

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE

CATHOLIC CHURCH

5201 Cross Timbers Road | Flower Mound, TX | 75022 | 972.436.9581 | stphilipcc.org

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 11, 2024



WELCOME!

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil, 4 PM Sunday, 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, 1 PM, and 5 PM Monday & Tuesday, 9 AM Wednesday, 6:30 PM Thursday & Friday, 9 AM 1st Friday, 6:30 AM 1st Saturday, 9 AM

CONFESSIONS

Wednesday, 4:30-6 PM Saturday, 2:30-3:15 PM Also by appointment

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday, 9 AM-5 PM Friday, 9 AM-1 PM Weekend Receptionist also available

in St. Joseph Hall 30 minutes before and after Masses

BECOME CATHOLIC

Contact Matt Gill at 817-846-4486 or mattg@stphilipcc.org to set an appointment. For more details, visit stphilipcc.org/becomecatholic

WELCOME TO ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Baptism is celebrated at weekend Masses. Contact Matt Gill at 817-846 -4486 or mattg@stphilipcc.org

CONFESSIONS

Wednesday, 4:30-6 PM Saturday, 2:30-3:15 PM Also by appointment

1ST EUCHARIST & PENANCE

Contact Kim Carr at 972-219-1511 or kimc@stphilipcc.org.

CONFIRMATION

Matt Gill at 817-846-4486 or mattg@stphilipcc.org

MARRIAGE

Contact Matt Gill at least 9-12 months in advance at 817-846-4486 or mattg@stphilipcc.org

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Available at any Mass; notify the sacristan on arrival. On First Fridays, special Anointing service during 9 AM Mass. Contact the Office for Anointing at other times.

ADORATION TIMES

Wednesday, 7-8 PM Thursday, 9:30 AM - 12 PM

Adoration for Life

Second Monday of the month, 9:30 AM - 12 PM

All Day Adoration

Offered monthly; see dates at stphilipcc.org/adoration

Cover image: Detail from "Christ Healing the Leper", attributed to Pieter de Jode I



Office Hours

Friday, 9 AM-1 PM

Bulletin Deadlines

bulletin@stphilipcc.org

Monday-Thursday, 9 AM-5 PM

Submit items by 12 noon, 9 days in

To request a priest

in an emergency:

Call 972-709-2364

advance of publication date to:

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Funerals

Call 214-222-6700 for assistance.

See all Parish Staff contacts at stphilipcc.org/contact or scan the QR code.





SWEETS FOR SEMINARIANS BAKE SALE FEBRUARY 10/11

K of C Cookout

The Knights and Lady Knights will be serving breakfast (burritos) or lunch (hot dogs) after select Masses on February 11.

BBQ will also be available for sale to take home.

Net proceeds from this month's Cookout go toward seminarian support!

Lady Knights Bake Sale

Benefiting our parishioners currently in the seminary:

Ryan Pecoraro, Michael Marincel, and Alexander Jansen.

Stop by after all Masses and pick up something sweet for that special someone in your lives, family members, teachers, neighbors, and friend for Valentine's Day.

Celebrate the Anniversary of the Dedication of Our Church!

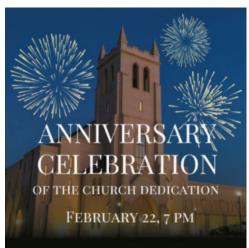
Thursday, February 22 7 PM—Mass

8 PM-Anniversary Celebration in St. Joseph Hall

"For in this visible house that You have let us build and where You never cease to show favor to the family on pilgrimage to You in this place, You wonderfully manifest and accomplish the mystery of Your communion with us." ~Excerpt, Preface for the Common of the Dedication of a Church

Please join us for the special Mass to mark the anniversary of the dedication of our new church. As we celebrate the day that Bishop Olson consecrated our church and celebrated the first Mass, we look back with gratitude on two years filled with blessings.

Following Mass, please join us for an anniversary celebration in St. Joseph Hall; enjoy refreshments and see photos of the building of the church!



