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***Community Mission Statement...** We, the people of God of Saint Philip the Apostle, in the loving and evangelizing spirit of St. Philip, form a family community that challenges each of us to proclaim and live the gospel messages of Jesus Christ in the world through worship, evangelization, Christian formation and service.*

Sunday Eucharist Schedule

Saturday (*Vigil of Sunday*) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday.....7:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.; 6:00 p.m.

Holy Day and Weekday Schedule

Holy Days.....(*check the Bulletin*)
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, First Saturday..... 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday 5:30 p.m.
Friday during School Season 8:15 a.m.

Perpetual Adoration and Rosary

Perpetual Adoration Monday 8:30 a.m. until Friday 5:00 p.m.
Rosary.....30 minutes before 5:00 P.M. Saturday Evening Mass
and 7:00 a.m. Sunday Mass.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday 4:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.; Saturday 3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.;
by appointment and season schedule during Advent and Lent

~ PASTORAL CARE INFORMATION ~

Sacrament of Baptism: Please inform the Parish office at least six months before due date. Further instructions and baptismal materials will be provided at the Parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage: Please register at the parish office as soon as possible, but at least six months prior to anticipated date.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound: Call the Parish office when a family member is sick and would like a visit or would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick.

New Parishioners and Status: Welcome to St. Philip Parish! Call or come by the Parish office to register. Also notify us when moving out of the parish or when you have a change of family status and address.

Mass Intentions Nov 6 – Nov 12

MON	8:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	+ John Merta KC/CDA Memorial Mass
TUE	8:00 a.m.	+ JoAnna Schwartzkopf
WED	1:45 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	Priest Intention + Norman Green, Eddie and Rosie Valigura, Eugene and Delores Valigura
THU	8:00 a.m.	+ Bluntzer family deceased members
FRI	8:15 a.m.	+ Cynthia Mach
SAT	5:00 p.m.	+ Albert and Agatha Gold, Ed Gold
SUN	7:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	Parishioners Intentions +George and Eunice Wasson +Kachmar and Kaminsky deceased family members

**Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

The greatest among you must be your servant.
- Matthew 23:11

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOV 11 & NOV 12**SATURDAY— 5:00 p.m.****Lector:** Ruthie Buzek**Cantor:** Kathy Bodungen**Altar Servers:** Breckyn Drapela, Paislyn Drapela, Grady Lange**Hospitality:** Need Volunteers**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Martha Bartos, Kevin Pavlas

Vocation Crucifix: Rose Marie Janak**SUNDAY 7:00 a.m.****Lector:** A. J. Kresta**Altar Servers:** Abigail Garrett, Millie Garrett, Allie Zalman**Hospitality:** Roy and Janice Smaistrila**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Mark Merta, Jason Zalman

SUNDAY— 10:00 a.m.**Lector:** Madsen Raun, Ginger Harris**Cantor:** Wendy Korenek**Altar Servers:** John Hoelscher, Beck Hoelscher, Louise Hoelscher**Hospital/Meridian:****Hospitality:** Frank Jalufka, Frank Kacal, Joe Kocurek, Philip Kocurek**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Jan Dornak, John Hancock, Rita Hancock, Jason Hoelscher, Claudia Raun

CLOW: Jessica Drapela**SUNDAY— 6:00 p.m.****Lector:** Grace Amestoy**Cantor:** Shannan Sanders**Altar Servers:** Alexandra Martinez, Michael Rodriguez**Hospitality:** Need Volunteers**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

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Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
*November 5, 2023***A Message From Our Pastor**

As we prepare for the Solemnity of Christ the King, just three short weeks away, the day when we will once again use the tabernacle in the main body of our church, I wanted to take this opportunity to offer a few notes to help us approach our Lord present in the Blessed Sacrament, the Source and Summit of the Christian Faith.

Currently, the Catholic Church in the United States is in the third year of a National Eucharistic Revival. On the website, eucharisticrevival.org, they ask the question, “why now?” I think this question can also be asked about this move to the original tabernacle of our church, and I am convinced that the answer is the same, “because the Church [we] need healing, and the world needs Jesus.” The Eucharist is the answer.

