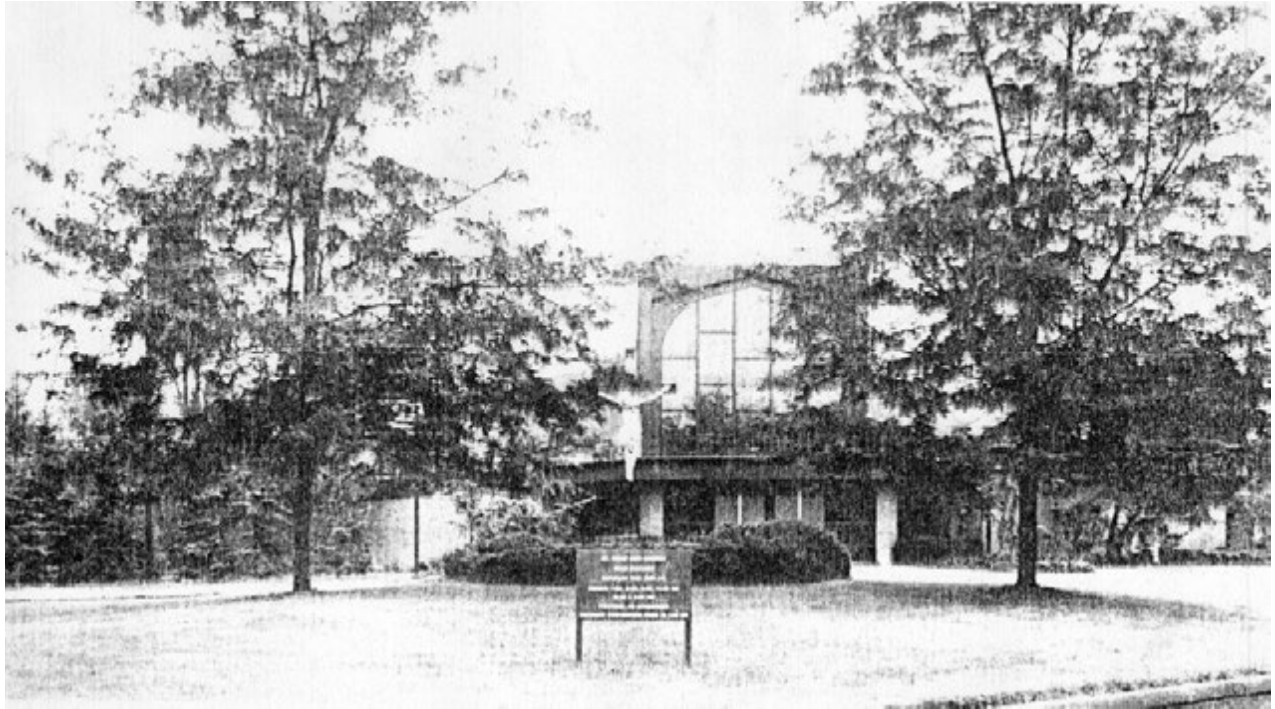


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5:00 VIGIL

7:00, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 AM

BAPTISMS

SECOND & FOURTH SUNDAYS, 12:30 PM

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, 8:30 AM

SATURDAY, 8:30 AM

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SATURDAY, NOON TO 1:00 PM

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September 17, 2017

Second Collection: The second collection today will be dedicated to the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Harvey. Donations will be forwarded to Catholic Charities USA, the Catholic agency which addresses emergency needs in this country.

Second Collection Next Weekend Debt Reduction

PLEASE PRAY for the sick so that they may be comforted by the concern and love of their families and the family of the Church: Jose Alvarez, Sr. Maureen James Barr SSJ, Bella Jones Borkowski, Marita Boyce, Maria Brown, Lou Cacchio, Vincent Cellucci, Rochelle Colucci, Hunter Cranage, Jean Daywalt, Lillian Doherty, Dr. Robert Domanski, Emily Donhauser, Bernadette Dougherty, Lisa Dougherty, Dolores (Dee) Downs, Larry Falkowski, Christopher Greuters, Elizabeth Ann Hill, Jean Keenan, Anna Knittle, Pat Kost, Nicholas Lannutti, Peter Lello, Anne Lintner, George and Molly Lozinak, Phyllis Luther, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, Peter Marziano, John McCann, Maura McGrath, Julia McLaughlin, Baby Avery McNichols, Steven Merlin, Joe and Betty Mulligan, Sarah Neve, Joe O'Brien, Lisa O'Brien, Joan O'Connell, Anna Paulina Oliveras Irizarry, John Pacell, Baby Addison Pfeffer, Jim Rafter, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, John Reynolds, David Rosenberger, Xavier Ross, Geraldine Rotondo, John Sandy, John Schaifer, Gina Schindler, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Michael Shaw, Kristin Shearon, Bobbie Shertz, Robert Smith, Joseph Specht, Brian Stenz, Amy Swift, Kena Thompson, Wendi Wagoner and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.

