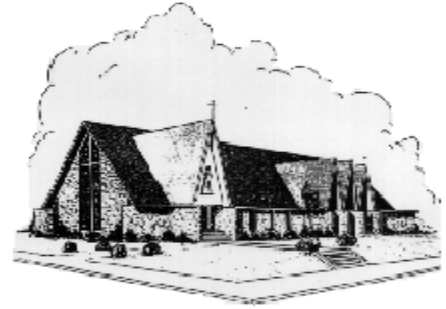


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March 6th/7th, 2010

Third Sunday of Lent

The schedule of Lenten services & devotions can be found on page 4 of this bulletin.

**HEALTH AND WELLNESS MINISTRY
GUEST SPEAKER**

The Health and Wellness Ministry is sponsoring a talk on "Prevention and Treatment of Sports Related Injuries- Sports Medicine" by : Brian T Brislin, MD. The presentation will be on **Tuesday March 9, 2010 @7:00PM** in the Trinity Center.

Dr. Brislin specializes in the total care of all athletes. Dr Brislin is fellowship trained in advanced arthroscopic procedures for the reconstruction of the shoulder, elbow and knee. He received his degree in medicine from Jefferson Medical College and completed his residency in Orthopaedic Surgery at Thomas Jefferson University. He is an Associate Master Instructor of Arthroscopy for the Arthroscopy Association of North America. Dr. Brislin is a member of the American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine and the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. He is an Associate with Orthopaedic Surgery and Rehabilitation Associates in Fox Chase.

BABY CUPBOARD PROJECT

This weekend, **March 6th/7th** is the next monthly collection for the Baby Cupboard Project, sponsored by the Respect Life Committee. Your donation of blankets or bibs (or other baby item) is most appreciated. Please bring your baby items to the bin in the vestibule of Church on the first weekend of each month, or to OLGC School on the first Friday of each month. The final collection date is:

**APRIL 10/11—Baby Wipes, Shampoo,
Baby Wash**

**Help Wanted
Parish Maintenance Supervisor**

The Parish is currently interviewing for the position of Parish Maintenance Supervisor. This position is responsible for the effective, efficient and safe maintenance, renovation and upkeep of the parish buildings and grounds. If you are interested in this position please mail a resume to the attention of our pastor.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil -- 5:15PM

Sunday -- 7:00AM, 8:30AM, 10:00AM (Upper and Lower Church), 12:00 Noon

Weekday -- 6:30AM & 9:00AM

Saturday -- 7:30AM

Holy Day of Obligation

7:00PM Vigil

6:30AM, 9:00AM and 12:05PM

(Please check the Parish Bulletin for hours if Holy Day falls on a Saturday or a Monday)

Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation

Saturdays -- 9:30AM & 4:00PM (and by appointment)

Liturgy of the Hours - Monday - Friday following 6:30AM Mass; Saturday at 7:00AM

Adoration before the Most Blessed Sacrament --

Each Monday following the 9:00AM Mass, including a Holy Hour from 4:00PM to 5:00PM and concluding at 7:30PM with Miraculous Medal Novena and Benediction.

Rosary -- Monday - Friday at 8:40AM & Saturday following the 7:30AM Mass

Divine Mercy Chaplet -- Monday at 7:00PM followed by the **Miraculous Medal Novena** at 7:30PM.

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Sacraments of Initiation

Adults or school aged children inquiring about the Faith, for the reception of *Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist, and for Reception into Full Communion of the Catholic Church*, please call Marianna Rossi .

Baptism of Children is celebrated on Sundays at 1:30 pm. Please call the Parish Office to make necessary arrangements. Interviews prior to the reception of the Sacrament are conducted by Marianna Rossi for first-time parents.

Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation: The *Rite of Reconciliation* is celebrated on Saturdays at 9:30 am and 4:00 pm, and by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage Couples are encouraged to contact the Parish Office soon after their engagement to meet with one of the Parish Priests. The Archdiocese of Philadelphia requires that couples make arrangements for the Wedding no less than six months prior to the planned date of marriage. Either the bride or the groom must be a registered member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish for the Wedding to be scheduled. For *PreCana* information, please contact the Family Life Office at Famflife@adphila.org.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and Communion of the Sick The *Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick* is available anytime upon request. *Communion of the Sick* for the homebound is arranged through the Parish Office and anytime upon request.

The Sacrament of Holy Orders Any man interested in the *Diaconate* or *Priesthood* should contact one of the Parish Priests or the *Vocation Office for the Diocesan Priesthood* at 610-667-5778. Also, anyone interested in the *Religious Life* should contact one of the Parish Priests for further direction.

Trinity Center Office Hours

Monday thru Friday -- 9:00AM - 3:30PM

5:00PM - 8:00PM

Saturday -- 9:00AM - 5:00PM

Rectory Office Hours

Sunday -- 9:00AM - 2:00PM

Scrip Office Hours

Monday thru Friday -- 9:30AM - 3:30PM

5:30PM - 7:30PM

Saturday -- 9:30AM - 4:30PM



Stewardship - A Way of Life



Tithing

Sunday Collection Feb. 28, 2010 \$211,588.00
Number of Envelopes: 871

Feb. 22, 2009 \$25,318.00

My Dear People;

May the grace and peace of our Blessed Lord be with you.

As I write this letter to you, I wanted to find a scripture passage that truly defines the way I see you regarding your sense of stewardship. I opened up Rom 15:14 and read "I myself am convinced, my brothers, that you yourselves are full of goodness; complete in knowledge and competent to instruct one another". This, in my opinion, truly defines who you are.

Tithing or sacrificial giving brings out the best in us as we continue to instruct and encourage one another in our journey of faith.

As a parishioner said to me the other day, "Monsignor, I was so impressed with the sincerity of the speaker I had at my Mass. He was so honest about the effect tithing had on him."

May we all feel that way.

Devotedly,

Rev. A. J. Gagliardi

Good Morning, I am Jeanne Raubenstine I want to briefly share with you the thoughts my husband, Clair and I, have on tithing and responsibility.

Recognizing the work of the Spirit in our lives, we made the conscious decision to "tithes" many years ago. Grounded in the Catholic Faith, we are thankful for all of our gifts and as good stewards thereof, share, not our excess, but much more of our time, talent and treasure to insure the spread of the gospel and to care for those who are less fortunate.

In the 1st letter of Peter: "As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace."

Not only supporting our parish through various campaigns and weekly offerings, but the Church of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and the world, through the Catholic Charities Appeal, Catholic Relief Services, the Heritage of Faith Campaign, the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem, etc. The needs of those less fortunate are ever before us and it is our duty as followers of Christ to provide for these in a way that is most effective and spreads the Gospel message of salvation through our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Our universal Church provides relief and assistance in the most efficient and compassionate way, securing needed emergency assistance and sustaining life interventions through our well-organized agencies.

Helping sustain our parish and the Church directly through time, talent, and treasure, will insure the continuation of the Heritage of our faith in Christ Jesus.

Please consider being a "tither." Your total contributions should equal 10% of your net income. That includes parish and other contributions. Our level of giving is 17.5% of net income or 20.5% of gross income. We welcome you and your prayers and commitment to this your Church.



Lenten Schedule 2010



Daily Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday: 6:30, 9:00 and 12:05 PM

First Fridays: 6:30, 9:00 and 12:05 PM

Saturday: 7:30 AM

Confessions

Wednesdays: 7:00 - 8:00 PM

(March 3rd, 10th, 17th and 24th)

Saturdays: 9:30 AM & 4:00 PM

(No Confessions on Saturday April 3rd)

Parish Lenten Penance Service

Monday March 22nd at 7:00 PM

(No Novena)

Liturgy of the Hours

Morning Prayer—daily after the 6:30AM Mass

Evening Prayer—Fridays at 6:45 PM

Stations of the Cross

Fridays: 1:30 & 7:00 PM

School Living Stations: Fri. March 26th, 1:30 PM

R.C.I.A.



