

ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST CHURCH



EASTON ROAD & FAIRHILL AVENUE ❖ GLENSIDE, PENNSYLVANIA

MAY 17, 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

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

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

"I have called you friends."

John 15:15b

**Are you comfortable calling Jesus,
*My Friend?***

ASCENSION OF THE LORD MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday, May 20: 5:00 pm Vigil

Thursday, May 21: 6:30 am, 8:30 am, 7:00 pm

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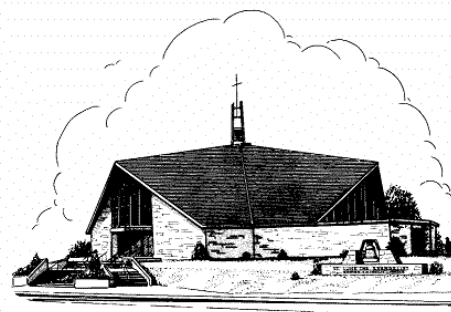
9:00 AM - 7:00 PM, MON

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



www.stlukerc.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

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ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST CHURCH, GLENSIDE, PENNSYLVANIA

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 17, 2009

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48; 1 John 4:7-10;
John 15:9-17
Mon Acts 16:11-15; John 15: 26-16:4a
Tues Acts 16:22-34; John 16:5-11
Wed Acts 17:15,22-18:1; John 16:12-15
Thurs Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23;
Mark 16:15-20
Fri Acts 18:9-18; John 16:20-23a
Sat Acts 18:23-28; John 16:23b-28
Sun Acts 1:15-17,20a,20c-26; 1 John 4:11-16;
John 17:11b-19

WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, May 18 – Easter Weekday / John I,
pope, martyr**

6:30 am Helen Malinowski (*her daughter*)
8:30 am James Towey

Tuesday, May 19 – Easter Weekday

6:30 am Edward Shanks
8:30 am Patrick Quigley (*Deborah & Daniel Iavarone*)

**Wednesday, May 20 – Easter Weekday /
Bernardine of Siena, priest**

6:30 am Anthony Jr., Mark & Gregory Cristaldi
8:30 am Ralph Watkins (*Agnes & Lou Di Lanzo*)
5:00 pm Vigil Mass

Thursday, May 21 – The Ascension of the Lord

6:30 am Mass
8:30 am Mass
7:00 pm Mass

**Friday, May 22 – Easter Weekday / Rita of
Cascia, religious**

6:30 am John Battaglia
8:30 am Ralph Watkins (*Teresa Duff*)

Saturday, May 23 – Easter Weekday

6:30 am Egidio Avallone
8:30 pm Joseph Spanier (*his family*)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

July 11 Aluminum Can Collection to Benefit
Sister Parish in Haiti
August 6 & 7 St. Luke Summerstock Show
August 22 St. Luke School All Class Reunion
October 4 Parish Picnic

THIS WEEK AT ST. LUKE

Sunday, May 17 – Sixth Sunday of Easter

9:00 am Eucharistic Ministry at Abington Hospital
1:00 pm Baptisms

Monday, May 18

St. John's Hospice Donation Day

Tuesday, May 19

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
8:00 am St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Drive, Lower
Parking Lot
6:30 pm Sodality Mass and Dinner, Church & FFH
7:00 pm Bereavement Support Group, Chapel
House
7:30 pm Boy Scouts, Gym

Wednesday, May 20

5:00 pm Vigil Mass
7:00 pm Cub Scouts, FFH
7:30 pm Music Rehearsal, MMR

Thursday, May 21 – The Ascension of the Lord

St. Luke School closed
6:30 am Mass
8:30 am Mass
7:00 pm Mass
7:30 pm Venture Crew, FFH

Friday, May 22

Saturday, May 23

Sunday, May 24 – Seventh Sunday of Easter

1:00 pm Baptisms

ST. LUKE PARISH STEWARDSHIP

The Sunday offering for 5/9 & 5/10 was \$18,374.93

Thank you.

The Pro-Life Rose,

placed before the statue of Mary,
is in loving memory of
Helen Penecale
donated by her niece and nephews.

The St. Vincent de Paul Carnations,

placed before the statue of St. Joseph,
are in loving memory of
John Penecale
donated by his niece and nephews.