From the moment of the Consecration until after Holy Communion, the majority of the faithful who come to Mass at St. Philip’s spend about 8-10 minutes a week in the presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, before the Eucharist is taken to the chapel. With this change, the time we will spend in the presence of our Lord and King will increase to nearly an hour each week.

Once the Eucharist is kept in the Church, we will all have to be more mindful of those signs of reverence and pious actions that have for centuries shaped Catholic devotion. First, remembering and respecting that many people will arrive early and stay after Mass to pray before the tabernacle, where Jesus waits for us, we will need to foster and maintain a sacred silence in the church. Additionally, as we enter and exit the pews, or cross through the center of the church, instead of bowing, if we are able, we should genuflect on our right knee, acknowledging the presence of the King of kings and Lord of lords in our midst. So often we wonder, we study, we search for the answers to life’s toughest questions, forgetting that the answer has been with us the whole time, ever since the night of the Last Supper, “this is my Body, which will be given up for you.”

With the tenderness, compassion, and mercy of the loving Savior, - Fr. Dalton

REMEMBER IN PRAYER**Pray For The Sick...**

Annabelle Van Deursen, Anton Tupa, Dolores Priesmeyer, Melody Macha, Milton & Henrietta Machacek, Kristen Lezak, Abby Goerig, Carly Walker, Lisa Respondek Holt, Leonard Hubenak, Jennifer Martin, Irene Sedlock, Eugene Graham, Cindy Juneck, Bill Culver, Carl Siglock, Shirley McMahon, Cindy Schmidt, Edith Farish, Kristi Baker, Lorrie Goodman, L. C. Koehne Jr., Lawrence Korenek, Linda Vaclavick, Frank Kacal, Cindy Blaha, Kim Underwood, Vicky Pavlu, Margaret Waters, Rickie Wiesner, Gail Zaruba, Kim Peikert, Douglas Hansen, Sue Maxwell, Frances Kappelmann, Austin Tice, Pat Cunningham, Daisy Zella, Laura Thane, Blair Ross Couey Jr., Barbara Juneck, Darrell Nohavitza, Dorothy Faas, Walter and Stephanie Stepan, Louise Kubena, Billy Berry, Stephen Gaines, Gerald Ripple, Regina Kaspar, Calynne Reckaway, Ginger McMasters Preite, John Scogin, Amelia Lyford, Betty Hlavinka, Jesse Wheeler, Candace Janecka, Douglas “Bubba” Dornak, Elaine Janik, Albert Socha, Clifton Bram, Alvin Merta, Dolores Resendez, Patsy Mican Smith, Melodie Kacal, Larry Grubbs, Eleanor Mican, Julia Rodriguez, Evelyn Dybala, Darlene Kahanek, Nancy Kacal, Marilyn Goerig, Braden Mican, Trent Mican, Alice Bacak Richardson, Anna Peter and the homebound.

FIRST READING - Wisdom 6:12-16

Resplendent and unfading is wisdom, and she is readily perceived by those who love her, and found by those who seek her. She hastens to make herself known in anticipation of their desire; Whoever watches for her at dawn shall not be disappointed, for he shall find her sitting by his gate. For taking thought of wisdom is the perfection of prudence, and whoever for her sake keeps vigil shall quickly be free from care; because she makes her own rounds, seeking those worthy of her, and graciously appears to them in the ways, and meets them with all solicitude.

SECOND READING -1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

We do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, about those who have fallen asleep, so that you may not grieve like the rest, who have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose, so too will God, through Jesus, bring with him those who have fallen asleep. Indeed, we tell you this, on the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will surely not precede those who have fallen asleep. For the Lord himself, with a word of command, with the voice of an archangel and with the trumpet of God, will come down from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who

are alive, who are left, will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. Thus we shall always be with the Lord. Therefore, console one another with these words.