OVER THE WEEKEND

RECEPTIONIST

Denise Koch

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Weekend receptionist is also available in St. Joseph Hall 30 minutes before and after weekend Masses.

MUSIC & LITURGY

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Dr. Katherine Schmitz, D.M.A.

Director of Music and Organist 972-219-1846, kschmitz@stphilipcc.org

NURSERY SERVICES

The nursery is open for 9 AM, 11 AM, and 5 PM Sunday Masses.

Our nursery cares for children ages 18 months to 3 years of age.

Where is the nursery located?

The nursery is located on the second floor of St. Joseph Hall; take the stairwell in St. Joseph Hall and the nursery is the first door on the left when you arrive upstairs.

SECURITY

Dan Jacobs

Facilities Manager 972-353-8480, djacobs@stphilipcc.org

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LENT AT ST. PHILIP

Ash Wednesday is a Day of Fasting and Abstinence

Catholics are obliged to undertake certain penances as part of Lent:

1. Abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays in Lent - If you are 14 and older and in good health.

2. Fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday

If you are from the ages of 18-59 and in good health.

How to fast: On a day of fasting you may eat one full meal and two smaller meals that together do not equal a full meal.

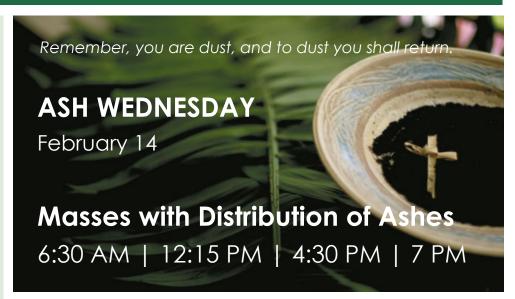


K of C Fish Fry

Fridays during Lent, 5-7 PM (except Good Friday)

Cost: \$15 per plate for adults and \$10 for Children under 12

Includes Fish, Fries, Hush Puppies, and Coleslaw. Cash, checks and credit cards accepted.



Before beginning His public ministry, a mission that culminated with His Passion, Death, and Resurrection, Jesus went out into the desert and fasted for forty days. Following His example, we observe the forty days of Lent leading up to Easter each year to prepare ourselves for the mission to which God has called each of us: the crosses that we must bear, and the sharing in the Resurrection that follows. The Church particularly recommends three practices for the observance of Lent:

Prayer - Conversion in relation to God

Developing (or beginning) a habit of prayer is as essential to our relationship with God as conversation is essential to our relationship with other people. Make some time for prayer this Lent: prayer at home, prayer in your car, prayer while exercising, and especially prayer in the presence of Our Lord in the Eucharist during Adoration.

Fasting - Conversion in relation to self

Fasting from good things (foods, drinks, entertainments, etc.) is a way to put these things back into their appropriate places in our lives; it helps to moderate our use of them and refocus our attention on our relationship to God. It's also a kind of "strength-training" for the will; if we have practiced denying ourselves something, even something that isn't actually bad for us, it makes it easier to deny ourselves when it really counts: those times we are seriously tempted to sin. This practice is so important that the Church has made fasting and abstinence obligatory on certain days in Lent.

Almsgiving - Conversion in relation to others

Our time and treasure are important to our day-to day lives; we need them to take care of ourselves and our families and fulfill our responsibilities in this world. But we also know that they are gifts from God. We thank God for His gifts by using them well and generously: by volunteering to serve in some way and by contributing from our material wealth to assist those in need and to support the work of the Church. See page 12 for some ideas right here at St. Philip's!



Tuesday, February 20 6:30 PM in St. Joseph Hall

If you're new to the practice of Lent, we have a special session of Adult Catechesis/RCIA to answer questions about this solemn season. Learn about the theology of Lent, what the Church prescribes. and ways to make a fruitful observance of Lent, and feel free to ask your own questions about this season.



6:30 PM in St. Joseph Hall

For over 1,000 years, three Gospel readings have been used during Lent to draw people closer to Christ: The Woman at the Well, the Healing of the Man Born Blind, and the Raising of Lazarus. Over a three-part series, we will study each of these episodes to learn about Who Christ is, and what this means for each of us.

