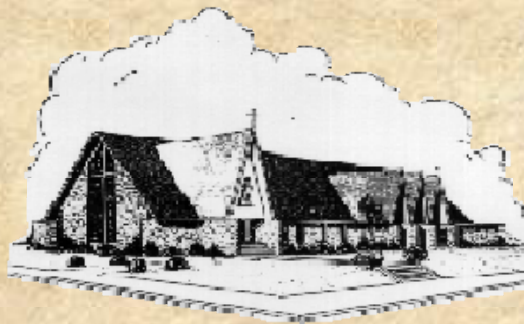


The Parish of Our Lady of Good Counsel

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February 14th/15th, 2015

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

American Red Cross Blood Drive

The next OLGC Red Cross Blood Drive will be held on **Monday February 16th** from 1PM until 7PM in the Trinity Center. Please sign up in the back of church after Mass. You may also or contact Peg Junod at (215)-364-1719 or email trolleyman@verizon.net. Thanks!

Mothers of Young Children

The Mothers of Young Children welcomes Father Sean Loomis from St. Bede's Parish at our next meeting on **Tuesday, February 17th**.

We will meet from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. in the Trinity Center. Babysitting is available for \$3 a family in the lower rectory. All are welcome. Any questions call Ellen Doherty at 215-357-0646.



Lenten Schedule 2015



Ash Wednesday

February 18th

Mass Schedule: 6:30, 8:30, 10:30AM, 7:00 PM

Liturgy of the Word: 12:05 PM

Ashes will be distributed at all Services.

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday: 9:00 AM

Saturday: 8:00 AM

Confessions

Wednesdays: 7:00 to 7:30 PM

(February 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1)

Saturdays: 8:30 - 9:30 AM & 4:00 - 5:00 PM

(No Confessions on Holy Saturday April 4th)

Stations of the Cross

Fridays: 7:00 PM

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday: These are days of Fast and Abstinence from meat. There is a limit of one full meal on these days for those between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive.

All Fridays in Lent: These are days of Abstinence from meat. All those who have reached their 14th year are bound to abstain totally from meat.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil -- 5:15PM

Sunday -- 7:00AM, 8:30AM, 10:00AM , 12:00 Noon

Daily Mass - Mon thru Fri 9:00 AM; Sat. 8:00 AM

First Friday (Sept thru June) - 10:00 AM

All Masses are in the Upper Church

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 -- 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM & 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Also by appointment

Holy Rosary - All parishioners are welcome to join the OLGK Knights of Columbus every Monday evening at 6:30 pm in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Adoration before the Most Blessed Sacrament -- Each Monday following the 9:00AM Mass until 7:30PM with Miraculous Medal Novena and Benediction. Also, each First Friday when school is in session after the 10:00AM Mass until 2:00PM.

Divine Mercy Chaplet -- Monday at 7:00PM.

DIRECTORY

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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 from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM and from 4:00 PM to 5:00 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. It is recommended that a date is set with the Church before a date is set with a reception hall. 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 - 4:00PM

Monday thru Thursday - 5:00PM - 8:00PM

Saturday -- 9:00AM - 4:00PM

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

Scrip Office Hours

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

Monday thru Thursday - 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Saturday -- 10:00AM - 3:30 PM

Sunday - 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

World Meeting of Families
Theme for February: Two Become One

We are not made to be alone. Human beings need and complete each other. Friendship and community satisfy that longing with bonds of common interest and love. Marriage is a uniquely intimate form of friendship that calls a man and a woman to love each other in the manner of God's covenant. Marriage is a Sacrament. Married love is fruitful and offered without reservation. This love is in the image of Jesus' faithfulness to the Church.

Rite of Christian Initiation

There will be no RCIA meeting on February 18th due to the observance of Ash Wednesday.

Please contact the Trinity Center at (215) 357-1300 for further information.

*OLGC Knights of Columbus
Designer Bag Bingo Reminder*

Tickets to the OLGC Knights of Columbus designer handbag bingo are going quickly! If you wish to be a player at this event, you need to purchase your tickets now!

Information is available in this bulletin on page 5.
Bingo will be held on Saturday, February 28.

