

WITH CHRIST ALL SHALL



BE BROUGHT BACK TO LIFE

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

ST. PHILIP NERI

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DAILY MASS

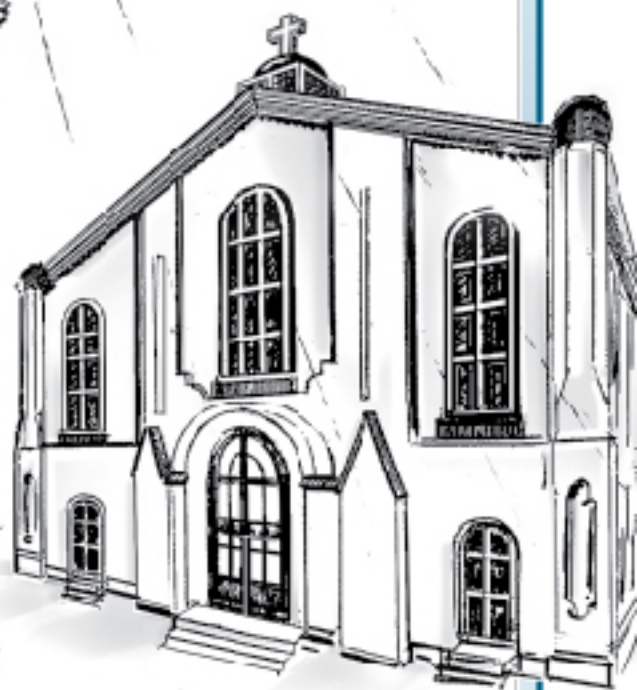
Monday - Wednesday
7:30a ST. STANISLAUS

Thursday - Friday
7:30a ST. PHILIP NERI

Saturday
8:00a ST. PHILIP NERI

Saturday Vigil
4:30p ST. PHILIP NERI

Sunday
8:30a ST. STANISLAUS
11:00a ST. PHILIP NERI



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

ST. PHILIP NERI
218 QUEEN ST.

FOUNDED
1840

ST. STANISLAUS
240 FITZWATER ST.

Second Sunday of Advent - December 8, 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 Viola Smolarski.

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 Tresoiakas, 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, Dottie McAllister & All Sick Parishioners.

Masses for the Week



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2019

4:30 Vigil SPN +George & Maria Subotich
by Dabovich Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2019

8:30 AM SS +Joseph & Jennie Dabovich & son Joseph
by Family

11:00 AM SPN +Tommy King
by Wife & Family

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2019

7:30 AM SS +White-Eckes Family
by Lynda Eckes

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2019

7:30 AM SS For All Parishioners

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2019

7:30 AM SS +Special Intention

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2019

7:30 AM SPN Health & Blessings for Lynda Eckes

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2019

7:30 AM SPN +Emily Zapalski
by Michael Mazur

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2019

8:00 AM SPN +Marceda Federowicz
by Henry & Kathleen Cieplinski

4:30 Vigil SPN +Dominic Colaizzo
by Kathy Weber

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2019

8:30 AM SS +Charles "Jash" Jasinski
by Joanne Plocha

11:00 AM SPN +Michael & Mary Subotich
by Denise & Tina Kane

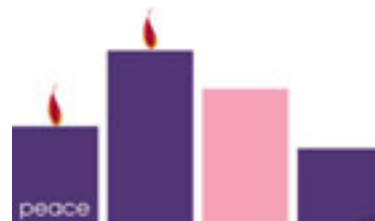
Sanctuary Lamps

The Sanctuary Candle is burning in the Main Church:
In Memory of Viola Smolarski

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:
+Florence Kuczynski



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 Tresoikas.
21. Health & Blessings Barbara & Dennis Klukiewski of. Regina Tresoikas.
22. +Irene & James Krouse of. Daughter & Family.

Readings for Next Weekend

December 15, 2019

Third Sunday of Advent

Reading I

Isaiah 35:1-6a, 10

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10

“Lord, come and save us.”

Reading II

James 5:7-10

Gospel

Matthew 11:2-11

Read the passages online @
<http://usccb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible/index.cfm>

Offerings

November 24, 2019

Regular Collection	\$1,726.00
Online Parish Giving	360.00
<i>Regular Collection 11.25.18</i>	
<i>Includes online giving</i>	\$1,931.00
Seminary Appeal	420.00
Block Collection to date	\$7,420.00

December 1, 2019

Regular Collection	\$2,140.00
Online Parish Giving	400.00
<i>Regular Collection 12.2.18</i>	
<i>Includes online giving</i>	\$2,358.00
Retirement for Religious	346.00
Block Collection to date	\$7,845.00

Thank you very much for your generosity throughout the year.

Memorial Donations

In Memory of Felice Podgurny

Edward & Cynthia Podgurny

In Memory of Fran Haraszkiwicz

Rose Seese

In Memory of Richard Drozdowski

John Barishek & Cannon Family

Mary Barishek



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.

WANT TO GET MORE OUT OF THE SUNDAY READINGS EACH WEEK AT MASS?

Join SMALL GROUPS at St. Philip Neri Parish

Each week we will discuss the upcoming Sunday readings

so that we are better prepared to hear the word which

God is speaking to us through the scriptures.

Wednesday evenings at 6:00 p.m.

Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

If interested, please contact Kathy at 215-292-3617.



**“Advent is a journey towards Bethlehem.
May we let ourselves be drawn by the
light of God made man.”**

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.



Seminarian Tucker Brown speaks to us about the Annual Seminary Appeal. Thank you for your generosity.

GIVING TREES



ST. PHILIP NERI CHURCH

ST. CYPRIAN'S IS ASKING THAT WE PROVIDE PAJAMAS THIS YEAR FOR CHILDREN & SENIORS. PLEASE TAKE A TAG AND RETURN GIFT WITH TAG ATTACHED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 15TH.

ST. STANISLAUS CHURCH

ST. MONICA MANOR IS ASKING FOR FLANNEL LAP BLANKETS FOR MEN AND WOMEN. PLEASE TAKE A TAG AND RETURN GIFT WITH TAG ATTACHED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 15TH.



St. Philip Neri Parish

**Christmas Bazaar & Polish Food Festival
at St. Stanislaus Hall
TODAY, December 8, 2019 12 Noon to 4 p.m.**

**Join us for a day of Fun with Family, Friends,
Food, Drinks, & Games of Chance,
and even some Christmas Shopping**



My Dear Parishioners,

Today we meet John the Baptist, a strong and central figure in our Advent liturgies, who, as St. Matthew's Gospel describes him, "appeared preaching in the desert of Judea and saying 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!'"

Repent, Believe the Gospel. The kingdom—that is—God's reign over human hearts and minds—is at hand. Apparently, the kingdom has been "at hand" now for two thousand years, but not yet fully grasped. Why? Because the repentance, the metanoia, the change of heart, the attitudinal turnaround, the value reversal that Jesus demand of us, has not taken place. That should be our concern in this Advent season.

During Advent I invite you to "set out in haste" toward Christ, as the opening prayer of Mass suggests. Advent is not only about Christ's coming; it also about our going to meet him.

Happy Advent.

Father Ed

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*.

St. John Neumann Shrine—5th Street & Girard Avenue, **Mondays thru Saturdays 11:45 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.**

St. Rita Shrine— 1166 S. Broad Street, **11:00 a.m.—Mondays thru Saturdays 12 noon and 4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.**

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!