FOLLOW THE WAY OF THE CROSS FRIDAYS IN LENT, 7 PM February 27, March 5 & 12 - Stations of the Cross Confessions



Adult Catechesis/RCIA classes are for anyone wanting to learn more about the Catholic Faith. Our evening includes prayer, dinner, discussion, and lesson. Sign up is not required, but RSVP for dinner is appreciated. For information, go to stphilipcc.org/becomecatholic

Mission Mondays

Our Lenten Mission will be take place over three Mondays in March, each evening offering opportunities for renewal through Word and Sacrament, prayer and reflection. Please join us for Mass and one or more Mission events:

March 4, 11 & 18

5 pm - Light Meal and Lenten Reflection in St. Joseph Hall 6 pm - Angelus and Rosary

6:30 pm - Mass

7:15 pm - Holy Hour, Confessions

LENTEN MISSION MONDAYS March 4, 11 & 18

Enter the Desert: Conquering Temptation through Christ

In the Gospel, we read of three great temptations suffered by Christ in the desert, and of His ultimate victory over each one. The temptations to pleasure, power, or possessions are the three main categories of all the temptations that assail the human race; we can identify with each one - a humbling reflection. As we enter the desert with Christ in this season of Lent, however, we also reflect on the hopeful message that we can conquer temptation and sin through His power and grace.



Please help us fill the slots by signing up for a Holy Hour at stphilipcc.org/adoration

MASS THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Saint Scholastica 4 pm † Giovanna Cicoria

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

7 am + Peter & Lucy Morris 9 am + Ed Nejeschleba 11 am † Fr. Allan Hawkins 1 pm For the People of St. Philip 5 pm + Susan Rooney

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

9 am Intentions of Sebastian Sotelo

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

9 am † Msgr William Batik

Ash Wednesday

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Day of Fasting and Abstinence Confessions are cancelled. 6:30 am Intentions of Andrea Mudd

12:15 pm † Mrs. Jarmilla DeFilippis 4:30 pm + Paul R. Jenkins 7 pm For the People of St. Philip

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

9 am Intentions of Myriam Cadena

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

9 am † Nat Degaetano

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order 4 pm † Kimberly Millan Dabboussi

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

First Sunday of Lent 7 am † Patricia "Joyce" Odom 9 am † Doug Pyle 11 am † William Lowell Brawley, Jr. 1 pm + Pete Tijerina 5 pm For the People of St. Philip

Live-Stream Schedule Watch at stphilipcc.org/mass

Sunday Mass - 11 AM

Neighbor Days are Back!

Weekend of February 17/18 At the Church Entrance

Support Our Daily Bread homeless shelter this month with your donation of non-perishable goods. Donations will specifically go toward ODB's Family Shelter program, which houses families in a converted motel. Food is provided to these families while they participate in case management programs.

Please consider dropping off one or more of the following items on your way into Mass Feb. 17/18: Tuna, Ravioli with meat, Spaghetti Os, Vienna sausages, Beefaroni, Spam, Canned Hash, Canned beef Stew, Canned Chili, Granola/protein bars

Learn more about St. Philip Social Outreach on Page 12.



THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. PHILIP!

SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT

\$30,328.50 January 21 Priest Care Fund (Wk 2) \$453.00

DECEMBER 2023 CONTRIBUTIONS

\$293,058.00 Total Actual Total Budgeted \$291,967.00 Difference \$1,091.00

7/1/2023—12/31/2023

\$1,372,076.00 Total Actual Total Budgeted \$1,424,400.00 Difference (\$52,324.00)

DECEMBER 2023

ELECTRONIC CONTRIBUTIONS

Credit Cards/ACH \$116,948.12



For assistance with online giving, please contact Kathy Loy at KathyL@stphilipcc.org

or **972.219.0754**

WEEKLY CALENDAR

February 11 - 18, 2024

Sunday, February 11

Sunday Masses

7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, 1 PM, 5 PM Chin Community

