

Welcome to the Catholic faith community of

SAINT RICHARD OF CHICHESTER

18th and Pollock Streets | Philadelphia, PA 19145

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Pastor Emeritus

Reverend Joseph J. Gallagher

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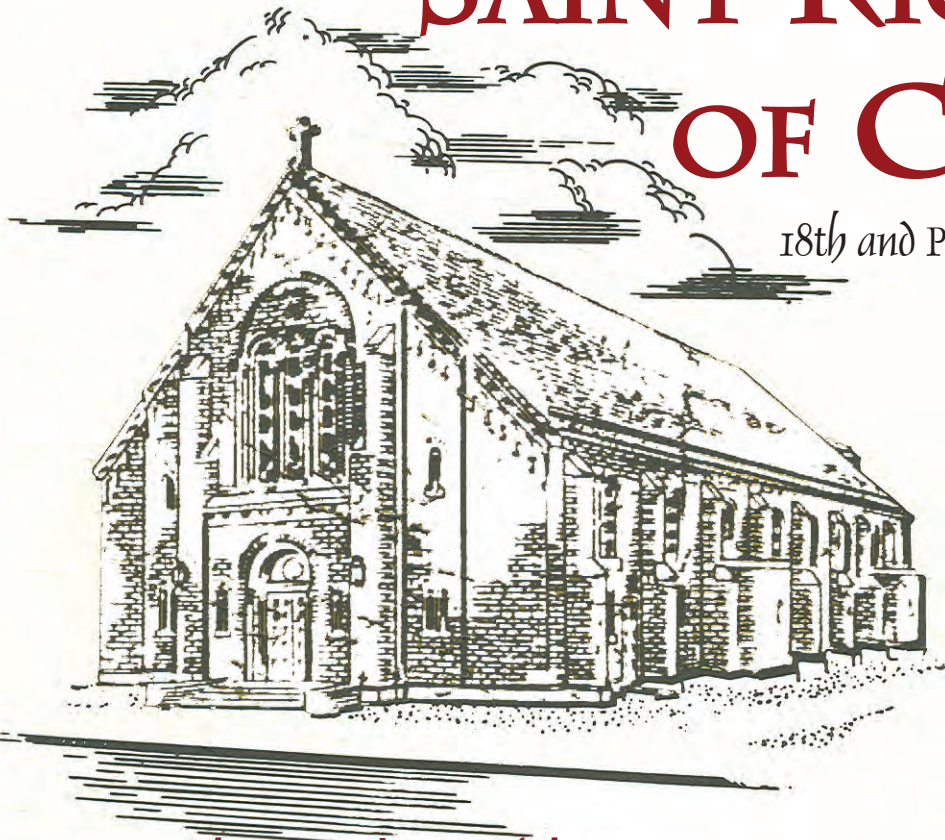
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Parish Registration

All Catholics living in the parish should register at the rectory as soon as possible after moving in.



Serving the Spiritual Needs of the Community Since 1924

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass:

5:30 am

Sunday Masses:

7:00, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 am

Holy Day Vigil Mass:

5:30 pm

Holy Day Masses:

7:00, 8:00 am, & 12:05, 7:00 pm

Daily Masses:

7:00 & 8:00 am Monday - Friday

8:00 pm Saturday

Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Before Masses on Sundays,

& Holy Days

Baptisms

Baptisms are celebrated every

Sunday @ 12:30 pm. Please

contact the rectory to make

arrangements for Baptism

Marriage

Couples planning a wedding should contact the rectory a minimum of six months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick

Arrangements can be made for anointings or communion to brought to the sick or dying by calling the rectory.

RCIA

The RCIA prepares adults and adolescents for baptism and full communion in the Church. Contact the Director of Faith Formation.

