

WITH CHRIST ALL SHALL

BE BROUGHT BACK TO LIFE

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

ST. PHILIP NERI

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LORD

HOW DO YOU
GIVE THANKS AFTER
RECEIVING?



Daily Mass

Saturday Vigil 4:30 p

Sunday 11:00 a
8:30 a at St. Stanislaus

Monday - Wednesday
7:30 a at St. Stanislaus

Thursday - Friday 7:30 a

Saturday 8:00 a

Reconciliation

Saturday
3:45 p - 4:15 p

Sunday 8:15 a
at St. Stanislaus

Rev. Edward P. Kuczynski, M. Div. *Pastor*

ST. PHILIP NERI 218 QUEEN ST. + PHILADELPHIA + 240 FITZWATER ST. ST. STANISLAUS

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe—November 24, 2019

Baptism & Marriage

Arrangements are made by appointment - call for details.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

We are the first Parish to continuously host an Annual Forty Hours Devotion.

Adoration at St. Philip Neri Church:
Friday - 3:00—7:00 p.m.

Our Mission

Saint Philip Neri Parish is a welcoming Roman Catholic Parish of believers that is rich in faith and history.

We celebrate the Eucharist and Liturgy as the center of our parish life at our two churches of St. Philip Neri and St. Stanislaus.

We strive to bring Jesus Christ into our everyday lives and our community through prayer, service, outreach, and evangelization, with our hearts always focused on the Gospel.

Reconciliation

Saturday—3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m.—SPN
Sunday—8:15 a.m.—SS



Please Pray For The Deceased

Especially Felice Podgurny & Florence Kuczynski.

Please Pray For The Sick

Especially Joseph Suarez, Robert Levi, Francis Casper, Pat Grosso, Jennifer, Katherine Chavis, Tina Marchitelli, Kim W., Jessica Paley, Dianne Kane, Joe Prusinowski, Kathy Brinn, Sandra Kelly, Patrick, Paul Scheb, Lillian Drozdowski, Fran Chupka, Linda Lessor, George Shelton, Jessica, Evelyne Norris, Carolyn & Richard McLeer, Edward Allen, Steven Stanton, Peggy R., Franny L., Elizabeth Steel, Margaret Dailey, Tom Sweeney, Nick L. Joe C., Isabella L., Ella D'Angelo, Franny, Richard Wardle, Mark Scherer, Martin Fahy, Kelly, Fran, Andy Batavick, Chris Smith, Mae Palmer, Walt M., Glenda L. Wrenn, Regina Tresoikas, Dawn Penrose, Dionne, Anita, Kay, Barb Heinze, Nick S., Joni Gowdy, Terry W., Cecilia Dougherty, Maryann Dabovich, Ron Smith, Joe Bede, Anna M., David Connors, Marie Colfer, Dorothy Kelly, Leslie Knott, Maureen Dissinger & All Sick Parishioners.

Masses for the Week



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2019

4:30 Vigil SPN +Genevieve Toczyłowski
by Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2019

8:30 AM SS +Stanley, Sr., Sophie, Stanley, Jr. & Caroline
Bonczek by Bonczek Family

11:00 AM SPN For All Parishioners

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2019

7:30 AM SS +Anna Donnelly
by Henry & Kathleen Cieplinski

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2019

7:30 AM SS +Fred White
by Lynda Eckes

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2019

7:30 AM SS +Florence Kuczynski

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2019

7:30 AM SPN +In Thanksgiving For All God Has Given Us

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2019

7:30 AM SPN +Alfonso Curcio
by Bob Curcio

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2019

8:00 AM SPN +Florence Kuczynski
by Clementine Arnold
4:30 Vigil SPN +Edward Eells—34th Anniversary
by Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2019

8:30 AM SS +Wrobel & Zapalski Families
by Emily Zapalski
11:00 AM SPN Birthday Blessings for Jennifer Grosso
by Aunt & Uncle

Sanctuary Lamps

The Sanctuary Candle is burning in the Main Church:
In Memory of Florence Kuczynski

