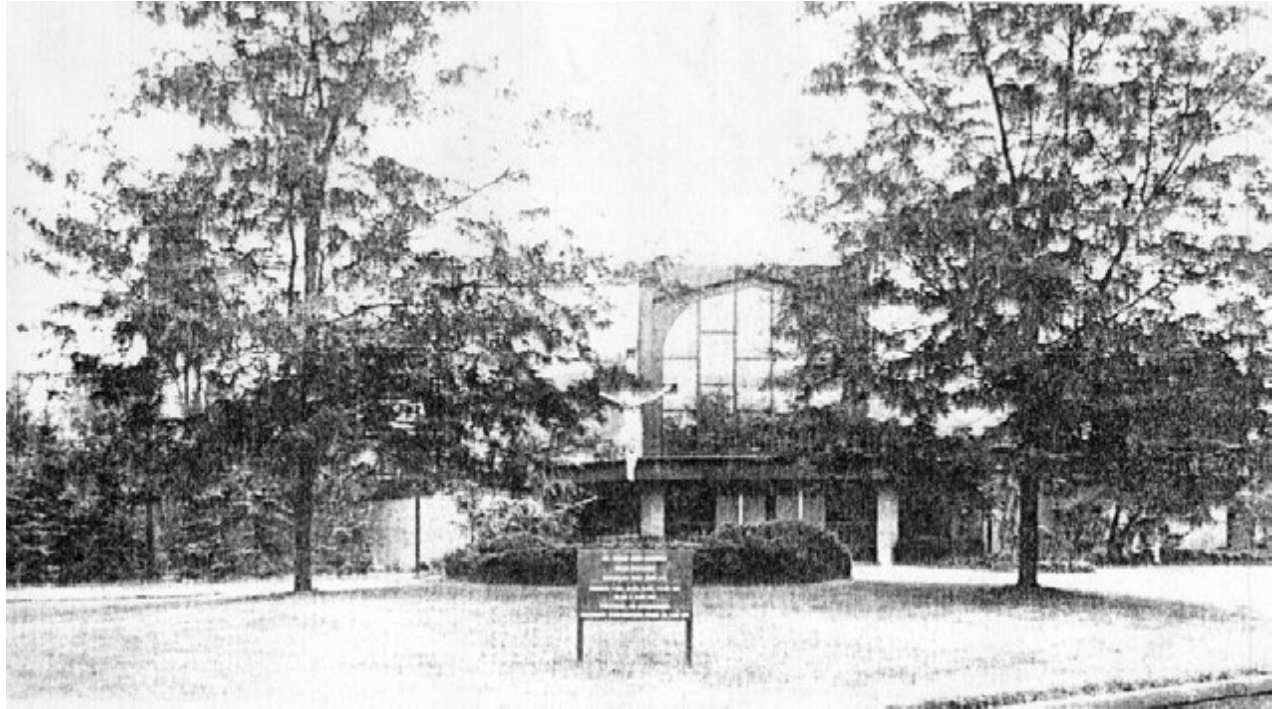


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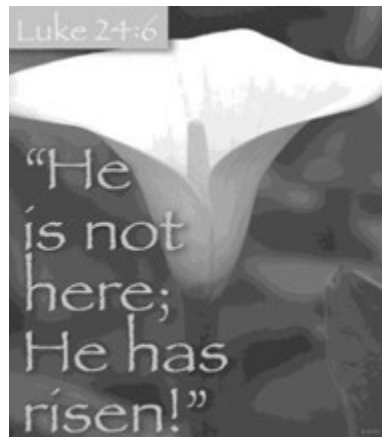
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# **SAINT PHILIP NERI CHURCH**

**Sunday, April 15, 2018**



**SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK**

**ST. PHILIP NERI SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*“But if anyone does sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ, the righteous one. He is expiation for our sins...”*

*1 John 2*



**Please Pray:** for those who died especially, Sr. Theresa Gerrity, SSJ and those we remember in the silence of our hearts.

*Our parish community extends a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors. If you are not a member and would like to be, our vibrant Catholic Community extends a neighborly invitation, please contact the Church office at 610-834-1975*

**Baptismal Instruction / Pre Jordan:** The next session is scheduled for Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 11AM in the Rectory Conference Room. Your baby is always welcome in Church, however, for the instruction itself, please try to schedule a babysitter so you may be free to concentrate. Please call the Church Office (610-834-1975) to sign up.



