

#### Fourth Week of Advent - Love

"The Angel's Candle" reminds us of the love of God the Father in sending us His only Son to save us.

It proclaims the Angel Gabriel's message of peace and reminds us that Jesus came into the world to bring peace to the hearts of all people.

This candle of peace asks us to open our hearts to the love of God and to see all people through His loving eyes.

Let us open the eyes of our hearts to all God's people and promise to love as Jesus loved and continues to love.





Our Choirs invite you to join us as we celebrate the beauty of the Christmas Season! This is an opportunity to put the hustle and bustle on "pause" for an hour, and enjoy the peace-filled sounds of our very own "Choir of Angels" reminding us of the "reason for the season".

Our Christmas gift to all of you ... Merry and Blessed Christmas! Tyler Tarver, Music Director and the St. Philip's Choir Members





# A great big THANK YOU to Al's Angels for the beautiful and bountiful Thanksgiving Food Baskets for our Food Pantry guests! God Bless all of you and the work that you do!



\*\*\*NEEDED: HAMS FOR CHRISTMAS BASKETS\*\*\*

We are still in need of several hams to complete the Christmas Baskets that we'll be distributing this Friday. If you're able to help us, please drop off the hams in the cooler in front of the Mansion

anytime between 6pm Thursday December 18 and 10am on Friday, December 19.

Thank you for your continued generosity! God Bless and Merry Christmas!

### Christmas Cookie Bake



Attention All Cookie Lovers: Do you like to bake homemade cookies?

If yes... Come <u>Bake</u> and <u>Decorate</u> homemade cookies with the Midnight Run team. Join us in the Saint Philip School Hall on:

- Friday, December 19th from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

- Saturday, December 20th from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

We will be selling our packaged boxes filled with our delicious homemade cookies and <u>more</u> after all masses on:

Sat. 12/20 at 5 pm and Sun. 12/21 at 8am, 10am and 12pm.

All proceeds will benefit our Midnight Run Ministry to help clothe, feed & warm our homeless brothers and sisters in need.

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For more information contact: <a href="mailto:stpmidnightrun@gmail.co">stpmidnightrun@gmail.co</a>m



#### **Christmas Season Mass Schedule**

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Wednesday, December 24th - Christmas Eve 4pm, 6pm and 11pm

Thursday, December 25th - Christmas Day 8am, 10am and 12 Noon

The Holy Family
Saturday, December 27th - 5pm

Sunday, December 28th 8am, 10am and 12 Noon

Solemnity of Mary - New Year's Day Thursday, January 1st - 12:15pm

> The Feast of the Epiphany Saturday, January 3rd - 5pm

Sunday, January 4th 8am, 10pm and 12 Noon













## Faith Formation

#### **DECEMBER 2025**

Hands of Love (ages 3 - 5):

Sunday, December 21

10am - 11am (during Mass)

Grades 1 - 2:

Sunday, December 21

10am - 11am (during Mass)

Grades 3 - 5:

Sunday, December 21

11am - 12pm

Grades 6 - 7:

Sunday, December 21

11am - 12pm

#### \*\*\*Daily Mass\*\*\*

Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 7:30 am Tuesday and Thursday: 12:15pm

(During Advent - an extra Mass at 6 pm on Tuesdays)

#### Weekends

**Confessions:** 4 pm to 4:30 pm - every Saturday (or by appointment - anytime during the week!)

Saturday Vigil 5 pm: Fr. Sudhir Sunday 8 am: Fr. Boccaccio

**10 am:** Fr. Sudhir **12 pm:** Fr. Sudhir

Only the 10am Mass will be on Zoom and on **YOUTUBE**<a href="https://youtube.com/@St.Philip">https://youtube.com/@St.Philip</a>

Please pray for ...

<u>Sick</u>: for all those who are sick and suffering

<u>Deceased</u>: please pray for all those who have died, especially those

who have no one to pray for them



Weekend of 12/20-12/21: the 2nd Collection this weekend will be for the Retirement Fund for the Religious.