

OCTOBER
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2025



ST. PHILIP NERI

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS TIMES

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday....6:15AM, 9:00AM
First Saturdays.....9:00AM

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil.....4:00PM
Sunday.....7:30AM, 9:00AM,
.....11:00AM & 6:00PM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday.....9:30AM-6:00PM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday.....2:30PM-3:30PM
Sunday.....5:00PM -5:45PM
First Saturdays.....8:00AM-8:45AM
At any time by appointment.



**WELCOME, NEW
PARISHIONERS!**



Please register by
signing the book in
back of church or call
the Church Office at
(504) 887-5535

OUR STAFF

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Andrew Rudmann, Pastor
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SACRAMENTS



BAPTISM

If you are interested in having your child Baptized, please call the Church Office.



RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

Homebound visits can be arranged for our Parishioners by calling the Church Office.



MATRIMONY

Arrangements are to be made with the Church Office ideally a year in advance or at least six months in advance.



FUNERALS

When someone in the family passes, it is preferred that the family contact the Church Office to notify the priest before contacting the funeral home. Funeral visitation may be held in church.



RECONCILIATION

Saturday.....2:30PM-3:30 PM

Sunday.....5:00PM -5:45 PM

First Saturdays.....8:00AM-8:45AM

or you may call the Church Office for an appointment



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you have a family member in need of anointing, please call the Church Office.



CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation program is for high school juniors. If you are an adult seeking Confirmation please call the Church Office.



RCIA

If you are interested in becoming Catholic or just learning more about Catholicism, RCIA meets every Wednesday at 6:00PM.



BAPTISMAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Baptized in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit:

Emma Joy LeGuluche, daughter of
Ryan and Paige LeGuluche

Emma Grace Bergeron, daughter of
Kyle Bergeron and Kassi Wilcox

Harrison Michael Borrello, son of
Vincent and Olivia Borrello

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4TH - ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

4:00PM Dr. Joseph Trapani, Joey Trapani, Stephen DeGruy, Mary Kelly, Our Lady of Fatima (G.S.), Dominick Caronna, Sr., Doris Clesi, Dr. John Murphy, Jr., Vincent Valentino Family, Raymond & Jean McCabe & Family, Lauren McCabe Griffith, Emmet & Vicky Johnson & Family, Eugene J. McCabe & Family, Immaculate Infant Jesus of Prague (G.S.), Linda Atzenhoffer, Special Intention Barbara Schopp, Charlie Kirk & Family, Special Intention Deardra Mumme, Shirley Gunckel

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5TH - TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30AM Phyllis M. DiMaggio

9:00AM Leah & Richard DiCharry

11:00AM Alvin & Velara Grant, Jr., Karen DiZinno, Cyndi DiZinno, John & June DiZinno, Lawrence, Naomi, & Daniel Hedrick, Thomas & Helen Aber, Carol Ann Boudreaux, Mona D. Miller, Michael James Cook, Sr., Kris Ibos, Bob Brockhoff, Charlie Kirk, Special Intention The Attardo Family, Marilyn Baker, E.J. Breaux, Edward Lott, DelRita Reese, Thomas Piglia, Janet Pesce, Lt. Col. Joseph M. Pilcher, Jr., Lisa McCann Fogarty, Genoveva Roblez

6:00PM All Parishioners

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6TH

6:15AM DelRita Reese

9:00AM Gene and Frances Bertonaschi

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7TH - OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

6:15AM Margaret Carlene Grieshaber

9:00AM Dorothy Moore

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8TH

6:15AM Edward Lott

9:00AM Edward Pouyadon

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9TH - ST. DENIS AND COMPANIONS, ST. JOHN LEONARDI

6:15AM Eldon J. Granier, Sr.

9:00AM JoAnn Hamilton

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10TH

6:15AM Bob Brockhoff

9:00AM Laura Mouton

+ IN REMEMBRANCE +



Please pray for the repose of the souls of our parishioners
**Christopher Fuselier, Jr.,
Eva Cerrato, and Stephen Buras.**

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY...

