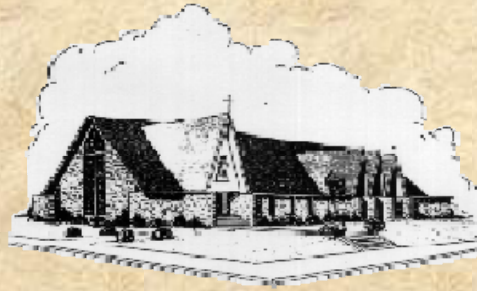


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February 16th/17th, 2013

First Sunday of Lent

OLGC Blood Drive Final Registration Weekend!

The next OLGC blood drive will be on **Monday Feb. 18th**. These are the final days to register. Thank you in advance for your support!



Mothers of Young Children

On **Tuesday, February 19th** the Mothers of Young Children group welcomes special guest Gloria Wingel. She will speak about the Consecration to Mary: Three Days to Morning Glory.



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, please call Ellen at: 215-357-0646.

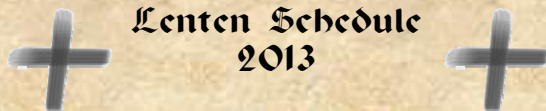
Knights of Columbus First and Second Degree

Men of OLGC parish, the awaited day is finally upon us! Induction into both first and second degrees of the Knights of Columbus will occur on Tuesday evening, February 26th in the Lower Church.

All men (including those who haven't filled out an application) are asked to report to the foyer of the upper church by 6:30 pm. You are asked to wear a jacket and tie. Once all of our new members are inducted, we will officially receive a charter for our own council from the supreme council.

Those knights who already have made their degrees are asked to attend as a sign of fraternity with our New brother knights. Vivat Jesus!

Lenten Schedule 2013



Daily Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday: 6:30, 9:00 and 12:05 PM
Saturday: 7:30 AM

Stations of the Cross

Fridays: 1:30PM & 7:00 PM

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil -- 5:15PM
Sunday -- 7:00AM, 8:30AM, 10:00AM (Upper and Lower Church), 12:00 Noon
Weekday -- 6:30AM & 9:00AM
Saturday -- 7:30AM

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 -- 9:30AM & 4:00PM (and by appointment)

Liturgy of the Hours - Monday - Friday following 6:30AM Mass; Saturday at 7:00AM

Adoration before the Most Blessed Sacrament -- Each Monday following the 9:00AM Mass, including a Holy Hour from 4:00PM to 5:00PM and concluding at 7:30PM with Miraculous Medal Novena and Benediction. Also, each First Friday after the 9:00AM Mass until 5:00PM.

Rosary -- Monday - Friday at 8:30AM & Saturday following the 7:30AM Mass

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

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 at 9:30 am and 4:00 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. 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.

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Trinity Center Office Hours

Monday thru Friday -- 9:00AM - 3:30PM

5:00PM - 8:00PM

Saturday -- 9:00AM - 5:00PM

Rectory Office Hours

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

Scrip Office Hours

Monday thru Friday-- 9:30 - 3:30AM

5:30PM - 7:30PM

Saturday -- 9:30AM - 3:30PM

OLGC Health & Wellness Ministry

UNDERSTANDING DIABETES

Join us to learn more about what diabetes is and how it is managed.

Tuesday, March 12
7:00 – 8:00 PM
Trinity Center

Please RSVP by calling 215-357-1300 Ext 273.

Speaker
Stacie Kisver, MPH, RD, CDE, LDN
Certified Diabetes Educator
Registered Dietitian



Help Catholic Social Services

NEEDED NOW: A three bedroom apartment or house in this general area for under \$1000.00 a month. If you know of any please call Sister Patricia Kelly, M.S.B.T in the Trinity Center's Catholic Social Services (CSS) office. 215-357-1300 ext. 160. If no answer, please speak slowly and leave a message.

You Are Invited!

Youth Ministry invites all Current 8TH GRADERS and all High School students to an open house game night!

When: February 24th, Sunday
Where: Lower Rectory
Time: 7-8:30pm
Pizza will be served!

Please bring a dessert and a friend!

Please return bottom portion to School, PREP, or Trinity Center. For more info, please contact Mrs. Francis at 215-357-1300x131

Yes, I will attend

NAME

No, I can't make it but would like to receive e-mail about future Youth Ministry events.

