

ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST CHURCH



EASTON ROAD & FAIRHILL AVENUE ❖ GLENSIDE, PENNSYLVANIA

JANUARY 18, 2009

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parish family of St. Luke the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, respecting our tradition, affirming our strong family ties, and valuing our diverse community, are called by Baptism to commit ourselves to:

- *Give glory to God by liturgy which unites and strengthens the community of faith;*
- *Build a church community that welcomes all, encouraging each home to be a domestic church;*
- *Listen to the Gospel of Jesus, live it in our daily lives, and share it with one another; and*
- *Serve others as Jesus did, especially the poor and those in need.*

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 6:30, 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 AM

Daily (Monday - Saturday): 6:30 & 8:30 AM

Additional Mass during Lent, Monday - Thursday: 5:30 PM

Holy Day: varies; Holiday: varies

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 PM & 7:30 - 8:00 PM

Eve of First Friday: 7:30 - 8:00 PM

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Samuel answered, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

1 Samuel 3:10b

**How do you include God
in your daily decisions?**

**ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE
DONATION DAY
MONDAY, JANUARY 19**

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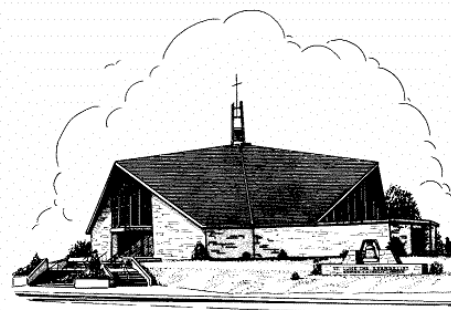
9:00 AM - 7:00 PM, MON

9:00 AM - 8:00 PM, TUES - THURS

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM, FRI

3:00 PM - 7:00 PM, SAT

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM, SUN



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SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 18, 2009

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun 1 Samuel 3:3b-10,19;
1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a,17-20;
John 1:35-42
Mon Hebrews: 5:1-10; Mark 2:18-22
Tues Hebrews: 6:10-20; Mark 2:23-28
Wed Hebrews: 7:1-3,15-17; Mark 3:1-6
Thurs Hebrews: 7:25-8:6; Mark 3:7-12
Fri Hebrews: 8:6-13; Mark 3:13-19
Sat Hebrews: 9:2-3,11-14; Mark 3:20-21
Sun Jonah 3:1-5,10; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31;
Mark 1:14-20
Sun (for Conversion of St. Paul)
Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22;
1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 16: 15-18

WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 19 – Weekday

6:30 am Tim Walsh
8:30 am Rudolph J. DiMassa

Tuesday, January 20 – Weekday / Fabian, pope, martyr / Sebastian, martyr

6:30 am Claire Miller
8:30 am Owen Ferry

Wednesday, January 21 – Agnes, virgin, martyr

6:30 am Deceased Members of the McDermott Family
8:30 am Dan Ferry

Thursday, January 22 – Weekday / Vincent, deacon, martyr

6:30 am Sanctity of Life
8:30 am Elvera Dominick

Friday, January 23 – Weekday

6:30 am Shirley Lombardo
8:30 am Don D'Agui

Saturday, January 24 – Francis de Sales, bishop, doctor of the Church

6:30 am John Aloysius Flynn
8:30 am Special Intention

*Keep our Sister Parish in Los-Palis, Haiti,
in your prayers.*

THIS WEEK AT ST. LUKE

Sunday, January 18 – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Catholic Relief Services Collection
11:30 am RCIA Rite of Welcoming

Monday, January 19 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

St. Luke School / PREP Closed
St. John's Hospice Donation Day
7:00 pm Heritage of Faith, FFH
7:30 pm RCIA, Alumni Room

Tuesday, January 20

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
St. Luke School Closed - Faculty Inservice
7:00 pm Sodality, Church
7:00 pm Justice, Rectory
7:30 pm Boy Scouts, FFH

Wednesday, January 21

7:00 pm Cub Scouts, FFH
7:30 pm Music Rehearsal, MMR

Thursday, January 22

Day of Prayer and Penance
10:00 am Moms & Tots, FFH
6:30 pm Camp Fire Girls, FFH
7:30 pm Baptism Class, Alumni Room
7:30 pm Venture Crew, FFH
7:30 pm Choir, MMR

