

MASSES THIS WEEK

SUN	May 8th - Third Sunday Of Easter (Mother's Day)
9:00 AM	Rosalie "Lilly" Costa-Clarke, Esq (Son - Giuseppe Clarke)
11:00 AM	For The People Of The Parish
MON	May 9th – Easter Weekday
7:00 AM	Catherine Neilly (Adelaide M Davis)
TUE	May 10th - Easter Weekday
7:00 AM	Victor Kochig Jr (Sister & Nephew)
10:30 AM	Villa Mass - Vittoria Costa (Paolo Gullo)
6:30 PM	St Anthony Novena - Celebrant: Fr Richard Terdine
WED	May 11th - Easter Weekday
7:00 AM	Anuziata Nicola Antonio Malta (Bruno & Candida Malta)
1:30 PM	Villa Mass - Marie Inesso (Sonny, Jan, Tommy, & Tony Godino)
THU	May 12th - Easter Weekday
7:00 AM	Giuseppe & Maria Valotta (Anthony Marcello)
11:00 AM	Villa Mass - Maria Rosalia Liberto (Antonietta Costa & Family)
FRI	May 13th - Easter Weekday
7:00 AM	Angelo Direnzo, Domenico & Annunziata Labate (Giuseppe, Rosa Labate & Family)
11:00 AM	Villa Mass - Giorgio & Antonio Costa (Josephine Perri (Costa)
SAT	May 14th
5:00 PM	Vigil - Gesuele & Rosa Antonio & Rosa Burello (Maria Tavella)
SUN	May 15th - Fourth Sunday Of Easter
9:00 AM	For The People Of The Parish
11:00 AM	Thomas Hugar (Family) (May Crowning after the 11:00 AM Mass)

Sanctuary Candles

May 8th	Antonio & Luisa Sconza (Daughter & Family)
May 9th	Rose Alviani Annunziata Del Signore (Lois Del Signore)
May 10th	Mike Cherubino (Lucy Begandy)
May 11th	Lawrence, James, & Samuel Mastromatteo (Maryfrances Mastromatteo & Family)
May 12th	In Memory of Joseph Panza (Children & Grandchildren)
May 13th	Mr & Mrs Dan Coluccio (Chris Coluccio)
May 14th	Robert J Zehnder (Parents)
May 15th	Vincent Cugini (Wife & Family)

We Welcome into the family of God the following newly Baptized Children:

*Tegan Lara Phinney
Grant Liam Orr*

Remember In Your Prayers, the following who have been called to the Lord and their families:

*Robert McNally
Sr Juliana Neuherz RSM
All Departed Mothers*

Lift Up Your Hearts

I remember having read a short book written by a world-renowned theologian in which he wrote that it was while we were only infants, unable to utter even one word, that we first learned of God's love, *in the smile of our mother*. How surprising to read such simple and touching words from one of the Church's brightest minds! Truer words have never been spoken.

Many times our mothers have taught us far more than they realize, and often without having had to speak a word. Most, if not all of us, can also thank our mothers for handing on the faith to us in our homes and at church. I'm sure that many will have memories similar to my own, of learning my prayers at bed time while I was still very young. We begin our lives in every sense, including our life of faith, with our mothers.

We also recognize the very special care which God has given to us in the Blessed Virgin Mary. Traditionally May is the month which we dedicate to Mary, the Mother of Jesus, and the Mother of the Church. Just as Mary humbly and faithfully accepted God's will to carry His Son within her, she has likewise accepted the role of carrying the whole Church in her heart and in her prayers.

For their love and their countless sacrifices, small and great, we offer our thanks and love to our mothers, and our prayers for all of our mothers living and deceased.

**In Jesus and Mary,
Fr. Joe**

@ Mother's' Day Blessing

*Blessed is the Mother,
Who lets the Lord
be her guiding hand,
Whose faith brings
her family courage,
Whose wisdom comes from God,
And whose children
still stand and honor her.*

Upcoming Event: On Saturday, May 21st the Choir from Immaculate Conception Church, Washington, PA will sing at the 5:00 PM Mass with a concert to follow. A reception will follow in the Multi-Purpose Room. All are welcome to attend & greet the parishioners from a neighboring parish.

Needed: Cookies/baked goods are needed for the reception on Saturday, May 21st to welcome the choir from Immaculate Conception. The items can be brought to the Parish Office. Thank you.