Pre Cana: Next meeting for those preparing for marriage is Oct 14th, for more information call the church office at 610-834-1975. Please pray for all couples participating and preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage.

Baptismal Instruction: The next session is scheduled for September 25th at 7:30 PM in the Rectory Conference Room. Your baby is always welcome in Church, however, for the instruction itself, please try to schedule a babysitter so you may be free to concentrate. Please call the Church Office (610-834-1975) to sign up.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday

6:30 AM Harry Cappa, Jr.
8:30 AM Tom Morrison

Tuesday

6:30 AM Edward, Joseph & Charles Knittel
8:30 AM Rosanna Suder & Eleanor Gallagher

Wednesday

6:30 AM Nancy Bernhardt
8:30 AM Frances Januzelli

Thursday

6:30 AM Helen Hangholt
8:30 AM Josephine & Louis Cucchi

Friday

6:30 AM Leena Hoopes
8:30 AM Jim Koller

Saturday

8:30 AM Stephen Petka

Block Collection

As you will read in the letter from Msgr. Vance this is a very important collection that allows us to continue to be good stewards of our parish buildings and grounds. Another aspect of returning your yearly Block Collection envelope allows the Church office to update the information we have on file for each family in our records. Thank you in advance for your contributions and returning your census information.

Pastor's Note: Many years ago one of our 8th Grade Graduation classes donated a garden in honor of Sr. Caroline, who was so loved and respected. The garden was recently refurbished and updated. I would like to do this in memory of Joan Chassey, a beloved parishioner who spent many years working on the grounds of our Church and Rectory. If you wish to contribute to this project please place your contribution envelope marked "Garden" in the Sunday collection or drop off/mail it to the Church Office. Thank you!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Second Monday of the each month
Chapel 9:00AM -6PM

We Welcome: Jude Christian, son of Pasquale & Maura Ciammetti, Elizabeth Whitney, daughter of William & Ashley Ciammetti, Dev Maxwell, son of Charles & Hema Funk, Logan Thomas, son of Scott & Heather Hanson, Connor Kevin, son of Kevin & Michelle Klein, Brian John, son of Brian and Jessica Monaghan, and Jackson James, son of Matthew Quinn & Stephanie Bartle. These children were baptized on September 10th at St. Philip's.

Cow Plop Bingo: The SPN Annual Cow Plop Bingo will return to the SPN soccer field on Sunday, Oct 15th from 1PM to 4PM. Each square of the 400 square grid will provide the owner with a chance to win \$1,500.00! Tickets for each square are \$20.00 and will be on sale in the back of the church, after every Mass from 9/23/17 to 10/15/17. Join us for games, food and a DJ dance party. All proceeds will benefit the SPN Youth Group.

Women's Prayer Group: We will resume meeting on Thursday, Sept 21st, the group meets in the rectory dining room from 11AM to Noon on the first and third Thursday of each month. Women of all ages are welcome. Come join us! For further information, call Sr.Regina Kropp at 610-828-2866.

Mens Prayer Group: Men of different ages meet every Wednesday morning in the Rectory Conference Room from 7:30 to 8:30. If you are interested in joining and wish for more information, call Duane McCarthy at 610-825-5237.

Parents Support Group: An informal group of Moms and Dads get together to talk or just listen to others who understand how you feel. The next meeting is Tuesday, September 19th at 7pm in the rectory conference room. For more information contact Marianne O'Connor at 610-825-4975 or Rosemary McNichol at 215-247-2267.

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is for individuals interested in exploring and discerning membership in the Catholic Church. We meet on a weekly basis to discuss Church teachings in light of Sacred Scripture and Church Tradition. If you are interested contact Barney McGee at 610-834-1975 or email: bmcgee@spnchurchlh.org, we look forward to speaking with you!

RCIA Welcome: On Sunday, Sept 10th, Heather Cognata was received into the Catholic Church after many months of preparation. She along with her family celebrated the Sacraments of Iniation here at St. Philips, welcome and congratulations!

Frozen Casseroles for St. John's Hospice: Could you find time to make a casserole for the homeless of St. John's? Pans, lids and recipes are available in the church office and at Barbara McCarthy's (610-828-2058). Frozen casseroles are brought to Barbara's house by 9AM. The next delivery date is Oct 4th.

