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St. Philip Catholic

Mass Intentions

Date	December 21 - December 27	
Tuesday:	6:00pm	Bob & Mary Jo Bender
Wednesday:	7:45am	John & Rita Goebel
Thursday:	4:00pm	Christmas Flower Memorials
	11:00pm	Christmas Flower Memorials
Friday:	8:00am	Christmas Flower Memorials
Saturday:	4:00pm	Dick Fischer
		Katie Kanowsky
Sunday:	9:30am	John Hagan

Parish Information

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Parish Council Members (2020-2021)

Tom Wildeman	Katie Nurrenbern	Kate Bigge
Jeremy Goebel	Brett Bueltel	Paula Bone
Faye Goebel	Chuck Brown	Rick Goebel
Rusty Reising	Paula Parkinson	

RECONCILIATION

Monday: 5:30– 6:30pm in the rectory garage

BAPTISM

Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism
812-985-2275

MARRIAGES

Please call the parish office for information
** for an appointment with Fr. Hilderbrand, call Carol Reising at 812-985-2275 or creising@evdio.org

PRAYER NETWORK

Rosemarie Horstman 812-985-3742
Olivia Kissel.....812-568-3822
Lois Martin.....812-985-9425

THIS WEEK AT ST. PHILIP

Sunday: Confirmation Class after Mass

Tuesday: Legion of Mary 8:30am-St. Philip Rm.

The parish office will be closed December 22-25th

A note from

Fr. Ryan……

Christ is born for us, Alleluia! I'd like to wish all of you a Merry Christmas. I pray that the Lord would bring peace, joy, and harmony to your hearts and homes.

This year will go down as one of the most difficult and strange that any of us will ever experience. We've all endured amounts of stress, pain, and heartbreak that we never thought we would experience. However, when we look closely, we see how close God has been to each of us in 2020. For myself, I have seen God's grace at work in all of you. God doesn't tend to be showy and ostentatious when He applies his grace. Rather, it is in the small and everyday moments that He works His will.

I think that, because of this, it was so easy for the world to overlook the birth of the Savior more than two thousand years ago. He was not born in the halls of a grand king or emperor, but in a simple stable. He did not come to a wealthy or influential family but to a home that was very, very poor. Mary did not bring Him to birth in an important cultural or political city, but in a forgotten town in a backwater province. Jesus' birth was so ordinary and simple that the world took absolutely no notice.

In the everyday, simple moments of the last year, God has been working in your life. Take a moment on Christmas Day to consider what those blessings and graces have been. Give Him thanks and praise for His great love and mercy. Merry Christmas!

Fr. Ryan

MERRY CHRISTMAS !!!!

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Christmas Eve ~ 4pm & 11pm
Christmas Day ~ 8am

NEW YEAR'S EVE MASS

Join us for New Year's Eve Mass
Thursday, December 31 at 4pm

DECORATING FOR CHRISTMAS

We need some volunteers to help decorate church for Christmas THIS Sunday(Dec. 20), after 9:30am Mass.

MEN'S CLUB CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Men's Club will be conducting their annual Christmas dinner on Monday, December 21. On the menu will be roast beef, dressing, mashed potatoes, and green beans. Meals will be delivered to the elderly and shut-ins by Men's Club members as close to 5pm as possible. Meals will also be available for carryout for Men's Club members and parishioners from 5:30-6:30pm. Meals will be available via reservation only. Please make your reservation so we prepare the proper amount of food. Make your reservation by, text, email, or call: Kent Reddington kentreddington18@gmail.com or 812-459-1325

GOOD SHEPHERD PRAYER APOSTOLATE

St. Philip Good Shepherd Prayer Apostolate will be Tuesday, December 22 starting at 6:00 a.m. and will conclude on Wednesday, December 23 at 6:00 a.m. For more information please call Deb Koressel at 812-760-9343.

THANK YOU PIERRE FUNERAL HOME

A special thanks to Pierre Funeral Home for providing us with 2021 calendars. They are in the gathering area & lower level for all parishioners.

BLESSING OF WINE

On the weekend of December 26th and 27th, we will offer the traditional Blessing of Wine for the feast of St. John! We will have a table set up near the altar in church. Bring whatever kind of wine you like - clearly labeled with your name! - and leave it on the table before Mass. After Mass, take it home and enjoy a glass or two! Feel free to bring multiple bottles / boxes / bags for yourself or to give away!

UNITE– High School

Sunday, Dec 20: White Elephant Christmas Party and Life Choice donation
Monday, Dec 28: Showplace East 4:30 pm Private Theater Movie TBD. Permission from required

33 DAY TOTAL CONSECRATION TO ST. JOSEPH

In commemoration of the 150th year anniversary of St. Joseph as patron of the universal Church We have set the date for a 33 Day Total Consecration to St. Joseph. Tuesday, Dec. 22, 2020 to Sat. January 23, 2021. Please join us with this devotion for God and His glory, for strong families and His Church. The kick off and conclusion will be at the Shrine of St. Joseph in St. Meinrad. You need not attend the opening or closing to do this consecration. These two events are there to add solidarity among those who are participating.

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

Dec. 26	**4:00pm Mass**
Lector:	Janice Schuble
Lay Ministers:	J. Reising, D. Bartlett, K. Lindauer, A. Kempf (only 1 needed)
Ushers:	David & Diane Weinzapfel
Greeters:	Don & Mary Jo Musgrave
Servers:	***none at this time***
Dec. 27	**9:30am Mass**
Lector:	Jim Griese
Lay Ministers:	T. & C. Wildeman, B. Shumate, M. Goebel, L. Bilderbach, M. Weber (only 2 needed)
Ushers:	Rusty & Carol Reising
Greeters:	Bernie Martin
Servers:	***none at this time***

Church Cleaning Dec. 25: Team of – Jacki Wildeman

Scrip Sellers
No sellers at this time

Touch of Faith
Closed at this time

Stewardship of Treasure

December 13, 2020

Weekly Requirement	$ 19,211
Weekly Income	$ 16,082
Budget requirement YTD	$ 461,076
YTD	$ 383,489

(tithing amount includes direct deposit, excludes tuition)

2021 TRADITION LOTTERY TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE

Tradition Lottery tickets for 2021 are available for purchase NOW! Contact Dan Horstman at 812-985-3742 or the parish office.

SGO DONATION PLUS TAX CREDIT

If your donation is received by December 31, half your donation is returned to you as a tax credit! Please pick up a donor form in the gathering area. For those unable to attend Mass, please contact the school and a donor form can be emailed for your use.

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