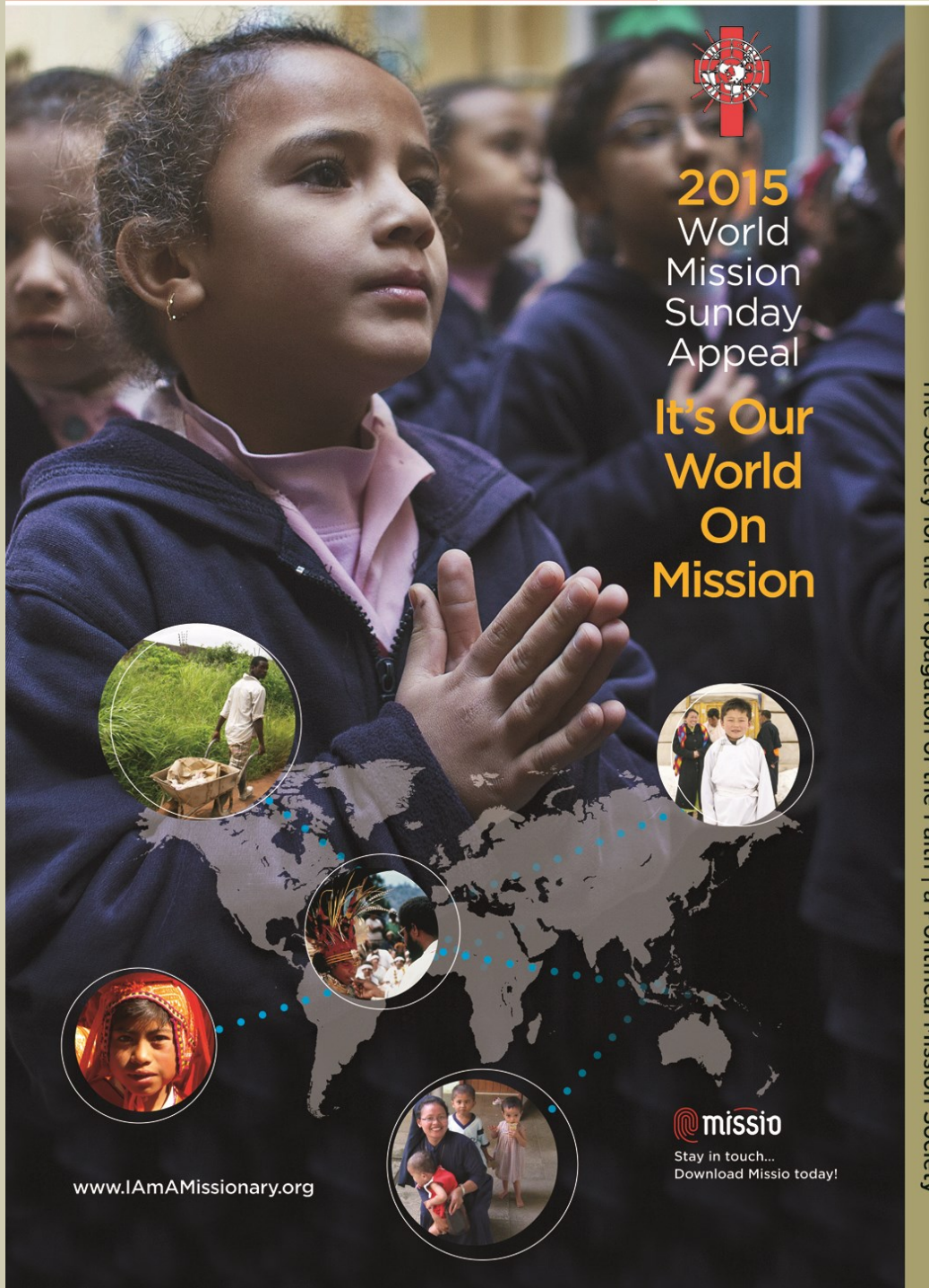


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October 18, 2015



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FOR THE WEEK

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2015**

5:00 P.M. - Donald Donofrio

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2015**

7:00 A.M. - Lee Jaster

9:00 A.M. - John Skowyra

11:00 A.M. - Vincent DeSena

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2015**

7:00 A.M. - Parishioners

9:00 A.M. - Marie Rafalowski

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2015**

7:00 A.M. - Herman J. Ruch

9:00 A.M. - John McDonnell

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2015**

7:00 A.M. - Robert Bell ~ 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

9:00 A.M. - James Sholly ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2015**

7:00 A.M. - Joseph Sheehan

9:00 A.M. - Bill Harris, Jr.

