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# Parish-to-Parish Weekly

A weekly publication of the Diocese of Pennsylvania's Communication Network. These brief "classifieds" are intended to keep the members of the diocese abreast of programs and activities in our parishes, share position openings throughout the diocese, and to let others know if we have excess good/items they might be able to use. As in many "Classified Ads", articles should not exceed 75 words in length (total, and no graphics) and may be submitted to J.D. Lafrance at Church House ([idlafrance@diopa.org](mailto:idlafrance@diopa.org)) no later than Wednesday morning each week for Thursday distribution via e-mail to the diocese. This document may be copied for distribution as desired.

**June 9, 2011**

**ACTIVITIES / PROGRAMS**

**Yoga: Tuesday Evenings, 6 pm. Tai Chi, Wednesday mornings 10 am. \$8.** Parking never a problem at **Gloria Dei (Old Swedes') Church**, Christian St. and Columbus Blvd. Philadelphia, PA 19147 | (215) 389-1513 [www.oldswedes.org](http://www.oldswedes.org)

**Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 7-9pm. Jazz and Joe with the Alan Segal Quartet. Church of the Holy Spirit, Harleysville, PA.** Free will offering.

**St. Andrew's -in-the-Field's Annual Strawberry Festival and Flea Market is June 11th** from 10 am to 3pm. Bring your friends and family. There will be strawberries galore! Strawberry shortcakes, chocolate covered strawberries, etc. Other food, books and a gourmet table. If you have any questions you can call the church at 215-673-5938. St. Andrew's is located: 500 Somerton Avenue, Phila., PA 19116

On **Saturday, June 11**, at 7:00 p.m. the documentary *Niger '66: A Peace Corps Diary* will be shown in St. Mary's Hall at **Christ Episcopal Church** (311 South Orange St., Media, PA). Admission is free. This documentary follows the work of a group of 65 idealistic Peace Corps volunteers headed for the heat-scorched desert of Niger in 1966. The documentary also explores the culture shock of re-entry into the U.S. in the turmoil of 1968.

The Youth Group of **Holy Comforter Church** will hold its annual **Yard Sale, Saturday, June 11** from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Bond Avenue and Burmont Road

in Drexel Hill. Household items, children's clothing and toys, books and furniture will be on sale. Customers will also be able to purchase baked goods, hot dogs, and soda. The proceeds from the sale will be used toward the Youth Group's mission trip.

**All Saints Episcopal Church, Rhawnhurst**, 1811 Loney Street, Philadelphia, PA 19111 will host **The Harmonie Singers Concert on June 12th** beginning at 4 p.m. Tickets are \$5 at the door. Come and enjoy some wonderful German and English singing. Any questions, please call 267-934-0110. Thank you.

**Trinity Church Oxford Celebrates 300 Years of Worship in Current Building.** This month, Trinity Church Oxford ([www.trinitychurchoxford.org](http://www.trinitychurchoxford.org)) is celebrating 300 years of worship in its current building. **Sunday, June 12**, from noon to 3pm – **Community Picnic and Open House** – free tours of the historic church and graveyard, food and fun for the whole family. **Friday, June 17**, at 7pm – **Evensong and Rededication of the Church** – The Right Reverend Charles E. Bennison, Jr., Bishop of Pennsylvania, will preside. Trinity Sunday, **June 19**, at 10am – **Festival Eucharist** – Class of ten young people will be confirmed by Bishop Edward Lee of the Diocese of Pennsylvania. Please see below or visit [www.trinitychurchoxford.org](http://www.trinitychurchoxford.org) for more information.

