

# ST. PHILIP BENIZI CATHOLIC CHURCH

August 27, 2023

21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



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He said to them, “But who do you say that I am?”  
Matthew 16:15

## **MASS SCHEDULE:**

Saturday Vigil - 5:30pm Mass  
Sunday - 8:00am & 10:30am Mass  
Mon/Wed/Thurs/Fri - 8am Mass  
Tuesday - 6:30pm Mass  
First Saturday of each Month – 8am Mass  
Anointing of the Sick

## **RECONCILIATION:**

Saturdays – 4:00-5:00pm or by Appointment

## **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:**

Thursdays – 8:30am-10pm  
(ends with Benediction)

## **ANOINTING OF THE SICK:**

If you or someone you know is homebound, wants to receive Communion or the Sacrament of Anointing, please call the parish office, 503-631-2882.

**Baptisms:** Call the Parish Office.

**Funerals:** Call the Parish Office.

**Weddings:** Call Fr. Joseph Hùng Nguyễn  
at least 6 months in advance of the potential date.

**St. Philip Benizi Website:** [www.philipbenizi.com](http://www.philipbenizi.com)

## **“HE DESCENDED INTO HELL ON THE THIRD DAY HE ROSE AGAIN”**

Jesus “descended into the lower parts of the earth. He who descended is he who also ascended far above all the heavens.” The Apostles’ Creed confesses in the same article Christ’s descent into hell and his Resurrection from the dead on the third day, because in his Passover it was precisely out of the depths of death that he made life spring forth:

Christ, that Morning Star, who came back from the dead, and shed his peaceful light on all mankind, your Son who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen. CCC 631

### **Paragraph 1. Christ Descended into Hell**

The frequent New Testament affirmations that Jesus was “raised from the dead” presuppose that the crucified one sojourned in the realm of the dead prior to his resurrection. This was the first meaning given in the apostolic preaching to Christ’s descent into hell: that Jesus, like all men, experienced death and in his soul joined the others in the realm of the dead. But he descended there as Savior, proclaiming the Good News to the spirits imprisoned there. CCC 632

Scripture calls the abode of the dead, to which the dead Christ went down, “hell” - Sheol in Hebrew or Hades in Greek - because those who are there are deprived of the vision of God. Such is the case for all the dead, whether evil or righteous, while they await the redeemer: which does not mean that their lot is identical, as Jesus shows through the parable of the poor man Lazarus who was received into “Abraham’s bosom”: “it is precisely these holy souls, who awaited their Savior in Abraham’s bosom, whom Christ the Lord delivered when he descended into hell.” Jesus did not descend into hell to deliver the damned, nor to destroy the hell of damnation, but to free the just who had gone before him. CCC 633

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### **Reflection of the week**

I would like to thank you all. Working as the Secretary here at SPB for 5 years has been a wonderful experience. I am so happy to have gotten to know you better than I would have otherwise. I will miss the personal contact with you through the bulletin. Please know that I will see you at Mass and parish events. It was a pleasure to be the secretary and now it is time for me to spend more time with family and friends. God’s blessings to you all, Sherrie Havens

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### **Archbishop’s Catholic Appeal update.**

Donors: 46, Total given: \$13,972.70 which is 63.68% of our parish goal, \$\$ needed to meet our goal: \$7,946.30. If you have not sent in your donation, there are envelopes available in the pews and at the side doors.

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### **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 knowledge of the truth.” (1 Tim 2:4).

# This week at SPB and Upcoming Parish/Archdiocesan Events

## Sunday, 8/27/2023

8:00am Mass: **NO Mass today**  
 10:30am Mass: +Nicole Payne (Don & Loretta Payne)

## Monday, 8/28/2023 Memorial of St. Augustine

7:40am: Morning Prayer/Church  
 8:00am Mass: +Sr. Donna Van Laeken  
 (Elaine & John Buxman)

## Tuesday, 8/29/2023 Memorial of the Passion of St. John the Baptist

6:30pm Mass: +Claire Glenn (Grace & Claire Pattyn)

## Wednesday, 8/30/2023

7:40am: Morning Prayer/Church  
 8:00am Mass: +Martha Curalli (Erin McCullan)

## Thursday, 8/31/2023

7:40am: Morning Prayer/Church  
 8:00am Mass: +Heidi Martin

7:00pm: Faith Sharing via Zoom

8:30am-10:00pm:  
 Eucharistic Adoration



## Friday, 9/01/2023

7:40am Morning Prayer/Church  
 8:00am Mass: +Tom Bible (Judy Bible)

## Saturday, 9/02/2023

4:00-5:00pm: Reconciliation/Church  
 5:30pm Mass: All Parishioners

## Sunday, 9/03/2023

8:00am Mass: +Ray & Mary Lou Silvander  
 (Butch & Janice Searls)  
 10:30am Mass: +Joseph Gach  
 (Mike & Karen Henry)

**September 3rd:** Blood pressure readings  
 In the Hall after 8am Mass.



Thank You!!

A big thank you to Mary Pattyn and Sherrie Havens for all they have done for the parish as the Business Manager and Secretary. We will miss both of you in the office.

### Now hiring at SPB

Business Manager and Parish Secretary  
 Please contact Fr. Joseph if interested in either position.

Join us for RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Meetings will be held in the Hall on Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm beginning on September 5, 2023. Do you have a friend, family member, or co-worker curious about the Catholic Faith? Are you a Catholic who's ready to explore your faith anew? Come join us. For questions call Ed Schneider 971-563-3893.

### Religious Education Registration

Registration forms are at the doors of the Church. RE will begin September 10<sup>th</sup>. Please meet in the Church after the 8:00am Mass on Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>.

Save the date. The next JPIL Young Adult event will be after the 5:30pm Mass on September 9<sup>th</sup>.

### 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Rosary Bowl NW

Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary  
 From 9am-3pm at the East Salem Community Center.

### Finance Corner

| Registered Household<br>222 | WEEK OF 8/20/2023<br>Actual | Budget   |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------|
| Donors<br>64                | \$3,828<br>(online: \$945)  | \$5,993  |
| Fiscal Year                 | \$38,018                    | \$38,615 |

Thank you for your generous contribution. May God continue to bless you and your loved ones.

### Next Weeks Assignments. Thank you for serving in this ministry

#### Ushers

9/2~5:30pm: Clayton & Brenda  
 9/3~8:00am: Paul Lowry  
 9/3~10:30am: Kevin Horace

#### Lector/Commentator

Tom Muldoon  
 Kristine Bible  
 Dan Sweeney

#### Extraordinary

Becky Wooten  
 Claudia Evers  
 Janet Tankersley

September Church Cleaners: Erin Person (503-826-4288) & Karen Bauer (503-632-2940)  
 September Altar Linens: Pat Baldock (503-632-3834)



9/03 9:00am:  
 11:30am:



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