*Archdiocese of Philadelphia
Consultation of the Clergy and Faithful for the 2015
Synod of Bishops in Rome*

Pope Francis has called for an Ordinary Synod of Bishops in October 2015 on the theme, *The Vocation and Mission of the Family in the Church and Contemporary World*. The General Secretary of the Synod of Bishops invites consultation on this topic to assist with its preparations.

A Preparatory Document has been issued by the Holy See to initiate this consultation along with a series of questions. Archbishop Chaput, in an effort to provide an opportunity for the clergy and faithful of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia to engage in this consultation in as wide a manner as possible has authorized the use of this instrument for local participation.

The clergy and faithful are asked to read the complete Preparatory Document, or its summary, on the archdiocesan website and then answer any or all of the questions that follow by visiting

www.archphila.org

Responses to those questions are to be submitted by **Monday, March 9, 2015.**

*Catholic Charities Appeal 2015
Giving Hope*

Taking care of those who need help most is one of the most important things we can do as Catholics.

The Catholic Charities Appeal helps the most needy in the greater Philadelphia area by providing them with an education, a warm place to sleep, a hot meal, clothing and medical assistance just to name a few. This year, the Catholic Charities Appeal goal is \$10 Million, a goal that so desperately needs to be reached. It is important that every parishioner and every parish do their part, because we are all one family in Christ.

The Catholic Charities Appeal is the Archdiocese of Philadelphia's single most important fundraising initiative. The 2015 Appeal continues to build on last year's success and reach out to the entire Catholic community of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

For more information, or to make a secure donation online please visit www.catholiccharitiesappeal.org. Thank you for your generosity.

Cub Scout/ Boy Scout Open House

When: February 16th 7:15 to 8:30

Where: Monsignor D'Angelico Cultural Center

Are you or do you know a boy 6-17 years old? Think you or he may be interested in Fishing, Archery, Hiking, White -Water rafting, Camping, Canoeing and other Great Outdoor Adventures? Maybe he wants to learn skills to survive in the wilderness? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions then you NEED to come to our Open House! **No prior experience is needed.**

Our Scouts pledge their Duty to God in both the Scout Oath and Scout Law. Scouting is viewed very favorably as an extra-curricular activity by all colleges and universities, and Eagle Scouts are often selected for admission before straight-A students from top schools.

It is well known that Scouting builds good citizens and strong leaders who serve our community in many ways -- through service projects, Eagle projects, and public service performed by current and former Scouts. Scouting instills personal qualities sought by business and by the public sector. Scouts and families of Scouts forge lifetime friendships with other Scouts and Scout families.

Cub Scout Pack 144
Boy Scout Troop 144
www.SCOUTS144.com

.OLGC ADULT FAITH FORMATION

The Church calls us to "position adult faith formation at the heart of our catechetical vision."

SAVE THE DATE!

February 25th

Take some time for your own faith journey. Please plan to join us on February 25th in the McNelis Room of the Trinity Center for a session called "A Spiritual Walk through the Mass".

All parishioners are welcome to attend!

Please fill out the form below and return to the PREP Office.

February 25th Adult Faith Formation

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

E-Mail: _____

(Please print CLEARLY)

OLGC School Highlights

Thanks to all who celebrated Catholic Schools Week with us during the week of January 25-31, 2015? Although at times the weather did not cooperate, many families visited during our Open Houses and were able to see their talented children in action in the classroom. The children enjoyed special activities throughout the week, and we were able to thank our wonderful volunteers for all they do! OLGC is truly a community of faith, knowledge, and service!

Congratulations to the Performing Arts Club for their brilliant performance at the *Be Awesome* event on January 31, 2015. The children sang and danced their way to music from the fifties and sixties. Special guest appearances from some of our parents made the event even more enjoyable. Keep up the good work PAC members!

OLGC Knights of Columbus Council 15658

Designer Handbag Bingo
Saturday, February 28, 2015

Msgr. Anthony D'Angelico Cultural Center
611 Knowles Avenue
Southampton, PA 18966

Doors Open at 5:30 PM. Games Begin at 7:00 PM

\$30 Ticket Price — Ticket sale capped at 300 tickets
NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR
Price of admission includes 15 games of Bingo.