Exposition & Benediction

Church open daily 6:30 am - 6:00 pm

Exposition: Tuesdays 8 am - 7 pm

Benediction: Tuesdays 7 pm

**Mass Intentions
for the Week**
Fourth Sunday of Lent



PASTORAL SHARINGS

SUNDAY, MARCH 2

- 7:00 Living & Deceased of St. Richard Parish
- 8:30 Mary & Michael Monaghan by Monaghan Children
- 10:00 Frank Di Giacomo by Mama
- 11:30 Daniel T. Gibson by Mother & Nana

MONDAY, MARCH 3

- 7:00 Leonard A. Iocono by Iocono Family
- 8:00 Ambrogio & Edith Gioni by Ted Scairato & Family

TUESDAY, MARCH 4

- 7:00 Susan & Michael Matteo by The Martino Family
- 8:00 Mr. & Mrs. Charles Ciminera by Betty Lou & Edward Morris

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

- 7:00 Alma Cattalo by Thomas Sroka
- 8:00 Anselmo Spano by Wife & Children

THURSDAY, MARCH 6

- 7:00 Betty Martin by Stephen & Carol Martin & Children
- 8:00 Maria Luisa & Maria Consuelo Lindro by Sister & Nephew

FRIDAY, MARCH 7

- 7:00 Anna Lombardi by St. Richard Senior Citizens
- 8:00 Agostino Ierano by Wife Romana
- 10:00 Kathleen Bast by Her Mother

SATURDAY, MARCH 8

- 8:00 Agostino Ierano by Sister-in-Law Rose
- 5:30 Silvio Cocco by Wife & Children

SUNDAY, MARCH 9

- 7:00 Living & Deceased of St. Richard Parish
- 8:30 Elizabeth & Joseph Startare by Pam & Jim Startare
- 10:00 Margarita Sestini by Husband Frank
- 11:30 Pino Di Giacomo by Di Camillo Family

Our **SANCTUARY CANDLE** will be burning this week in memory of Mae Boyd requested by Mary Fortunato.



VOTIVE CANDLES

- In Loving Memory of the 96th Birthday of Elsie Hatton Love, Daughter Honey
- In Loving Memory of Theresa Whitcraft Love, Joe & Claire
- In Loving Memory of Theresa & Joseph Whitcraft Love, Rich & Donna
- In Loving Memory of Marguerite Keller Love, Tom & Marie Rawlings
- In Loving Memory of Marguerite Keller Love, Carol Anne & Chuck Pagliotti
- IMO the 63rd Anniversary of Joseph Ceraso requested by Daughter Rosalie & Thomas Mc Manus
- IMO the 63rd Anniversary of Joseph Ceraso requested by Son Joseph & Eileen Ceraso
- FGH of Herb Romans requested by His Family

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Congratulations to our 33 young parishioners who celebrated their first reconciliation (penance). At a special service with their parents, families, teachers, parishioners and friends the following boys and girls "Meet Jesus in a special way":

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| Lauren Angelina | Malorie Lazer |
| David Brown | Sophia Massi |
| Nicoletta Calabrese | Christina Mattioli |
| Joseph Capuano | Nicole Novelli |
| Dominique Cellini | Gabriella Piccone |
| Alexis Cimino | Victoria Pizzo |
| Christopher Conte | Alexander Podagrosi |
| Julia Delany | Jessica Rizio |
| Celia Gagliardi | Kevin Rogers |
| Julia Gillies | David Russo |
| Theresa Hamilton | Deanna Sansone |
| Jessica Hershman | Anthony Santosusso |
| Jessica Iannacone | Juliana Scafidi |
| Danielle Jarrell | Gianna Scalia |
| McKenzie Jarrell | Julia Sorenson |
| Lukas Kowalski | Jada Stella |
| Nicholas Vannicola | |

Thanks to all who made this a special time for these boys and girls.

Be assured of my prayers and I ask for a remembrance in yours.

