

One Catholic Faith Community

We the parishioners of Sacred Heart and Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Churches, rooted in our Slovak and Polish heritage, led by the Spirit, commit ourselves to building our One Faith Community through worship, faith formation, service, stewardship, and interfaith activities.

Sacred Heart & Holy Trinity Parish Mission Statement

OCTOBER 31, 2010

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sacred Heart Church

148 Church Street, Phoenixville, PA

Holy Trinity Church

219 Dayton Street, Phoenixville, PA
Mailing Address: 148 Church Street

Staff

Rev. Michael W. Rzonca, Pastor
Sr. Louise Quinn, Director of Parish Services
Denise Wisneski, Director of Music
Kelly Hunt, Director of Religious Education
Stefanie Santella, Parish Bookkeeper
Cathy Varady, Parish Secretary
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Sacred Heart Mass Schedule

Sundays: 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. – Thursday & Friday
Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Vigil
Holydays: As announced

Confessions

Saturdays: 4:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Baptisms

Sundays: After the 11:00 a.m. Mass – By appointment

Marriages: Arrangements are to be made at least six months in advance of the wedding.

Pastoral Care of Sick and Shut-ins: Please notify the parish office for receiving the sacraments.

Bulletin Submission Deadline: Please submit announcements by Monday – 12 Noon to Rectory Office.
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Holy Trinity Mass Schedule

Sundays: 7:30 a.m.
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. – Monday & Tuesday
Saturdays: 4:00 p.m. Vigil
Holydays: As announced

Confessions

Saturdays: 3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Baptisms

Sundays: By appointment

OCTOBER 31, 2010
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SERVICES & DEVOTIONS
Week of October 31, 2010

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

10/30 3 - 4 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (HT)
 4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass (HT)
 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass (SH)
 10/31 7:30 a.m. Mass (HT)
 8:45 a.m. Mass (SH)
 11:00 a.m. Mass (SH)—*For Our People*

MON All Saints

11/1 7:00 a.m. Mass (HT)—*For Our People*
 8:00 a.m. Mass (SH)

TUE All Souls

11/2 7:00 a.m. Mass (HT) } *Deceased Members*
 8:00 a.m. Mass (SH) } *of our Parishes*

WED No Mass

11/3

THU St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

11/4 8:00 a.m. Mass (SH)

FRI Weekday

11/5 8:00 a.m. Mass (SH)

SAT Weekday; BVM

11/6 8:00 a.m. Mass (SH)
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
 3 - 4 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (HT)
 4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass (HT)—*Memorial Mass*
 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass (SH)—*Memorial Mass*

PARISH COMMUNITY—EVENTS & MTGS.

Sun., Oct. 31 P.R.E.P. Class
 9:45-10:50 a.m.

REMINDER

Daylight Saving Time Coming to an End! You will need to reset your clocks by moving them back one hour next **Sunday, November 7th**.

Sun., Nov. 7 Blessing of Cemeteries
 12:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart;
 followed by Holy Trinity

Parent Meeting for
 Confirmandi at 1 p.m.,
 SH Parish Hall

Mon., Nov. 8 Joint Parish Pastoral
 Council Meeting,
 6:30 p.m., SH Parish Hall

Tues., Nov. 9 WOHT Open Meeting,
 7 p.m., HT School

Wed., Nov. 10 Pre-Jordan, 6:00 p.m.
 Sacred Heart Rectory
(registration required)

PORNOGRAPHY AWARENESS WEEK

The week of October 31-November 7, 2010 has been designated as Pornography Awareness Week. Cardinal Rigali encourages us to join in a national initiative to raise awareness of the terrible evil of pornography that has become a plague in our society. We ask you to write to our government leaders seeking their support in crafting and enforcing state obscenity laws.