**WELCOME OUR NEWEST
PARISHIONERS!**

Annia Helen Hobe,
daughter of
John and Margaret Hobe,
and
Robert William Walsh,
son of
Derek and Laura Walsh,
were baptized on
May 10, 2009.

Congratulations!

VOCATION VIEWS

As the Father has loved me so I have loved you. Live on in my love. Bask in the love of God; ask how to respond. (John 15:9-17)

WEB SITE OF THE WEEK

We again have chosen our own site as the site to visit. We have an archive of the bulletins, with photos in color!

www.stlukerc.org

**SODALITY AND
MIRACULOUS MEDAL
NOVENA DEVOTIONS**

Mass on **Tuesday, May 19** is at 6:30 pm. Our celebrant is Father Terrence Toland, S.J. He will be the guest speaker at the dinner. Our Mass will include hymns to the Blessed Mother and the crowning of the Blessed Mother's statue. The Novena prayers are said after Mass.

Dinner is at 7:30 pm in Father Fitzpatrick Hall, catered by Mike O'Neill. Come and enjoy.

Sodality resumes in October.



**2009 CATHOLIC CHARITIES
APPEAL**

Did you know the Catholic Charities Appeal is sponsored entirely by the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and that the money raised by the Appeal is for the benefit of programs that care for those in need in the five counties of the Archdiocese?

Funds raised by the Catholic Charities Appeal are not part of a national collection nor is the Appeal affiliated, formally or informally, with "Catholic Charities USA" or "Catholic Charities" in any other American city or diocese. Every dollar is used in the five county area of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

For more information about how you can help, please call the Catholic Charities Appeal Office at 215-587-3651 or visit catholic-charitiesappeal.org.

HOLYDAY

MASS SCHEDULE

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Wednesday, May 20: 5 pm Vigil

Thursday, May 21:

6:30 am, 8:30 am, 7:00 pm

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

**REFLECTION ON
6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

From Gospel: John 15:9-17

"I have called you friends, because I have told you everything I have heard from my Father. It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain...."

Reflection:

We are friends of Christ already. He has accomplished that for us, "I call you friends." With the help of his Spirit, we can act that way and each day resemble him more and more. As his friends, we will "bear fruit that will remain." We pray today, "Jesus, teach us to love one another and help us live that love so people will know that we are your friends."

We ask ourselves:

**Am I comfortable calling Jesus,
*My Friend?***

**What must I change in my life
to better reflect to others my
friendship with Jesus?**

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

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
SOCIETY**

In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us, "This is my commandment: love one another as I have loved you...You are my friends if you do what I command you."

**By your gift to the Society of
St. Vincent de Paul you fulfill
this commandment.**

SOCCER CAMP FOR GIRLS

St. Joseph's University is holding and overnight soccer camp for high school girls from **July 12 to July 15**.

Tuition discounts are available for early registration. For more information contact the SJU women's soccer office at 610-660-3367 or jreynold@sju.edu.

The university offers a number of sports camps for all ages. Visit <http://www.sjuhawks.com/camps/stjs-camps.html> to find out more and download the application brochures.

ROMAN CATHOLIC HS SUMMER CAMPS

The faculty and athletic staff of Roman Catholic HS encourage you to take part in Roman's first ever Summer Camp for **Academics and Athletics**.

From **June 22 until June 26** or from **June 29 until July 13**, **boys** ages 9 to 15 can learn the fundamentals of baseball, basketball, lacrosse, and football from the Varsity coaches of Roman Catholic HS.

From **August 10 until August 21**, Roman's faculty invites **boys and girls** in the 7th, 8th and 9th grades to take courses in English and Math that will better prepare them for standardized testing and learning at the high school level. Athletic Camps: \$200.00 per camper Academic Program: \$125.00 per student For more information, please contact Dennis DiGiovanni, Camp Coordinator, 215-627-5487 ext. 316, ddigiovanni@cahillite.com

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

The Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) is for students who attend public schools or who are home-schooled and are in grades 1 through 8. **Register for PREP early and take advantage of the discounted rates effective until May 31.**

New registrants should supply a copy of the child's Baptismal Certificate. Forms may be picked up in the back of Church or at the Rectory.

SUMMER ATHLETIC CAMPS for Girls Age 14 and Under

Please visit the Mount Saint Joseph Academy website for registration info: www.msjacad.org click on 'Summer Camps' on left side menu.

