

Welcome to the Catholic faith community of

# SAINT RICHARD OF CHICHESTER

18th and Pollock Streets | Philadelphia, PA 19145

[www.strichardchurch.org](http://www.strichardchurch.org)

## **Pastor**

Reverend William C. Kaufman

## **Pastor Emeritus**

Reverend Joseph J. Gallagher

## **Weekend Ministry**

Reverend James P. Olson

## **Principal**

Mr. Stephen Hewitt

## **Pastoral Care**

Sister Muriel Kershaw, R.S.M.

## **Director of Faith Formation**

Mr. Dennis M. Mueller

## **Choir Director**

Mrs. Debra Scairato

## **Rectory**

3010 S. 18th Street

**Hours:** Monday - Friday 1:00 - 5:00 PM

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parish@strichardchurch.org

## **School**

19th & Pollock Streets

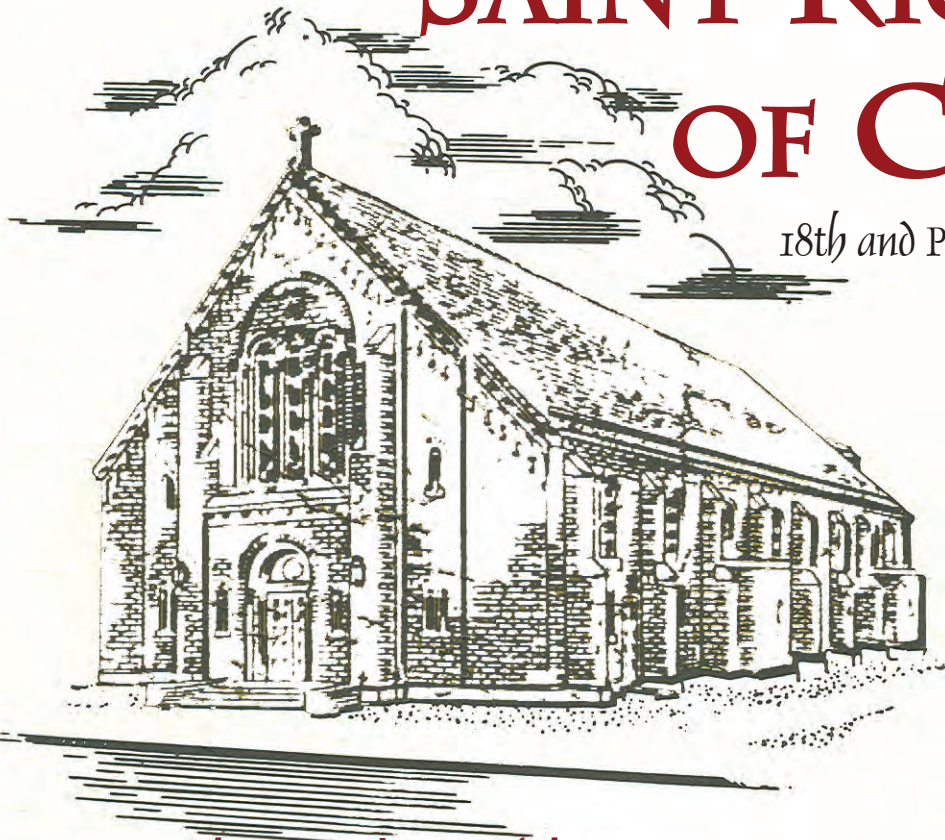
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## **Parish Registration**

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



### Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### SUNDAY, JULY 6

- 7:00 Living and Deceased of St. Richard Parish
- 8:30 Leo "Monk" Riley by His Mother
- 10:00 Carl Castellano by Mr. & Mrs. John Kearns
- 11:30 Jill Gervase by Nick & Peggy Mellace

#### MONDAY, JULY 7

- 7:00 Allison Deeney by Elizabeth & Bernard Tartaglia
- 8:00 Margarita Sestini by Husband Frank

#### TUESDAY, JULY 8

- 7:00 John Lazer by Wife & Family
- 8:00 Margaret M. Riesch by Husband

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 9

- 7:00 Frances Parisi by Mr. & Mrs. Mongello & Family
- 8:00 Marazzo Family by Rose & Joe