2:15 PM Room 220, Church

Faith for Families

3:45 PM St. Joseph Hall

HS Confirmation

6:15 PM Classrooms

Simple Seven Challenge 7:30 PM Rooms 221 & 222

This Weekend

- Sweets for Seminarians Bake Sale after All Masses
- K of C Cookout after 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM & 1 PM Masses

Monday, February 12

Men's SCOF

6:30 AM St. Joseph Hall

Mass

9 AM Church

Cancer Prayer Group

9:30 AM Room 223

Adoration for Life

9:30 AM-12 PM Church

Children's Adoration

10 AM Church

Good Life: Mysteries in Mark

6:30 PM St. Joseph Hall

Safe Environment **Renewal Session**

7 PM Rooms 221 & 222

Tuesday, February 13

Mass

9 AM Church **Lectio Divina SCOF**

10 AM Room 220

Co-Ed SCOF

7 PM Tower Room 301

Wednesday, February 14

ASH WEDNESDAY

Confessions Cancelled

Mass & Distribution of Ashes

6:30 AM Church

Rosary for Clergy & Religious

9:15 AM Church

Mass & Distribution of Ashes 12:15 PM Church

Mass & Distribution of Ashes

4:30 PM Church

Mass & Distribution of Ashes

7 PM Church

Thursday, February 15

Mass

9 AM Church

Eucharistic Adoration

9:30 AM-12 PM Church

St. Peregrine's Peeps

9:45 AM Classrooms

Children's Choir

5:15 PM Church, Room 223

EMHC-Homebound Meeting

7 PM Room 220

College/Young Adults

7:15 PM Rooms 221 & 222

K of C Planning Meeting

7:30 PM St. Joseph Hall

Friday, February 16

Men's SCOF

9 AM Church

Monthly Adoration

9:30 AM-5 PM Classrooms

10 AM Tower Room 301

12:30 PM Tower Room 301

Lenten Fish Fry

5-7 PM St. Joseph Hall

Stations of the Cross

7 PM Church

6:30 AM St. Joseph Hall

Mass

Co-Ed SCOF

Women's SCOF

Confessions

7-7:30 PM Church

Saturday, February 17

Men's SCOF

7:30 AM St. Joseph Hall

Confessions

2:30-3:15 PM Church

Saturday Vigil Mass

4 PM Church

Friendship, Food & Fun

5:30 PM St. Joseph Hall

Sunday, February 18

Sunday Masses

7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, 1 PM, 5 PM

Chin Community

2:15 PM Room 220, Church

Faith for Families

3:45 PM St. Joseph Hall

HS Confirmation

6:15 PM Classrooms

SPY High School

6:15 PM St. Joseph Hall

Simple Seven Challenge

7:30 PM Rooms 221 & 222

This Weekend

- Neighbor Days after all Masses
- Coffee and Bagels after 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM Masses

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friendship, Food and Fun

Saturday, February 17, 5 PM in St. Joseph Hall

Friendship, Food and Fun is an adult pot luck dinner group. Our next dinner theme will be Looking Forward to Easter. Think about bringing one of your favorite Easter dishes. Reservations are required. Please call or text Deb Putman at 214-549-8444 or Rosemarie Bacci at 940-367-6986 to confirm your reservation and get your meal category assignment. If you have a preference as to what you would like to bring, please let us know as soon as possible. Food categories will be assigned on a first come, first served basis. Everyone is welcome at the table and there is always room for our adult friends and guests.

Blessed Palm Drop-Off

Do you have blessed palms from last year (or before) at home? Bring them to St. Philip's and we will reverently burn them for ashes for Ash Wednesday. Collection baskets for palms are available in the Narthex and by the Reception desk in St. Joseph Hall.



For more family-friendly activities coming up at St. Philip's, see page 10 or go to stphilipcc.org/family-life

FORMATION



"No Greater Love" **Adult Bible Study**

Begins February 20

Starting in February 2024, and continuing through Lent, we will be presenting Dr. Edward Sri's "No Greater Love", a five part study of Jesus' passion and death.