Proceeds Benefit OLGC Knights of Columbus Charities

Rain Date: Sunday, March 1st. Doors open at 1:30 PM. Games begin at 3:00 PM
Available for purchase: extra game boards, dabblers, specials, raffles, 50/50, food, and drink-**BYOB**
Complimentary Desserts and Coffee!!

ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL *KATHY DORAN* @ 215-593-4656

Name: _____

Number of Tickets: _____

Email: _____

Phone (in case of bad weather): _____

Make checks payable to OLGC Knights of Columbus
Mail to 611 Knowles Avenue, Southampton, PA 18966
Attn: Kevin Madison

OLGC Bible Study - Starting March 26

A Biblical Walk With Mary

New from Ascension Press! See the significance of Mary as you explore the Biblical roots of our beliefs about her. This will bring you an extraordinary pilgrimage, revealing Mary's unique role in God's Kingdom & in our lives. Filmed on location, you'll visit the grotto of Mary's home in Nazareth, the cave where Christ was born in Bethlehem, the site of Our Lord's victory on the Cross, and many other rarely seen places in the Holy Land. Deepen your devotion to Mary as you discover our Blessed Mother in a uniquely personal way.

Cost: \$25.00 for study set - checks made payable to OLGC

Location: McNelis Room

Times: Session A 9:45 - 11:30 AM or Session B 6:45 - 8:30 PM

Dates: 8 sessions - March 26, April 9 to May 21

Questions: Contact Fran Flanagan at franflanagan28@gmail.com or 215-357-4355

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Name _____

Address _____

Phone number _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Circle the session attending: **9:45 AM OR 6:45 PM**

Pre-Registration required - due by February 23rd

How to submit your registration:

- Mail to OLGC, Office of Religious Ed., 611 Knowles Ave., Southampton, Pa 18966
- Bring to the Trinity Center in envelope marked Bible Study

Sorry, no late registrations will be accepted

ACADEMIC HONORS

Congratulations to the following students from our parish who have received academic honors from their high school:

Archbishop Ryan

Edwin Shead '18 Second Honors

Gwynedd Mercy Academy

Delaney Sadowl Second Honors

Nazareth Academy

Grace Lifested '15 Distinguished Honors

Maura Lifested '17 Distinguished Honors

Rachel's Vineyard Ministries

Rachel's Vineyard retreats are for anyone hurting from the spiritual and emotional pain of an abortion. The weekend will help you experience the mercy and compassion of God; grieve your loss; and forgive yourself and others. There is an upcoming retreat on **March 20th to 22nd** at the Spirituality Center in Frazer, PA. Please call 215-906-6337 or 610-399-0890 or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org for more information.

The Rachel's Vineyard Retreat Manual, written by Dr. Theresa Burke, has received the Imprimatur and Nihil Obstat of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. The program is offered throughout the United States and internationally.

St. Francis Seniors

Upcoming Meetings

Feb. 20 - Erik Fleischer, Historical Society; Steam Boat info

March 6 - Elise Seyfried, Author

March 20 - Kevin Galm, Entertainer

Trips

March 11 – Hunterdon Hills Playhouse – The Hilarious Comedy Classic “Abie’s Irish Rose”. Enjoy a delicious lunch with choice of entrees and an unlimited dessert buffet followed by this great show. Cost is \$88.00. A deposit of \$25.00 holds your reservation. **Balance is due on or before February 11.**

April 28 to April 29 - Hyde Park and Culinary Institute - Guided tour of Franklin Roosevelt Home. Tour of the Culinary Institute of America followed by a delicious four course dinner. Overnight accommodations at The Holiday Inn Express which includes breakfast The next day we will visit The Vanderbilt Mansion before leaving for home. Price is \$230. double occupancy. A deposit of \$50.00 will hold your reservation. Balance is due March 27.

October 5 to October 9 – Woodloch Resort - Beautiful accommodations; delicious meals; sports complex, pools, sauna, exercise room. There will be boat rides and hayrides along with other fun things to do. Casino trip available once a week. Nightly entertainment. Double occupancy - \$736.00. Deposit of \$50.00 by April 1. Balance due September 1.

