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# St. Philip the Apostle Parish

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## 3rd Sunday of Easter

April 23, 2023



### CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday Evening ..... 5:30 PM  
Sunday.....8:00 AM, 10:00 AM (Broadcast) & 12:00 PM  
Monday thru Saturday..... 9:00 AM

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday ..... 4:30 to 5:00 PM

### HOLY HOUR

Every Friday .....9:30 to 10:30 AM

For a Communion visit and/or  
Anointing of the Sick,  
please contact the Parish office.



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

You may have heard a beautiful Latin chant after the Communion hymn being sung at every Mass since Easter Sunday. It is called the *Regina Caeli*, or the Queen of Heaven. It is a short Marian antiphon telling us the joy of the Blessed Mother when she knew Jesus was raised from the dead. Her sorrow was changed into joy. Let Our Lady be a model for us now and always. May we unite our sorrows with her as well as our joys. Here is the antiphon in both Latin and English. When I hear it, my heart is filled with Easter joy. I pray it does the same for you.

This is one of four Marian antiphons, with following prayers, traditionally said or sung after night prayer. It is said throughout Eastertide, that is, from Easter Day through Pentecost, the seventh Sunday after Easter.

The *Regina Caeli* is also said in place of the Angelus during Eastertide.

### Queen of Heaven

V. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.  
R. For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia.  
V. Has risen, as he said, alleluia.  
R. Pray for us to God, alleluia.  
V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.  
R. For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

**Let us pray.** O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Regina caeli

V. Regina caeli, laetare, alleluia.  
R. Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia.  
V. Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia.  
R. Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.  
V. Gaude et laetare, Virgo Maria, alleluia.  
R. Quia surrexit Dominus vere, alleluia.

**Oremus.** Deus, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui, Domini nostri Iesu Christi, mundum laetificare dignatus es: praesta, quaesumus; ut per eius Genetricem Virginem Mariam, perpetuae capiamus gaudia vitae. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Peace,  
Fr. Monteleone



## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima at St. Mary's Church, Dover (Wharton)

You are invited to pray before an official Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima which comes from the Shrine in Portugal. The statue will be visiting St. Mary's Church (GPS address: 371 South Main St. Wharton, NJ 07885) from May 10 - 14, 2023. There will be daily Mass, rosary and opportunity for silent prayer and reflection. The highlight will be a Mass to be celebrated by the Most Rev. Kevin Sweeney, D.D. on May 13th at 5:30 PM. Please see [www.stmarysdover.org](http://www.stmarysdover.org) for other details.

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## ST. PHILIP PREPARATORY SCHOOL

Students have returned to classes after enjoying the Easter break. It is the last quarter marking period of the school year.



Our First communicants will share in a retreat on April 29 before celebrating their First Communion on May 6. Please keep them in your prayers.

**Our Middle School students are busy practicing for our school production of Disney MOANA Jr. We hope to see you there!**

Tickets are now available for purchase through Eventbrite! Please use the links provided below. There are different links for each day of the performance



so make sure you use the correct one. Total cost per ticket is \$17.85 (\$15 Ticket price + \$1.79 Eventbrite service fee + 3.7% credit card fee)



7 PM Friday, May 5  
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7 PM Saturday, May 6  
Second Performance

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## SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

As part of our celebration of the feast of **Saint Joseph the Worker** in May, Phil Russo will present to us a talk entitled: **“What we can learn from the life of St. Joseph.”**

Join us as we look at St. Joseph's life and how he helped prepare Jesus for His ministry. We will see a father's faith and wisdom that is borrowed from St. Joseph, a man of few words but plenty of action. There will be time for questions and personal sharing about St. Joseph.

There will be 2 opportunities to hear the same talk on **Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:45 AM and 7 PM in Marian Hall at the Jubilee Wing.**

Hope to see you there!

## SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Good Friday Blood Drive. 38 donors contributed 33 units of blood. Our next blood drive will be Sunday, Sept. 15<sup>th</sup>.