Friday, January 23

7:30 pm CYO Dance, FFH

Saturday, January 24

Sunday, January 25 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Conversion of St. Paul

9:00 am Eucharistic Ministry at Abington Hospital
9:30 am Opening Mass for Catholic Schools Week
Open House for Current School Families

The Pro-Life Rose,

placed before the statue of the Mary,
and the

St. Vincent de Paul Carnations,

placed before the statue of St. Joseph,
are in loving memory of
Margaret Donohoe,
donated by Mary McNamara.

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

REFLECTION ON SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

by Jude Siciliano, OP

From 1st Reading from Samuel:

When Samuel went to sleep in his place, the Lord came and revealed God's presence, calling out as before, "Samuel, Samuel!" Samuel answered, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

Reflection:

In moments of urgent need we sometimes say to a nearby person, "Don't just stand there, do something!" True enough. But there are other times, when we are facing a situation that we do not have a clue about what to do. Then we might invite the Lord to speak, to show us the way, to give us the wisdom we need, but don't have on our own. At those moments we pray Samuel's prayer: "Speak, for your servant is listening."

We ask ourselves:

How do I include God in my daily decisions?

When I must make an important decision, how much time do I give to prayer?

LENT 2009

Lent is just over five weeks away! Start planning your Lenten groups now: faith sharing, book or scripture study, prayer group. Contact Jeanne Kyle, stlukerc@aol.com or 215-572-0128, for suggestions.

We again will have an additional daily Mass during Lent, at 5:30pm, Monday - Thursday.

SECOND COLLECTION JANUARY 17/18 CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

*January is Poverty in America
Awareness Month*

SODALITY AND MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA DEVOTIONS

Office and Miraculous Medal Novena prayers are scheduled for our services on Tuesday, **January 20** at 7pm. This is followed by Benediction.

All parishioners are welcome to our weekly devotions. If any questions about the weather, please call Teresa Duff, 215-887-4727, or Marie Winstanley, 215-886-3863.



*The Year of St. Paul
June, 2008 — June, 2009*

VOCATION VIEWS

Speak Lord, your servant is listening. Listening to the Lord requires silence. Make time each day to be quiet, so that you can hear God's call. (*1 Samuel 3:3-10*)

Reminder: No baptisms are held at St. Luke parish during Lent, which begins on **February 25** this year. If you wish to schedule a baptism, contact the rectory during regular office hours, Mon-Fri.

Archdiocese of Philadelphia
Men's Spirituality Conference
Saturday, March 7, 2009
8:45 AM – 5:00 PM
Cardinal O'Hara High School
Springfield, Delaware County

WEB SITE OF THE WEEK

Find out more about this spirituality conference at www.archphila.org/evangelization/famlife/famlife.htm

Dear Men,

As we celebrate this year of Saint Paul, we read in Romans chapter 14, "**Let us . . . strengthen one another**" as we walk together in the journey of life. As sons, brothers, husbands, fathers, grandfathers and friends, we are called to a life which reflects our love for Jesus Christ in all that we say and do. It is with great pleasure that I invite you to join me in this first Archdiocese of Philadelphia *Men's Spirituality Conference* so that together we might be an instrument of strength for one another in living our Christian faith. It is my prayer that this conference, through the power of the Holy Spirit, will deepen your commitment to Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church and will inspire you to be a living sign of Christ's love to your families, neighborhood, parish and in the work place. May this conference enkindle in you that spark which leads you closer to God our heavenly Father and to the grace of reconciliation during your Lenten journey.

Sincerely,
Cardinal Justin Rigali

Are you a married couple looking to become more involved in 2009? St. Luke's Pre Cana team is currently accepting volunteers to become "Married Mentors." As a mentor, you work with



engaged couples during Pre Cana sessions scheduled in April and October. Through a variety of activities and small group discussions, mentors share experiences, facilitate discussions, and answer questions regarding marriage. To get more information or to join the team, contact Jen Taulane, jentaulane@verizon.net or 215-885-6320, or Terri Kelly, 215-517-7769 or terrihkelly@yahoo.com.