St. Anthony Novena

The Novena to St. Anthony is celebrated this Tuesday, May 10 and continues for nine weeks through Tues, June 7. Devotions and Benediction with the Blessed Sacrament will begin each Tuesday at 6:30 PM.

Mass will be celebrated on June 13, the Feast of Saint Anthony, at 6:30 pm

This Week:

Sunday, May 8th - (Mother's Day)

- 2nd Collection for the victims of the recent tornadoes in the Southern United States.
- Sisters of St Joseph are selling raffle tickets at the entrances to the Church after all Masses.
- A small remembrance for all Mother's is located at the entrances to the Church.
- The Rosary will be recited in the chapel at 7:00 PM.
- **HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY**

Monday, May 9th

- Finance Committee Meeting in the school library at 7:00 PM.
- 100th Anniversary Committee Meeting in the Multi-Purpose Room at 7:00 PM.

Tuesday, May 10th

- Traditional Choir practices in the Church at 7:30 PM.

Wednesday, May 11th

- Girls Scouts meet in the Auditorium at 6:30 PM.
- St Raphael Bazaar Meeting in the Multi-Purpose Room at 7:00 PM.

Thursday, May 12th

- Young at Heart (YAH) meet in the Multi-Purpose Room starting at 1:00 PM.
- Contemporary Choir practice in the Church at 7:15 PM.

Saturday, May 14th

- The Rosary will be recited in church at 8:00 AM.

Sunday, May 15th

- 2nd Collection for Catholic Relief Services
- May Crowning after the 11:00 AM Mass

Novena di Sant'Antonio

La novena di Sant'Antonio si celebra martedì, il 10 maggio, e continuerà per i 9 martedì fino al 7 giugno. Le devozioni e la benedizione del Santissimo Sacramento avranno luogo alle 6:30 di sera. Per la Festa di Sant'Antonio (13 giugno) si celebrerà la Santa Messa alle 6:30 pm.

Parish May Crowning is scheduled for Sunday, May 15, after the 11:00 AM Mass. We will gather as a parish to honor the Blessed Mother. We encourage all parishioners to be present to honor the Blessed Mother. All students in our school & CCD program are expected to attend. The First Holy Communion Class will form the guard of honor. All are welcome.

High School Senior & Their Parents are cordially invited to come to the 11:00 am Baccalaureate Mass on **Sunday, May 22nd** & be recognized for graduating from high school. Letters & questionnaires were mailed this past week. If you are a high school senior & have not received a letter & questionnaire contact the parish office (412) 661-3100.

Thanks To Everyone for the Easter Cards, Gifts, and Well Wishes. May you & your families have a Blessed Easter Season.

Thanks - The 7th & 8th grade students would like to thank everyone who supported the bake sale & Easter Lottery Basket Raffle. It was a big success & will be a great help for our field trip. The winner of the Easter Lottery Basket was Mark D'Amico.

Found - Camera in church on April 30th. Please call the Parish Office to identify.

CONGRATULATIONS !

The Sacraments of the Church offer us a beautiful and profound opportunity to encounter and come to know the Risen Lord. We are proud to offer our congratulations to all those who have received the Sacraments in our parish.

First Communion Class of 2011

Brendan Burns	Adeline Niehaus
Emma DeVito	Staci Pampuch
Hanna Harris	Kailee Roney
Zoey Jordan	Madelyn Simeone
Riley Knecht	Cameron Stack
Declan Love	Cole Szramowski
Gemma Magnotta	Louis Zygmuncik

The Sisters of St Joseph will be selling raffle tickets on Saturday, May 7th & May 8th at the entrances to St Raphael Church. Proceeds benefit the Sisters & their ministries.

Attention: To all St Raphael Organizations (PTG, Ushers' Society, Ladies of Charity, Traditional Choir, Contemporary Choir, Athletic Association, Market Day Committee, etc). We are going to prepare our Master Calendar for July 2011 to June 2012. All calendar dates are to be submitted on paper, typed or written from all organizations. These requests are due by Friday, June 10, 2011. Thank you.

The Anointing Mass will be held on Saturday, June 18 at the 5:00 PM Mass.

Easter Flower Memorial Booklets are available at the entrances to the Church.

Save the Date! St Raphael Bazaar will take place this summer, August 4-7 (Thursday through Sunday). **Next Bazaar meeting is Wednesday, May 11th at 7:00 PM in the Multi-Purpose Room.**

The Next Pre-Baptism Class will be held on **Sunday, June 5, 2011 at 11:00 AM** in the school library.