Date	Time	Altar Servers	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Lectors	Ushers
Saturday, Oct. 30	4:00 p.m. (HT)	The Mostek's	A. Caruso; D. Kochinsky	S. Mostek	M. Glowacki; T. Grejdus; Sr. Mary Teresa; E. Szymkiewicz
	5:00 p.m. (SH)	The Wisely's	C. Varady	R. Lessig	F. Horne; R. Mock; T. Moffa; J. Varady
Sunday, Oct. 31	7:30 a.m. (HT)	The Power's	J. Scaduto	Sr. Janeen	J. Shine; J. Tomcho
	8:45 a.m. (SH)	The Valko's; K. Schulze	W. McHale	M. Giovanni	D. Brunner; T. Pogash; J. Sparano; J. Szuchan
	11:00 a.m. (SH)	The Mirabile's; S. Rubert	M. D. Marsh	S. Kolter	B. Duckett; C. Luksic; M. Pufko; T. Sarnak
Monday Nov. 1	7:00 a.m. (HT)	—	TBD	TBD	—
	8:00 a.m. (SH)	—	R. Taylor	A. Lightman	—
Tuesday Nov. 2	7:00 a.m. (HT)	—	TBD	TBD	—
	8:00 a.m. (SH)	—	F. Horne	M. Paster	—



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

Stephen R. Labik, Sr.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS OUR SICK

Alicia Andrews, Joan Barkman, Susan Beaver, Anthony Bonanno, Beth Booth, Ashley Rose Bukay, Leroy Campbell, Marie Cook, Angeline Costello, William Cote, Michael DiArcangelo, Lida Dickinson, Linda Dipple, Maria Foerster, Elizabeth Geigus, Gordon Gladden, Eleanor Fox, Caroline Fusco, Lawrence Hand, Fran Havrilla, Tom Harper, John & Pearl Hrivnak, Michael J. Hudak, Rita Kamedrze-Hadden, Joseph Kopistecki, Theresa Kraynak, Mary Jane Kucharik, Marie Marosek, Scott Mazei, Tom Mazei, Loretta McCann, Rebecca Melvin, Barbara Mock, Ron Motzer, Fran Murray, Joanne Myers, Karen Nesspor, Anne Pristash, Caity Quinn, Christine Radoiss, Katherine Raggazino, Blanche Saville, Thaddeus Sierzega, James Smith, Eleanor Stecz, Eleanor Szymkiewicz, Cameron Taylor, Ethel Thomas, Glenn Thomas, Joseph Tomaselli, Helen Twargoski, Joe Vargo, Cass & Paul Wright, Mark Yanchek, Jr., and Helen Zelekovitz.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS MEMBERS OF OUR MILITARY

Zach Valko (U.S. Army in Ft. Riley, Kansas); Stephen W. Wasylkowski (U.S. Navy in California).



RESPECT FOR LIFE REFLECTION

Disposable Children?

"The so-called right to abortion has pitted mothers against their children and women against men. It has sown violence and discord at the heart of the most intimate human relationships . . . It has portrayed the greatest of gifts - a child - as a competitor, an intrusion, and an inconvenience. It has nominally accorded mothers unfettered dominion over the independent lives of their physically dependent sons and daughters . . . The right to life does not depend, and must not be declared to be contingent, on the pleasure of anyone else, not even a parent or a sovereign." – Mother Teresa 1994

HEED THE CALL

Have you ever thought about being a priest? Does the thought interest you? Visit: www.HeedTheCall.org.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

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

Holy Trinity – October 24, 2010

Sunday Envelopes	128	\$2,111.00
Loose		<u>538.00</u>
TOTAL		\$2,649.00

Mission Sunday		\$ 381.00
Fuel Offering		\$ 90.00

Thank you for your generosity.

Sacred Heart – October 24, 2010

Sunday Envelopes	217	\$3,254.00
Loose		<u>346.00</u>
TOTAL		\$3,600.00

Mission Sunday		\$1,155.00
Fuel Offering		\$ 85.00

Thank you for your generosity.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Thank you to all our parishioners who supported our Mission Sunday Collection. Your generosity will make a faith-filled difference around the world. What is provided to the Propagation of the Faith on World Mission Sunday is as critical to the missionary work of the Church as the weekly collection is to a U.S. parish. It's the basic lifeblood of some 1,150 mission dioceses. Please continue to pray for our missionaries throughout the world.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

The Holy Spirit freely gives each of us different gifts, and Jesus encounters us with the culture within which we live. Zacchaeus gives half his belongings to the poor and is promised salvation. Yet elsewhere, Jesus tells the rich young man that he must sell everything, and the great crowd that "none of you can be my disciple if he does not renounce all his possessions." Each of us has been uniquely gifted and we will have to account for our use of our gifts to spread God's kingdom within our American culture.