PREP/CCD Volunteers Needed: Come share your faith and knowledge of God with the children of our parish. The St. Philip's religious education program is looking for a Monday 6th grade teacher. We also could use classroom aides in many of our rooms on Monday or Tuesday. The religious education program is also in need of an adult teacher for the kindergarten CCD program. This program is Sunday mornings from 10am to 11am and there will be youth volunteers to assist in the class as well and training will be provided. If you yourself, or anyone you know, are interested in passing on your faith in this particular way please Dane Connelly in the PREP Office at 484-804-1875 or email at d.connelyspn@gmail.com

Philippians: We are a social organization for seniors in our area. We offer entertainment, trips, informational programs and opportunities for service projects. Meetings, in the school hall, will resume on October 12th from 11:30 AM to 1 PM. For membership info please call Angie Berry at 610-260-1211 or 610-608-0358.

Women's Guild: The yearly mailing has been sent and if you are interested in joining please return the registration form and dues to the Church office or you can drop into the collection basket on Sunday in an envelope marked "Woman's Guild". Parishioners gather to share ideas and experiences including exploring ways to provide an arena where each parishioner can feel welcome, and to participate in events as they are able. Please contact Paula DiGiacomo, Guild President at pdigiacomo4044@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus: St. Philip's is exploring the possibility of establishing a new Knights of Columbus Council in our parish. The fraternal order is looking for Catholic men in good standing with the church (ages 18 and up) to be defenders of our faith and who are interested in its founding principles of charity, unity and patriotism. Please contact Dexter de La Rosa at dexter.delarosa@kofc.org or call 917-941-5381 for more information.

Holy Rosary Craft Show: Holy Rosary Regional Catholic School in Plymouth Meeting will be having their annual craft show on Dec 2nd & 3rd. With over 100 crafters and over 1,000 attendees. If interested in being a crafter please email holyrosarycraftshow@gmail.com

St. Vincent's Seminary: A residential facility for Vincentian priest & brothers, is seeking an experienced Director of Nursing Services. The facility has a capacity of 62 beds, with independent, assisted and nursing levels of care. Please submit a cover letter with resume & salary requirements to provresume@gmail.com

BJ's Membership Drive To sign up for a reduced cost BJ's card or if your membership is due to expire in the next 6-7 months, please renew now. BJ's will add the 15 months on to your current membership. Please don't wait until your membership is due to expire. You can check your membership date at BJ's or the top of any receipt. The applications/flyers are in the back of the church. Please drop these forms off at the church or school office. Offer expires September 30th.

Nat'l Catholic Women's Conference: *Drawn by Love: Sent on Fire.* Saturday, October 21st, 8:30AM to 4PM at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, 654 Ferry Road in Doylestown. Join women from around the archdiocese and throughout the country for a day of inspiration, faith, fellowship and fun. The cost is \$55.00 for early registration, \$50.00 for group rate (5+) and \$65.00 after October 1st. Contact Annemarie@CatholicVineyard.com or call 267-684-5281 for information.

St. Raphaela Center: The Handmaids of the Scared Heart at the retreat center in Haverford offer retreats for an extended time of prayer and silence, accompanied by a Spiritual Director. They have a Day of Prayer scheduled for widows and widowers, with guided reflection, to offer peace and support for those who have lost a spouse (recently or years ago). Led by Deacon Schaffer and Eucharist will be celebrated the date is November 8th for 9:30AM to 3PM email www.straphaelacenter.org or call 610-642-5715 for more details.

Reboot Live: Tickets will be on sale in the lobby after all Masses this weekend.

Reboot Live! Coming in the fall of 2017! St. Philip Neri is pleased to announce that Chris Stefanick and his life-changing event Reboot Live! will be held on October 5, 2017 from 7:00 PM to 9:30 PM in church.

*****Tickets are available in the church office*****

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St. Francis Inn: With cool weather upon us, we are in need of clean blankets, throws & afghans for our homeless clients, thermal underwear and new, white athletic socks. Coffee, tea, sugar, iced tea, tuna, canned chicken, chili, Spaghettios, peanut butter and jam. PineSol, Clorox Anywhere, bleach, toilet paper, paper towels and tissues. Diapers (size 6 & preemie only), wipes, baby food & formula. Most of all, PRAYERS!

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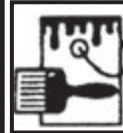
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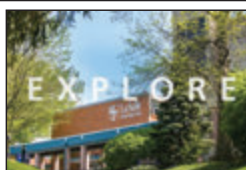


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