For information on these trips, please contact Helen Scavilla at 215 357 8712.

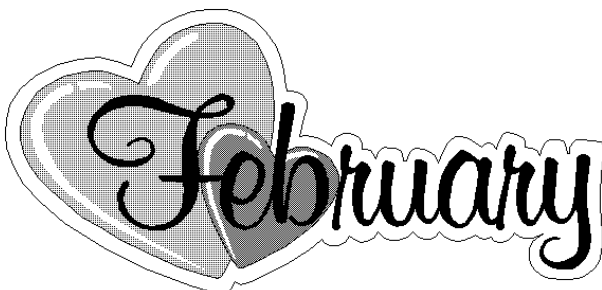
Help O.L.G.C. School!

CARTRIDGE RECYCLING

Please continue to drop off your inkjet & laser printer cartridges as well as old cell phones and digital cameras in our recycling box when you come to Mass.

Thanks to all of our parishioners who have supported this great fundraiser for the OLGC School Technology program - several hundred dollars has already been raised this school year. Keep those items coming!

COLLECTING COKE & POWERADE CAPS
Help the OLGC School Gym program by donating your Coke product and Powerade caps. Bags of caps can be placed in the Cartridge recycling box in the back of Church. Through the MyCokeRewards program we are earning valuable items to be used in OLGC school. Thank you for your support.



Parish Meetings

Knights of Columbus Council No.15658 - Meets every fourth Monday of the month at 7:30 PM in the Trinity Center. Rosary every Monday at 6:30 PM in the Church. For information, please contact 215-357-1300 Ext. 106 or olgckofc@comcast.net. Also visit www.olgckofc.org and [facebook.com/olgckofc](https://www.facebook.com/olgckofc). **Our next meeting will be held on February 23rd.**

Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary: Meets each month on Tuesdays at 7:00 PM in the Trinity Center. Our next meeting will be on **March 17th**. For info, please email KofCLadies15658@gmail.com or call 215-357-1300 X 234.

Widow/Widower Support Group Regular meetings are held on the third Monday of each month from 1-2:30PM in the Trinity Center. **The next meeting will be held on February 16th.**

St. Monica's Circle – Meets in the Trinity Center from September to May on the 2nd Thursday of the month. Meetings alternate between 9:45 AM (September, November, January, March and May) and 7:00 PM (September, October, December, February and April.) For information, contact Suzanne Kuhn at 215-355-5846 or SuzanneRKuhn@msn.com. **Our next meeting will be on March 12th at 9:45 AM .**

Outreach Ministry - Meetings are held on the fourth Monday each month, at 7PM in the Trinity Center. **The next meeting will be held on February 23rd.**

Third Order Carmelites—meet on the third Saturday each month from Sept through June for ongoing spiritual formation. For information call 215-766-7513. **The next meeting will be on February 21st.**

Mothers of Young Children - Meets on the third Tuesday each month from 10-11:30 AM (babysitting provided). **Our next meeting will be on February 17th.**

St. Francis Senior Club - Meets on the first and third Friday of the month at 10:00 AM in the Trinity Center. **Our next meeting will be on February 20th.**

OLGC Senior Club - Meets on the second and fourth Fridays each month at 10AM in the Trinity Center. **Our next meeting will be on February 27th.**

Health & Wellness Ministry - Meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at 7PM in the Trinity Center. For info, call 215-357-1300 ext. 273.

Boy Scout Troop 144 - Monday nights 7:00–8:30PM @ OLGC. For Boys 10-17 years old. For info contact Gus Fiocca at 215-901-4472 or www.scouts144.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to men 18 years of age or older who are practical (that is, practicing) Catholics in union with the Holy See. This means that an applicant or member accepts the teaching authority of the Catholic Church on matters of faith and morals, aspires to live in accord with the precepts of the Catholic Church, and is in good standing in the Catholic Church. OLGC Council also welcomes fellow knights who wish to transfer from another Council.