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2015**

7:00 A.M. - Joseph Dispaldo

9:00 A.M. - Jean Evans

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2015**

9:00 A.M. - Richard Barker

5:00 P.M. - James & Margaret Mullen

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2015**

7:00 A.M. - Ben Grove ~ 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

9:00 A.M. - Ed & Pat Barker~55<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

11:00 A.M. - Loretta Goldwein Botella~5 year Anniversary

**OUR PARISH GIVING**

Sunday (10/11/15): \$ 15,053

Online Bank Services Funds: \$2,269 in 42 envelopes.

Fall Block Collection: \$41,474



**Year to Date Totals - Sunday Collections:**

FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	Difference
\$231,257	\$225,243	<b>-\$8,013</b>

(Fiscal year runs from July 1 to June 30)

*Thank you for your Sacrificial Generosity*

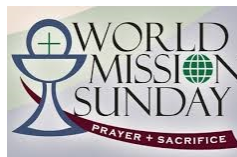
**Please pray for our sick parishioners, relatives, and friends, especially:**

Nicholas Chess	Frank Waltrich	Kevin Christopher Fox
Joseph Neill	Alexis Schirling	Pat Bocchicchio
Bill Zarkowski	Paige LaRosa	Erica Sheehan
Steven Geib	Theresa Stemock	Michael Walton
Kevin McDevitt	Rita Ann Leonard	Mary Farano
Tom Mullen	Brendan Mullen	Mary McBride
Mary McGrath	Ellyanna Stephens	Dolores McGrath
Brian Charlton	Susan Gregory	Andreas Shaftacolas
Betty Stella	Joyce Williams	Frank Wagner
Marie McBride	Joan McMahan	Christopher D'Souza
Diane Barbier	Jeannette Lee	John Golashevsky
Kelly Joyce	Jennifer Grayber	Ed Barker
Susan Amisson	James Kolody	Barbara Booth



**Important** In an effort to keep our prayer list current, all names will appear on this list for 30 days and then will be automatically taken off. We are happy to keep a name on the list, just call the parish office or email [strobertysecretary@verizon.net](mailto:strobertysecretary@verizon.net).

**SECOND COLLECTION - Next weekend**



the second collection will be for the World Mission Appeal. It's our world on Mission.

**THANKSGIVING RAFFLE - Don't**



forget the Thanksgiving Raffle. First drawing is October 25th. More tickets are available at the parish office.



**UPCOMING EVENTS (at a glance)**

**Oct 23** ~ Parish Visit to Katherine Drexel Shrine  
**Nov 2** ~ All Souls Mass  
**Nov 8** ~ SJR Early Childhood Open House  
**Nov 21** ~ Vatican Splendors



# The Twenty-Ninth Sunday



In Ordinary Time

Dear Friends,

As we heard in the scriptures for this Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time, the disciples in Mark's Gospel still don't seem to get it! Now the apostles James and John are asking for favors from Jesus, instead of asking what more they can do. Jesus' response makes it clear that a true disciple follows Jesus in every way, including giving oneself over to serving others. Today, we are reminded through them, that whoever would be great must be the servant of all. This week's challenge, as it is every day, is to be thankful to God for the great gift of Jesus Christ, and to pray each day for the grace to become more like him.

As you may be aware, the Synod on the Family has been taking place in Rome during this month, beginning on October 4th. This will be the last full week of the deliberations by over 270 bishops and a number of lay faithful. The purpose of this Synod is to examine family life in the world today and to explore possibilities of how the Church can support the family and its life, especially in light of the multi-faceted challenges that the cultures bring to this most fundamental unit of society. Our own archbishop is participating in these deliberations and he has asked for continued prayers for the outcome of Synod. As an intention for your rosary this week, perhaps one for the inspiration of the Holy Spirit on the Synod Fathers would be appropriate and appreciated.

It is so hard to believe that we are half way through this beautiful month of October. Before you know it Christmas carols will be playing on the radio! However, between now and then, we have a month dedicated to the Holy Souls. You should have in your possession an envelope to list all the names of your beloved dead. Please fill out the names and submit them so that we can remember them each day in prayer during the upcoming month. We are reminded that it is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead.

