

## St. Philip Benizi Catholic Church Daily Mass:

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## September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time

## **Mass Schedule**

**Sunday Mass:** 

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm 8:00am Sunday:

10:30am

Monday: 8:00am

Tuesday: 6:00pm

8:00am Wed-Fri:

First Saturday of the Month:

Anointing of the Sick Mass: 8:00am

**Holy Days:** 

Mass: 8:00am

Mass: 6:00pm

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

8:30am-7:00pm Thursdays:

### Reconciliation

4:30-5:20pm Saturday: or any day by appointment

### Anointing of the Sick and Communion to the Homebound

If you or someone you know is homebound and would like to receive Communion or the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call the parish office.

### **Baptisms, Funerals, and Weddings**

Call the parish office. (For weddings, please contact the parish office at least 6 months in advance of a potential date.)

### St. Philip Benizi Mission Statement

St. Philip Benizi Catholic Church, being part of the universal Church, shares in its mission: to proclaim Jesus Christ who came to the world to fulfill His father's will; by proclaiming the kingdom of God, building up the parish community as a witness to God's love and care for the world, helping one another to become what God has called us to be. We are therefore encouraged to work toward God's purpose of "wanting all men to be saved and come to the Imparel adds of the tweth " (1 Time O. 1)

NEXT WEEK'S ASSIGNMENTS						<u>Liturgical Events This Week</u>		
Date	Ushers	Lectors	ЕМН	Ce	Altar	Sunday	9/7/25 23 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time	
Date	Ushers	Lectors	EMII	.CS	Servers	8:00am	Mass: + Ray & Mary Lou Silvander	
9/13 5:30	Mike Henry	Heather	Ieanne F	Hubel	Ed Schneider		(Butch & Janice Searls)	
PM		Hannam	Jeanne Hubel		Jeff Mitchael	10:00am	Recitation of the Rosary	
9/14 8:00	Pat	John	Kristi	ne	Clay Dryden Grace & Claire	10:30am	Mass: All Parishioners	
AM	Keavney	Buxman	Bible		Pattyn		Monday 9/8/25	
9/14	Larry	Nancy	Jane	et	Ed Schneider	7:40am	Morning Prayer / Church	
10:30 AM	Carnahan	Carnahan	Tankersley		Achilles Daly	8:00am	Mass: + Lyndsay Shepherd	
_	tember				offee Hour	0.20	(Becky Wooten)	
Church	Cleaners	Altar Linens		Se	ervers 9/14	8:30am	Rosary	
Paul	l Lowry	Alice Bechtold		9:00	am: Butch and		Tuesday 9/9/25	
					Janice 	6:00pm	Mass: + Lyndsay Shepherd (Becky Wooten)	
OREGON						6:45pm	OCIA (Hall)	
							Wednesday 9/10/25	
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EDUCATION FOUNDATION						6:00aiii	(Becky Wooten)	
Since Roe v. Wade in 1973, abortion has claimed the						8:30am	Rosary	
lives of over 66 million unborn babies – that's 66 million							Thursday 9/11/25	
unique, unrepeatable, precious human lives lost. As pro- life advocates, we mourn the destruction of innocent						7:40am	Morning Prayer / Church	
human life, and we grieve with the women and families						8:00am	Mass: + Bill Klaus	
impacted by abortion.							(Becky Wooten)	
On Saturday, September 13th, the National Day of						8:30am	Rosary	
Remembrance for Aborted Children, we'll honor and						8:30am- 7:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration	
remember the unborn lost to the violence of legal						3:00pm	Chaplet of Divine Mercy	
abortion in the U.S.						э.оори	Friday 9/12/25	
A memorial for abortion victims will be held at Our Lady						7:40am	Morning Prayer / Church	
	of the Lake Catholic Church Parish Center in Lake						Mass: + Louis & Katy Balk	
	Oswego on September 13th at 9:15 a.m. following a						(Jan Alderman)	
Mass at 8:30 a.m. You're invited to attend! What: National Day of Remembrance Service						8:30am	Rosary	
Where: Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church Parish							Saturday 9/13/25	
Center (Due to construction happening at the church,						4:30pm-	December of the Property of th	
Mass will be inside the Parish Center, located at 650 A						5:20pm	Reconciliation/Church	
Avenue. The Remembrance service will take						5:30pm	Sun. Vigil Mass: Mass: + Timothy Lisac	
place outside the Parish Center.)						C 1 0	(Richard & Shannon Kelly)	
When: Saturday, September 13. Mass will be at 8:30						-	0/14/25 24 <sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time	
a.m. The Remembrance service will follow at 9:15 a.m.						8:00am	Mass: + Teresa Schmidt	
Additional Information: Light refreshments will follow the					will follow the	10:00am	Recitation of the Rosary	
service						10:30am	Mass: For all our Parishioners	

