

ASCENSION



ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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 "The Ascension of Our Lord," Gebhard Fugel, ca. 1893

NEW TO ST. PHILIP'S?

Welcome! We're glad to have you here. If you wish to register with our parish, scan the QR code below or go to stphilipcc.org/register



QUICK INFO AND CONTACTS

Address

5201 Cross Timbers Road
Flower Mound, TX 75022

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Funerals

Call 214-222-6700 for assistance.

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday, 9 AM-5 PM
Friday, 9 AM-1 PM

Bulletin Deadlines

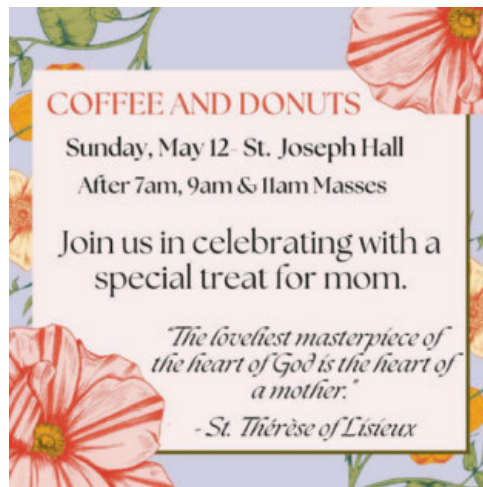
Submit items by 12 noon, 9 days in advance of publication date to: bulletin@stphilipcc.org

To request a priest in an emergency:
Call 972-709-2364

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



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!



Mother's Day Rosary Bouquet for Our Blessed Mother

Weekend of May 11/12

We're giving Mary a bouquet for Mother's Day! All parishioners are invited to participate by committing to pray the Rosary (weekly, daily etc.) going forward, most especially with your family. Cards will be available after all Masses this weekend to sign up.

Beginning the Rosary

If you are just beginning the habit of praying the Rosary, start small and develop ways to incorporate it into your life—especially life with kids! Try praying the Rosary in the car, or just praying a decade at a time through the day in those moments when you might normally reach for your phone.

Our lives never really stop, and forming any good habit ultimately means making a place for it, sometimes to the point of setting aside some other activity or pleasure. Like an exercise habit, the first few times might not "feel" like you're getting anywhere, but persevere! Don't be afraid to start over and keep trying. There are so many graces and benefits available to those who pray the Rosary:

"If families give Our Lady fifteen minutes a day by reciting the Rosary, I assure them that their homes will become, by God's grace, peaceful places." – Fr. Patrick Peyton

"The greatest method of praying is to pray the Rosary."
– St. Francis de Sales

"The family that recites the Rosary together reproduces something of the atmosphere of the household of Nazareth: its members place Jesus at the center, they share his joys and sorrows, they place their needs and their plans in his hands, they draw from him the hope and the strength to go on." – St. John Paul II

OVER THE WEEKEND

RECEPTIONIST

Denise Koch

Main Receptionist
972-436-9581, denisek@stphilipcc.org

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

MUSIC & LITURGY

Susan Schabel

Liturgical Coordinator
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Dr. Katherine Schmitz, D.M.A.

Director of Music and Organist
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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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SUMMER AT ST. PHILIP'S



Save the Dates for Summer Events:

May

- 25**—Moms of St. Philip Family Picnic, 11:30 AM
- 26**—Fr. Benjamin Grothouse visits at 9 & 11 AM Masses

June

- 2**—Corpus Christi Procession after 5 PM Mass
- 8**—Young Marrieds Meeting with Guest Speaker Matt Gill, 9 AM
- 9**—Knights of Columbus Cook Out after select Masses
- 15**—Parish Meet & Greet and Dance Party, 5 PM
- 16**—Father's Day Coffee and Donuts after Sunday morning Masses
- 30**—Parish Night Out at the Ballpark, 6:05 PM

July

- 4**—4th of July Family Picnic, 4-7 PM
- 7**—Marriage 101, 6:15 PM
- 15-19**—Catholic Kids Camp
- 21**—Coffee and Donuts after Sunday morning Masses
- 27**—Family Bingo Fun Night, 5-8 PM

August

- 17**—Parish Meet and Greet, 5 PM
- 18**—Back to School Coffee and Donuts after Sunday morning Masses



There's more!