*Mass Intentions*

*For the Week*

## **Monday**

6:30 AM Sean Hanlon  
8:30 AM Jan Kleinguenther - 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary

## **Tuesday**

6:30 AM Sean Hanlon  
8:30 AM Deceased Members of the Fisher & Gallagher Families

## **Wednesday**

6:30 AM Sean Hanlon  
8:30 AM Sharon Hofknecht

## **Thursday**

6:30 AM Sean Hanlon  
8:30 AM Margaret Fee

## **Friday**

6:30 AM Sean Hanlon  
8:30 AM Rev. Louis Giorgi

## **Saturday**

8:30 AM Peter J. Shields

**PLEASE PRAY** for the sick so that they may be comforted by the concern and love of their families and the family of the Church: Mary Armillei, Bella Jones Borkowski, Marita Boyce, Lou Cacchio, Vincent Cellucci, Hunter Cranage, Rick Czerwin, Jean Daywalt, Charlie Dickman, Lillian Doherty, Dr. Robert Domanski, Emily Donhauser, Lisa Dougherty, Dolores (Dee) Downs, Patricia Durkin, Christopher Greuters, Baby Warren Hargadon, Mark Helms, Elizabeth Ann Hill, Jean Keenan, Peg Lafferty, Nicholas Lannutti, Peter Lello, Anne Lintner, George and Molly Lozinak, Phyllis Luther, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, John McCann, Maura McGrath, Julia McLaughlin, Baby Avery McNichols, Steven Merlin, Joe and Betty Mulligan, Joe O'Brien, Lisa O'Brien, John Pacell, Baby Addison Pfeffer, Ann Purkin, Jim Rafter, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, John Reynolds, David Sandy, John Schaifer, Gina Schindler, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Michael Shaw, Kristin Shearon, Donna Schoen, Robert Smith, Brian Stenz, Yvonne Stephens, Amy Swift, Kena Thompson and Wendi Wagoner and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.



**Blood Drive:** The American Red Cross will be in our school gym on Thursday, May 10, 2018 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM. Please take this opportunity to give the gift of life. You may make an appointment by contacting Bob Dunne at 610-941-9162 (H), 610-542-3063 (W), or email [rdunne@devereux.org](mailto:rdunne@devereux.org). If you have any questions about your eligibility to give, please visit the Red Cross web site at: [www.pleasegiveblood.org](http://www.pleasegiveblood.org).



Come and support the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual  
***"Don't Stall Just Call"***

5K Run & 1 mile walk, on Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 9AM on the Temple Ambler Campus. Face painters, music, food & prizes! See flyers on bulletin boards for more details.

**Are you a parent who has lost a child:** An informal group of Moms and Dads get together to talk or just listen to others who understand how you feel. The next meeting is Tuesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the rectory conference room. For more information contact Marianne O'Connor at 610-825-4975 or Rosemary McNichol at 215-247-2267.

**Alzheimer Caregivers:** Are you a caregiver or do you have questions about Alzheimer's? Would you like to speak with someone who understands? Sons of Italy, Ernest Strollo Lodge # 683 will have a representative at St. Genevieve's on April 22 at 1:30PM, please see bulletin boards for more information.



**St. Francis Inn:** Our spring needs include: coffee, tea sugar, disposable razors, deodorant, hotel toiletries, paper goods, diapers, preemie & SZ 4-6, pull-ups sz 3T-5T, Men's boxers (sm & med), for all your faithful support thank you and please remember to pray for the Inn and those we serve.

**Shut-In Members:** Anyone who would like to receive Holy Communion at home, please call the church office as we have a couple of Eucharistic Ministers who take communion on Sundays. Anyone who would like to see a priest for an anointing or confession, call the church office at 610-834-1975



**Wedding Anniversary Mass:** Are you celebrating a special anniversary this year? The annual Archdiocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass will take place on Saturday, April 28, 2018 at the Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul at the 5:15pm Vigil Mass with Archbishop Charles Chaput, O.F.M., Cap. presiding. This Mass is to pray for and with all married couples who are newlyweds, or who have been married 25 years or more. Friends and family are welcome and encouraged to attend. Registration required, visit [www.phillycatholiclife.org](http://www.phillycatholiclife.org) or call: 215-587-0500.



## **COMCAST Cares** **HELP!**

Save the date!

Comcast Cares is coming to our parish on Saturday, April 21, 2018 from 8AM to 12PM. They are partnering with us for a campus clean-up and beautification day. Registration is required so we can know how many projects we can staff, the more volunteers the more projects! For more details on this special day of volunteerism or to register: [www.comcastinthecommunity.com](http://www.comcastinthecommunity.com)

**Men's Prayer Group:** Men of different ages meet every Wednesday morning in the rectory conference room from 7:30AM to 8:30AM. If you are interested please call Duane McCarthy at 610-825-5237. There is a prayer petition book in the rear of the church for your intentions, please write down your intentions so the group can pray for all listed petitions.