**Sunday, June 12 at 4 pm at All Hallows Church, Wyncote. Le Meslange des Plaisirs in Concert** playing mostly early music by Bach, Caccini, Handel, Nauwach, Philips, Poos, Purcell, Britten and van Eyck. Featuring: Jennifer Elaine

Young - soprano, *Marble Collegiate Church*; Carolann Buff - mezzo-soprano, *Princeton University*; Timothy Urban - recorder & baritone, *Westminster Choir College*; Margaret Claudin - flute, *Philadelphia Biblical University*; Kathleen Scheide - harpsichord, *Westminster Choir College, All Hallows Church. Free - donations welcomed.*

Join us **Sunday June 12 at 3:30 p.m.** for a **Classical Music Concert** featuring mezzo-soprano Meridel Peterson with accompanist Nile Weber. Admission is free. A Free Will Offering will be taken. Proceeds to support church programs. **Church of St. Jude and the Nativity**, 203 Germantown Pike Lafayette Hill, PA.

**Come Celebrate the Day of Pentecost.** In a Spirit filled afternoon of Music, Worship & Praise with The St. Gabriel's Gospel Choir and featured in full concert The St. Thomas Gospel Choir under the direction of Waltier Blocker of The African Episcopal Church of St. Thomas. **Sunday, June 12 at 3:30 PM. St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church**, 101 E. Roosevelt Blvd. (Between Front and Rising Sun) Philadelphia, PA 19120. The Very Rev. Nancy James Deming, Vicar. This is a free will offering benefit concert for the ministry and outreach of St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church. For more information, please call (215)329-3807

**The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Delaware County Walk For Hunger**, sponsored by St. Alban's, Newtown Square, is just around the corner! Join us on **Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>** and help raise funds for The Community Action Agency of Delaware County (CAADC), St. Mark's Food Pantry and Heifer International. Want to

have a church team and/or be a sponsor? Questions? Contact Kyle Evans, Interim Associate and Walk Coordinator, St. Alban's, Newtown Square, 267-221-9239 or [kyle.evans55@gmail.com](mailto:kyle.evans55@gmail.com). Also check out the Walk web-site: <http://site.delawarecountywalkforhunger.org/>.

On **Monday, June 13** at 7:30pm, the **Heritage Brass Quintet**, a U.S. Air Force band, will perform at **St. Paul's Church-Exton**. From classical to jazz, from Bach to the Beatles, the quintet brings its brilliant brass sound to all music genres. The concert is free; a free-will offering will be accepted. Call 610-363-2363 for more info.

Belfry Bargains Thrift Store, located on the church grounds of **Church of Messiah**, Route 202 & Sumneytown Pike, Gwynedd (just south of the William Penn Inn), will hold its **annual 50 Cent Sale** from **June 13-18** from 10 am-1 pm each day. Clothing for the whole family and household goods will be sold. All proceeds are donated to charities both near and far! The shop will re-open in Sept. 2011.

**Jazz & Joe Thursday, June 16 from 7-9 PM with the Alan Segal Quartet at St. Dunstan's, Blue Bell.** Come enjoy an evening of live jazz with coffee and dessert. The event is free, but a free-will offering will be received, to support St. Dunstan's music ministry. St. Dunstan's is at 750 Skippack Pike, Blue Bell. For information, 215-643-0522 or [www.stdunstans-bluebellpa.com](http://www.stdunstans-bluebellpa.com).

**Saint Simon the Cyrenian Episcopal Church's 117th Anniversary.** You are cordially invited to celebrate our faith, our hope for the future, and our love for our church as we celebrate our 117th Church Anniversary on **Sunday, June 26, 2011** at 2pm. Our guest speaker will be Ramona Riscoe Benson, President & CEO of the African American Museum. We are sure that you will enjoy our worship service, conversation, and fellowship afterwards in Logan Hall. For more information please contact 215-468-1926 or e-mail [TheCyrenian@gmail.com](mailto:TheCyrenian@gmail.com).

**Church of the Messiah, Gwynedd**, will hold its annual **Vacation Bible School**, "Hometown Nazareth", from **June 26-30**, 6-8 PM. This is open to all children ages 4-12.

