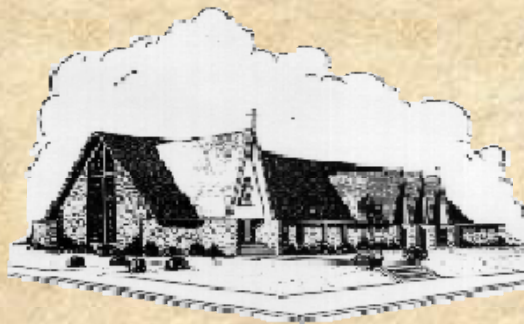


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January 24th/25th, 2015

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Catholic Schools' Week 2015 *Communities of Faith, Knowledge, and Service*



Sunday, January 25, 2015

Pre-K and Kindergarten Open House
immediately following 10am Mass until 1pm

Monday, January 26, 2015

Opening Mass - 10 am

Tuesday, January 27, 2015

Student Appreciation Day / Dress Down Day
Bingo & Walnut Street Theater Performance

Wednesday, January 28, 2015

Open House for Current Families 9:30-11 am
Open House for Prospective Families 1:30-2:30 pm

Thursday, January 29, 2015

Volunteer Tea - 10am

Friday, January 30, 2015

Professional Development Day—No School

Saturday, January 31, 2015

Performing Arts Club (PAC) Be Awesome - 7pm
Monsignor Anthony D'Angelico Cultural Center

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

After the devastating flood that Noah and his family experienced, God established a covenant with them, promising never again to let such harm come to them. He promised to watch over them and take care of them through his Providence. The sign of this covenant was the rainbow that appeared in the sky above them. God is now again asking you to be a sign of this covenant and providence to his priests who have faithfully served you and your families in the past.

Our priests have cared for you spiritually, and many times physically and emotionally, through their ministries in parishes, schools, hospitals and many other areas of your lives. Many of them have gone to their reward with God, but there are still many more who need your help. They are in retirement or are unable to minister actively because of physical ailments. Villa St. Joseph in Darby, PA and Regina Coeli in Warminster, PA provide happy homes for all our retired priests. Other nursing facilities throughout the Archdiocese provide for those with special needs. At this time in their lives they depend on your prayerful and financial support to meet their needs.

Our annual 2015 **Collection for the Care of Aging and Infirm Priests** of the Archdiocese will be taken up on the weekend of **February 21 and 22, 2015**, throughout the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. You have always been so faithful and generous to them in the past and we are deeply grateful to you. Through your love and gratitude, God will continue to watch over them and care for them for their remaining days. You are in their daily Mass intentions and prayers, and we ask you to remember them in yours.

Gratefully and with best wishes in Christ,

+Most Reverend Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M. Cap.
Archbishop of Philadelphia

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 -- 8:30AM & 4:00PM

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.

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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 at 8:30 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. 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

Prayer is Powerful

So many lives have been touched by the dedication and love of Vicki Francis. Now, it is our time to do the same.

Join us any Monday evening at 6:00 p.m. in the Church to pray the Rosary on Vicki's behalf. If you cannot make it, please continue to keep her and her family in your prayers.

Rite of Christian Initiation

The next RCIA meeting will be on **Wednesday, January 28th** at 6:30 PM in the Trinity Center. The topic will be Holy Orders & Matrimony.



Please contact RCIA Coordinator Gloria Wingel via the parish office at (215) 357-1300 for further information.

Light Weigh One King



Would you like to eat your favorite foods while you learn how to lose weight?

Light Weigh One King is a Bible study-DVD series without weigh ins that gets you healthy spiritually and physically.

Our members are experiencing wonderful results and our faith lives are growing! We meet on Tuesdays from 3:30 to 5:00 PM in the Trinity Center. A new session will start with an orientation meeting on **Tuesday, January 27th** in the Fitzgerald Room of the Trinity Center. Also, St. Cyril of Jerusalem Parish will be starting a Saturday morning session.

For more information, please call Mary O'Driscoll at 215-357-6554.

