

# Saints Philip and James Parish

Exton, PA

December 14, 2025



## Sunday Mass Schedule

*Vigil: 4:00 pm*

8:30, 10:30AM, 12N & 5:30PM

Monday through Saturday

Holy Mass 8:30AM

Holy Days of Obligation Monday - Friday

7 PM Vigil,

6:30, 8:30 AM, 12 Noon, 5:30, 7:00 PM

## Parish Clergy

Rev. Anthony R. Hangholt, Pastor

Rev. James W. Cassidy, O.S.A., *in residence*

## Weekend Assistance

Rev. Christopher J. Drennen, O.S.A. *Malvern Prep*

Rev. Francis J. Sabatini, Pastor Emeritus

*St. Lucy Parish, Phila.*

## Parish Staff

Mrs. Barbara A. Doyle

*Parish Office Manager*

Mr. Michael McCafferty

*Business Manager*

Mrs. Carmel Kropp

*Coordinator of Liturgy Services*

## Saints Philip & James Rectory

107 North Ship Road Exton, PA 19341

Phone: 610 363 6536 • [www.sspj.net](http://www.sspj.net)

Rectory Hours Monday thru Thursday 9AM—5PM

Closed 12N - 1PM

## Saints Philip & James School

Pre-K, K, Grades 1-8: 610 363 6530

Sister Teresa Ballisty, IHM, *Principal*

## Parish Religious Education

Sister Marie Garman, IHM, *Director*

Office: 610 363 1307

## Christian Initiation (formerly RCIA)

Mrs. Marie Romano

484-433-9401

## CYO Information

[cyo.sspj.net](http://cyo.sspj.net)

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice! The Lord is near.

**COMMUNION:** Say to the anxious: be strong and fear not, out God will come to save us.

# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



- Saturday December 13, 2025**  
4:00 PM Francis W. Brennan, DO
- Sunday December 14, 2025**  
8:30 AM Joseph & Carmen Podziomek  
10:30 AM James Catagano  
12:00 PM Dee Wills  
5:30 PM Deceased Members of the Brennan Family
- Monday December 15, 2025**  
6:30 AM Living and Deceased Parishioners of SSPJ  
8:30 AM LeeAnne & Marino Kaminski (L)  
Happy Anniversary
- Tuesday December 16, 2025**  
6:30 AM Sister Marie Hubert Kealy, IHM  
8:30 AM Sister Theresa Duffy, IHM (L)
- Wednesday December 17, 2025**  
6:30 AM Elizabeth Briles  
8:30 AM Jimmy Hanlon
- Thursday December 18, 2025**  
6:30 AM Mary Gillespie  
8:30 AM Sister Regina Plunkett, IHM (L)
- Friday December 19, 2025**  
6:30 AM Concetta Calio  
8:30 AM Rose Mary "Honey" Clair & Dorothy J. & Wilmont Hafner
- Saturday December 20, 2025**  
8:30 AM Charles Heid  
4:00 PM Martha Kushner
- Sunday December 21, 2025**  
8:30 AM Rita Shahou  
10:30 AM Bridget Todd  
12:00 PM Maureen Miller  
5:30 PM George & Betty Zatsha



St. Mary's Chapel is open for adoration of the Exposed Most Blessed Sacrament.  
Monday through Friday 9-7  
Sign up sheets are available at the entrance to the chapel.

*Sacrament of Reconciliation*  
Monday 7 PM to 8PM, Saturday 3PM to 4PM  
Sunday 8 AM—8:30AM

*December 14, 2025*  
*Third Sunday of Advent*

*please  
pray for  
the sick*

Thomas Melvin, Baby Calvin, Martin Flaherty, Lily Walker, Joseph McCormick, MaryAnn Harkins, Tracy Peacock, John Coyne, Bridget Dougherty, Sherri Lane, Bill Oxenford, Mason Ellingsworth, Lori Mergen, Kellen Leister, Linda Gardner, Dante Danilshenko, Susan Mousley, Bernadette Fattal, Kristin Schmitz, Deborah Elliott, Brandon Wack, Karen Wack, Jeff Wack, Ryan Wack, Michael Maguire, Karen Mary Portella, Fredericka DeFlaviis, Bradley Gramling, Arthur Romano, Debbie Ludwig, Erik Elken, Patrick Baker, Jim Santoro, Kole Sample, Gregory Petry, James DeFrances, Paula Slemmer, Sue Kushner, Don & Mave McKeen, Walt, Joan Delaney.



