



Twenty-Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time September 27, 2009

Monday, September 28

6:30am Jim and Frances Wainscott
8:30am Bonini/Furlan Families

Tuesday, September 29 (Michael, Gabriel, Raphael)

6:30am Annie McCoskey
8:30am Anthony Tortorelli

Wednesday, September 30 (St. Jerome)

6:30am Ray Saputelli
8:30am Robert & Emidio DiLuco

Thursday, October 1 (St. Therese of the Child Jesus)

6:30am William T. & Elizabeth Cummings
and Elizabeth Ann Micenhamer
8:30am Mae & Russell Blackburn

Friday, October 2 (Guardian Angels) First Friday

6:30am Joseph F. Crowe
8:30am Spaeder/McMullin Families

Saturday, October 3

8:30am Joey Stankiewicz

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for Helen Pitetti, Myra Cudemo, Isabella Thompson and for all members of the Sacred Heart Faith Community who have been welcomed to the happiness of eternal life.

SICK

Please pray for Rosemary Tomeo, Margie Gormley Goodwin, Baby Grace Goodwin, Victor Malinowski, Marnita Schenkel, Josephine Frindt, Nicholas Galassi, Harry Baynes, Mark Welsh, Alice Borth, Rose Mary Haley, Joseph Spollen, Joe Stankiewicz, Laura Bailey, Margaret Rachor, Rita Hershey, Joanne McManus, Sam Stocker, Linda DeLuco, Lou Verna, Maryanne Keller, Louise Savarse, Joanna Small, Jim Coyne, George Murphy, Richard Scottoline, Kevin Welde, Paige Elsner, James Bamber, Christopher Chipman, Peg Mullen, Sgt. Curtis Mason, Norma Rodini, Ernest DiNardo, Amy McBride, Michael McDevitt, Babe Vail, Joan O'Brien, Harold Deitz, Emma Bell, Grace Mullen, Ashleigh Procknow, Joseph News, Joanne Shain, Rose Scaramuzza, Anna McPhee, Celeste Gisondi, Helen Rebaro, Elizabeth DeMasi, John Huczko, Joseph Mulholland, Gertrude Corrigan and William Kokoszka.

H.O.P.E.

H.O.P.E. provides assistance for doctor appointments, shopping, etc. If you are in need of H.O.P.E services, please call **Jo Sheridan** at **610-789-5117** or Isabelle Duca at 610-449-3638.

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COLLECTIONS

September 20, 2009	\$ 16,330.00
September 21, 2008	\$ 14,357.00
Goal	\$210,000.00
Year to Date	\$187,207.00
Difference	\$- 22,793.00

Thank you for your continued support!

STEWARDSHIP COLLECTION UPDATE

Total as of September 21, 2009: \$ 26,962.00
From 322 Families



Dear Sisters and Brother in the Lord,
Welcome!

It is good to have you join the Sacred Heart worshipping community as we celebrate our Eucharistic Liturgy for the 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Your prayerful presence and participation enriches our Liturgy. We are blessed!! May the Risen Lord renew us in the Word and Eucharist we share.

Our focus on the theme of "Stewardship" continues this weekend as I present our Financial Report 2008 - 2009 at all Masses. In today's Church bulletin you will find an insert presenting last year's financial information and a comparison of the past three years. You have done well!!

Once again, we are on the positive side of the ledger. Once again, our parish income increased from last year. The Sunday collection, which is critical to our financial stability, increased by \$7,000. Know I am grateful for your financial support. Your generous spirit enables us to maintain and improve our parish buildings. Thanks!!

In my meeting with the Parish Finance Committee, it was recommended that in light of today's economic climate, I ask not for any increase, but that I ask our parishioners to maintain their present level of giving. It is our hope that with a repeat on this year's income and vigilance in not increasing our expenses, we can balance our budget. We will maintain our goal of \$17,500 for our weekly collection, hoping those who are able might add a little to their weekly contribution.

Don't forget our Parish Picnic next Sunday!! Check today's bulletin for more information. Hope you are able to join us!!

Don't forget - we return to our four Mass schedule next Sunday: **7:30, 9:00am 10:30am & 12:00 noon.**

Peace be with you! Enjoy your week!
God bless,

Fr. McKee

P.S. Our Summer collection was substantially less than last Summer! This is due in part to vacations. If you are able to make up your missed weekly offering, it would be greatly appreciated.



