

Embracing our New Parish



Many are called, but few are chosen.

Mt 22:14

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 11/12, 2014

- 5:00PM **For the People**
- 7:30AM **Maria Gervasio**
Req. by: Gerri & Harry McGuire
- 9:30 AM **For the People**
- 11:30AM **Raymond Workman**
Req. by: the Workman Family

Monday

6:30AM **John Foder** 80th Birthday Remembrance
Req. by: Joannn and Children

8:30AM

Tuesday

8:30AM **Joseph Cinkutis, Jr.**
Req. by: St. Thomas Seniors

Wednesday

6:30AM **Frank Coyle**
Req. by: Mr. & Mrs. Salmon

8:30AM **Jean Manson** First Anniversary
Req. by SEAS

Thursday

8:30AM **Francis & Dorothy Fishburn**
Req. by: Friends

Friday

6:30AM **Eugene Sokolow**
Req. by: Nicole D'Angelo

8:30AM

Saturday
8:30AM **Rosemary Barclay** First Anniversary
Req. by: SEAS

Ethel Zito
Req. by: Family

I am the LORD, and there is no other.



29th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 19, 2014

5:00PM

John Bangert

Req. by: Schroeder & France Family
St. Thomas Aquinas Class of '79

7:30AM **For the People**

9:30 AM **Linda Fowler**
Req. by: Mrs. Kay Schroeder & Family

11:30AM **Philip Workman**
Req. by: the Workman Family
Ed Mitchell
Req. by: the Family

Parish Registration

Am I a registered member of St. Thomas Aquinas Parish? It has come to our attention that many people think they are registered members of the parish because they were baptized here, went to school here and live in the same home as when they were children. In addition, there is a presumption that their children are registered in the parish. It is important for every adult, age 21, for our registration purposes; to please register by completing a parish census form. This will avoid any misinformation or misconceptions when requesting Sacraments and/or Letters of Eligibility to be a sponsor. Please contact the Parish Office to verify your status.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

St. Thomas Aquinas

Christmas Bazaar and Craft Show
There will be a meeting in the CARES
Room on October 27th for all the ladies
on the Bazaar Committee at 7:15PM.



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Remember in your prayers.

OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE MILITARY.

Many of our parishioners have family members serving in dangerous assignments around the world, and for those returning veterans..may they have a loving and peaceful transition to civilian life.

Please keep them in your prayers.

FOR ALL FIRST RESPONDERS

Firemen and women, police, and EMTs please pray for their safety and their families, who give so generously of themselves

For the sick and homebound of our parish

Especially, Arlene Davis, Jack Gallagher, John Rocco, Margaret Keller, Ethel Rudy, John Wallover , Nancy Cirolla and Georgetta Kelly.

For all those who have died, and for all those who have gone before us and have no one left to pray for them. Please remember them all in your prayers.

Ready for more School Info?

St. Hubert Fall Open House
Thursday October 30, 2014 6:30PM-8:30PM

RSVP: www.huberts.org/openhouse

&

St. Hubert Scholarship/Entrance Exam

Saturday, November 15, 2014

Saturday, November 22, 2014

8:00AM

Register online: www.huberts.org/exam

For more information contact the Admissions Office at (215) 624-6840 ext.258

Sunday Scriptures, October 19

Reading I: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

Reading II: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

Gospel: Matthew 22:15-21

Lectors

Oct. 18 5PM K. Vasquez & S. Colvin

Oct. 19 7:30AM A. Ditzler & K. Shafer

Oct. 19 9:30AM C. DelPuerto & J. Roth

Oct. 19 11:30AM M. McGovern & A. Scheck

Extraordinary Minister

Oct. 18 5PM A. Amoroso & P. Amoroso

Oct. 19 7:30PM J. Vaughan & D. Shafer

Oct. 19 9:30AM E. Calley & R. Gutherman

Oct. 19 11:30AM J. Shirley & J. Alitiieri

Altar Servers' Schedule

Oct. 18 5:00PM

Oct. 19 7:30AM

Oct. 19 9:30AM

Oct. 19 11:30AM

Offertory Collection September 28, 2014

Collection by Mass

10/4 5:30PM \$2801.00

10/5 7:30AM \$1837.00

10/5 9:30AM \$2414.00

10/5 11:30AM \$2326.00

TOTAL for Weekend of **October 4/5**

\$9378.00

Open House

Grey Nun Academy

1750 Quarry Road, Yardley

Sunday October 19th 12-2PM

Wednesday, October 22nd 9-11AM

Wednesday, November 5th 9-11AM



St. Katherine Drexel National Shrine and Mission Center

Events for November

Saturday November 1, 2014 *** 10AM - 4PM

Retreat given by Sr. Joanne Bauer, SBS

"How Blessed Are You!"