NAME

E-MAIL

First Sunday of Lent

"I set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign of the covenant between me and the earth." (*Genesis 9:13*)

Reflection

"The whole life of Christ was a cross and a martyrdom, and dost thou seek rest and joy? If thou carry the cross unwillingly, thou makest it a burden to thee. If thou fling away one cross, without doubt thou shalt find another, perhaps a heavier"
Thomas de Kempis -- Imitation of Christ

Lenten reflections from EWTN, www.ewtn.com.

OLGC PARISH MISSION

March 18, 19, & 20, 2013
7pm each night in the Upper Church

See TV star Frank Runyeon in his live, one-man performances, bringing Scripture to life!!

Monday, March 18th

***AFRAID!* THE GOSPEL OF MARK**

"Imagine...the floor under your feet is dirt...the only light is coming from candles...We're in the catacombs...underneath Rome."

Tuesday, March 19th

SERMON ON THE MOUNT

Runyeon sets the famous Sermon in a revealing new setting: as told by the apostle Matthew to the church in Antioch, shortly after the Roman army has burned Jerusalem to the ground...

followed by:

HOLLYWOOD VS. FAITH: THE OTHER 3 BEATITUDES

Using hilarious anecdotes from his years in Hollywood and his own family's life, Frank helps all ages to laugh at the way the media portray the world.

Wednesday, March 20th

CLOSING MASS



ManUpPhilly

Men's Spirituality Conference

On **Saturday, March 2nd**, Catholic men are invited to Archbishop Ryan High School for the 5th Annual ManUpPhilly Men's Spirituality Conference.

This year's speakers include Christopher West (author and teacher on Pope John Paul II's Theology of the Body), Jim Towey (President of Ave Maria University, personal attorney for Mother Teresa and Director of Faith-Based Initiatives for President George W. Bush), Richard Lane (foremost Catholic evangelist), and Don Saleski (former right-winger for the Philadelphia Flyers). Archbishop Chaput will be the celebrant and homilist for the concluding Mass.

For information or to sign up, visit the website at www.manupphilly.com

Our Church is a building
Our Parish is its people

Come join us on **Sunday, March 3rd**

At the Trinity Center
After the 10:00 am Mass
For coffee and refreshments

Let us be Irish friends that day

NATIONAL CATHOLIC BIBLE CONFERENCE

JUNE 21-22

National Shrine of
Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown

Learn from Catholic Bible study experts how to read Scripture & apply its wisdom to your daily life. Last year this outstanding conference was sold out with over 1000 attending.

For more information go to the website at <http://catholicbiblestudy.com> or call 1-888-842-2853. Register early for a discount and the parish with the most attending will be given a free seminar!

Timeline for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Penance

The Sacrament of First Penance and Reconciliation will be celebrated for the following classes:

Thursday, March 14th at 7:00 PM – Mrs. Flanagan’s, Mrs. Crosley’s and Mrs. Sholette’s class
Thursday, March 21st at 7:00 PM - Mrs. Carson’s, Mrs. Dufner’s and Mrs. Hines’ class

Timeline for the Sacrament of Confirmation

Retreat for Candidates	Friday, February 22nd	9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
	Location: Mother Katherine Drexel Shrine	
Practice for ALL Sponsors & Confirmandi	Monday, March 25th	5:30 PM to 6:30 PM
Confirmandi gather in Lower Church; Sponsors gather in Upper Church		
Sacrament of Confirmation administered by Bishop Joseph Martino	Tuesday, April 2nd	4:00 PM
	Upper Church	

Confirmandi MUST BE IN LOWER CHURCH BY **3:15pm** on Confirmation Day!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION TIMELINE

First Holy Communion Retreat	Thursday, March 7th
Children are to be dropped off and picked up in the school gym	4:00 PM* – 5:30 PM School Gym

Practice for First Holy Communion <u>For 9:30am Mass group</u>	Thursday, April 4th <u>4:00PM* to 5:30PM</u>
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Practice for First Holy Communion <u>For 11:30pm Mass group</u>	Thursday April 11th <u>4:00PM* to 5:30PM</u>
<i>Children are to gather in Lower Church and are to be picked up from Upper Church</i>	

*School candidates will remain after school with teachers (please send in a snack)

CELEBRATION OF THE RECEPTION OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ON SATURDAY, APRIL 13th

9:30 AM - Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Killoran, Mrs. Yerkes
 11:30 PM – Mrs. Francis, Mrs. Howard, Mr. Szwedo

