

# St. Philip Information and News (SPIN)

August 12, 2020

## Church News

The church office has returned to regular business hours. We are open Monday-Thursday from 8am-5pm and Friday from 8am-noon.

### Outdoor In-Person Worship

Outdoor worship continues this weekend, **August 15 & 16!** Both the **Saturday evening worship service at 5:30pm** and the **Sunday morning worship service at 9:00am** will be held in person and online!

You may choose to sit in your lawn chairs in the courtyard, or you may stay in your cars. **All people worshipping outside of their car are asked to wear a mask at all times.**

Please go to <https://www.stphilip-co.org/worship-bulletins/> to download the worship bulletin.

Holy Communion will be part of these worship services. We have individually packaged communion wafers and grape juice cups, which will be distributed as you arrive and consumed during the Holy Communion portion of the service. If you need gluten-free wafers, we invite you to bring gluten-free crackers or bread.

### Worship at Home

If you have access to a computer and the internet, you can worship with St. Philip at home! Go to [www.stphilip-co.org/worship-at-home/](http://www.stphilip-co.org/worship-at-home/) and you will find information about livestreaming our services as well as videos of our worship services. If you go to [www.stphilip-co.org/worship-archives](http://www.stphilip-co.org/worship-archives) you will find videos of past worship services.

### Christ in Our Home Now Available as an eBook!

In addition to being available in print, both standard size and large print, Christ in Our Home is now available as an eBook. You can purchase it on Amazon Kindle, Barnes and Noble Nook, Apple iBooks, Google Play Books, and Kobo Reader Stores. This is a great way to get the devotional if you can't get to church to pick up your copy, or if you're new to the devotional!

### St. Philip Early Learning Center Postponing Consignment Sale

We have made the tough decision to postpone our 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Sale. We are planning for April of 2021, but will communicate exact dates to the community as soon as we have the Spring dates set.

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, and as we are in the process of planning the safe return of our preschool students, we feel it would be irresponsible of us to host our annual community fundraiser. Our top priority right now is the safety and health of our staff, students and families. We apologize for any inconvenience, but we want to be sure and do our part to help keep our community safe.

We hope you will join us in the Spring! If you've already signed up for the Fall Sale, and if you've already begun to enter your items into MyCM... not to worry... your items

will still be there for the Spring. No work will be lost!

Thank you for understanding, and we will communicate as soon as we have the Spring 2021 dates set. We appreciate your continued support of this community and our sale... we couldn't do this without you! Stay healthy and safe... we'll see you in the Spring!

## Thank You

*The sympathy cards and messages sent to my family and me after Arne died, have meant so much. They have touched us and been of great comfort. St. Philip is truly a church of loving caring souls. We are blessed.*

*Thank you, dear friends,  
Harriet Truman and family*

## Volunteer Opportunities/Donations

### Sharing with Sheridan

We served **154 families** last week Thursday, and we anticipate similar numbers this week. Here is the list of needed items:

- **Egg cartons**
- Canned vegetables
- Canned pasta sauce
- Meal soups (chili, ravioli, beef stew)
- Peanut butter
- Plastic newspaper bags
- Plastic grocery bags
- Medium-sized cardboard boxes

**Please consider shopping for the pantry** at your area grocery store, Costco, and/or Sam's Club. You can place an order online for curbside pickup or delivery. SwS can reimburse costs if you submit receipts to Linda Goodnough in the church office.

For those who wish to drop off donations directly at the food pantry, please take them to the east door of the Sheridan Recreation Center on Thursdays only between 11:30am and 1:00pm. You can also bring items to church anytime. If the church is not open, just leave them beside the church office door at the end of the courtyard; someone is checking on a regular basis. If you are unable to drop off at either location, contact Jan Philpy at [gjphilpy@gmail.com](mailto:gjphilpy@gmail.com) and she can arrange for someone to pick up your donation at your home.

### Sheridan Idol Results

Thank you so much for your contribution to the *Sheridan Idol Contest* supporting the Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry. By an overwhelming number of voting donations Andrew Graham and his lovely, talented daughter, Caroline, were crowned the 2020 Sheridan Idols.

Regardless of the *Sheridan Idol Contest* results, your assistance raising funds to ensure food security for families in south metro Denver is magnanimous. More than

**\$18,000** were raised for Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry and will support this all-volunteer organization's efforts to feed an increasing number of families every week.

Mark your calendars for **Saturday, September 26** and plan to attend the Sheridan Celebrates Drive-In Concert from 7-9:30pm. Hear much more from the 2020 Sheridan Idols. They will be joined by Soul Sacrifice Santana Tribute Band. Park in your vehicle and hear the exciting sounds through your car radio while staying safely socially distant. \$10 per vehicle ticket is required and can be purchased online at <https://SheridanCelebrates.TicketSpice.com/drive-in-concert>.



**Preparing for Worship - August 15 & 16**

**First Reading: Isaiah 56:1, 6-8**

**Second Reading: Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32**

**Gospel Reading: Matthew 15:21-28**

# Our Prayer List

## Members

**Pam Kubicek, Bill Shepard, Cliff Mosier, Rob Murphy, Rob Carlson**

## Family Members

**Eli** (Janet Shibly's cousin's son)

**Jim Gualco** (Anne Henning's father)

**Nathan & Stephanie Smith** (Jim & Carolyn Smith's son and daughter-in-law)

**The family of Virginia Shepard** (Bill Shepard's mother)

**Vonnie Rouse and Scott Worman** (Monica Auch's children)

**Richard Silco** (Tom Silco's father)

**The family of Jerry Zielenske** (Sandi Stevermer's uncle)

**The family & friends of Delbert Baars** (Linda Thomas's uncle)

**Caroline Carroll** (Harriet Truman's daughter)

**Fawn Kemp** (Larry Kemp's daughter)

**Tina** (Chris Youngren's daughter)

**Lauren Person** (Mary Person's daughter)

**Dr. Thomas & Neva Flatley** (Tom Flatley's father & mother)

**Ryan Ermold** (Joanne Ermold's son)

**Erika Kuenne** (Carl & Rita Kuenne's daughter)

## Friends

**Pat** (Peaslee)

**William and Janet Arceneux** (Stevermer)

**Gail Leach** (Baker)

**Rhoda** (Twisselman)

**Family & friends of Cassandra Persichetti**

(White)

**Michael, Carmen, and Jamil Zoughbi** (Mundt)

**Danielle** (Anderson)

**Emeli Bowers** (Ermold)

**Kerry** (Mundt)

**Prayers for students, parents, and educators as they prepare to go back to school amid concerns about COVID-19.**

**Prayers for all those affected by COVID-19 as well as healthcare workers, researchers, and those in positions of leadership.**

**Prayers for the unemployed and the underemployed.**

**Prayers of support and encouragement for Aaron and Anna Silco as they begin their internships.**

**Prayers for the students supported through the Seeds of South Sudan.**

**Prayers of support and love for our companion synods and friends in Madagascar.**

**Prayers of remembrance and love for all our homebound members.**

**Prayers for all servicemen and women deployed around the world, especially those with ties to St. Philip. Prayers for healing and comfort for those suffering with physical and mental injuries.**

*If you have a prayer concern, please call the church office at 303.979.4491 or send an email to Angela Seep at [aseep@stphilip-co.org](mailto:aseep@stphilip-co.org). Prayer requests will run for two weeks unless otherwise requested.*