

# ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST CHURCH



EASTON ROAD & FAIRHILL AVENUE ❖ GLENSIDE, PENNSYLVANIA

JANUARY 24, 2010

## 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 (Mon - Fri): 6:30 & 8:30 AM

Saturday: 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

## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### QUESTION OF THE WEEK

*"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, ..."*

*He said to them, "Today this scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."*

Luke 4:18-21

**In what ways will I listen to the Spirit who has anointed me TODAY?**

***PLEASE PRAY FOR HAITI***

## CHURCH AND RECTORY OFFICE

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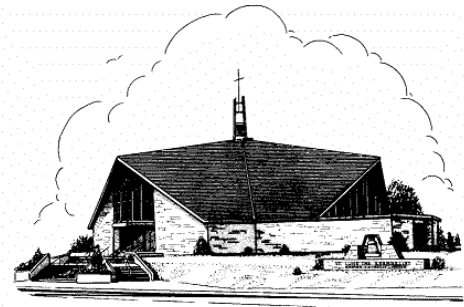
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## Office Hours:

9:00 AM - 6:45 PM, MONDAY

9:00 AM - 8:00 PM, TUESDAY-THURSDAY

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM, FRIDAY



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THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 24, 2010

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun	Nehemiah 8:2-4a,5-6,8-10; 1 Corinthians 12:12-30; Luke 1:1-4;4:14-21
Mon	Acts 22:3-16; Mark 16:15-18
Tues	2 Timothy 1:1-8; Mark 3:31-35
Wed	2 Samuel 7:4-17; Mark 4:1-20
Thurs	2 Samuel 7:18-19,24-29; Mark 4:21-25
Fri	2 Samuel 11:1-4a,5-10a,13-17; Mark 4:26-34
Sat	2 Samuel 12:1-7a,10-17; Mark 4:35-41
Sun	Jeremiah 1:4-5,17-19; 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13; Luke 4:21-30

## WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, January 25 – The Conversion of Paul, apostle

6:30 am Nancy Croke  
8:30 am Owen Ferry

### Tuesday, January 26 – Timothy and Titus, bishops

6:30 am Charles Dougherty  
8:30 am Don F. and Don Francis D'Agui

### Wednesday, January 27 – Weekday / Angela Merici, virgin

6:30 am Deceased Members of the McDermott Family  
8:30 am Nancy Croke (Jim and Barbara Burke)

### Thursday, January 28 – Thomas Aquinas, priest, doctor of the Church

6:30 am Bill Currie (*Joe Broderick and Ernie Hak*)  
8:30 am Steve Seweryn

### Friday, January 29 – Weekday

6:30 am Victorio Melito (*Lydia*)  
8:30 am Charles Heiland (*Wife*)

### Saturday, January 30 – Weekday

8:30 am Michael Flach

### The Pro-Life Rose,

placed before the statue of Mary, and  
**the St Vincent de Paul Carnations,**  
placed before the statue of St. Joseph,  
are in loving memory of  
Charles Heiland  
donated by his wife.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. LUKE

### Sunday, January 24 – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Eucharistic Ministry at Abington Hospital

### Monday, January 25

4:15 pm PREP  
7:15 pm PREP  
7:30 pm RCIA, Lyons Den

### Tuesday, January 26

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
7:00 pm Sodality Mass, Church  
7:30 pm Boy Scouts, FFH

### Wednesday, January 27

7:00 pm PREP, Rectory  
7:00 pm Cub Scouts, FFH  
7:00 pm Facilities Committee, Lyons Den  
7:00 pm Music Ministry, MMR

### Thursday, January 28

10:00 am Moms and Tots, FFH  
6:30 pm Camp Fire, FFH  
7:30 pm Choir, MMR  
7:30 pm Baptism Class, Lyons Den

### Friday, January 29

### Saturday, January 30

### Sunday, January 31 – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Beginning of Catholic Schools Week  
10:30 am School Expo  
1:00 pm Baptisms

## THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JANUARY

**General:** That young people may learn to use modern means of social communication for their personal growth and to better prepare to serve society.

