

## From the desk of Fr. Murphy

Dear Friends,

Start spreading the news! St. Saviour Elementary School is opening a new nursery program in September. Call our Principal, Maura Lorenzen, at 718-768-8000 for more info and to register your child. Congratulations, Maura, for creating this for us.

Next Sunday, we'll baptize Daniel Sullivan at our 10 AM Family Mass. God bless him and his family. Then at our 11:30 AM Mass next Sunday we'll honor the School Sisters of Notre Dame on Religious Recognition Day. They have been serving St. Saviour faithfully since 1917. God bless them all, past and present. Of course, next Sunday is Super Bowl Sunday. Consider joining us at the 5 PM Mass, the music being led by our high school gospel choir. Then after Mass come downstairs to the Parish Hall for lots of football, food, fun. Tickets are available in the parish house during the week and at the door next Sunday night. You might also try your luck at winning the new 42" HDTV that we'll be watching the game on. Next Sunday is our Annual Fuel Collection. We have only two 2nd collections all year at St. Saviour; next Sunday is one of them when we depend on your generosity to help us pay our huge fuel bills to heat the church, Parish Hall, convent, and parish house. And next Sunday Lenae Guarna will give us all the exciting details about our organ restoration project. Wow, what a Sunday! Wow, what a parish!

In the midst of all this, please remember to pray for me. Thank you. God bless you.

Love,  
Fr. Murphy

### Prayers for Haiti

If anyone had a relative or friend killed in the earthquake in Haiti, please give us name (s) so we can pray for them. Thank you.

*Correction does much,  
but encouragement does more.*

Johann Wolfgang Von Goethe

### STEWARDSHIP

January 23-24

Offertory **\$6,117.00**

Children's Envelopes **\$100.00**

Attendance **916**

### A Tip of the Hat

Tip of the Hat this week goes to Maria Middleton. Every week for the past 4 years Maria has been designing our bulletin, making it attractive and reader friendly. By giving so generously of her time and talent, Maria helps all our parishioners and visitors who read the bulletin. She's an unsung star in our parish family. Thank you so very much, Maria.

### Donations for Haiti

Your generosity in helping Haiti has been inspiring. To date, you've donated well over \$7,000.00. If you would like to contribute to this cause, please make your check payable to the R. C. Diocese of Brooklyn or, if cash, please indicate on envelope that it's for Haiti. The diocese will send all contributions to Catholic Relief Services (CRS). Thank you.

### Mardi Gras Party

Join us for our Annual Mardi Gras Party on Friday, February 5. Everyone is invited to the Parish Hall from 6-10 PM. Bring a dish to share. Children's carnival games are still only 25¢. Bring the whole family for a night of fun and friendship.



### ONLINE HOMILY

The Homily Line at St. Saviour is getting air time on YouTube. The third edition is online and can be found by searching for St. Saviour Homily Line on the YouTube search line or typing in the following link:

<http://tinyurl.com/ygulytv>

## Clothing Drive

Benefiting Homeless Teens at Covenant House

Accepted donations are gently used teen girl clothing sizes 2-20; Accessories such as jewelry, belts, or handbags; Gift cards from Old Navy, Target, Lane Bryant, Avenue, Macys. For more info, contact Sofia Parham Santana at 718-619-9282 or ssantana@loyola-nyc.org. Please bring your donations to the St. Saviour Parish House between 10 AM-12 PM on Sundays February 7, 14, and 21.

## Catholic Young Adult Dance

The Catholic Young Adult Community invites all singles ages 25-49 to a dance this Saturday night, February 6, at St. Bernard's auditorium, Avenue U and East 69th Street. Please call Michael at 718-209-8241 for more information.

## World Marriage Day

All engaged and married couples are invited to our 11:30 AM Mass on Sunday, February 14. Not only is it St. Valentine's Day; it's also World Marriage Day. During Mass married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows and engaged couples will receive a parish blessing. Refreshments for all follow Mass. So married and engaged couples, try to adjust your schedule so you can participate in this special Mass. Invite your married and engaged friends also.



## St. Saviour Book Group

The St. Saviour book group meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM in the parish house to discuss the following books in the first half of 2010 (please note several changes):

- **February 10:** *Come Be My Light* by Mother Teresa
- **March 10:** *The Constitution on the Church in the Modern World*. This Second Vatican Council document is available online at [http://www.vatican.va/archive/hist\\_councils/ii\\_vatican\\_council/documents/vat-ii\\_const\\_19651207\\_gaudium-et-spes\\_en.html](http://www.vatican.va/archive/hist_councils/ii_vatican_council/documents/vat-ii_const_19651207_gaudium-et-spes_en.html)
- **April 14:** *The Parables of Peanuts* by Robert Short
- **May 12:** *Called Out of Darkness* by Anne Rice

Please join us for any or all of these discussions, and please contact Amy Bielefeld at aeb2115@gmail.com with questions. All are welcome!