GIVE A "GENTLY USED" WINTER COAT

TO A NEIGHBOR IN NEED

The Greater Philadelphia Cares Winter Coat Drive continues through Martin Luther King Day, **January 19, 2009**. If you have not yet donated a new or gently used coat, you can do so now!

Take a moment to open your hearts and your closets to those in our community who need you most. In these bitterly cold winter days, the coats that you no longer use can give warmth to a less fortunate neighbor. Donations have been pouring in, but the need persists. Please give generously!

Conestoga Bank and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are sponsors of Philadelphia Cares Coat Drive. **The local collection center is Conestoga Bank at 12 W Glenside Ave.**

ST. LUKE'S YOUTH GROUP COMING EVENTS

The **Youth Mass on Sunday, January 18 has been cancelled.**

Part Three of our **College Information Series** "The Seven Deadly Sins of Facebook," also scheduled for January 18 has been postponed.

Laser Bowling: Friday, January 30. We return to the lanes from 11pm to 1am. Print out your permission slip online at www.stlukerc.org or pick one up at the Rectory. Money and permission slips must be returned to the rectory by Monday, January 26. If you have any questions email us at stlukeyouthgroup@yahoo.com.

Lock-in: Saturday/Sunday March 7 & 8. Mark your calendars now!! Spread the word!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

In the Gospel today, Jesus asks "What are you looking for?" Often we are looking for happiness in very selfish ways, but we find it is when we look for ways to make others happy that we truly become happy.

As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are suffering and you give them reason to believe and to trust.

PAPER RECYCLING

In our parking lot we have three bins for recycling: Newspapers / Magazines / Office & School Papers / Mail / Catalogs

AFTER-CHRISTMAS SALE AT SLS

Even we have after-Christmas specials! Saint Luke School has a limited number of USB (2GB) Flashdrives on sale for \$12. Each drive comes with a SLS lanyard for easy carrying. You may stop in the school office to purchase a flashdrive or send your check/cash in with a St. Luke School student. Supply is limited, so act now! Additional SLS lanyards may be purchased for \$3.

ST. LUKE SCHOOL CLASS OF 1969 REUNION!

Plans are being formed for a 40-year reunion. For information, please contact Denise (Trudeau) Sabol at 302-521-2375 or DSabol@comcast.net.

OPEN HOUSE

Little Flower Catholic High School for Girls is holding an Open House and Registration on Tuesday, **February 3**, 6pm to 8pm. All 7th and 8th grade students in public and parochial schools, along with their families are welcome to come and meet with the LF faculty, staff and students. For more information, visit www.littleflowerhighschool.org or call at 215-455-6900 x 162.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

This training is required for all adults who are active in parish activities involving children. The next training session planned for our parish will be on Wednesday, **March 4**, from 7 to 10 pm. Please register at the rectory: 215-572-0128 or stlukerc@aol.com.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

February 20 Penny Party
February 24 Mardi Gras party
February 25 Ash Wednesday
March 1 Spaghetti Supper
March 30 Frank Runyeon:
Year of Paul
Presentation
April 12 Easter
April 17 Confirmation

**THE POOR BOXES ARE THE
BREAD BOXES
OF THE NEEDY**

HELP US

HELP OUR SCHOOL

Through the Take Charge of Education program, our school will receive a percentage of the amount of each purchase you make with your Target Visa or Target Card. Just visit target.com/tcoe or call 1-800-316-6142 to designate St. Luke the Evangelist School. The ID # is 14615.

A big thanks to those who are already helping to make a great school even better.

Our earnings to-date from the program from 1997 to today are \$6,377.45.

SNOWBIRDS

For our parishioners who either spend part of the year at a winter or summer residence, or go on an extended vacation, our envelope company has made it easier for us to change their "active" status to "temporarily inactive". Doing so saves us \$\$! Just call the rectory at 215-572-0128 or email at stlukerc@aol.com, to leave your name and the dates of your absence.

2009 CHURCH CALENDARS

Church calendars, courtesy of William R. May Funeral Home, are available in the back of Church. Pick one up for a handy reference for fasts and feasts, parish phone numbers, and Mass times.