GOSPEL - Matthew 25:1-13

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and five were wise. The foolish ones, when taking their lamps, brought no oil with them, but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps. Since the bridegroom was long delayed, they all became drowsy and fell asleep. At midnight, there was a cry, 'Behold, the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!' Then all those virgins got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish ones said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' But the wise ones replied, 'No, for there may not be enough for us and you. Go instead to the merchants and buy some for yourselves.' While they went off to buy it, the bridegroom came and those who were ready went into the wedding feast with him. Then the door was locked. Afterwards the other virgins came and said, 'Lord, Lord, open the door for us!' But he said in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.' Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

Key Scriptural Passage...

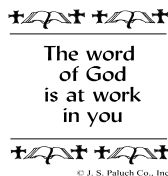
Jesus said, "Therefore, do whatever they teach you and follow it; but do not do as they do, for they do not practice what they teach."

(Matthew 23:3)

Questions for Discussion:

Adult: Is there an area of your life in which you sometimes feel like a hypocrite?

Child: Would you be willing to do a good work if no one would ever know or praise you for it? Why or why not?



Readings For The Week (Nov 6 – Nov 11)

Monday.....Rom 11:29-36/Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday.....Rom 12:5-16/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday.....Rom 13:8-10/Lk 14:25-35
Thursday.....Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12/1 Cor 3:9-11,16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Friday.....Sir 39:6-11/Mt 16:13-19
Saturday.....Rom 16:3-9,16,22-27/Lk 16:9-15

Flowers - November 5

Main Altar and Ambo - In loving memory of *J.V. Korenek, Jim & Annie Kulcak* by Lillian Strnadel, In loving memory of *Geraldine Peter* by Sylvia Peter, In loving memory of *deceased members of Ed & Rita Strnadel family* by Diane Busby, In loving memory of *Julius & Jonella Tupa* by Gary & Claudette Tupa.

Blessed Virgin Mary Altar-In loving memory of *Louis Buzek* by Ruthie Buzek, In loving memory of *Holub & Hundl families* by Janet Holub, In loving memory of *Alvin Korenek* by Marilyn Korenek

Pray For Our Seminarians:

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Pro-Life Corner...OK, It's your body but: doing drugs is illegal, suicide is illegal, prostitution is illegal, now wearing a seatbelt is illegal, so why is killing an unborn child legal?

Vocation Crucifix... We have started entrusting the vocation crucifix to a family or an individual who will be blessed with the cross for a week to pray for more vocations to the priesthood, consecrated life of both men and women, and the permanent diaconate. To sign up for the Vocation Cross program, **contact Nelda Schmidt at 979-541-4933.**

Adorers Needed: We are needing **adorers** for **Wednesday** from 2:00 a.m. to 3:00 a.m., and **Thursday** from 1:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m., Please pray and answer God's call. For more information, call Janet Holub at 543-6130.



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Welcome the Newly Baptized...

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Pray For Those Serving In The Military and Law Enforcement

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A Prayer in a Country Cemetery (All Souls Day, November 2)

DEAR Lord, here lie in their last rest, the boys and girls, the men and women that worked on the land. They knew the meaning of hard work. They knew the joy and peace that is the product of labor. Now we trust they know the peace and happiness of everlasting life with You.

They watched the sun rise often, winter and summer, over these hills and fields. They worked hard by its light, and turned willingly to their rest at its setting. Now they walk in the light of a Sun that knows no setting. Lord, if they are still in the waiting room of heaven—in purgatory—bring them speedily to the light of Your peace and the happiness of Your presence.

These men and women all their lives long labored to supply the food and drink necessary to sustain human life. Now, or soon, they enjoy in all its fullness the life that You, Lord, came down to earth to give men, and to give more abundantly. Dear Lord, bless us who labor now in the fields and hills where these dear dead have worked. Grant that we may remember them with charity and kindness, walking reverently in the ways that they have left behind them. Grant, too, that we may finally meet these men and women, these boys and girls, in the eternal mansions that You are even now preparing for us. Amen.