**Mission:** That every believer in Christ may realize that unity among all Christians is a condition for more effective proclamation of the Gospel.

## BAPTISMS

Out of respect for the season, no baptisms are held during Lent, which begins on **February 17**. If you wish to schedule a baptism, please call the rectory during office hours. New parents must first attend a pre-baptism class.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus reads the words of scripture: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor."

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.

THE POOR BOXES ARE THE BREAD BOXES OF THE NEEDY

### SODALITY AND MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA DEVOTIONS

Our monthly Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, **January 26**, at 7 pm. It is offered for all living and deceased members of the Sodality. All parishioners are welcome to this Mass.

Any questions about cancellation due to weather conditions, please call Teresa Duff, 215-887-4727, or Marie Winstanley, 215-886-3863.

January is Poverty in America Awareness Month

### VOCATION VIEWS

The Spirit of God is upon you! Through baptism and confirmation God sends you "to bring glad tidings to the poor and to proclaim liberty to captives; to announce a year of favor from the Lord." Are you called to be a priest, deacon, brother, or sister? (*Luke 1:1-4, 14-21*)

## SECOND COLLECTION FOR HAITI

At the request of Cardinal Rigali, we take up a second collection today for the Catholic Relief Services toward their efforts in Haiti relief. Please be generous in today's second collection.



## WEB SITE OF THE WEEK

Visit [www.crs.org](http://www.crs.org) to get up-to-date information about Catholic Relief Services actions in Haiti.

## WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

We invite members of religious communities to renew their vows at this year's celebration at the 11:30 am Mass on **February 7**.

## REFLECTION ON THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

By Jude Sciliano, OP

### From Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me...to bring glad tidings to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives, recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free. Jesus said to them, "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing".

### Reflection:

Jesus tells his hearers, "**TODAY** this scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." Throughout Luke's gospel the word **TODAY** appears in key places. At Christmas we heard the angels announce, "**TODAY** a Savior is born" (2: 11). When Jesus meets Zaccheus he tells him, "**TODAY** salvation has come to this house" (19:19). He assures the thief crucified next to him, "**TODAY**, you will be with me in Paradise" (23:43). The **TODAY** Jesus announces isn't just a chronological date; it is our **TODAY** as well. Luke is reminding us we don't have to wait for some future time – this is our **TODAY**.

We tend to procrastinate, putting off the necessary changes we must make in our lives. God doesn't tell us to take our time making things right in the world. **TODAY** is the day of action. **TODAY** we too have been anointed to proclaim liberty to captives, recovery of sight to the blind and freedom for the oppressed. **TODAY** we have been sent by Jesus to act justly in large and small ways.

### We ask ourselves:

In what ways will I listen to the Spirit who has anointed me **TODAY**?

How can I help people to be free to live **TODAY**?

What acts of mercy need to be addressed in my own household **TODAY**?

In what areas of my life am I "captive" of **TODAY**?  
(fear, jealousy, anger, etc.)

## CAMP FIRE NEWS

Camp Fire will be celebrating its 100th Birthday. We would like to begin our celebration by inviting all of our alumni to our annual Father/Daughter Square Dance.



If your DAD is unavailable please come and bring a special someone. Date:

**February 13.**

Time: 6:30 to 9

pm. For more information and RSVP Carolyn Jones: Jon2crllyn@aol.com or call 215-572-0713 after 6 pm.

