

St. Philip Catholic Mission

CHINA SPRING, TX

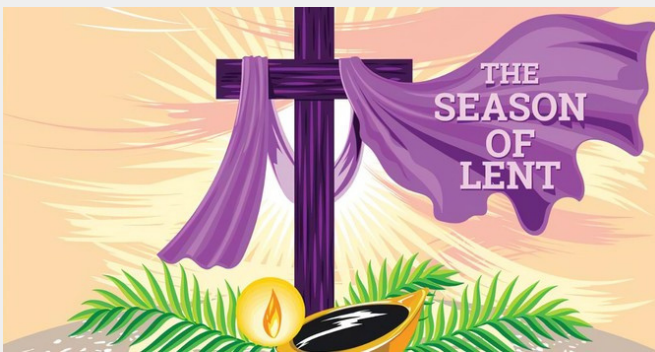
MARCH 19, 2023 | FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Visitors, thank you for looking us up today!

We know that these are unprecedented times and many of you are looking for a measure of spiritual comfort and peace. We are encouraged that you are here and are praying for you. Please feel free to send us any questions, look around our website and follow us on social media.

Welcome new parishioners!

If you are ready to register, you may at www.stphilipcs.com/parish-registration. For further information please contact the church office at info@stphilipcs.com.



WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday | Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9 /Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42
Monday | 2 Kgs 5:1-15/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday | Dn 3:2-5, 34-43/Ps 25:4-9/Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday | Dt 4:1-9/Ps 147:12-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday | Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-9/Lk 11:14-23
Friday | Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6-11, 14-17/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday | Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-21/Lk 18:91

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SUNDAY MASS

9:00 AM

ROSARY (BEFORE MASS)

8:35 AM

Confessions at St. Louis Waco, TX

Thursday | 5:00pm – 5:30pm &

6:00pm – 7:00pm

Saturday | 3:30pm – 5:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Louis – Waco, Tx

Monday – Friday | 7:30am – 8:30am

Thursday | 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Office Hours:

By Appointment

Mailing Address:

PO Box 430

China Spring, TX 76633

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parents should make arrangements with the parish office prior to the birth of the child.

MARRIAGE: Contact the parish office to make preparations at least six months prior to the date. New baptismal certificates must be obtained from the home parish showing that the couple are free to marry.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Families should notify the parish office of members admitted to hospitals and convalescent facilities. For emergencies call (254) 754-1221.

VOCATIONS: Anyone considering a vocation to the religious life should speak with our clergy or contact Rev. Greg Gerhart at (512) 949-2430 or fr-greg-gerhart@austindiocese.org

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ST. PHILIP CHOIR

Do You Sing? Play an Instrument?
Come join the St. Philip choir!
Rehearsal: Sundays, 10:15am
(following Mass). All are welcome!
Have questions? Contact Maria
Nowlin at maria@stphilipcs.com.

ST. PHILIP PRAYER CHAIN

Can we pray for you? Drop your
prayer requests in the prayer
box located in the back of the
church or email
Patricia Alleman at
pddyalleman@aol.com.

STEWARDSHIP

\$ 1,731.00

PEW OFFERING

\$ 885.00

ELECTRONIC

*Thank you for your
generosity!*

TV MASSES

6:00am, KWTX - REBROADCAST
of last week's Mass

9:30am CW - LIVE BROADCASTS

Antenna: 46.1 (46-1)

Grande: 12 (812 HD)

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Direct/AT&T Satellite: 46

ELECTRONIC GIVING

The benefits to you are easy to see - setting up recurring
gifts is much like setting up your water bill, you don't have to
think about it every month!

Go to <https://stphilipcs.com/give> and follow these steps:

1. Choose a One-time or Recurring donation
2. Select a preferred method of payment
3. Enter your information and submit!

ST. PHILIP CATHOLIC MISSION



OF CHINA SPRING



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

WILL BE HOSTING THEIR ANNUAL
LENTEN FISH FRY FRIDAYS

EVERY FRIDAY FEBRUARY 24th - MARCH 31st
from 5:00PM until the fish runs out!

