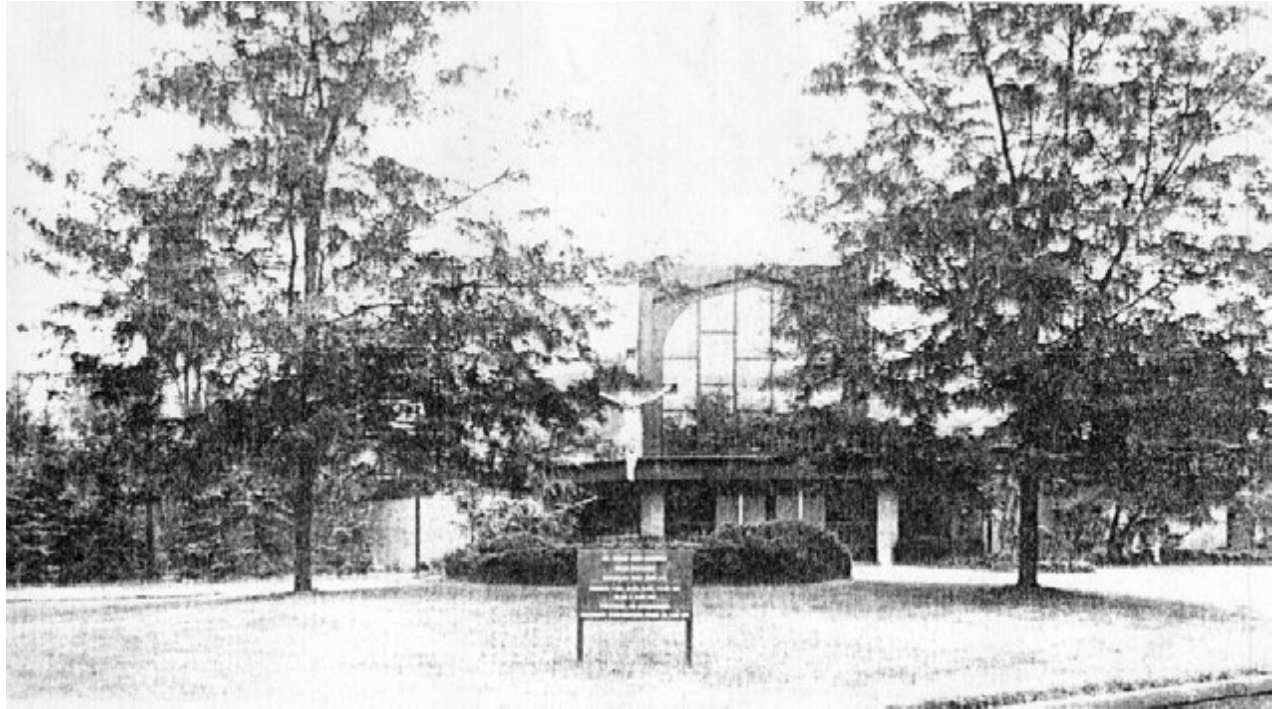


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Sunday, March 4, 2018

Second Collection - Church in Africa

2nd Collection Next Sunday

Solidarity Fund for Church in Latin America

Catholics in Latin America and the Caribbean face many challenges when it comes to sharing their faith: yet the light always shines through and hope arises. Opportunities for the faithful to celebrate even the basic rituals of our Catholic Faith are often few and far between. Frequently, children cannot receive the Sacraments of Initiation, and Mass cannot be held regularly. Without missionaries and catechists, the people living there cannot learn about, experience and share our Catholic Faith. Please be generous and take this opportunity to share your faith with families of Latin America. Thank you and God bless you.

Most Reverend Charles Chaput



Our parish community extends a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors. If you would like to register as a member of our parish community, please contact the Church office at 610-834-1975



A Mass for the Anointing of the sick will be held on March 10th at 2pm. All are invited whose health is impaired by sickness (physical, mental & spiritual) or old age and those about to undergo surgery because of serious illness. If you know of someone who would benefit from this act of faith in the power of God and the strength of the Sacrament please share this date with them. There will be a reception with light refreshments immediately after in the Church vestibule. Please call Dane Connelly at 484-804-1875 in you need more information or need transportation.



