

## **STS. PHILIP & JAMES CHURCH**

### **MASS SCHEDULE:**

Saturday Evening: 4:00 P.M.

Sunday: 8:00, 9:30 A.M. (Spanish),  
11:30 A.M. (Choir)

Weekdays: 9:00 A.M.

Holydays: 9:00 A.M. & 7:00 P.M.

### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 P.M.

### **MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA:**

Saturday after the 4:00 P.M. Mass

### **BAPTISM:**

Arrangements must be made, in advance, by calling the Church office for an appointment.

### **MARRIAGE:**

Requires a Marriage Preparation Program. Please contact a Priest, or Office at least 6 months in advance.

### **CHOIR:**

Schedule Arranged Monthly

### **OUTREACH - EVANGELIZATION MINISTRY:**

Meets 3rd Sunday of the Month after 11:30 Mass.

### **THE LADIES GUILD:**

Meets the 1st Sunday of the Month after the 11:30 Mass.

### **YOUTH GROUPS:**

Boy Scouts meet Saturday at 10:00 A.M.

Cub Scouts meet Saturday at 10:00 A.M.

Altar Servers meets 4th Sunday of the month after 11:30

Mass Scouts Sunday is the second Sunday of every month  
11:30 Mass

### **MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND:**

The ministry to the aged and homebound is a vital part of our parish life. The aged and homebound, themselves, or a designated relative, are asked to contact the parish office so that the Sacrament of the Eucharist might be made available to them. Please notify us when serious illness occurs, or when a parishioner is hospitalized, or when someone is confined at home because of illness, handicap, or age.

# **STS. PHILIP & JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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**Rev. Fr. Steven Masinde, A.J.  
Pastor.**

### **PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Barbara Mason, Carmen Ortiz, Catherine Lavelle,  
Consuelo Negron, Gerald Duran, Ikenna Onyegwara,  
Joel Cedillo, Kenneth Davis, Shirley Fearon, Fr. Steven  
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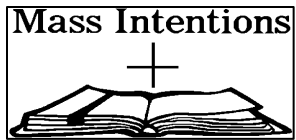
### **PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Beverly Simmons, Catherine Lavelle, Diane Dixon, Mimi  
Caesar, Shirley Fearon, and Fr. Steven Masinde AJ.



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**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
JULY 3, 2022**



**Sun. JULY 3 – FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 – Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners  
9:30 – Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners  
11:30 – Special Intention for Fr Cktus and all Priests

**Mon. JULY 4 – USA: INDEPENDENCE DAY**

9:00 – Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners

**Tue. JULY 5 – SAINT ANTHONY ZACCARIA  
USA SAINT ELIZABETH OF PORTUGAL**

9:00 – Special Intention for Ariela DeBrecoure  
Special Intention for Emmanuel Odume, Birthday

**Wed. JULY 6 – SAINT MARIA GORETTI**

9:00 – Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners

**Thu. JULY 7 – WEEKDAY**

9:00 – In Loving Memory of Marion Wallace Jennings+

**Fri. JULY 8 – WEEKDAY**

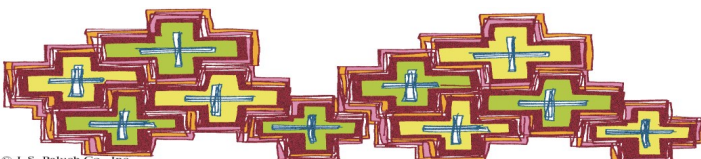
9:00 – Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners

**Sat. JULY 9 – SAINT AUGUSTINE ZHAO RONG**

4:00 – Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners

**PRAYER INTENTION FOR MONTH OF JULY:** Prayer

is reserved for the period of one month. Additional requests can be made individually for more prayer time, as needed: Monica Baafi, Vickie Akalonu, Sheila Aspinall and Ariela DeBrecoure, Caesar-Dume family, Mason Family.



**SANCTUARY LAMP**

Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners

**THE ALTAR BREADS**

Special Intention for SPJ Parishioners



**NEXT  
ALTER**



**WEEK'S  
SERVERS:**

4:00pm - Daniel, Elise, & Claire Milius 8:00am -Jermaine Dennis  
9:30am - Josefina Flores 11:30am - Samantha Aya, Chinonye Ugboaja.

**NEXT WEEK'S LECTOR**

4:00 pm: - Mimi Caesar-Dume 8:00 am: - 8:00 am. Beverly Simmons  
9:30 am: - Gladys Castillo 11:30 am: - Chinonye Ugboaja  
for SPJ Parishioners

**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — “Rejoice and be glad for I will spread prosperity over Jerusalem like a river, and the wealth of nations like an overflowing torrent” (**Isaiah 66:10-14c**).