The Sanctuary Candle is burning in St. John Neumann Chapel for:

Health & Blessings for Fr. Maloney

The Candle is burning in Outside Blessed Mother Shrine for:
A Special Intention

Happy Thanksgiving



Ministry Schedule

LECTORS—NOVEMBER 23-24, 2019

Saturday	4:30 Vigil	Lector Needed
Sunday	8:30 AM	Tillie Garczynski
	11:00 AM	Lector Needed

LECTORS—NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 1, 2019

Saturday	4:30 Vigil	Lector Needed
Sunday	8:30 AM	Mark & Monique Coval
	11:00 AM	Lector Needed

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS—NOVEMBER 23-24, 2019

Saturday	4:30 Vigil	Amy Rivera Michele Dattilo Kathy Weber
Sunday	8:30 AM	Laura Drake Conny Lockwood
	11:00 AM	Shane Misuro Rachael Colaizzo Irma Sheppard

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS—NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 1, 2019

Saturday	4:30 Vigil	Rachael Colaizzo Kathy Weber Michele Dattilo
Sunday	8:30 AM	Mark Coval Monique Coval
	11:00 AM	Kelly Grace Theresa Burke Kathy Tully

Readings for Next Weekend ***December 1, 2019***

First Sunday of Advent

Reading I

Isaiah 2:1-5

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

“We will go up to the house of the LORD.”

Reading II

Romans 13:11-14

Gospel

Matthew 24:37-44

Read the passages online @

<http://uscgb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible/index.cfm>



ADVENT BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY

On the First Sunday of Advent we will bless the Advent Wreath and light the first candle. On each successive Sunday in Advent, an additional candle will be lit reminding us that our celebration of the Birth of Jesus Our Incarnate Savior is getting closer.

Offerings

November 17, 2019

Regular Collection	\$2,905.00
Online Parish Giving	275.00
<i>Regular Collection 11.18.18</i>	
<i>Includes online giving</i>	\$2,538.00
Maintenance	346.00
Block Collection to date	\$7,175.00

Thank you very much for your generosity throughout the year.

Memorial Donations

In Memory of Dominic Colaizzo

Steven & Cindy Perkiss

Lampki

1. +Deceased Members of Kupiec & Heys Family.
2. +Jennie & Joseph Dabovich of. son John.
3. +Jennie & Joseph Dabovich of. daughter Maryann.
4. +Frank Karvell of. Wife.
5. +Mr. & Mrs. Frank Zalewski of. Daughter.
6. +Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Nevaline of. Niece.
7. +Frank & Leon Morris of. Niece.
8. +Joseph Zalewski of. Sister.
9. +Henry & Jean Cieplinski & Edward & Anna Donnelly of. Henry & Kathleen Cieplinski.
10. +Alfreda & Zygmunt Plocha of. Joanne & Leon Plocha.
11. +Frances & Henry Jaworski of. Joanne & Leon Plocha.
12. +Leon Z. Plocha of. Wife
13. +The Barczak Family of. Bernard Barczak.
14. Blessings for Fr. Maloney.
15. +Joe & Bob Chupka from Mom.
16. +Mary Ann Bielec from sister Fran Chupka.
17. + Joe Figurski of. Emily Zapalski.
18. Health & Blessings for Michael Mazur of. Emily Zapalski.
19. + Emily Zapalski.
20. Health & Blessings Helene Frederico of. Regina Tresoiakas.
21. Health & Blessings Barbara & Dennis Klukiewski of. Regina Tresoiakas.



“Jesus Christ is the King who reigns not by dominating us but by freeing us from all that prevents us from loving and being loved.”

Pope Francis

Sacraments of Initiation for Children

Looking for all children who are in the 2nd grade (**First Reconciliation and Holy Communion**) and 7th grade (**Confirmation**) or in any grade in between that have not received First Reconciliation and Holy Communion . This includes catholic, public, private and home schoolers, We offer a Parish Retreat for each Sacrament and if your child is not being catechized at a Catholic School or Religious Education Program, we will provide total catechesis and preparation for reception of the Sacraments. In some cases, parents can home school the child with assistance from the parish.