Register early to reserve a spot!

Basketball- John Miller

June 15-19 and June 22-June 26
\$150 a session 11am-3pm

Crew- Mount Coach

June 22-July 2 and July 13-July 23
\$500 a session 1pm-4pm

Field Hockey-Lois Weber & Tina Reinprecht

June 15-19 9 am-noon \$150

Softball- Matt Cronin & Vince Martell

June 15-19 9 am-noon \$150

Tennis-Ron Mutchnik

June 22-26, 9am-noon \$150

Volleyball-George Trabosh & Ruth Wright

June 22-26 6pm-9pm \$150

**Support our organizations for
children and teens—purchase
Food Certificates!**

CALIX - COMMUNION WITH CHRIST ENHANCING OUR 12 STEP PROGRAM

A new chapter of Calix has been recently formed in Philadelphia. Calix is an international association of Catholic alcoholics (founded in 1942) who are maintaining their sobriety through affiliation with, and participation in, the Fellowship of Alcoholics Anonymous. We meet on the last Saturday of each month at St. Luke's parish in Glenside, PA. We have received approval for this chapter from the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and have a participating chaplain. There are a group of individuals who carpool from the Media area.

Calix's first concern is to interest Catholics with an alcohol problem in the VIRTUE of total abstinence. Our second purpose is to promote the spiritual development of our membership. Our participation in all other spiritual activities of Calix, such as the frequent celebration of Mass, Sacraments, personal prayer, Holy Hours, retreats, etc., aid us in our third objective, namely, striving for our personal sanctification.

If interested, please contact Ken at 215-327-3236 or Amy at 610-405-7747, e-mail us at StLukeCalix@comcast.net. Visit us at www.stlukecalix.org.

**7TH GRADE VISITATION
MOUNT SAINT JOSEPH ACADEMY**
Visits will continue through May and are held mornings from 8 am to 11:30 am. To arrange a visit, parent should contact the MSJA Admission Office at 215-233-9133.

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT
GROUP FOR
FRIENDS & FAMILY**

This group meets on alternate Tuesdays at St. Luke Chapel House, 2330 Fairhill Ave, from 7 to 8:30 pm. Sponsored by William R. May Funeral Home (no fee), meetings are facilitated by Deborah K. Gawthrop, who has her Master's Degree in Counseling Psychology and is a certified Grief Management Specialist. The next meeting will be **Tuesday, May 19**. The topic is *Your Grief is Unique*.

**ALUMINUM CAN DRIVE TO
ASSIST OUR SISTER PARISH**

We are collecting the tabs from aluminum cans to raise funds for our sister parish. We have collecting jars on the tables in Church.

Give us the tabs and recycle the rest of the cans in your regular recycling or save them for our final collection day on **July 11**. (We will continue to collect tabs after July 11.)

PARISH LEADERS

Please submit your organization's calendar for September 2009-August 2010 to the rectory as soon as possible. It helps in overall parish planning and helps to eliminate scheduling conflicts.

ST. LUKE CLASS REUNIONS

1964: Save the Date: Saturday, **November 28**. Details to follow. Call Lynn O'Connell 215-576-1523.

1969: For information, please contact Denise (Trudeau) Sabol at DSabol@comcast.net or 302-521-2375.

**ST. LUKE ALUMNI
Important Reunion Informa-
tion Updates**

St. Luke Alumni 2009 All Class Reunion is **Saturday, August 22, 2009** at La Costa in Sea Isle from 3 pm to 7 pm. **Tickets are now on sale! EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT: \$25 through 6/15/09.** \$30 after 6/15, \$35 at the door. Contact Beth Stieritz:

Development@StLukeRC.org
215-572-0128

We now have a page on **Facebook!** If you'd like to view our page, log onto

www.facebook.com

(you need to set up a profile for yourself if you'd like to log on.) Our page is entitled: **St. Luke in Sea Isle 2009 All Class Reunion**. You can do a search for the page in the search bar for **St. Luke in Sea Isle 2009 All Class Reunion**, and become a "fan" of the page (kind of like a "friend."). In doing so, you'll be alerted to news on ticket sales, t-shirts and the day's agenda as plans continue to be made. You'll also be able to post comments, view info on RSVP's, and reply with your own RSVP!