*Pray for the safety of those serving Our Country:* Matthew Kleponis, Brent Grafmuller, Cole Iannarino, Connor Iannarino, Christopher Iannarino, Timothy Iannarino, Matthew Boland, Liam Hansen, Daniel DiLuigi, Matthew Green, James Green, Michael Gorr, Andrew Gorr, Nick Lusi, Erik Salem Reed, Andrew C. Hagerty.

Please call the rectory if you would like a family members name added/removed to either list. Thank you.



Please remember all our deceased benefactors in your prayers.

*"Those whom we love and lose are no longer where they were before. They are now wherever we are."* St John Chrysostom



## *Sacrament of Matrimony*

Couples must make arrangements to meet with a priest at least six months in advance. The next Pre-Cana will be **March 2026**. For more info or to register call 610-363-6536.



**Sacrament of Baptism** is celebrated the Second & Fourth Sundays of most months at **1:00 PM** in the Church. Please contact the Rectory for the Baptism Forms.

**Baptismal Instruction** The next scheduled class is **March 15, 2026** at 10:00 AM in the Rectory Meeting Room. Call Rectory to register 610-363-6536.



Dear Friends in Christ,

As we draw nearer to the great feast of Christmas, my heart is filled with gratitude for each one of you and for the beautiful ways our parish continues to grow in faith, hope, and charity. Advent is a season of joyful expectation, but it is also a time of intentional preparation—an invitation to clear space within our hearts for the coming of Christ.

In these weeks, the Church places before us the figure of **John the Baptist**, the voice crying out in the wilderness, urging us to “prepare the way of the Lord.” His call is as urgent today as it was two thousand years ago. John reminds us that welcoming the Savior begins with turning away from what burdens our souls and turning our hearts back to God.

Saint Paul strengthens that message with his exhortation to “*rejoice always*.” This joy is not a surface emotion nor a response to perfect circumstances. It is the deep, steady gladness that comes from knowing we are loved by God and set free by His mercy. But to truly rejoice—to allow joy to take root—we must first confront those places within us where fear, sin, and sorrow have taken hold.

One of the most powerful ways to do this is through the **Sacrament of Reconciliation**. A good confession does more than cleanse us from sin; it restores our peace, quiets our anxieties, and opens our hearts to receive the joy Christ desires for us. When we kneel before the Lord in humility and trust, fear loses its grip. In the light of God’s mercy, we discover the freedom to rejoice.

To help us prepare well for Christmas, we will hold our **Parish Christmas Confessions on Monday, December 22nd at 7:00 PM**. There will be **multiple confessors available**, so I encourage you—and your families—to take advantage of this grace-filled opportunity.

Additionally, we have included an **Examination of Conscience** in this week’s bulletin to assist you in preparing prayerfully and thoroughly for the sacrament. I hope you will spend some quiet time with it in the days ahead.

My prayer for each of you is that, through repentance and renewed faith, your hearts may be ready to welcome the Lord with great joy. May this Advent be a time of healing, peace, and deepened hope for our entire parish family.

In Christ’s abundant love,  
**Father Anthony**

Sunday, December 14 – 7:00 p.m.

*You are invited to step aside from the busyness of your Christmas preparations and come to a beautiful Advent Prayer Service offered by our three choirs...*

*Advent of Hope  
~  
Birth of Peace*

### Christmas 2025 Schedule:

Parish Advent Penance Service Monday, December 22 @  
7:00 PM

Christmas Eve Masses Wednesday, December 24  
NO AM Masses

Vigil Masses 4:00 PM, 8:00 PM, 11:00 PM  
TICKETS **WILL NOT** BE REQUIRED FOR ANY MASSES

Christmas Day Masses Thursday, December 25  
8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 NOON

New Years Eve Wednesday, December 31  
8:30 AM, 4:00 PM

New Years Day Thursday, January 1  
8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 NOON

## Examination of Conscience

### **1. I AM THE LORD YOUR GOD. YOU SHALL NOT HAVE STRANGE GODS BEFORE ME.**

- Do I give God time every day in prayer?
- Do I seek to love Him with my whole heart?
- Have I been involved in witchcraft, superstition or black magic?
- Have I received Communion in a state of mortal sin?
- Have I deliberately told a lie in Confession or withheld a mortal sin in Confession?

### **2. YOU SHALL NOT TAKE THE NAME OF THE LORD YOUR GOD IN VAIN.**

- Did I curse or swear? Did I use God's name in vain, lightly, carelessly, by blasphemy?
- Have I wished evil upon another person?
- Have I been angry with God and stayed in that state of anger?
- Have I insulted a sacred person or abused a sacred object?