## Brooklyn Irish American Dance

The Brooklyn Irish American Parade Dance occurs this Saturday night, February 6, at St. Patrick's Hall, 4th Avenue and 97th Street. Please call 718-499-9482 for more information.

## Brownbagger Homeless Outreach

An Easy Way to Help the Homeless

The Brownbaggers' Homeless Outreach Fund

Brownbaggers is 100% supported by our parishioners and our Brownbaggers' Homeless Outreach Fund is \$500.00 strong, thanks to our St. Saviour outreach collections! Your donations can help make it stronger and make a difference. A \$200 dollar donation will feed 100 homeless. But any amount is appreciated. Thanks to your generous efforts, the Brownbaggers delivered 600 lunches to people in need at Tompkins Square Park in Manhattan in its first year.

For more info, contact Maruchi Santana at 646-467-0463 or maruchi@parhamsantana.com. Please make your checks payable to St. Saviour Church and please indicate "Brownbaggers' Fund." Brownbaggers is a part of the St. Saviour Community Outreach Group. To learn more, contact Tom Miskel, Chairman, at 718-499-4164.

## KEEP IN PRAYER

Jade Baio	Aliza Schwab
Jack Szigety	George Wright
Brittany Ventrice	Kristin Molini
Ethel Thomas	Young Joseph Flaherty
Gordon Gladden	Matthew Gomes
Joseph Maro	Aida Conde
Baby Andreas Leontiou	Virginia Clarke
Joyce Abrahamson	Raymond Joseph
Cono Gallo	Sr. Lillian
Craig Carly	Marie Burke
Jean Drudy	Barbara Esposito
John McDonald	Carmen Fischetti
Margaret Rudloff	Mary Slominsky
Lita Marie Flynn	Rev. Thomas Kelly
Diane Claire	Emma Augell
Dennis Abbott	Salvatore DiFronzo
Robert Lewis	Jolanta Stefaniak
Chris Grant	Carmen Corton
Diana Juliano	Teresa Dennehy
Angelo Gentile	Margaret Horn
Pete Koenig	Lynne Tetlus
Paul Belanger	Donna Doremus
Madeline Figeria	Margaret Boolbol
Helen Ryan	David Gardner
Lou Gaeta	Frank Bolton
James Carew	Elaine Murphy Burns
Adam Lafortune	Shami Chaiken
Kathleen Otero	Fr. Gary Rogers

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO REGISTER AS A PARISHIONER OF ST. SAVIOUR?

Dear Fr. Murphy,  
I would like to become a parishioner of St. Saviour.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Please place in collection basket OR cut and return to:

**St. Saviour Parish**  
611 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue · Brooklyn, NY 11215

## WELCOME TO ST. SAVIOUR PARISH!

### Prayer for the Victims of the Haitian Earthquake

God of all creation, as we weep with our family in Haiti, console us. In this time of crisis, open our eyes to look beyond the disaster to see Christ in our brothers and sisters in Haiti. Be with us as we stand in solidarity with those living and working in Haiti. Be with us in our mourning and guide our efforts to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, comfort the grieving and stand for justice. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

### CANDLE MEMORIALS

January 31–February 6

Sanctuary Lamp—Helen Ford, *Birthday Remembrance*

Our Lady's Altar—Mary Sellers

St. Joseph's Altar—

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday, January 31**

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 AM—Mary Sellers

10:00 AM—Gilbert Rivera, *Anniversary*

& Maggie Gowell, *7th Anniversary*

11:30 AM—John C. Hagan

5:00 PM—Special Intention

**Monday, February 1 · Weekday**

6:45 AM—Victims of Haiti

9:00 AM—Theresa Brady, *Anniversary*

**Tuesday, February 2**

**The Presentation of the Lord**

6:45 AM—Anthony DeVito, *Anniversary*

9:00 AM—Henry O'Donnell,  
*Birthday Remembrance*

**Wednesday, February 3 · Weekday**

6:45 AM—People of the Parish

9:00 AM—Mario Piazzolla

**Thursday, February 4 · Weekday**

6:45 AM—Teresa Scott, *Birthday Remembrance*

9:00 AM—Kitty Fitzpatrick, *Anniversary*

**Friday, February 5 · Weekday**

6:45 AM—SSND, Living & Deceased

9:00 AM—Helen Ford, *Birthday Remembrance*

**Saturday, February 6**

**Saint Paul Miki & his companions—martyrs**

9:00 AM—Sr. Mary McGrory, *Living*

4:00 PM—CONFESSIONS (**Fr. Murphy**)

5:00 PM—Mary Molina Fitzer, *5th Anniversary*  
(**Fr. Frueh**)

**Sunday, February 7**

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 AM—(**Fr. Cush**)

10:00 AM—Anne McCabe /

Eugene Fitzpatrick /

Robert McDonough (**Fr. Cush**)

11:30 AM—Edward G. Dunn (**Fr. Murphy**)

5:00 PM—Special Intention (**Fr. Murphy**)