R.C.I.A.

The next R.C.I.A. session, “The Scrutinies and the Creed: What Do Catholics Believe?” will take place on **Wednesday, March 10th** at 6:30 PM in the Fitzgerald Room of the Trinity Center.

Mens' Spirituality Conference

“Be Reconciled to the Lord”

Keynote speakers

Mike Piazza and Jesse Romero

Mass with Cardinal Justin Rigali

Online registration now available

2010 Men's Spirituality Conference

Saturday, March 13, 2010

at Archbishop Ryan High School, Philadelphia, PA

Please go to: www.archphila.org

Call (215) 587-5639

Email famlife@adphila.org

Mothers of Young Children

Welcomes Molly Kelly



The Mothers of Young Children group warmly welcomes Molly Kelly on **March 17th**. Molly is a renowned speaker on chastity, the family and our culture today. She will be talking to us about caring for our children in today's world and leading them closer to Our Lord.

We will meet from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. in the lower rectory. Babysitting is available for \$3 a family. All are welcome. Any questions call: 215-322-7774.

St John's Hospice

Casserole Program



Next weekend, **March 13-14**, is the next drop-off weekend for the St. John's Hospice Casserole Program. If you would like to make a casserole to feed the homeless men served by St. John's Hospice, please pick up a casserole pan and lid from on top of the freezer in the vestibule this weekend. Make a protein rich casserole serving twelve this week, freeze at home (important) and return it to the

Youth Ministry News!

Mar. 14th 7:00-8:30 PM St. Patrick's Day Party (Games and Pizza) in the Lower Rectory

Mar. 20/21 - Service Project— Sell Sainly Candles; Teen volunteers needed to help sell candles for Steubenville Trip.

Mar. 28 YOUTH MASS 6PM
S³ 7:00-8:30 PM

*Easter Baskets
for the Homebound*



Outreach Ministry is collecting items to be placed in Easter Baskets for some of our homebound Parishioners. Can you provide something for these baskets; such as wrapped candy, crackers, cookies tissues, notepads, pencils/pens, holy cards, or any other items you think would be appropriate?

If so, please deliver your contribution to the Trinity Center (McNelis room - downstairs) between 6:45 and 7:00 PM on **Monday, March 22nd**. You are also welcome to stay and help us assemble these baskets. Thank you in advance for your help. Your loving cooperation really strengthens our parish family.

SHOWING OF "THE PASSION"

The Men of OLGC, will be showing the movie "The Passion" produced and directed by Mel Gibson on **Tuesday, March 30th** in the Trinity Center at 7:30PM. All are welcome. Light refreshments will be served. If you have never seen this movie, come this night and witness what Christ did for us. Hope to see you there!

Operation Rice Bowl 2010

**Week 3: Who am I, That You Should
Send Me?**

Nearly the size of Texas, Afghanistan lies to the east of Iran in Southern Asia. In this mountainous country, getting an education is among the more difficult tasks—especially for women. While about 43 percent of young men age 15 and older can read, that is only true for 12 percent of young women. And while boys can expect to receive about 11 years of education, girls can expect to receive only about four. That is why CRS is working with communities in Afghanistan to increase their access to educational programs.

In Afghanistan, supporting a school requires the work of the entire community. If children—especially girls—are to get an education, their parents and fellow villagers must assist them in this process. Through our community-based education programs, CRS collaborates with rural communities to establish schools and basic education opportunities for children as well as literacy and accelerated education programs for women. The communities provide the location, teachers and salaries; CRS provides classroom materials, libraries and training for the teachers. In the rural areas of Afghanistan, as many as 3,000 children and adults participate in these classes.

Such a response reflects the Catholic social teaching that people are not only sacred, but also social. How we participate in our families and communities, from our daily actions to our policy decisions, affects each and every person. Empowering neighbors to do what they do best—support one another—is a key component of CRS' work to help entire communities rise from poverty.