For more upcoming St. Philip Family Life Events, go to stphilipcc.org/family-life Or contact Angie Ortiz at aortiz@stphilipcc.org

Newly-Ordained Priest to Celebrate Mass at St. Philip

Sunday, May 26, 9 AM & 11 AM Masses

Rev. Benjamin Grothouse, who will be ordained a priest on May 18, will visit our parish to celebrate the 9 AM & 11 AM Masses on Sunday, May 26. Many of you may remember Benjamin Grothouse from the year he spent at St. Philip's as a seminarian, and we are excited to welcome him! Join us after Mass to greet Father and receive a First Blessing.



SUMMER AT ST. PHILIP'S

ST. PHILIP CATHOLIC CAMP

JULY 15-19, 2024

IT IS THE LORD!

Jesus comes to us in the Seven Sacraments



CHILDREN'S ADORATION



Bring your little ones to begin experiencing the fruits of Eucharistic Adoration. Children's Adoration is held every second Monday of the month during Adoration for Life; we spend half an hour in Adoration with Jesus, and then meet afterwards for an activity!

Upcoming Children's Adoration

May 13

10-10:30 AM Adoration

10:30 AM Liturgical Living Activity

June 10

10-10:30 AM Adoration

July 8

10-10:30 AM Adoration

10:30 AM Liturgical Living Activity

August 12

10-10:30 AM Adoration

10:30 AM Liturgical Living Activity

Catholic Camp Online Registration Opens May 15!

**Catholic Camp is July 15-19, Daily from 9 AM - 1 PM
Open to Fall Grades 1-6**

Daily Mass, Confession, Music, Games, Recess, and more!



7th grade and up may volunteer. Please contact Carolyn Ditsworth at carolynd@stphilipcc.org for volunteer paperwork.

Enrollment is a two step process:

Step 1: Enter basic child info for the program and pay enrollment fee using the form at stphilipcc.org/summer-program (scan QR code)

Step 2: Complete Diocesan Forms A and B for each child enrolled (these forms are also available at stphilipcc.org/summer-program)

For more information, please contact Kim Carr at 972-219-1511 or kimc@stphilipcc.org

Family Friendly Summer Service Opportunity

St. Philip has partnered with Christian Community Action (CCA) once again to participate in Kids Eat Free. Kids Eat Free is a program that serves children who would normally be covered by the free and reduced lunches during the school year.

Can you volunteer to deliver snack bags on Fridays from May 24 through August 9?

This is a great opportunity for all ages and stages!

Visit the Special Projects page at stphilipcc.org/special-projects for more information.

Be sure to complete Safe Environment before signing up!

MASS THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, MAY 11

4 pm † Janet Frost

SUNDAY, MAY 12

Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

7 am † Eugenia Hastings McDaniel

9 am For the People of St. Philip

11 am † Tam Vu

1 pm † Joseph Mahoney

5 pm † George & Martha Smith

MONDAY, MAY 13

Our Lady of Fatima

9 am Intentions of Jorge Enrique Amores

TUESDAY, MAY 14

Saint Matthias, Apostle

9 am † Dorothy Zimmerer

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

Saint Isidore

6:30 pm Intentions of Randy & Kathy DeFilippis

THURSDAY, MAY 16

9 am † Bill Bowman

FRIDAY, MAY 17

9 am Intentions of Imelda Quintana

SATURDAY, MAY 18

Saint John I, Pope

4 pm † Kevin Curtis Hanson

SUNDAY, MAY 19

Pentecost Sunday

7 am † Jose Escobedo

9 am † Ruth Dubois

11 am For the People of St. Philip

1 pm † Abel Romero Paredes

5 pm † Robert John Adams

Live-Stream Schedule

Watch at stphilipcc.org/mass

Sunday Mass - 11 AM

Catholic Communication Campaign

Second Collection for the Weekend of May 11/12

Today we take up the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps CCC engage and build Catholic communities in the United States and around the world using the internet, television, radio, and print media.

