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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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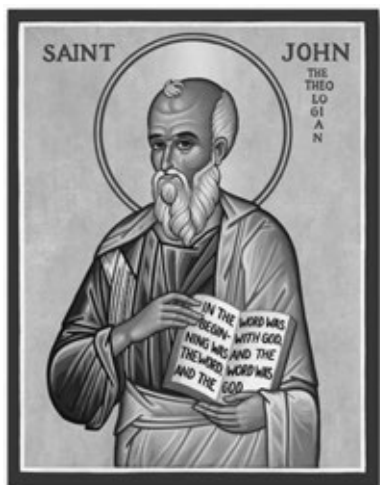
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MAY 9, 2021



6th Sunday of Easter



- Monday**
6:30AM Adam & Marie Quaglia
8:30AM Peter Dimaira
- Tuesday**
6:30AM Joan Mooney
8:30AM Barbara Bischoff Kenney
- Wednesday**
6:30AM Joe Gravinese
8:30AM Tullio Leomporra
- Thursday – Ascension of the Lord**
6:30AM Walter Palmer
8:30AM Catherine H. Conway
12:05PM Nancy Liberato
7:00PM Don Vitale
- Friday**
6:30AM Angelo Amoroso
8:30AM Raymond Schratz
- Saturday**
8:30AM Margaret Ponietowicz



“God sent His only Son into the world so that we might have life through Him.”

PLEASE PRAY

For the sick, that they may be comforted and strengthened by the concern and love of their families and the family of the Church. Baby Rayna, Robert Biddle Sr, Ryan Bonner, Jennifer Brands, Sandy Byerly, Audrey Michelle Cacchio, Lou Cacchio, Barry Cahill, 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, Pamela Drayton, George & Roseann Eberwine, Christopher Greuters, Mary Kay Halecki, Debra Hall, Chase Hansen, Andrea Harrison, Joseph Hoch, Katherine (young child), Lois Kelly, Rose Marie Klemick, Anne Lintner, George, Mary & Molly Lozinak, Phyllis Luther, Greg deGroot Maggetti, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Eleanor McDevitt, Julia McLaughlin, Baby Avery McNichols, Steven Merlin, Randolph & Sylvia Miller, Joe Mulligan, Annie Hope Munn, 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.

Myself, Fr. Mike & Fr. Dooner would like to wish all our moms a very Happy Mother's Day. The role of motherhood is absolutely unique in its expressions of unconditional love and dedication and is a reflection of God's love for His people. They make the world a better place! Prayers and blessing to all our moms. Msgr. Vance



This week the Sanctuary Lamp will burn in memory of Helen Godleski requested by Barney McGee & Michael Pastorius.

Please Pray: For those who have gone on before us marked with the sign of faith, especially Robert F. Flynn, father of Deacon Rob Flynn.

*Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament in the chapel
on Monday, May 10th from 9AM to 5PM*

Baptismal Instruction / Pre Jordan: The next session will be May 10th 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.

Ascension Thursday May 13th

Holy Day of Obligation

Masses at 6:30AM, 8:30AM, 12:05PM & 7PM



Sacrament of Penance

**Confessions are heard every Saturday from
Noon to 1pm, or by appointment,
call 610-834-1975 to schedule.**



Today, Mother's Day, members of our parish's Respect Life Group will be offering Mother's Day roses and other items in support of local pro-life groups. We ask you to be generous with your offering. We Catholic people must always be faithful to this great cause. Thank You!

**10AM Sunday Mass is live streamed every week
www.saintphilipnerichurch.com**

Family Rosary: Join the Knights of Columbus on Wednesday, May 12th at 7PM in the Church as we honor Our Blessed Mother and ask for her intercession.



**Knights of Columbus
Memorial Day Flags**

For the upcoming commemoration of Memorial Day on May 30th the knights will be offering lawn flags that will be placed in the circle in front of Church. We ask for a \$5.00 donation per flag and as always all proceeds go to the charitable work of the knights. Help us fill the circle in memory of those who have served our country. Drop off in the Church Office, the collection basket or in the collection box in the vestibule.

