

St. Philip Information and News (SPIN)

November 10, 2021

Worship News

Upcoming Services

Sunday, November 14—Veteran's Day Slide Show before and after the service

Sunday, November 21—Christ the King Sunday

We will also have our All Congregation Meeting after the service.

Wednesday, November 24—Thanksgiving Eve Service at 6:30pm

Please join us after the service for our pie social in the Fellowship Hall.

Sunday, November 28—First Sunday of Advent

Altar Flowers

Sign up for altar flowers while you are here for in-person worship, or contact Angela in the church office. There can be two bouquets per Sunday, but it isn't required. The cost is \$25. You may take your flowers after the worship service. Please return the vase to church when you are finished.

Church News

All Congregational Meeting

You are invited to attend St. Philip's November Congregational Meeting - either live-streamed or in person - on **Sunday, November 21 at 10am**. If you attend worship at 9am, either in person or on Zoom, you may stay after the service ends for the meeting. We will be voting on the 2022 Budget, new council members, Endowment Committee nominees, and Synod Assembly Nominees. We will also be voting on calling Korra Looschen as Deacon for St. Philip.

Advent Readers Needed

We are looking for people to read during the lighting of the Advent wreath on Sunday mornings during December and at each service on Christmas Eve (1, 3, 5, and 7 pm). We encourage all to consider this: families with young children, families with older children, couples, groups of singles, college kids on break. Contact Jan Philpy at 317.709.5045 or gjphilpy@gmail.com.

Thanksgiving Eve Pie Social

It's back! After our Thanksgiving Eve worship service (**Nov. 24@ 6:30pm**), where we give thanks to God for his many blessings to us, we move to our fellowship hall for a pie social. It is a great fellowship event for our congregation.

Bake a pie or buy a pie and bring it, cut and ready to share. Even if you do not bring a pie, you are welcome to join us for this wonderful time of sharing. "Let us give thanks to the Lord, for He is good!"

Creative Caring Quilters

The Creative, Caring Quilters will meet **Saturday, November 27 from 9am to 12pm**. We will have a short devotion followed by a mini lesson on how to apply real photos to

your quilts by Monica Auch. We have quilts in need of tying, binding and sewing together. All are welcome to enjoy some coffee, a scone and each other's company.

Our quilts will be given to Lutheran World Relief and The Linus Project for traumatized and ill children. If you have 100% cotton and flannel sitting around unused, please consider dropping it off in the tote by the storage closet in room FH-2. Stitching is good for the soul and so are warm blankets!

50th Anniversary Committee News

If you would like to purchase a St. Philip 5th Anniversary Christmas ornament, you may do so at the church office. The cost is \$10 and all proceeds will go to the 50th Anniversary Planning Committee.

Bags of Leaves

The Property Team has raked up the leaves on our property and now there are bags and bags of leaves out by the shed. You are welcome to come take a bag or two (or three!) for mulch.

Key Keeper Needed

The church office is looking for one or two people willing to be key keepers starting in 2022. We have a dedicated team, but we would like to add to it. Duties include stopping by the church every night of your assigned week to make sure everything is locked up, the lights are out, windows are closed, there is no running water, etc. If you are interested, contact [Angela](#) in the church office.

A Christmas Weekend at St. Philip

Join us on **Saturday, December 4 at 7pm** for "Holiday Hits," featuring music by Bryan Chuan, Eric French, Coreen Wells, Kristen Celusniak, Sara Wise, Brian Counterman, and The Altaira Flute Ensemble. The concert is free, with all goodwill offerings going to the 50th Anniversary committee. After the concert there will be cookies with Santa! Bring everyone you know!

Then, on **Sunday, December 5, join us at 9am for worship** as our children and youth present their Christmas pageant "Do You Hear What I Hear."

Ken Caryl Concert Christmas Cookies

Please bake your favorite Christmas cookie(s) and wrap in individual packages (4-6 per baggie) to be distributed by Santa and his elves at our "Holiday Hits" concert on **December 4**. Cookies may be dropped off in the church kitchen the week leading up to the concert. Contact Laurie Selander with any questions - 303.518.1457.

Church Groups - Ongoing

Men's Wednesday Morning Bible Study

The Men's Wednesday morning Bible study meets the **2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month**. We will use "An Introduction to Luther's Small Catechism" taught by Dr. James Nestingen, professor emeritus of Church History at Luther Seminary in St. Paul, MN. All men are welcome to come and join us. Bring your Luther's Small Catechism if you have one.

Tuesday Night Bible Study Returns!

The 2021/2022 session of Tuesday Night Bible Study will be studying the book *The Jewish Gospel of John: Discovering Jesus, King of all Israel*. The book is part of Jewish Studies for Christians by Dr. Eli Lizorkin-Eysenberg. This is a tremendous opportunity to examine the fourth Gospel, a verse-by-verse interpretation as if it was written for the first century people of Israel. Please join us for this fascinating study of our Gospel. We will meet at the Selander home Tuesday evenings, at 7:00pm. (6338 S. Harlan Way Littleton) The text is available from Amazon. Contact Paul Selander for details and any questions at 303.241.0321.

Monday Women's Bible Study meets at church from 10:00 to 11:30am on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month in the Fireside Room. For more information, contact Juli Cooley at 303.903.9651 or jhcool519@gmail.com; or Jan Philpy at 317.709.5044 or gjphilpy@gmail.com.