### **3. REMEMBER TO KEEP HOLY THE LORD'S DAY.**

- Have I deliberately missed Mass on Sundays or Holy Days of obligation?
- Did I receive Holy Communion in the state of serious (mortal) sin?
- Have I tried to observe Sunday as a family day and a day of rest? Do I get enough rest or am I constantly running?
- Do I do needless work on Sunday?

### **4. HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER.**

- Do I honor and obey my parents? Am I respectful towards them?
- Have I neglected my duties to my spouse and children?
- Have I given my family good religious example and try to bring peace into the home?
- Do I care for my aged and infirmed relatives?

### **5. YOU SHALL NOT KILL.**

- Have I had an abortion or encouraged anyone to have an abortion?
- Have I mutilated myself through any form of sterilization? Have I encouraged or condoned sterilization?
- Have I harbored anger or resentment or hatred in my heart?
- Have I physically harmed anyone? Have I driven recklessly (too fast, showing off, etc.)?
- Have I abused alcohol or drugs?
- Have I hurt myself through cutting, scratching, or in any other way?

### **6. YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT ADULTERY.**

- Have I been faithful to my marriage vows in thought and action? Have I engaged in any sexual activity outside of marriage?
- Has each sexual act in my marriage been open to the transmission of new life?
- Have I engaged in any type of sexual activity (intercourse, oral sex, inappropriate touching, mutual masturbation)?
- Have I been guilty of masturbation? Have I entertained lustful thoughts?
- Have I been guilty of any homosexual activity?
- Do I seek to be chaste in my thoughts, words, and actions?
- Was I "immodest" in the way I dressed, acted or spoke (leading others to arousal)?
- Are my words, texts and photos on Facebook and/or other social media sites sexually charged?
- Did I look at pornography or visit chat rooms that were inappropriate?

### **7. YOU SHALL NOT STEAL.**

- Have I stolen what is not mine?
- Have I returned or made restitution for what I have stolen?
- Did I waste time at work (which is really stealing from the company)?
- Do I gamble excessively, thereby denying my family of their needs?
- Do I seek to share what I have with the poor?

### **8. YOU SHALL NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS AGAINST YOUR NEIGHBOR.**

- Have I lied? Have I gossiped? Have I spoken behind someone else's back?
- Do I always tell the truth? Did I reveal secrets that should have been kept confidential?
- Am I sincere in my dealings with others?
- Am I critical, negative, or uncharitable in my thoughts of others?
- Do I keep secret what should be kept confidential?
- Is what I write in my emails, IM's, text messages or on any social media sites true about myself or others?

### **9. YOU SHALL NOT DESIRE YOUR NEIGHBOR'S WIFE.**

- Have I consented to impure thoughts?
- Have I caused impure thoughts by impure reading, movies, conversations or curiosity?
- Do I seek to control my imagination?
- Do I pray at once to banish impure thoughts and temptations?

### **10. YOU SHALL NOT DESIRE YOUR NEIGHBOR'S GOODS.**

- Am I jealous of what other people have? Do I envy the families or possessions of others?
- Am I greedy or selfish? Are material possessions the purpose of my life?



**CELEBRANT SCHEDULE 2025**  
**Christmas Eve December 20/21, 2025**

**4:00 PM** Fr. Cassidy  
**8:30 AM** Fr. Sabatini  
**10:30 AM** Fr. Anthony  
**12:00 PM** Fr. Groark  
**5:30 PM** Fr. Drennen



**Christmas December 24/25, 2025**

**4:00 PM** Fr. Anthony  
**4:00 PM** Fr. Anthony  
**11:00 PM** Fr. Anthony  
**8:30 AM** Fr. Cassidy  
**10:30 AM** Fr. Anthony  
**12:00 PM** Fr. Sabatini



SSPJ Helping Hands Volunteers

A hand is here for the asking! We are a volunteer group and ready to help our fellow parishioners with temporary needs. We make meals, visit, drive for errands and doctor appointments, groceries, and church. Ask if you think we can lend a helping hand or if you would like to join our volunteer group.

For more info contact Joe Mayo 484-341-3007. [HelpingHands.sspj@gmail.com](mailto:HelpingHands.sspj@gmail.com)

**Bethesda Project – A Social Outreach**

The SS. Philip and James parish family continues to provide on-going support of the Bethesda Project. This is a program which provides emergency shelters, transitional and long-term housing for Philadelphia's homeless population.

By way of explanation, one ministry of the Bethesda Project is in constant need of useable towels, toiletries (shampoo, toothpaste, etc.), men's new underwear (sizes M, L and XL) and twin flat white sheets. These items allow the homeless to shower, freshen up and change into clean undergarments. It gives them a fresh start and lends dignity to their person.