Youth Group Fundraiser

Our Youth Group will be selling Sainly Candles for \$20.00 each after Mass on **March 20th/21st**.

Sainly Candles celebrates the lives of the Saints.

- ◆ Each Candle comes with a **keepsake card** with information on the life of that Saint.
- ◆ Each Candle is Highly fragranced with Quality oils.
- ◆ All wicks are lead free.
- ◆ Each Candle burn for up to 120 hours (22 oz candles).
- ◆ All Candles are Made in the USA with USA grown SOY WAX.
- ◆ All Candles and Printed materials are 100% USA made.
- ◆ Candles are labeled and packaged by a facility that employs Americans with Disabilities.
- ◆ There are 12 Fragrances from which to choose.
- ◆ Our Youth Group profits from each candle sold.
- ◆ All 100% USA made

A Great Selection to Choose From!!

St. Joseph	Blessed Mother Teresa
O.L. of Guadalupe	O.L. of the Rosary
St. Bernadette	St. Edith Stein
St. Francis of Assisi	St. Gianna Molla
St. John Bosco	St. John Neumann
St. Joseph Moscati	St. Josephine Bakhita
St. Katherine Drexel	St. Maximilian Kolbe
St. Michael the Archangel	
St. Nicholas	St. Padre Pio
St. Patrick	St. Paul
St. Peter	The Holy Family
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton	
St. Vincent DePaul	St. Stephen
Confirmation	Communion



Presents Breakfast with the Easter Bunny

Please join us on March 27th, 2010 at 10:00am in the gymnasium for a morning full of excitement and fun!

Admission includes....

- ~Breakfast
- ~Arts and Crafts
- ~Photo Ops with the Bunny (Bring your camera!)
- ~Easter Egg Hunt (Bring your baskets!)
- ~Door Prizes
- ~Traditional Homeroom Baskets will be on display

Admission is \$8.00 per adult, and \$6.00 per child. Please make all checks payable to OLGC SCHOOL in an envelope marked "Bunny Breakfast" and drop off at the Trinity Center on or before March 15th, 2010. Please note, this event is reserved seating only!!

Please feel free to email any questions to Tina Weidman, at DANDTWEIDMAN@AOL.COM.

Family Name _____

Phone Number _____

of Adults _____ # of Children _____

Ages of Children _____



All proceeds benefit OLGC School P.I.E./gym hallway renovation project.

OLGC Bereavement Ministry



The Bereavement Ministry is now offering a Funeral Mass Preparation Packet to help individuals preplan their Mass of Christian Burial. This process will help family members prepare your wishes for your funeral service. If you would like a Funeral Mass Preparation Packet sent to you in the mail, please contact the Parish Secretary at extension 150. The packet is also available on the parish website (olgc.org). Contact Steve Hall, 215-322-7452, with any questions have.

LENTEN PRO-LIFE PRAYER

Father of all mercy,
We thank you for this season
of grace and light.
We know that sin has blinded us.
Draw us ever closer to you,
in prayer and penance.

Since you, O God, are light itself,
Give all your people a clearer understanding
Of what is sin, and what is virtue.

Grant in particular that we may see,
as never before,
The profound dignity of every human life,
Including the vulnerable unborn children.

Give us grace to defend
Our brothers and sisters in the womb
By our prayers, our words,
And our self-sacrificing actions.

We pray through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Provided by Priests for Life. Visit the website at
www.priestsforlife.org.*

Knights of Columbus Sponsored:
Fishing Trip to Atlantic Beach, N.C.

Date of Trip: Sunday Night, May 2nd thru Tuesday Night, May 4th

Trip includes: Bus Transportation To & From Atlantic Beach, North Carolina. Pick up and drop off will be at the Yardley Park and Ride (just off I-95); One Fishing Pass on May 3rd on the Captain Stacy in Atlantic Beach; One Night Hotel Stay at the Atlantic Beach Sheraton; Dinner at the Atlantic Beach Sheraton. (All Inclusive); Breakfast Buffet at the Atlantic Beach Sheraton. (All Inclusive)

Cost of Trip: 275.00

Deposit of: 50.00 (Non-Refundable) Unless Trip is cancelled.