## ROMAN CATHOLIC HS

### ROMAUCION 2010

#### *“A Night on the Town”*

The Romauction is the one night of the year when Roman’s Auditorium becomes a ballroom through the help of Roman parents and friends. Romauction is one of Roman’s biggest fundraisers and a most enjoyable evening for all adults involved. The event on Saturday, **March 6**, consists of a live auction by COMLY Auctioneers, a silent auction, dinner provided by Williamson’s Restaurant, open bar, and more fun than you can imagine. For tickets, contact Romauction@cahillite.com

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**Little Flower HS for Girls** is holding an **Open House and Registration** evening on Tuesday, February 9, 6 to 8 pm. All 7th and 8th grade students, along with their families are welcome to come and meet with the LF faculty, staff, and students. For more information, please visit [www.littleflowerhighschool.org](http://www.littleflowerhighschool.org) or call 215-455-6900 x 162

## HAITI NEWS

### Sister Parish Status

We have received some e-mails from our sister parish in Haiti. They report that Hinche and Los Palis initially experienced a lot of shaking but no serious damage to the structures. But since most of their food and supplies came through Port-au-Prince they are running low on necessities. Many refugees from the Port-au-Prince area have been going to the central plateau area, where Los Palis is located, and are in need of water, food, shelter, clothes, etc. The clinic in Los Palis has donated medicine and supplies to the hospital in Hinche. We are exploring ways to help our sister parish in their efforts to help others in this disaster (see below). But at this time the banking system is not able to securely transfer funds to Haiti.

### Fund-raising Plans

We had planned to have our **annual dinner** for the benefit of our sister parish in Haiti in February. Since the earthquake we are exploring plans to have more than one dinner. We plan to have more information in next week’s bulletin. We also plan to have a **sale of Haitian crafts** in April (tentatively scheduled for April 24 & 25). This will benefit Haiti in two ways: the craftspeople will receive payment and the profits from the sale will go to our sister parish. We are continuing the **collection of tabs** from aluminum cans—the collections jars are in church.

### January 20 Update from Catholic Relief Services

Each day more CRS staff from around the globe arrive in Haiti, joining our existing staff of just over 300. Our headquarters building in Haiti was damaged but did not collapse. While aftershocks continued—including a **6.1 temblor this morning**— staff slept outside and worked at desks pulled into the streets. Despite enormous logistical challenges, one week after the devastating earthquake **CRS staff has unloaded 120 containers (2100 metric tons) of vegetable oil and grains from the U.S. government** onto the only operating wharf in Port-au-Prince. We are in the process right now of arranging for secure transport to our warehouse, where it will be distributed to the growing number of camps. / **CRS has been asked by the UN to lead the response at one of the first formally organized camps, located at a golf course, where as many as 50,000 people are sleeping every night.** CRS has arranged to supply the camp with water, food, and plastic sheeting for shelter, which continue to be trucked in from CRS warehouses in the neighboring Dominican Republic, where volunteers are working continuously to keep additional relief supplies coming. / **CRS has formed six medical teams** to provide health care at shelters and area hospitals and CRS teams have already distributed medical supplies and drugs. In addition, Project C.U.R.E. has donated 3000 pounds of additional medical supplies that are en route. / **Three operating rooms at St. Francois de Sales Hospital—which withstood the quake — are now running, and surgeries are being performed on the most critically injured patients.** Food, water and medical supplies have also been provided to the hospital. An AIDS Relief site, this is one of Haiti’s oldest hospitals and one that CRS helped build. Its mission is to provide free care and treatment for the poor. / **CRS is extremely grateful for the outpouring of support** we have received in response to this calamity. But we can’t stress enough how significant the damage is and how many of our brothers and sisters are affected. We are asking you to please support our efforts to help the millions of earthquake victims in Haiti.

## SSJ MISSION CORPS

If you or someone you know is interested in making a difference in the lives of others by giving a year of service, you might want to know about the SSJ Mission Corps. This volunteer program, sponsored by the Sisters of Saint Joseph, provides an opportunity for young women between the ages of 21-35 to work with those who are materially poor in the Philadelphia area. The young women who join the SSJ Mission Corps live together in a community which is grounded in the values of justice, spirituality, community, and simple living. The women partner with the Sisters of Saint Joseph in furthering the gospel mission of active inclusive love of God and neighbor without distinction.