#### THURSDAY, JULY 10

- 7:00 Linda Santelli by Dora & Enrico Porchia
- 8:00 Bernard Muratore by Wife & Children

#### FRIDAY, JULY 11

- 7:00 Maria Berchick by Rita Di Sabatino
- 8:00 Maria & Lena D'Angelo by Children

#### SATURDAY, JULY 12

- 8:00 Frank Di Giacomo by Mama
- 5:30 Michael Genzano, III by Godson Vincent Saulino

#### SUNDAY, JULY 13

- 7:00 Margaret Timson by Her Sister Dorothy
- 8:30 Marie Cialone by Her Sister
- 10:00 Catherine & George Mc Clain by Kathy Mc Clain
- 11:30 Anthony Patitucci by The Devine Family

Our **SANCTUARY CANDLE** will be burning this week in memory of the Birthday of Bernard Muratore Love, Wife Rachel & Children.



### Let Us Pray for the Sick of the Parish

Baby Aiden, Emilio Baratta, Alessandra Bilotti, Honey Brady, Catherine Bragandi, Dolores Bressi, Rachel Buck, Madeline Cabano, Darlene Calvo, Maureen Campbell, Paul Campbell, Margaret Cuticchia, Matthew Degres, Nicholas Di Blasio, Rose Di Dio, Russell Gallo, Annette Gaudio, Margaret Juliano, Kathleen Kerrigan, Marie Lambi, Bobbi Ann Lucarelli, Mary Mc Kinney, Teresa Morici, Josephine Morrow, Peggy Mulgrew, Robert Mulgrew, Rachel Orzeck, Anna Patrone, Jennifer Pesini, Baby Branden Picuri, Joseph Pizzo, Cass Powell, Mildred Purcell, Ruth Reilly, Carmen Ricchezza, Keith Ross, David Russo, Diane Scena, Henry Schaeber, Arlene Williams, Barbara Wurst & Robert Wurst



Dear Sisters & Brothers,

Next weekend will be our parish participation in the annual Missionary Cooperation Appeal. The Diocese of **CALBAYOG**, in the Island of Samar, in the Philippines is the focus of our appeal.

We will welcome, Monsignor George Tomichek, P.A. who is the Mission procurator and Episcopal Vicar for Temporal and Financial Affairs for the Philippines.

Last week's bulletin had some profile information on the diocese of Calbayog. Here is some of the statistics that I have been sent to share with you. The diocese has an area of 5,609 square kilometers. The population is 676,770 people, of which 624,931 are Catholics. There are only 48 diocesan priests and 6 religious order priests to serve this large Catholic population. There are 27 parishes. Two years ago, in 2006, there were 18,070 baptisms of children. There were 1,919 marriages. There were 1,805 funerals.

Close to 4 in 10 people in the Philippines are poor, living below the poverty threshold.

I know you will be generous next week in our 2<sup>nd</sup> collection for this annual appeal.

As many take vacation away during July and August, I remind you to please remember the support of your parish. To all who do faithfully share their treasure with the parish, Thank you! Enjoy your time away!

Please get your **FOOTBALL MANIA** tickets as soon as possible. Tell your friends, neighbors, family members and co-workers. The \$20.00 ticket is good for the 17 weeks of the National Football League Season. Order forms are at all the entrances of the church. Tickets are sent out right away. It is a great fundraiser and last year a wonderful help to the parish.

Again, I thank **all** who made our Vacation Bible School the wonderful week that it was. The week ended with a prayerful and spirited gathering of all in our church. Without the adult volunteers and teenage helpers this Vacation Bible School could not take place. I am grateful to all.

Recently, our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI has designated June, 2008 – June, 2009, as the Year of Saint Paul. Pope Benedict stated "The Apostle of the Gentiles, who dedicated himself to the spreading of the good news to all peoples spent himself for the unity and harmony of all Christians. One way, as a parish, that we will mark the year of Saint Paul will be to have a monthly insert in our parish bulletin with a reflection on one of Saint Paul's letters.

Very often we have letters of Saint Paul as our Sunday reading, so this can help us in our understanding of God's Message.

We are in the process of gathering information on the graduates of Saint Richard School. Spread the word. There are forms at the doors of the Church. Pass them out to folks who may no longer live in this neighborhood. Return them by mail or collection basket or drop them off at the rectory. Thanks to those who have sent them back.