Stewardship/Memorial Contributions ~ When making out a will or updating/revising a will, please remember to make a provision for St. Raphael Parish/School in the name of the loved one when publishing the news obituaries. Thank you.

Additional Easter Flower Memorials:

Deceased Family Members (Mr & Mrs Filip Suppa)
Robert Duncan Sr (Mrs Margaret Duncan)
Ricky Castelli (Pat Castelli)
Bill & Marcy Nigro (Pat Castelli)
Rose Marie & Don Willson (Pat Castelli)

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PROGRESS REPORT – 05/02/11 Amount

Campaign Goal: \$ 750,000.00

Amount Pledged: \$ 582,951.65

Amount Collected: \$ 585,099.74

Percentages collected toward our goal: 78.01%

345 families have pledged

Capital Campaign Update:

The Capital Campaign Committee reminds all who have pledged to continue making your payments, made payable to St Raphael (in memo - write "Capital Campaign").

Please remember that Capital Campaign Pledges are still being accepted. We appreciate your generosity in helping "Secure our Second Century."

Note: Checks intended for PSP or Capital Campaign are made payable to St Raphael Church & in the memo area of your check, list what it is for. Thank you.

Do Your Shopping - Gift Cards are available at the Parish or School Offices. We have Giant Eagle (can be used at GetGo for gas), Community Market, Shop 'n Save, Macy's & JC Penney (Macy's & J C Penney gift cards cannot be used on your charge). These Gift Cards are something everyone can use.

Want a special unique gift for someone? Give them a Lottery ticket for the month (for birthdays, anniversaries, new babies, etc). It costs just \$5.00 but you could be giving a person up to \$500 if their number hits on the last day of the month. They also will have a chance to win \$50 each Monday through Saturday & \$100 each Sunday. Tickets are available at the Parish Office.

Market Day - Market Day forms are available in the School & Parish Offices & at the entrances to the Church. Refer to order form for some special offers. Place orders by Friday, May 20th. Internet orders by Wednesday, May 25th. Pick up orders on Tuesday, May 31st. ALL ORDERS MUST BE PICKED UP DUE TO LIMITED FREEZER SPACE. Helpers needed. We could really use some extra help unloading the Market Day truck on pick-up day, Tuesday, May 31st, from 3:45 PM to 4:30 PM.

Calendar tickets based on the **State Lottery** picked at 7 PM are available from various sellers in the parish, or at the Parish Office.

Please inform your purchasers that we will pay on the FIRST State Lottery Number PICKED at 7 PM only, not the one picked in the day. May tickets are due. June tickets are ready for pick-up. Note: All tickets regardless if sold or unsold are to be returned to the parish office. Raffle Winners:

Date	Winning No.	Winner's Name	Amount
04/27	362	Unsold Ticket	\$50.00
04/28	085	Jason Watter	\$50.00
04/29	129	Alice Conklin	\$50.00
04/30	773	Josie Ramsey	\$500.00
05/01	292	Unsold Ticket	\$100.00
05/02	555	Unsold Ticket	\$50.00
05/03	243	Unsold Ticket	\$50.00

Give a hand; help support our school & help sell these tickets. Call 412-661-3100 and talk to Marcia.

SOCIAL MINISTRY NEWS

Food Bank Schedule ~ The Food Bank is on the first and third Thursdays of the month from 1 to 2 PM, in the auditorium of the original grade school building. The Food Bank is for all families living within the parish lines of St Raphael & Messiah Lutheran Churches. You are eligible if you are on a fixed income, are having financial difficulties, or on public assistance.

Parish Social Services: Sr Jane Fadgen is our parish Social Services Minister & advocate for persons with disabilities. Her role among others will be to work towards strengthening St Raphael Parish support for persons with disabilities. For more information, call (412) 441-4361.

Hospital & Nursing Home Stays - If you or a member of your family is hospitalized or enters a long-term care facility, assisted, independent living or residential facility & you want the parish office to know, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

Bereavement Support ~ It is recommended that one wait at least four months after a death of a loved one before joining a support group. For more information, please contact Sr Jane at (412) 441-4361 or one of our priests (412) 661-3100.

School News

School Office Hours
Monday to Friday
from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Parents, visit the school website for school calendar information at www.straphaelelementaryschool.net.

Looking for a quality educational experience for your child? Why not look into your parish school? St Raphael provides an excellent experience for your child from preschool-Grade 8. We offer a faith-filled environment with a challenging curriculum. Financial aid is available. Please contact the school office at (412) 661-0288 for more information or a tour. Visit our website at www.straphaelelementaryschool.net.

