions or to learn more log on to www.mdpparish.com.

Advent day of Recollection with Father Frank Giufre, Faculty Member at St. Charles Seminary on Saturday, December 6th at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Philadelphia. The theme is "Awaiting in Joyful Hope: Advent Advice form

Isaiah, John the Baptist, Mary, and Joseph." For more information, please call Ann Marie Beaver (215) 483-8204. The cost is \$12 for the day.

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.

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

"Father of all mercies, We are clothed; We are fed; We are sound in mind & body. In gratitude for these great blessings, we offer these material things to those less fortunate. Add Thy blessings, we beseech Thee, to the work of our hands & hearts so that each garment may carry to the wearer, not only decency & warmth, but courage, comfort & hope for brighter days." taken from the Needlework Guild of America Prayer

Our parish commitment to St Francis Inn Ministries is always gratefully accepted and prayerfully reciprocated. We are as thankful for the opportunity to aid as St Francis Inn clients are to receive. During this season of Thanksgiving, let us prayerfully remember each other!

Cheerful Girls Afternoon All girls 4-12 invited to an afternoon of hair, nails, cheerleading, pizza, snacks, and crafts! Sunday 11/23/14 2-5pm at Archbishop Carroll High School

\$30 Admission- register by 11/14 to reserve t-shirt
contact susan.ostroski@pfizer.com for more info

Archbishop Kennedy High School Class of 1974,
40th Class Reunion at the TK Club on Saturday,
November 29th from 6-11 PM. Cost per person is
\$50 and includes a buffet, refreshments/cash bar,
DJ and a chance to reunite after 40 years. For
further information, please contact Father Bill Kelly
via e-mail at calledtoserve091705@gmail.com

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