They are now accepting inquiries and applications for the 2010-2011 volunteer year beginning in August 2010. For more information call Sister Rose Andrea at 215-248-7239 or email her at [rloughery@ssjphila.org](mailto:rloughery@ssjphila.org). You can also check the volunteer link at <http://www.ssjphila.org/SSJMissionCorp2.html>

## OVER 50'S CLUB

The Over 50's Club will meet on Tuesday, **February 2**, at 11:30 am in Father Fitzpatrick Hall. We will have our usual luncheon buffet. A representative from Griswald Special Care will be on hand to talk about their home care program. Also, we will go over a couple of trips that are in the making. Hope to see all of our members there and we also invite non-members to come and join us.

## REGISTER SOON

### LENTEN SERIES

You are invited to participate in *"Care for Creation = Conversion of Heart"* a five part weekly Ecumenical Lenten Series that will be offered at Saint Luke the Evangelist Church Chapel House, beginning on **Thursday, February 18**, 2010 from 7 pm to 8:30 pm. Sister Mary Elizabeth Clark, SSJ, director of the Sisters of Saint Joseph Earth Center will be the facilitator. Cost \$25.00 for series. To register, send check made to Sisters of Saint Joseph, % S.S.J. Earth Center, 9701 Germantown Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19118. For info contact 215-248-7225 or [mclark@ssjphila.org](mailto:mclark@ssjphila.org).

## CALIX UPDATE

Calix in Philadelphia is celebrating it's third anniversary with a Day of Recollection at St. Gabriel's Church and Hall on Saturday **January 30**. The day will start with Mass at 9 am and run until 3:30 pm. There will be food, speakers, confession, and devotions throughout the day. Download a flyer at [phillycalix.com](http://phillycalix.com) or contact Ken at 215-327-3236 for more information. Note that there won't be a meeting at St. Luke's that day.

Calix is an international association of Catholic alcoholics who are maintaining their sobriety through affiliation with, and participation in, the Fellowship of Alcoholics Anonymous.

*Keep our sister parish,  
Notre Dame de la  
Presentation, in Los-Palis,  
Haiti n your prayers.*



## CATHOLIC MEN

*come hear an all star line-up of speakers  
at the*

### **Men's Spirituality Conference Be Reconciled to the Lord Saturday, March 13 at Archbishop Ryan HS**

Speakers include Baseball great Mike Piazza, police Commissioner Charles Ramsey, and Catholic Evangelist Jesse Romero. The closing Mass will be celebrated by Cardinal Rigali. For additional information and online registration go to [www.archphila.org](http://www.archphila.org) and look for the Men's Spirituality Conference Logo, or call 215-587-5639.

## CHRISTIANS IN THE EYES OF JESUS

St. Joseph, Ambler, Parish Mission, **January 25 to 29**, with Rev. Richard J. Kehoe, C.M 8 am Mass and 7 pm Service of the Word with Benediction. Confessions after each service.

## MARDI GRAS PARTY

Please come to our party on Tuesday, **February 16**, beginning at 6 pm in the Hall. The event is free! The rectory provides the paper goods and beverages, including wine & beer! This is a covered dish party: attendees are encouraged to bring food to share with others! Come alone or with family and friends.

**SAINT LUKE SCHOOL  
REGISTRATION FOR THE  
2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR**

Registration for the 2010 - 2011 school year will begin in February! Registration appointments will take place each Tuesday morning and Thursday afternoon. You may make a registration appointment by calling the school office: 215-884-0843.