Membership Drive is back! Benefits SPN Home & School. Memberships are discounted to \$40 and SPN receives a donation for every one sold! If your current membership is due to expire in the coming months, please renew now. BJ's will add the 13 months to your current membership. Applications/flyers are in vestibule outside the church office. Drop off forms at the church or school office. Deadline is April 30th. Contact Anne Marie Nesfeder at: 215-760-6920 or [nesfedera@hotmail.com](mailto:nesfedera@hotmail.com)

**Women's Wellness Weekends:** The sisters of St. Joseph will host two wellness weekends at Cape May Point on the weekend of June 1-3 and Sept 7-9. The weekend is designed to be holistic-spiritual, relaxing, rejuvenating, educational and fun! Included in the \$375 price are meals, accommodations, and the opportunity to participate in workshops. Please call 800-482-6510 or email: [atdevelopment@ssjphila.org](mailto:atdevelopment@ssjphila.org)

**St. Raphaela Center:** The handmaids of the Sacred Heart offer spiritual direction that enables you to grow into a closer relationship with god. In the midst of a busy life, many people find it difficult to notice God's action in their daily affairs. The center offers week/weekend retreats this summer. This is a extended time of prayer and silence, accompanied by a Spiritual Director.

Summer Retreat I : July 13-20, 2018

Summer Retreat II: July 23-30, 2018

To inquire further please call 610-642-5715.

### **Scrip Gift Card Program**

**This is a great fundraiser for SPN!**

Ordinary purchases become extraordinary when you use SCRIP gift cards to pay! Buy \$100.00 per week of grocery Scrip cards for one year and earn \$125.00 in free tuition credits (or gift cards) for you and an additional awesome \$125.00 in free revenue for St. Philip's! If you choose you can give your Scrip credits to whomever you like, a niece or a nephew, grandchildren, a neighbor or a needy school family to help them with their tuition. Cards are available in the church vestibule after all weekend Masses, in the church office Monday thru Friday 8AM to 5PM, or on line. Any questions please call Tom or Dawn Gale at 610-733-1878 or email at [spnscrip@spnschool.org](mailto:spnscrip@spnschool.org). There are informational flyers on the bulletin boards at the church entrances. Please consider this worthwhile fundraiser for SPN, its easy and user friendly!

**Frozen Casseroles for St. John's Hospice:** Could you find time to make a casserole for the homeless of St. John's? Pans, lids and recipes are available in the Church Office and at Barbara McCarthy's (610-828-2058). Frozen casseroles are brought to Barbara's house by 9AM. The next delivery date is May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**If Prenatal Diagnosis is Poor you are not alone:** *Lily's Gift*, is a network of concerned parents & professionals who have experienced or worked closely with issues surrounding poor prenatal diagnosis. A collaboration of the Office for Persons with Disabilities, Catholic Social Services and the Office of Life & Family offers peer support to assist couples. Call 215-587-3530 or email: [LilysGiftLuke12.27@gmail.com](mailto:LilysGiftLuke12.27@gmail.com).



### **Up coming Events**

"From defiance to reliance: Navigating you spiritual life amidst the chaos of addiction." Join us for a 24 hour spiritual healing retreat sponsored by Malvern and Gethsemani Way on June 22-23<sup>rd</sup>. This retreat is for men and women seeking help for themselves, loved ones, family or spouse. It is an ecumenical retreat.

Sr. Shelia Galligan, IHM will be directing an Evening of Reflection on Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, the theme is "*Forgiveness is the best revenge*"

Fr. Matt Guckin will have a 24 hour young adult retreat, ages 18 to 35 on May 11-12. Prayer & praise under the stars, Holy Hour, Reconciliation, outside fire-pit and uplifting music.

Fr. Larry Richards will have a 24 hour retreat June 8-9 entitled "*Be A Man*" All men of all ages are invited.

Register at [malvernretreat.com](http://malvernretreat.com) or call 610-644-0400, for more information email Mary Christmyer at: [mchristmyer@parish.stnorbert.org](mailto:mchristmyer@parish.stnorbert.org)



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**Mothers of Children with Disabilities:** Retreat on May 1st, 9AM to 2PM, at Malvern, Sr. Suzanna Mayer, IHM will direct a retreat for mothers & grandmothers who are raising children with disabilities and for those who have adult children with disabilities. There will be time for prayer, reflection, and chat with other mothers. Fr. Jim Olsen will celebrate the Mass at 11:30AM. Please see flyers on church bulletin boards. To register call 610-644-0400 or go online at: [www.opdarchphilly.com](http://www.opdarchphilly.com).



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