Half the funds we collect remain here in the Diocese of Fort Worth to support local efforts. Be a part of this campaign to spread the Gospel message. To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/cc. Support the collection today during Masses or online at bit.ly/DioceseSpecialCollections (case sensitive).



Congratulations to the Class of 2024!

If you are graduating from High School or College this year, share your graduation information with us so that we can congratulate you and other grads in the Sunday Bulletin! Entries must be submitted by May 20 to be included. Fill out the Baccalaureate Mass form at stphilipcc.org/grad



Grads and their families are also invited to the Baccalaureate Mass on Sunday, May 26, at 5 PM. If you would like to attend, please RSVP at stphilipcc.org/grad by May 31. Attire for the Mass is Sunday best (no cap and gown). Please join us after Mass for a reception in St. Joseph Hall.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. PHILIP!

SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT

April 28 \$17,990.07
Seminarist Wk 2 \$230.00

APRIL 2024 CONTRIBUTIONS

Total Actual \$219,284.00
Total Budgeted \$214,667.00
Difference \$4,617.00

7/1/2023—4/30/2024

Total Actual \$2,313,266.00
Total Budgeted \$2,353,867.00
Difference (\$40,601.00)

APRIL 2024

ELECTRONIC CONTRIBUTIONS

Credit Cards/ACH \$120,935.53



DONATE ONLINE!

stphilipcc.org/give

For assistance with online giving, please contact Kathy Loy at KathyL@stphilipcc.org or **972.219.0754**

WEEKLY CALENDAR

May 12 - 19, 2024

Sunday, May 12	Monday, May 13	Tuesday, May 14	Wednesday, May 15
ASCENSION Sunday Masses 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, 1 PM, 5 PM Chin Community Prayer 2:15 PM Church, Room 220 <u>This Weekend</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mother's Day Rosary Bouquet for the Blessed Mother Coffee and Donuts after 7 AM, 9 AM, and 11 AM Masses 	Men's SCOF 6:30 AM St. Joseph Hall Mass 9 AM Church Adoration for Life 9:30 AM-12 PM Church Cancer Prayer Group 9:30 AM Room 223 Children's Adoration & Craft 10 AM Church, St. Joseph Hall Young Marrieds SCOF(Moms) 7 PM Tower Room 301 SE Renewal Training 7 PM Rooms 221 & 222	Mass 9 AM Church Women's SCOF-Lectio Divina 10 AM Room 220 Elementary Formation 4:30 PM Classrooms K/1st Parent/Child Class 4:30 PM St. Joseph Hall 7-8th Grade Bible Study 4:30 PM Tower Room 301 9-12th Grade Bible Study 6:15 PM Room 217 Co-Ed SCOF 7 PM Tower Room 301	Rosary for Clergy & Religious 9:15 AM Church Confessions 4:30-6 PM Church Elementary Formation 5:15 PM Classrooms Mass 6:30 PM Church Holy Hour 7-8 PM Church Elementary Formation 7:30 PM Classrooms SPY Middle School 7:30 PM St. Joseph Hall
Thursday, May 16	Friday, May 17	Saturday, May 18	Sunday, May 19
Mass 9 AM Church Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 AM-12 PM Church Children's Choir 5:15 PM Church, 223 Grieving with Great Hope 6:30 PM Rooms 221 & 222 St. Cecilia Choir 7 PM Church K of C Planning Meeting 7:30 PM St. Joseph Hall	<i>Parish Office Closed</i> Men's SCOF 6:30 AM St. Joseph Hall Mass 9 AM Church Monthly Adoration 9:30 AM-9:30 PM Classrooms College/Young Adults 7:15 PM Tower Room 301	Men's SCOF 7:30 AM St. Joseph Hall SE Renewal Training 10 AM Rooms 221 & 222 Confessions 2:30-3:15 PM Church Saturday Vigil Mass 4 PM Church <u>This Weekend</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Neighbor Day Weekend: Drop off donations before Masses (see page 12 for details) 	PENTECOST Sunday Masses 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, 1 PM, 5 PM Chin Community Prayer 2:15 PM Church, Room 220 Infant Baptism Class 2:30 PM Rooms 221 & 222