The following guidelines will assist you in being prepared for your child's registration. Kindergarten children must be five years of age and First Graders must be six years of age by September 10th. No exception is made regarding this Archdiocesan and school district age requirement. The following documents are required at the time of registration: an original birth certificate, Baptismal certificate (unless baptized in Saint Luke the Evangelist Parish), and complete immunization records. You should also have the names and phone numbers of two emergency contacts, the name and phone numbers for your child's physician and dentist and a non-refundable registration deposit.

*We encourage a full day Kindergarten program, but we are happy to discuss half-day program arrangements at the time of registration.*

**NB: Parents with students already attending Saint Luke School should also call the school to schedule registration appointments for their new Kindergarten or First Grade child.**

**SAINT LUKE SCHOOL  
OPEN HOUSE FOR  
POTENTIAL NEW STUDENTS  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 31**

St. Luke School will kick off Catholic Schools Week (this year's theme – "Dividends for Life") with an Open House for *parents and their children who are considering enrolling in Saint Luke's* on Sunday, January 31, 2010 from 10:30 am to noon in the lower (primary) building. Families are invited to tour our school and learn all about what *Dividends for Life* St. Luke's can offer your child! Parents, teachers and students will be on hand for questions and our gym will be buzzing with our School Expo. Sister William Adele will also be available for those who wish to schedule appointments for registration. Questions or to RSVP - Please call Beth Stieritz at the Rectory, 215-572-0128.

**ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST  
SCHOOL**

Our parish school admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at our school. Similar policies apply to the school staff. Our school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, its admission policies, or in any school-administered program.

**ST. LUKE HOME & SCHOOL  
28TH ANNUAL PENNY PARTY**

Friday, February 19, 2010

**50/50 Raffle  
Flat Screen TV Raffle  
Prizes & more...**

*Win a Trip to....  
All Inclusive Dude Ranch Resort  
Highland NY  
Plus a \$250.00 AMEX Card*

Tickets go on sale Monday **Feb 1**  
*Tickets purchased before Feb 12 - \$10  
Tickets purchased after Feb 12 - \$15  
At the door - \$20*

For tickets, contact Maria Hughes  
215-886-5673; or  
mhughes305@comcast.net

**ST. LUKE HOME & SCHOOL  
RAFFLE**

Raffle tickets have recently been mailed to all parishioners for a chance to win a fabulous **all-inclusive** family vacation to America's favorite dude ranch, Rocking Horse Ranch Resort in Highland, New York (90 minutes north of NYC) as well as a \$250.00 American Express card for gas and fun!! Enjoy accommodations, meals and most activities for 4 nights and 5 days. (Grand prize valued at \$3,200.)

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.* Make checks payable to "St. Luke Home & School Association". Need more tickets or have questions? Call Sue Kraynik at 215-887-0486. Drawing will be held **February 19** at the Penny Party. You do NOT need to be present to win.

**The St. Luke School office can always use 8 1/2" x 11" copy paper that has been used on one side. Drop off during school hours, 8 am to 3 pm.**

# ST. LUKE'S 71ST ANNUAL SPAGHETTI SUPPER

SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2010

3 PM TO 7 PM



All are invited to the St Luke 71st Annual Spaghetti Supper, held in Fr Fitzpatrick Hall on Sunday, March 7, from 3 pm to 7 pm. Take out will be limited to 2 pm to 4:30 pm.

The menu is: all the spaghetti, salad and Italian bread you can eat, plus two meatballs, a soft drink, and homemade dessert. Our bar will be serving wine and beer.

For your listening pleasure, the very talented Joe McHugh, who has helped us out for so many years with his excellent entertainment on the piano.

The pricing is: \$8.00 for adults, \$4.00 for kids 12 and under, and toddlers under 3 are free.

For take out (2:00 - 4:30 only) you may bring your own pots or use one of our take-out pans.

We need volunteers to help with setup, decorations, waitressing, bussing tables, and food preparation. There will be sign-up sheets in the back of Church for anyone who would like to help.

Tickets will be on sale in the back of Church after Mass or at the Rectory during the week, with a limited amount available at the door.