**Psalm** — “Let all the earth cry out to God with joy” (**Psalm 66**).

**Second Reading** — “May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ” (**Galatians 6:14-18**).

**Gospel** — “Jesus sends his disciples out in pairs to bring his peace and proclaim the kingdom of God” (**Luke 10:1-12, 17-20 [1-9]**).

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Hos. 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps. 145:2-9; Mt. 9:18-26; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass “For Public-Needs,” nos. 882-889, or “For Peace and Justice,” nos. 887-891  
**Tuesday:** Hos. 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps. 115:3-10; Mt. 9:32-38  
**Wednesday:** Hos. 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps. 105:2-7; Mt. 10:1-7  
**Thursday:** Hos. 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps. 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt. 10:7-15  
**Friday:** Hos. 14:2-10; Ps. 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt. 10:16-23  
**Saturday:** Is. 6:1-8; Ps. 93:1-2, 5; Mt. 10:24-33  
**Sunday:** Dt. 30:10-14; Ps. 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37; or Ps. 19:8-11; Col. 1:15-20; Lk. 10:25-37

**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 3, 2022**



May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. — **Galatians 6:14**

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Monday:** Independence Day  
**Tuesday:** St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of Portugal  
**Wednesday:** St. Maria Goretti  
**Saturday:** St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions; Blessed Virgin Mary

**FREEDOM**

Those who deny freedom to others deserve it not for themselves.

**WISDOM**

Wisdom has been defined as knowing the difference between pulling your weight and throwing it around.







## GENUINE FREEDOM

People thirst for genuine inner freedom. They yearn for the life which Christ came to give in abundance.



## PARISH REGISTRATION & LETTERS OF ELIGIBILITY

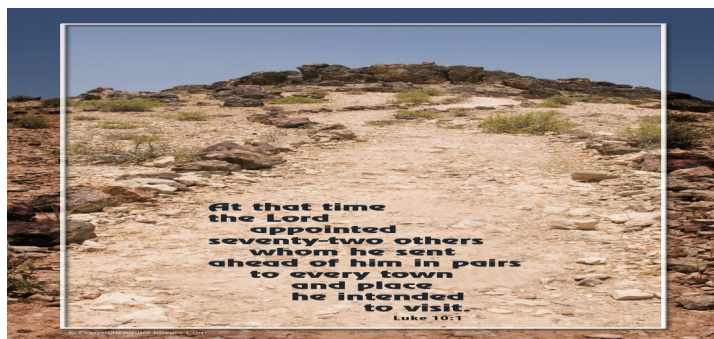
Membership and a sense of belonging is the basis for granting letters of eligibility to act as God parents or Sponsors which can only be issued to active members of the parish who are not only registered but are in good standing with the Church that is, they attend Church regularly and evidence supports it. If married, their marriage must have taken place in conformity with the laws of the Church and receive sacraments.

It is also our pastoral policy that only registered parishioners can receive the Sacrament of Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, and Marriage besides Christian Burial. This is so because of the communal nature of the sacraments. By their very essence, sacraments call us into a family of faith intended to build a bound of unity as an ecclesial body of Christ's faithful here on earth. So it is more than just one fulfilling the Christian obligation as a Christian parent or mere administration of the rites, it is a call to common faith with a specific local Church in which ones intends to nurture his/her faith.



## PSALM 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures he gives me repose; Beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul. He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walked in the valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side With your rod and staff that give me courage. You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life; And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for years to come. Amen



## PRAYER OF THE WEEK

### Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, who in the abasement of your Son have raised up a fallen world, fill your faithful with holy joy, for on those you have rescued from slavery to sin you bestow eternal gladness. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

### Reflection question:

Do those around me see in me the joy of someone who has been rescued from sin?



## GOOD NEWS IS ON THE WAY

This week, in the midst of summer, the scriptures greet us with joy, peace, mercy, and more peace! Sounds a little like Advent, doesn't it? We often associate the prophet Isaiah with that preparatory season, and our first reading rings with such words as exult, comfort, and rejoice. The Israelites had reason to rejoice, for they had returned, come home, to a rebuilt Jerusalem from their exile in Babylon. In the Gospel, the seventy-two disciples who were sent out have their own "homecoming," returning to Jesus from spreading the Good News of the Kingdom and preparing people for the "advent" of Jesus into their cities and towns on his long road to Jerusalem. Like the exiles in Isaiah, the disciples return rejoicing. The Good News, the Kingdom of God, is coming, even in summer. As today's psalm reminds us, "Shout joyfully to God, all the earth!"

## Amazing Grace



Amazing grace! How sweet the sound That saved a sinner like me! I once was lost, but now am found, Was blind, but now I see! T'was grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved. How precious did that grace appear, The hour I first believed! The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures. He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures. Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come. 'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home. When we've been there ten thousand years, Bright shining as the sun, We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we'd first begun.