Because of construction here on the property, it was determined not to conduct the annual fall Blood Drive in Monsignor Marley Hall. This is unfortunate but with dust in the air, safety rules. However, I have been contacted by the American Red Cross to ask that those who usually donate here if you would please consider participating in a Blood Drive on **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23rd at C&C FORD CHAPMAN (across from the former Willow Grove Naval Station) on Easton Road from 2 to 7 PM.** There is a very real concern for donations especially as the holidays and more challenging weather sets in. Thank you for your kind consideration to this request.

This month don't forget to complete your family census. Also, don't forget your chances for the Thanksgiving Turkey Raffle! Who doesn't need some extra cash for the holidays! The first drawing is next Sunday, October 25th. You certainly don't want to be left out!

May Saint Robert Bellarmine bless this week with the beauty of grace and the wonders of a colorful world in which we journey in faith!

With prayers,

*Monsignor Beisel*

## CLERGY/MUSIC SCHEDULE (10/24 & 10/25)

- 5:00 PM Msgr. Beisel/Dcn. Cavara **Cantor**
- 7:00 AM Fr. Cornely/Dcn. George
- 9:00 AM Fr. Stokely **Cantor**
- 11:00 AM Msgr. Beisel/Dcn. Cavara **Adult Choir**

*Subject to change without notice*

**WE REMEMBER** - An invitation is extended to anyone who has suffered the loss of a loved one, be it long ago or in the recent past to join us in the celebration of our Annual Memorial Mass on Monday, November 2nd, All Souls Day at 7pm Mass, followed by refreshments in the school library. There is no better way to remember our loved ones than to unite in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.



**BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN** -Our parish youth ministry will work with our Pro-life Committee to distribute baby bottles. Proceeds will benefit our local crisis pregnancy centers like the Blessed Margaret Home & the Baby's Breath Women's Center. These centers run without public funding. They counsel, house and/or obtain medical services for girls with unplanned pregnancies and their families until they are able to independently care for their child. Please fill the baby bottle with your loose change and bills. Return the bottles by October 25th.



## **FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES**

Please call the parish office with the name and branch for relatives who are on active duty.

### **PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS :**

*Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. AMEN*

### **PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

#### **US Navy:**

Michael W. Zarkowski  
Barbara Ann Mullen  
Jenny Malandra  
Joshua Velas

Edward W. Devinney II  
Connor Fitzgerald  
John Wurtenberg III

#### **US Army:**

Rev. Stephen Mc Dermott  
Danny Pritchard  
Michael McBride  
Matthew Sawaya  
Philip Mc Cusker

John Healey  
Robert F. Leimer  
Keith Carter  
Ryan T. Krawczyk

#### **US Coast Guard:**

Brendan Williams  
Todd J. Warga

Daniel Moschitti

#### **USMC:**

Joseph Mc Menamin  
Daniel Harvey  
Clint Hajek  
Vincent J. Flannery, Jr.  
Kevin A. Daly

Michael Malandra  
Nicholas Sabatini  
Mark Geib

#### **US Air Force:**

Karl Weinbrecht  
Max J. Sempowski  
Anthony Comtois  
Thomas Rook



James McMenamin  
Elizabeth Harvey  
Leo J. Keller Jr.  
Anthony Taylor  
Mark Piccirelli  
Lisa Ann Burgy  
Patrick Kilkenny

Francis Lemma  
Michael Sempowski  
Andrew J. Velas



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### **SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM**

On December 31, 2014, 23 pieces of Pennsylvania State legislation were enacted that impact the way we prevent and report child abuse. As a result, all people who volunteer for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia are required fulfill the following obligations:

#### **CLEARANCES:**

- ◆ PA State Police Criminal Record Check
- ◆ PA Department of Public Welfare Child Abuse Clearance Check
- ◆ Federal History Fingerprint Clearance ~ ONLY if you lived outside of PA within the last 10 years

Go to [childyouthprotection.org](http://childyouthprotection.org)  
select Staff & Volunteers,  
then select Checks & Clearances

**\*\*\* MUST BE RENEWED EVERY 3 YEARS \*\*\***

- ◆ Disclosure Statement Application for Volunteers  
Go to [childyouthprotection.org](http://childyouthprotection.org)  
select Staff & Volunteers,  
then select Information for Volunteers

#### **TRAINING:**

- ◆ Safe Environment Training
- ◆ Technology Addendum
- ◆ Mandated Reporter Training
- ◆ Signed Mandated Reporter Acknowledgement Form

Go to [childyouthprotection.org](http://childyouthprotection.org)  
select Staff & Volunteers,  
then select Required Training

**YANKEE CANDLE SALE** - SJR has kicked off its Yankee Candle Fundraiser. If you would like to order please visit the website, [www.yankeecandlefundraising.com](http://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com) - our group # is 990085509. Any questions, please contact Kathleen Rosenello at [kathleen314@aol.com](mailto:kathleen314@aol.com).