Have you booked your hotel room at LaCosta yet? Reunion ticket price entitles guests to continue to enjoy the evening at LaCosta after 7 pm until closing with no cover charge. Why not book a room and stay on-site at the Coast Motel? \$185 plus tax with no two-night minimum. Contact LaCosta directly:

609-263-1111 or
www.lacosta-seaisle.com

**OVER 50'S CLUB
Casino Trip**

Showboat - **Thursday, May 21**. Bus leaves St. Luke's at 9:30 am. There is a \$30 Free Slot Play & Coupon Book offer on arrival at the casino. The coupon book includes valuable dining and retail offers. **Please note: Your Total Rewards card must be presented in order to receive the above bonus.** For info please call Tom Keane at 215-441-0706.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE

Make a casserole to help feed the homeless. Our Donation Day is the 3rd Monday of each month. The next donation Day is **Monday, May 18**.

Frozen casseroles are picked up at 213 Cliveden Ave about 9 am. Recipes can be found on our website and in Church. Pans are in rear of Church.

RESPECT LIFE PRAYER:

That bishops and priests may never fail to proclaim the Gospel even in the face of adversity or trial.

**ABINGTON BANK
AFFINITY PROGRAM**

When parishioners open new accounts, we'll receive an interest credit. Currently, this is equal to 1% of the total interest earned for ALL accounts credited to St Luke's. This annual contribution is made by Abington Bank and does NOT affect any interest earned on member's accounts. All current Abington Bank customers are also eligible for this program.

PREP PROFILE

This month concludes *Mrs. Margie Spasari's* seventh year as a Catechist in St. Luke's PREP. After teaching grades five and six for the prior six years, Margie took on the task of eighth grade this year. Margie recalls, "When I first learned that I would be teaching eighth grade, I felt a little intimidated. Children usually stop their faith formation with PREP after receiving Confirmation, and I was concerned about making it an environment that they would want to be a part of instead of approaching it as a chore." Her concerns soon dissipated, however, when she first met her students and began the year. Her small group meets every other week, and she feels fortunate to be involved with them as they explore issues involving social justice and the principles of our faith. Their age-appropriate classroom discussions include current events, both local and global. Margie piques her students' interest by incorporating contemporary media, such as magazines, music, and movies, in her classroom presentations. Recently, for example, her class downloaded the United Nations' Declaration on Human Rights. They then compared and contrasted the ideas in this document with ideas expressed by current musical artists in their works. In doing so, the students were able to make real-world connections with the basics of their faith.

Margie finds her biggest challenge in the questions posed by her students. "The children have a very lit-



eral sense of the material we cover, and I want to guide them in the right direction," she says. She's exhilarated by the challenge, and feels that the "kids have a wonderful, positive, captivating sense of the material we cover." She tries to keep discussions flowing from class to class, and lays the groundwork for the next meeting at the end of each class session.

Margie has been a parishioner at St. Luke's for 40 years, and she and her husband, Joe, were married here 20 years ago. Their three children, Jessica (18), Michael (15), and Joey (13), all received their religious education through St. Luke's PREP.

Margie coached soccer for 17 years, and has "always been drawn to teaching whether it is through coaching or in a classroom." She

feels that her time in the classroom is truly a gift that she is overwhelmed with gratitude to receive.

Your gratitude, Margie, is inspiring. St. Luke's is grateful to YOU for sharing the gift of your time and talent with our parish children.

This month concludes our series of PREP Profiles. Many thanks to our Catechists who so willingly shared their thoughts and opened their lives to us in this column. If these stories have inspired YOU to get involved as a Catechist in our PREP Program, please contact Sharon D'Amore in the PREP Office, 215-884-2080.

AID FOR FRIENDS

Aid for Friends is a charitable non-profit organization that provides seven FREE home-cooked dinners weekly, friendly visiting and supplemental outreach services to about 2,100 isolated, needy shut-ins, primarily the frail elderly, in the five-county Greater Philadelphia area.

There is a need for meals for our freezer located behind the rectory next to the playground. Food trays

can be picked up at the back of church or in the room where the freezer is. If you are interested in more information about cooking for Aid for Friends contact Kathy Cassidy at 215-884-7971.