**DATE CHANGE the Historical Hysterical Hat Show, has been rescheduled for June 26, 2011, 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Church of the Holy Spirit Harleysville.** Come and enjoy two hours of fun and relaxation. Wear your favorite hat. A fine collection of hats from the historical to the Hysterical will be modeled. Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served. Tickets are \$20.00 and proceeds benefit a college scholarship and COHS ministries. [www.churchoftheholyspirit.us](http://www.churchoftheholyspirit.us)

An evening with **Mary Fahl of October Project - Saturday, July 16, 2011** at 8:00 pm at **St. David's Church**, Dupont and St. David's Streets, Manayunk. In this solo performance, she will perform a number of those songs and several new works. Tickets are \$25.00 and may be purchased through Eventbrite ([www.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com)) or at the door. Additional information about Mary Fahl may be found on her website, [www.maryfahl.com](http://www.maryfahl.com). Information about parking for the event may be obtained at either [www.stdavidsmanayunk.org](http://www.stdavidsmanayunk.org) or by sending an email to [stdavidsconcerts@gmail.com](mailto:stdavidsconcerts@gmail.com). St. David's is a short walk from the Manayunk stop on the R6 line.

**Saint Mary Magdalene Day Celebration.** Sara Miles will lead us in exploring what it means to follow Jesus in the world, and the implications for our church and our lives. **Saturday, July 23, 2011** from 9:30 am to 2:00 pm at **Trinity Church in Buckingham, PA.** Lunch will be served- Donation \$20. To register, call: 215-862-5782. Sponsored by Saint Philip's Church in New Hope

**St. Simon the Cyrenian Church** is doing it again!!! Our **3rd Annual Baby Shower** for area Women's Shelters and other agencies! Join us Again this year as we celebrate Women, Children and Infants; helping those desperately in need on **Sunday, August 7, 2011 12:30p-2:30p.** We are asking for

new donations. PLEASE NOTE: We are unable to accept strollers, walkers, cradles, cribs, furniture, etc. If you are unable to attend, but would like to donate towards our cause, please contact us. As always, all monetary donations and materials go strictly towards this initiative! Should you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Damali at 215-839-9382 or via e-mail [TheCyrenian@gmail.com](mailto:TheCyrenian@gmail.com). We thank you in advance for your support!

**DIOCESAN CONVENTION COMING UP - NOVEMBER 5, 2011** – Convention time will be here before you know it. Start thinking about considering to run for a Diocesan office and what contribution you may be able to make for the Diocese of Pennsylvania. Open position descriptions will be forthcoming and posted on the Diocesan website. The Co-chairs of this year's Nominating Committee are Debora Brown ([dbrown@wcafamily.org](mailto:dbrown@wcafamily.org)) and the Rev. Doris Rajagopal ([sharada2000@verizon.net](mailto:sharada2000@verizon.net)). Members of the Committee are The Rev. Carol Anthony, Mr. Lionel Broome, The Rev. Randy Callender, Ms. Elizabeth Floyd, The Rev. Barbara Kelley, The Rev. Dennis Lloyd and Mrs. Jan Ross.

## JOB OPENINGS

**St. James School** – located at 3217 W. Clearfield Street in the West Allegheny neighborhood of Philadelphia – is looking for Volunteers this summer and fall to assist with the following:

- Gardening/yard work
- Minor facilities repairs
- Painting/ touch-ups
- Library Cataloging
- Supplies Closet Organization/Inventory

...and much more. Please contact Executive Director, **David Kasievich**: phone: **215.226.1276**. email: [dkasievich@stjamesphila.org](mailto:dkasievich@stjamesphila.org). For information on our school and directions to our campus, kindly visit our website: [www.stjamesphila.org](http://www.stjamesphila.org)

**Organist or Pianist and Choir Director - Trinity Church Coatesville**  
Small, energetic congregation seeking part-time organist or pianist and choir director. One service per week. Duties

include assisting in music selection, leading choir practice, and playing at worship services. Please contact Minnie Kirwin @ (610)380-1727 or [miniutia3@aol.com](mailto:miniutia3@aol.com).

