

OCTOBER 25, 2009

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday, October 26

6:30 AM Donald J. Durishin
8:00 AM Peter Fox

Tuesday, October 27

6:30 AM Bohdan Sawka
8:00 AM Valeria Oleksy

Wednesday, October 28/Simon & Jude, apostles

6:30 AM For the Health of Edith Quiteles
8:00 AM Stephen & Pauline Polzer

Thursday, October 29

6:30 AM Helen Pavlinsky
8:00 AM Helen Gorz

Friday, October 30

6:30 AM Margaret Schmaldinst
8:00 AM William Varee

Saturday, October 31

9:00 AM Lillian Finn

Vigil: All Saints Day

4:30 PM Sister Regina Smith

Sunday, November 1

7:30 AM James Chlebove
9:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of
our Parish Family
10:30 AM Deceased Members of the Steffens &
Scheurer Families
12:00 PM Michael Henry Neff, 2nd Anniversary

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, Fran Craig, Carol Crugnale, Sheri Fiore, William Garcia, Ryan Glose, Kay Gober, Andrew Hein, Barbara Karp, Matthew Korpics, Lucie Kozic, Harry Mellinger, Elmer Molitoris, Marjorie Molitoris, Carol Reed, Luke Ronco, Theresa Testa and Colleen Tomline.

SAVE THE 5TH STREET BRIDGE

You can sign the petition to save the 5th Street Bridge in Whitehall until the end of October. The petition will be in the church and school offices during regular business hours. It is very important to sign this petition since the closing of the bridge will cause a lot of problems for the church and school. The bridge is a vital link for the township and this parish. Please keep in mind you may only sign one petition.

CENTRAL CATHOLIC VIKETTE MIDDLE SCHOOL SOFTBALL

Girls in 7th & 8th grade who attend one of the parish schools are invited to participate in the Vikette Middle School Softball program. You will compete against all the LVC programs (Parkland, Emmaus, Nazareth, Liberty, Freedom, Easton, etc.) If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Coach Kakareka at wkakareka@enter.net or call 610-434-7745.

ACCHS COLORGUARD CLINIC

Allentown Central Catholic will hold a colorguard clinic on Saturday, November 14 from 9 am to 11 am for any 6, 7, or 8 grade student in Masson Auditorium. This is a great opportunity to find out what colorguard is all about, learn some basic techniques and meet the current squad. Please RSVP to Mrs. Lisa Listwa (lilistwa@acchs.info) by November 11 if you are planning to attend.

ST. ELIZABETH REGIONAL SCHOOL

- Students at Saint Elizabeth Regional School are now selling Little Caesars Pizza Kits. Kits include 3 individually wrapped pizzas per box. Also available are Gourmet Salad Kits, Bread & Dip Kits, Cookie Dough and Pie Kits. We're sure there is something everyone will enjoy. Brochures and order sheets are available in the school office or you can look at prices by going to http://pizzakit.com/lcpk_itk_prod_pepkitt.asp
- We are also selling candles from Lehigh Valley Candle. The 32 ounce - double wick candles come in many different scents. Cost is \$12 each. Order forms are available at the school. Please ask any of our students if you're interested in participating in these fundraisers or call the school office at 610-264-0143 or email us at school@sercc.org
- Vacation Sweepstakes tickets have been mailed. Drawings are held throughout the month of December - based on the PA Nightly Big 4 number. Scrip/Gift Card fundraiser will begin November 18th, with delivery just in time for Christmas.
- The October school newsletter is available on line @ www.sercc.org/school along with other pertinent information. You can reach us at 610-264-0143 during school office hours 8:00 am – 4:00 pm.

PARISH NURSING NEWS

Thank You – to Rose Balliet, Margaret Bonenberger and John Wechsler who helped process 93 parishioners receiving the flu and/or pneumonia vaccines. Information on the swine flu vaccine will be printed in the bulletin when the supply is available.

Caregiver Hospitality Ministry – Are you caring for a loved one, doing shopping, banking, paying bills, transporting for medical appointments, laundry, cooking meals, etc. for a family member, relative or friend? If your answer is yes, consider coming to this monthly meeting which will begin November 19, 7:30 to 9 pm, and on the third Thursday of each month in the parish center meeting room. This ministry also includes family or relatives with loved ones in an assisted living or skilled nursing facility. Brochures explaining the mission of the ministry and "gathering agenda" will be available at the rectory with a sample posted on the parish nurse bulletin board.

Friendly Meals – ministry is in need of additional volunteers to cook for homebound sick parishioners who are unable to do for themselves. Additional information is on a blue flyer on the parish nurse table or call coordinator, Elaine Richmond at 610-435-8907. Your generosity and kindness is greatly appreciated!