Volunteers to deliver the meals in the Glenside and Cheltenham areas are also needed. Contact Robin Costa at 215-572-7169 if you are interested in being a friendly visitor.



Monsignor Flood was honored by the St. Luke School children after their May First Friday Mass. The pastor was honored and thanked for his years of service as a priest.

This month our priests are celebrating their anniversaries of ordination:

- Fr. Murphy, 62 years
- Msgr. O'Brien, 48 years
- Fr. McBride, 47 years
- Msgr. Flood, 41 years.

SOCIETY OF
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
**CLOTHING
DRIVE**

Tuesday, May 19

8 am to 2 pm

St. Luke parking lot

Accepting small household goods also. (No baby equipment, only baby clothing.)

The *Heritage of Faith ~ Vision of Hope* campaign is nearing its conclusion in our parish. This campaign has been designed to help the Church of Philadelphia meet six critical priorities:

- Providing financial support to parishes
- Ensuring access to a high-quality Catholic education
- Restoring the Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul
- Investing in priestly formation and campus infrastructure at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary
- Caring for retired clergy
- Ministering to the needy through Catholic human services



Heritage of Faith ~ Vision of Hope will help our parish, too. For each dollar pledged, our parish will receive 35 cents. If we exceed our goal, we will keep 65 cents of every dollar above goal. With the parish share of the money raised, we plan to:

- Renovate the Sanctuary, including new carpet, and assess and upgrade church lighting
- Create an endowment fund to ensure affordable Catholic education for generations to come at St. Luke School and St. Luke Religious Education Program for Children (PREP).
- Improve the property, including a new school roof and parking lot resurfacing
- Assess the energy efficiency of buildings and implement recommendations to lower operating costs

Our Parish goal is \$1,190,000. In the preliminary phases of this campaign our pledges have reached over 85% of the goal!

We hope that all will prayerfully consider their response to the urgent needs of the Church, here and throughout the Archdiocese. Please continue to pray for the success of the campaign!

K OF C

JOB HUNTING SEMINAR WITH GUEST SPEAKER CARL ALEY

Knights of Columbus Flaherty Council in Glenside will host a Job Hunting Seminar featuring employment transition specialist Carl Aley, President of Technical Proposals and Presentations, LLC in Glenside on Tuesday evening, **May 19** at 6 pm. This is an informative and timely presentation designed to "improve the odds" in an increasingly competitive job market. Included will be: The Resume and Cover Letter, The Application and Interview, Targeting Opportunities and Legal Issues. This is open to the public, admission is free. The K of C Hall is located at 235 Limekiln Pike in Glenside. For information call 215-576-9312.

Could you house an international student while he attends Bishop McDevitt H.S.?

CETUSA (Council for Educational Travel, USA) is looking for American host families to do this. You would be asked to provide room and board, some transportation, occasional guidance and assistance for the student. You would receive a monthly stipend for hosting the student. CETUSA maintains monthly contact with you. If interested, call CETUSA representative Stefanie Ferraro at 1-888-747-5872.

MONEY TROUBLES?

If so, **Catholic Social Services** may have the answer for you. John Darnall, a licensed mortgage banker and founder of the Bethesda Foundation will give a talk on Good Credit Strategies and Getting a Mortgage on the following dates: May 19, May 26, 7:30 - 9:00 pm., at: Catholic Social Services, 353 E. Johnson Highway, Norristown, PA, 610-279-7372..

COMPUTER COURSES

Little Flower Catholic High School is offering **free one-week courses to adults** who have very little or no knowledge of computers. Classes will be held in the air-conditioned lab from 9 to 11 am. The course will include explanations, handouts and hands-on experience on programs such as Microsoft Word, Excel, Power Point and the Internet. Anyone interested should call the Main Office at Little Flower, 215-455-6900, to register. Please indicate which week would be preferable: **July 6, or July 13.** Each class will be limited to 15 participants. **Registration will close May 27.**

HEALING RETREAT

In His Sign Network is sponsoring a weekend healing retreat at the Malvern Retreat House on **May 29 – 31.** Directed by Kathleen McCarthy, Fr. Bill Halbing and, Fr. John McFadden, this powerful retreat is entitled, *In the Name of Jesus, the Nazarene, Rise Up and Walk.* The weekend will include inspirational life-changing talks, healing services, Sacred Scriptures, reconciliation and Eucharistic Adoration. For additional information please contact 610-527-2906.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

St. Charles Borromeo Seminary is offering a new summer program that combines learning the faith with spiritual reflection. Summer Academic Retreats begin in July. To learn more and download a registration form, visit

www.StudyCatholicTheology.com. Undergraduate certificates and a Master of Arts in Theology program are also available. Apply now for summer session.