Save the Date! St Raphael School Picnic at Kennywood on Monday, June 27, 2011. Tickets will go on sale on **Thursday, May 26th at 8:00 AM to 8:20 AM** in the school building. A bus will be available on Monday, June 27 at 10:00 AM to leave for the park no return trip. Cost is \$4.00 per person. The bus driver will collect the fare.

The St Raphael School community supports school choice. Join us in urging our state legislators to support Senate Bill 1. Visit, call, fax, or write your elected officials or log on to www.pacatholic.org/schoolchoice & click "Contact your legislator" to send an easy email message.

Thank you for the papers you bring to the Abitibi Paper Retriever. When the retriever is full do not leave papers on the ground wait till the retrievers are emptied. Large cardboard boxes are not to be put in the retriever. **We received a check from Abitibi for \$202.34. Thanks to you, we saved 31.57cubic yards of landfill space.** Thanks for your patience & co-operation.

Box Tops Program - Please help St Raphael School in their fundraising efforts by supporting the Box Tops program. We can earn free play equipment, computer technology, etc. Please look for the Box Tops icon on the packages of many common household brands such as Cheerios, Yoplait, Ziploc, Hefty, Fiber One, Betty Crocker, Pillsbury, Kleenex, Juicy Juice. These are just a few of the brands. Before discarding the packaging look for the icon & then clip the Box Tops logo. Place them in the containers in the church. Thank you. **Coupon Cutters! Please cut coupons on the lines....not inside or outside, but on the lines & thanks for your help with this project.**

Thanks to the kindness of everyone who saves Box tops for Education & the hard work of Janet Lydon, the school received a check for \$964. Please keep cutting & saving these valuable coupons for us!

Empty ink cartridges, old cell phones, & we are now accepting old digital cameras, iPods, video systems, i.e. GameBoy, Nintendo, Atari consoles, PDAs & laptops. You may deliver these items to the school or parish offices.

GOODSEARCH IS MONEY FOR THE ANGEL FUND. Some of our parishioners have made it a point to support the school by searching the web or shopping online using www.GoodSearch.com & www.GoodShop.com. Thank you for the support. The amount is determined by 1.3 cents per search & 3% of purchases made. It's an easy & efficient way to receive funds from a source beyond ourselves.

School News (cont'd)

Congratulations to the following students who have achieved Honor status:

Oakland Catholic High School
Highest Honor
 Marissa Liberto

High Honor
 Ashley Abdulovic Leah Adams
 Merina Jedlicka Veronica Leffler

Honor
 Laurel Donatelli

Diocesan News

Spring Evening of Reflection for Separated/Divorced - On May 12th, at St Bernard Parish, Mt Lebanon, there will be an Evening of Reflection for those who are separated or divorced. The topic is **"Annulments in the Catholic Church: the Why & the How."** Our presenter will be Fr Brian Welding. The evening will be from 7-9 pm. There is no charge. A free will offering will be taken. This event will take place at Clairvaux Hall (lower church). Anyone interested in learning about the Annulment Process in the Catholic Church is welcome to attend. It is a good opportunity for adult faith formation.

Knights Of Columbus Pittsburgh East/End Council #3530 meetings move to St Bede Parish for the Summer, meeting this Wednesday, May 11. Optional Rosary at 7 pm, meeting at 7:30 pm. All men of St Raphael Parish, age 18 & up, are invited to come together with their brothers from our neighboring parishes to learn about this premiere Catholic men's social, service, fraternal & insurance association & our Award Winning council. For more information visit our website www.3530.kofc.us or contact Grand Knight Dennis McManus, (412) 362-1325.

Auberle is hosting a Volunteer Open House Breakfast on Thursday, May 12th at 9:00 am, 1101 Hartman St, McKeesport PA 15132. Open House includes breakfast, information & speakers. RVSP to Auberle Volunteer Coordinator, Cheryl Gordon at (412) 673-5856 ext 1257 or cherylk@aublerle.org.

Pittsburgh Guild of Catholic Medical Association - Sunday, June 5 at UPMC-Mercy Hospital. Mass at 9 am Holy Family Chapel. Speaker - Dan Iracki, MD. Topic - "The Catholic Physician's Response to Suffering". RSVP by Wednesday, June 1 to info@cathmedpittsburgh.org. Cost - \$15/Adult.