LADIES AUXILIARY MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Ladies Auxiliary to the Knight of Columbus Council 15658. is open to women 18 years of age or older within and outside the Parish who are practicing Catholics in union with the Holy See. Any Catholic woman registered in another parish is also welcomed to join. Applicant or member accepts the teaching authority of the Catholic Church on matters of faith and morals, aspires to live in accord with the precepts of the Catholic Church, and is in good standing in the Catholic Church.

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

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

Stephen Bednarik, Anthony Brothman, Vincent Brothman Jr., Joseph Cymerman, Col. Troy D'Agostino, Andy Daily, Dana Daily, Daniel Dalton, John Doerffel, Patrick James Doherty, Joseph Dooley, Brady C. Fagans, Scott Ginger, James Gormley, Jim Hacker, Sean Hartman, Capt. John Herbert, Paul Hesser, Daniel Timothy Hipple, Robert Jankowski, Lt. Col. David Jones, Sean Kehoe, Jimmy Ketler, Stephen Kraus, Major Joseph Krill, Brian Lackman, Sallie Lackman, Andrew Layman, Frankie Ludovici, Michael Maricle, Jude Martin, Brian McDermott, John McDermott, Daniel MacDonald, William G. McCloskey, Grant Miller, Steven Neithold, Eric Nescio, John & Dawn O'Hara, Greg Palush, Lcpl. Matthew Pellegrini, Lt. Michael H. Poekert, Gordon Pulford, SSgt. John Ramsey, Richard Raubenstine Jr., Capt. Chaplain Tony Michael Repic, Kevin Roberts, Patrick Rooney, Eric Sanderlin, Hali Sanderlin, Adam C. Schmidt, John C. Sparks IV, Ryan Speed, Bill Stanert, Lt. Col. Frederick D. Straka, Tim Studler, Justin Urban, Shawn Veach, Kevin Vizzari, David Weatherington, David Webb, and Alex Williams.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday	7:00	People of the Parish
	8:30	Ida & Vincent Cosenza
	10:00	Edward Steinmetz
	12:00	Mildred Kurek—1st. Anniv.
Monday	9:00	William Winkler
Tuesday	9:00	Ryan Lescher
Wednesday	6:30	Agatha Walsh
	9:00	Robert Kustra
	10:30	Robert Campbell
	12:05	Liturgy of the Word
	7:00	Rose & Frank Grill
Thursday	9:00	Rosina M. Roccamo
Friday	9:00	Geraldine Gonzales
Saturday	8:00	Gene & Mary Feeley
	5:15	Shiela Van - Lede
Sunday	7:00	Verginia & Sandy Dougerty
	8:30	People of the Parish
	10:00	Joseph Kent—3rd. Anniv.
	12:00	Catherine Dobren

Please pray for our Holy Father

POPE FRANCIS I

And his special intentions for the month of February:

Universal: That prisoners, especially the young, may be able to rebuild lives of dignity.

Evangelization: That married people who are separated may find welcome and support in the Christian community.

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

Margaret Allen	Brian Lowenthal
Ryan Benetz	John Marley
Bill Boiston	Oliver McCloud
Thomas Burns	Joan McGuigan
Barbara Buseman	Jeanette Menna
Mary Capozzi	Rita Miller
Jim Carroll, Jr.	Bill Moriarty
Peter Cosenza	Carl Neri
Sandy Craparo	John Neri
Lisa Haffner Desaurantes	Maria Palilonis
Tom Descano	Phil & Terry Petragrani
Eric Dial	John Piotrowski
Ed Duff	Richard Powers
James Faulkner	Ted Powers
Matthew Fortin	Judith L. Reingruber
Vicki Francis	Frederick Roberts
William Geese	Jim Shields
Raymond Haas	Andrew Shingleton
Jacqueline Hackman	Baby Brook Stecker
Jonathan Hackman	Julia Sykes
Paul Huhn	Joseph & Sanita Tettis
Richard Kehl	Jim Varian
Jim Keller	Erica Vile
Virginia Keller	Elizabeth Walker
Baby Danny Kenny	Christopher Whartenby
Margaret Komelasky	Nicole Williams
Robert Kraft	Gloria Wingel
Cindy Kuhn	Doug Yip
Helen Linski	

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

*John Keating
Michael Thorne*

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

*May the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God,
rest in peace. Amen*