**KEEP OUR SISTER PARISH
IN HAITI
IN YOUR PRAYERS**

MODERN SILENT FILM

CELEBRATES CATHOLICISM

Universal Signs, winner of the Audience Award for Best Feature Film at the Philadelphia Film Festival, will be screened at the Keswick Theater, on **Saturday, May 30.**

This groundbreaking film, written and directed by Ann Calamia and produced by Catherine Miller, both members of Old St. Joseph Church, is a modern silent film about the redemption of the human spirit through the power of faith and forgiveness.

Philadelphia native and practicing Catholic, Robert Picardo (*Star Trek-Voyager*) plays the role of Father Joe in the film.

Universal Signs is primarily told through American Sign Language (ASL) with captions for the hearing. In this way, the audience travels on a first person journey through the deaf world and culture.

Tickets can be purchased on-line at www.universalsignsmovie.com.

The Year of St. Paul

June, 2008 — June, 2009

WOMEN'S

WELLNESS WEEKEND

The Sisters of Saint Joseph will host a Women's Wellness Weekend in their lovely ocean front retreat house in Cape May Point, New Jersey, **September 11, 12, 13, 2009.** The weekend is designed to be holistic-spiritual, relaxing, rejuvenating, and educational. Included are meals, accommodations and the opportunity to participate in a variety of workshops. Cost: \$350 (Includes workshops, meals, and accommodations.) Early Bird Special (to June 30): \$300. For additional information or to register, go to <http://ssjphila.org/www.html> or call 800-482-6510.



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

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

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 LIFE THOUGHT:

God Makes No Distinctions

“The sacred books, in fact, set out to show God’s love for every human being even before he has been formed in his mother’s womb. ‘Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you’ (Jer 1:5), God said to the Prophet Jeremiah. And the Psalmist recognizes with gratitude: ‘You did form my inward parts, you did knit me together in my mother’s womb. I praise you, for you are fearful and wonderful. Wonderful are your works! You know me right well’ (Ps 139[138]:13-14).

These words acquire their full, rich meaning when one thinks that God intervenes directly in the creation of the soul of every new human being. God’s love does not differentiate between the newly conceived infant still in his or her mother’s womb and



*Remember
Our Deceased...*

Catherine Alekna
Michael Jaye
Louis Zehner, Jr.



*Remember
Our Sick*



James Bradley	Ginger Luskin
Jerry Bradley	Jennifer Lyons
Joan Brindley	Gladys Mayer
Fred Calio	Ruth McCarthy
Patricia Carter	Michael McDonough
Ted Chapman	Michael McGrogan
Fanny Cima	Norva McGrogan
Caterina Costanzo	Marjorie Miller
David Cullman	Brielle Mooney
Jean Dee	Jim Rowley
Rosemarie DeHaven	Violet Ryan
Beatrice DeNinnis	Peter Schurr
Louis DiLanzo	Ceil Sergienko
Coeli Duke	Richard Sheehan
Kate Dwyer	Ralph Siani
Thomas Flagg	Walter Slizofski
Harold Fleming	Kevin Smith
Joseph Flint	Mary Jo Smith
Mary Gaffney	Kathleen Snowden
Mike Gillespie	Thomas Tumelty
Deborah Gormley	Terry Wilson
Joseph Granahan	&
John Guarro	All those who are sick
Julia Hassan	and homebound in the
Elda Ianna	parish, and patients at
Charles Kleaver	Abington Memorial
Anna Marie Larkin	Hospital
Kathy LeQuier	

the child or young person, or the adult and the elderly person. God does not distinguish between them because he sees an impression of his own image and likeness (Gn 1:26) in each one.

--Pope Benedict XVI to the Pontifical Academy for Life, February 27, 2006.

