

## **PARSON TO PERSON**

### **TOP TWELVE REASONS WHY SAINT MATTHEW'S #11: We Are with (and Remember!) All the Saints Every Week**

Even though my husband doesn't call me *Saint Ingrid* very often, the title is my true and lasting identity because *God* has called me a *saint* in baptism (I should admit that I don't call him *Saint Tim* very often either!). A popular understanding of a *saint* is someone who is very good and holy, almost too good and holy to be true, which is why we usually call somebody a *saint* as a wise-crack.

However, *saints* are merely the assembly of believers, as witnessed by Paul who typically addressed his letters to the *saints* in a certain community, as in "to the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be *saints*, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ..." Even though we are sinful, God calls us *saints*. In baptism, he sets us apart as his children, forgiven and beloved.

On *All Saints Sunday*, November 2, we remember and honor those *saints* in our community who have died in the past year. Not only that, but we pray for those *saints* who have been baptized in the last year. Not only that, but, finally, we give thanks to God for those *saints* whose witness to Christ has strengthened our faith in the God who so loved, forgave and sustained them in life & faith.

So remember, no matter what anybody might call you, *God* has called you *Saint* at your baptism. That is our true and lasting identity in Christ. *Pastor Wengert*

#### **Deaths Since All Saints Sunday, 2007**

<b>Marianne Crider Barta</b>	12/30/07
<b>Katherine W. Gift</b>	1/8/08
<b>Ruth S. Loftness</b>	3/13/08
<b>Arthur C. Peterson</b>	5/8/08
<b>Oliver E. Thomas</b>	8/25/08

#### **Baptisms Since All Saints Sunday, 2007**

<b>Lydia Gail Schneider</b>	11/4/07
<b>Graham Evans Denney</b>	11/25/07
<b>Braden Michael Collins</b>	1/27/08
<b>Oliver Christian English</b>	1/27/08
<b>Cole Harry Downey</b>	3/23/08
<b>Ava Riley Schwinghammer</b>	3/23/08
<b>Santino Nicholas Saura</b>	3/30/08
<b>Chase Marcus Carlson</b>	4/5/08
<b>William John Terminella</b>	4/20/08
<b>Nathaniel John Milstead</b>	6/22/08
<b>Genevieve Anne Meany</b>	10/5/08
<b>Cole Harrison Muhlschlegel</b>	10/12/08

## **"Sharing Sunday" - November 16, 2008**

To live gracefully may not describe our ability to balance on a beam or do the latest dance step. Rather, living gracefully is truly living in the full grace of God.

Grace describes God's attitude and actions toward us – it is how God shares his bountiful gifts with us through his loving, giving and forgiving. Grace is how God deals with us.

For us to live gracefully then is to respond joyfully to God's grace. It is to be willing to overflow with the grace of God. It is to live openly, to give, to share, to care. To live gracefully is to live with the constant knowledge that God is acting for us and through us.

Our stewardship theme for this year focuses on "Stories to Tell & Gifts to Share." In response to God's grace we live -joyfully sharing our stories of God's grace, and giving thanks for all that God has given....especially the gift of forgiveness and life in Jesus Christ.

In a couple of weeks you will be receiving a mailing from the Stewardship Ministry, which will include your "Gifts To Share" card for 2009, along with a confidential return addressed envelope. During the first two weeks of November you will hear a couple of fellow members share their own stories of grace with you via Temple Talks. November 16<sup>th</sup> has been scheduled as this year's "Sharing Sunday", where we ask all members of Saint Matthew to place your completed Gift To Share card in the baptismal font as you go to the altar for Holy Communion. For those who cannot attend services that day, we request that you take your envelopes to the church in advance of November 16<sup>th</sup>...or simply mail them in.

We look forward to growing in our faith together, through sharing our stories and sharing our gifts - gracefully and abundantly.

*The Stewardship Ministry*

**Please join us for**  
**FALL CLEAN-UP DAY**  
**~ a stewardship opportunity ~**  
**Saturday, November 22,**  
**2008**  
**9:00 am ~ 12:00 noon**  
**Bring: rakes, leaf blowers**  
Outside projects: raking, clean-up  
Inside projects: cleaning sanctuary pews  
washing windows  
Light lunch provided by Parish Life  
Ministry  
We welcome men, women, youth,  
families and friends!

## THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Thanksgiving is just around the corner and our brothers and sisters at Christus Lutheran Church and Bridge of Peace in Camden need our help to provide Thanksgiving meals for their families. Can your family provide a Thanksgiving meal for another Lutheran family?

