

Stained Glass Windows

**Restoration and Repair
Saint John of God Church**

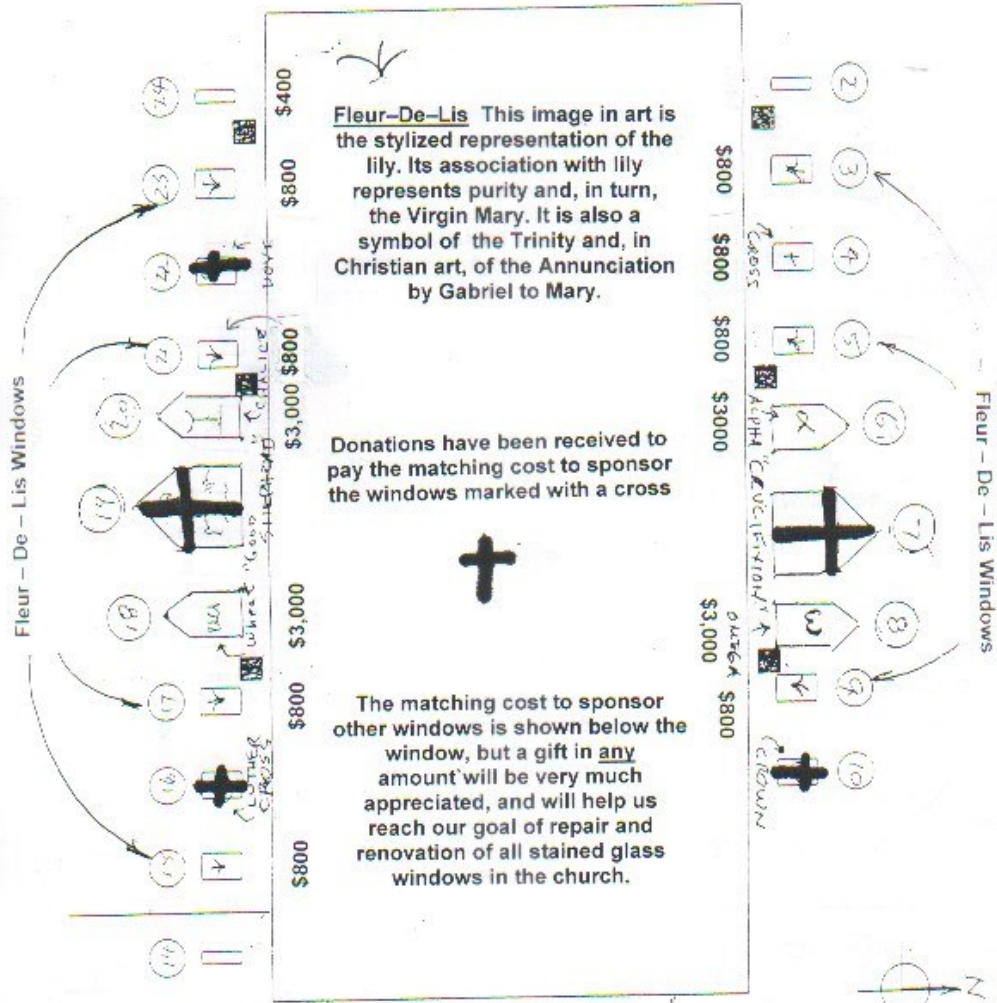
The response was immediate to last week's appeal for donations necessary to cover the cost of our stained glass windows in greatest need of repair and renovation. Not only do we now have funds for the windows which were listed on the bulletin insert (Good Shepherd, Crucifixion, Christ's Face, Luther Cross and Dove), but an additional donation will pay to re-lead the Crown window on the courtyard side of the church. Finally, a separate gift was made to pay part of the cost for protective covering of windows not planned for this year's re-leading.

Because of this immediate success in raising necessary funds for the high-priority windows it is possible for us to consider expanding this summer's work. It would be especially opportune to do so because not only is a generous benefactor matching each donation, but the stained glass studio offers favorable pricing for an expanded scope of work.

On the attached page is shown a layout of windows in the church. Those for which a donation has already been received have been highlighted with a cross. Others which could be added to the work this summer are shown, with a matching cost figure to pay for re-leading. As indicated on last week's insert, a benefactor covering the cost of an entire window will be named, if they wish, on a small brass plate below the window, similar to the plate beneath the print of Our Lady of Perpetual Help (next to the Access-for-All side door of the church). This recognition of an individual, family, ministry, etc. might express "a gift from...", or "in memory of..."

By no means is it necessary to sponsor a window. Gifts of any amount will be greatly appreciated, and will contribute to our being able to do as much work as possible this summer. Checks may be delivered to Paula in the office or put in the Sunday collection, marked "stained glass". Please call or e-mail Joe Cline if you have any questions or comments. 415-563-8271, jwdc56@msn.com.

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Fleur-De-Lis This image in art is the stylized representation of the lily. Its association with lily represents purity and, in turn, the Virgin Mary. It is also a symbol of the Trinity and, in Christian art, of the Annunciation by Gabriel to Mary.

Donations have been received to pay the matching cost to sponsor the windows marked with a cross



The matching cost to sponsor other windows is shown below the window, but a gift in any amount will be very much appreciated, and will help us reach our goal of repair and renovation of all stained glass windows in the church.

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