Donations for the dessert table can be dropped off in the Hall on March 7th at any time. If you plan to bake for the Supper, please sign up on the sheets in the back of Church, so we know whether we have to buy desserts. Donations for the Basket of Cheer can be dropped off (before March 6th, please) at the Rectory during office hours (9 am - 3 pm, Monday or Friday, or 9 am - 8 pm, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday).

For more information, please contact Jim Vasta, 215-641-9817, Clara Duffy, 215-885-1681, or the Rectory, 215-572-0128.



## K OF C LIVE MUSIC & DJ

Knights of Columbus, Flaherty Council, will host a night of music and dancing on Saturday, **January 30**. Two floors of fun, live music downstairs with the Avenue J Band, DJ Mark upstairs, 7 pm - 11 pm in the K of C Hall, 235 Limekiln Pike in Glenside. Hoagies, beer, wine and soda included, \$10 pp in advance, \$15 pp at door. This event is open to the public. For tickets or info call 215-576-9312.

*Support our organizations for children and teens—purchase Food Certificates or use Genuardi's Club Card.*

## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

The next couples experience will be **April 23 - 25**. For more info call 1-800-456-8330. A Marriage Encounter experience is for couples in a healthy marriage, not for those experiencing difficulties due to abuse, drugs, or serious marital problems.

## MARRIAGE HELP

Retrouvaille is a Catholic based program to help marriages that are stressed or in trouble. Retrouvaille has helped countless married couples in all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. Retrouvaille can help your marriage too.

The next program will be held at St. Joseph in the Hills Malvern Retreat Center, Malvern, PA on **February 12 - 14**, 2010.

All calls are confidential. For more information call 1-800-470-2230 or 302-832-8044 or visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com).

## BEEF N BEER

The 11th Annual Michael B. McGillian Benefit will be held Saturday, **February 6**, from 8 pm to midnight at the Knights of Columbus in Glenside. The tickets are \$25.00. Live music, DJ, door prizes and raffles provided. All proceeds go towards awards at St. Luke the Evangelist School, Bishop McDevitt High School and various other charitable donations. For tickets or more information, please contact Kirsten McBride, 215-887-5176, or Meghan McGillian, 215-886-2295.

## OUR LADY OF POMPEII

*Parish and Neighborhood Reunion*

Saturday, **April 24**, 2010, Cannstatter's, 9130 Academy Road, Philadelphia. For tickets, please contact: Sue Greco, 215-355-6367, or Dolly Melo Planamente, 215-355-9365.

## FLEA MARKET & GIFT SHOW

Resurrection of Our Lord School Hall and Gym, 2000 Shelmire Ave, Saturday, **February 6**, 9 am to 1 pm (early admission 7:30 am for \$5 fee). Hotdogs, baked goods, candy, Basket of Cheer. For information contact: Tina Nase, 215-745-3211 x105

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**St. Basil Academy** is sponsoring a **Practice Examination** for 7th grade girls on **Saturday, March 20, 2010**, at 9 am. The cost for the exam will be \$30.00. Refreshments will be provided. Please contact Mrs. Maureen Walsh in the Admissions Office at 215-885-6952 to request an application. St. Basil Academy is located at 711 Fox Chase Road, Jenkintown.

## JOB OPPORTUNITY

Parish Secretary needed at St. Hilary of Poitiers Church in Rydal, PA. Individual must have excellent people skills, be proficient in secretarial responsibilities as well as computer software: Word Perfect, Microsoft Word, Excel, some PowerPoint skills preferable. Please send resume accompanied with references to Rev. Kevin P. Murray, 820 Susquehanna Road, Rydal, PA 19046 or e-mail at [jhunter@adphila.org](mailto:jhunter@adphila.org).