Here's what we include in each "basket":

Small frozen turkey	Rice
Box of stuffing mix	Dinner rolls
Instant mashed potatoes	Cranberry sauce
Large can of yams	Dry gravy mix
Canned peas & carrots (2)	Baked pie (not frozen) Dinner mints

The total amount for each "basket" this year is \$45.00 (higher because of increased food prices) . If you can donate any of the items above or give a donation for one family's meal (or more), you will be helping to provide a happier Thanksgiving for someone in great need. Make your check payable to Saint Matthew Lutheran Church and place it in the offering plate or send it to the church office. Deadline for all donations is Sunday, November 16.

On Friday, November 21, at 6:00 pm the youth of Saint Matthew Church will be doing the shopping and assembling the food bags. On Saturday, November 22, we will be delivering to Camden. Please help us to make this a memorable Thanksgiving for our youth and the families we feed. Contact **Rene Cherson**, 856-234-7891, with any questions

### "BE NOT AFRAID"

#### PROJECT OF LUTHERAN IMMIGRATION AND REFUGEE SERVICE (LIRS)

LIRS is partnering with congregations in six states in an innovative, faith-based initiative called "Be Not Afraid." It is a pilot program designed to equip congregations to respond to immigration issues impacting their members and communities. Congregations are unsure how to respond and pastors are dealing with the loss of members and declining participation in classes and activities. Some churches have been confronted by Immigration and Customs Enforcement officers in raids right on church property. Immigrant families and the communities they live in are fractured by a broken system that often denies due process, separates parents and children, and creates a culture of fear impacting daily life.

The project is a joint effort between the ELCA and Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod (LCMS). LIRS has assembled an innovative package of materials and will focus on community partnerships. They will provide training and support to congregations struggling with immigration issues. The six regions participating in the pilot project are Los Angeles; Tampa, FL; Austin/Albert Lea, MN; New Jersey; Long Island, NY; and Houston. Pastor Giselle Coutinho and her congregation of Bridge of Peace Community Lutheran Church in Camden are featured in an upcoming publication of the *Be Not Afraid* campaign. Bridge of Peace is a multicultural, multiethnic congregation involved in immigration issues.

## Bible Study in November: Minor Prophets

Jonah – The prophet who runs away from God

Habakkuk – The prophet who thinks God has deserted his nation

Malachi – The prophet who speaks the final words from the Hebrew scriptures (Old Testament)

### Tuesday, 7:30 pm Track

11/4: Jonah; 11/11: Habakkuk; 11/18: Malachi

### Thursday, 10:30 am Track

11/6: Jonah; 11/13: Habakkuk; 11/20: Malachi

## CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

You may contribute to the beauty of our sanctuary during Christmas by purchasing a poinsettia. Contributors may take the plants home following the 10:30 pm Service on Christmas Eve. Tear off the order form below and either place it in the offering plate or in the secretaries box outside the office or mail it to the church office along with your check.

**Deadline for ordering: Sunday, December 7, 2006**

**(Note early deadline)**

**Please do not take your poinsettia until after the 10:30 pm Service on Christmas Eve. Remember what you ordered so that you do not take someone else's plant!**

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### Christmas Poinsettia Order Form

**All poinsettias cost \$11.00**

**Payment should accompany your order**

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ **Red Poinsettia**

\_\_\_\_ **White Poinsettia**

\_\_\_\_ **Pink Poinsettia**

(Indicate the no.  
of plants ordered  
beside each color)

**In thanksgiving for** \_\_\_\_\_

**In honor of** \_\_\_\_\_

**In memory of** \_\_\_\_\_

# Youth Group News

## Wednesday Nite Youth Group

Come to the Teen Den every Wednesday night from 7:00 to 8:00 for some fun, food and fellowship. Bring as many friends as you want any time! If you haven't gotten a chance to come this year because of fall activities, know you are welcome any time. The more, the merrier!

## Thanksgiving Shopping Nite

Ready to go crazy with a cart in Shoprite for those in need this Thanksgiving season? Meet at Saint Matthew at 6:00 on Friday, November 21. We will be shopping for all the fixings for Thanksgiving bags that will go to Camden. After we shop till we drop, we'll head back to the church to assemble all the bags. A sign-up sheet will be in the Teen Den. You can contact **Lee Zandstra** if you have any questions: 610-952-8705.