If your assigned time presents a conflict, the Office of Religious Education must be notified to make a date change. Please note that there is a limit of 80 children per Mass in order that each family may have a half pew for their guests. ***No changes will be made after February 20th.***

OLGC Senior Club Trips

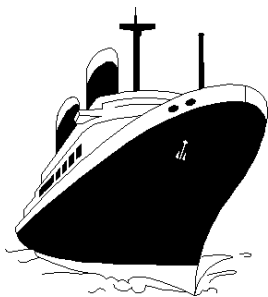
Villa Roma—Spend 4 nights in the Catskills in the beautiful refurbished Villa. Trip includes 4 full breakfasts, 4 deluxe dinners and 3 light lunches. Spend your days with a complete schedule of day-time activities and nightly entertainment. Cost is \$415 per person, double occupancy, \$515 for a single. Cost includes motorcoach round trip, meals and gratuities. There are openings on this trip—Feb. 25th to March 1st. Full payment due at sign up. Call for reservation form.

Andy Cooney & the Irish Dance Stars at Caesars—Tuesday, March 5th—Departs 9:30 AM—\$46 pp includes transportation, \$20 slot play and show. Sign up soon as this trip is filling up quickly. **Final payment is due January 25th.**

“Broadway Now & Forever” at American Music Theater in Lancaster—Tuesday, April 23rd—Departs 10:00 AM—Returns 7:00 PM—\$77 pp includes transportation, deluxe luncheon at Eden Resort and a great show. We are over half full at this time. **Full payment due Mar 20th.**

Bermuda Cruise—on the brand new Norwegian Breakaway—Sept. 8th to 15th, 2013—includes round trip to New York. Port of Call is King’s Wharf, Bermuda. Outside cabin w/balcony \$1620 per person, inside \$1270 per person, single \$1570 (very limited). Enjoy this luxurious ship with 17 restaurants, 12 bars and lounges, Las Vegas shows and more. We have blocked a limited number of cabins, so call for a color brochure. Be among the first to enjoy this beautiful ship

For info and reservations, please call Ronnie at 215-357-8596 or sign up at our meetings on the 2nd and 4th Friday of the month. Membership in our club is not required to join us on these trips.



St Francis Seniors

Those who are 55 and older are invited to attend our club meetings and possibly join our club. Listed are our coming events for the first half of 2013. Some of these events may interest you. We meet on the first and third Fridays of the month at the Trinity Center from 10:30AM to 12:30 PM.

Feb. 15th	Bingo
Mar. 1st	Craven Hall Speaker
Mar. 15th	Rince Ri Irish Dancers— OLGC Students
Apr. 5th	Hoagie Day
Apr. 19th	Audubon Society Speaker
May 3rd	Communion Breakfast
May 17th	Consumer Protection Speaker
Jun 7th	Bingo
Jun 21st	Spring Luncheon

For additional information on our group or the events, please contact Ann White at 215-357-0921.

St. Patrick's Day Parade

The 2013 St. Patrick's Day Parade will take place on **Sunday, March 10th**. The Parade begins with Mass celebrated by Archbishop Charles J. Chaput at St. Patrick Church (20th and Locust Street in Philadelphia). Mass begins at 9:30 AM and the parade begins at 12:00 Noon.

This year's theme is "The Irish Memorial: A Decade of Remembrance". The St. Patrick's Day Parade is the oldest parade in Philadelphia and is the perfect way to celebrate the Year of Faith—by honoring the memory of the Apostle to Ireland, Saint Patrick.

Parish Meetings

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 18th.**

Outreach Ministry - Meetings are held on the fourth Monday each month, at 7PM in the Trinity Center. **Our next meeting will be on Feb. 25th.**

St. Joseph the Worker Job Club - meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month 9:00AM in the Trinity Center. **The next meeting will be on Feb. 25th.** For info, please call 215-357-1300, Ext. 176.

Third Order Carmelites—meet on the third Saturday each month from 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM in the lower Rectory for ongoing formation. For information call 215-639-7050. **The next meeting will be on March 16th.**

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 19th.**

St. Francis Senior Club - Meets on the first and third Friday of the month at 10:00 AM in the Trinity Center. **The next meeting will be on Mar 1st.**

OLGC Senior Club - Meets on the second and fourth Fridays each month at 10AM in the Trinity Center. **The next meeting will be on February 22nd.**

Respect Life - meets in the Respect Life Room of the Trinity Center at 9:30AM. **Upcoming meetings will be announced shortly.**

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. **Our next meeting will be on February 28th.**

Boy Scout Troop 144 - Boys in 5th to 12th grade, meet on Mondays from 7:00–8:30PM at the OLGC School Gym. For info contact Gus Fiocca at 215-901-4472.