If interested please call Dan Warvolis @ 215-255-5815 or e-mail: DFW1973@hotmail.com.



New Blessed Mother Shrine

The Mothers of Young Children Group is working on the Blessed Mother Shrine project in the rear of the Church. The "Men of OLGC Group" has dedicated their time and brawn to the construction part of the project.

This shrine will be dedicated on Mothers Day 2010, to all of the Mothers and Grandmothers of our families from OLGC wherever they may be. If you would like to help us with a small donation by putting it in an envelope and marking it Blessed Mother Shrine, it will be collected and counted and used to help pay for the rock and slate and masonry work and the statue. Any spare change you can give would be appreciated. It is for a beautiful lady who gave herself one hundred percent to God as Mother for the Savior of the World.

Parish Meetings

Widow/Widower Support Group Regular meetings are held on the third Monday of each month from 1-2:30PM in the Trinity Center. **Our next meeting is scheduled for March 15th.**

Outreach Ministry - Meetings are held on the fourth Monday each month, at 7PM in the Trinity Center. **Our next meeting is scheduled for March 22nd.**

St. Joseph the Worker Job Club - meets every Monday at 6:30 PM in the Trinity Center. For information, please call 215-357-1300, Ext. 176.

Third Order Carmelites—meet on the third Saturday each month from 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM in the lower Rectory for ongoing formation. For more information call 215-639-7050. **The next meeting will be held on March 20th.**

Mothers of Young Children - Meets on the third Tuesday each month from 10-11:30 AM (babysitting provided). **Please join us for our meeting on March 16th.**

St. Francis Senior Club - Meets on the first and third Friday of the month at 10:00 AM in the Trinity Center. **Please join us for our meeting on March 19th.**

OLGC Senior Club - Meets on the second and fourth Fridays each month at 10AM in the Trinity Center. **Our meeting will be on March 12th.**

Respect Life - meets on the third Thursday each month in the Respect Life Room of the Trinity Center at 9:30AM. **The next meeting is scheduled for March 18th.**

Health & Wellness Ministry - Meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at 7PM in the Trinity Center. For information, call 215-357-1300 ext. 273. **The next meeting is scheduled for March 25th.**

YEAR OF PRIZES WINNERS 2010

2/23	\$50	825	No Winner
2/24	\$50	452	No Winner
2/25	\$50	578	Kitty Crosley
2/26	\$50	821	Betsy Ott
2/27	\$50	600	No Winner
2/28	\$50	349	No Winner
3/1	\$50	032	No Winner

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

Please pray for the protection of our men and women serving in the Armed Forces, especially:

Michael Banchi, Adam Barnes, Jeffrey P. Brandt, Anthony Brothman, Vincent Brothman Jr., Michael Butryn, Joseph Cymerman, Col. Troy D'Agostino, Andy Daily, Dana Daily, Henry Gee, James Gerrity, James Gormley, Jim Hacker, Jonathan Hansen, Paul Hesser, Daniel Timothy Hipple, Robert Jankowski, Dante J. Jannotta, Sean Kehoe, Kenneth Keisler, Stephen Kraus, Capt. Joseph Krill, Brian Lackman, Sallie Lackman, Michael Lydon, John McDermott, Daniel MacDonald, Justin Mann, William G. McCloskey, Lance Corporal Jason McKenzie, Grant Miller, John Nangle, Steven Neithold, Eric Nescio, John & Dawn O'Hara, Kevin Palush, Greg Palush, Gordon Pulford, Richard Raubenstine Jr., Justin Rexrode, Kevin Roberts, Patrick Rooney, Eric Sanderlin, Hali Sanderlin, Adam C. Schmidt, Ryan Speed, Bill Stanert, Frederick D. Straka, Tim Studler, Justin Urban, Nathan Vaughn, Shawn Veach, Kevin Vizzari, Randy Wagner, David Weatherington, David Webb, Alex Williams, and Alex Willouer .

