"Men of Galilee, why are you standing there looking at the sky?"

Acts 1:11

MAY 29 2022

The Ascension
Of The Lord

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH
1233 W. Holtz Avenue in Addison, IL 60101
Phone #: 630-628-0900  
Website: www.st-phil.org
THE MISSION OF OUR PARISH
As members of the Diocese of Joliet, we are a faith community united in Christ by a common bond to the universal Catholic Church. Our words and actions are a reflection of Christ’s presence among us. We manifest God’s Word through active participation in spiritual, liturgical, educational, service, and social ministries directed at bringing all people to Christ.

Please join us for:
Masses at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
Communion Service at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday
Rosary at 8:30 a.m. on Monday-Friday
Individual Rite of Penance at 4:00 p.m. & Mass at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday
Sunday Masses at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE PARISH DIRECTORY & INFORMATION
Rectory Office Hours: Monday through Thursday (8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.), Friday (8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.)
Rectory Summer Office Hours: Monday through Thursday (8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.); Friday (8:30 a.m. to noon)
Website: http://www.st-phil.org Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/StPhilipAddisonIL/

RECTORY OFFICES
1223 W. Holtz Avenue in Addison, IL 60101
Phone #: 630.628.0900 Fax #: 630.543.9858

Fr. Jerry Rogers, Pastor (x100); frjerry@st-phil.org
Fr. Binu Varghese, O. Praem, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Sean McGreal, Pastoral Associate/RCIA Director (x105); smcgreal@st-phil.org
Deacon Philip Heitz, OFS, Marriage/Baptismal Preparation (x100)
Stephen R. DiBrito, Parish Business Manager (x103); sdibrito@st-phil.org
Judy Jaskey, Business Office Administrative Assistant (x102)
Shar Mirabelli, Administrative Assistant (x100); rectory@st-phil.org
Carol Schubert, Liturgy/Adult Faith Formation Director (x104); cschubert@st-phil.org
St. Vincent de Paul Society (x1 & then x5)

PARISH CENTER OFFICES
1233 W. Holtz Avenue in Addison, IL 60101

MUSIC OFFICE
Bill Wilder, Music Director
Phone #: 630.543.4015 Fax #: 630.543.4672 bwilder@st-phil.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE
Phone #: 630.543.1754 Fax #: 630.543.4672
Nancy McKnight, Faith Formation Director stphilipre@gmail.com
Barbara Nicolai, RE Administrative Assistant
Editor of Parish Bulletin, Calendar, Website bnicolai@st-phil.org

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE SCHOOL OFFICE
Phone #: 630.543.4130 Fax #: 630.458.8750
Julie Noonan, School Principal jnoonan@st-phil.org
Joann Wheeler, School Administrative Assistant jwheeler@st-phil.org

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS & BULLETIN DEADLINES
Parish staff reserves the right to accept/decline/edit pulpit announcements and bulletin submissions. Please submit pulpit announcements to Carol Schubert (cschubert@st-phil.org; 630-628-0900 x104) no later than the Wednesday preceding the desired weekend. Please send bulletin submissions to Barb Nicolai (bnicolai@st-phil.org; 630-543-1754) a week prior to desired publication date.

Welcome
We’re glad you’re here!
If you are a new visitor to our church today, welcome!
If you would like more information about our church or would like to register in the parish, please contact any of the staff members listed above or fill out a simple on-line registration form at st-phil.org.
PRAYER OF THE WEEK
The Ascension of the Lord
At the Mass during the Day
Gladden us with holy joys, almighty God, and make us
rejoice with devout thanksgiving, for the Ascension of
Christ your Son is our exaltation,
and, where the Head has gone before in glory,
the Body is called to follow in hope.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:
Why is the Ascension a cause for joy?

Collect text from the English translation of The Roman Missal, © 2010,
International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation.
All rights reserved.
Copyright © J. S. Paluch Company, Inc.

Interested in joining the Knights of Columbus? Please call 312-391-3843 or visit http://kofc650.org for more information.
A new session begins Thursday, June 9, at 8:00 p.m. via Zoom in the privacy of your home—the only person you share with is your partner.

