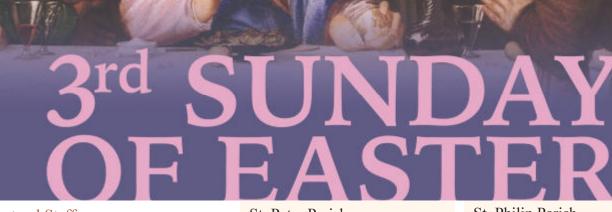


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Mass Schedule

Daily: Tuesday and Thursday at 9 a.m. Third Thursday of the month at 10 a.m. at Rolling Fields Elder Care Community

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Vigil of Holy Day: Check bulletin Holy Day: Check bulletin Sacrament of Penance: By appointment only, St. Philip 3:15-3:45 Saturday St. Philip Parish 401 S. Mercer St. Linesville, PA 16424 p: (814) 683-5313 e: ss.ppmainoffice@gmail.com

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Saturday: 4 p.m. Sunday: 10:15 a.m. Vigil of Holy Day: Check bulletin Holy Day: Check bulletin Sacrament of Penance: Saturday from 3:15 p.m.-3:45 p.m., or by appointment

Welcome

St. Peter and St. Philip parishes are part of a Family of Faith located in Pennsylvania with two wonderful places to worship. As the People of God, we rejoice in doing our very best to live and love like Christ! We welcome long-time parishioners, newcomers, and those visiting the area. May the Lord's every blessing be yours today and always!

Food Pantry - 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the Month @ 9a.m. at St. Philip Parish Hall.

Third Sunday of Easter



Father will be offering Mass for the following intentions this week:

April 27 — May 3 For the People of St. Philip & St. Peter † Michael Kohlmiller † Jimmy Ryan * Holy Souls in Purgatory *Elizabeth Krauza Pete Ferraino † Deceased Members of St. Peter *Warren Beaver

For the People of St. Philip & St. Peter *†* Karen Bleicher † Martha Tokarski

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Church Offering Report for April 12	St. Peter Offertory including online giving CSA	\$ \$	1,080 175
	St. Philip Offertory including online giving and gifts CSA	\$ \$	2,291 565

2020 Catholic Services Appeal

	GOAL	PLEDGE	COLLECTED
ST. PETER	11,176	8,960	6,520
ST. PHILIP	21,799	16,869	10,364

Announcement

If there is anyone, primarily those who are most at risk, out of work, or caring for small children needing food or other assistance, please call Jayne at 683-5313 from 9:30 am -2:30 pm Monday through Thursday. Even though our parish resources are limited, we will assist to the extent possible. Keep in mind that at the present time, parish office staff are working from home.

We are extremely grateful to all of you who continue to support our parishes through online giving or mail-in offertory. As you can well imagine, during this difficult time, we need everyone's help. Please get the word out to those who do not receive emails or pick up bulletins. On a practical note, we ask that if you are mailing your offering, please mail it to our office address for both St. Peter and St. Philip: 401 S Mercer St, Linesville, PA 16424. Some of your past concerns continue to haunt us. Rest assured that your mail-in offerings are credited to the parish you designate. Also, if you are making multiple payments, for example, weekly offering and CSA and/or Food Pantry, please make out separate checks as these funds go into different banking accounts and we are finding it difficult to split up checks that are written for the full amount based on combined envelope giving. This is a helpful practice to utilize throughout the year. Once again, thank you to all of you who have demonstrated such dedication and love for your parish community.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass continues to be offered privately for your intentions. We are always in need of Mass intentions. If you are interested in having a Mass said, please mail your request to: 401 S Mercer St, Linesville, PA 16424 indicating your intention and parish. You can also call Jayne at 683-5313 from 9:30 am -2:30 pm Monday through Thursday.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

By order of the PA Dept. of Health, all persons entering the Church are <u>required</u> to maintain social distancing during their visit and are <u>required</u> to be wearing a mask, either home-made, scarf or other mouth & nose covering, unless unable to do so due to a medical condition; those not meeting these requirements should not enter but instead should call the parish office

(683-5313) for assistance. Thank you for your cooperation.

This is posted at every door of both Churches.

St. Peter Church Social Hall vestibule is open and keeps a table for bulletins, books, family faith materials as access to the church is limited. The basket for Confirmation student's cards and letters is there now too.

If students have any completed work packets, they are welcome to leave them there for pickup by teachers.