Bake Sale...KJT Society #84 will hold their annual bake sale on Saturday, Nov. 18 after the 5:00 p.m. Mass and Sunday, Nov. 19 after the 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses. Proceeds from the bake sale will benefit the St. Philip School academic program, and the KJT Priest and Religious Retirement Fund.



Eucharistic Procession

Sunday, November 26, 2023 - 3PM

St. Philip the Apostle & St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Churches, together invite you to an Eucharistic Procession to celebrate the Feast of Christ the King.



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2023 CHRISTMAS AT SEA

As the holiday season comes again, please consider helping with our Christmas at Sea program at the port in Point Comfort. Your gifts can brighten the life and console a seafarer far away from their family. While these gifts are not fancy or expensive, they are so important to those who receive them. **The gifts are a reminder to the seafarers that someone cares about them.**

Pack your gifts of love inside a shoe box (no boot or children size boxes, please) or a drawstring ditty bag (about 12" w by 15" h). If the packages are roughly all the same size, **hopefully the gifts will be of approximately equal value.**

Visit our webpage www.ptcomfsc.org/christmas-at-sea/ to learn more.

Please try to pack your gifts full **with new items such as these:**

Shampoo	Body wash	Deodorant	Tissues
Q-tips	Chap stick	Lotion	Powder
Shaving cream	Razors	Toothbrush	Toothpaste
Dental floss	Nail clippers/files	Wet wipes	Texas souvenir
Sewing kit	Ink pens	Crew socks	t-shirts (med or large)
Ski or ball cap	Small games	Gloves	Picture postcards
Snack crackers	Chips	Playing cards	M&M candies
Nuts	Trail mix	Chewing gum	Hard candies
Microwave popcorn	Cheap sunglasses	Flashlight w/batteries	Non-perishable snacks
Fridge magnets	Hairbrush/comb	Band-aids	Bait rigs

Then wrap boxes securely as one unit in Christmas paper. As there are very few women onboard the ships, we would request that the gifts be packed for **male** seafarers.

Completed packages can be dropped off between November 1 and December 15 at these locations:

Diocese of Victoria Chancery, 1505 E. Mesquite Lane, Victoria
Holy Family Catholic Church, 704 Mallette Drive, Victoria
Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, 415 W. Austin Street, Port Lavaca
Russell Cain Real Estate, 2025 TX - 35, Port Lavaca
Mikes on Main Café, 458 Main Street, Palacios
St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Church, 512 Tegner Street, El Campo
Packard Law Center, 523 N. Main Street, Schulenburg
Point Comfort Seafarers Center – reservations required to pass through port security

Email Rhonda at stellamaris@olgulf.org or text her at 361-987-0569 for any questions, other arrangements, or reservations to visit the Seafarers Center inside the Port in Point Comfort.

Wreaths Across America... Sponsor A Wreath Today 2023 Nation Remembrance Ceremony December 16, 2023

This is the eleventh year for the Wreaths Across America event. "The goal of Wreaths Across America is to place wreaths on all fallen veterans' graves across the United States."

The Elks Lodge in El Campo #1749 is very honored and privileged to carry out this "Mission" with the Wreaths Across America program. To order a wreath placed on a Veteran's grave at any cemetery (in our area) please contact *Roy Schulz* at 918-360-1150 or 918-348-4404 or email roy.schulz@outlook.com.

The deadline to purchase a wreath is Monday, Nov. 20. There is a \$17.00 fee for each wreath. Wreath laying ceremony will be held at 11:00 a.m. on December 16 at 11:00 a.m. at El Campo Elks Lodge #1749, 3030 N. Mechanic Street; El Campo, Tx.



Calendar of Events...**Monday, November 6**

- Men's bible study at 6:00 a.m. - Meeting House.
- Bible study group session at 10:00 a.m. - Meeting House.
- KC/CDA Memorial Mass at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, November 7

- Upper room prayer group will meet at 6:00 p.m.
- Women's bible study at 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, November 8

- CCE Grades K-12 at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 12

- Baptismal instruction class at 8:30 a.m. in Meeting House.