Anyone interested in reforming the **Saint Luke Men's Club** please contact Joe Hart at the rectory, 215-572-0128 or businessoffice@stlukerc.org

COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Do you know that in our parish some of those who are homebound, long-term and short-term, are visited regularly by the priests of the parish and are visited weekly by parishioners who bring Communion? Please spread the word to those who may benefit from these visits. Have them call the rectory to arrange for the visits. The visits are a blessing to those who find it difficult to travel in wintertime.

INFORMATION REQUESTED

The recent Block Collection letter included a request for census update information. We have found that some parishioners did not notice the request!

If you missed it, please give us this information for current household members: name, date of birth, sex, marital status, religion, relationship to head of household, e-mail address, cell phone number, work phone number.

Call Tina at the rectory or e-mail info to stlukerc@aol.com.



CYO

5TH & 6TH GRADE

PIZZA PARTY

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6

7:30pm to 9:30pm

Father Fitzpatrick Hall

Pizza - Games - DJ and Dancing

Cost \$5.00

You must be a CYO Member

(it's never too late to join)

Deadline February 3

CYO membership is required to participate in any CYO activity. Membership is \$10 (+\$10 late fee) per year per student. If you still need to sign your child up for CYO, you can find out how to do so by contacting Pete Wilson, 215-884-1609 or Mike DUBYK, 215-565-5899.

Are you trying to cope with a loved one in prison?

Mary Mother of Captives a support group for those with a loved one in prison will meet on Monday, **January 19**, 7pm at Catholic Social Services, 7320 Jackson St., 2nd floor, NE Philadelphia.

TIMONEY DANCERS

New Irish Dance lessons forming for children and adults at St. Luke and K of C. Contact Rosemarie Timoney 215-885-2304.

PREP PROFILES

Theresa Nedbal

It's been said that a person doesn't really know a topic until they can teach it and share it with others.

When **Mrs. Theresa Nedbal**, one of our two fourth grade PREP teachers, considered a friend's request to teach PREP 15 years ago, she hesitated. Theresa says, "I was reluctant at first, not knowing if I could take on the task of molding kids' lives about their faith. I wondered if I knew enough about my own faith in order to teach it." Theresa accepted the challenge, however, and feels that her own faith has grown with each passing year.

She and her students learn from each other. In the case of religious education, perhaps knowledge of the topic strengthens, deepens and blossoms *through* teaching it... and living it.

In fourth grade, main topics that Theresa covers are the Beatitudes and the Ten Commandments. Fourth graders are encouraged not only to memorize them, but to look beyond the surface to know both their meaning and their relevance in daily life.

Theresa is continually motivated by her students' interest and enthusiasm in the classroom, and loves seeing their surprise when she mentions her 11th "commandment," *Obey Your PREP Teacher*. Ever mindful of the limited time she has with her students, Theresa uses this "commandment" as a gentle reminder to her students to maintain an environment in the classroom conducive to learning.

Theresa and her husband, Tom, have been married for over 27 years, and moved into St. Luke's parish 25 years ago, the same day that their first child (Nick, a Marine, who just returned from service in Iraq last June) was born.

They have five children in all, ranging in ages from 25 to 11. Son Ray is graduating from Drexel this year, daughter Laura is in Colorado, son Jimmy is a senior at Abington HS, and youngest daughter Vicky is in 6th grade at Copper Beech.

Theresa is an avid reader, and finds herself reading whenever she can. Other favorite activities include spending time with family and friends, sewing and gardening.

Thanks, Theresa, for putting your reservations aside 15 years ago and taking the leap of faith to lead the journey of religious education with our parish children.



Theresa Nedbal



Patricia O'Donnell

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When asked about her favorite pastimes, **Mrs. Patricia O'Donnell**, one of our two fourth grade catechists, shares ... "I love reading, and nothing gives me more pleasure than a well written book." When asked about her favorite area of our Faith to study and teach, her reply is very similar. Pat loves to read and teach the Gospels. She feels that "Jesus' Gospel is for all ages - for people in every century in history and people in every decade of their lives." It's apparent that Pat finds much pleasure in delving into the most famous and well-written book of all time - the Bible!