13095 Old China Spring Highway

drive through meals include fish, sides, and dessert
dine-in meals include fish, sides, dessert, and a drink

\$12 per Plate

ALL FORMS OF PAYMENT WILL BE ACCEPTED

Your money goes to support such worthy causes as:

China Spring Cares, a nonprofit that provides clothing, shoes, food,
hygiene needs, and school supplies for CSISD students

China Spring Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Central Texas Special Olympics

Local Food Banks

ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Philip's has openings for ministry volunteers.

- Lectors
- Eucharistic ministers
- Greeters
- Ushers

For more information please contact:

Laurie Craig * 254-749-1665 * landbcraig@yahoo.com



Virtus training will be held on March 22, March 25, April 12, and April 15 all the classes will be held at Bishop Reicher School.

Joseph's Heart Movie Social

Come celebrate St Joseph's feast day with Joseph's Heart, our adoption and foster care support ministry! Join us for a movie, food, and fellowship. *March 19th at 630pm in the Reicher auditorium*, we will be watching Lifemark, a 2022 pro-life drama that tells the true story of a young man placed for adoption as an infant, and the emotional journey to meet his birth parents 18 years later. Movie is rated PG-13 for thematic elements mentioning abortion. RSVP to josephsheartwaco@gmail.com. Please let us know if you would like to have childcare provided. Everyone is invited!

MARRIED COUPLES:

Spring is here! It's the season of rebirth, new life, when nature seems to take a fresh start. Why not wake up your marriage this Spring as well? Remind your spouse that he or she is still number one in your life. Make a Marriage Encounter Weekend and re-discover the romance of your relationship. An upcoming weekend is scheduled for April 21-23 at Cedarbrake Renewal Center in Belton. To apply online visit: austinme.org or contact Zeb & Geraldine Evans: 512-677-WWME (9963) or email wwmeaustin@gmail.com. Call early to ensure a space. Para información en español llamar al 512-844-0785.



Hostess for the coming months

Caitlin Book March 26th

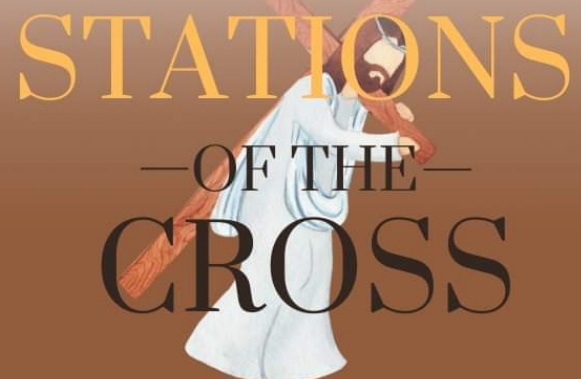
Rose Gordon April 23rd

Joy Biniok May 21st

It is a St Philip's tradition for the ladies of Gather to assist the Knight's of Columbus with the Friday night fish fry during Lent. We can help them by voluntarily for kitchen duty and/or providing desserts.

High School Retreat

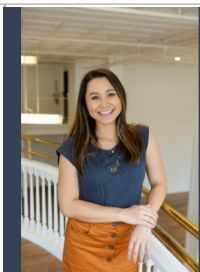
"Spirit of Power" registration is open now! On March 24-26 we will be going to Latham Springs retreat center to encounter the Spirit of Power and grow in relationship with him!!! To register email youthministry@stlouiswaco.com



Beginning on Friday, February 24, and then every Friday during Lent.
6:00 p.m.

St. Louis Catholic Church

This space is available.
Email
info@stphilipcs.com for
more information.



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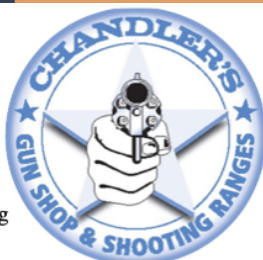
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Clara Veselka
Henry Mark Veselka

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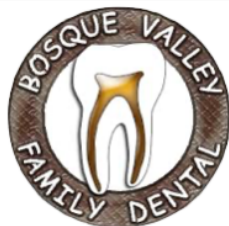
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**St. Philip
Catholic
Mission
Council
#17224**

**Pray for vocations to
the priesthood and
religious life!**

BULLETIN INFORMATION

Deadline for bulletin items is
Tuesday by 5pm. Please email
info@stphilipcs.com for
submission approval.