DAILY MASS

Monday - Wednesday
7:30 a St. Stanislaus

Thursday - Friday
7:30 a St. Philip Neri

Saturday
8:00 a St. Philip Neri

Saturday Vigil
4:30 p St. Philip Neri

Sunday
8:30 a St. Stanislaus
11:00 a St. Philip Neri

Rev. Edward P. Kuczynski, M. Div. Pastor
**The Baptism of the Lord - January 12, 2020**

**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

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**Masses for the Week**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2020**
4:30 Vigil SPN  +Emily Zapalski
by Maryann Dabovich

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 12, 2020**
8:30 AM SS  +Joseph & Jennie Dabovich & son, Joseph P. Dabovich, Sr.
by John Dabovich
11:00 AM SPN  +Dominic Colaiizzo
by Joanne Plocha

**MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2020**
7:30 AM SS  +Dominic Colaiizzo by Dolores Lucano

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2020**
7:30 AM SS  For All Parishioners

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 2020**
7:30 AM SS  +Florence Kuczynski by Michael Mazur

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 2020**
7:30 AM SPN  +Kay Smith by Lynda Ecke

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2020**
7:30 AM SPN  A Special Intention

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 2020**
8:00 AM SPN  +Michael, Mary & Anthony Mazur
by Michael
4:30 Vigil SPN  +Dominic Colaiizzo
by Shelia & Clarc King

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 19, 2020**
8:30 AM SS  +Emily Zapalski
by Tillie Garczynski
11:00 AM SPN  +Dominic Colaiizzo
by Bob & Kathy Ciaruffoli

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**Sanctuary Lamps**

The Sanctuary Candle is burning in the Main Church:  
**For All Sick Parishioners**

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

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Please pray for the intentions of our sick & deceased and their families and loved ones. Please pray for an end to abortion.
St. Philip Neri Parish Sacraments

Confirmation April 19, 2020
First Holy Communion May 3, 2020
First Penance Lent t/b/a

Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage!
Retrouvaille of Delaware Valley offers hope for married couples experiencing loneliness, boredom, misery, or frustration in their marriage. Couples learn valuable communication skills and rediscover intimacy. Our next program starts February 21-23 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. For more information, call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries kept strictly confidential.

If you are homebound or know someone who is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please call the Rectory at 215-468-1922 or email us at

Ministry Schedule

LECTORS—JANUARY 11-12, 2020
Saturday 4:30 Vigil Lynda Eckes
Sunday 8:30 AM Paul Bendetti
11:00 AM Jeff Omana

LECTORS—JANUARY 18-19, 2020
Saturday 4:30 Vigil Lector Needed
Sunday 8:30 AM Tillie Garczynski
11:00 AM Clarc King

Readings for Next Weekend
January 19, 2020
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I
Isaiah 49:3, 5-6
Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10
“Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.”

Reading II
1 Corinthians 1:1-3
Gospel
John 1:29-34

Offerings
December 29, 2019

Regular Collection $ 2,486.00
Online Parish Giving 365.00
Regular Collection 12.30.18 1,790.00
Christmas Donations to date $ 13,513.00

January 5, 2020

Regular & Holy Day Collection $2,655.00
Online Parish Giving 520.00
Regular & Holy Day Collection 1.6.19 4,042.00
Utility & Maintenance 275.00
Additional Christmas Donations $ 965.00

Thank you very much for your generosity throughout the year.

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1. +Deceased Members of Kupiec & Heys Family.
5. +Mr. & Mrs. Frank Zalewski of. Daughter.
12. +Leon Z. Plocha of. Wife
15. +Joe & Bob Chopka from Mom.
16. +Mary Ann Bielec from sister Fran Chopka
17. +Irene & James Krouse of. Daughter & Family
18. Marcie Tresoikas of. John & Regina Tresoikas
19. Sarah Tresoikas of. John & Regina Tresoikas
“May Jesus, who saved us not through any merit of our own but in order to demonstrate the immense goodness of the Father, make us merciful toward everyone.”

Pope Francis
Feast of Baptism of the Lord
January 13, 2019

Entrance Antiphon for Today’s Mass:

“After the Lord was baptized, the heavens were opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: ‘This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.’”

Matthew 3:16-17

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.

PUTTING THINGS AWAY—TODAY

Today after the 11:00 a.m. Mass, we will be putting away Christmas Decorations for another year. Please join us and lend a hand. We especially need helpers to carry boxes of decorations to the choir loft. Thank you.

Spiritual Support for Addiction: Hope in Christ

You are not alone! The Church desires to be close to her children who are struggling with addiction and to bring them the healing power of Jesus Christ’s love. Many parishes around the Archdiocese are extending God’s merciful and loving hand to those who have an addiction as well as their families and loved ones. The Hope in Christ: Spiritual Support for Addiction webpage provides a central location for resources, ongoing support, events, and testimonies that are happening throughout the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. Visit Archphila.org/hope for new postings for Catholic resources available to you or a loved one.

Nourish for Caregivers Support Group

Nourish for Caregivers is a Christ-centered Catholic ministry that supports the practical, emotional & spiritual needs of family caregivers. Our monthly meetings are for anyone juggling the challenges of everyday life, health, career and caring for a loved one, whether it be a family member with disabilities, an ill or aging parent, spouse, friend or grandparent. Meetings are held monthly and are happening in various locations/times around the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. To find a group near you, visit phillyevang.org/nourish, or contact Aimee Gustitis at 610-724-8950 or aimeegustitis@outlook.com. Walk-ins are welcome.
My Dear Parishioners,

Have you ever wondered what Fr. Oliver does in Rome? One picture is worth a thousand words!

As we remember Jesus’ baptism today, we also recall the mission Jesus accepted on that day. Saint Luke simply, eloquently describes that mission today in the Acts of the Apostles: “He went about doing good.” From the moment he began to teach and preach about the reign of God, Jesus, who was God’s good agent, set himself at odds with evil. His actions were not merely acts of mercy but an assault on all that was unholy, “for God was with him,” as St. Luke attested.

In order to grasp the significance of Jesus’ ministry, Christians have traditionally looked to the Isaian servant songs, the first of which constitutes today’s first reading. There, the servant is described as one endowed with God’s own spirit in order to bring forth justice for the nations. God’s justice is wrought gently, carefully, lovingly. So also will the servant bring light and healing and freedom to all in need. The Gospels make it clear that the earliest believers understood Jesus in the light of the Isaian servant. From the moment of his baptism, when he was endowed by the Spirit and identified as God’s Son and Servant, Jesus served God’s purpose.

As we celebrate Jesus’ baptism today and our own, let us also be renewed in our efforts to uphold God’s justice and to be the light in someone else’s darkness. As the Christmas season comes to an end today, I thank all who contributed to make our celebration so beautiful.

Sincerely,

Father Ed