Pat teaches our fourth grade PREP classes every Monday in the evening session. She finds fourth graders interesting and challenging in that they "think very concretely, they are just beginning to enter the threshold of abstract thinking." She keeps this in mind as she prepares lessons for her classes. Pat feels that being in tune with how fourth graders think, choose, symbolize, and relate to one another and to God helps her to work with them effectively. She chooses to use the *Venture Pflaum Gospel Weeklies* as part of her lesson plan. Pat feels that the children enjoy the format in that Jesus' story is the heart of every *Gospel Weekly*. She supplements the material with reading a wide variety of materials during the week as she prepares for class. Further, she draws inspiration for her class discussions from the world around her. Pat notes that during "just plain observation of everyday life (one) will find many examples of good (and not so good) behavior."

Pat and her husband, Patrick have been married for 29 years, and have three daughters. Sheila is a sophomore at Richmond: The American International University in London, Heather is a sophomore at Abington Senior High and Olivia is in eighth grade at Abington Junior High. The O'Donnells also have an adopted son that they support in Uganda through the Christian Children's Fund. The O'Donnells moved to Glenside and became parish members in 1981, and Pat became involved in PREP in 1996 when her daughter, Sheila, registered for first grade. She recalls that she met Mrs. Mary Jane Dean (our former Director of Religious Education) at registration, "who was so lovely when she asked me to volunteer I couldn't say no." Pat feels that "the children by far keep (her) motivated, they are an absolute delight."

Our PREP program is fortunate to have catechists like Pat, whose investment in our children's faith life reaches far beyond their Monday classroom sessions. Thanks, Pat.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS CELEBRATE SERVICE!

Catholic Schools Week 2009 Events

Catholic Schools Week Kickoff

St. Luke School will kick off **Catholic Schools Week** with our Opening Mass at 9:30am on **Sunday, January 25, 2009**.

After Mass, both lower and upper schools will be open for school families to visit. Stop by, visit your child's classroom and see the many new improvements throughout our campus – murals, landscaping, painting. Agenda of the week's events will appear in next week's bulletin.

Saint Luke School Open House for New Students

St. Luke School will conclude Catholic Schools Week with an Open House for parents and their children who are considering enrolling in Saint Luke's on **Sunday, February 1, 2009 from 10:30am-12 noon** in the lower (primary) building. Families are invited to tour our school and learn all about what St. Luke's has to offer! Parents, teachers and students will be on hand for questions.

Sister William Adele will also be available for those who wish to schedule appointments for registration. Invitations to parish families with children eligible for Kindergarten in September were mailed this week.

Questions or to RSVP - Please call Beth Stieritz at the Rectory, 215-572-0128.

FABULOUS FAMILY TRIP TO THE OUTER BANKS!

Raffle tickets have recently been mailed to all parishioners for a chance to win a fabulous family vacation to the Outer Banks in North Carolina, as well as a \$500.00 American Express card to help you have fun in the sun!! Enjoy southern hospitality at a house of your choice for a week. (Grand prize valued at \$3,000.)

Or, the winner could choose to receive \$2,000 in cash! Tickets are \$5.00 each, or \$20 for a book of 5 tickets.

All proceeds benefit the St. Luke School Music Program. Need more tickets or have questions? Call Sue Kraynik at 215-887-0486.

Drawing will be held **February 20** at the Penny Party. You do NOT need to be present to win.

HELP WANTED YOUNG ADULTS NEEDED

The St. Luke's Youth group is looking for young adults in their twenties and thirties to help us with the youth group activities. Even if you can only help out at a few events we need your help!

We have many varied events throughout the year such as our Youth Masses, Lock-in, Scavenger Hunt and service projects. We are looking for young adults to help run the individual events. You will receive a lot of guidance from our adult volunteers. If you can help us out or have questions please call Charlie Spencer at 215-287-8731 or email us at stlukeyouthgroup@yahoo.com.