## PARENTS, ALUMNAE & FRIENDS OF SAINT BASIL ACADEMY

The Counseling Services Department of SBA is planning a Career Day program for the student body. We are inviting professionals who would be interested in sharing their time and talent on Friday, **March 19**, 2010. If you would be willing to speak informally to our young ladies about your chosen field, please contact the Counseling Services Department at 215-885-6951 or e-mail us at [lsplendor@stbasilacademy.org](mailto:lsplendor@stbasilacademy.org).

## RACHEL'S VINEYARD MINISTRIES

Rachel's Vineyard retreats are for anyone hurting from the spiritual and emotional pain of an abortion. The weekend will help you experience the mercy and compassion of God; grieve your loss; and forgive yourself and others. Next retreat: **March 12, 13, 14** at the Spirituality Center in Frazer, PA. Call 215-906-6337 or 610-399-0890. All contacts are confidential. National website:

[www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org)



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

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

**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 & Business Manager
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
Beth Stieritz	Development
Cathy Foley	Sacristan

**RESPECT LIFE THOUGHT:  
A Sad Anniversary**

On January 22, 1973, the *Roe vs. Wade* Supreme Court decision legalized abortion in the United States through all nine months of pregnancy. Tens of millions of children have been killed as a result. The plaintiff in the case, however, has changed her mind. Norma McCorvey, the former "Jane Roe" of *Roe vs. Wade*, now opposes abortion and works for the reversal of this tragic decision. Her conversion gives us hope that as millions of Americans pray, march, and speak up this weekend for the unborn, the conscience of the nation will again be stirred, and the blessings of liberty, equality, and prosperity will be granted soon to the children living in their mothers' wombs.



*Remember  
Our Deceased...*

- Frank Keller
- Ruth McCarthy
- Mick Moore
- Bob Vivial



*Remember  
Our Sick*



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| Sr. Assumption, acj | Steven Kulp                                                                                               |
| James Bradley       | Anna Marie Larkin                                                                                         |
| Rob Breen           | Patricia Leahy                                                                                            |
| Eileen Breslin      | Kathy LeQuier                                                                                             |
| Mary Britt          | Jennifer Lyons                                                                                            |
| Fred Calio          | Joseph Markey                                                                                             |
| Patricia Carter     | Brian McCormick                                                                                           |
| Nancy Cavan         | Michael McDonough                                                                                         |
| Dick Claudius       | Judy McGillian                                                                                            |
| Dolores Costanza    | Norva McGrogan                                                                                            |
| Caterina Costanzo   | Marjorie Miller                                                                                           |
| David Cullman       | Brielle Mooney                                                                                            |
| Paula D'Amore       | Mary Moran                                                                                                |
| Patricia DeCinque   | Rory O'Sullivan                                                                                           |
| Rosemarie DeHaven   | Bertha Peterson                                                                                           |
| Beatrice DeNinnis   | Mary Quigley                                                                                              |
| Rick DiLanzo        | Scott Rodgers                                                                                             |
| Bill Dopke          | John Roman                                                                                                |
| Kate Dwyer          | Thomas Rutledge                                                                                           |
| Joseph Flint        | Ralph Siani                                                                                               |
| Bill Gleason        | Mary Jo Smith                                                                                             |
| Deborah Gormley     | &                                                                                                         |
| Joseph Granahan     | All those who are sick<br>and homebound in the<br>parish and patients at<br>Abington Memorial<br>Hospital |
| John Guarro         |                                                                                                           |
| Angel Hall          |                                                                                                           |
| Ed Klady            |                                                                                                           |
| John Knowles        |                                                                                                           |

**RESPECT LIFE PRAYER:**

That as Christ proclaims liberty to the poor and the captive, we may work to eliminate war, starvation, capital punishment, and abortion.

## Catholic Business Professionals of Greater Philadelphia™ is

holding its next networking event on Thursday, **February 11**, from 5:30 to 8:00 pm at Kildare's Irish Pub - King of Prussia (Upstairs), 826 Dekalb Pike. There is no cost to attend, there will be free sandwiches and hors d'oeuvres, and the first drink is also free!