The deadline is May 21st.



May Holy Hour for Mothers & Vocations

Join us Wednesday, May 19th from 7:00PM to 8:15PM in the Church. The Eucharist will be solemnly exposed on the altar for Adoration. Fr. Mike will lead in prayer with praise & worship music, hymns of Mary, a discernment exercise, a mom tribute and a decade of the rosary. All ages are welcome. Bring a friend! Youth and family friendly! Like last time young adults can join Fr. Mike for some snacks and drinks afterwards at the Ale House.



Manna Sunday

We will be collecting canned food items again this year to benefit the Nutritional Development Services of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. Manna Bags will be available in the Church vestibule after all Masses this weekend. Kindly return your filled Manna Bag on the weekend of May 15th & 16th. If you are not able to bring a filled bag, monetary donations can be made

at: <https://yougivegoods.com/ndsmanna>

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 May 18th and will be held at the outdoor shrine next to the Church at 6PM. Contact Marianne O'Connor at 610-825-4975 or Rosemary McNichol at 215-247-2267.



Annual Lily's Hope Collection

This weekend in the vestibule there will be a collection table for you to drop off your donation. Supplies needed are new born size baby clothes, new born size diapers, Lysol wipes or Gift cards (Wawa, Acme, Boscov's, etc.). For more information or questions contact Sr. Marie Bambrick at 484-895-5944 or visit the website: www.lilyshopefoundation.org

Sisters of St. Joseph Welcome Center: Registration is now open for the first ever Welcome Center Golf Outing. The event will take place on Monday, May 24th at Sandy Run Country Club. Please visit www.ssjwelcomecenter.org for details, registration and sponsorship information. Any questions email Sam at shenryssjwc@gmail.com. We hope you can join us! The SSJ Welcome Center offers opportunities that enable immigrants and others to improve the quality of their lives through access to education, support services and programs leading to self-sufficiency.

May the Month of Mary

"From Mary we learn to surrender to God's will in all things. From Mary we learn to trust even when all hope seems gone. From Mary we learn to love Christ Her Son and the Son of God."

Pope St. John Paul II

Position Available: The Sisters of St. Joseph at St. Genevieve Convent in Flourtown are searching for someone to cook for them. The position involves three week days a week for 3 hours per day. If interested and for further information, please contact us at riccajssj4@gmsil.com, thank you.

Do you know your Tribunal? The Tribunal is available to help people who have experienced divorce and who may wish to remarry in the Catholic Church. If you are divorced and want to marry in the Church or remarried outside the Catholic Church please call the Tribunal Office at 215-587-3750 or go to www.archphila.org



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.



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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!
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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.

Pope John Paul II High School
Summer Camp Information

Camps are for students entering K-9 as of September 2021. Camps will follow health and safety guidelines from the state. To read about all the camps PJP will be offering this summer please go to:
<https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=6205ec>



Parish Giving

Go to the parish website to sign up, it's easy, free and can be stopped or adjusted at any time. In these difficult and times please don't forget your parish and help us if you are able, to meet our unchanged financial needs.

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.....



St. Francis Inn

www.stfrancisinn.org

To our volunteers, we miss you and we cannot wait for your return. To our donors, thank you! We could not have survived this past year without your unbelievable generosity. Your response to our need for bottled water helped us to realize that even though it may feel like it sometimes, we are not alone and there is always someone ready to help people in need!
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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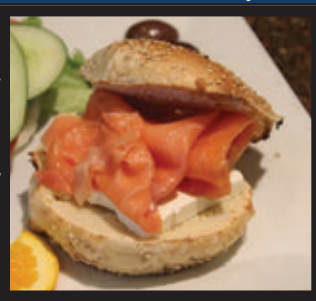
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