Please contact the Rectory and your information will be forwarded to Maryellen Carroll, the Director of Religious Education.

PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

GOLABKI DAY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1ST
After 8:30 Mass



Come to St. Stanislaus Hall after 8:30 Mass and learn and help to make golabki for the Parish Christmas Bazaar!!!



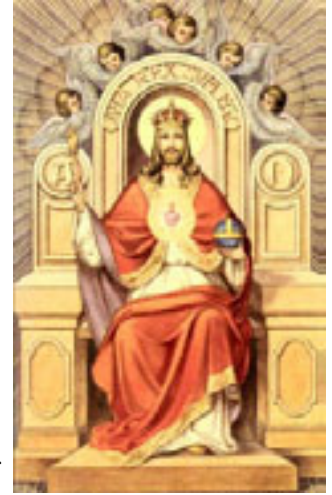
GIVING TREES Get into the Season of Giving by taking a tag from our parish Giving Trees. During the Advent Season our parish will sponsor **two Giving Trees**. There will be a Giving Tree in the vestibule of St. Philip Neri Church and a Giving Tree in the vestibule of St. Stanislaus Church.

The **Giving Tree in Saint Philip Neri's** vestibule will be for Families at Saint Cyprian Parish located in West Philadelphia. Please take a tag from the St. Philip Neri tree and return the item to the St. Philip Neri Gathering Room on Saturday evening or Sunday morning before weekend Masses. St. Cyprian is asking for pajamas this year for boys and girls and for senior men and women. All *unwrapped* gifts need to be dropped off at St. Philip Neri Church no later than *December 15*.

There will be a **Giving Tree in the vestibule of Saint Stanislaus Church** during the Advent Season. This Giving Tree will benefit Senior Residents at St. Monica Manor. Please take a tag from the tree, purchase the new item, gift wrap it, and attach the Giving Tree tag to it. Suggested gift for this year is a flannel lap blanket for men or women. Please bring your gift to the Saint Stanislaus Church Hall before the 9:30 a.m. Sunday morning Mass. Your gift must be delivered to Saint Stanislaus Hall by *December 15*.



CHRIST THE KING



My dear Parishioners,

As we in the United States, a democratic nation, celebrate today's Feast, it is good for us to think about what image we have of Christ, our King.

Our image of people is based upon our personal experiences of that person or of that group of persons. Take fathers, for example, Some people think of fathers as kind and loving, concerned for their well being. Others think of fathers as stern and disciplinary, concerned for the order of the household.

We could apply this to the image people have of priests or policemen or any other group of human beings. Our experience of one policeman as being kind will open us to see all policemen as kind and helpful. Our experience of one priest as harsh and boring will affect the way we see all priests.

Indeed, if we are honest and objective with ourselves, we will admit that our perception of another might not be the perception others have. We will also admit that others perceive us in different ways and think of us differently than we think of ourselves. To some, we might be kind and understanding: to other, we may be seen as self-involved and selfish.

These impressions we have of ourselves and others, as individuals or groups, are natural; and it is so difficult to change these impressions or images.

In a democracy, we have no personal experiences of kings. How, then do we think of Christ, our King?

We know that He came among us and announced His kingdom. Paul reminds us that He is the image of the invisible God; that all things were created through Him and for Him; that He has primacy in all things; and that He made peace through the blood of His cross.

However, this wonderful King did not surround Himself with external trappings of glory and kingship. The Reading from Luke shows our King on a cross, considered a criminal. Those standing around taunted him, jeering him with the words "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself." This is certainly not a very enhancing view of One who was King.

Our image of Christ the King must be faithful to the Gospels. We must see Him not only as a power within the universe, but also as a loving friend who lived among us. His Kingship is not that of the leaders of this world, but that of a loving God who would do anything, even die, for us.