Attention Marathon Runners! Marathon Mass & Dinner on Saturday, May 14. Runners & non-runners alike are invited to join us on Saturday, May 14, for the 5 PM Vigil Mass at St Mary of Mercy at the Point for the first ever "Marathon Mass" before the Pittsburgh Marathon, where we will be praying for & celebrating those who will be running on Sunday, May 14. Our Celebrant will be our new auxiliary bishop, Bishop William Waltersheid. After Mass at 6:15 PM in the St Mary of Mercy Church Hall, there will a pasta dinner with food generously provided by Andora Restaurant. Proceeds from the dinner will benefit Dirty Vagabond Ministries, a non-profit Catholic youth ministry program for inner city teens & an official Catholic charity of the Pittsburgh Marathon. Dinner tickets are \$15. For more info & to order dinner tickets please go to www.marathonmass.com.

Diocesan News (cont'd)

The Church in Pittsburgh continues to reach out to those who may have been victims of clergy sexual abuse. Materials for victims are available through our parish, or on the diocesan website at www.diopitt.org. If you are a victim of abuse, you are also invited to contact the Diocesan Assistance Coordinator at (412) 456-3060 or toll free at 1-888-808-1235.

A New Web site, www.ForYourVocation.org, is being launched by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops in conjunction with the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The Web site has two objectives: to help individuals hear & respond to the call by God to the priesthood or consecrated life, & to educate all Catholics on the importance of encouraging others through prayer & activities to promote vocations. The site offers resources for men & women who may have a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, aids for promoting a vocation-culture within the home & tools for educators, youth leaders & vocation directors including prayers, videos, best practices, lesson plans & vocation awareness programs.

A Pilgrimage of Peace & Conversion to Medjugore will be conducted from June 30 through July 11. We will be present for the International Priests' Retreat as well as Mirjana's apparition. Included roundtrip airfare (via Paris), accommodations with private bath, 2 daily meals, English-speaking guide & Father Daniele Vallecorsa as Spiritual Director. Price is \$2,795.00. For more detailed information or a pamphlet call Bernadette at (412) 563-3857 or at marvstravel12@verizon.net.

Pilgrimage to Poland - Bishop David Zubik invites you to join him as he retraces his Polish heritage on a remarkable 9-day pilgrimage to Poland. Walk in the footsteps of Pope John Paul II. Pray at the Shrine of our Lady of Czestochowa, the Divine Mercy chapel & other holy places. Attend a lecture by famed papal biographer George Weigel, & see many of Poland's rich cultural sites from July 2-10, 2011. Sponsored by Franciscan University Pilgrimages. Call: 1-800-437-8368 for more information.

Volunteers Needed for Catholic Charities Free Health Care Center: The Catholic Charities Free Health Care Center in downtown Pittsburgh is looking for medical & dental professionals to join our dedicated volunteer team. Your help is needed more than ever to provide care for individuals without health insurance. The greatest need is for dentists & dental hygienists. Licensed professionals are covered by federal liability insurance. Your time commitment is up to you. Free parking is provided. If you would like to share your gifts in the service of helping others then call Tanis at (412) 456-6977 or email trober@ccpgh.org.

Catholic Charities - Make a lasting footprint in the lives of people in need with your support of Catholic Charities' Black Tie - No Black Tie \$10,000 raffle. Only 500 tickets will be sold at \$100 each with proceeds benefitting Catholic Charities' outreach programs. Winner need not be present for the drawing that will take place at the 29th Annual Bishop's Dinner for Catholic Charities, May 13, 7 pm at the Westin Convention Center Hotel. Tickets may be purchased by calling (412) 456-6950. Limit three tickets per person.

Trip - St Juan Diego Parish Trip to Holy Sites in Baltimore, Maryland on Monday, May 23 to Wednesday, May 25. Price includes: Air conditioned bus, 2-night hotel stay with continental breakfast. Visits to: Mother Seton Shrine, Emmitsburg, Basilica of the Assumption, Baltimore, St Mary Seminary, Baltimore, Mary, Our Queen Cathedral, Baltimore, The Inner Harbor, Fort McHenry, Dinner in a famous Little Italy restaurant. Daily Mass with Fr Frank D Almade. Approximately \$295 per person/double occupancy. If you are interested, please call (412) 784-8700.
Reservations due by Friday, May 13.