Filmed on location in the Holv Land, No Greater Love is a biblical pilgrimage that reveals Christ's amazing love for us. Theologian Dr. Edward Sri guides you through the last hours of Christ's life, from the garden of Gethsemane to Mount Calvary. Every step of the way, Old Testament prophecies, messianic expectations, biblical symbolism, and historical context shed light on the mystery of Christ's suffering and death. Experience a deeper understanding and appreciation of God's immeasurable and unconditional love for you—grow closer to Jesus than you ever have before.

Choose from two session options: 10 AM OR 7 PM Class dates are Tuesdays: February 20 & 27; March 5, 12 & 19; and the final Resurrection class on April 2.

For more information or to register for the study, go to stphilipcc.org/adultbiblestudy or scan the QR code.

Good Life Series: Mysteries in Mark

Meets on Mondays at 6:30 pm in St. Joseph Hall "Mysteries in Mark" is a selective discussion of some of the most intriguing questions about this Gospel. We'll explore the "mysteries" in each chapter successively over a four-part series. The Good Life is a FREE scripture study/catechism class that meets on select Mondays. It includes food & fellowship, prayer, discussion and lesson. You don't have to sign up (though we do ask that you RSVP if you'll be joining us for dinner) and may join anytime. More information and RSVP at stphilipcc.org/goodlife

College/Young Adults

Scan this QR code to join our email list and GroupMe to stay up to date with upcoming meetings and events!



Young Adult Mass

March 2, 6 PM, St. Patrick Cathedral

All young adults, ages 18-35, of the Diocese of Fort Worth are invited to a special bilingual (Spanish & English) Mass celebrated by Bishop Michael Olson on Saturday, March 2nd at 6:00 PM. This Mass will take place at St. Patrick Cathedral in Fort Worth. Dinner will be offered in the St Patrick Pastoral Center, but an RSVP is required before February 28, 2024.



St. Philip Youth Bible Studies

Encounter Christ in the Scriptures: please consider these upcoming Bible Study opportunities, open to youth in Grades 7-12:

7th-8th Grade Bible Study: Gospel of Mark

Begins Tuesday, February 27

Will meet Tuesdays from 4:30-5:3 PM in the Tower Room.

9th-12th Grade Bible Study: Gospel of Matthew Begins Tuesday, February 27

Will meet Tuesdays from 6:15-7:15 PM in Conference Room 217 (also known as the Vesting Room).

For more information, contact Dylan McBryde at dmcbryde@stphilipcc.org

Growing in Grace Online

Our Growing in Grace feature appears monthly in the parish bulletin. Subscribe to receive Growing in Grace articles via email or read online at stphilipcc.org/growing-in-grace or scan the QR code.



Connect - or Reconnect - with the Catholic Faith

6:30-8:30 PM in St. Joseph Hall

Adult Catechesis/RCIA classes are for anyone wanting to learn more about the Catholic Faith. Our evening includes prayer, food, discussion, and lesson. Classes offered year round; no need to sign up, join us anytime.

Upcoming Topics:

February 13 - NO CLASS: Join us Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14, for Mass

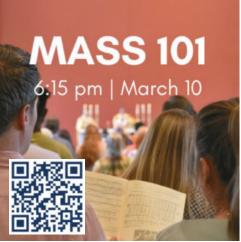
February 20—Lent Q&A: Everything from Ashes to Empty Tomb

For information and schedule, go to **stphilipcc.org/becomecatholic**

Meet with us; tell your story

We are available to meet with you. To set up a private meeting to tell your story and have your questions answered, please text Matt Gill at 817-846-4486 or mattg@stphilipcc.org. More information at stphilipcc.org/becomecatholic





Catholic 101—March 3, 6:15-8:30 PM

Do you have questions about how to reconnect with the Catholic Faith? Do you know how to answer basic questions about the Catholic Faith?

Mass 101-March 10, 6:15-8:30 PM

Do you feel lost or unsure of what to do during Mass? Is the Catholic Mass new to you, or has it been a while since you attended?

