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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 VIGIL

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

BAPTISMS

SECOND & FOURTH SUNDAYS, 12:30 PM

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 6:30AM & 8:30AM

SATURDAY 8:30AM

CONFESSIONS

SATURDAY, NOON TO 1:00 PM

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Palm Sunday

As Holy Week begins I would like to take the opportunity to invite all parishioners to attend our special observances of the sacred events. This week we commemorate the central mysteries of our faith by surrounding these mysteries in solemn liturgies. They are deeply spiritual and moving services through which we commemorate Our Lord's Passion, Death & Resurrection...this is our faith, the story of our redemption. Make it truly a Holy Week!

Msgr. Vance



Sacrament of Penance

Confessions are heard every Saturday from Noon to 1pm, or by appointment, call 610-834-1975 to schedule. Lent is a great time to receive the forgiveness and grace of this Sacrament.



This week the Sanctuary Lamp will burn in memory of Nancy Liberato requested by the Deborah Liberato.

The Church Office will be closed
Friday, April 2nd and Monday, April 5th.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday
6:30AM Thomas F. Keane III & Thomas F Keane Jr
Frank & Concetta Lupinacci & Family
8:30AM Dennis Small
Tuesday
6:30AM Angelo Amoroso
8:30AM Jim Brooks
Wednesday
6:30AM Angelo Amoroso
8:30AM Timothy McNichol – 26th Anniversary

Sacred Paschal Triduum
Holy Thursday – Mass at 7PM

Good Friday – Eucharist at 3PM

Holy Saturday – Vigil Mass at 7PM



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: Baby Rayna, Robert Biddle Sr, Ryan Bonner, Jennifer Brands, Audrey Michelle Cacchio, Lou Cacchio, Barry Cahill, Baby Leah Carsello, Robert Cassel, Ava Love Conley, John Coscia Sr, Frank Craig, Hunter Cranage, Shaleen Dennis, Charlie Dickman, Susan DeSimone, Dr. Robert Domanski, Emily Donhauser, Andrew Dotzman, Lisa Dougherty, Dolores Downs, George & Roseann Eberwine, Mary Ann Foley, Christopher Greuters, Mary Kay Halecki, Debra Hall, Chase Hansen, Andrea Harrison, Joseph Hoch, Katherine (young child), Lois Kelly, Rose Marie Klemick, Palma Leomporra, Anne Lintner, George, Mary & Molly Lozinak, Phyllis Luther, Greg deGroot Maggetti, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Julia McLaughlin, Baby Avery McNichols, Steven Merlin, Joe Mulligan, Annie Hope Munn, Joe O'Brien, Doris Palumbo, Baby Addison Pfeffer, William Pinto, Ann Purkin, Jim Rafter, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, John Reynolds, Jerry Rotundo, Ann Marie Sanders, David Sandy, John Schaifer, Donna Schoen, Tim Schwartz, Michael Shaw, Kristin Shearon, Robert Smith, Betty Sparks, Brian Stenz, Yvonne Stephens, Amy Swift, Kena Thompson, Jackson Thorburn, Patricia Trioli, Frank Tulino, Mary Vogel, Wendi Wagoner and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.



Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament
April 12th from 9am to 5pm in the chapel.



Holy Week

All liturgies will be live streamed
Go to: www.saintphilipnerichurch.com

Palm Sunday – March 28th

Blessed Palm will be available for those attending Mass in the vestibule. Palm will be available in front of Church from 12:30 to 2PM for those not attending Mass.

Vigil Mass Saturday, March 27th at 5PM

Sunday, March 28th at 7AM, 8:30AM, 10AM & 11:30AM

(10AM Mass will be live streamed)

Monday – March 29th

Parish Penance Service at 7PM
Additional priests will be available

Wednesday – March 31st

Stations of the Cross at 7PM
Confession available afterward

Holy Thursday – April 1st

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7PM
Evening Prayer at 10PM

Good Friday – April 2nd

Morning Prayer at 9AM
Afternoon Prayer at Noon

The Passion, Veneration of the Cross & Eucharist at 3PM
Stations of the Cross & Private Veneration at 7:30PM

Holy Saturday – April 3rd

Morning Prayer at 9AM
(Food will be blessed after Morning Prayer)
Easter Vigil at 7PM

Easter Sunday – April 4th

Masses at 7AM, 8:30AM, 10AM & 11:30AM
(10AM Mass will be live streamed)

75th Anniversary Commemorative Books

After much hard work and dedication the commemorative book committee has completed their challenging task and the books are ready! They will be distributed after

Masses today in the Church vestibule after all Masses until 1PM. The Knights of Columbus will be helping in the distribution of the books and help with any questions. This is only for those who pre-ordered a book, purchased a commemorative listing or were a sponsor of the book; there will be copies available for purchase in the near future. Keep your eye on the bulletin for details.

Thank you to the committee for this beautiful book!

25th Kelly Ann O'Connor Brunch

Unfortunately the annual brunch will not be held again this year on Palm Sunday. We appreciate all you love and support in past years. If you are so inclined, we will be accepting donations so that we can continue to support the fund at the Mount and St. Philip School. Send checks to KAOC Fund to Marianne O'Connor at 4053 N. Warner Rd, Lafayette Hill, PA 19444 or send thru Venmo:

@Kaoc-fund. We thank you...