**Gently used career clothing needed:**

Youth and Family Ministry is collecting much needed clothing that will be donated to New Visions in Camden for men and women who are beginning to re-enter the work force. Clothing can be dropped off in the closet near the rear parking lot entrance. Please mark it clearly for "Career Clothing". Our first career clothing delivery will be on December 7th when Saint Matthew 7th and 8th graders will prepare and take lunch to New Visions.

### **Note:**

We received an addition to our college student list: **Shannon Lange** is a graduate student at Teacher's College of Columbia University.

**Sunday School Parents Night Out**

**Saturday, November 1, 7:00 pm**

**Bring your favorite appetizer**

**or dessert**

**Baby sitting by Youth Group**

**Free-will offering**

## NINTH GRADERS CONFIRMED

On Sunday, October 26, at the 11:00 worship service four of our ninth grade students made public profession of their faith during a Service of confirmation. This celebration marked the end of an extensive instruction program that began in the seventh grade. It also marked the beginning of their adult life at Saint Matthew Lutheran Church.

The students spent two years in class meetings, Discovery Day trips, retreats, attending worship services and doing service projects before being paired earlier this year with an adult mentor who helped her/him explore important Christian teachings. We are very grateful to our mentors for the time and effort they were willing to share.

We congratulate and offer continuing prayers to the following:

**Lloyd Alexander Flores, Dana Maria Jacoby, Erik William Moran, and David Dietrich Naylor.**

Their mentors were **Dick Graybill, Cara Lowy, Charles Steiner and Chip Thomas.**

(Editor's note: Prior to their confirmation, an inquiry was given to each student, requesting information for use in the Messenger to help the congregation know them a little better. Questions asked were, "What are your hobbies, interests, school activities?" Their answers follow.)

**Alexander Flores** is 14 years old and attends Northern Burlington Regional High School. He is an undefeated track runner and also likes to play football and lacrosse in his spare time. He speaks Spanish and a little Filipino in addition to English. He lives in Columbus with his parents **Lloyd and Kim** and has been a member of Saint Matthew church for his entire life.

**Dana Jacoby** lives in Delran with her parents **Bruce and Monika** and her sisters **Rachel and Laura**. She attends Delran High School where she is involved in many activities like marching band, concert band, concert choir plus Bel Canto and Chamber Choirs. She participates in musical productions and says she is "a very outgoing person."

**Erik Moran** enjoys doing creative things such as writing stories, drawing comics, etc. He recently began his freshman year at Lenape High School. He was baptized at Saint Matthew and he and his parents **Ray and Sandy** and brother **Erik** regularly attend church "and enjoy it," he said. They live in Mt Laurel.

**David Naylor** likes to hang out with his friends. He lives in Moorestown and attends Moorestown High School. He goes to Youth Group and tries to take part in church events. He says he likes "to doodle." His family consists of his parents **Eloise and Michael** and brothers **Dan, Tim and Wylie**.

## Sunday School Students Receive Bibles

On Sunday, October 19, Bibles were presented to students in our Sunday school. Most of them are third graders; however, there was a tenth grader who was not in our Sunday school to receive a Bible. The Bibles were given to the parents who then gave them to their children. Those receiving their Bibles were **Alyssa Leone Cherubino, Keira Lynn Hippman, Anthony R. Mazzola, Louis A. Mazzola, Ella Peterson, Audrey Reppert and Giovanni Saura.**

The students will learn to use and read their Bibles during their Sunday school lessons.

## ADULT FORUM in NOVEMBER

Continuing our discussion of Christian "vocation," we seek instruction from our Jewish roots, another values-system, Scripture, and our mutual experiences:

**November 2:** "*Mitzvot: The Contractual Foundation of Traditional Judaism*" ... a study of the 613 Commandments of Judaism as a handbook for life. Presented by **Dr. Edmond Weiss**, a technical communications consultant and a Jewish scholar.

**November 9:** "Hinduism as a Way-of-Life" Presented by **Dr. and Mrs. Arun Kachroo**, a neurologist and, by ancestry, a Kashmiri Brahman. (Expect some discussion of conflicting Muslim outlooks as well.)

**November 16:** "Bonhoeffer on Discipleship", using some examples from his life and writings. Presented by **Professor Jeffrey Kelly**, of the Department of Religion at LaSalle University and former president of the English-speaking section of the International Bonhoeffer Society. (He will also offer a signing of his new book, *Reading Bonhoeffer*.)