## It's time to register your children for Religious Education!

We are going to try something new this year. We want the parents to educate their children. We will supply the material (books and online access) and organize a meeting once a month for parents and children (between the 8-10:30 Masses on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month). We will use the same series as last year; Word of Life by the Augustine Institute. Registration forms can be found in the Narthex on the side tables, or fill out the form on the website. We need this information ASAP so we can order the books. An informational meeting will be next Sunday, September 14th after the 8:00am Mass. Please sign up today!!



## St. Philip Benizi is in need of a Secretary!

Aishad has decided to stay in CA for this next year due to their family situation. So we need a part-time (up to 16hrs/week) secretary.

Interested?? Call the office for more information.

<u>Finance Corner</u>								
8/31/25	Actual	Budget						
This Week, General Fund	\$4,055 (includes \$897 Online)	\$3,600						
Fiscal Year (YTD)	\$21,826	\$18.000						

Thank you for your generosity in supporting the parish! May God's continued blessings be upon you and your loved ones.



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#### **Prayers for a Safe and Blessed School Year**

As we begin a new school year, we lift our students, families, teachers, and school staff in prayer, asking for God's guidance, protection, and peace. In light of the recent tragic shooting at Annunciation Catholic School in Minneapolis, Archbishop Alexander Sample invites us to pray especially for those affected and to keep all our Catholic school communities close to heart during this time. May this year be filled with God's grace and a renewed commitment to creating safe, faith-filled learning environments.

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SATURDAY AUGUST 30TH, 2025 1-5PM SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 14TH, 2025 1-5PM



Donations appreciated moneys will fund our St. Phillip Benizi Education department!

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### Saint of the Week St. Peter Claver

St. Peter Claver was born at Verdu, Catalonia, Spain, in 1580, of impoverished parents descended from ancient and distinguished families. He studied at the Jesuit college of Barcelona, entered the Jesuit novitiate at Tarragona in 1602 and took his final <u>vows</u> on August 8th, 1604. While studying philosophy at Majorca, the young religious was influenced by St. Alphonsus Rodriguez to go to the Indies and save "millions of perishing souls."

In 1610, he landed at <u>Cartagena</u> (modern Colombia), the principle slave market of the New World, where a thousand slaves were landed every month. After his ordination in 1616, he dedicated himself by special vow to the service of the Negro slaves-a work that was to last for thirty-three years. He labored unceasingly for the salvation of the African <u>slaves</u> and the abolition of the Negro slave trade, and the love he lavished on them was something that transcended the natural order.

Boarding the slave ships as they entered the harbor, he would hurry to the revolting inferno of the hold, and offer whatever poor refreshments he could afford; he would care for the sick and dying, and instruct the slaves through Negro catechists before administering the Sacraments. Through his efforts three hundred thousand souls entered the Church. Furthermore, he did not lose sight of his converts when they left the ships, but followed them to the plantations to which they were sent, encouraged them to live as Christians, and prevailed on their masters to treat them humanely. He died in 1654.



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