**A LETTER FROM CARDINAL RIGALI ON
THE ANNUAL SEMINARY APPEAL**



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The words of Jesus, given in the Gospel context where he identifies himself as the Good Shepherd, reveal his mission towards humanity: "I came that they may have life and have it more abundantly." Jesus extends in time this life-giving mission by the gift of the sacramental priesthood, where men are configured to the Good Shepherd.

Priests make Jesus present in the Eucharist, they bestow his power in word and sacrament, they proclaim his Kingdom, they impart life that does not end. Priests are sent forth so that people may have life and have it more abundantly.

The Seminary is the place where men are formed as priests to live the life-giving mission of Jesus. For this reason, the Seminary is essential in advancing the Gospel message and the vitality of the Church. We are blessed to have in our Archdiocese a Seminary which is well respected both nationally and internationally for its tradition of excellence in priestly formation. When our Holy Father Pope Benedict XVI greeted me shortly after his election, he specifically said, "You have a good seminary." He in fact had visited St. Charles Borromeo Seminary in 1990 as a Cardinal and experienced first hand our vibrant seminary community.

Largely due to your faithful support we have succeeded in maintaining the high-quality priestly formation in our Seminary that is recognized far and wide. I am so grateful for your past prayerful assistance and your ongoing generosity. I invite you once again to share the blessings that God has shared with you by a renewed commitment to our Seminary. Please make a meaningful financial gift to the **Seminary Appeal**, whatever your means permit, because there are few needs more important than supporting the formation of holy priests.

Thank you for your generous sacrifices which are often made in secret and certainly all the more significant in the current economy. Thank you for your fidelity to Jesus Christ and His Church. Thank you for supporting our seminarians.

Through the intercession of Mary, our Mother, and Saint Charles Borromeo may our Lord Jesus bless and keep you.

Sincerely in Christ,

+ *Justin Card. Rigali*

Cardinal Justin Rigali, Archbishop of Philadelphia

**A LETTER FROM CARDINAL RIGALI ON
HERITAGE OF FAITH~VISION OF HOPE**



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I am overjoyed to announce that **Heritage of Faith~Vision of Hope** has exceeded its original goal of \$200 million. Since the beginning of this extraordinary endeavor in September 2008, more than 45,000 families have made a pledge to this historic effort.

I am thankful to those who have contributed to the success of **Heritage of Faith~Vision of Hope**. Achieving this remarkable milestone was made possible by the extraordinary generosity and prayers of the Catholic community and the leadership and unwavering support of pastors and parishioners.

In the final months of this momentous program, it is my hope that every Catholic in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia will prayerfully consider a sacrificial pledge to **Heritage of Faith~Vision of Hope**. Our pastoral, educational and charitable needs are vast and your good faith intentions will positively impact future generations of Catholics.

On behalf of the people, parishes and programs that will benefit from your generosity and prayers, I extend my deepest gratitude.

Sincerely in Christ,

+ *Justin Card. Rigali*

Cardinal Justin Rigali, Archbishop of Philadelphia



Dear Parishioners of Sacred Heart and Holy Trinity,

*We appreciate everyone who contributed to the **Heritage of Faith~Vision of Hope** special Archdiocesan Appeal and who continues to send in their pledges during the next few years. As monies are collected by the Archdiocese from our parishioners, we will receive the promised percentage of funds, which are being used for the refurbishing of our churches.*

*With appreciation and God's blessings,
Father Mike*

P.R.E.P. CORNER



- P.R.E.P. Classes today, 9:45 – 10:50 a.m.
- P.R.E.P. is currently collecting donations for the Christmas Baskets to be raffled at the Breakfast with Santa. Donations can be dropped off at the school after the 8:45 a.m. Mass. The themes are (1) Movie Night and (2) Family Game Night. Thank you.
- Planning ahead:
The Meeting of Parents of Confirmandi will take place on Sunday, November 7, at 1 p.m. in the SH Parish Hall. At least one parent must attend. Students need not attend.

QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions concerning P.R.E.P., feel free to contact our Director of Religious Education, Kelly Hunt at 610-489-1123 or e-mail kellyahunt@yahoo.com.

CHILDREN'S NOOK

How well do you know your 10 Commandments? Fill in the blanks to complete God's first 3 rules to live by:

1. I, the _____, am your God. You shall have no other _____ besides me.
2. You shall not take the _____ of the Lord, your God, in _____.
3. Remember to keep _____ the _____ day.

U J R P N W M X U H
 G W L O R D Z S N R
 V I E X P T Q A I M
 A R I N Q F P B O K
 I S D H O L Y B L M
 N T Y U I O P A X G
 V B C N X M Z T U O
 R I F A L O N H V D
 Y B I W Z P M T B S
 G V U N A M E M L K

(See page 6 for answers)

OUR PARISH COMMUNITY *News*

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS

Sacred Heart Church

John & Julie Lisowski & Son Christopher

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED

Sacred Heart Church

Alexis Nicole Hudy

Daughter of Thomas & Michelle Hudy

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWLY MARRIED

Sacred Heart Church

John Termine & Christen Shea

CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILIES AND FRIENDS OF THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Sacred Heart Church

Stephen R. Labik, Sr.

NOVEMBER 1, 2010—ALL SAINTS DAY

Since the Solemnity of All Saints falls on a Monday this year, it is not observed as a Holy Day of Obligation. However, we encourage you to participate in our scheduled Masses: Holy Trinity—7:00 a.m.; Sacred Heart—8:00 a.m.

NOVEMBER 2, 2010—ALL SOULS DAY

7:00 a.m. Mass (HT); 8:00 a.m. Mass (SH)

All Souls Day envelopes were included with your October envelope mailing. Extra envelopes are available in the vestibules of each of our churches. They may be used to enter the names of loved ones that you wish to have remembered during masses during the month of November. Envelopes may be placed in the collection baskets at masses or brought to the rectory.

BLESSINGS OF CEMETERIES

The blessing of cemeteries will take place on Sunday, November 7, beginning at 12:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart and then moving to Holy Trinity. Each cemetery blessing will take approximately 10 minutes.

ADVENT BIBLE STUDY

What: The Little Rock Scripture Study of the Infancy Narratives of Jesus

When: 10:30 a.m. on Monday mornings in Advent—November 29, December 6, 13, and 20

Where: Sacred Heart Church Hall (beneath the church)

Cost: \$11 for commentary book and discussion questions

Other Materials: Your Bible
 Please register by November 1st by contacting Lauriel Wisely at 610-935-3087 or laurielwisely@yahoo.com.

HOLY TRINITY

**Blessed Mother Altar Flowers at
Holy Trinity**



The flowers are placed
In Loving Memory of
Mary (Mae) Lightcap – 1st Anniv.
Gone but not forgotten.

Requested by
Daughter, Cheryl Dungee

**WOMEN OF HOLY TRINITY OPEN MEETING
ON NOVEMBER 9**

The Women of Holy Trinity will have another open meeting on Tuesday, November 9, at 7 p.m.—a Tastefully Simple demonstration by Robin Cavallo. Please bring your friends, family and neighbors to this meeting as well and enjoy samplings from Tastefully Simple.

**WOMEN OF HOLY TRINITY
HOLIDAY RAFFLE**

The Women of Holy Trinity are now selling raffle tickets. Tickets are \$1 apiece. There are five prizes--\$250, \$100, \$50, \$50, and \$50. The drawing will be held on December 7, 2010. Tickets will be sold after Masses. If you can help sell tickets, or if you have any questions, please call Marie Adkins at 610-933-2235 or Karen Glahn at 610-935-0683. Proceeds from the raffle help fund club activities like Breakfast with Santa and the Easter Egg Hunt.