ANNOUNCED MASSES



Monday

6:30 AM Deceased Members of the
Santo Caruso Family
8:30 AM John McCarthy, Jr.

Tuesday

6:30 AM Gloria Rainis
8:30 AM Harry Cappa, Jr.

Wednesday

6:30 AM William Shaw
8:30 AM Earl Bruce Kirk

Thursday

6:30 AM Mary Weber
8:30 AM Barbara M. Goldner

Friday

6:30 AM Deceased Members of the
Brennan & Lowry Families
8:30 AM Karl Letterman

Saturday

8:30 AM Peter 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: Elena Alvarez, Mary Armillei, Bella Jones Borkowski, Marita Boyce, Maria Brown, Lou Cacchio, Vincent Cellucci, Hunter Cranage, Rick Czerwin, Jean Daywalt, Charlie Dickman, Lillian oherly, Dr. Robert Domanski, Emily Donhauser, Lisa Dougherty, Dolores (Dee) Downs, Patricia Durkin, Christopher Greuters, Baby Warren Hargadon, Elizabeth Ann Hill, Jean Keenan, 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 Pfeiffer, Ann Purkin, Jim Rafter, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, John Reynolds, David Sandy, John Schaifer, Gina Schindler, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Michael Shaw, Kristin Shearon, Robert Smith, Brian Stenz, Amy Swift, Kena Thompson and Wendi Wagoner, and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.

We Welcome: Vincent Joseph, son of Nicholas & Kristi Cangelosi, Peter Michael, son of Michael & Marissa Kapuscinski and Finn Joseph, son of David & Jenna Malone all were recently baptized at St. Philip's.



Stations of the Cross
Wednesday night at 7pm

Baptismal Instruction / Pre Jordan: The next session is scheduled for Saturday, March 10th 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.



The Bishops of the United States prescribe, as minimal obligation, that all persons who are 14 years of age and older are bound to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday and all the Friday's of Lent and Good Friday. The faithful are encouraged, when possible, to participate at Mass and to receive Holy Eucharist daily, to frequently attend the Sacrament of Penance, to undertake spiritual reading, especially sacred scripture and to participate in parish Lenten devotions.

Marriage Preparation Day /Pre Cana Class: The next Pre Cana class will be on Saturday, April 7, 2018 here at St. Philip. Please call church office at 610-834-1975 for more information and to register. Please pray for all couples participating and preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony.



Lent is rooted in repentance & reconciliation, take advantage of this Sacrament of Healing. Confessions are heard every Saturday from Noon to 1pm.

22nd Annual Kelly Ann O'Connor Fund Brunch

Mark your calendars, this year the brunch is being held on Palm Sunday, March 25th at the Flourtown Country Club from 11:30AM to 2:00PM. For information and / or to reserve a table please contact Marianne O'Connor at 610-825-4975 or email occonnor4@comcast.net



Operation Rice Bowl

Have you picked up your rice bowl? This faith-in-action program invites us to encounter our neighbor, as companions on the journey, through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Rice Bowls are at the entrances of the church, they will be collected at the end of Lent, thank you for participating with your family.

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, March 20th 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.

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.

A Casual Walk through the Old Testament: Join our Seminarists David Buffam and Carson Kane along with Father Anthony for a relaxing and enjoyable Bible Study. Next meeting is March 8th at 7PM in the rectory conference room as we casually explore the Sacred Scriptures and apply them to our daily lives.

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 March 7th.

Comcast Cares: Save the date! Comcast Cares is coming to our parish on Saturday, April 21, 2018. They are partnering with us for a campus clean-up and beautification day. More details to follow for this special day of volunteerism!

Marian Day: St. Charles Seminary's Legion of Mary invites you to the 25th annual Marian Day on Saturday, March 17th from 9am to 4pm. See poster on bulletin boards for more information.

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

Saturday, April 28, 2018

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 or call: 215-587-0500.



**Rachel & Troy Foundation
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Sunday, March 11th at 1PM
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Contact: Ron Gamza at 484-571-8794**

Informational Flyers are outside the Church Office.

SPN Women's Guild Presents



Please join us for our annual

*Covered dish supper on Thursday, March 15, 2018
at 7:30PM, SPN School Hall*

RSVP to Deanna Marrone: dmdm31796@aol.com

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