Birthdays 04/27-05/03

St. Peter: 04/28...Mary Boban, 04/30...Tina Davis



St. Philip: 04/28...Jim Kusluch, 04/30...Ernie Callahan, Pam Ruffing, 05/01...Ed Kline, Ned McElhinny, Pat Weitz

Happy Birthday to all who had birthdays I didn't put in since this all started. There wasn't any room at the time. Hope you had a Happy Birthday!



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Joanne Watts who passed away last week. She was a member of St. Philip for quite a while and she was a hard worker for our Church. May she rest in peace.

I mistakenly omitted Dr. Carol Bocan's donation of flowers from the flower list on Easter Sunday. I apologize for that.

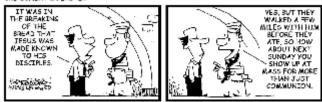
ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE Gospel Meditation April 26, 2020

What does it take for our eyes to be opened? Every day, a man laboriously walks down Main Street of town. With great difficulty but graceful determination, he places one foot in front of the other, uses a crudely made staff for support, and walks. His pace is slow, but he walks. What does he hope to see? Where does he want to go? What does he find? We all walk through life. The type of "walking" life requires is not always physical but is most assuredly emotional and spiritual. We walk, we look, we encounter, and we seek. How we do these things and what we actually find is determined by what we carry and what we allow ourselves to discover along the way.

If walking is too challenging for us, we may choose to isolate and stay alone. If we are afraid to walk, we may become overly dependent on others providing for us and abandon the journey. We can walk and pay attention only to what is in front of our feet and never notice the immensity of what is happening around us. The road is never the same twice. The journey is always different. What kinds of things do you notice as you walk through life? It seems that the disciples of the Road to Emmaus missed a lot at first. We do as well. We are called to walk with purpose, to listen, and to notice things that may not at first be apparent. We have to allow the One who has a special claim on our soul to enlighten, instruct, and inspire us. The incarnate mystery of God is pulsating in and through all of creation, where the presence of the Word who became flesh can be discovered. He has been with us all along. How could we have missed Him? Our journey brings us back to the breaking of the bread, and something begins to stir within us. We begin to understand, and things look differently. Bread, body, wine, and blood bring us to see that everyone and everything is a 'Eucharistic" encounter. We become what we eat and we see what we eat. We continue to walk. Our eyes are now opened, and we recognize Him. Our hearts burn. Stay with us. Please stay with us. ©ĹPi



3RD SUNDAY IN EASTER



Please pray for those who are sick from St. Peter & St. Philip Fr. John Walsh, Joan Rendulic, Shirley Hannaford, Marco Oliveri, Larry Shaffer, Jim Meissner, innocent life to be saved from abortion, Andy Kotcella, Jennifer McCall, James Lilly, Brady Thomas McMillion, Lou Andrews, Randy Uzarski, Finley Hawkins, Elizabeth Hillman, Malaki Ferraino, Marisa Primozic, Katrina McCullough, Allaie Orosv, John Handrosh, Marcie Shetler, Jane McDermott, Vickie Schloer, Collette, Tim & Ron Krachkowski, Nick Isherwood, Betty Uzarski, Christie Morris, Henry White, John Petruso, Virginia Harrington, Christina, Amy Gibson, Rich Suraino, Russ Suraino, Nicholas Pitzulo, Doris Kelley, Ryhs Blake, Diane Suraino, Herb Inman, Ashley Zuzak, Marion Sroda, Dan McFetridge, Lani Haettich. Sister Mary Joseph McElhinny, Lou Besse, Rich Janisin, Dee Pisarchick, Gigi Beatty, Ed Kline, Julia Slozat, Nancy Wissner, Joanne Eggers, Jonah Derlink, Fr. Bob, Mary Jo Lipani, Judy Graham, Chuck & Sandy Eichler Those In the military; Lori Whiteman, Brandon VanDusen, Kyle Lukowich, Emily Whiteman

Those in nursing homes & that are homebound; Connie Tighe, Joan Nitsche, Dave Onderko, Santa Vasquez, Theresa Minetti

Everyone suffering from the COVID-19

Readings for the week of April 26, 2020

Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [11a]/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66: 1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59 St. Joseph the Worker: Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 12-13, 14 and 16 [cf.17b]/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/1 Pt 2:20b -25/Jn 10:1-10

Observances for the week of April 26, 2020

Monday:

Tuesday: St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; St. Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest

Wednesday: St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

Thursday: St. Pius V, Pope

Friday: St. Joseph the Worker

Saturday: St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Next Sunday: 4th Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations

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