### COLUMBIETTES

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### GIRL SCOUTS

Girl Scout Troop 97032 will be selling cookies after all Masses on April 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to Pre-Order, please use the QR Code.



## SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES

### PRIME TIMERS

A Tricky Tray following the meeting on **Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM in Marian Hall.** Please bring 1 new unwrapped item to the meeting.

### ATLANTIC CITY BUS TRIP

Prime Timers are going to Resorts Casino in Atlantic City on **Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>**. Bus leaves from St. Philips Drive at 9:30 AM. Price is \$40.

For tickets, please call Sylvia at (973) 742-9286

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

#### Scholarship Beefsteak dinner

**Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM** in Auditorium.

Tickets are only \$45. Chicken alternative also available

Credit card purchases at Knights website:

<https://knights-of-columbus-11671.square.site/beefsteak>

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PARIS REFLECTIONS

### CARNIVAL



St Philips Carnival will be 4 days this year,

**Thursday, June 22 - Sunday, June 25.**

We are looking for new volunteers to join all of our veterans volunteers.

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There will be another Volunteer Meeting

**Thursday, May 11 at 7 PM in Marian Hall.**

#### Soda/Water Donations

Name brand soda and bottled water for the Soda & Water Booth can be left at the school kitchen door.

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE**

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**PILGRIMAGE TO DIVINE MERCY NATIONAL SHRINE STOCKBRIDGE, MA**



**MAY 6, 2023 SATURDAY**  
 Bus Departs: 7:00am sharp – St Philip lower parking lot (please arrive 15 minutes early)

**Shrine Schedule:**

11:00 am Explaining the Faith Talk  
 1:00-2:00pm Confession, Adoration, and Rosary  
 2:00 pm Mass  
 3:00 pm The Chaplet of the Divine Mercy & Benediction

Bus Departs: 4:00 pm – Divine Mercy National Shrine

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 2023**

- 8:00** Regino De Dios  
Salvatore LoBalbo
- 10:00** Edward Kovacs  
Esther Disla  
Anita Garbarino  
Michael Lamotta
- 12:00** For All the People of the Parish

**MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2023**

- 9:00** Robert Klingler

**TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 2023**

- 9:00** Agnes and Charles W. Hahn  
Jim and Marilyn Loftus

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2023**

- 9:00** Fred Anthony

**THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2023**

- 9:00** Anita Garbarino  
Francis Slasinski

**FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 2023**

- 9:00** Salvatore Scafidi  
Jack McSweeney

**SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 2023**

- 9:00** Alberta DelVecchio
- 5:30** For All the People of the Parish

**SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023**

- 8:00** Joseph Mazzara  
John Michel  
Ed Kovacs  
Helen Dikun  
Mary Spychaj
- 12:00** Marlene Chidiac  
Eileen Pigut

**GOD BLESS THE NEWLY BAPTIZED**



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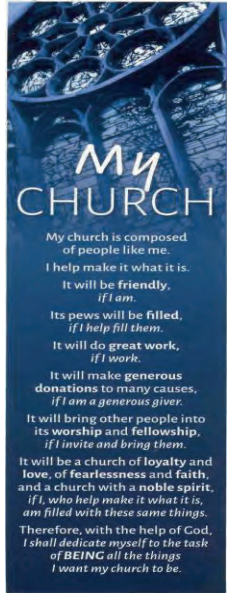
*For the Recently Deceased...*  
 Francis Ciccone

*A Time to be Healed...*  
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 Pete Malone, Maria Tommaro, Marge Sirvidio, Susan Cinek

**PARISH GIVING**

SUNDAY COLLECTION: APRIL 17, 2022	\$ 8,625.00
SUNDAY COLLECTION: APRIL 16, 2023	
WEEKLY COLLECTION	\$12,213.00
ONLINE GIVING DONATION	\$ 8,851.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$19,064.00</b>
<b>EASTER 2022</b>	<b>\$52,844.00</b>
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