#### **Vendors**

Flea Market on **Saturday July 19, 2011** from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eight-foot tables can be reserved for \$10.00 each. Call 610-384-4771 now to reserve your space. Episcopal Church of the Trinity, 323 East Lincoln Highway, Coatesville, PA: home of the Coatesville Community Garden.

#### **Volunteer and Parish Relations Manager**

Episcopal Community Services (ECS) a Philadelphia non-profit social services agency with an annual budget of \$9 million is seeking a Volunteer and Parish Relations Manager to manage and implement all aspects of the agency's volunteer and parish programs. Responsibilities include: volunteer management, recruitment, and placement; coordination of annual volunteer projects and events; management of ECS Speakers Bureau and Parish Relations Committee; and maintenance of the volunteer and parish portion of the website. Reports to the Associate Director of Development for Individual Giving. Qualifications: Bachelors degree. Min. 3 years working with volunteers and/or parish groups. Excellent communication and organizational skills. Knowledge of development and fundraising software a plus. Knowledge of the Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Pennsylvania and computer competency required. Must have a valid driver's license and car, and be willing to work some weekends, including Sundays. We offer a very competitive salary and benefits package. For consideration, submit cover letter, resume and salary requirement to ECS, Attention: HR/VPM, 225 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106; Fax 215.351.0294; e-mail [hr@ecs1870.org](mailto:hr@ecs1870.org). EOE

**Youth Director - St. Christopher's Church**, an Episcopal Church in Gladwyne, PA is currently looking for a motivated, energetic, organized individual who has a heart for working with children and youth. This position is 20 hours

a week (with negotiable days and hours) although it is mandatory that the director work on Sundays. The position is an August 15<sup>th</sup>-June15th position with the summer largely off. If interested please send your resume and salary requirements to [Katie-Gibbs@SaintChristophers.org](mailto:Katie-Gibbs@SaintChristophers.org)

**Crafters Wanted for Annual Fair Day, Saturday, May 21, 2011, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm** at **Church of the Holy Spirit, Harleysville**. Price \$20 per spot. Big Event ~ Well Attended. Benefits COHS, Youth & Outreach Ministries. Please contact our vendor coordinator Joan Maher at 610.287.3192 or [joan-maher@aol.com](mailto:joan-maher@aol.com)

#### **Organist- Choir Director.**

**St. Mark's Church, Honey Brook**. Chester County congregation seeks a part-time organist & choir director. Hours are an average of eight to twelve hours per week, plus special services. The duties of the Director include preparation, planning and music selection in cooperation with the priest-in-charge, practice, choir rehearsal and worship services. For more information, contact the Rev. Elizabeth E. Evans at [EEEvans269@aol.com](mailto:EEEvans269@aol.com) or (610) 247-1725.

**Marketing Manager**. Biblical Seminary, 200 N. Main St., Hatfield, PA 19400. (215) 368-5000x158. Requires excellent writing skills and the ability to develop and implement effective promotional material and tactics. 24 hours per week. Inquiry rec'd at Church House.

**St. Simon the Cyrenian Episcopal Church** is looking for volunteers to assist with their Senior Food Box Program. Distribution to eligible seniors is on Saturdays, 1x a month from 8a-10a. We are also looking for volunteers to assist with the delivery of the food boxes on Thursdays, 1x a month, in the mornings. If you are able to assist with any of the following, please contact Damali at 215-839-9382 or via e-mail [TheCyrenian@gmail.com](mailto:TheCyrenian@gmail.com). Thank you in advance!!!!

#### **GOODS TO SHARE**

**Available for a free-will offering.** Two solid oak pews 14 1/2 feet in length. Photo available upon request. If interested please contact us. **All Saints' Church**, 9601 Frankford Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19114. 215-637-8787. Office email [starfollower@verizon.net](mailto:starfollower@verizon.net)

**St. Thomas' Whitemarsh** has **three color drums** for a **Duplo machine**. Please call 215-233-3970 if your parish could use these.