The O'Connor Family

10AM Sunday Mass is live streamed every week

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Family Rosary: Join the Knights of Columbus on Wednesday, April 14th after Stations of the Cross in the Church for this devotion to Our Blessed Mother. A great opportunity to enhance your Lent.

Are you a parent who has lost a child? An informal group of mom's & dad's get together to talk or to just listen to others who understand how you feel. Next meeting is March 16th and will be live via zoom at 6PM. Contact Marianne O'Connor at 610-825-4975 or Rosemary McNichol at 215-247-2267.



Support the SPN Class of 2021! Basketball Slam Fundraiser

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Baptismal Instruction / Pre Jordan: The next session will be April 12th at 7:30PM, these sessions are virtual. Once you register, Deacon Mike Cipressi will contact you with meeting details. Please call the Church Office at 610-834-1975 to register.

Year End Donation Letter: If anyone needs a total of their contributions from the year 2020, please call the Church office at 610-834-1975.

Lenten Sock Collection

There is a collection box in the vestibule for men's, women's and children's (above the ankle) socks. They will be given to St. Francis Inn and The Patrician Society in Norristown. Thanks for your support!

The Gianna Center: Gianna Center is dedicated to providing women's health care and infertility treatment that honor the sanctity of each human life, the dignity of women and the sacramental integrity of marriage. Join us at the LuLu Country Club on May 3rd for details please go to: www.phgiannacenter.org and click events tab.

Fr. Chuck's Challenge: A word of thanks for the support that SPN has given *Father Chuck's Challenge* in the past. Many homeless in Nicaragua and Haiti have received homes through this outreach. Current circumstances have reduced on site parish appeals, but know that housing is continuing to be built through online and mail in contributions. Donations may be sent to 1020 Lake Lane, Pennsburg, PA 18073-1610 or go to <https://www.fatherchuckschallenge.com>.

Church Cleaners: Thanks to our many dedicated parishioners who volunteer monthly to keep the Church clean. We could use additional volunteers for the second Friday of every month, please call the Church Office if you might be able to help.

Parish Registration

In order to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist or Matrimony or to have access to Letters of Eligibility to stand as a godparent at Baptism or sponsor at Confirmation you need to be registered with a parish. Young adults who turn 26 or complete higher education and continue to reside within our area should register individually. Call the Church Office at 610-834-1975 for more information.

St. John's Hospice

For monetary donations please go to their website

Dear generous and loyal friends at St. Philip Neri Parish, due to unforeseen circumstances at St. John's Hospice, we have been asked to place our casserole donation program on a temporary hold until further notice. We will update the Church bulletin once the program resumes. Thank you.....



SCRIP ON SALE IN VESTIBULE AFTER 8:30AM & 10AM MASS ON SUNDAY

All major food stores and major clothes retailers have cards available; please go to the website for a complete list. This program helps support our school and is driven by parishioner participation...give it a try!

GIANT, ACME, SHOP RITE, WEIS, KOHLS, BOSCOVS, MACY'S & LOWES just to name a few.

We have Scrip Cards in the Church Office & on line sales.

You can buy gift cards for over 780 retailers (www.shopwithscrip.com) and earn a rebate on every card

Shop Rite Receipt's: Do you shop at Shop Rite? If so please save your receipt and drop them off at the Church office or put in the collection box under the bulletin board in the vestibule. They have to be dated within the last 5 months and only Brown Family Shop Rite's offer a rebate to help our school.



Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass Saturday, May 1, 2021 at 5:15 Vigil Mass Cathedral Basilica SS. Peter & Paul

Are you celebrating a special anniversary this year? Archbishop Perez will celebrate Mass commemorating all married couples who are newlyweds or celebrating an anniversary milestone. Please RSVP with the Office for Life & Family at 215-587-0500.



TRIDUUM

A Latin word meaning "the three days", it starts on Holy Thursday with the Mass of the Lord's Supper and finishes with Night Prayer on Easter Sunday. In time it signifies the end of Lent and the beginning of the 50 day Easter season. Spiritually it is the culmination of the Church's Liturgical year with solemn liturgies commemorating the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ and His destroying death and rising to Life. The Triduum is considered one continuous liturgy, notice there is no dismissal or blessing on Holy Thursday or Good Friday, that doesn't occur until Easter Sunday. The mood of the Triduum takes us from the most somber events of Holy Thursday and Good Friday and gradually builds to the exhilarating joy at the Resurrection.



St. Francis Inn

www.stfrancisinn.org

Thank you so much to all those who continue to send us wonderful donations. We truly could not distribute a full meal without all of you. Whenever we get low on snacks we say "hopefully God will provide" and you all come through. So again, thank you and know you are in our prayers! Items we need most: tea bags (preferably tag less, hand sanitizer, small drinks (approx. 6oz) like juice or milk cartons, bottled water (large and small), small snacks (chips, cookie packs), paper towels, canned food, men's boxers, women's underwear (small & medium). The collection box is in the Church vestibule year round accepting your donations. We can now accept donations of CLEAN warm clothing, coats, hats and gloves. Men's pants and boots. Canned foods and instant food items are always needed as well as basic toiletries. Donations may be dropped off at the Muller's porch, 472 Poplar Lane in Whitmarsh Woods or in the donation box in the Church vestibule. Eternal thanks for all you do to keep us going!

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