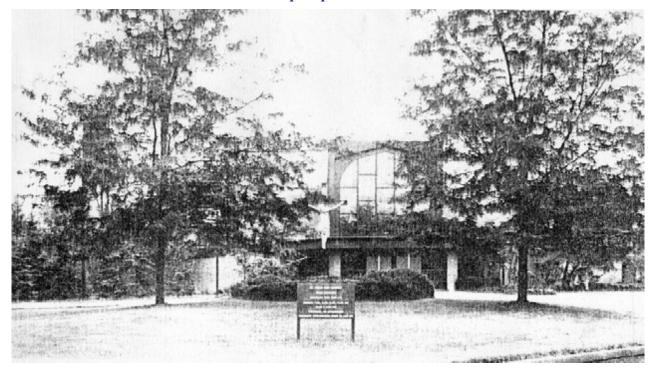
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Next Week's 2nd Collection World Mission Sunday

"As Pope Francis' World Mission Sunday asserts, 'The world vitally needs the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Through the Church, Christ continues His Mission as the *Good Samaritan*, caring for the bleeding wounds of humanity, and as *Good Shepherd*, constantly seeking out those who wander along winding paths that lead to nowhere.' I pray that the faithful in every parish in the Archdiocese will respond to this year's World Mission Sunday by actively offering your fervent prayer and heartfelt generosity for Missionaries and the people they serve, responding to the vast and pressing need for evangelization in the world"

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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: Jose Alvarez, Bella Jones Borkowski, Marita Boyce, Maria Brown, Lou Cacchio, Vincent Cellucci, Rochelle Colucci, Hunter Cranage, Rick Czerwin, Jean Daywalt, Lillian Doherty, Dr. Robert Domanski, Emily Donhauser, Bernadette Dougherty, Lisa Dougherty, Dolores (Dee) Downs, Patricia Durkin, Larry Falkowski, Christopher Greuters, Elizabeth Ann Hill, Jean Keenan, Anna Knittle, Vick Kost, 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, Joan O'Connell, Anna Paulina Oliveras Irizarry, John Pacell, Baby Addison Pfeffer, Jim Rafter, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, John Reynolds, David Rosenberger, Xavier Ross, Geraldine Rotondo, John Sandy, John Schaifer, Gina Schindler, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Michael Shaw, Kristin Shearon, Robert Smith, Joseph Specht, Brian Stenz, Amy Swift, Kena Thompson, Wendi Wagoner, Denise Westwood and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.

<u>Please Pray</u> for those who died and those we remember in the silence of our hearts, especially, Kevin Furey and Thomas F. Keane, Jr.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday	
6:30 AM	Thomas F. Keane III - 9 th Anniversary
	Frank & Concetta Lupinacci & Family
8:30 AM	Jan Kleinguenther
Tuesday	-
6:30 AM	Thomas F. Keane III
	Frank & Concetta Lupinacci & Family
8:30 AM	Timothy Brickley
Wednesday	•
6:30 AM	George, John & Mary Pierce
8:30 AM	Anna Grottoli
Thursday	
6:30 AM	Joan Chasey
8:30 AM	John Link
Friday	
6:30 AM	Kevin Clark
8:30 AM	Marianne Bjorseth
Saturday	J
8:30 AM	Francis & Rose Jankowski
	Andrew & Gertrude Clark

2017 ANNUAL CENSUS/BLOCK COLLECTION

NUMBER OF REGISTERED FAMILIES 2271 NUMBER OF ENVELOPES RECEIVED 389

Please remember to fill out and return your census envelope as soon as possible. It can be mailed to the church office or you can place it in the collection basket.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Monday, November 13th Chapel 9:00AM - 6PM

<u>Baptismal Instruction</u>: The next session is scheduled for October 16th at 7:30 PM in the Rectory Conference Room. Your baby is always welcome in Church, however, for the instruction itself, please try to schedule a babysitter so you may be free to concentrate. Please call the Church Office (610-834-1975) to sign up.

We Welcome: Margot Jeanne, daughter of Matthew & Erin Steinmetz, Jack Patrick, son of Sean & Lisa Kelly, Caiden Arthur, son of Terrance & Lisa Boyle, Sean Gerard, son of John & Kathleen Cupchak, Aiden James, son of Craig Amendt & Laura Roscioli, William Anthony, son of William & Heidi Jeitner, Sr., James Lee, son of Keith Catania & Rebecca Fleming, Laura Isabella, daughter of Joseph & Maria Melillo and Claire Amelia, daughter of Brian & Lauren Burkavage.

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is for individuals interested in exploring and discerning membership in the Catholic Church. If you are interested contact Barney McGee at 610-834-1975 or email: bmcgee@spnchurchlh.org, we look forward to speaking with you!

A Casual Walk through the Old Testament: Join our Seminarians David Buffam and Carson Kane along with Father Anthony for a relaxing and enjoyable Bible Study. This fall, we will be exploring the major events of the Old Testament through weekly meetings. Join us on Thursday evenings this fall at 7PM as we casually explore the Sacred Scriptures and apply them to our daily lives. More information will follow in future bulletins.

Cow Plop Bingo: The SPN Annual Cow Plop Bingo will be held today on the SPN soccer field from 1PM to 4PM. Each square of the 400 square grid will provide the owner with a chance to win \$1,500.00! Tickets for each square are \$20.00 and will be on sale in the back of the church, after every Mass. Join us for games, food and a DJ dance party. All proceeds will benefit the SPN Youth Group.

Women's Prayer Group: We meet in the rectory dining room from 11AM to Noon on the first and third Thursday of each month. Women of all ages are welcome. Come join us! For further information, call Sr.Regina Kropp at 610-828-2866.

