

**MAY 9, 2010**  
**6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Monday, May 10/Blessed Damien Joseph de Veuster of Moloka'i

6:30 AM Anna & Paul Pramick  
8:00 AM Paul Deutsch

Tuesday, May 11

6:30 AM Frank A. Faustner  
8:00 AM Edward Ernst Sr.

Wednesday, May 12/St. Nereus & St. Achilleus, marts;  
Saint Pancras, martyr

6:30 AM Peter Fox  
8:00 AM Jack Alfano  
6:00 PM Sister Regina Smith, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

Thursday, May 13/The Ascension of the Lord

6:30 AM Rudolph A. Brem  
9:00 AM Mary Yurish  
12:15 PM Catherine Kucharik

Friday, May 14/Saint Matthias, apostle

6:30 AM Dr. Michael Liaw  
8:00 AM John Komperda

Saturday, May 15/Saint Isidore

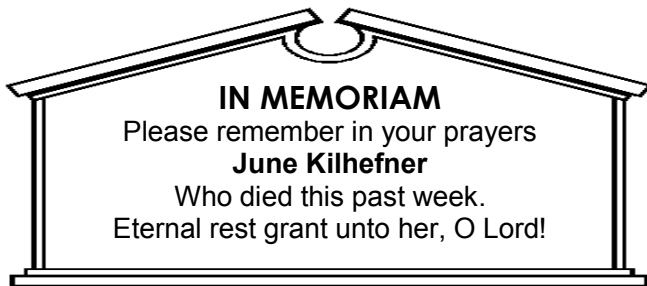
9:00 AM Adelina Finelli

Vigil: 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

4:30 PM Edward Barrington

Sunday, May 16

7:30 AM Robert Mayorak  
9:00 AM John Peapos  
10:30 AM Frank Zeravsky  
12:00 PM Frank DeLucia



**PRAY FOR OUR SICK**

Please remember to ask God's blessing and gift of good health for members of our parish family and friends who are in nursing homes, or in the hospital. Also, those confined to their homes with an illness or disability, sick or in the hospital: Dominic Bellucci, Sr., Rose Bellucci, Anthony Buchman, Ruth Cain, David Dickinson, Francis DiFonzo, Bernard Gallagher, Ryan Glose, Andrew Hein, Bruno Masucci, Betty Porter, Carol Reed, Luke Ronco, Holly Siegfried and Colleen Tomline.

**NURSERY SCHOOL REGISTRATION**

Registrations are being accepted for the 2010-2011 school year. Classes are Mon., Wed & Fri, 9:00-11:30 and 12:30-3:00 for 4 year olds; Tues. & Thurs. 9:00-11:30 and 12:30-3:00 for 3 year olds. If you are interested in registering please call 610-266-0450 between 8:30 and 3:00 PM.

**BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

Next weekend is Commitment Sunday for our Bishop's Annual Appeal. As of today, our parishioners have raised \$10,005 from 113 parishioners representing 9 % of our total number of registered families in our parish. Please bring your pledge form to Mass next weekend. Extra pledge forms will be available in the pews. We need the support of all of our parish families to reach our diocesan goal. If you have any questions, please call the parish office or visit the appeal site. You can make your gift online at [www.adbaa.org](http://www.adbaa.org) or drop off your pledge at the church.

**ST. ELIZABETH REGIONAL SCHOOL**

Please continue to save Boxtops for Education, Campbells labels, Ink cartridges, Redner's tapes and cancelled stamps for our school. Thank you for your support in all of our fundraising efforts. Check out the school website for more information about the school: [www.sercc.org/school](http://www.sercc.org/school). Anyone interested in registering their child for K-8 for 2009-2010 school year should call the school at 610-264-0143 for more information.

**ST. ELIZABETH GOLDEN AGERS**

Spirit of Philadelphia Cruise on Wednesday, July 14. The cruise offers a unique combination of dining, dancing entertainment and a luncheon buffet. After the cruise you will depart for a casino. Bus leaves St. Elizabeth at 9:45 am. Price is \$76 per person. Call John Klusarits at 610-437-1570 for reservations. Deadline is June 10, 2010.

**ST. ELIZABETH ADULT SOFTBALL**

Did you know St. Elizabeth has an Adult Church League Softball team? We do and we're looking for a few good members to join. They play slo-pitch softball on Sunday evenings. The league has seven church teams and plays two games on Sunday nights. They start the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in May and end the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in August. Call Bob Hartzell for more information at 610-799-2470. We're looking for You!!