Includes lunch and praise music **FACEDOWN**
\$25 per person ~ RSVP by October 24.

Saturday, November 8, 2014 ***9AM - 3PM

Craft Show * Vendors needed**

Call (215)244-9900 X380 or email

Archbishop Ryan High School Doings

Friends of Archbishop Ryan High School

will host their Fall Coach Bingo on Friday, October 10, 2014 in the South Gymnasium.

Bingo begins at 7:30PM. Tickets \$30.00. All proceeds benefit the ARHS scholarship fund.

For information all (215)942-6667 or
www.FARHS.com

Fall Open House on Thursday, October 16, 2014 from 6:30-8:30PM. All 6th, 7th and 8th grade families are welcome to attend.

A **Closer Look Evening** will be held on Tuesday, October 28th, 2014 in the school library from 7-8PM for 8th grade families only. Call Pam McPeak at (215) 637-1800 ext. 281 to reserve a seat. Seating is limited.

www.archbishopryan.com

Test Taking Skills and Scholarship Prep Workshop

October 18th 9AM-3PM for all 8th Graders

Program was designed for students in 8th grade in Sept.2014. Students from Catholic, public and charter schools are eligible to register for the Program. Seating is limited.

\$75.00 holds your reservation, Email confirms it. Scholarship Test for Archbishop Ryan is November 15 & 17

Volunteers Needed - The Blessed Margaret Home is looking for individuals who are able to make a serious commitment one or two evenings a month, to help us with our needs. For more information, please call Melissa or Pat (215) 245-8039

St. Michael the Archangel School

is holding a

"Coach Handbag Bingo".

Saturday, November 15th at 7:30PM in the church hall. Doors open at 6:30PM. Discount tickets at \$25 for 14 games of Bingo must be purchased by November 5th. This event is a perennial sell-out. Early purchase is recommended. Guests must be 21 or older. For information please email.....
luciano105@aol.com attention Luz Luciano

MOTHER BONIFACE SPIRITUALITY CENTER
3501 Solly Ave, in northeast Philadelphia is offering a weekend retreat, *"Meeting Jesus in the Gospels"* on November 7-9, 2014.

In response to Pope Francis' invitation to "all Christians everywhere, at this moment, to a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ". This retreat will explore eight Gospel stories that encourage us to prepare our hearts for a renewed encounter, strengthen our confidence that the Lord is waiting to show us His loving mercy, and send us out to share our faith with others.

The presenter is Sr. Sara Butler, MSBT. Sister has taught graduate courses in Christology for 25 years and is consultant to the Pontifical Council for Promoting the New Evangelization. The fee is \$160 (includes a \$40 non-refundable deposit) For further information or to register, please call (267) 350-1830 for (267)350-1831



Haunted House

at

Immaculate Conception

Rectory Building

where Emilie Road meets Bristol
Oxford Valley Road

October 24, 25, 30, 31 and November 1

7PM - 11PM \$15.00

3 floors and 13 rooms of sheer terror!

Best Value in Bucks County

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For additional information contact

RobinKemmerer@comcast.net

Parish Calendar



TODAY!!!! Sunday Breakfast in the Fr. Crehan Hall 8AM through 1:30AM

13. Eucharistic Adoration 9AM—7PM with Benediction following.

18/19. Mission Sunday

Please welcome Fr. Philip Agbar
Also the St. Thomas Aquinas CYO Soccer Team will be acknowledged and blessed at the 5PM Mass.

20. Eucharistic Adoration 9AM—7PM with Benediction following.



**Our Lady of Grace Youth Group
Hosts**

BATTLE OF THE BANDS 2014

Roctober 18th at OLG School Gym
300 Hulmeville Avenue, Pennel, PA 19047

They are looking for High School bands to compete for:

1st Prize - \$500

2nd Prize - R&M Studio Recording Time

3rd - \$50 Guitar Center Gift Card

Contact David Roberts for an interview:
(610) 937-0901

Or

droberts@techbldrs.com

(event tickets will be \$5; \$7at the door)

St Joseph's Preparatory School

invites students and parents from the Delaware Valley to an Open House on Sunday, November 2, 2014 from 10AM to 2PM. ** Before the Open House you are invited to join the Prep Community for Mass at 8:45AM in the Church of the Gesu (here on our campus).