On this wonderful feast day, let us open our hearts to our King; experience His grace, and come to see Him as He truly is: a loving King whose kingdom is one of peace, love, truth and justice.

Sincerely,

Father Ed



PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR



Our Parish Christmas Bazaar is quickly approaching and we need some volunteers for donations, baking and creativeness. If you are interested in helping out in any way here are suggestions.

- ◇ Donations of new kid’s toys and games.
 - ◇ Donations of new/gently used items for the junque/white elephant table.
 - ◇ Donations of themed baskets.
- Donations of baking, pasta and cleaning supplies for our grocery bag game table.

Baking Bucket

cake mix baking soda
 cake icing sprinkles/jimmies
 cupcake liners mixing spoons/bowls
 Sugar spatula
 cookie cutters

Cleaning Bucket

cleaning spray
 deodorizing spray
 sponges/cloths
 rubber gloves
 glass cleaner

Pasta Bucket

pasta
 seasonings
 gravy
 canned tomatoes/paste
 grated cheese

Please have these donations in by December 1st.

As always the weekend of the bazaar we will also be asking for our wonderful bakers to turn on those ovens and make your specialties for our baked goods table.

These items can all be dropped off at either church after the masses. If you have any questions or you need an item picked up from your home please contact Ann at 215.994.9903 or apurul1@verizon.net. Thank you for your generosity to the parish.

**PLEASE LEAVE ALL ITEMS AT EITHER CHURCH AND MARK IT FOR "BAZAAR."
THANK YOU.**



SAINT CHARLES BORROMEIO SEMINARY APPEAL

Today we welcome Mr. Martin (Tucker) Brown, Year of Study: Pre Theology I, St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, who will speak to us about the Seminary Appeal. We are all excited to see and welcome Tucker back for this weekend.

FESTIVAL OF CAROLS

Sunday, December 15—6:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to join us for our "Festival of Carols" at St. Philip Neri Church. The Festival will be held in front of our Church and will include a sing-along with a brass choir, the blessing of our outdoor Nativity Scene, blessing and lighting of the outdoor Christmas tree, and a visit from Santa. The outdoor celebration will begin at 6:00 p.m. Seating will be available. (If the weather is inclement it will be held in the Church). Refreshments will follow in the Gathering Room. All are welcome and bring a friend!

Advent

Christmas

St. Philip Neri Parish

SUNDAYS OF ADVENT—December 1, 8, 15, 22

Mass: 4:30 p.m. Saturday Evening at St. Philip Neri Church

8:30 a.m. Sunday at St. Stanislaus Church

11:00 a.m. Sunday at St. Philip Neri Church

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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION DURING ADVENT ... *O Come Let Us Adore Him, Christ the Lord!*

Fridays—December 6, 13, 20

3:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (St. John Neumann Chapel)

CONFESSIONS FOR CHRISTMAS

Saturdays, December 7, 14, 21—3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m.—Confessions will be heard in the St. John Neumann Chapel.

Sundays, December 1, 8, 15, 22— 8:15 a.m.—Confessions will be heard at St. Stanislaus Church.

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ST. STANISLAUS CHRISTMAS BAZAAR & POLISH FOOD FESTIVAL

Sunday, December 8, 12 Noon—4:00 p.m. Please join us for a day of fun with Family, Friends, Polish Food, Games of Chance, Theme Baskets, Pictures with Santa, White Elephant Table (old and new treasures) and even some Christmas Shopping. We hope to see you there!

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (Patronal Feast of the United States of America.)

Since the Feastday falls on the Second Sunday of Advent, it will be celebrated on Monday, December 9. Mass will be at Saint Stanislaus Church at 7:30 a.m. It is not a Holy Day of Obligation.

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DECORATING FOR CHRISTMAS

Sunday, December 22 at 11:45 a.m. (after the 11:00 a.m. Mass)

On Sunday, December 22, after the 11:00 a.m. Mass, we need volunteers to help bring boxes with decorations downstairs from the choir loft and to begin putting up our Christmas decorations. Please join us!