UPCOMING EVENTS



St. Philip Men's Cold Beverage Night is back! Join us at Harold Dean Smoked Goods for an evening of fraternity and fellowship over a cold drink (non-alcoholic options available).

Harold Dean Smoked Goods,
5801 Long Prairie Rd Suite 870

Parish Office Closed May 17

The Parish Office will be closed Friday, May 17, for a Staff Day.

Schedule for May 17

9 AM Daily Mass

9:30 AM-9:30 PM All Day Eucharistic Adoration



FORMATION



Genesis 1-2-3

May 20—Genesis 3

6:30 PM in St. Joseph Hall

The first three chapters of the Bible contain fundamental truths about our very existence and its meaning, and establish the guiding principles for many difficult moral issues of the modern day. Join us in going back to the basics, exploring the literal and spiritual meanings of Genesis 1-2-3. We'll dive into some important questions like evolution, the dignity of life, male and female, contraception, IVF, sin and its consequences, free will, and more.

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

Be a Mentor for High Schoolers

Discipleship Group Mentors needed!

A key part of the formation of youth at St. Philip's is our program of Discipleship Groups, which allows teens to meet in small groups under adult mentorship for more focused discussion, community, and development in the Catholic Faith.

Adult mentors are volunteers with a strong grounding in the Catholic Faith; they meet weekly with their group to mentor the teens as they learn to live out their Faith.

Consider volunteering in this important role of preparing the next generation. To get started, contact Dylan McBryde, Director of Youth Ministry, at dmcbyrde@stphilipcc.org

Vocation Awareness Program

For single Catholic Men and Women, ages 18-40

June 14-16, 2024

Discernment is not a journey you need to make alone. The Annual Vocation Awareness Program is a unique and proven opportunity to join others in seeking answers to questions about life as a Priest, Sister, Brother, or Consecrated Lay Woman, **and it's completely free.** The weekend includes presentations, panel discussions, Q&A, and one-on-one dialogue with Priests, Sisters, and Brothers.

No one will pressure you or seek a commitment. Learn more and apply at vapinfo.org Or contact Fr. Brett Metzler: 817-945-9321

Application Deadline June 3, 2024!

Aug 22-25, 2024



Men's ACTS Retreat

August 22-25, 2024

ACTS retreats are opportunities for spiritual renewal and the making of friends. Everything will be taken care of - just show up! Retreatants must be at least 21 years of age. Retreat fee is \$250. No one will be denied participation for financial constraints—please contact us if you need assistance with the fee.

Register online by August 10.

For information, scan the QR code or contact Retreat Director Drew Nicholls at 214-724-5853 or Co-Director Charles Redding at 956-282-6293.

Growing in Grace Online

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



Pray for Those Receiving Sacraments

Please join us in praying for all those who will be fully initiated into the Church at the 5 PM Mass on Sunday, May 19.

Camila O.
Cody O.
John O.
Carmen T.
Maliaonalani T.
Dallas W.

Elizabeth T.
Joaquin O.
Lillian W.
Nicholas V.
Rosa D.
Sophia S.