Joseph A. Attardo, Jr., Kay Bacino, Tad Bartlett, Arnold Benitez, Ileana Benitez, Jeannie M. Black, Dale Borne, Nancy Buckheister, Robert Buss, Sadie Carey, David DiZinno, Kate Dussouy, Marie Eckert, Angelique Foster, Darlene Frosch, Tommy Frosch, Vicki Fuselier, Sonny Gambino, Anita Garland, Clarence Giarrusso, Charlie Gillies, Jerry Godfrey, Kathy Godfrey, Debbie Gremillion, Will Haines, Helen Hausknecht, Julie Jacob, Johanna Lae, Carlie Lehrmann, Charlotte Le Jeune, Martha Longman, Laura Marshall, Gayle Melville, Declan Mills, George Montegut, Sr., Janice Montelepre, John Montelepre, Deardra Mumme, Susan Paisant, Michael Perez, John Peri, Bill Pittman, Mary Pittman, Fred Reynolds, Barbara Sandeman, Grace Schmitt, Kenny D. Schurb, Gail Schneider, Connie Smith, Ryan Smith, Betty Spurlock, Jamie Theriot, Barbara Tobin, Beth Todd, Natia Trapani, Vicki Marchese Wilson, and Gloria Woods



THIS WEEK...

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5 RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

9:00AM OCIA - Mass at 9AM followed by session Church followed by Parishioners' Center

9:00AM First Reconciliation Mass of Recognition Church

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

6:00PM PSR School Campus

7:00PM Powerful Prayer of Women Church

7:00PM Boy Scouts Meeting Rooms

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

7:00PM The Chosen Meeting Rooms

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

9:00AM Student Liturgy Church

1:00PM Flame of Love Meeting Rooms

7:00PM Women's Bible Study Meeting Rooms

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

9:30AM - 6:00PM Adoration Church

9:30AM Grandparents' Club Meeting Meeting Rooms

7:00PM Choir Rehearsal Church

7:00PM Men's Club Meeting/FamJam Set up Assembly Hall/School Yard

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

6:00AM Men of Faith Meeting Rooms

9:45AM Coffee & Fellowship Meeting Rooms

5:30PM-10:30PM FamJam School Campus

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

12:00PM-10:30PM FamJam School Campus

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12

9:00AM OCIA - Mass at 9AM followed by session Church followed by Parishioners' Center

9:00AM FamJam Clean Up School Campus



UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER 13 School, ELC, and Parish Office Closed

OCTOBER 15 Pastoral Council Meeting

OCTOBER 17 Trunk or Treat

OCTOBER 18&19 World Mission Sunday Collection

OCTOBER 19 Confirmation Session

OCTOBER 22 Ladies' Night Out

OCTOBER 24-26 Fall Drama Play

OCTOBER 31 Student Liturgy

Parish Office Closes at 2PM

All Saints' Day Vigil Mass 5PM

All Saints' Day Mass 9AM

NOVEMBER 1

NEXT> weekend



SPN FamJam 2025



Friday, October 10th

EVENT 5:30pm-10:30pm

LIVE MUSIC by Big In The 90s 6:30pm



Saturday, October 11th

EVENT 12:00pm-10:30pm

LIVE MUSIC by EPIC 6:30pm

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Saturday, October 11th

4:30pm-6:30pm

Doors open at 4:00

Parishioner Center



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LIVING OUT THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL

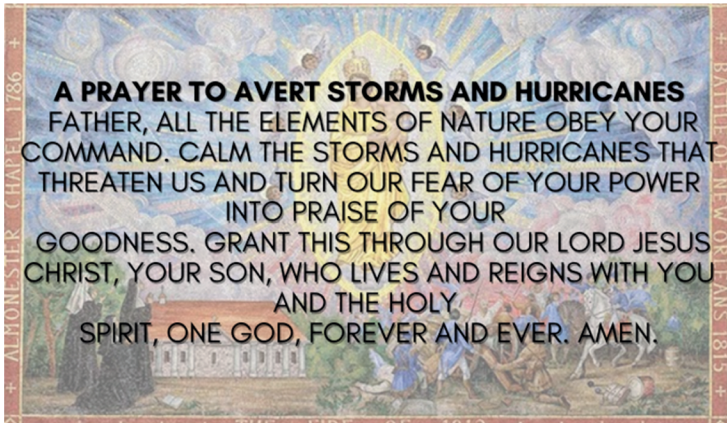
A priest friend of mine received a call from a family whose elderly mother was dying. Within thirty minutes, he was at her bedside, offering the consolation of the sacraments, anointing her with the oil of the sick, and commending her soul to God. She passed not long after, and for months, her family spoke of their deep gratitude for his presence. When I phoned him to commend his faithful ministry, he simply said, "I was just doing my job."

His words brought to mind Jesus' teaching this week in Luke 17:10: **"So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.'"** In a world that often seeks recognition and applause, the Lord invites us into a different mindset – one of humble service. The priest did not see his response as extraordinary; he saw it as a grace to fulfill his vocation.

How tempting it is to seek affirmation for doing what I ought to do! Yet Jesus reminds us that true discipleship is not about grandstanding but about quiet faithfulness. It is enough to have served. It is enough to have loved. It is enough to be grateful that we were given the chance to do our duty in the first place. Whether in priesthood, parenthood, or any vocation, what peace-soaked freedom there is in simply doing what is asked of us. No more, no less. Jesus, that is how you quietly love us.

