

**NOVEMBER 2, 2008**  
**COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

**SERVICES and DEVOTIONS**  
**Week of November 2 – November 8, 2008**

<b>SUN</b>	<b>All Souls Day</b>	
	7:30 am	Mass (HT) For All Souls
	8:45 am	Mass (SH) For All Souls
	11:00 am	Mass (SH) For All Souls
<b>MON</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	
	8:00 am	Mass (HT)
<b>TUE</b>	<b>St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop</b>	
	8:00 am	Mass (HT)
<b>WED</b>	<b>No Mass</b>	
<b>THU</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	
	8:00 am	Mass (SH)
<b>FRI</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	
	8:00 am	Mass (SH)
	8:30 am - Noon	Eucharistic Adoration (SH)
<b>SAT</b>	<b>Weekday / Vigils</b>	
	8:00 am	Mass (SH)
	9:00 am	Mass (HT)
	3 - 4 pm	Eucharistic Adoration (HT)
	4:00 pm	Mass (HT)
	5:00 pm	Mass (SH)

**PARISH COMMUNITY**  
**Events & Meeting Schedule**

<b>Sunday, Nov. 2</b>	<b>PREP Bake Sale</b> After 8:45 & 11 am Masses
	<b>HT Ways and Means</b> <b>Basket Bingo</b> <b>SH Café</b> Tickets on Sale at Door
<b>Thursday, Nov. 6</b>	<b>WOHT Meeting</b> 7 pm <b>HT Auditorium</b>
<b>Saturday, Nov. 8</b>	<b>Blood Pressure Screening</b> <b>SHC Following 5 pm Mass</b>
<b>Sunday, Nov. 9</b>	<b>Inscription Mass for First Communicants at the</b> <b>8:45 Mass</b> <b>SHC</b>
	<b>Reconciliation Practice</b> <b>9:45 am</b>
<b>Monday, Nov. 10</b>	<b>Joint Parish Council Mtg.</b> <b>6:30 pm</b> <b>Rectory</b>
<b>Wednesday, Nov. 12</b>	<b>Pre-Jordan Baptism Prep</b> <b>6 pm</b> <b>Rectory</b> Please call to Pre-Register

**Ministry Schedule**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>
Saturday, November 1	4:00 p.m. (HT)	David Dunacusk Marie Adkins	Janice Kabatt	Helene Frigo; Adam Dunacusk; Andrew Dunacusk
	5:00 p.m. (SH)	Mike Paster	Mark Wisely	Brennigan Myers; DJ Robinson; Kara Ritchie
Sunday, November 2	7:30 a.m. (HT)	Diane Kochinsky	Susan Mostek	Hannah Power Paul Power
	8:45 a.m. (SH)	Frank Horne	Richard Kirkner	Matt Whitworth Colleen Dychdala
	11:00 a.m. (SH)	Pam Kolter	Steve Kolter	Christian Mirabile; Dominic Mirabile; Belin Mirabile



**Remember in Your Prayers**

**Our Sick**



Alicia Andrews  
Susan Beaver  
Alice Becker  
Beth Booth  
Anna Borysowski  
Victoria Burke  
Leroy Campbell  
Mary Cesanek  
Geronimo Rosado  
DeJesus  
Michael DiArcangelo

Sr. Emma  
Maria Foerster  
Gordon Gladden  
Dorothy Gudz  
Eleanor Fox  
Lawrence Hand  
Anne Havrilla  
Diane Heidel  
Pearl Hrivnak  
Joseph Kopistecki  
Mary Ann Kovach

Theresa Kraynak  
Mary Jane Kucharik  
Mary Lightcap  
Helen Manion  
Marie Marosek  
Scott Mazei  
Tom Mazei  
Margaret McKenna  
Rebecca Melvin  
Ron Motzer  
Karen Nesspor

John Pahowka, Sr.  
Veronica Place  
Xavier Ponzio  
Anne Pristash  
Philomena Raggazzino  
Henry Rodrique  
Blanche Saville  
Stella Sombers  
Matthew Spitz  
Joseph Stecz  
Fay Swanson

Eleanor Szymkiewicz  
Ethel Thomas  
Glenn Thomas  
Ann Trajcik  
Helen Twargoski  
Charles Whitworth

**Please call the Rectory when an individual's health improves and can be removed from the list.**            086121



**Call From Cardinal Rigali for a Period of Eucharistic Exposition for Our Country**

Cardinal Rigali has asked that every parish in the Archdiocese arrange for a period of Eucharistic Exposition during the weekend of November 1-2 to pray for our country in the days before the general election.