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

God bless you  
Father Kaufman



**The Annual Novena To St. Anne**

The parish of St. Anne, 2328 E. Lehigh Ave. (at Memphis St. and Lehigh Ave.), Philadelphia, PA 19125, will hold its annual novena in Honor of Good Saint Anne from July 18 to July 26, 2008. Novena services are at 3:00 in the afternoon and 7:00 in the evening. Deacon Jack Boyle will be the homilist. A solemn closing ceremony will take place on July 26, at 7:00 PM, the Feast Day of Saint Anne. It will be an evening of great solemnity. Hope to see you there and bring a friend. The church will be open all day on the Feast of Saint Anne for the veneration of the relic until 6:00 PM.

**Ordination to the Permanent Diaconate**

Baptized at Saint Richard's Catholic Church on March 25, 1956, Tony Geonnotti was born to Anthony Sr. and Victoria Geonnotti on February 27<sup>th</sup>. He attended Saint Richard's Catholic Elementary School and the first two years of High School at then Bishop John Neumann High School before graduation from the public school system. After entering the Air Force in 1974, God joined Tony with his wife RosaMaria (Rosie) Urias, from Casa Grande AZ, on April 16, 1976. After raising three girls and two boys, and being blessed with four grandchildren, God called Tony to the diaconate in 2004 in the Diocese of Tucson. Tony's passion is for Youth Ministry, in which he has been working since 1999, Tony was ordained to the permanent diaconate on May 31, 2008 at Saint Augustine's Cathedral, Tucson Arizona, by the Most Reverent Gerald Kicanas, Bishop of Tucson. According to Tony, his education at Saint Richards and Bishop Neumann greatly influenced his discernment in answering the call to the diaconate.



**VOTIVE CANDLES**

IMO Nancy Wilsman requested by Dorothy Romans

**Vigil For Life  
To Mark the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of  
Humanae Vitae**

Where: Planned Parenthood of S.E. Pa.  
12<sup>th</sup> & Locust Streets, Philadelphia  
When: Saturday, July 19<sup>th</sup> through Friday, July 25<sup>th</sup>  
Times: 9:00 AM to 9:PM each day  
(Vigil ends 5 PM on July 25<sup>th</sup> closing event that evening)

Our Parish, **St. Richard's** has committed to **Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup>**. Two volunteers are needed for each hour outside of Planned Parenthood. **Please call Linda Berry @215-389-5201 or sign up in back of the church.**

**SONS OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS**

**Celebrant – Father Joseph Genito Pastor**  
**Mass – Prayer – Confessions & Music**  
**MEN'S PRAYER GROUP**  
**TO HONOR OUR ETERNAL MOTHER**  
**July 10, 2008, 6:00 PM SHARP**  
**LOCATION: Saint Rita's Lower Church**  
**1166 South Broad Street**  
**(Between Federal & Ellsworth Street**  
**Philadelphia, PA 19146**  
**Contact: Peter J. Bilotti 215-336-1400**

**SMG by the SEA '08**

All class summer reunion, will be held on Saturday, July 19, 2008- 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM at Flip Flopz, Spruce and Old New Jersey Avenues in North Wildwood, NJ. **Tickets are \$25 in advance, \$30 at the door. Must be 21 to attend.** For more information and tickets call 215-465-8437, ext. 229.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Annual St. Monica All Years Reunion**  
**Blast at the Beach!**

Sunday, July 13, 2008 – 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM  
Keenan's  
113 Old New Jersey Ave. North Wildwood, NJ  
Tickets \$26.00 or \$30.00 at the door  
Make checks payable to St. Monica's  
Must be 21 to attend  
Ticket mail in order – Attention Sister Helen or:  
Pick up tickets at:  
St. Monica Rectory  
2422 S. 17<sup>th</sup> Street Phila., PA 19145  
215-334-4170  
or  
St. Monica Junior School  
1720 Ritner Street Phila., PA 19145  
215-467-0171

**ALTAR FUND**

**IMO STEVEN MONFREDA**

\$ 50.	by Gina Di Nardo
\$ 25.	by Margaret Pollina
\$ 25.	by Anthony/Adua Filippelo