MONTHLY HOLY HOUR

Thursday, October 1 7:00 - 8:00pm

with Confession & Benediction

What a wonderful way to begin October - **Respect Life Month & Month of the Holy Rosary!** Please join us for a Holy Hour of Prayer before the Most Blessed Sacrament. **Confessions are heard throughout the Holy Hour!** Pray for LIFE!

PRE-JORDAN CLASS for BAPTISM

The next Pre-Jordan Class is **Monday, October 12 at 7:00 p.m. in the MKD Room** in the Parish Center. *Attendance at the Pre-Jordan Class is mandatory, prior to the celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism. Please call the Parish Center at (610) 449-3000 for further information.

Let us WELCOME Your NEW ARRIVAL!

Just give a quick call to let us know of this Blessed Event. Our Shawl Ministry has a special gift for you... Call Sister Rita at 610-449-3000.

Childrens Liturgy of the Word will resume next Sunday, October 4 at the 10:30am Mass

SACRAMENT PARENT MEETINGS

First Penance Parent Meeting

Tuesday, October 6 at 7:00pm in Everett Hall.

At least one parent from each family needs to be present.

Confirmation Parent/Child Meeting

Tuesday, October 13 at 7:00pm in Everett Hall.

All candidates and at least one parent must attend!

Calendar Note: Confirmation Enrollment will be on Sunday, October 4 at 9:00am Mass

HOSPITALIZED OR SICK ~ Please call Sr. Rita at the Parish Center (610-449-3000) to let us know if a family member or friend has been hospitalized.

FREE Blood Pressure Screening **THIS SundaySeptember 27 after 11:30am Mass** offered by: Parish Health Ministry 4th Sunday of Month

Please remember to pray for all men and women serving in the Armed Forces. May the sacrifices they are making bring peace and may God bring them all home safely and soon

Poor Box Donations for SEPTEMBER will be designated for MERCY HOSPICE

Please join us for REFRESHMENTS this Sunday in Everett Hall after all the Masses

SPECIAL BABY BLESSING

Friday, October 2 at 10:00am

Feast of the Guardian Angels

Don't miss this opportunity to have your precious little one blessed! This short ceremony (in Church) will bless babies, children, parents & grandparents. **Refreshments following in Everett Hall!** (sponsored by Legion of Mary)



Let the little children come to me....
LUKE 10:14



PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN WORKSHOP

Monday, September 28 at 6:30pm
MKD Room

*CYO Coaches * CCD Teachers/Aides Volunteers
*All Sacred Heart School Volunteers

All those working with children in our parish must attend this mandatory meeting (unless previously attended and certificates on file). Please call Sister Kate at 610-449-3000 for further information.

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Religious Education NEWS

C.C.D. Classes have begun!

If you have children to attend, and you have not yet registered, please call Sister Kate at 610-449-3000

Parents, please note:

There will be NO CCD Class on Monday, Sept 28 -

SPECIAL NEEDS Religious Education Class will begin next Sunday, October 4! All children with special needs are welcome to participate! For more info or to register your child, please call Sr Kate at 610-449-3000. Volunteers to help are most welcome!

The The EDGE - Religious Education for 7th & 8th Grade Students begins Monday, October 5 at 6:45pm in Everett Hall.

G **Registration forms may be downloaded from www.sacredheartmanoa.org and returned to Sr. Kate.

Fall Bereavement Group

Have you lost a loved one lately? The Bereavement Committee invites you to join them for a six week Bereavement Program, beginning **Wednesday, October 14 through November 18 at 7:15pm in the MKD Room.** The sessions will deal with death and the grieving process. All are welcome!

Scripture Readings for Sunday, October 4

Reading1: Gen 2:18-24

Resp: Ps 128:1-2,3,4-5,6

Reading II: Heb 2:9-11

Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

Thoughts of St. John Vianney

Every Consecrated Host is made to burn itself up with love in a human heart.