St. Philip School Catholic Super Prize Drawing Winner for October 27 is *Emily Strnadel*.

HOSPITALITY MINISTRY needs your help!!! We are needing more individuals, couples, students, and families to help in this ministry at all the weekend Masses. Please call the rectory at 543-3770 and offer to help.

Receive these souls and present them to God the Most High...The following names are requested to be remembered at Masses during November.

Robert F. Merta, Johnnie & Tillie Smaistrle, Regina Merta, Darlene Schneider, Leon, Lorraine, & Lynn Cranek, L. V. & Julia Cranek, Ed & Gertrude Cranek, Carl Sr., Carl Jr., Priesmeyer, Earline, Henry & John Bekon, Pane Heinze & Kenneth Cranek, Milley & Fritz Cranek, Louis & Leona Cranek, Lester & Isabel Cranek, E.J. & Gladys Hubenak, Johnnie Mican, Frank & Frances Mican, Bennie, David Frankie Sr., Frankie Jr., Tommy, Gary Mican, Cyril & Alma Mican, Willie, Delores, Steven Mican, Adolph & Sophie Kunetka, George & Martha Voldan, Henry & Ralph Vasek, Lavon Vasek, Mike Brock, Jimmie Hubenak, Leonard Mican, Bill & Martha Richardson, Henry & Ann Tlucek, Willy E. & Claudia Goerig, Paul Thubut, Hyacinthe Tlucek, Timothy Tlucek, Leo E. Popp, Frances A. Popp, Wilfred Popp, Pearly Gates, Alvin & Ann Marie Cada, Emil & Eleanor Pauler, Ed Lee Popp, Leo G. Popp, Marty Novosad, Calvin Pfeil Jr., Charlie & Marie Hlozek, Arnold "Tubby" & Madelyn Novosad, Edward & Albina Ondrias, Donald McDonald, Charles Bluntzer, Otto Bluntzer, Florine Bluntzer

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Knights of Columbus #2490 will hold a Community Blood Drive on Wednesday, November 15 from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Columbus Club Hall. Contact Richard Raun at 541-3775 for more information.



Serra Prayer for Vocations... O God, Who wills not the death of a sinner, but rather that he be converted and live, grant we beseech You through the intercession of the Blessed Mary, ever Virgin, St. Joseph, her spouse, St. Junipero Serra, and all the saints, an increase of laborers for your Church, fellow laborers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls, through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen

Today begins Vocation Awareness Week...Nov 5 - Nov 11

Did you know that in our country, compared to 60 years ago, there are 20,000 fewer priests and 129,000 fewer religious sisters? At the same time, the Catholic population has grown steadily. During Vocation Awareness Week, please pray that young people in today's society will hear and respond to God's call. And do your part to encourage them to consider the priesthood and consecrated life.

One Vocation Leads To Another... "Let us not forget that Christian marriage is a vocation to holiness in the full sense of the word, and that the example of holy parents is the first condition favorable for the flowering of priestly and religious vocations." - Pope Benedict XV

Your Unique Mission... Why does it matter that people discover their God-given vocations? Because the Church relies on the unique contribution of every soul. As St. John Henry Newman famously reflected: "God has created me to do some special service; God has committed some work to me which has not been committed to another. **I HAVE A MISSION.**"

**A Prayer For Veterans Day...November 11**

Dear Lord, Today we honor our veterans, worthy men and women who gave their best when they were called upon to serve and protect their country. We pray that you will bless them for their unselfish service in the continual struggle to preserve our freedoms, our safety, and our country's heritage, for all of us. Bless them abundantly for the hardships they faced, for the sacrifices they made for their many different contributions to America's victories over tyranny and oppression. We respect them, we thank them, we honor them, we are proud of them. We pray that you will watch over these special people and bless them with peace and happiness.



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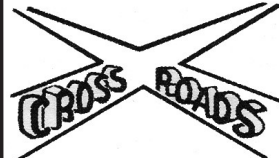
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