### **FOOD DRIVE FOR ST. CYPRIAN FOOD PANTRY**

We will be collecting non-perishable food items for St. Cyprian Parish's food pantry the weekend of Oct. 24th & 25th. Please place your bagged food items in the narthex after all Masses that weekend.

Suggested food items are: complete meals in a box, canned meats (ham, chicken), canned tuna, canned soups/stews/potatoes/fruits/vegetables/milk, complete-just add water pancake mix, pancake syrup, coffee, powdered coffee creamer, dry milk, Gatorade, juice (other than apple, which is donated from another source), peanut butter, jelly, iced tea mix, pasta sauce (only need sauce-pasta is donated from another source), boxed potatoes, crackers, cereal, pop tarts, animal crackers, pretzels, cookies, lunch box size puddings, juice boxes and snacks. Pop-up cans and items that can be micro waved are helpful. If you have any questions, please call Patti Hessler 267.250.5721.



**ST FRANCIS INN** - The monthly collection of plastic bags for the Inn will be next weekend after all the



Masses. The Inn can only use the bags that your groceries are placed in. They can also use the soaps, shampoos, toothbrushes and toothpaste from your hotel stays. Most important the Inn needs your prayers.

**SJR HAWKS BASKETBALL** On-line registration is now open, please visit



[www.wagdogs.com](http://www.wagdogs.com) to register. Registration for basketball is open for boys and girls in grades 3 - 12.

Registration will be open through November 6, 2015, anyone registering after November 6th will be placed on a waiting list. Any questions please contact Dominic Anzideo at [Anzideo5@comcast.net](mailto:Anzideo5@comcast.net) or 215.692.9682.

## ST. ROBERT PREP PROGRAM

Phone: 215.343.9433

### PREP NEWS

During the month of October, our PREP classes will be praying a decade of the rosary at the end of class.

### CALENDAR

#### October

Mon 19 Class  
Mon 26 Class

#### November

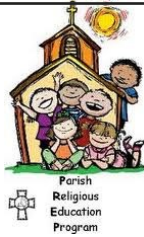
Mon 2 Class  
Sun 8 Sacrament Sunday-- Parent Gathering for all those with children making the Sacraments of Penance, Eucharist and Confirmation 1:00 PM at St. Joseph Church, Warrington - At least one parent needs to attend

Mon 9 Class  
Mon 16 Class  
Mon 23 Class, Service Project  
Wed 25 Thanksgiving Family Mass -- 7:00 PM  
Mon 30 Class

#### December

Mon 7 Class, Confessions Grades 4-6  
Mon 14 Class, Advent/Christmas Program  
Mon 21 NO CLASS  
Fri 25 Merry Christmas!  
Mon 28 NO CLASS

### Mrs. Seva's 2nd grade class learning about the sacrament of Baptism.



## ST. JOSEPH/ST. ROBERT SCHOOL NEWS

Phone: 215.343.5100 Web:

[www.stjstr.org](http://www.stjstr.org)

FROM THE DESK OF  
MRS. JASTER



**APPLE OF MY EYE:** Congratulations to the first students who were recognized for doing something good: Ryan Byrne, Kayla Emberson, Angella Kiss, Chase Wray and Amanda Messina.

**PAN – CAN DRESS DOWN DAY:** On Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, the children may dress down for a dollar donation. All monies will go to support the Pancreatic Cancer Walk. Alex Corey, grade 4 walks each year in memory of her mother. Many thanks to Julia and Emma Yogis for supplying ribbons to all who participate in the Dress Down.



**SJR IS ON TWITTER!** : We have joined Twitter! Be sure to follow us @SjrSchool! We are #SJR Proud!

**WINTER UNIFORMS:** The children will be required to wear their formal winter uniforms beginning on Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please be sure that the children have the uniforms ready to wear on that date.