Wednesday Women's Bible Study meets at church from 9:30 to 11:00am on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month in MC-1. For more info, contact Chris Youngren at 303.973.3096 or ctyoungren@gmail.com; or Kathy Gillett at 303.359.7383.

St Philip Women's Book Group, "Hooked on Books," meets at church the 2nd Monday of the month at 9:30am. For more information, contact Sue Miller at 303.619.0661 or Beth Faerber at 303.953.9745.

Volunteer Opportunities/Donations

Eagle Scout Project

Hello, my name is Logan Petersen and I am a youth here at St. Philip, I am also an active Boy Scout and working to get my Eagle. My Eagle project is redoing the volleyball court for the youth here at the church. My project could be \$3000 and I would greatly appreciate anything you could give. I will be presenting in church on **November 14** and collecting donations then.

Thank you!

Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry

Last week we served 109 families. We appreciate your support! Items we need:

- Jelly
- Toilet paper

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.

Volunteering at Sharing with Sheridan

Looking for a volunteer opportunity? Sharing with Sheridan needs volunteers on Thursdays to help with distribution. You can come any time after 11am and it doesn't have to be every week. For more information, contact Chris Hancock at 303.358.9238 or c.hancock@comcast.net.

Events

Scottish Fiddle Club of Colorado's Fall Concert

The pleasure of your company is requested at the Scottish Fiddle Club of Colorado's Fall Concert! We are back; now in our 12th year!

WHEN: Saturday, November 20, 2021

WHERE: St. Philip Lutheran Church

TIME: 2:00pm

COST: FREE

Come enjoy the fiddle, dance and vocal music of Scotland, Ireland and America performed by some of the best professional, amateur and student fiddlers in Colorado.

Please direct any questions to Ken McIntosh at kenmcintosh@idcomm.com or 303.234.0469.



Preparing for Worship - November 14, 2021
25th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Daniel 12:1-3

Second Reading: Hebrews 10:11-25

Gospel Reading: Mark 13:1-8

JESUS PREDICTS
THE DESTRUCTION
OF THE TEMPLE



Our Prayer List

Members

Joel Sigdestad, John Collins, Paul Stortz, Jack Dice, Dianne Mydlach

Family Members

Tina (Chris Youngren's daughter)
Dr. Thomas Flatley (Tom Flatley's father)
Caroline Carroll (Harriet Truman's daughter)
Fawn Kemp (Larry Kemp's daughter)
Erika Kuenne (Carl & Rita Kuenne's daughter)

Friends

Erin Recktenwald (Osborne)
Kathy Olson (Olson)
Rochelle Gerali & family (Ensminger)
Emeli Bowers (Ermold)

Prayers for everyone affected by Covid; for those who lost loved ones, struggle with recovery, and live with the after effects.

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.



Calendar of Events

(November 10-21, 2021)

Wednesday, November 10 9:30a – Men’s Bible Study (YR) 9:30a – Women’s Bible Study (MC-1) 9:30a – Watercolor Group (MC-3) 6:00p – Confirmation (FH) 6:00p – Sr. Youth Group (YR)	Tuesday, November 16 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 10:00a – SPLC Staff Meeting (MC-3) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator (outside) 7:00p – Bell Rehearsal (Sanc.) 7:00p – Boy Scouts (FH)
Thursday, November 11 Veteran’s Day 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 7:30a – Men’s Breakfast (offsite) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator (outside) 6:30p – Choir Rehearsal (Sanc.)	Wednesday, November 17 9:30a – Watercolor Group (MC-3) 6:00p – Confirmation (FH) 6:00p – Sr. Youth Group (YR)
Friday, November 12 <i>Church office open 8am-noon</i> 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 9:00a – Rocky Mountain Flute Ensemble 5:00p – Wild Beaut. Orchestra Aud. (Sanc.) 6:00p – Youth Game Night (FH)	Thursday, November 18 Veteran’s Day 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 7:30a – Men’s Breakfast (offsite) 1:30p – Picture Party (FH-1a/b) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator (outside) 6:30p – Choir Rehearsal (Sanc.)
Saturday, November 13 8:30a – Second Wind (FH-1) 10:30a – Grateful Threads Presentation (Sanc.) 10:30a – Al-Anon (MC-4/5) 11:30a – Al-Anon Business Meeting (MC-4/5)	Friday, November 19 <i>Church office open 8am-noon</i> 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 9:00a – Rocky Mountain Flute Ensemble 6:00p – Scottish Fiddle Rehearsal (Sanc.) 7:00p – Littleton Gem and Mineral (FH)
Sunday, November 14 9:00a – Worship (in-person & online); Veteran’s Day Slide Show 10:15a – Adult Education (MC-4/5) 10:15a – Sunday School (FH) 1:00p – Wild Beautiful Orchestra Auditions	Saturday, November 20 10:00a – 50th Anniversary Committee (FS) 10:30a – Al-Anon (MC-4/5) 2:00p – Scottish Fiddle Club Concert (Sanc.)
Monday, November 15 10:00a – Women’s Bible Study (FS)	Sunday, November 21 9:00a – Worship (in-person & online); 10:00a – Congregational Meeting (Sanc.) 10:15a – Sunday School (FH)



***“At St. Philip Lutheran Church we
intentionally build relationships through Christ to
grow and serve.”***

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