**ST. E'S SHOPPE E'S PROGRAM**

The gift store card program now has a new name. Posted to the school and church website are new forms for school families to print out and use to order store cards. Many parishioners felt the previous envelope print was too small to read or write in the spaces provided; the quality of the print was poor and now that we are offering special cards periodically those envelopes are too restrictive. We hope a more consistent uniform design will make it easier for everyone to use the program. Therefore you will not be seeing the yellow gift card envelopes in your regular contribution envelopes however you may continue to use them until you run out of stock. Parishioners without school children who use the store cards and would like envelopes may get them from the Parish office or after Masses from the volunteer sellers or they may also print forms from the websites if they prefer.

## ENGAGED ENCOUNTER

In springtime, the thoughts of engaged couples turn to...seating charts, invitations and other wedding plans? Put the focus back where it belongs by experiencing an Engaged Encounter Weekend! A wedding is a day—a marriage is for a lifetime. EE is sponsored by the Office of Family Life Ministries of the Diocese of Allentown. For more information and the schedule of EE weekends for 2010, call **Carla Neupauer at 610-289-8900 ext.238.**

## CONCERT AT NOTRE DAME CHURCH

On May 15th at 7pm, Christian singer/songwriter Tatiana Tajci (pronounced Tai-Chee) Cameron will perform a concert - "Let It Be – Mary's Story" at Notre Dame of Bethlehem Church 1861 Catasauqua Road. The event features Tajci on keyboards and vocals, backed by accomplished instrumentalist Denny Bouchard. Please call 610-866-4371 for more information. Free will offering.

## HOLY FAMILY MANOR

Holy Family Manor is having Community Day on Thursday, May 13 from 10 am to 1 pm at 1200 Spring St., Bethlehem. Attend education presentations from local health care providers, tour the new short-term rehabilitation unit and visit the Personal Care Communities – Grace Mansion and Trexler Pavilion. Light fare & refreshments will be served. RSVP to 610-865-5595.

## MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

NOW is the time to SPRING CLEAN your relationship. MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER will provide you with the tools to *make your marriage sparkle*. For information call 1-800-787-7679 or go online at [www.wwme-nepa.org](http://www.wwme-nepa.org).

## PARISH NURSING NEWS

- Volunteers with basic word processing and copying skills are needed to assist in the parish nurses' ministry. For more information, call Marie Signarovitz at 610-434-7009.
- Nurses and non-medical volunteers are needed to deliver prayer shawls to parishioners in hospitals and at home. Training provided. Interested parties please call Bernadette Marushak at 610-434-7536.
- **Blood Drive:** Signups today in vestibule of church. **F.Y.I.** for donors on Sun. May 23rd in parish hall 8AM - 1:30PM. **Everyone must present a valid ID.** All new donors must complete a preregistration form (given to you at signups). Anyone registering without valid ID will not be permitted to donate! Please eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water Sat. and Sun, prior to your donation. Refrain from caffeinated drinks 4 hours prior and alcohol 8 hours prior to donating. Know all medications you're taking. Please pray for a generous response for the **Gift of Life!**

## MAY PROCESSION

St. Elizabeth Regional School's May Procession will be held on Tuesday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm. Please join us to celebrate our devotion to Mary. CCD students are invited to be in the procession; please see Sister Bonita that evening to find out where you would be in the procession line.

## PRO-LIFE

"The most important person on earth is a mother. She cannot claim the honor of having built Notre Dame Cathedral. She need not. She has built something more magnificent than any cathedral – a dwelling for an immortal soul, the tiny perfection of her baby's body."

*Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty*

## PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

It has been many years since the church has done a pictorial directory and we decided it was time to do another one. We are using Olan Mills for the directory and when you get your picture done every family receives a free 8x10 and their own copy of the directory. The following are the dates that we will be having pictures done in the hall: May 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, June 1, 2. All times are 2 pm to 9 pm. Signup sheets will be in the back of the church and during the week, Monday through Friday, you can signup for pictures online. Go to the church website [www.sercc.org](http://www.sercc.org) and click on the pictures link and it will take you immediately to Olan Mills online picture form. We would really like to get everyone to participate. The directory makes a great reference guide for the church and families. It creates a "snapshot" in time that immortalizes our church family.

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