**COLD AND FLU SEASON:** The change of seasons is a good time to remind everyone of the following:



- ◆ If a child has a fever and we call the parents, the child must go home. If parents are unable to pick up the child, other plans must be put into place. This is not only to benefit the child who is sick but all of their classmates.
- ◆ If a child is home with a fever, they must be fever-free for 24 hours without the use of any fever-reducing medications before returning to school.

**JUST A THOUGHT:** Recently, I came across this list of *Things Every Child Needs to Hear*. The author stated that children need to hear these words regularly, not just “feel” them. In addition, the article included some thoughts about whether or not the list was complete.

#### Seven Things Every Child Needs to Hear:

1. I love you.
2. I am proud of you.
3. I’m sorry.
4. I forgive you.
5. I’m listening.
6. This is your responsibility.
7. You’ve got what it takes!



# Parish Youth Ministry

Mrs. Barbara Palo (Director of Teen Ministry—mompalo@aol.com) •  Facebook: St. Robert Teen Ministry Program

## THE THERESA MALANDRA HALLOWEEN DANCE

FOR HER SPECIAL FRIENDS



**WHEN? SUNDAY OCTOBER 25<sup>TH</sup>**  
**WHERE? MSGR MARLEY HALL**  
**TIME? 12 TO 5:30PM**  
(INCLUDES SETUP, LUNCH,  
DANCE AND CLEAN UP)

**OUR GUESTS ARE READY TO GO, ALL WE  
NEED IS YOU TO MAKE THE DAY A  
COMPLETE SUCCESS**

**ALL TEENS WELCOME TO HELP  
DECORATE, SET UP, SOCIALIZE, DANCE,  
MAKE CRAFTS AND JUST HAVE FUN**

**WE WILL HAVE A PIZZA LUNCH  
COSTUMES OPTIONAL**

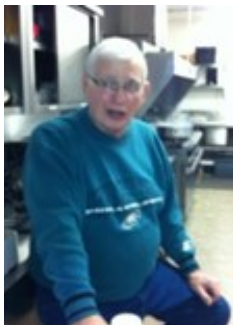
**Want to get more involved?**

**Come Thursday October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00 to  
the hall to make final preparations for  
the dance**

**otherwise....see you on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup>  
at noon please email  
[mompalo@aol.com](mailto:mompalo@aol.com) to confirm**

Formerly known as the Halloween Dance for our physically and mentally challenged friends, all our dances will now be named for Theresa who passed away this year. Her dad Vince and Theresa were instrumental in our having these dances for 2 groups that Theresa belonged to. They have been the highlight of the year for these groups and we are most grateful for the opportunity to host 2 dances a year for our special friends.

Here's to you Theresa....you will always hold a special place in our hearts.



**HOME FROM  
COLLEGE?  
JOIN US**

## FOCUS ON FAITH

**“For the son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve and give his life as a ransom for many.” Mark 10: 45**

In today's Gospel we are reminded that discipleship is about servanthood, even when it entails suffering. The only way to glory is by self-emptying, serving, giving one's life. Being the servant is not always something extra or big: most of the time is simply doing everyday tasks generously and with integrity, remembering that others are part of the Body of Christ and to serve them is to serve Christ. Doing these everyday tasks with loving care and joy, perhaps prepares us for when something big comes along and a dramatic sacrifice and self-emptying is called for.



*What challenges or responsibilities in your life require sacrifice?  
What helps you to serve with love?*

Are you interested in our parish bus trip to the **Vatican Splendor Exhibit: A Journey Through Faith and Art**? The date is **Saturday, November 21**. The cost for admission is \$24.95 for Adults and \$14.95 for Children. Our tour is scheduled for 11:00 AM. We can then have lunch at the museum following the tour. The **final cost per person** will depend on the number of people interested in going and whether we travel by a coach bus. Please contact Joan Fitzpatrick by no later than **October 26 @ 215.343.0315 or jfitzaff2@verizon.net**.

Included: Michelangelo items and works by Bernini and others. Objects dating back to the first century. From the venerated relics (bone fragments) of Saint Peter and Saint Paul to personal items of Saint John Paul II, this exhibit comprises one of the largest Vatican collections ever to tour North America. Many items have never before been on public view. From culture to history to art, explore how the Papacy has impacted- and been impacted by- the world throughout the centuries.