You are invited to meet fellow Catholic professionals from the Greater Philadelphia region.

Whether you're looking to expand your professional network, find a new job, spread the word about your Catholic organization or ministry, or simply meet other professionals who share the Faith, this is a great way to make new connections with other area Catholics.

While walk-ins are welcome, kindly RSVP if you plan on attending so that we may have an idea of how many people to expect: [ngibboni@gmail.com](mailto:ngibboni@gmail.com) or 215-915-0223. There will be free valet parking for the event. Kildare's has said that while their parking lot fills up relatively quickly during large events, they have more than enough room in their valet lot to accommodate the meeting. Please take advantage of this service.

Catholic Business Professionals of Greater Philadelphia is a networking organization with the goal of fostering relationships among Catholic professionals in the Greater Philadelphia region. Members strive to keep Jesus Christ and their Catholic faith at the core of their professional and personal development. [www.catholicpros.com](http://www.catholicpros.com).

## ŽOFIE VOKÁLKOVÁ

### CONCERT

**Sunday, January 31, 4 pm**

**All Hallows Episcopal Church  
262 Bent Road Wyncote**

In a typical year Žofie Vokálková is featured in over 150 solo and chamber music concerts. A Prague native, Žofie is a graduate of Prague Conservatory. She has studied with Frantisek Malotin, Christian Lardé, Meinhardt Niedermayer, and James Galway. She has won prizes at a number of international performance competitions, has been an orchestral soloist in Europe, Asia, and the United States, and has been featured in numerous radio broadcasts and compact disc recordings. Vokálková is currently flute soloist for the orchestras Virtuosi di Praga and Prague Symphony Orchestra. Previously she has been first orchestral flute, Prague Symphony Orchestra, and Flute Professor at Prague Conservatory.

There is no charge for the program, but freewill offering will be accepted.

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**Shared Treasures Thrift Shop** is open on Thursdays from 10 am to 3 pm during the school year. They have a large selection of men's, women's & children's clothing, furniture, decorative items, ladies accessories & jewelry. Monthly Specials -- January "Bag Sale." Donations are gratefully accepted during shop hours. Located in the rear of Dunleavy Center, 8709 Cheltenham Avenue Wyndmoor, Pa. Sponsored by the LaSalle Mothers' Club Alumnae Committee.

## TEEN CONVOCATION

Want to know your part in God's *Never-ending Story*? Come and find out at the Teen Convocation on Sunday, **March 7**, 11:30 am to 5:30 pm at Archbishop Carroll HS. Teens from throughout the Archdiocese will gather for fun, good music, food, and faith. Sunday Mass will be celebrated with Bishop Timothy Senior. Visit <http://archphila.org/catechetical/index.html>.

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**St. Matthew's** (Philadelphia) class of 1985 is planning a 25 year reunion for **April 10**. For information, please contact Veronica McNamee Connelly via email at [J2V1@verizon.net](mailto:J2V1@verizon.net)

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The St. Anthony DiPadova Society will be holding its Seventh Annual **Italian Night** extravaganza on Saturday evening, March 13 beginning at 6 pm. The event will be held at The Oaks, 511 W. Oak Lane, Glenolden, Pa. 19036. The event includes entertainment, prizes, raffles, gift baskets, free giveaways and some surprises. Also, there will be much room and accommodation for food and dancing. The cost is \$30.00 per person (cash bar) and will include authentic Italian food and specialties. Entertainment will include The Sound Investment Band Inc., Opera Singers, Silent Auction. All proceeds will be used to raise funds for the 88th Annual Feast Day Celebrations in honor of St. Anthony to be held June, 2010 at St. Barnabas and Holy Cross Parishes. For more info & tickets: Vince Durso, 610-328-7900 X23, or [vdurso1@comcast.net](mailto:vdurso1@comcast.net)