***Interested 8th grade boys should sit for the Scholarship/Entrance Exam on Saturday, November 15th or Sunday November 16 at 8:30AM Students must be applicants. Academic scholarships and financial aid grants will be awarded to eligible students.

***Registration for the Pre-7th and Pre8th Grade Summer Enrichment Program will be available at the Open House, This program is open to boys and girls entering the 7th or 8th grade. For more information call (215)978-1954.

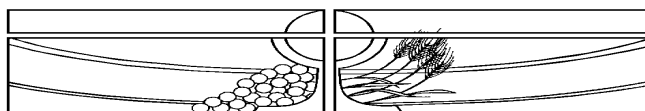
Separated/Divorced Support Group

This ministry began in January, 2013. During the first year, we sponsored a very successful Tribunal Information Night with a guest speaker. Many people have benefitted from this ministry by attending a meeting or making a phone call. We offer emotional and spiritual support, provide information and resources and follow-up guidance. Our key message is to convey that our separated and divorced are welcome members in the Catholic Church.

We meet every month and our meetings are advertised in the Parish bulletin. We hope to see you there!

This month the meeting will be on the **fourth** Wednesday of the month (Oct. 22) at 7PM in Father Crehan Hall. Open forum: Experiencing grief from separation or Divorce? Attend our next support group.

Questions call Peg Duffy at (215) 788-1947.



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Father Judge High School Doings

Father Judge Mothers' Association

will be having a Fall Craft Show on Sunday, October 19th. Craft Lovers please **SAVE THE DATE!** The doors will open at 9:30 and continue until 2:30. Over 100 Crafters will be there for your shopping pleasure. Refreshments will be available for your enjoyment and the School Store will be open for anyone who would like to purchase "Crusader Wear."
INFO: contact frjcs2014@gmail.com

St. Ephrem Home and School

Will be holding a **COACH** Bingo on Saturday, October 18th

Place: Cafeteria Doors open at 5:45PM

First game will be called at 7PM.

Tickets: \$25 now and \$30 at the door. Ticket Price includes 20 games of bingo, each with a **COACH** handbag prize. Special game cards, extra bingo cards, food and dabbers will also be sold. Tickets may be purchased at the Script office, or by contacting Jen Gross at (215) 431-8751 or

Jennygross0603@comcast.net

St. Ephem's Senior Group will be running the following bus trips in 2014 / 2015

Nov. 30 to Dec. 2 Festival of Lights Wheeling, West Virginia

Dec. 9 - American Music Theater

Lancaster, PA Christmas Show

January 27, 2015 Mount Airy Casino

Feb. 27 to March 9, 2015 Eastern Caribbean Cruise from New York City aboard the Norwegian Gem

May 27 to May 29, 2015 Gettysburg, PA

Oct. 4 to Oct. 8, 2015 Finger Lakes Wine & Sail
For more information, prices and details call Ray Ruczynski at (215) 757-3473

St. Charles Home and School

Presents

the 10th Annual Chance and Auction Night At the Maltese Room, 2049 Bristol Pike at 7:00PM on Friday, November 14, 2014. Tickets will be on sale September 23rd and October 21st in the school cafeteria from 6:30 - 8:30PM. Tickets include dinner, beer and wine. Tickets purchased between 9/23 and 10/21 will be \$35.00 per person. After 10/21, tickets will be \$40.00 per person. Ticket orders may also be sent in to school, to the attention of Carole Dalesandro. For more information, please contact caloledales@yahoo.com

Archbishop Wood High School

Fifty Years and Going Strong

Friday, October 17, 2014 7:00PM

In the Auditorium - \$5.00

Celebrate Archbishop Wood's History in

Song, Dance and Stories

Contact Mary McDonald at

mmcdonald@archwood.org or

(215) 672-5050 ext. 245

Remember 5K walk/run

Saturday, October 18, 2014 - 11:00AM

Vikingfest - October 18th at 1:00PM

Featuring music by Philly Rock and Soul, food by Tailgate Barbeque, kids games and much more.....For more information please contact:

Samantha Mancuso (215) 672-5050 ext. 229

smancuso@archwood.org.

Download registration forms at

www.archwood.org

Villa Victoria Academy

will host its Upper School **OPEN HOUSE** on **Sunday, October 19 from 2:00-4:00 pm.** Founded in 1933, Villa Victoria is a private, Catholic, college preparatory academy for girls located on an historic campus in Ewing, NJ. Visit www.villavictoria.org or call 609-882-1700 ext. 19 for more information and to register. Financial aid and scholarships are available for qualified students