***“Jesus keeps knocking on our doors, the doors of our lives. He doesn't do this by magic, with special effects, with flashing lights and fireworks. Jesus keeps knocking on our door in the faces of our brothers and sisters, in the faces of our neighbors, in the faces of those at our side.”***

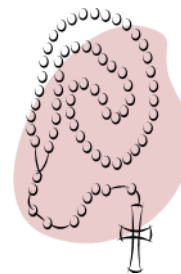
Pope Francis,  
St. Patrick Charitable Center, New York City, September, 2015

***Saint Robert Bellarmine Parish offers year round opportunities for people seeking more information about the Catholic Faith, the Sacraments and living the Christian Life.***

These opportunities are for adults who would like to inquire about following Jesus and becoming a member of the Catholic Church, or, if you are already a baptized Christian, would like to become a Catholic, or, if you are already a baptized Catholic, would like to receive Confirmation and Holy Communion. There are many people like your self inquiring and we are ready to answer your questions. Please contact Joan Fitzpatrick: 215.343.0315 OR jfitzaff2@verizon.net

## For Parents during October, the month of the Rosary...

A great line from the Bible says, “And Mary treasures all these things in her heart.” A lot of surprising events came Mary's way, not the least of which was the discovery that she was “with child”! She encountered many joyful, sorrowful, and glorious mysteries in the course of being a parent, and perhaps her greatest example is that she found a way to be open to all those mysteries. She did not understand them and could not control them or the outcomes, had a heart open to God and unconditional love for her and her family. Pray the rosary this month and ask Mary to intercede on behalf of your family to our loving and gracious God.



**PANEL DISCUSSION-SYRIAN & IRAQI REFUGEE**

**CRISIS**-The panel will be held on Wednesday, October 21st from 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the Driscoll Hall Auditorium at Villanova University, located at 800 Lancaster Avenue, Villanova, PA 19085. Topics to be discussed include the migration path, push factors, laws governing protection adjudicating refugee cases, impact of the refugees on the region and what we can do.

This event, sponsored by the Law School Clinic for Asylum, Refugee and Emigrant Services and the University Partnership with Catholic Relief Services, is free and open to the public. For more information, please contact Michele Pistone at [Pistone@law.villanova.edu](mailto:Pistone@law.villanova.edu).

**POPE FRANCIS COMMEMORATIVE BOOK**

Pre-orders are now being accepted for *Pope Francis in America: The Official Photographic Record*. This chronicles the visit of Pope Francis to Philadelphia, as well as Washington, D.C. and New York City. \$8 will be donated to the World Meeting of Families to help defray expenses from hosting the Holy Father. For a limited time, pre-ordered books come with a 25% discount. Orders can be placed through the World Meeting of Families website. Go to [www.worldmeeting2015.org](http://www.worldmeeting2015.org) and click on “Pre-Order Your Keepsake Book.”

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

*In the Gospel today Jesus tells his disciples: “Anyone among you who aspires to greatness must serve the rest; whoever wants to rank first among you must serve the needs of all.”*

**When you give the furniture, household items and clothing you no longer use to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, you give hope to your neighbors who have nothing.**



**ST.ROBERTS EP'S**

**October 19 (Monday)**

- Hunterdon Hills Trip 11: Assemble at 9am in upper parking lot. Arrive home approximately 5PM.

**October 27th**

- Halloween Party; (costume and masks)
- Speaker: Jessica Lopez
- Topic: Medicare basics
- Silvio hoagie sales \$5.00 delivery 11/10



Give Blood...



Give Life.

**BLOOD DRIVE** - American Red Cross will hold a blood drive at CC.Ford Chapman on Friday, October 23 from 2-7pm. Go to [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org) to register.

**Holy Ghost Prep  
Holiday Craft Show**

A Bucks County Favorite for over 30 years!