Holy Trinity Church will hold their usual Holy Hour prior to the Vigil Mass. It will start at 3 pm and conclude prior to the beginning of Mass.

Sacred Heart Church will hold a period of Eucharistic Exposition following the 8:45 am Mass on Sunday, November 2, concluding prior to the start of the 11 am Mass.

We encourage your attendance not only during these Holy Hours, but also ask you to come to Friday Adoration at Sacred Heart Church. It follows the 8 am Mass and concludes at noon. Please pray for yourself, your family, our parishes, and our country.

**Reminder: Free Blood Pressure Screening Saturday, November 8 After 5 pm Mass – SHC**

**Special Note Concerning Parking Saturday, November 8**

Church Street will be closed on Sat., November 8, from 12 noon to 4 pm for the "Housing Celebration" of new pieces of equipment at the Firehouse. There will be a parade, and fire companies from the area will be on site to participate in the activities of the day. Visitors and pieces of equipment will be using the Sacred Heart parking lot during the afternoon. Please be advised that Church Street is scheduled to reopen at 4 pm. Reminder: There is limited parking in the Sacred Heart School lot.

**NUNSENSE – IT'S HABIT FORMING**

Forge Theatre, 241 First Avenue, proudly presents the well-known musical, "Nonsense," under the musical direction of our Director of Music, Denise Wisneski (610-935-0563). Show dates are November 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, and December 4, 5, and 6. Cost is \$15 for adults and \$12 for youth under 18. For reservations, call 610-935-1920. Join the Little Sisters of Hoboken for an evening of fun and surprises. Featured in the cast is choir member, Christa Wisneski, as Sr. Mary Amnesia.

**Calling all "Uniformed" School Students!**

Denise Wisneski is looking for students, who wear school uniforms, to volunteer as ushers during the run of the Forge Theatre's musical, "Nonsense." Students are needed to hand out programs to the audience members, appearing to be students in the school where the nuns teach! For info: Call Denise at 610-935-0563.

**FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP**

**Prayerfully consider your Offertory Gift as your act of praise to God for all He has given you.**

**Holy Trinity – October 26, 2008**

Envelopes	169	\$ 2,415
Loose		476
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 2,891</b>
Fuel Offering		\$ 65
Building Maintenance		\$ 155

**Thank you for your generosity.**

**Sacred Heart – October 26, 2008**

Envelopes	201	\$ 3,038
Loose		422
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 3,460</b>
Fuel Offering		\$ 280
Building Maintenance		\$ 17

**Thank you for your generosity.**

**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION**

In the various types and duties of life, one and the same holiness is cultivated by all who are moved by the Spirit of God, and who obey the voice of the Father, worshipping God and Father in spirit and in truth. These souls follow the poor Christ, the humble and cross-bearing Christ, in order to be made worthy of being partakers in His glory. Every person should walk unhesitatingly according to his own personal gifts and duties in the path of a living faith which arouses hope and works through charity." (Lumen Gentium, 41)



**RESPECT FOR LIFE REFLECTION**

*"A new generation of Christians is being called to help build a world in which God's gift of life is welcomed, respected, and cherished—not rejected, feared as a threat and destroyed. A new age in which love is not greedy or self-seeking, but pure, faithful, and genuinely free, open to others, respectful of their dignity, seeking their good, radiating joy and beauty. A new age in which hope liberates us from shallowness, apathy, and self-absorption which deaden our souls and poison our relationships. ... The Lord is asking you to be prophets of this new age, messengers of his love, drawing people to the Father and building a future of hope for all humanity."*

*Pope Benedict XVI, Homily at World Youth Day, July 20, 2008*

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**

**SecureTechPC – PC & Networking Services**

Thank you for sponsoring an ad in our bulletin.