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 Dates and Topics:

May 21—*Oblation: The Mass*

May 28—*Salvation*

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

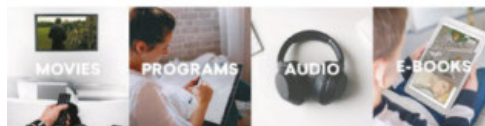
Meet with us; tell your story

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

Small Communities of Faith (SCOF)

Are you looking to grow in faith and meet other St. Philip parishioners? St. Philip's offers Small Communities of Faith (SCOF) for adults. These are adult discipleship groups, open to all, that meet regularly to grow in Faith and share in fellowship. We have several established groups that currently meet at the parish. For more information, please visit stphilipcc.org/SCOF or email Maria Carrera at MCarre-ra@stphilipcc.org

FORMED



Our parish has a subscription to FORMED, an online platform filled with over 4,000 Catholic studies, movies, audio dramas, talks, e-books, and even cartoons for our children. For FREE access all of FORMED's content, follow these simple steps:

1. Go to signup.formed.org
2. Enter our zip code: **75022**
3. Enter your name and your email address. That's it!

FORMATION STAFF

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SPRING



Evangelization & Formation

Daily Prayer. Weekly Mass. Regular Confession.
Live what you Believe. Believe what you Pray.



Starters

Catholic 101

stphilipcc.org/catholic101

6/23 after the 5PM Mass from 6:15-8:30pm - Upstairs classrooms
Reconnect with the Catholic Faith. Gain knowledge and confidence. Grow in Faith and also answer basic questions.

Mass 101

stphilipcc.org/mass101

6/30 after the 5PM Mass from 6:15-7:45pm - Upstairs classrooms
Do you feel lost or unsure of what to do during Mass? Is the Catholic Mass new to you? Adults/Teens. Q&A format.

Marriage 101

stphilipcc.org/catholic101

7/7 after the 5PM Mass from 6:15-7:45pm - Upstairs classrooms
Marriage is the rock of the family; family is the rock of society. Learn Church teaching on the Nature and Obligations of Marriage. All adults welcome. Q&A format.

Specials

Catholic Camp

July 15-19th - 9am-1pm

Fall Grades 1st-6th (7th grade and up - volunteers needed)
Daily Mass, Confession, Music, Games, Recess & More!

Faith for Families

stphilipcc.org/faithforfamilies

7/14, 7/21, 7/28, 8/4, 8/11, 8/18, 8/25
Sundays - 6:15-7:15pm - Upstairs Classrooms
Ideal for grades 6-12 preparing for Baptism and/or Communion.

Simple Seven Challenge

stphilipcc.org/simpleseven

7/14, 7/21, 7/28, 8/4, 8/11, 8/18, 8/25
Sundays - 7:30-8:30pm - St. Joseph Hall
Adults coming back to the Faith or preparing for Confirmation.

Favorites

First Communion/ First Confession

stphilipcc.org/first-communion

Fall (Group 1) - Parent/Child Classes - 10/6, 10/20, 11/10, 11/17
Must be baptized in the Catholic Church and be seven or older, usually in 2nd grade.

HS Confirmation

stphilipcc.org/confirmation

Parent Meetings (choose one) 6/24 or 7/22 at 6:30pm
Must be baptized and at least 15 years old or in the 10th grade. Confirmation with Bishop Olson - Summer 2025

Marriage

stphilipcc.org/matrimony

Year-Round - By appointment only.
Learn about, prepare for, or enrich your marriage.
3-hr private meeting on the nature/obligation of marriage

Main Courses

Adult Catechism / RCIA

stphilipcc.org/schedule

Tuesdays - 6:30-8:30pm - St. Joseph Hall
Prayer, Dinner and Discussion, Lesson

5/21 - Oblation (The Mass) // 5/28 - Salvation
6/4 - Matrimony // 6/11 - The Nature of the Church
6/18 - Baptism // 6/25 - Penance & Purgatory
Summer Intensive I - July 9, 16, 23 (Lessons 1-9)
Summer Intensive II - August 6, 13, 20 (Lessons 1-9)

College/Young Adult

stphilipcc.org/young-adults

Meets weekly with opportunities for social and service events throughout the year.