Beautiful Crafts  
Handcrafted Jewelry  
Delicious Food and Baked Goods  
Raffles throughout the Day

**Saturday, November 14th  
9 am to 4 pm**

**Sunday, November 15th  
9 am to 3 pm**

**Holy Ghost Prep Field House  
Rt 13 - Bristol Pike, Bensalem PA**



**Early Childhood Registration for families of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish and St. Joseph Parish begins Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>**

This year registered families of St. Robert

Bellarmino Parish or St. Joseph Parish will have the privilege of priority registration beginning **Mon., November 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Families can call the school to schedule a convenient time the week of **November 2<sup>nd</sup> (Mon-Fri) 9 am – 3 pm.**



**New Family Open House & Early Childhood Enrollment**

Our annual Fall Open House for new families will be held on **Sun., November 8<sup>th</sup> from 10am – 1pm** and again on **Wed, November 11<sup>th</sup> from 9 am – Noon**. Open enrollment for non-parishioners to register their children for Pre-K and Kindergarten will begin on **November 8<sup>th</sup>**. After this date, families may call the school to schedule an appointment to complete registration. Registration for new families with children in Grades 1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> will begin in February.



The Papal Choir is having an encore concert at the Cathedral of Sts Peter and Paul on **Monday, October 19 at 7:30 pm**. Parking is free in the cathedral lot. The concert is free as well; no tickets are required. Donations will be accepted. The choir will be performing various selections of music that you heard at the Papal Mass as well as pieces that never got sung because either there wasn't time or things did not go as planned. Come hear the beautiful music of Mozart, Beethoven, Rachmaninoff & more in cathedral setting.





# EVERY LIFE IS WORTH LIVING

[www.usccb.org/respectlife](http://www.usccb.org/respectlife)

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**FLAME OF LOVE** - A Very Special Introductory Conference on November 14, 2015 at Assumption B.V.M. Feasterville An Introductory Conference on the Flame of Love Movement the Immaculate Heart of Mary scheduled on November 14, 2015 at Assumption B.V.M., 1900 Meadowbrook Rd. Feasterville 19053 Beginning with Mass at 8:30AM and concluding at 11:30 AM.

All are invited. Free of charge. This special day will open up for you the riches that are contained in the Flame of Love.



## Craft Show

**Saturday  
November 14, 2015  
9 AM - 3 PM**

**National Shrine of St. Katharine Drexel  
1663 Bristol Pike, Bensalem, PA 19020**

(0.7 mi south of Holy Ghost Prep)

**215-244-9900 x380**

**skdshrine@comcast.net**

**www.KatharineDrexel.org**

(Look under National Shrine News & Events)



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel & St. Roberts  
Council No. 4160**

- A Big **Thank You** for all who participated and supported our recent golf outing at PineCrest Country Club.
- In addition to this being a major fund raiser, another goal for this event is to provide a fun stress-free environment, relaxing and enjoyable; on the golf course no less, hopefully we succeeded.
- The great weather & good fellowship gave us a day to remember.
- Everyone who supported this event contributes to the Knights: **"Helping Us Help Others"**

**JOB FAIR** - On Wednesday, November 18 from 10am to 3 pm, Representative Murt and the Willow Grove Chamber will be hosting a Job Fair at the Huntingdon Valley Country Club, 2295 Country Club Drive, Huntingdon Valley PA 19006. The Job Fair is free to job seekers and features dozens of vendors. For information visit [ewillowgrove.com](http://ewillowgrove.com), call the chamber at 215-657-2652 or Rep. Murt's office at 215-674-3755.



**AFGHAN GUILD** - will meet in June:  
Mon. evening, Nov 9<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 P.M  
Call 215.343.2299  
Wed. afternoon, Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 P.M.  
Ben Wilson Senior Center,  
Delmont Ave, Warminster  
New Members will be warmly welcomed.

Questions call Claire Coleman 215-343-2299



### OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL SCHOOL



We are searching for our many alumni. If you attended OLMC School or know someone who did, please invite them to register for our alumni directory by visiting our website at

[www.ourladymtcarmelschool.org](http://www.ourladymtcarmelschool.org)

or contacting Lisa Martinez, Director of Advancement [lmartinez@ourladymtcarmelschool.org](mailto:lmartinez@ourladymtcarmelschool.org) / 267-247-0249.

## IMPORTANT PARISH INFORMATION

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: Vigil 5:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: 7:00 am  
 9:00 am  
 11:00 am

### WEEKDAY MASSES

7:00 & 9:00 am - Monday/Friday  
 9:00 am - Saturday  
 Summer:  
 Weekday - 8:00 am  
 Saturday - 9:00 am

### HOLY DAYS

7:00 am  
 9:00 am  
 12:00 noon  
 7:00 pm

### CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30 to 4:30 pm

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9am-4:30pm  
 Closed on Holy Days

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

First & third Sundays of the month at 12:15 pm. Baptism Classes for parents and godparents are held on an announced day in January, March, May, July, September and November at 7 pm in the Church. Call the Parish Office to pre-register.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

**You must be a registered member of the Parish** and must notify the priest **at least six months** prior to your marriage date. **Pre-Cana classes (2nd Sat. in March. & 2nd Sat. in November) are required.** Contact Parish Office for registration forms, due 2 weeks in advance of the Pre-Cana Class

### COMMUNION CALLS

Monthly to shut-ins by the priests. Weekly - Extraordinary Ministers if requested. In an Emergency a Priest Should Be Called Immediately.

