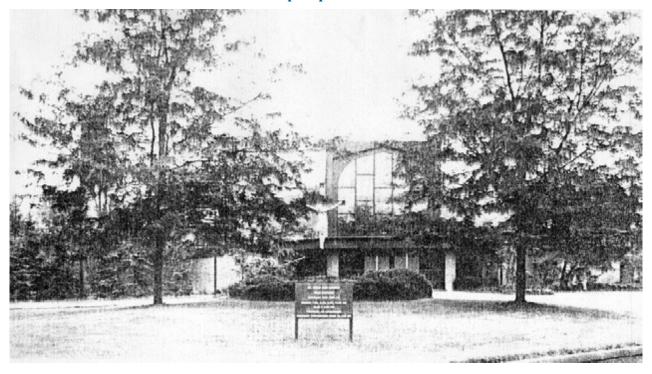
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<u>DAILY MASS SCHEDULE</u> MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, 8:30 AM SATURDAY, 8:30 AM

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September 10, 2017

Second Collection

<u>Black and Indian Missions:</u> Your contribution to this fund assists clergy, religious and lay catechists, parishes, schools and catechetical centers for the evangelization of the Black and Native American peoples throughout our country.

Next Week's Second Collection

Hurricane Harvey Relief Collection: You can donate at any time by placing an envelope marked "Hurricane Harvey" in the collection basket or you can drop it off at the Church Office. The second collection on the weekend of September 16th & 17th will also be dedicated to this relief effort. Donations will be forwarded to Catholic Charities USA, the Catholic agency which addresses emergency needs in this country.

PLEASE PRAY for the sick so that they may be comforted by the concern and love of their families and the family of the Church: Jose Alvarez, Sr. Maureen James Barr SSJ, Bella Jones Borkowski, Marita Boyce, Maria Brown, Lou Cacchio, Vincent Cellucci, Rochelle Colucci, Hunter Cranage, Howard Daywalt, Lillian Doherty, Dr. Robert Domanski, Emily Donhauser, Bernadette Dougherty, Lisa Dougherty, Dolores (Dee) Downs, Larry Falkowski, Christopher Greuters, Elizabeth Ann Hill, Jean Keenan, Pat Kost, Nicholas Lannutti, Peter Lello, Anne Lintner, George and Molly Lozinak, Phyllis Luther, James Maggetti, Sue Male, Joan Marine, Barbara Martinick, Peter Marziano, John McCann, Maura McGrath, Julia McLaughlin, Baby Avery McNichols, Steven Merlin, Joe and Betty Mulligan, Sarah Neve, Joe O'Brien, Lisa O'Brien, Joan O'Connell, Anna Paulina Oliveras Irizarry, John Pacell, Baby Addison Pfeffer, Jim Rafter, Baby Harper Ann Renshaw, John Reynolds, David Rosenberger, Xavier Ross, Geraldine Rotondo, John Sandy, John Schaifer, Gina Schindler, Tim Schwartz, Eva Seeton, Michael Shaw, Kristin Shearon, Bobbie Shertz, Robert Smith, Joseph Specht, Brian Stenz, Amy Swift, Kena Thompson, Wendi Wagoner and for all those who are hoping and praying for organ transplants.

<u>PLEASE PRAY</u> for those who died and those we remember in the silence of our hearts, especially, Mary DiDonato.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday	
6:30 AM	Mary P. McMenamin
8:30 AM	Elinor Kollmer
Tuesday	
6:30 AM	Mary & Joseph Petrokubi
8:30 AM	Dominic LaPera
Wednesday	
6:30 AM	Deceased Members of the Brennan & Lowry Families
8:30 AM	Mary Weber
Thursday	
6:30 AM	Thomas F. Keane III & Frank & Concetta Lupinacci & Family
8:30 AM	Tullio Leomporra
Friday	
6:30 AM	Mario Chiarolanza
8:30 AM	Catherine DiSepio
Saturday	
8:30 AM	Adrienne Conway

Block Collection

As you will read in the letter from Msgr. Vance this is a very important collection that allows us to continue to be good stewards of our parish buildings and grounds. Another aspect of returning your yearly Block Collection envelope allows the Church office to update the information we have on file for each family in our records. Thank you in advance for your contributions and returning your census information.