If you would like to participate, donations of the listed items can be placed in the designated container found in the church vestibule. Contact Lou Ruggeri (484-889-5239) for more info.

**Stewardship Update**  
**24 Weeks through December 7, 2025**

	Year To Date	Weekly Average
<b>Budget</b>	694,271	28,928
<b>Actual</b>	<u>640,841</u>	<u>26,702</u>
<b>Variance</b>	-53,430	-2,227
	-8.3%	-8.3%

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[jim8646@comcast.net](mailto:jim8646@comcast.net)



**Registration for New Families**

We want you to be a part of our Parish Family! Whether you are a returning Catholic, a newcomer to the area, or someone with an interest in the Catholic faith, we want to welcome you to our Church home. Stop in our Rectory Office Monday thru Thursday 9-5 closed 12-1.

**Moving On?** Please let the rectory know if you are moving out of SSPJ Parish, so we can remove you from our registry.

## Jesus is calling YOU!

Grow in your faith through FORMED - a great resource to access powerful and informative religious programming.

The month of December is dedicated to the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This devotion honors the truth that Mary was conceived without the stain of original sin which prepared her to be the Mother of God.

As we get closer to celebrating the birth of Jesus Christ, we can utilize **FORMED** to access meaningful holiday programming. The series *The True Meaning of Christmas with Dr. Michael Barber* provides information about biblical accounts of Jesus' birth and the development of the Christmas season. Children can learn about the meaning of Christmas through *The Story of Christmas - Benjamin Cello Christmas Special*.

To register: Enter FORMED.org in your browser; select FIND YOUR PARISH SUBSCRIPTION; enter Zip Code 19341; select SSPJ, then enter your name and email address. Your login is your email address; no password is needed.

## Pray the Stations of the Cross

Join us as the Exton Knights of Columbus will be Praying the Stations of the Cross on the **FIRST SUNDAY** of each month at Saints Philip and James. We will be gathering in the front of the church on the Mary's side after the 8:30 Mass to remember the Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please join us as walk through all 14 Stations and remember Christ's Passion and his love for us.

## SSPJ Men's Group

This is an open invitation to join us on the first and third Wednesday evening of each month. We strive to know God as a loving Father, and to develop a personal relationship with Jesus through prayer, Scripture, Catholic video content, and discussion. We meet in the Rectory meeting room from 7:00 to 8:30PM. About once each quarter, we gather at a local watering hole for fellowship. Contact Bob (610) 574-5131 or Nick (248) 520-3214 for more info.

## All Bulletin Announcements need to be to the rectory by Monday -12 noon for the upcoming weekend.

Below is a detailed weekly submission Bulletin schedule for the 2025 Holiday Season. Please have all bulletin announcements to the Rectory by the date listed:

**December 28 is due December 17**

**January 4 is due December 22**

## Significance of the Advent Wreath Shape and Color

Since circles have no beginning and no end, the circular shape of the Advent Wreath symbolizes eternal life in Christ. The wreath holds four candles which are lit progressively, over the four weeks of the Advent season. Generally, three are violet (purple) and one is rose-colored, each representing 1,000 years. Added together, the four candles symbolize the 4,000 years that humanity waited for the Savior.

Violet is a liturgical color symbolizing penance, sacrifice, and prayer. During the first, second, and fourth weeks of Advent, we light violet candles as a reminder of the preparation of heart and mind undertaken in this season, which was traditionally known as a "little Lent."

The Third Sunday of Advent is called Gaudete (Rejoice) Sunday. On this day we celebrate that our wait is almost over. Since rose is the liturgical color used to signify joy, we light the rose candle on the third Sunday of Advent as we rejoice in anticipation of the coming of the Messiah.

White candles can also be used in place of colored candles. Many years ago, before colored candles were available, white ones were the ancient tradition.

## The Meaning of Each Candle

Each of the four candles on an Advent wreath has a specific meaning.

The first Sunday of Advent symbolizes Hope, with the Prophet's Candle reminding us that Jesus is coming.

The second Sunday symbolizes Faith, with the Bethlehem Candle reminding us of Mary and Joseph's journey to Bethlehem.

The third Sunday symbolizes Joy, with the Shepherd's Candle reminding us of the Joy the world experienced at the birth of Jesus.

The fourth and final Sunday of Advent symbolizes Peace with the Angel's Candle reminding us of their message to all mankind, repeated in the Gloria at Holy Mass: "Peace on earth, good will toward men."

## The Gift and Tradition of the Advent Wreath

The Church gives us this liturgical season so that we can prepare our hearts to receive Christ once again, in His coming at Christmas. We are also encouraged to reflect upon our lives in anticipation of His second coming, at the end of time.