### PARISH REGISTRATION

Please ask one of the priests after a weekend Mass to register your family. Please notify the parish office if you are moving from the parish or if you have changed your address.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration - **Each Monday (except Summer & National Holidays)** after the 9 am Mass, with simple Reposition (No Benediction) at 4 pm. **At 3 pm the Divine Mercy Chaplet is recited.**

### SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM

**All parish staff and volunteers** who have **regular contact with young people** must attend a Protecting God's Children Awareness Session. In addition background checks **must be updated every 3 years. Links to background checks can be found on the website. Visit our website, click on Community, then Safe environment. It will direct you to the Child and Youth Protection Site. If you have not completed your background checks and the class YOU MAY NOT VOLUNTEER.**

**BULLETIN DEADLINE** - Monday 11am - Turn in material typed, with your name & phone number at the parish office or strobertysecretary@verizon.net.

### PARISH RESOURCES

Adult Faith Formation	Joan Fitzpatrick	215-343-0315
Afghan Guild	Claire Coleman	215-343-2299
Al-Anon Contact		215-222-5244
Altar Servers	Deacon George Morris	215-343-0315
Bereavement Committee	Joan Fitzpatrick	215-343-0315
Bloodmobile	Mary Marquis	215-343-8635
Catholic Charities	Bill Fehrman	215-343-1752
Charismatic Prayer Group	Dolores Seif	215-343/8775
Christ's Housekeepers	Eleanor Crowley	215-675-8955
Crisis Pregnancy	24 Hour Hotline	610-626-4006
E.P.'s (Seniors)	Jack Forbes	215-343-1625
Extraordinary Ministers	Deacon George Morris	215-343-0315
Family Fellowship	Bob Abecasis	215-343-8113
Knights of Columbus	Rob Hessler	215-491-0648
Liturgical Environment	Joan Fitzpatrick	215-343-0315
Men's Prayer Group	Norman Racine	267-968-5905
Minister of Hospitality	Peter Vreeland	215-343-2091
Ministers of the Word	Deacon George Morris	215-343-0315
Mother's Prayer Group	Chris Trodden	215-491-2542
Msgr. Marley Hall	Jonathan DeMent	215-421-4407
Music Ministry	Kevin Lutz Kevinlutz920@yahoo.com	
Pastoral Council	Tom Utermark	215-343-9528
Pre-Cana	Ellen/Don Cericola	215-343-3275
Pre-Jordan/RCIA	Joan Fitzpatrick	215-343-0315
Prison Ministry	Ray Rugarber	215-672-7678
Respect Life	Len Cline	215-343-4572
St. Cyprian	Patti Hessler (cell)	267-250-5721
St. John's Hospice	Msgr. James Beisel	215-343-0315
St. Francis Inn	Candy Bakasy	215-343-1002
St. Vincent De Paul Society (Answering machine)		267-644-8189
Parish Youth Ministry	Barb Palo	215-343-2083

### **PASTORAL COUNCIL:**

(Elected Position)	Bob Abecasis	215/343-8113
	Joann Crescenzo	215/491-4288
<i>Pastoral issues to be discussed?</i>	Sheila Fehrman	215/343-1752
	Bill Gibbons	215/343-4066
	Amy Moffett	215/343-5436
<b>Contact one of the members.</b>	Dottie Prior	215/328-9406
	Betty Sanotoro	215/ 343-6747
	Mike Speranza	215/956-9769
	Tom Utermark	215/343-9528
	Brian Zook	267/483-8409

### **FINANCE COUNCIL:**

(Appointed Position)	Carol Bauman
	Ed Clark
	Thomas Castaldi
	Kirk Claus
	John Del Vecchio
	Terry Funk
	Robin Killion
	Susan Westermann
	Elmer O'Brien
	Frederick Reed