Men's Prayer Group: Men of different ages meet every Wednesday morning in the Rectory Conference Room from 7:30 to 8:30. If you are interested in joining and wish for more information, call Duane McCarthy at 610-825-5237.

Blood Drive: The American Red Cross will be in our school gym on Thursday, November 2nd from 2PM to 7PM. 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(C) or rdunne@devereux.org. If you have any questions about your eligibility to give, please visit the Red Cross website at www.pleasegiveblood.org

Philippians: We are a social organization for seniors in our area. Meetings are in the school hall, the next meeting is November 9th from 11:30 AM to 1 PM. For membership info please call Angie Berry at 610-260-1211 or 610-608-0358.

<u>Women's Guild:</u> *The Fall Shopping Fair* is scheduled for Sunday, November 12th in the school cafeteria from 12:30PM to 4PM. Please mark your calendars and thank you for your support

Fill-A-Bus Food Collection: 4th Annual Fill-A-Bus food collection to benefit the Colonial Neighborhood Council on Saturday, November 4th and Sunday November 5th. The Sague bus will be in the parking lot before/after all Masses. Help us reach our goal of 7,500 lbs, last year we collected 7,000 lbs of food!

St Raphaela Center: Advent retreat week (Dec 8th - 15th) or weekend retreat (Dec 8th -10th) at the center offers retreats for an extended time of prayer and silence, accompanied by a spiritual director. Please call 610-642-5715 or email www.straphaelacenter.org

October Count: During the month of October, the ushers will be counting the number of people attending each Mass. These attendance numbers are reported to the Archdiocese to use for long-term planning.

H.O.P.E: If you, or anyone you know, needs transportation to a doctor or dentist appointment, or to Mass on Sunday, please call Anne or Bill Franks at 610-828-2530 or email: ann59bil@gmail.com. Additional weekday drivers and group leaders are needed.

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.

Mothers & Babies in Need: Please keep in mind the month of October is dedicated to Respect Life. Items for mothers and babies in need may be placed in the crib in the lobby during the month of October. We will accept your donations such as clothes, blankets, etc. Any large items (walkers, cribs, strollers) please call me before donating them, do not put them in church lobby. We cannot accept car seats. Our biggest need is for larger size diapers and formula. If you would like to lend a hand with this community service, please call Loretta Zych at 215-836-1127.

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, October 17th at 6:30pm (note change in time) in the rectory conference room. For more information contact Marianne O'Connor at 610-825-4975 or Rosemary McNichol at 215-247-2267.

St. Francis Inn: With cool weather upon us, we are in need of clean blankets, throws & afghans for our homeless clients, thermal underwear and new, white athletic socks. Coffee, tea, sugar, iced tea, tuna, canned chicken, chili, Spaghettios, peanut butter and jam. PineSol, Clorox Anywhere, bleach, toilet paper, paper towels and tissues. Diapers (size 6 & preemie only), wipes, baby food & formula. Most of all, PRAYERS!

Frozen Casseroles for St. John's Hospice: Could you find time to make a casserole for the homeless of St. John's? Pans, lids and recipes are available in the Church Office and at Barbara McCarthy's (610-828-2058). Frozen casseroles are brought to Barbara's house by 9:00 AM. The next delivery date is November 1st.

Mayo Society of Philadelphia: Chances will be sold after Masses next weekend (Oct 21&22). The proceeds go to aid challenged children and adults in the area. Several SPN parishioners have benefited from the donations. Chances are 3 for \$5.00 or \$2.00 each. All are invited to the Annual Mayo Ball being held on Saturday, November 4 at 7PM at the Irish Center, 6815 Emlen St, Philadelphia. Please call Maureen Saxon at 610-825-3391 for more details.

Weekend Retreat: Missionaries of the Eucharist, Nov 3rd to the 5th. Offered by Sr. Joan Noreen of EWTN's "Eucharistic Journey" program. To be held at Ave Maria Retreat House in Doylestown, daily Eucharist, adoration, conferences on Catholic Spirituality and prayer. Call 610-582-3333 or email www.olme.org

Responding to Moral Relativism: SPN Adult Faith Formation presents, "Who am I to Judge responding to Relativism with Logic and Love." Edward Sri, Ph.d. is a well-known Catholic speaker and author of several best-selling books as well as a professor of Theology & Scripture at the Augustine Institute. The course starts Tuesday, Oct 24th at 7PM and goes for eight weeks. Most sessions will be held in the school all-purpose room. "Who am I to Judge responding to relativism with Logic and Love" is the recommended book available at Amazon. See bulletin boards for more information or contact Joe Banecker at 610-804-7603 or email josephbanecker@aol.com

Sisters of St. Joseph Annual Chance Drive:

St. Joseph Villa's 50th Anniversary! Please help us make this year's chance drive especially successful! Turn \$1.00 into \$10,000.00 with 11 ways to win! Grand prize is \$10,000.00 with 110 prizes of \$500.00 each. Chances are \$1.00 each or a book of 6 for \$5.00. Chances will be sold after Masses here at St. Philip's on October 28th & 29th. We thank you in advance for all of the support you have given to the Sisters of St. Joseph.

St. Philip Neri Home & School Auction: The auction theme this year is "Hoedown" and will be held on November 4th in the school cafeteria. We are looking for donations of golf outings, concert tickets, sports tickets, jewelry, electronics, gift certificates, vacation homes (in/out of season) and more. Please go to the website: spnauction19444@gmail.com or call Tracy at 215-519-3317. Any help would be appreciated.

Nat'l Catholic Women's Conference: Drawn by Love: Sent on Fire. Saturday, October 21st, 8:30AM to 4PM at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown. Join women from around the archdiocese and throughout the country for a day of inspiration, faith, fellowship and fun. The cost is \$65.00, please call 267-684-5281 for information.

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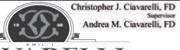
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