Learn about these upcoming events at stphilipcc.org/catholic101

Rosary for Clergy and Religious

Wednesdays at 9:15 AM

Please join us for a weekly Rosary every Wednesday morning to pray for our clergy, all those in the religious life, and men and women seeking the religious life.

FORMATION STAFF

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FAMILY LIFE AT ST. PHILIP

A Special "Valentine"

Although St. Valentine's Feast day is not celebrated this year due to Ash Wednesday, we can honor him and ask for his intercession. **For the kids:** color and cut out this little prayer card this week and ask St. Valentine to pray for you!





40DAYS FORLIFE.

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion! With God's help, here are the proven results in 30 coordinated campaigns:

- Over 20,000 babies saved from abortion
- Over 200 abortion workers converted
- Over 100 abortion centers closed

Here's how to take part in 40 Days for Life in our area:

Vigil location: Planned Parenthood in Denton on the side street facing Lillian Miller Pkwy, due to construction- 2436 S. I-35, Denton

Vigil hours: 8 am-8 pm

St. Philip Respect Life Ministry will be present at the vigil on Wednesdays from 11 AM-1 PM, but you can sign up anytime.

Learn more ... get involved ... and sign up for prayer times by visiting the campaign at

40daysforlife.com/denton







Safe Environment Facilitator Training

The Safe Environment Office of the Diocese of Fort Worth will be hosting New Facilitator Training Sessions on:

February 23, 5:30 pm—8:30 pm AND February 24, 8:30 am—4:00 pm

at Holy Name of Jesus parish hall in Fort Worth.

If you are interested in becoming a facilitator to lead sessions for Safe Environment Awareness, please contact Carolyn Ditsworth, St Philip Safe Environment Coordinator, at carolynd@stphilipcc.org or 214-222-6701. Deadline for registration is February 16th.

Saint Peregrine's Peeps

Thursday, February 15, 10 AM in the Classrooms

Whether you have been recently diagnosed with cancer, are in treatment or are dealing with its long-term impact, you are more than welcome to attend. Faith-Based Support Groups have been shown to emotionally and spiritually strengthen cancer patients during and after treatment, as well as provide the opportunity to share with others who understand the cancer journey. A diagnosis of cancer doesn't have to be experienced alone. Comfort and Hope await! Saint Peregrine, pray for us. Contact Susan Schabel at 214-222-6707 or sschabel@stphilipcc.org for more information.

Please Pray For...

Our brothers and sisters who are ill or distressed, especially \dots

Conrado Zamora, Bill Moorsin, Gay Wagner, Jim Maness, Tom Ruedi, William Rogers, Debbie Heintzman, Leland Davis, Steve Neubauer, Mercedes Carter, Joshua Spurgin, Gabriel Herrin, Dean Layh, Erik Schmitz, Turner Family, Frank Brick, Adiel Giner, Patty Giner

Our brothers and sisters with long-term or on-going health conditions, especially . . .

Pat Loehr, Wade Weakley, Margarit Pirro, Ali Beckwith, Emanuel & Lupita Valenciano, Yvette Valenciano, Carmen Sanchez-Rivera, Lynne Boyd, Greg St. Arnauld, Imelda Trinidad, Samantha Wischnewsky, Dennis Monnig, Ruth Fairchild, Liam Gutierrez, Debbie Blackstone, Saoirse Lane, Jeff Mann, Eva Davis, Shannon Browning, Tom Skaugen, Jean Witten, Susan Schabel, Jennifer Parks, Stacie Eskew, Lisa Hernandez, Dave Wyman, Ron Wyman, Alan Wyman, Eric Eggert, Brianna Valdez, John Penick, Maria Isava, Gloria Arzola, Gloria Longoria, Joan Becker, John-Paul Kalapati, Ron Gourlie, Peter & Cheryl Sourgose, Joseph Jackson, Marilyn Harms, Quinn Oteo, Rob Boyle, Aida LaTorre, Kathleen Aljoe, Jerrod Gamboa, Miguel Mirabal, Manuel & Gloria Santiago

Our brothers and sisters who have been born into eternal life \dots

Robert Bartley, Adela Gabriel, Jesus Manalastas, Jenie Manalastas, Jina Tanzman, Sue Herrera, Rodolfo Cruz, Tam Thi Vu

Our parishioners who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith . . .

Barbara Chrisman 2/10/2012; Ke Thi Nguyen 2/10/2012; Ann Murphy 2/10/2009; Lupe Martinez 2/10/2002; Agnes Patenaude 2/12/2012; John B. Mills 2/12/2002; Edgar Schumann 2/13/2023; Bernard "B.J." Meyer 2/14/1996; Betty Rogers 2/14/2023; Richard Reinhold 2/14/2023; Ira Diggs 2/15/2006; Daniel Bodrie 2/15/2019; Francisca Saucelo 2/15/2019; James A. Junginger 2/16/2006; Ernie Stautner 2/16/2006; Jean Wlazlowski 2/16/2016; Richard Carlson 2/17/2014; Anabel Sanabria de Isava 2/17/2022; Hector LaTorre 2/18/2022

Vocations . . .

Sr. Maria Bernadette, Sr. Maria Seraphina, Sr. Maria Therese, Sr. Maria Pia, Deacon Ben Grothouse, Alex Jansen, Ryan Pecoraro, Michael Marincel, all our diocesan seminarians, and for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

VOLUNTEERING

LEARN MORE!

stphilipcc.org/volunteer

There are many ways to get involved at St. Philip; to see all of the available opportunities, please see our website!



SAFE ENVIRONMENT

stphilipcc.org/safe-environment

St. Philip's Parish is committed to following the policies and guidelines of the Diocese of Fort Worth's Safe Environment Program to ensure a culture of safe and respectful conduct in all ministries.

Employees and volunteers are required to participate in "Virtus" Safe Environment Training every 2 years. The Virtus Safe Environment training sessions are offered as Zoom meetings online OR a live class format. For more information, please see our website or contact:

Carolyn Ditsworth

Volunteer Coordinator 214-222-6701, carolynd@stphilipcc.org

Upcoming Safe Environment Training Sessions

RSVP required to attend. Please see our website for additional class options.

Monday, 2/12

Renewal Training - For volunteers who have already taken the Initial Protecting God's Children class.

Saturday, 3/9

Renewal Training - For volunteers who have already taken the Initial Protecting God's Children class.

Monday, 3/25

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SOCIAL OUTREACH



Inaugural members of the St. Vincent de Paul St. Philip Conference leadership team (from L-R): Diane Jones and Marleen Bozimowski, Co-Secretaries; Paul Carter, Vice President; Pat Laubacher, Treasurer; Mary Beth Fitzgerald, President; Fr. Raymond McDaniel; and Dennis Bozimowski, Spiritual Director

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference Officially Installed at St. Philip

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, a worldwide network of over 800,000 lay Catholics, has started a conference at St. Philip. Inspired by the Gospel to grow in holiness and build a more just world through personal relationships with and service to the poor, our parish conference has established a leadership team and is looking to expand its membership!

Are you a future Vincentian?

If you have a desire to share your God-given gifts with members of the community who need them most, this might be the organization for you. A Vincentian's primary goal is to deepen his/her relationship with God through works of charity, which makes SVdP unique from other charitable organizations. For more information, contact Mary Beth Fitzgerald, President of our parish conference of SVdP, at 972.489.8882 or marybeth_fitzgerald@yahoo.com

"For it is in giving that we receive."

~St. Francis of Assisi

Almsgiving: How can You be a Witness to Fraternal Charity During Lent?

"The works of mercy are innumerable...
in the matter of almsgiving not only the rich and
affluent but also those of average means and the
poor are able to play their part. Those who are
unequal in their capacity to give can be equal in the
love within their hearts."

~St. Leo the Great

Lent is a beautiful time to extend our gratitude for all that God has given us. We are able to do this through almsgiving, which can be expressed through donating goods or money to those in need, or performing acts of charity.

