ST. VALENTINE'S PARISH, PHILADALPHIA, PA

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 8th 22nd SOLEMINTY OF BROTHERLY LOVE, (WHITE)

9:30AM Mass for the soul of the departed Wanda Groman

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 15th 24th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME, (GREEN)

LESSON: Isaiah 50:4-9 **LESSON:** James 2:14-18 **GOSPEL:** St. Mark 8:27-35

9:30AM Mass for the soul of the departed Marie Spilis

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: OCTOBER 13th Solemnity of Christian Family;

OCTOBER 14th Columbus Day

9-11: This Wednesday September 11th marks the 33rd Anniversary of the attack on our Country since Pearl Harbor. Destroyed were the twin Towers in New York, the Pentagon and the crashing of a plane in PA. It shut down our nation for days. Many lost their lives that day, and those who lived, their lives have gotten worse. Let us stop and remember all the victims of that terrible day.

SACRED VOCATIONS: Please pray for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood and Diaconate.

LOVE: We are told by our Blessed Master to Love one another as He has loved us. On this Feast of Brotherly love what does that mean? We live in the city of Brotherly love. What that means is to have consideration for one another. To treat each other with kindness, courtesy. It does not mean we need to fall down lovey bear for each other. As members of the same parish we are to care for each other to look at the needs of others and try to help. We are not to put conditions on that love, but o what we can. This feast was instituted by Blessed Francis Hodur at a time when the members of our Church were being treated badly. The Word of Jesus tells us to love even when it is hard to do.

IN NEED OF PRAYER: Michele Elliot, Bridgette Roth, Christi Duff, Nancy, Kyle, Fr. Carmen, Maria Harrington.