SCHEDULES

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 5 pm Vigil May 16

5:00 pm Kelly Kehres, Joseph Kain, Stephanie Kraynik

Sunday May 17

6:30 am Andrew Ward, Catie Keegan

8:00 am Kathleen Doyle, Sean Dawson, Jonathan Garcia

9:30 am Kathleen Cassidy, Jake Meizinger, Stephen
Saunders

11:30 am Evan Kretschman, Kris Kretschman, Rebecca
Voltmer

Monday 18-May 18

6:30 am Amanda Settembrino, Anthony Scalfaro

8:30 am Jake Meizinger, Michelle Harbison

Tuesday 19-May 19

6:30 am Amanda Settembrino, Anthony Scalfaro

8:30 am Jake Meizinger, Michelle Harbison

Wednesday 20-May 20

6:30 am Matt McDonough, Paul McNamara

8:30 am Christine McIntyre, Patrick Corcoran

5:00 pm Evan Mascione, Maura Brownsey, Jerry Amodei

Thursday 21-May 21

6:30 am Matt McDonough, Paul McNamara

8:30 am Christine McIntyre, Patrick Corcoran

7:00 pm Cameron Gillaspay, Patrick Ryan, Stephen
DiCicco

Friday 22-May 22

6:30 am Carter Fillman, Rebecca Voltmer

8:30 am Riley Slusarski, Joseph Krause

Saturday 23-May 23

6:30 am Carter Fillman, Rebecca Voltmer

8:30 am Riley Slusarski, Joseph Krause

Saturday 5 pm Vigil May 23

5:00 pm Evan Mascione, Sarah Sydlowski, Michael Joyce

Sunday May 24

6:30 am Tommy Joyce, Kyle Donahue

8:00 am Daniel Nedbal, Colin Nedbal, William Ford

9:30 am Joey Borowy, Joseph Pritz, Sarah Pritz

11:30 am Amanda Settembrino, Riley Slusarski, Rebecca
Voltmer

HOSPITAL MINISTRY

MAY 17: Bernadette Dougherty, Jailer Sanchez, Portia
Tatlonghari, Karen Giannetti, Kevin Potter

MAY 31: Clara Duffy, Porter Bush, Larry Shannon, Helen
Watkins, Michael Dean

JUNE 14: Dan Moyer, Agnes DiLanzo, Sue Moyer, Linda
O'Donnell, Jailer Sanchez

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

MAY 16 & 17

5:00 Del Axford, Porter Bush, Chris Gardner, Dennis
McNulty, Kevin O'Neill, Emilie Quigley, Pat Sharkey,
Lori Spanier

8:00 Bob Serianni, Jo Ann Foley, Diana Giusti, Joe Giusti,
Barb Piper, Mary Santarelli, Jayne Spencer, Carol
Talaga, Robert Talaga

9:30 Terry Biansco, Marie Brett, Joe Casey, Lyn Church,
Jane Kieser, Kathleen LaMonica, Mary Limburg,
Theresa Pompilio

11:30 Ann Del Carlino, Irvin Fisher, Craig Giandomenico,
Jule Hanahan, Scott Mattingly, Donna Scully, Rita
Timoney, Maryann Vesci, Mark Zehner

MAY 23 & 24

5:00 Del Axford, Eileen Breslin, Gloria D'Agui, S. Nora
Friel, Rob Henstenburg, John Monaghan, Drew
Sharkey, Jane Turk

8:00 Anne McFadden, James Gauger, Janet Gauger,
Dorothy Baer, Frank Emmerich, Kate Jaskiewicz,
MaryBeth Meakim, Linda O'Donnell, Nancy Traister

9:30 Sue Borowy, Sr. Mary Elizabeth Clark, Karen
Giannetti, Mitch Harbison, Rose McDonough, Kathy
Pritz, Mark Slusarski, Charlie Spencer

11:30 Anne Clancy, Sam Couchara, Dave Daniel, Kathy
Edwards, Anna Filmeyer, Trish Hayes, Scott Mattingly,
Michael Shea, Susan Shea

LECTORS

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 16 & 17

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

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 23 & 24

5:00	Helen Watkins	Kevin Potter
6:30	Michael Piotrowicz	Michael Sweeney
8:00	Jim Burke	Al Dorley
9:30	Jim Moore	Larry Woehrle
11:30	Bill Edwards	Cynthia Fackler