Mass Intentions For the Week



REMEMBER OUR SICK

Please pray for the sick, those in hospitals, nursing homes, and in particular:

Sunday	7:00	Cyrenean Society Benefactors of the Sanctuary Guild
	8:30	Mack & Murtaugh Families
	10:00up	John Scavilla
	10:00dn	Anthony Klingner
	12:00	Fagel Family—Living Intent
Monday	6:30	John Palladino
	9:00	Joe & Shiela Lally - Living Intention
	12:05	Lena Tedeschi
Tuesday	6:30	Jack Raymus
	9:00	Joyce A. Thiele
	12:05	Julia Myslinski
Wednesday	6:30	Agatha Walsh
	9:00	Anne Byrne
	12:05	Anthony Klingner
Thursday	6:30	Betty Chase
	9:00	Helen Butz
	12:05	Mary McLaughlin
Friday	6:30	John Eisele
	9:00	Dominic D'Adamo-Living Int.
	12:05	Carmen R. Chiusolo
Saturday	7:30	Elizabeth Chase
	5:15	Patrick Panikowski
Sunday	7:00	Catherine & John Ott
	8:30	Paul & Concetta Catinella
	10:00up	John Zechman
	10:00dn	The Castorina Family
	12:00	Maureen O'Connor

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| Elizabeth Ann Abel | Joseph Martines, Jr. |
| Patrick Ahern | Colleen McCloskey |
| Margaret Allen | Christine McGhee |
| Baby Brady Beres | Michelle McGough |
| Nancy Blanchard | Sean McGough |
| Baby Daxton Blanford | Linda McMenamin |
| Father Joseph Bowen | Carol Messina |
| Young Jacob Brady | Young James Moffitt |
| Walter Bright | Debbie Morgan |
| Jonathan Buccella | Young Mark Newfield |
| Mary Bulsza | Timothy Daniel Newman |
| Jude Antony Cantoni | Claire Novakowski |
| Anthony Ciao | Joseph O'Brien |
| Robert Cox | John Owens |
| Phyllis Crompton | Sandy Parker |
| Bud D'Agostino | Anna Peglow |
| Baby Faith Marie DeFeo | Agnes Poplaski |
| Donald Drobil | Young Steven Reeder |
| Cornelia Dulin | Baby David Paul Reick, IV |
| Bob Edwards | Baby Kirk Roberts |
| Amber Elchert | Virginia Santalucia |
| Raphael Estrada | Richard Segaline |
| Baby Dylan Fairfield | Phillip Serraore |
| Brian, Beth & Baby Fitzpatrick | Baby Luke Spinelli |
| Baby Brendan Flatow | Leahana Stabilito |
| Young Luke Fochtman | Jenny Streeper |
| Kevin Garrity | Julia Sykes |
| Baby Thomas Gilmore | Joseph Teifel |
| Jack Godshall, Sr. | Nicole Thierjung |
| Joseph Gura | Michael Thorne |
| Virginia Keller | Baby Julia Rose Tonetti |
| Bill Kelly | Anna Torres |
| David Kimmerle | Rocco Torsitano |
| Rita Kipp | Ron Viarengo |
| Edward Krohn | Baby Ben Wallace |
| Bill Lapkiewicz | Nicole Williams |
| Mary Lasinski | Edward Wyszynski |
| Baby Nicolette Lupo | Baby Joel Yannity |
| Margaret Lynskey | |

Please pray for those who have died, members of our family and friends, and in particular:



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| <i>Cornelia Dulin</i> | <i>Joseph O'Brien</i> |
| <i>Bill Kelly</i> | <i>Phillip Serratore</i> |
| <i>Bill Lapkiewicz</i> | <i>Nicole Theirjung</i> |

Names are removed after 4 weeks of publication. To renew a name to the sick list, please call the Parish Secretary at ext. 100.

Please remember those who have no one to pray for them and all the Holy Souls in Purgatory.