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A Parish Family Picnic for the entire Sacred Heart Parish Community

RED & White Day
Sunday, October 4
2:00 - 5:30pm

- ★ Music ~ Moonbounce ~ Dunk tank
- ★ **B - I - N - G - O! QUIZZO**
- ★ Games for Kids -Teens & Seniors!
- ★ *Food will be available for sale:*
 - 2:00pm Soft pretzels Hot dogs & Soda
 - 3:00pm Hamburgers, Italian Sausage
Roast Pork Water Ice

There will be NO Parking in the Church & School Lots:

Please park at the former Catholic War Vets Site on West Chester Pike or RIDE THE BUS!

Bus pick up schedule:

- 2:00pm:** Corners of Eagle Rd (From Lawrence to Annabella)
- 2:10pm** *Haverford Arms Apts.
- 2:15pm** *Corner of Furlong & Manoa Rd.
- 2:20pm** *Skatium Lot *return trips to begin at 4:30pm*

To Volunteer Call: Brian Swift at 610-449-0146 or Peg Towell at 610-449-6530

Enjoy a day of FUN!

Mass for the ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Sunday, October 11 at 12:00noon



Anyone with a lingering illness, advanced in age, anticipating surgery or who has had surgery this year is invited to take part in our celebration of Anointing (even if you have been anointed previously. **If you need assistance and/or transportation to attend, please call Deacon John Suplee or Sr. Rita or at 610-449-3000.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL NEWS

Congratulations to our newly-installed Student Government Officers: Erin Burke, Emily DiLossi, Lindsay Fitzpatrick, Kerry McCans and Lauren Schmucker. How blessed we are to have this team of promising leaders to lead us in the advancement of the SHS Mission, and we thank them for their willingness to serve.

Heart-to-Heart Service Ministry - urgent
5 Volunteers needed: **Monday, October 12
8:15am - 12:30pm at MANNA of Phila for simple food prep (carpool) To sign up or more details, contact Jean Murray shpmurray@comcast.net or call 610-449-3000.

CPR CLASS - Thursday, October 15 at 7:00pm in Everett Hall. Be prepared to save a life. CPR Class will be offered for "Friends & Family" (not health care). Join others to learn this important technique and receive a certificate. To register contact: Marie Nimey at jas74cp@comcast.net. Or call Sr. Rita, 449-3000.

SOCIAL CLUB

Next Meeting: Monday, October 5 at 1:00pm
Reminder: Toiletries for St. Francis Inn are collected at the first meeting of each month!
Wed, Oct 21 - Bus trip to Showboat Casino. Cost \$20 (with \$25 rebate!). Call Tina at 610-446-5443.
Thurs, Oct 29. "The Odd Couple" Surflight Theater, Beach Haven, NJ. \$65pp - includes a full luncheon.
Monday, Nov 30 Christmas Concert at Tropicana Casino, AC, featuring music from Old Vienna. \$54pp - \$18 rebate. Call Elaine at 610-853-1785 or Nancy at 610-355-7513 for show reservations.

Do You Enjoy Singing? Join the Choir!

ADULT CHOIR rehearses Tuesday at 7:30 pm in Church All are welcome! Give it a try!
.For info on any music group - Adult Choir - Caritas - Childrens choir - Cantors - contact Erik Paffett choir director at shpmusic@gmail.com or 610-449-3000.

Crafters Wanted! - Sacred Heart Home & School Association will hold a **Ladies Night Out shopping** event at the school on **Friday, November 13.** We have a few spaces available for area crafters (starting at \$30). If you interested, please contact Chrissy Penezic at 610-446-0360 or jcgpen@comcast.net. Spaces are going fast, so call soon!

CYO Basketball COACHES Needed! If you would like to coach CYO basketball, please contact Lee McLaughlin (boys athletic director) at 610-789-2735 OR Theresa Bynum (girls athletic director) at 215-220-1047 by October 4. Please note the CYO coaches Orientation will be held at Sacred Heart October 10 at 8:30am. Plan on attending if you have not already done so.

Pray for Priests!



Pray for Vocations!

Next Sunday October 4* Winter Mass Schedule resumes: Saturday: 5:00pm Vigil Mass
7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am & 12:00noon

Our Eucharistic Adoration Chapel is open Monday - Saturdays from 8:00am 9:00pm for private prayer and silent adoration. *please note: next Sunday, Oct. 4 (1st Sunday), the Chapel will not be open due to Red & White Day festivities!