Sometimes our marriage is like a lovely walk in the park, and The Marriage Course can peacefully enrich our sacramental marriage. Other times—the walk is rough, winds buffet our sails, and it can be stressful or challenging, and we wish for support. Wherever you might be at in your relationship...

Alpha, The Marriage Course offers seven weeks of date night experiences to address a variety of topics to give you a wide range of things to deepen and enrich your marriage, and meet Emerson and Christina (pictured above).

There is no cost for this program!

Register at: https://forms.gle/J58KGQZ9AGhHEUV77

Questions? Email the Eastern DuPage Marriage Ministry Team at easterndupagemem@gmail.com.

There are two times when to keep your mouth shut: when swimming and when angry. (Anonymous)
It's time to register your children for fall religious education classes! Registration forms are available in the literature rack in the church narthex and on the parish website st-phil.org. As always, there is a significant discount if you register your children and pay in full by July 1, 2022.

We are excited to announce a change of day and time for Grades K-5 for the 2022/2023 school year! Classes will meet on Wednesday afternoon from 4:15 to 5:45 p.m. We hope this change will encourage better attendance and enable more families to return to the Religious Education Program. Please note that Grades 6-8 will have a slight time change; classes will remain on Wednesday evening but will run from 6:45 to 8:15 p.m.

If you have been thinking about volunteering in the RE Program and would like to help beginning in the fall, please prayerfully consider the following opportunities: catechist in Grades 3 or 5, or classroom aide in Grades K, 1, 3, or 5. All volunteers are required to complete the Protecting God’s Children training and State Mandated Reporter training. Both are free of charge.

Help Wanted!
Are you being called to the ministry of Catholic education? We are looking for energetic Catholic educators to fill the following positions at St. Philip the Apostle School for the 2022-23 school year:

- Early Childhood / Preschool Teacher (3-year-olds) (Part or full time position)
- Full-time Resource Teacher / Academic Interventionist
- Part-time Instructional Assistant - PreSchool4

If you are interested, please apply at http://www.applitrack.com/diocese/onlineapp or contact Julie Noonan at 630-543-4130 for more information and to learn the benefits of working in Catholic education at St. Philip the Apostle School.

Friday, May 20, was the last day of classes for our eighth graders. To celebrate, we held a traditional Farewell Parade in which the eighth graders travel the hallways to the applause of their fellow students and the music of Pomp and Circumstance. Their journey continued outside to where parents and more classmates celebrated the end of their journey at St. Philip the Apostle School. It was an experience they won't soon forget.

Thank you to two businesses that helped make our Teacher Appreciation week so special for our teachers and staff! Addison Floral gave us a generous discount for the flowers that the students gave their teachers, and Antonio's went above and beyond in providing a delicious and bountiful luncheon for the staff that allowed them to eat to their heart's content and still take food home. Please remember to patronize these businesses who have been so generous to our school!

Registration for the Spartan Golf Outing is now open! The event is scheduled for Monday, June 27, at the Itasca Country Club. Please click on https://qtego.net/glink/stphilgolf for registration and sponsorship information. For more information, please email tracy.cellini@gmail.com. It is sure to be a fun event and also supports our school!

SCRIP gift cards are available to order throughout the year. Visit shop.shopwithscrip.com to see brands/denominations. Contact Lizzy Roberson at 224-287-5278 or email lizzywroberson@gmail.com for more information. All proceeds are earmarked for the school. Thank you for your support in keeping the St. Philip the Apostle School tuition low.
Endings are never easy. Think about some of the times in your own life when you experienced something good coming to an end. Perhaps you were nearing the end of a wonderful family vacation. Maybe you were ending a job or possibly retiring after a long career. You might even remember the moments when you were saying goodbye to a loved one who was dying. While there is certainly sadness and perhaps some fear and anxiety, those endings also signal the start of something new. Although the disciples were parting with Jesus, the new stage of their relationship with Christ was just beginning. The last line of today’s gospel highlights our call as disciples of Christ. Luke writes, “They did him homage and then returned to Jerusalem with great joy.” After their encounter with Christ, the disciples returned home to the places where they lived and worked and recreated full of the joy of Christ. Are we filled with this same joy in our own lives? Does our relationship with God the Father and Christ the Son translate to joyful witness? If not, perhaps we need to ask God for the grace to grow in relationship with God so that we might better know the joy God promises.