COLLEGE INFORMATION SERIES

Sponsored by: St. Luke's Youth Group

Due to the Eagles' NFC Championship Game this Sunday, the presentation planned for Sunday evening has been postponed. The new date has not yet been determined.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY JANUARY 18-25, 2009

This year's theme, "That they may become one in your hand" (Ezekiel 37:15-19) was prepared by a group of representatives of the Catholic Conference of Korea and the National Council of Churches of Korea.

As Christians, our mission is to proclaim the message of unity in Christ nurtured by a spiritual conversion, a profound change of heart and mind that seeks fulfillment of the high priestly prayers of Christ "that they may be one, as you Father are in me, and I in you, that they may also be one in us, that the world may believe that You sent me." (John 17:21).

This call to mission is put into practice each January 18-25 but also throughout the year as we join our prayers to that of Christ for the reconciliation of the People of God.

St. John's Hospice. Make a casserole to help feed the homeless. Our Donation Day is the 3rd Monday of each month. Frozen casseroles are picked up at 213 Cliveden Ave about 10 am.

ANNULMENT INFORMATION

The Metropolitan Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia is conducting information sessions that include an explanation of the grounds for an annulment and the process. A question and answer session is also provided.

The sessions are as follows:

February 10, 2009 at 7pm—St. John Bosco Church, Hatboro, 235 E. County Line Road, Hatboro, PA 19040, 215-672-7280

February 23, 2009 at 7pm—Corpus Christi Church, Upper Gwynedd, 900 Sumneytown Pike, Lansdale, PA 19446, 215-855-1311

For more information, please contact the Tribunal at 222 N. 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103-1299, 215-587-3750

BEEF AND BEER

*Honoring the Memory of
Jim Winter*

Saturday, March 14, 2009 at the Knights of Columbus, 235 Limekiln Pike, Glenside, 7pm - 11pm, \$30 a ticket. Gift baskets, raffles, and 50/50. Beer, wine, food and a DJ! All proceeds will be going to Saint Vincent DePaul Society. Contact Jimmy Winter at 215-260-8903 for tickets or send a check to Juan Salazar, 2160 Mount Carmel Ave, Glenside, PA, 19038.

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH RETREAT

Growth in Faith . Wednesday, **January 28** to Friday, **February 6, 2009**. Retreat Master: Rev. Bernard G. Dupont, O.P. At St. Joseph Church, 16 S. Spring Garden St., Ambler, PA

EXPLORING VATICAN II FIFTY YEARS LATER at St. Joseph's University Reflections on the Sacred Council of Our Time

The 50th Anniversary of Pope John XXIII's calling for the Second Vatican Council

William Henry Cardinal Keeler,
J.C.D., D.D.

Cardinal Archbishop Emeritus of
Baltimore

January 25, 2009 at 3pm

This lecture is free and open to the public - in Mandeville Hall, Wolfington Teletorium, parking available in the 54th Street Garage.

Other lectures in the series will be in **March 2, 2009** at 7:30pm and **March 24, 2009** at 7:30pm

MARCH FOR LIFE

Immaculate Conception parish in Jenkintown is sponsoring a March for Life bus on **January 22**. This year's marchers will attend a 10am Mass with Cardinal Rigali at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington DC. For registration and information, please call 215 884 2922 and ask for Barbara Rose

ST. BENEDICT SCHOOL REUNION—APRIL 4, 2009 CLASSES OF 1958 & 1959

Contact class of 1958: Tony DeMichael, 215-230-4695 or dmichael1@verizon.net. Class of 1959: Mary Duffy Barrington, 215-886-2682, Anne Vozzelli Blackmore, 215-725-5287, or Sharon Sweet McHugh, 215-576-0406 or smchugh@temple.edu. We are still looking for the addresses of many classmates.

BISHOP MCDEVITT HS

Bishop McDevitt HS Parents' Association presents the 2nd Annual **Monte Carlo Night & Silent Auction** on Saturday, **January 24**, 7 to 11pm, in the Auditorium (handicap accessible), 125 Royal Ave, Wyncote. Tickets are \$25 pp in advance or \$30 pp at the door. For further information call Leslie Wright, 215-885-8495 or wrightlw@comcast.net, or Kathy Orechowski, 215-887-4883 or itsjustme507@yahoo.com.