Archdiocese of Philadelphia Television Mass



**Watch the Television Mass Sunday mornings at
5:30 a.m.
WPVI-TV – Channel 6**

It will be rebroadcast each Sunday at the following times:
9:00 a.m. DT-2 Channel 6 digital
10:00 a.m. La Salle University 56
5:00 p.m. DT-2 Channel 6 digital

The Archdiocese thanks Channel 6 for its generosity in broadcasting the Television Mass.

The WPVI Televised Mass on WATCH ABC

**WPVI-TV – Channel 6 now offers
WATCH ABC**

a special new benefit brought to you by 6ABC and participating providers at no additional cost. Just enter your TV Provider account information to log in and get the **WATCH ABC Live Stream of the Mass!**

LISTEN TO ARCHBISHOP CHAPUT'S SUNDAY HOMILIES ONLINE

Listen to **Archbishop Chaput's** Sunday homilies anytime at <http://archphila.org/archbishop-chaput/homilies/index.htm>

The Archbishop's homilies are also available as Podcasts on iTunes.



Invitation to Retreat Weekend at Malvern

All men of the Parish of Our Lady of Good Counsel are invited to Attend the “Holy Spirit” retreat weekend with Members of the Knights of Columbus OLGC Council, other men of the Parish in addition to men from all over the local area at the Malvern Retreat House at St. Joseph in the Hills, in Malvern PA.

The retreat begins on **Friday, January 30th** in the evening with registration and dinner and ends with Sunday Mass concluding at noon, on Sunday February 1. We encourage you to deepen your faith by spending quality contemplative time with retreat leaders, your fellow attendees, Priests from the area and in private adoration with Jesus, our Lord and Savior, in exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

All men are welcome to the retreat and may complete a registration form on line at www.malvernretreat.com. The cost of the retreat is on a donation basis. No man is turned away for the inability to donate. If you should have any questions feel free to contact Jerry Tadley at tadleyg@einstein.edu, Ken Gioffre at ManMgt@aol.com or John Lyskey at jgmlynskey@verizon.net.

World Meeting of Families 2015 Save the Date!

Our Holy Father, Pope Francis is coming to Philadelphia!!

Join us for a once in a lifetime event at the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia on **September 22-27, 2015.**

The Papal Mass will take place on Sunday, September 27, 2015. The theme is “Love Is Our Mission: The Family Fully Alive.”

Families from around the world will come together for prayer, speakers (including Fr. Robert Barron of the *Catholicism* series, and His Eminence, Sean Patrick O’Malley, O.F.M., Cap., Archbishop of Boston), and activities for all ages. All are welcome!

Visit the official World Meeting of Families website at: www.WorldMeeting2015.org to learn more and to sign up for regular updates on how you can participate.



Many Thanks for Your Generosity to the Giving Tree

From Majestic Oaks

To Our Friends at OLGC,

Thank you once again for sharing your love with our residents at Majestic Oaks. The Christmas gifts were beautiful and such a treat for so many residents here.

Thank you for your generosity once again.

Residents of Majestic Oaks

From Memory Care at the Park

To the Parish of Our Lady of Good Counsel,

I wanted to say a great big “Thank You” for the gifts for our residents. They were so happy, surprised and thankful. We were all blessed by OLGC’s generosity. Please express our gratitude to everyone involved in making the lives of our residents happier.

Residents & Staff of
Memory Care at the Park

From Face To Face

Face to Face would like to thank the many families and individuals who kindly donated to us through your Giving Tree Program this Christmas season. The overwhelming amount of gloves, hats, personal products and other supplies we were able to distribute these past few weeks have brought the gifts of comfort and warmth to many in our Germantown community. We, and those we serve, deeply appreciate your generosity.

SAT, JAN 31

7:00PM

*Join us for an evening of
Music & Dance
through the Decades!*



ADMISSION AT THE DOOR: \$10 ADULT/\$5 STUDENT • COFFEE, TEA & YUMMY BAKED GOODS

PREP NEWS

The first semester of the 2014-2015 PREP school year was filled with activity.

September - The year opened on Sunday, **September 21**, 2014 with the celebration of Catechetical Sunday. Catechists received a special blessing at Mass to begin the teaching year, and had fellowship following the 10:00am Mass while enjoying a delightful brunch provided by OLGC Knights of Columbus.