Source: Living Liturgy, Liturgical Press
This weekend we celebrate Memorial Day and honor all those who have died in defense of our country and in an effort to bring freedom to the oppressed of our world. As we remember all those who have died for us, let us also remember all those who have given up their lives so that our lives might be better: our parents, relatives, friends, first responders, health care professionals, and all who are known and unknown to us. Some of these people may not have died on a battlefield, however they died to self to protect and care for others. Giving up time with family so our society may be safe and healthy, being Christ-like in their actions and deeds as they lived out their vocations. “There is no greater love than to lay down one’s life for another.” This is the sacrifice that Christ offered, when he willing gave up his body for the forgiveness of our sins, thus giving an example of how we are to love one another. The causalities of all the wars are in our memory because they fought for our freedom, we also have a greater sacrifice that we celebrate every time we come to Mass.

Collection for May 22/23, 2022
Collection: $10,888
Budget: $13,115
Difference: ($2,227)

Cumulative for Year to Date ending 06/30/22
Collection: $582,724
Budget: $616,423
Difference: ($33,699)

Thank you for your generosity!

Mid-life Singles
Are you looking for a space and time to reflect in order to gain a renewed sense of purpose and connection? Register today for a REFLECT Day of Reflection at Marytown Retreat and Conference Center in Libertyville, IL. (30 miles northwest of Chicago), on Saturday, July 16, 2022. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is $50 including continental breakfast and lunch.
Visit www.ReflectRetreat.com, e-mail reflect.illinois@gmail.com or call 630-222-8303 for details.

REPRESENTATION OF THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26
MASS SCHEDULE & INTENDEDs

MONDAY, MAY 30
8:00 AM Mark Cescola

TUESDAY, MAY 31
8:00 AM Peter Rini

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1
8:00 AM (Communion Service)

THURSDAY, JUNE 2
8:00 AM Maria & Natale Barletta
  Michael Meccia

FRIDAY, JUNE 3
8:00 AM Nicole Zabe

SATURDAY, JUNE 4
2:00 PM Wedding of Giselle LeGaspi &
  Duy Do
4:00 PM INDIVIDUAL RITE OF PENANCE
5:00 PM Anticipated Mass for Sunday
  People of the Parish

SUNDAY, JUNE 5
Pentecost
8:00 AM People of the Parish
10:00 AM People of the Parish

Let us remember in prayer
our deceased relatives,
friends, and parishioners,
especially:

Michael Mininni

Our sympathy to his friends and family.

Come Holy Spirit!
Our parish along with all the parishes in the Eastern DuPage Deanery
ask you to join us in the celebration of

Pentecost!
On June 4th and 5th, Ignite the Spirit!
Wear red, or any color of the flame
As we all “light the parish” to celebrate the Holy Spirit’s descent!

ABORTION ALTERNATIVES: Waterleaf (630-701-6270), Post Abortion Healing (877-467-3463), Birthright (800-550-4900, 24 hours)

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Richard Avila, Marines
Salvador Bonilla, Jr., Air Force
Elijah Burgins, Marines
Emiliano Carrazco, Marines
Kevin Catano, Marines
Steven J. DeMarco, Army
Matthew Deimling, Army
Jack Domek, Marines
Adam Dorney, Army
Samantha Fallon, Navy
Diego Feros, Army
Blaze Galardy, Air Force
Martin Garcia, Army
Mark Jastowski, Marines
Dylan Johnson, Army
José Juarez, Navy
Paul Kepler, Navy
Ben Krause, Marines
C. J. Loveland, Air Force
Drew Loveday, Marines
Kristofferson Marzo, Army

To add a name to the list,
please call 630-543-1754 or
email bnicolai@st-phil.org.