K OF C

FREE THROW COMPETITION

Knights of Columbus, Flaherty Council invites all boys and girls ages 10 through 14 to compete in the K of C Annual Free Throw Competition. This year's contest will be held on Monday, **January 19**, 6:30pm at Our Lady Help of Christians school gym, Marian and Davidson Roads in Abington. For information call 215-576-9312.

PEACE AND JUSTICE SERIES

Our Mother of Consolation Parish, Chestnut Hill, invites you to join them in the third program in their yearlong learning series. The lecture will be at 7:30pm in the Daily Mass Chapel, Our Mother of Consolation Church, 11 E. Chestnut Hill Avenue.

February 4, 2009 - 3rd Session: Immigration and Catholic Social Teaching, Iraqi Refugees: Living in Limbo, with Sister Arlene Flaherty, OP, Catholic Relief Service, Radnor, PA

For further information, call OMC Parish Center, 215-247-0430



**Remember those who are serving
in the Armed Forces**

Sean Biggio	Andy Johnson	Brian Starkey, Jr.
John Crockett	Michael Johnson	John L. Sullivan
Michael DiCicco	Charles Keller	Marygrace
Eric Duckworth	Edward Keller	Telman
Erin E. Duffy	Nicholas Lynch	Travis Telman
Colin A. Graham	John Monaghan	Calvin Travers
Ronald Green	Nicholas Nedbal	Tim Tumelty
Robert Grimming	Daniel Scharle	Kevin Ward

STAFF

Rev. Msgr. J. Michael Flood	Pastor
Rev. John F. McBride (Senior Priest).....	Parochial Vicar
Rev. Joseph T. Murphy	Retired
Rev. Msgr. John F. O'Brien.....	Retired
Deacon Thomas M. Croke	Permanent Deacon
Sr. William Adele, SSJ.....	School Principal
Sharon D'Amore	Director of Religious Education
Jeanne Kyle.....	Director of Parish Services
Molly Mahoney.....	Director of Music Ministries
Tina Dean.....	Secretary
Cathy Berry	Evening Secretary
John Alekna.....	Maintenance
Dave Daniel	Maintenance
Joe Hart.....	Business Manager
Beth Stieritz.....	Development
Cathy Foley.....	Sacristan

RESPECT LIFT THOUGHT:

Pro-life Words from Hollywood

“Indeed the tragedy of abortion haunts women from all walks of life. Abortion advocates are spending millions to package their tired rhetoric and half-truths in cutting-edge advertising campaigns targeted to young women... The early feminists were pro-life. And really, abortion is a huge disservice to women, and it hasn't been presented that way.”

-Emmy Award winning actress Patricia Heaton, from *Everybody Loves Raymond*

RESPECT LIFE PRAYER:

For an increase of unity among Christians and for greater collaboration among them for the good of society.



**Remember
Our Deceased...**

Charles Diana
Mary Jane Gillespie
Patrick Traynor



**Remember
Our Sick**



Cathleen Acousta	Antoinette Helm
Lillian Berner	Elda Ianna
James Bradley	David Jenkins
Jerry Bradley	James Kain
Joan Brindley	Jerry Kearney
David Brouwer-Ancher	Anna Marie Larkin
Fred Calio	Ginger Luskin
Wayne Caliri	Tom Maley
Susan Carlson	Kenneth McCann
Patricia Carter	Ruth McCarthy
Joseph A. Consono	Norva McGrogan
Caterina Costanzo	Connor McKemey
John Coughlan	Marjorie Miller
David Cullman	Brielle Mooney
Jean Dee	Kathryn DiLanzo
Rosemarie DeHaven	Pollock
Luke Della Penna	Jim Rowley
Beatrice DeNinnis	Violet Ryan
Coeli Duke	Carl Scharle, Sr.
Nicholas Fetscher	Ralph Siani
Ed Fitzgibbon	Jerry Smith
Ethel Fitzgibbon	Kevin Smith
Joseph Flint	Mary Jo Smith
Wendy Fowler	Alice Sutrynowicz
Mary Gaffney	Henry Sutrynowicz
Mark Gibbs	Jennifer Trainer
Deborah Gormley	&
Joseph Granahan	All those who are sick
John Guarro	and homebound in the
Albert Harris	parish, and patients at
Julia Hassan	Abington Memorial
Grace Hegerich	Hospital