**November 23:** "The Names of Biblical Vocation: Faith, Change of Heart and Mind, Discipleship, Stewardship, Obedience, Love, Servanthood, Carrying-Your-Cross, Union with Christ, Theosis, Holiness (and others); Roles, Choices and Discernment" - a class study and discussion of life as a Christian.

**November 30:** "My Story/His Story" continues the previous session, encouraging participants' discussion of their understandings, struggles and joys of living this life.

Community Thanksgiving Eve Service

Wednesday, November 26, 2008

7:30 pm

Our Lady of Good Counsel

42 West Main Street, Moorestown

Preacher ~Father Damian McElroy

sponsored by

the Moorestown Ministerium

**The WELCA Morning Circle** will meet at 10:00 in the Shockey Lounge on Friday, November 14. **Florence Fogel** is the discussion leader. Afterwards we will have lunch at Ted on Main in Medford. All women are welcome.

## Ministry of the Month WORSHIP AND MUSIC

When you think of worship, what words come to mind? Your list will be long, but some of the words included might be *hymns, communion, ushers, scripture lessons* and *prayers*. The Worship and Music Ministry has the responsibility of providing assistance to the Pastor with these and other aspects of our church services.

The **Altar Guild** prepares the sanctuary for services with the proper paraments, flowers, altar candles and bread and wine for communion. **Ushers** welcome and assist worshipers, pass out bulletins, collect the offering and direct communicants to the altar.

Our **choirs** enhance the service experience with their musical selections, and they support our singing of the hymns and liturgy.

**Readers** share the lessons for the week with us and **communion assistants** both serve communion and offer prayers. These functions are core to our weekly and special worship services and it takes many members to work together to enhance them.

The Worship and Music Ministry meets monthly with the Pastor and the Cantor to discuss service planning and scheduling and other aspects of our worship life together. We welcome the participation of all congregation members in our activities and functions. There will be a Temple Talk at both services on November 23, and information will be available in the narthex following the services.

Our tasks are many and “many hands make light work”! Think about being an Altar Guild member, an usher, a choir member, a reader or communion assistant. This is an important aspect in the life of our congregation and there is a place for all to participate. Think about it - and then give it a try! We know you’ll be glad you did!

*Christine Cassel*, Chair  
Worship and Music Ministry

## Honoring Pastor Herluf Jensen

The luncheon celebration to honor Pastor Jensen on the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his ordination was a very successful event, enjoyed by all who attended, and we are grateful to all who worked so hard to make it special. There were 157 reservations for the luncheon, one less than “standing room only”.

We are happy to report that generous donations from many people helped to raise \$11,965.00 for the Jensen Fund, which was given to Hopeworks ‘n Camden, the organization that provides the youth of Camden the opportunity to become more technologically proficient. This included matching funds of \$2600 from Thrivent Financial for Lutherans (both the Burlington and Camden Chapters). A mock “oversize check” was presented to Father Putthoff, Director of Hopeworks, at the luncheon. **Pastor Wengert** and **Bob Ganskopp**, chair of the Jensen Anniversary Committee, presented the actual check to Father Jeff on October 21. We thank everyone who had a part in making this contribution possible. Members of the congregation will continue to have the opportunity to contribute to the Jensen Fund through special offering envelopes included in your box of envelopes for 2009. More information about Hopeworks can be found on their website, [www.hopeworks.org](http://www.hopeworks.org).

A special thank you to Saint Matthew Church was included in the October issue of Hopeworks News, which read, in part, as follows: “*Pastor Jensen and his wife Dorteia did many things to bring*

*hope and resources to people in Camden, and as part of the celebration St. Matthew selected Hopeworks to receive the first donation from the Herluf Jensen Fund...Thank you so much to Pastor Jensen for his lifetime of service and ministry, and to all of the people of St. Matthew Church for your generosity and support."*

The following note of appreciation was sent to Bob Ganskopp from Father Jeff:

*"I wanted to thank you and all the people of St. Matt's for the wonderful donation that you made possible. I must say that it was quite wonderful to be with you all this past Sunday and to learn about Herluf's life and the spirit of St. Matt's. Your gift seems all the more poignant given Herluf's life. Please extend my deep and sincere thanks to all who made this possible and know of my continuing prayers for abundant blessings on you and all the people of St. Matt's. Let me know if there is ever anything I can do for you."*

We received the following thank you from **Pastor Jensen**, written while recovering from hip replacement surgery, which he had three days following the celebration:

*"Dear Pastor Wengert, Bob & Lynne Ganskopp and all those on the special Jensen Anniversary Committee and all who involved themselves to honor a 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of my ordination.*

*To all of you I owe a special thanks, not just for that Sunday's events, but for the 40 years of special involvement in mine and Dot's life. For all of the very special praise and thanksgiving to God our Lord.*

*I'm lying on my bed in the rehab center of Mt. Holly Hospital, in recovery following surgery on October 1. I thank you all heartily for your prayers, your greetings and your prompt and gracious encouragement of the gospel through our worship, witness and human service. I thank God for you and the witness of meaningful love you have sought to perform. **Herluf M. Jensen***

We received this thank-you letter from the Jensen children:

*Thank you so much for the wonderful worship service and the banquet with which you honored our father. You made the day a very joyous one for our parents. It was a treat for them to reconnect with so many good friends who have been important to them here at St. Matthew and at the Synod. The speeches, special music, the cards and letters were all very meaningful to them. The beautiful mums, the delicious food and the view of the water helped to make the day special. Though you may think that the festivities ended in the afternoon, they did not as Herluf and Dot spent all of Monday evening reading the many cards and letters that you collected. It was a special time indeed. Finally, the generous gift of \$10,000 plus to Hopeworks 'n Camden is a great way to carry our father's ministry in Christ forward.*

*We also want to thank you for the support and loving friendship which you have given our parents over the last several years. The flowers, the visits, and the home cooked meals continue to cheer and comfort them. **Tezanne, Lance, Cynthia, Roslind and Peter***

The Pastor Jensen Anniversary Committee

**Bob Ganskopp, Chair**

**Rozella Bower, Kris Burns, Mary Cross, Ruth & Ray Fausak,**

**Sue & Ray Kuhn, Willie Thomas, Mae Trebing, Kim Villani,**

**Pastor Ingrid Wengert**

## The Lunch Bunch

*(a ministry providing a monthly lunch for the homeless  
at New Visions Community Services in Camden)*

As promised – here's the latest info on finding a new source for our Lunch Bunch food supplies. I am pleased to announce, by the grace of God, our new partner in the fight against hunger... **Wegman's** in Mt Laurel. What a blessing this is! Without going into particulars, know that I am working to refine the details of our arrangement. If you haven't done so already, check out their great store.

I stayed in the background at our October get together, and served as joke master and DJ, while the crew happily went to work making the sandwiches, humming and singing to the second CD of American Graffiti soundtrack. My thanks to all the crew for stepping in to assist while I was not feeling well. You guys are the best!

Our next Lunch Bunch session will be in the Teen Den on the second Thursday of the month; that's November 13<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm. Doc Korman and Bernie Williams will be coordinating that effort since I (and a couple other regular lunch bunchers) have a conflicting engagement. So...**they'll need your help**. Please join them for a fun time; *a single hour that makes such a difference to those whom we serve through this ministry*.

And if you cannot physically participate, your financial support is welcome and most appreciated. You, inspired by the Holy Spirit, are the perpetuators of this much needed ministry.

As always, the folks at the New Visions Center love your baked goods, so... please keep 'em comin'. Place them on a disposable plate or container ....and leave them at the church office, or on the desk just outside the office. We'll keep them in the freezer till the appropriate time.

God bless you and .....THANKS a bunch ... a Lunch Bunch!

*William Lawrence*, Parish Coordinator

## Rainbow of Hope Concert

Don't miss the annual *Rainbow of Hope Harvest Concert* on Sunday, November 9, at 3:00 pm at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church on Fork Landing Road in Maple Shade. **Robert Edwin** (we know him as **Bob Steinfort**) and Joseph Krupa will be performing, along with the Chorale of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Hainesport and Paul Street, international country music recording artist.. The cost for an afternoon of beautiful music is \$12 per person. Tickets will be available in the narthex following each Sunday service October 26 and November 2 and at the door before the concert. The concert proceeds benefit the mission of Rainbow of Hope in helping single mothers to get a new start.

**“This Night . . . A Wondrous  
Revelation”**

**Saint Matthew Advent  
Concert**

**Sunday, December 14, 2008  
4:00 pm in the sanctuary**

An afternoon of readings, hymns, musical  
selections by choirs and soloists

**Bringing Potluck BACK!!!**

The Fellowship & Parish Life Ministry invites you to join them and other Saint Matthew members and friends for a potluck dinner and children’s craft immediately following the Advent Concert. Mark your calendar for December 14, 2008, 4:00 pm. More details to follow. This will be a wonderful opportunity to gather together to celebrate the Christmas season!!