Andrew Maslanka, Army
Matthew Maslanka, Army
Bradley Melson, Marines
Anthony Milazzo, Navy
Ryan Mills, Air Force
Billy Moncatch, Marines
Jason Okara, Army
Enrique Ospina, Marines
Adam Ostrander, Navy
Cole Parent, Marines
Randall Petrbok, Air Force
James Roman, Marines
Ryan Ruizol, Navy
Andrew Tarchinski, Army
Patrick Tobias, Air Force
Isaiah Wuich, Marines

Please pray for all of our young men
and women currently serving in the
Armed Forces, especially:

Jenny Bellezza,
Susan Beres,
Ray Bugielski,
Alison Carey,
Brian Cherry,
Tim Kullum
Cherry, Sylvia
Culotta, William
Czerniak, Michael
DeStefano, Leo Di Fazio, Todd Gardener,
John Garrett, Lucas Hameau, Anita
Harshbarger, Ifrena Holtz, Judy Jaskey, Kroll
Family, Jim Lambert, Shirley Legaspi, Janet
Lombardi, Sandra Lundgren, Fred Maglio,
Cindy Miles, JoAnne Moberg, Rhodes
Modelski, Vito Montana, Geri Mulcahy, Avery
Quarles, Frank Reid, John Rossi, Bud
Schubert, Stella Shamberg, Chelsea Sladek,
Bill Slovik, Wanda Slupik, Louis Sommesi,
Mary Taschetta, Ann Treccia, Jim Wright.

Please get permission from family members or the person
who is ill before requesting that his/her name be added to
the prayer list. To add names to the list, please call
630-543-1754 or email bnicolai@st-phil.org. Names are
deleted from the list after six months unless a request is
made for a perpetual listing.

Please pray for our sick & shut-in and
those who are healing & convalescing...

Our sympathy to his friends and family.

Rest in peace...
**Baptism Information:** Baptisms are celebrated on the second & fourth Sunday of each month. A pre-Baptism program must be attended by the parents. Please call the rectory to register for a program.

**Marriage Information:** Please call the rectory to make arrangements at least six months (a year is preferred) in advance of the wedding date. It is recommended you do not rent reception facilities until your wedding date is confirmed with the pastor. Your preferred wedding date may be unavailable, and we do not want you to lose your deposit with the reception venue.

**Parish Registration:** New families are welcome and are asked to register at the rectory. Also, previously registered parishioners are asked to notify us of any address changes.

**Emergency Sick or Anointing Calls:** Please notify us immediately of any serious illness in your family. If you have a hospitalized loved one who would like a visit, please call the rectory with contact information since the hospitals and hospices no longer notify parishes. Please do not wait until the last minute to have someone anointed. There are always accidents/emergencies, but sometimes there is less panic when the anointing can be done prior to someone passing.

We now have available low-gluten hosts which make it possible for people who have celiac disease or allergies to wheat or gluten to be able to receive communion. If you have celiac disease or an allergy to wheat or gluten, please let us know before Mass so that arrangements can be made for you to be able to receive communion at Mass.

---

**Humes Funeral Home**

Serving Addison and surrounding communities for over 50 years.

**320 W. Lake St. Addison**

630.628.8808

www.HumesFuneralHome.com

**STAN’S SERVICE STATION**

“HERE TO SERVE YOU”

• Complete Auto Repair • Computerized 4 Wheel Alignments

25 W. 241 Lake St., Roselle

894-1770

**SALERNO’S ROSEDALE CHAPELS**

450 West Lake Street, Roselle

www.salernoofuneralhomes.com 630-889-1700

We Remain Family Owned & Operated by Rosario D. Salerno Sons for Over 100 Years

Pre-Arranged Funeral Plans Are Available and Transferable from Any Funeral Home

Funeral & Cremation Services Designed for Any Income

George Salerno • Frank Salerno

Licensed Attorney on Staff

---

Thank you for advertising in our church bulletin. I am patronizing your business because of it!