SCHEDULES

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 5 pm Vigil, Jan 17

5:00 pm Evan Mascione, Christine McIntyre, Michelle Dubyk

Sunday, Jan 18

6:30 am Maura Angiolillo, Kelly Kehres
8:00 am Joseph Krause, Patrick Corcoran, William Ford
9:30 am Stephanie Mahoney, Matt McDonough, Carey Patton
11:30 am Kathleen Cassidy, Evan Kretschman, Kris Kretschman

Monday & Tuesday, Jan 19 & 20

6:30 am Stephen Jeffers, Michael Joyce
8:30 am Michelle Harbison, Loribrooke Howell

Wednesday & Thursday, Jan 21 & 22

6:30 am Tommy Joyce, Amanda Settembrino
8:30 am Rebecca Voltmer, Kathleen Doyle

Friday & Saturday morning, Jan 23 & 24

6:30 am Stephen DiCicco, Olivia O'Donnell
8:30 am Anthony Scalfaro, Bridget Polansky

Saturday 5 pm Vigil, Jan 24

5:00 pm Carter Fillman, Kyle Donahue, Catie Keegan

Sunday, Jan 25

6:30 am Maura Brownsey
8:00 am Dan Affleck, Cameron Gillaspay, Stephen Saunders
9:30 am school
11:30 am Ryan Priole, Stephanie Kraynik, Tommy Joyce

LECTORS

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—JAN 17 & 18

5:00	Aileen Regan	Cathy Dunigan
6:30	Michael Piotrowicz	Dan Moyer
8:00	Thomas McCarthy	Virginia Krause
9:30	Larry Woehrle	Renie O'Meara
11:30	Jim Markham	Joan Markham

CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL—JAN 24 & 25

5:00	Helen Watkins	Cathy Dunigan
6:30	Michael Piotrowicz	Michael Sweeney
8:00	Jim Burke	Mary Jo Smith
9:30	school	
11:30	Cynthia Fackler	Peggy Zehner

HOSPITAL MINISTRY

JANUARY 25

Clara Duffy (co-ordinator), Del Axford, Michael Dean
Linda O'Donnell, Jailer Sanchez

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

JANUARY 17 & 18

5:00 Del Axford, Porter Bush, Gloria D'Agui, S. Nora Friel, Dennis McNulty, Pat O'Donnell, Emilie Quigley, Pat Sharkey, Jane Turk
8:00 Dorothy Baer, Jo Ann Foley, Diana Giusti, Joe Giusti, Anne McFadden, MaryBeth Meakim, Linda O'Donnell, Barb Piper, Judy Reale, Jayne Spencer
9:30 Sue Borowy, Sr. Mary Elizabeth Clark, James Gauger, Janet Gauger, Karen Giannetti, Mitch Harbison, Kathleen LaMonica, Rose McDonough, Larry Woehrle
11:30 Anne Clancy, Sam Couchara, Ann Del Carlino, Bernadette Dougherty, Dan Dougherty, Anna Filmyer, Trish Hayes, Bob Serianni, Michael Shea, Susan Shea

JANUARY 24 & 25

5:00 Eileen Breslin, S. Nora Friel, Chris Gardner, Rob Henstenburg, Dennis McNulty, John Monaghan, Kevin O'Neill, Drew Sharkey, Lori Spanier
8:00 Cathy Berry, Jim Burke, Frank Emmerich, Marie Heffernan, Kate Jaskiewicz, Tom Keane, Bob Serianni, Carol Talaga, Robert Talaga, Nancy Traister
9:30 Terry Biansco, Marie Brett, Joe Casey, Mitch Harbison, Sue Nedbal, Kathy Pritz, Donna Scully, Mark Slusarski, Larry Woehrle
11:30 Ro Croke, Dave Daniel, Kathy Edwards, Anna Filmyer, Irvin Fisher, Craig Giandomenico, Jule Hanahan, Rita Timoney, Maryann Vesci, Mark Zehner

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