Pastor's Note: Many years ago one of our 8th Grade Graduation classes donated a garden in honor of Sr. Caroline, who was so loved and respected. After many years the garden is now in need of a refurbishing and update. The estimate for this project is \$10,000.00 and will include new plantings and an automatic irrigation system. I would like to do this in memory of Joan Chassey, a beloved parishioner who spent many years working on the grounds of our Church and Rectory. If you wish to contribute to this project please place your contribution envelope marked "Garden" in the Sunday collection or drop off/mail it to the Church Office. Thank you!

Pre Cana: Next meeting for those preparing for marriage is Oct 14th, for more information call the church office at 610-834-1975. Please pray for all couples participating and preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage.

<u>Seamstress Needed:</u> Looking for a volunteer to help with small projects in the rectory and for helping furnish the Sanctuary for Easter, Christmas and other liturgical functions. Please speak with Msgr. Vance or Fr. Anthony or call the church office at 610-834-1975 if interested. Thank you!

<u>Baptismal Instruction</u>: The next session is scheduled for September 25th at 7:30 PM in the Rectory Conference Room. Your baby is always welcome in Church, however, for the instruction itself, please try to schedule a babysitter so you may be free to concentrate. Please call the Church Office (610-834-1975) to sign up.

Choir Notes: Do you have a good voice? Musical talent? Choir experience? Now is the time to join St. Philip's Music Ministry and share your gifts with our parish. We invite you to join our talented parishioners who form our parish choirs. Rehearsals are held on Tues. evenings in the Church Chapel beginning on Sept 5th – 7PM to 9PM. We are looking for all voices: Soprano, Alto, Tenor and Bass. St. Philip's Schola of young adult voices has been a great success. We would like to welcome more of our high school, college/young adult parishioners to join the group. Please look for flyers at church entrances. If interested please call Jean Martin at 215-704-0508 or email jeanm1@comcast.net.

Men's Prayer Group: Men of different ages meet every Wednesday morning in the Rectory Conference Room from 7:30 to 8:30. If you are interested in joining and wish for more information, call Duane McCarthy at 610-825-5237.

<u>Holy Rosary Craft Show:</u> Holy Rosary Regional Catholic School in Plymouth Meeting will be having their annual craft show on Dec 2nd & 3rd. One of the largest in the area with over 100 crafters who cater to the shopping needs of over 1,000 attendees. If interested in being a crafter please email holyrosarycraftshow@gmail.com

PREP/CCD Volunteers Needed: Come share your faith and knowledge of God with the children of our parish. The St. Philip's religious education program is looking for a Monday 6th grade teacher and a Tuesday 1st grade teacher for the upcoming year. We also could use classroom aides in many of our rooms on Monday or Tuesday. The religious education program is also in need of an adult teacher for the kindergarten CCD program. This program is Sunday mornings from 10am to 11am and there will be youth volunteers to assist in the class as well and training will be provided. If you yourself, or anyone you know, are interested in passing on your faith in this particular way please Dane Connelly in the PREP Office at 484-804-1875 or email at d.connellyspn@gmail.com

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is for individuals interested in exploring and discerning membership in the Catholic Church. We meet on a weekly basis to discuss Church teachings in light of Sacred Scripture and Church Tradition. If you are interested contact Barney McGee at 610-834-1975 or email: bmcge@spnchurchlh.org, we look forward to speaking with you!

Philippians: We are a social organization for seniors in our area. We offer entertainment, trips, informational programs and opportunities for service projects. Meetings, in the school hall, will resume on September 14th from 11:30 AM to 1 PM. For membership info please call Angie Berry at 610-260-1211 or 610-608-0358.