Schedule for Weekend of May 15, 2011

	Liturgical Readers	Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Altar Servers	Gift Card Sellers
5:00 PM	T McGinnis	C Venezia T Venezia S Adams P Conway	S Gardner S Grenesko M Richards	J Adams
9:00 AM	C Silvaggio	J Graham C Kennedy G Labate K Lange	R McKinstry L Mafrica D Novak	D Devine
11:00 AM	R McManus	P Vath D Bertucci C Cherubino C Roy Cook	T Vozza F Vozza R Abrams	D Gualtieri

Diocesan News (cont'd)

First Annual Golf Outing to benefit St Rosalia Academy, Saturday, May 21, at Meadowink Golf Course in Murrysville. Entry fee is \$100 per golfer & includes 18 holes of golf with cart, beverages, fairway lunch at the turn & a steak dinner with beverage service after golf in the upper pavilion. The play will be in a scramble format with a 1:00 pm tee-off. Sponsorship & advertising opportunities are also available. For more information, please contact John J Chapman. johnjchapman@gmail.com 412-401-6767 or Amy Goetzman, camgoetz@verizon.net 412-606-9341.

Community News

State Representative Dom Costa's Annual Veterans Fair will be held on Friday, May 20th, from 10 am to 1 pm at the Fugh Memorial Social Hall, 27 Crescent Ave, in Etna in attendance will be representatives from several Veterans Agencies to answer questions about various Veteran issues, including how to get Veterans' benefits, give out general info, & assist in filling out forms. If you are a Veteran, family member, friend or a caretaker of a Veteran, please plan on attending & receiving some valuable information.

On Friday, May 27th at 6:30 pm, State Representative Dom Costa will be holding a Town Hall Meeting at the Immaculate Conception School Cafeteria, 321 Edmond St in Bloomfield. Some of the topics to be discussed will include the State Budget, School Vouchers, Liquor Store Privatization, & any state government related questions you might have. For further information please call Dom Costa's office at (412) 361-2040.

Morningside Mile Pasta Dinner Fundraiser sponsored by MACC with proceeds to benefitting the Morningside Mile & the Wounded Warriors Project. On Saturday, May 14th - the evening before the Pittsburgh Marathon, the Morningside Mile committee will serve a full pasta dinner in the St Raphael Multi-Purpose Room. Adults: \$10; Children (12 & under): \$5. Seatings will be at 4:30 & 6:00 pm & Payment must be made in advance. Reserve your spot by paying with cash at the VFW or via PayPal at www.morningside-pa.org/run. **Seating is limited! Please make your reservation by Thursday, May 12th.**

Community News

Bingo - Join us for bingo at the Morningside Senior Center every Friday from 1-3 pm. For information about registering for lunch, programs, & activities, call (412) 665-4342. Available for adults 60+.

Maryfrances Tours" ~ 2011 ~ May 25th - Wheeling, Bonus \$25.00. **July 13th** Presque Isle (Spend the Day at the Casino). **Aug 28th - Sept 2nd - Ocean City, Maryland**, 6days/5nights, Flamingo Hotel. Coming Caribbean Cruise with the Royal Cruise Lines....13 days/12 nights **Feb 6-18, 2012**. If interested, call & ask for a flyer. Call Maryfrances (412) 781-8952.

Morningside Senior Central Travel - Sunday, Aug 14th - join us for a day Hitting the High Notes with a start at the Presque Isle Casino for High Rolls & then off to dinner & a show - Titled Lend Me a Tenor - for your High Notes & much more. Call Vivian (412) 486-7107 or Venie (412) 361-0285. Beach Time "Fun Time & Relaxing Time along with tour time. Join us to Virginia Beach, Norfolk, & Williamsburg. **Sept 18th to 22nd**. Call Venie (412) 361-0285 or Vivian (412) 486-7107. Christmas is just about around the corner & coming up quick. Get your reservations in on our **Day Trip Nov 12, Saturday** for Christmas Trees & Musical Gallery. Call Vivian (412) 486-7107 or Venie (412) 361-0285.

Thanks - We are grateful to the companies, firms & individuals who advertise on the back of our parish bulletin. Their paid ads make this bulletin available to our parishioners at no cost to the parish.

St Raphael Parish bulletin can be viewed on the school website straphaelelementaryschool.net.

Please note: Acceptance of an advertisement in this parish bulletin, while based on any assumption in integrity on the part of the advertiser, does not imply endorsement of a product or service. **Want Ads** are placed in the bulletin the first Sunday of the month only. A NOMINAL FEE is required when placing an ad. You must complete a want ad form obtained from the Parish Office before requesting bulletin space. The ads need to be in the Parish Office Tuesday, before 4:00 PM.