SACRED HEART

SACRED HEART YOUTH CHOIR



Plans are underway to establish a youth choir, which would sing in conjunction with our Adult Choir at Sacred Heart's Christmas Eve 7 p.m.

Mass. Children must be at least in Grade 4 and must be available for scheduled rehearsals. Rehearsals will be held on Wednesday evenings from 6:15-7:00 p.m., prior to the Adult Choir rehearsals. Those in High School are urged to join our Adult Choir. The rehearsal schedule is as follows: Nov. 3, 10, 17 and Dec. 1 from 6:15-7:00 p.m. Rehearsals on December 8 and 15 will be modified in order to combine with the Adult Choir. For further information, please contact Denise Wisneski at 610-935-0563 or email dwdoremi@gmail.com.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

*Dr. Leonardo Galletto
Orthodontics for Children & Adults*

Thank you for sponsoring an ad in our bulletin.

**Sanctuary Lamp Intention at
Sacred Heart**



The lamp burns October 30-November 5
In Loving Memory of
Mary E. Matonak
Requested by
Daughter, Ann Marie

**Blessed Mother Altar Flowers at
Sacred Heart**



The flowers are placed
In Loving Memory of
Mary E. Matonak
Requested by the
Valko Family

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AT SACRED
HEART CHURCH**

Fridays Following 8 a.m. Mass until 12 Noon

Jesus waits for you at Friday Adoration (after the 8 a.m. Mass until Noon). Plan to make a visit.

UPCOMING COMMUNITY *News*

H.O.P.E. CAPTAINS FOR NOVEMBER

H.O.P.E. volunteers are available to drive those in need to appointments or essential errands, Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-4 p.m. Please give 4 days notice in scheduling a ride with H.O.P.E.

1st Half of November—Ethel Jefferis-610-933-1307
2nd Half of November—Marie Reynolds-610-933-4078

KNIGHTS DINNER FOR CHARITY

Council 1374 currently supports two seminarians at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary. To help fund this worthy cause and our additional charitable endeavors, the Knights are sponsoring a *Dining at P.J. Ryans on any day from Sunday, November 7 thru Thursday, November 11 and P.J. Ryans will donate 20% of your food bill to the Knights of Columbus.* Simply mention that you are part of the Knights of Columbus promotional when paying your bill and they will calculate the amount of your check to earn some funds for charity. You may go for Buffet Brunch on Sunday from 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m. (Adults-\$11.95; Children \$5.97); enjoy lunch from 11:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and have Dinner from 4:30-10:00 p.m. Please invite your family members and friends to join you. Thank you.

2011 MASS, FLOWER, AND LAMP REMEMBRANCES
BOOKS OPEN THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2010

Mass Remembrances

The process for Mass Remembrances will remain the same as in 2010. To review:

- Each Mass may have up to five persons remembered.
- 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 available for wakes and funerals.

THERE ARE SEVERAL OTHER WAYS IN WHICH YOU CAN REMEMBER A LOVED ONE. THEY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Memorial Mass Book

- Entries in our Memorial Mass Book - \$25 each entry. Memorial Masses are held monthly.
- Memorial Mass cards available for wakes and funerals.

Sanctuary Lamp Remembrances

- Weekly Sanctuary Lamp Remembrance - \$20 each request. The lamp burns for one week (Saturday through Friday) in memory of your loved one, and the name is announced in our bulletin. Limit two per family to start the year.
- Sanctuary Lamp cards available for wakes and funerals.

Blessed Mother Altar Flower Requests

- Blessed Mother Altar Flower Requests - \$45 each request. 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.
- Blessed Mother Altar Flower cards available for wakes and funerals.

Enrollment to St. Charles Seminary

- Daily Spiritual and Memorial Mass Enrollment to St. Charles Seminary. \$10 – 10 years; \$25 – 25 years; \$100 – Perpetual Enrollment.

Answer Key—Children's Nook:

1. Lord/gods; 2. name/vain; 3. holy/Sabbath