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REV. WILLIAM B. DOONER, In Residence  
REV. JOSEPH W. BONGARD, Weekend Assistant  
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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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# Saint Philip Neri Church

## May 8, 2022

### 4th Sunday of Easter

Second Collection – Catholic Home Missions  
Second Collection Next Weekend – Lily's Hope

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### Loving God,

we thank you for the love of the mothers you have given us, whose love is so precious that it can never be measured, whose patience seems to have no end.

We pray for those mothers who fear they will run out of love or time, or patience. We ask you to bless them with your own special love.

**Amen.**

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## Happy Mother's Day

Myself, Fr. McFadden & Fr. Dooner would like to wish all our mom's 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 blessings to all our mom's. Msgr. Vance



Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament  
Monday, May 9th in the Chapel  
9AM to 5PM



*This week the Sanctuary Lamp will burn in memory of Dorothy Suhadolnik, requested by Christine Suhadolnick.*



## Mass Intentions

### Monday

6:30AM  
8:30AM

Dennis W. Keane  
Rosemary & Jim Fitzpatrick

### Tuesday

6:30AM  
8:30AM

Patricia Komalsky  
Jennie & Rocco Colagreco

### Wednesday

6:30AM  
8:30AM

Joe Gravinese  
Gregory Nowak

### Thursday

6:30AM  
8:30AM

Seda Kleinfelter  
Tulio & Palma Leomporra

### Friday

6:30AM  
8:30AM

Marie Longino  
Catherine H. Conway

### Saturday

8:30AM

Regina Dougherty – 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary



We 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, Nancy Bogdon, Ryan Bonner, Ginny Boyle, Audrey Michelle Cacchio, Joan Coldwell, Lou Cacchio, Ava Love Conley, John Coscia Sr, Hunter Cranage, Charlie Dickman, Clare DiDonato, Susan DeSimone, Emily Donhauser, Lisa Dougherty, Dolores Downs, Margie Ganter, Jean Girard, Christopher Greuters, Mary Kay Halecki, Debra Hall, Andrea Harrison, Mary Weiss Halecki, Joseph Hoch, John & Lorraine Howley, Katherine (young child), Rose Marie Klemick, Anne Lintner, Ann Litman, George, Mary & Molly Lozinak, Phyllis Luther, Greg deGroot Maggetti, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Tom McEnaney, Julia McLaughlin, Anne Marie Melough, Baby Avery McNichols, Steven Merlin, Randolph & Sylvia Miller, Hugh Moran, Kinh Nguyen, Christine Petrokubi Monroe, 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, Ann Marie Sanders, David Sandy, John Schaifer, Tim Schwartz, Michael Shaw, Robert Smith, Betty Sparks, Brian Stenz, Yvonne Stephens, Amy Swift, Kena Thompson, Jackson Thorburn, Patricia Trioli, Frank Tulino, Mary Vogel, Helen Wade, Wendi Wagoner and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.

**Msgr. Vance's last weekend here at St. Philip's will be June 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>. The new pastor will be announced on the weekend of May 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>. A bitter-sweet time indeed, we wish them both God's richest blessings!**

### We Pray

For those who have gone on before us marked with the sign of faith, especially, Sr. Marie Virginia Jenkins SSJ and Rev. Steven P. Wetzel OSFS. May God grant them eternal rest and give hopeful peace to those who mourn.

**Mother's Day Mass Intention Cards are available at the doors of the Church. If you would like one, please complete and drop in the Sunday Collecton basket.**

**Gluten Free Hosts:** Gluten free hosts are available at every Mass. The celebrant will have them available; simply ask him when you present to receive Holy Communion.



### Sacrament of Penance

Confessions are heard every Saturday from Noon to 1PM, or by appointment, call 610-834-1975 if you wish to schedule a date and time.

**-Family Rosary:** Join the Knights of Columbus on Wednesday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at 7PM at the Shrine of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel (Church if weather is bad) as we honor Our Blessed Mother and ask for her intercession. May is the month the Church has dedicated to Mary.



**Baptismal Instruction / Pre Jordan:** The next session will be May 9th 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.

**Are you a parent who has lost a child?** The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for May 16th for more information contact Marianne O'Connor at 610-825-4975 or Rosemary McNichol at 215-247-2267.



### 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Lily's Hope Collection

Over the years our parishioners have generously donated to this collection. Many supplies and funds have been collected to help this cause for premature babies and their families. This year's collection will be on Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>.