Men of OLGC - Meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30 PM in the Trinity Center. **The next meeting will be on February 21st.**

YEAR OF PRIZES WINNERS 2013

2/5	\$50	287	No Winner
2/6	\$50	807	No Winner
2/7	\$50	367	No Winner
2/8	\$50	901	No Winner
2/9	\$50	434	No Winner
2/10	\$50	991	No Winner
2/11	\$50	458	No Winner

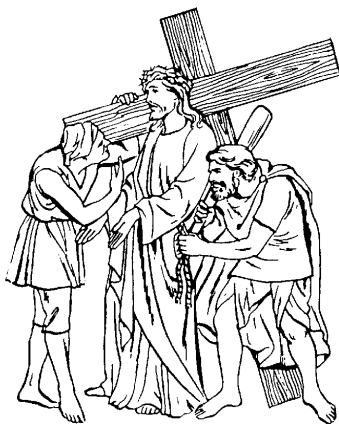
PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

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

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

*Mass Intentions
for the Week*

Sunday	7:00	Gerald J. Carty
	8:30	Elizabeth Ehlers
	10:00up	Paulie Busillo
	10:00dn	Nick Torano
	12:00	Tom Scanlan
Monday	6:30	Mary Ann Mannino
	9:00	Bob Kustra
	12:05	Dr. Edward Filmyer, Jr.
Tuesday	6:30	Anne Pucci
	9:00	Abigail O'Beirne
	12:05	Jeffrey Scott Gaddis
Wednesday	6:30	Eleanor Koniecki
	9:00	John McKee, Sr.—1st. Anniv.
	12:00	Geraldine Marie Gonzales
Thursday	6:30	Anthony Stanfa
	9:00	Rose Marie Miksis
	12:05	Anna & William Dwyer
Friday	6:30	Archbishop Charles Chaput— Living Intention
	9:00	Joseph Lawlor—1st. Anniv.
	12:05	Rose Marie Miksis
Saturday	7:30	Helen Kownacki
	5:15	Bob, Dan & Greg Devine
Sunday	7:00	Agnes & Patrick McDermott
	8:30	Nick Torano
	10:00up	Catherine Dobren
	10:00dn	Peggy Weitzel
	12:00	Margaret Genz



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

Margaret Allen	Colleen McCloskey
Alda Atkinson	Baby Oliver McCloud
Young Jacob Brady	Salena McHugh
Binn Butler	Young Ashley Meall
Robert Carchidi	Christina Medici
Bea Christian	Mary Morrison
Baby Bailey Claypoole	John Neri
Denise Dachling	John Newnam
Msgr. Anthony D'Angelico	Howard Peak
Eric Dial	Anna Peglow
Joseph Dougherty	Alethea Pickett
Baby Dylan Fairfield	Agnes Poplaski
Baby Breck Fluehr	Baby Paige Randel
Young Luke Fochtman	Young Steven Reeder
Colleen Gallagher	Kristen Reut & child
Baby Amalia Gambone	Rose Roccamo
Kevin Garrity	Virginia Santalucia
Vince Gonzales, Sr.	Baby Alexander Scheckler
Baby Malaina Gross	Baby Holden Scheckler
Robert Grover	Baby Ryan Anthony Shady
Lillian Haas	Bill Shaeffer
Raymond Haas	Andrew Shingleton
Ed Hewitt	Julia Sykes
Jeff Hewitt	Rocco Torsitano
Richard Kehl	Jake Trainor
Virginia Keller	Richard Trub
James Kilgallon	Baby Clementine Vander Neut
Margaret Komelasky	Ron Viarengo
Elzbieta Kusinska	Elizabeth Walker
Alan Layport	Gary Ward
Ryan Patrick Lembo	Nicole Williams
David Lenox	Baby Shane Daniel Williams
Eileen Lenox	Baby Madison Woltemate
John Marley	Kathrin Zastewny
Jack Marynowitz	

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



**Remember
Those who
Have Died**

Dolly Moore

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

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

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