-Father John Muir

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INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

OCIA is the process within the Catholic Church for adults who are seeking to become members of the Catholic faith or who wish to complete their initiation into the church.

ALL OCIA SESSIONS ARE HELD EVERY SUNDAY FOLLOWING 9AM MASS STARTING SUNDAY, AUGUST 24TH.

SUNDAYS 9AM JOIN ANYTIME!

PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE OR CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO RECEIVE MORE INFORMATION.

CONFIRMATION

NEXT SESSION:
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19TH | 4PM-6PM | PARISHIONERS' CENTER

Our next Confirmation Session will be held on Sunday, October 19th from 4PM-6PM in the Parishioners' Center. The session is followed by 6PM Mass as the Confirmandi continue their faith journey together.

ALL Saints' DAY

ALL SAINTS' DAY MASSES
VIGIL MASS:
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31 | 5PM
MASS:
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1 | 9AM

Join us the 1st Monday of each month in prayer.

1st Monday of the Month
7PM
CHURCH

POWERFUL PRAYER OF WOMEN

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

PARISH OFFICE, SCHOOL, AND ETC CLOSED

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13TH

PARISH NEWS

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2025 CONFIRMATION RETREAT

St. Philip Neri Confirmandi and their Parents just participated in a successful retreat at Notre Dame Seminary on September 27th, followed by Mass in the Chapel at NDS. Our Confirmandi and their parents had the opportunity to spend the day together and share and reflect on their experience.

ST. PHILIP NERI CATHOLIC CHURCH **All Souls Day Memorial Mass**

November 2nd - 6PM
Remembering all those in our parish who have died over the past year.



2026 MASS BOOK OPENING **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2025 | 10AM-12PM (NOON) | MEETING ROOM 1**

The 2026 Mass Book will open on **Tuesday, November 4, 2025**. Please come to Meeting Room 1 of the Parishioners' Center between 10 AM and 12 Noon to fill out a Mass Intention Request Form.

Intentions will be assigned in the order in which they are received. For those who are not able to come on that day, you may mail your requests to the Church Office. Intentions will not be honored prior to November 4th, when the book officially opens.

Due to the overwhelming response of requests, there are some limits to the intentions:
Limit (One) 7:30 AM or 9 AM Sunday Mass per month.
Limit (One) 6:15 AM or 9 AM Weekday Mass per month.
There are no limits on all Multi-intention Masses (Saturday 4 PM Mass or Sunday 11 AM Mass)

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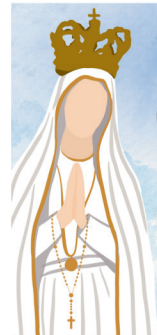
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Scan for more info or go to SPNPARISH.NET/FATIMA

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL JILL DROUANT AT 504-228-6018

LADIES NIGHT OUT

Consider The Ladies

SIP & PAINT & PRAY

Join us for an evening of reflection, rest, and fellowship with a brief testimony by SPN parishioner Christie Jones.



Wednesday, October 22

7:00 - 9:00 pm

SPN Assembly Hall

Suggested \$5 cash donation at door

for watercolor supplies and light refreshments

RSVP using the QR code or email emkennedy516@gmail.com

RSVP Here



ST. PHILIP NERI
LADIES' COOPERATIVE CLUB
PRESENTS:

MERRY & MINGLE

SPN'S CRAFT FAIR

15 NOVEMBER 2025
10AM-3PM

SPN PARISHONER'S CENTER
6600 KAWANEE AVE.

ENJOY HANDMADE CRAFTS, FESTIVE FOOD, AND A WHOLE LOT OF HOLIDAY CHEER. DON'T MISS OUT—BRING A FRIEND AND GET INTO THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT!

WANT TO BE PART OF THE HOLIDAY MAGIC AT SPN'S MERRY & MINGLE?
EMAIL VENDOR INQUIRY TO:
SPNSIPANDSHOP@GMAIL.COM

ACCESS BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER

Our parish will be participating in a life-affirming Baby Bottle Fundraiser to benefit ACCESS Pregnancy & Referral centers, the pro-life pregnancy ministry of Catholic Charities. ACCESS provides comprehensive pregnancy support services to abortion-vulnerable women, including pregnancy testing, ultrasound, online Medicaid enrollment and material support through our diaper bank.

Baby bottles will be available after each Mass on **October 25&26**. Simply return your baby bottle filled with a donation the following weekend. This is a great way to show your support for LIFE. Thank you!



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