October - On **October 15**, the 5th grade received Bibles as they begin preparation for the sacrament of Confirmation. Also on **October 15**, the 4th grade participated in a prayer service at which they received the Brown Scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Father Patrick Brady spoke to the parents of all 2nd, 3rd and 5th grade sacrament parents on **October 22**. Father's message stressed the importance of the family continuing to grow together in their faith journey as the students prepare for the sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation, and was delivered to a filled Church. On **October 29**, a Marion Prayer service was held, at which a decade of the rosary was recited by the entire PREP assembly.

November - **November 5** brought the 4th grade together for a Beatitude reflection, led by Mrs. Linda Gioffre.

December - On **December 3**, our middle school-aged students, the 6th, 7th and 8th grade, held an Advent Prayer Service. **December 17** was the date for the Christmas Prayer Service. During this prayer service, with the entire PREP assembly in attendance, the 5th grade students enacted the Gospel, the story of the Birth of our Lord Jesus. The 5th grade was assisted in this beautiful enactment by the 1st grade "angels"!

January - Upon return from our Christmas break, on **January 7, 2015**, a Family Mass was held at each PREP session. Many of our parents joined us at Mass, and then came to our classrooms for a special lesson to prepare for the World Meeting of Families in September, 2015. On **January 10, 2015**, the Archdiocese of Philadelphia held a Mass for Religious Education, recognizing catechists with anniversary years of service. Our Lady of Good Counsel PREP this school year recognizes five catechists with landmark years of service. They are: VICKI FRANCIS, 25 years; PAM HOWARD, 25 years; PEGGY GROSS, 5 years; ISABEL JOHNSTON, 5 years; LYNNE LUCOT, 5 years. We congratulate these catechists, and express our gratitude for their dedication, as well as the dedication of all our volunteers in OLGC PREP. The 6th, 7th & 8th grades will attend a Holy Hour for Vocations in Church on **January 28, 2015**, which will include a prayer service and Benediction.

Pope Francis on Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

“Let us ask ourselves this evening, adoring the Christ truly present in the Eucharist: do I let myself be transformed by Him? Do I let the Lord who gives Himself to me, guide me to come out more and more from my little fence, to get out and be not afraid to give, to share, to love Him and others? Discipleship, communion and sharing. Let us pray that participation in the Eucharist move us always to follow the Lord every day, to be instruments of communion, to share with Him and with our neighbor who we are. Then our lives will be truly fruitful. Amen.”

OLGC has Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Monday following the 9:00 A.M. Mass until 7:00 P.M. You are invited to spend time with Jesus.

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

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 olg_kofc@comcast.net. Also visit www.olgckofc.org and [facebook.com/olgckofc](https://www.facebook.com/olgckofc). **Our next meeting will be held on January 26th.**

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 February 10th at 7:00 PM .**

Outreach Ministry - Meetings are held on the fourth Monday each month, at 7PM in the Trinity Center. **The next meeting will be held on January 26th.**

Third Order Carmelites—meet on the third Saturday each month from September 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 6th.**

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 13th.**

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, Parents also Welcomed, 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.

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	Dorothy & Edward Kamm & Family
	8:30	Rita Eddis MacDonald
	10:00	People of the Parish
	12:00	Dominica B. Fontanos— 2nd Anniv.
Monday	9:00	Poli Family & Wingel Family
	10:00	School Mass
Tuesday	9:00	Leslie Di Ienno
Wednesday	9:00	Henry Sien
Thursday	9:00	Diane Mellon
Friday	9:00	Kathleen & James Conklin
Saturday	8:00	Ed Rodler
	5:15	Saver & Gawronski Family
Sunday	7:00	Catherine & John Ott & Family
	8:30	Adele & Walter Szymczuk
	10:00	Carla Gill
	12:00	People of the Parish

Please pray for our Holy Father



POPE FRANCIS I

And his special intentions for the month of January:

Universal: That those from diverse religious traditions and all people of good will may work together for peace.

Evangelization: That in this year dedicated to consecrated life, religious men and women may rediscover the joy of following Christ and strive to serve the poor with zeal.



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

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

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



**Remember
Those who
Have Died**

Kevin McKeever

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*

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