Congratulations to our First Holy Communion children who received their First Communion on April 30<sup>th</sup>.

Special thanks to Sharon Otto our Director of Religious Education and all those involved in organizing and managing this very special day!



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!



Manna bags are available in the vestibule this weekend, May 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>. Kindly return your filled Manna Bag on Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup> or Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>. Canned food items in greatest need are: beef stew, tuna fish, fruit, and pork & beans. If you are not able to bring a filled bag feel free to donate online instead: <https://yougivegoods.com/ndsmanna>  
Thank you for reaching out to people in emergency situations.

**Project Hope:** We are looking for some volunteers to help those in our community with transportation needs. Please see sign-up sheets in the vestibule for more information.



"My sheep hear my voice; I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish."

### Addiction from a Christian Perspective

Visitation BVM is hosting a five part educational and inspirational video series about the topic of addiction from a Christian perspective. We explore the biological, psychological, sociological and spiritual aspects of addiction. RSVP should be directed to Barbara Luberski@BLuberski1248@gmail.com or call Barb Basher at 610-657-3903 for more information.

### Cindy Griffin Basketball Camps

Come join us at St. Joseph's University for this years camp!  
Fundamental Camp: June 20-24  
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Half Day Clinic: August 22-25  
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### Knights of Columbus

Our parish council recently donated \$1,000.00 to the Knight's Ukraine Solidarity Fund. Worldwide the Knights have contributed over \$10,000,000.00 to councils in Poland and Churches in the Ukraine to provide temporary shelter, food, medical supplies, clothing and communications. We are very grateful for your support of our *Capt'n Chuckies*, *COAL* Chances, Christmas Lanterns and Memorial Day Flags fundraisers. These events enable us to provide such aid. Our yearly Scholarship Award to two of our SPN students is being increased to \$1,000 from \$500 (each) as well! Thank you for your generous support!

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### Memorial Day & 4<sup>th</sup> of July Flags

For the upcoming commemoration of Memorial Day and the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, the Knights will be offering lawn flags that will be placed in the circle in front of Church on each holiday. We ask for a \$5.00 donation per flag. Help us fill the circle in memory of those who served our country. There are reservation forms in the vestibule, please drop off in the Church Office, the collection basket or in the collection box in the vestibule. Any names submitted will be listed on a poster in the vestibule.

Deadline is May 23<sup>rd</sup>.



### St. Francis Inn

We could not have survived this past year without your unbelievable generosity. We are now entering a "new normal" and serving meals inside! Items we need most: men's sweatpants, jeans & slacks (30-34 waist), men's & women's sneakers (all sizes) plastic grocery bags, DEODORANT, small travel size shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, tea bags (preferably tag less), hand sanitizer, laundry soap, small drinks like juice or milk cartons, bottled water (lg & small), paper towels, canned food, large men's underwear, jeans (30-23), women's underwear (small & medium), instant food items, and toothbrushes. Spray deodorizers/air fresheners, toilet paper, Pine Sol, bleach, diapers (size newborn & size 6), sheets (all bed sizes), towels & washcloths, men's & woman's sneakers, thermal tops & pants, kid's bathing suits. Gently used backpacks and elementary school copy books (no spiral please). The collection box is in the Church vestibule year round accepting your donations.

Donations may be dropped off at the Muller's porch, 472 Poplar Lane in Whitmarsh Woods or in the box in the Church vestibule.

Eternal thanks for all you do to keep us going!

### Parish Giving. Simple. Secure. Convenient.

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 anxious times please do not forget your parish and help us, if you can, to meet our unchanged financial obligations. As always thank you for your generosity.



### Parish Registration

In order to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist or Matrimony or to have access to Letter of Eligibility to stand as a godparent at Baptism or 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.



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

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- \$250 monthly in fast food / casual dining equals \$240 earnings/yearly



St. John's Hospice casserole program is a donation program that has been supported by the generous parishioners of St. Philip Neri for many years. Casserole donations can be homemade or store brought. The next drop off date is before and after all Masses on the weekend of May 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> and before 9AM on pick-up day, Wednesday, June 1st.

If you need an alternate day or time please call or text to make arrangements, frozen casseroles can be dropped off at 2311 Mulberry Lane, any questions please call

Lynn Kennedy at 610-828-6728 or email:

[Lkennedy1071@comcast.net](mailto:Lkennedy1071@comcast.net) or text to 267-261-0474.

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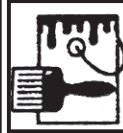
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