## **GOODBYE – and GOOD LUCK!**

With mixed emotions, we accepted the resignation of Diane Grande as parish secretary. We are sad to see her go, but happy for her as well. Diane will be taking a new position at Saint Pius X High School as a secretary in the President's Department. Godspeed, Diane, and the best of luck in your future endeavors.

Thank you for your wonderful four and a half years.  
Father Mike, Staff and Parishioners of SH and HT



### **P.R.E.P. ANNUAL BAKE SALE**

**Sunday, November 2**

**After 8:45 and 11 am Masses**

The PREP program will be holding their Annual Bake Sale on Sunday, November 2, after the 8:45 am and 11 am Masses. The Bake Sale will be held in front of Sacred Heart Church. All proceeds will go toward purchasing gifts for the homebound parishioners to be distributed when the students go Christmas caroling. Thank you for your support!

## **SACRED HEART**

### **Sanctuary Lamp Intention**

The lamp burns November 1 – November 7  
in loving memory of Jean Serpo.  
Requested by Helen Zelikovitz.

### **Blessed Mother Altar Flowers**

The flowers are placed in loving  
memory of Mary B. Devlin  
by the Pesta Family.

### **Sacred Heart Church Adoration**

**Fridays Following 8 am Mass – 12 Noon**

Please think about visiting Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament for half an hour or more. There are many causes to pray for and Jesus will bless you! **We hope you will join us!**

### **Sacred Heart Choir Rehearsals**

Sacred Heart Choir rehearses on Wednesday evenings at 7 pm in the church. Come join the choir! For more information, call Denise Wisneski at 610-935-0563.

### **2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL MOM'S HOUSE WINE TASTING**

**Friday, November 14, 2008**

**The Columbia Bar and Grill**

**Hosted by Fr. Steve Curry**

**Featuring four courses accompanied  
by international wines.**

**Tickets: \$75/person Call 610-935-7711**

Mom's House provides safe, secure, and totally free childcare to low-income single parents wishing to continue their education.

## **HOLY TRINITY**

### **Sanctuary Lamp Intention**

The lamp burns November 1 – November 7  
in loving memory of Mary Schwarz.  
Requested by Bobbi Les.

### **Blessed Mother Altar Flowers**

The flowers are placed in loving  
memory of Mary Schwarz  
by Aunt Bobbi Les.

### **REMINDER:**

### **ASSISTANCE FOR POLAND COLLECTION**

**Weekend November 1 and 2**

### **Envelopes Provided in Holy Trinity Mailings Only**

As stated in the Cardinal's letter in last week's bulletin, the Catholic League for Religious Assistance to Poland has assisted the Catholic Church in Poland since 1943. The dioceses in Poland depend on our generosity to cover educational expenses for selected priests. Your prayers and financial support are needed again. Thank you for whatever you are able to contribute.



### **HTC WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE BASKET BINGO**

Basket Bingo will be held this Sunday, Nov. 2, in Sacred Heart Cafeteria.  
**Doors open at Noon; games begin at 1 pm.**  
Tickets will be available at the door. Thank you for your support and good luck!

## **WOMEN OF HOLY TRINITY NEWS**

### **Holiday Special Raffle**

The WOHT have kicked off the sale of Holiday Special Raffle tickets and will be selling tickets after most Masses. Any questions, call Marie Adkins at 610-933-2235.

### **WOHT Meeting Information**

The next meeting of WOHT will be held on Thursday, November 6, at 7 pm in the school auditorium. Lou Amici will educate us on the Mummies String Band. All members of both parishes are welcome to attend. Christmas Party Reservations and payment will be taken at this meeting, also. Cost of this year's Christmas Party is \$15. The party will be held at the Kimberton Arts Building. Any questions, please call Helene Albright at 610-933-6735.

### **CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION**

Registration is open to all children (public, private, and parochial schools) from grades 4 – 8. We are asking that registrations be completed by Nov. 3. To register, go to [www.myholyschool.org](http://www.myholyschool.org). Contact person is Jeff Cieszkowski at [jciezkowski@verizon.net](mailto:jcieszkowski@verizon.net).