Women's Guild: The yearly mailing has been sent and if you are interested in joining please return the registration form and dues to the Church office or you can drop into the collection basket on Sunday in an envelope marked "Woman's Guild". Parishioners gather to share ideas and experiences including exploring ways to provide an arena where each parishioner can feel welcome, and to participate in events as they are able. Please contact Paula DiGiacomo, Guild President at pdigiacomo4044@gmail.com

Frozen Casseroles for St. John's Hospice: Could you find time to make a casserole for the homeless of St. John's? Pans, lids and recipes are available in the church office and at Barbara McCarthy's (610-828-2058). Frozen casseroles are brought to Barbara's house by 9AM. The next delivery date is Oct 4th.

Consecration of the Archdiocese to Our Lady of

Fatima: To help our community prepare for this event, SPN will be offering Fr. Michael Gaitley's 33 Days to Morning Glory, a do-it-yourself retreat in preparation for Marian Consecration. The five week session will begin Tuesday, Sept 12th and conclude Tuesday, Oct 10th with the day of consecration on Oct 15th. It is hoped that a few of us will go to the consecration at the Cathedral on Oct 15th. We will meet from 7-8:30PM weekly and the first meeting on September 12th will be held in the Rectory Conference Room. The sessions will consist of a video, discussion and prayer. If interested contact Linda Banecker at lmbanecker1@aol.com, you can purchase the book 33 Days to Morning Glory from Amazon or order the complete packet from www.allheartsafire.org/33days-to-morning-glory.

Knights of Columbus: St. Philip's is exploring the possibility of establishing a new Knights of Columbus Council in our parish. The fraternal order is looking for Catholic men in good standing with the church (ages 18 and up) to be defenders of our faith and who are interested in its founding principles of charity, unity and patriotism. Please contact Dexter de La Rosa at dexter.delarosa@kofc.org or call 917-941-5381 for more information.

Revival: Come join the Archdiocese of Philadelphia's Black Catholic community for a two night revival. Monday & Tuesday, September 25th & 26th at the Cathedral featuring Fr. Paul Whittington,O.P., Revivalist. Featuring the Philadelphia Catholic Gospel Choir and Immannuel Movement Praise Team. Choir prelude starts at 6:30PM and the revival is at 7PM. Call Office for Black Catholics at 215-587-3541 for more details.

Walking with Purpose: A Catholic women's Bible Study that meets once a week to discuss Scripture. This Fall, at St. Matthew's Parish in Conshohocken, we will be studying the women of the Bible using the WWP "Discovering Your Dignity" workbook. If you want to learn more about WWP, please join us on Wednesday, Sept 6th at 6:30PM. Please contact Judy Kukowski at 610-331-2147 or email jakukowski@verizon.net with questions and for meeting details.

Reboot Live: Tickets will be on sale in the lobby after all Masses this weekend.

Reboot Live! Coming in the fall of 2017!
St. Philip Neri is pleased to announce that Chris Stefanick and his life-changing event Reboot Live! will be held on October 5, 2017 from 7:00 PM to 9:30 PM in church.

Tickets are available in the church office

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St. Francis Inn: With cool weather upon us, we are in need of clean blankets, throws & afghans for our homeless clients, thermal underwear and new, white athletic socks. Coffee, tea, sugar, iced tea, tuna, canned chicken, chili, Spaghettios, peanut butter and jam. PineSol, Clorox Anywhere, bleach, toilet paper, paper towels and tissues. Diapers (size 6 & preemie only), wipes, baby food & formula. Most of all, PRAYERS!

St. Timothy Parish in Mayfair: Commemorating the 90th anniversary with a yearlong celebration. Opening Mass on Oct 1st at noon, principal celebrant will be Archbishop James P. Green, the Apostolic Nuncio to Sweden & Iceland and is a son of St. Timothy's. There will be a Reception to follow in the school gym for all who can attend. Call the rectory at 215-624-6188 to let us know if you will be attending.

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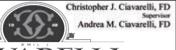
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