**Pulpit & Lectern Exchange with  
Bridge of Peace, Camden**

Pastor Giselle Coutinho will preach at Saint Matthew on Sunday December 7 and leaders from Bridge of Peace will facilitate our adult forum at 9:45am

Pastor Wengert will preach at Bridge of Peace’s 11 am service on December 7. Professor Tim Wengert will lead a class on “Luther and the Devil” on November 16 at Bridge of Peace.

**Advent Devotions**

**Advent begins on November 30**

**Adults** – Advent devotionals will be available in the narthex on Sunday, November 23. This year’s devotional is once again written by Timothy Wengert

**Children** – Families with children up to grade 12 will be mailed Advent devotions the week of November 23.

## **NEW MEMBER CLASSES**

Pastor Wengert will lead four classes for anyone interested in becoming a member of Saint Matthew Church. The classes will be held at 9:45 am (during the Sunday school hour) on November 2, 9, 16 and 23. New members will be received during the 11:00 am service on November 23. Those interested should contact Pastor Wengert at 856-235-2055.

## **Camden Kids Christmas Party**

The annual Christmas party for the children of Camden will be December 9 in Fellowship Hall. Help will be needed with set up, cooking, clean up, etc. Also each child will receive a new or gently used book. Take time to look through books your children have “outgrown” and bring them to the church. Books for young children as well as for teens are needed. A bin is available in the narthex for depositing them. Contact **Mae Trebing** if you can help or have questions: 609-239-4942; [gtrebing@comcast.net](mailto:gtrebing@comcast.net).

## **Results of Flu Clinic**

A flu clinic was held at Saint Matthew Church on Sunday, October 19. The proceeds from the money collected for the flu shot were \$415, which will be used to aid the youth from Saint Matthew traveling to the Youth Gathering in New Orleans next summer.

## **IN THE COMMUNITY**

### **Annual Holiday Toy Drive**

Catholic Charities is once again sponsoring a toy drive for children who may not have much in the way of gifts for Christmas. A list of suggested clothing and gifts is on the community bulletin board in the narthex. Donations to the Delanco location of Catholic Charities will be accepted December 1 - 22.

### **Volunteers Needed**

Moorestown Visiting Nurses & Hospice is seeking caring and compassionate volunteers to visit terminally ill patients in their home or care facility. Training is provided and volunteers can give as little or as much time as they wish. Volunteers are also needed for office work, community outreach and bereavement. Contact the Volunteer Coordinator at 856-552-1300 or [volunteer@moorestownvna.org](mailto:volunteer@moorestownvna.org).

## **Martin Luther King Scholarship Luncheon**

Second Baptist Church, Moorestown, will hold its 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Scholarship Luncheon on Saturday, November 15 at the Riverton Country Club at noon. The theme is “Bearing the Torch Through Mentoring: Each One Teach One.” Guest speakers will be Captain Joycelin Robinson of the US Navy and Mr. Rick Williams, Channel 6 Action News Anchor. The public is invited. The donation is \$45 for adults; \$25 for youth. Contact the office at Second Baptist Church for ticket information.

## **College Choir Concert**

Bethel A.M.E. Church, Moorestown, will host the Howard University Choir in concert on Sunday, November 16, at 4:00 pm. The donation is \$25. For further information or tickets contact Sandra Haines, Church Administrative Assistant at 856-235-3152.

## **U.S. Census Bureau Recruiting for Jobs Available**

The Census Bureau is recruiting for various positions for the 2010 census. These positions will be available: office clerk, administrative assistant, office operations supervisor; recruiting assistant, enumerator, crew leader, assistant crew leader and field operations supervisor. Call toll free to be scheduled for a basic skills test, 1-866-861-2010. Visit their website for more information at [www.census.gov/rophi/www/employ.html](http://www.census.gov/rophi/www/employ.html). Job descriptions of the various positions are available in the church office.

## **Volunteers Needed for AARP Tax Counseling Team**

Each year AARP volunteers offer assistance to Moorestown seniors in their tax preparation. AARP Tax-Aide is the nation's largest free volunteer-run tax counseling and preparation. Volunteers are needed to help with Federal and State tax returns and Homestead/Property Tax Rebate applications. Only non-complex returns are handled and training is provided. The counseling takes place on Fridays from the beginning of February through April 15. To join a great team of volunteers, call 856-234-7731.