**2009 MASS, FLOWER, AND LAMP  
REMEMBRANCES**

**Books Open Thursday, November 13, 2008**

The process for Mass Remembrances will remain the same as 2008. To review:

- Each mass may have up to five persons remembered.
- No monies will be taken for the remembrances.
- No requests will be taken by phone.
- Shut-ins can mail their requests to the Rectory or send them with their Eucharistic Minister.
- Only five requests will be taken within a three-month span to start the year.
- Mass cards will be given for wakes and funerals.

There are several other ways in which you can remember a loved one. They are as follows:

- Entries in our Memorial Mass Book - \$25 each entry. Memorial Masses are held monthly.
- Weekly Sanctuary Lamp Remembrance - \$20 each entry. The lamp burns for one week in memory of your loved one, and the name is announced in our bulletin. Limit two per family to start the year.
- Blessed Mother Altar Flower Requests - \$45 each. Flowers are placed on the altar each week during Ordinary Time in the Liturgical Calendar, and the name is announced in our bulletin. Limit two per family to start the year.
- Daily Spiritual and Memorial Mass Enrollment to St. Charles Seminary. \$10 – 10 years; \$25 – 25 years; \$100 – Perpetual Enrollment.

**THANKS FROM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Dear Fr. Rzonca:

The people of Holy Trinity parish generously donated \$264, and the people of Sacred Heart parish generously donated \$149 for the Roses for Life drive conducted on Respect Life Saturday and Sunday.

The moneys will be spent on pro-life efforts such as contributing to the support of three crises pregnancy centers—Birthright in Pottstown and A Baby's Breath in Norristown and Colledgeville, and funding pro-life advertising on area billboards, as well as other pro-life activities. Everything collected is disbursed.

Please express our gratitude to your parishioners on behalf of all life.

Sincerely,  
Richard J. Daily, Pro Life Chairman

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**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK . . .**

Dear Friends in Christ:

*The St. Charles Seminary Annual Appeal* takes place in November. Your response to this appeal is essential to the future of the Church in our Archdiocese. I can assure you that today's seminarians are prepared to embrace a spirit of collaboration with the lay faithful, allowing them to appreciate the service and support offered by others. They are prepared to proclaim the Good News to all of God's people and in a special way to those who have wandered from the Catholic faith. The vast majority of these seminarians will become parish priests—serving your children and grandchildren by celebrating the Eucharist, baptizing children, hearing confessions, officiating at weddings, and providing the consolation and comfort of the sacraments of the sick and dying.

You can make a difference in the lives of these seminarians with your prayers, your encouragement, and your financial support. These investments provide us with the opportunity to educate, train, and prepare priests of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, as well as mission dioceses throughout the world. This appeal helps provide financial aid to all Philadelphia seminarians who might not be able to pursue their vocations otherwise. It helps fund new major programs at the undergraduate and graduate levels and provide the new technology that allows us to share our resources with priests and lay faithful around the Archdiocese, the state, the country, and the world. As an alumnus of St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, I can assure you that your continued support is greatly needed and appreciated.

Our seminarians are a tremendous blessing to our faith. Please keep them in your prayers and continue to pray for an increase in vocations. God Bless You.

Sincerely in Christ  
Fr. Mike

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Holy Family White Elephant Sale and Bazaar**

**Sat., Nov. 8 8 am – Noon Griffin Hall**

Enjoy browsing White Elephant, baked goods, handmade jewelry, custom greeting cards, & more.

**St. Mary's Church Annual Christmas Bazaar**

**Nov. 7 5 - 9 pm Nov. 8 9 am – 2 pm**

**Church Social Hall – Corner of South and Grant**

**St. Eleanor Church Bazaar and Craft Show**

**Nov. 8 8 am – 3 pm School Hall**

**Kitchen Opens at 8 am; Lunch served till 2 pm  
40 crafters, prize tables, 50/50, & Visit with Santa**

**Polkas Against Cancer Beef and Beer**

**Sat., Nov. 8 7 – 11 pm \$25 per person**

**Swedesburg Fire Company – Jefferson Street**

**Music: "Our Gang" Polka Band – No tix at door**

**Tickets: Call Kathy & Anthony at 610-539-3699**