Discipleship Group (9-12th)

[/hsdiscipleship](http://hsdiscipleship)

Various Groups - See website for details or contact Dylan to sign-up.
Meeting Time and Day varies from group to group.
Personally tailored, small group formation.

SPY - Middle School (6-8th)

stphilipcc.org/spy

Starts September 11
Wednesdays - 7:15-8:30pm - St. Joseph Hall
Each meeting includes games, a lesson on faith/morals, and prayer for middle schoolers.

Other offerings please see webpage:

Adults: SCOFs, Good Life, Bible Studies & More
Teens: SPY High School, Bible Studies & More

Formation Enrollment - Opens July 22

Kids

Infant Baptism Class

stphilipcc.org/baptism-class

5/19; 6/9 & monthly meetings throughout the Summer (see webpage)
Sundays - 3-5pm - Upstairs Classrooms
For those baptizing first child or Godchild.
If child is 7 or older see Faith for Families

K-1

stphilipcc.org/elementary

Tuesdays 4:30-5:30pm St. Joseph Hall
Starts September 10

A Parent/Child class to learn about and help your child grow in their Faith.

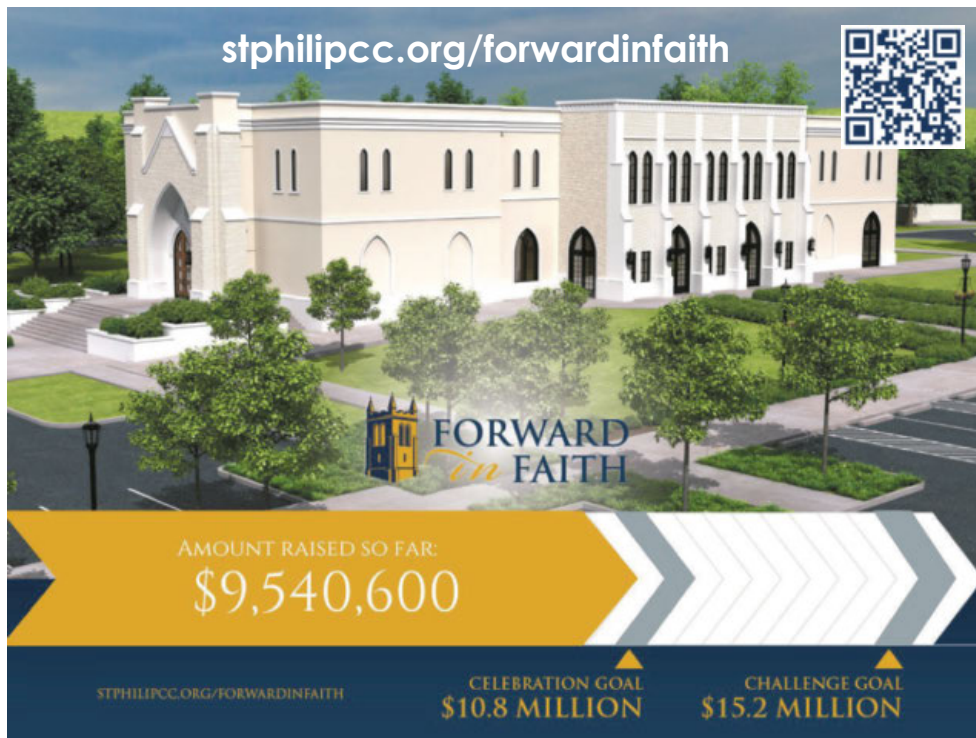
3-5th Grade

stphilipcc.org/elementary

Four Sessions offered on Tuesday & Wednesday evenings.
Starts September 10
Catechism classes on the teachings of Jesus, for those who have received the Sacraments of Confession & Communion.

Kim Bernadette Dylan Sissel Maria Matt

details & contact information - stphilipcc.org/formation



Please Pray For...

Our brothers and sisters who are ill or distressed, especially...