The Advent Wreath is a beautiful way to enter into reflection alone or with your family. Slowing down during the hectic rush of the season and bringing family together nightly around the wreath can be a source of peace, grace, and blessings shared with one another, and with Christians throughout time.



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunbathing season ... just a distant memory? Rest assured, all is not lost. You can now take in some "spiritual sunbathing"! There is nothing better than taking in the warmth of the grace and love radiating from the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. Thank you St. John Vianney for the metaphor of "spiritual sunbathing". To give it a try for an hour, please contact Patty Callan at 484-467-8807 [pacal-lan@comcast.net](mailto:pacal-lan@comcast.net).

There is a binder on the **Offertory Gifts** table near the Baptismal Font. We encourage individuals and/or families to sign up to present the Gifts. The calendar is prepared until the end of the year. Thank you in advance for your participation in this beautiful part of the Mass.



**COME CHECK US OUT!**

There's something for everyone!

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Thank you.

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**SSPJ'S THRIFT SHOP HOURS**

Thursday 3:30 to 7:00 pm  
Saturday – 10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Sunday—1:00 pm- 4:00 pm

**ADULT GROUP**  
**WEDNESDAY, December 17**  
**11:30 AM**  
**RECTORY MEETING ROOM**  
**Christmas Party**

**COME FOR FELLOWSHIP,**  
**BINGO, BRIDGE,**  
**PINOCHLE, CANASTA, etc.**

**Feel free to bring a friend!**  
**Lunch will be provided**

**BINGO**

10	18	40	53	74
3	23	37	55	70
15	24	★	51	62
5	30	43	54	65
1	28	33	58	67



Saints Philip and James Prayer Shawl group will meet on **Friday, January 9 @ 9AM** in the rectory meeting room.

All knitters and crocheters are welcome to join the group. If you have any questions please call Kathy at 610 363 1720 or [kpenderghest@verizon.net](mailto:kpenderghest@verizon.net) (We are no longer accepting yarn and projects can be worked on at home)

**Spiritual Direction**

Companions for the Journey Spiritual Direction is the contemplative practice of helping others to awaken to the mystery of God in their lives. Even more so in these unprecedented times, our need for our personal connection to God is vital.

The Spiritual Direction Ministry at the Daylesford Abbey in Paoli, PA offers trained and experienced Spiritual Directors for those seeking to revitalize their relationship with God and for those who want to deepen their spiritual lives. In person, virtual and phone meetings available.

**For more information on how this ministry can enrich your life, contact Daylesford Abbey at 610-647-2530 ext. 1020 or at [spiritualdirecor@daylesford.org](mailto:spiritualdirecor@daylesford.org).**



**Christian Initiation of Adults**

**“Thirsting for God?”**

Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is searching for what it means to become Catholic?

Do you know someone already Catholic but, who has not yet received Confirmation & Eucharist? They may be searching also!

Christian Initiation of Adults (formerly RCIA) is a place to ask questions and seek understanding. Weekly sessions will begin again in September. Please contact Marie ([marieromano@verizon.net](mailto:marieromano@verizon.net)) 484-433-9401.

Below are some pictures from today's activities reflecting participation in the **Chester County Christmas Program**, facilitated by Doug and Maria Weems, SSPJ parishioners and longtime coordinators of this program on behalf of SSPJ. Combined with a couple other local parishes and businesses in the area, with special thanks to Doug and Maria, a large number of volunteers, and our wonderful parishioners, we are providing thousands of Christmas gifts to approximately 500 children in the immediate Chester County area!





# THE FEAST OF *St. Nicholas*

Our Pre-K through 4th grade students joyfully celebrated the Feast of St. Nicholas this week! In keeping with a beloved, time-honored tradition, the children placed their shoes in the hallway—and St. Nicholas paid them a special visit, leaving small treats for all. It's always a delight to witness their excitement and wonder as they discover his surprises, reminding us of the simple joy and generosity at the heart of the season.

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# CHRISTMAS BIBLE WORD SEARCH PUZZLE

## From Luke



Luke 2:1-7 And it came to pass in those days that a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be registered. {2} This census first took place while Quirinius was governing Syria. {3} So all went to be registered, everyone to his own city. {4} Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and lineage of David. {5} to be registered with Mary, his betrothed wife, who was with child. {6} So it was, that while they were there, the days were completed for her to be delivered. {7} And she brought forth her firstborn Son, and wrapped Him in swaddling cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.



Find the words in the verses and add the missing letters

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_ _ _ RIN _ _ S	B _ _ _ _ EHEM	_ _ _ ST _ _ _ N
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