Happy Lent
Father Kaufman



BEEF & BEER

Friends of Mary Mc Kinney will be sponsoring a Beef & Beer at Saint Richard's Hall 19th & Pollock Sts. On Saturday, March 29, 2008 7:30 PM – 11:30 PM, cost \$25.00 per ticket and must be 21 years or older. All proceeds will go to Mary who has Primary Peritoneal Cancer. For tickets or if you would like to make a donation please call, Angela at 215-783-7837, Maria at 215-601-3333 or Joanne at 215-336-2089. Thank you in advance for your support.

You are Invited—

Bicentennial Closing Mass

The entire Archdiocesan Family is invited to join Cardinal Justin Rigali in celebrating the close of our Bicentennial year at a special Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, April 13th at 4:00 PM at The Pavilion at Villanova University. All of the faithful of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia are invited to join with Cardinal Rigali in giving thanks to God for the blessings of the past and to recommit ourselves to the service of God and to the church. Please return this slip in the collection basket, rectory mail slot, or mail if you would like to attend. The parish will provide bus transportation. More information will be provided as it comes to me. I need your response as soon as possible.

Bicentennial Mass

NAME-----
 ADDRESS-----
 PHONE-----
 # OF SEATS-----



Friday Night at Citizens Bank Park

Saint Richard's CYO will be sponsoring a family night at "Citizens Bank Park" on Thursday, May 1, 2008 at 7:05 PM Philadelphia Phillies vs San Diego Padre's. Tickets are \$10.00 each and are limited, so reserve your tickets **NO LATER THAN March 25, 2008**. You can drop off your money and number of tickets needed at the Rectory mail slot or call Joanne at 215-336-2089. Don't miss out on a fun night at Citizens Bank Park.

LENT



In Loving Memory

ALTAR FUND

The following donations were made to Saint Richard Altar Fund.

IMO ALMA CATTALO

- \$ 50. by Theresa L. Quattrone
- \$ 30. by Lanciano Family
- \$ 25. by Marian & James Wolf
- \$ 25. by De Piano Family
- \$ 25. by Loreta & Carl Perthes
- \$ 25. by Joseph & Kathleen Weitort Family
- \$ 25. by Eddie & Jennifer Bonett
- \$ 25. by Mr. & Mrs. Wasekanes
- \$ 20. by Frank & Monica Braceland

IMO LUIGI SAMMARONE

- \$100. by Fernando D' Amico
- \$ 25. by Theresa & Armando Di Felicianonio
- \$ 10. by Eleanor/Lorraine Amato

\$ 25. IMO **Helen Papa** donated by Edith Porreca



**Society of St. Vincent de Paul
 Clothing Drive April, 2008**

Will be collecting donations of usable men's and women's clothing. We will also be accepting small household goods (bed and bath lines, pots & pans, cooking utensils, shoes and books). We also accept small appliances in good working order. **No baby equipment only clothing.** Individuals are invited to take all donations on Saturday, April 5th 2008 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM to our Truck located at the following location: **Saint Richard School there will be a St. Vincent de Paul truck outside the Main Entrance.**



PRAY FOR . . .

Let Us Pray for the Sick of the Parish

Baby Aiden, Emilio Baratta, Josephine Barone, Alessandra Bilotti, Honey Brady, Catherine Bragandi, Rachel Buck, Baby Eric Burgese, Madeline Cabano, Darlene Calvo, Maureen Campbell, Paul Campbell, Margaret Cuticchia, Matthew Degres, Nicholas Di Blasio, Rose Di Dio, John Di Nicola, Annette Gaudio, Kathleen Kerrigan, Marie Lambi, Bobbi Ann Lucarelli, Mary Mc Kinney, Teresa Morici, Josephine Morrow, Peggy Mulgrew, Robert Mulgrew, Anna Patrone, Jennifer Pesini, Baby Branden Picuri, Joseph Pizzo, Cass Powell, Pat Reico, Ruth Reilly, Carmen Ricchezza, Herbert Romans, David Russo, Frank Scena, Henry Schaeber, Barbara Wurst & Robert Wurst.