Donna Witten, Cathy Parish, Donna Adler, Maggie Pendleton, Herbert Mahl, Tom Tindle, Kathleen Cox, Conrado Zamora, Bill Moorsin, Gay Wagner, Jim Maness, Tom Ruedi, William Rogers, Debbie Heintzman, Leland Davis, Steve Neubauer

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

Michael Johnson, Marilyn Harms, Elmer Hall, Joyce Paxton, Laura Snyder, Charlotte Fouché, Lawrence "LJ" Jermyn, Rodrigo Galindo, Bernice Binford, Judi Engel, Mike Weller, Kate Woodley, 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

Our brothers and sisters who have been born into eternal life ...

John Fleming, Mary Lou Cantu

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

Mary DiMattei 5/12/2001; Thomas Fernandes 5/12/2020; Peter Hochstatter 5/13/2004; William Muller 5/13/2007; Joseph Veltri 5/13/2012; Joanne Fleming 5/15/2005; George Hunt 5/15/2007; Arthur Murnan 5/18/2001; Elizabeth King 5/18/2013; Eileen McCarty 5/18/2014; Honorato Wenceslao 5/18/2022; Billy Yates 5/20/2017; Robert Koehler 5/20/2019

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.

Our Parish Ministries ...

Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Makers

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 a live class format, with an occasional Zoom session. Please see our website for more information or contact:

Carolyn Ditsworth

Volunteer Coordinator

214-222-6701, carolynd@stphilipcc.org

Upcoming Safe Environment Training Sessions at St. Philip

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

Monday, 5/13

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

Saturday, 5/18

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

SOCIAL OUTREACH

MAY NEIGHBOR DAYS: Sleep in Heavenly Peace

May 18-19, Before all Masses

Help ensure local children in need get a good night's sleep by donating bedding to *Sleep in Heavenly Peace* for the May Neighbor Days. Guided by the simple principle that every child deserves a safe, comfortable place to lay their heads, SHP builds bunk beds for high need families, where the alternative is often children sleeping on the floor or couch.



How can you help?

During May Neighbor Days, **we will be collecting NEW bedding for twin-sized beds:** sheet sets, comforters, pillows, and/or beds-in-a-bag.

Volunteers are also needed to help collect donations during Neighbor Day weekend.

For more details, please visit the Social Outreach Special Projects page at stphilipcc.org/special-projects or scan the QR code.



Mission Day May 18: Spread the Love of Christ!

This month, we will be helping at **Love Thy Neighbor Clothing Closet, Heart of the City Food Pantry, and Our Daily Bread Homeless Shelter.**

Mission Days are a monthly opportunity for parishioners to practice the **corporal works of mercy** in our community at various organizations. There is no regular commitment required; you can volunteer once or as many times as you would like. Most sites are family-friendly; specific restrictions are spelled out in the signup. **Safe Environment is required.**

For more details, visit the Special Projects page at stphilipcc.org/special-projects



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Gabriel Project

Caring Outreach to Women in Crisis

Pregnancies: For over 25 years, Gabriel Project has provided practical help to women who might otherwise not choose life for their unborn babies. Through our "Gabriel Angels" (caring volunteers) we support the mother's choice of life through prayer, ongoing friendship and encouragement. Gabriel Project also provides: A loving and caring environment, emotional and spiritual support, understanding and concern, immediate and practical help, pregnancy information, community resources, clothing and baby items. **Pregnant? Need Help?**
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RESOURCES

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers! Allow Jesus to be Lord of your marriage relationship. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend is June 21-23, 2024. To apply go to www.wwme.org. Questions – email applications@dfwme.org. Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a mdgallegos06@gmail.com 214-497-0188.

Low-Gluten Hosts Available

For those suffering from sensitivity to gluten, low-gluten hosts are available. To request a low-gluten host, please check in at the sacristy 15 minutes before Mass, and our sacristans will assist you.

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 mattg@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.



COMMUNION

TO THE HOMEBOUND

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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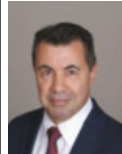
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