Social Outreach offers many opportunities to engage in Lenten almsgiving, whether through onsite, direct activities (e.g., working the Heart of the City food pantry) or behind the scenes generosity (e.g., donating goods to our monthly Neighbor Days).

Discover how you can participate in almsgiving during Lent below:

1. Collect Neighbor Days Donations *February 17/18, Before all Masses*

2. Donate to Neighbor Days February 17/18, Before All Masses March 9/10, Before All Masses

3. Pack Lunches for Our Daily Bread

Saturday, February 24, at 8:45 AM in St. Joseph Hall Saturday, March 23, at 8:45 AM in St. Joseph Hall

4. Participate in Mission Day

Saturday, March 2; various times and locations

5. Cashier at CCA's Food Pantry

Friday, March 8 at 5:30 PM

Contact Us

Patricia Gonzalez

Director of Stewardship and Social Outreach 972-219-5838, pgonzalez@stphilipcc.org

RESOURCES

Ireland Pilgrimage with Fr. McDaniel

June 22-July 3, 2024

Join Fr. Raymond McDaniel on this 12-day pilgrimage to the Emerald Isle! In Ireland, "The Land of Saints and Scholars", you will journey with the early Christian scholars while in Clonmacnoise, live through the medieval journeys in Glendalough, learn about the life of St. Patrick, who brought Catholicism to the Irish people, and finish with a visit to Our Lady of Knock, the great Marian shrine and site of the renowned apparition. See full itinerary and register at:

https://www.206tours.com/cms/frmcdaniel/ireland/

Quick Info Questions

I'm sick/hospitalized/homebound

Contact the Parish Office at 972-436-9581 to request a visit from a priest or Holy Communion.

I want to return to the Sacraments/the Church

Contact Matt Gill at 817-846-4486 (text is best) or e-mail mattq@stphilipcc.org

I need spiritual guidance

Contact the Parish Office at 972-436-9581 to request an appointment.

I need information about a funeral

Call 214-222-6700 to reach our funeral planning staff.

I need financial/material assistance

Please go to stphilipcc.org/social-outreach and complete the online appointment request form.

I'm pregnant and need help

Contact Patricia Gonzalez at pgonzalez@stphilipcc.org or 972-219-5838.

I don't know where to begin...

Contact the Parish Office at 972-436-9581 or office@stphilipcc.org and let us know how we can help.

Sacramental Records

To request a record of sacraments received at St. Philip, go to stphilipcc.org/certificaterequest and fill out the online request form and release authorization for your records. Please allow at least two weeks for processing. Contact Gwen Kramer at 972-219-7448 or gwenk@stphilipcc.org for more information.



Extraordinary Ministers bring Holy Communion, prayer, Scripture, and compassion to the sick and homebound in nursing facilities, hospitals, and private homes.

CANCER PRAYER GROUP

If you have been diagnosed with cancer, please notify the Parish Office so that we can add you to the list for our Cancer Prayer Group. Our group meets every Monday at 9:30 AM to pray for those afflicted with cancer.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

One-on-one care to those in crisis situations such as loss of a loved one. illness, long-term hospitalization, anxiety, depression, loneliness, etc. Contact Susan Schabel at 214-222-6707 or sschabel@stphilipcc.org or go to stphilipcc.org/hope

CANCER SUPPORT

St. Peregrine's Peeps is a support group for those who have cancer and would appreciate the comforting support of others who have cancer. Contact Susan Schabel at 214-222-6707 or sschabel@stphilipcc.org for more information.

GRIEF SUPPORT

St. Philip offers two resources for grief support. A special 6-week bereavement program, "Grieving with Great Hope" is offered twice a year. For ongoing support, we also have a group which meets monthly on select Fridays. Contact Susan Schabel at sschabel@stphilipcc.org or 214-222-6707 or go to stphilipcc.org/hope

ANNULMENTS

For information concerning the process of annulment, please contact Veronica Sotelo at 972-219-7280 or vsotelo@stphilipcc.org

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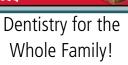


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