

Saint Philip's in the Hills Calendar and Announcements: *The Week of Proper XXVII*



WORSHIP AND ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

We welcome children in our worship, and we recognize and value the fact that children are wonderfully spontaneous. If you wish, you may make use of the soft space in the West Transept, with an open carpeted area and baskets of soft toys and books (the West Transept is near the front, to the left if you are facing the altar). There is also a more private room, known as the Bride's Room, off of the East Transept, where you may go if you need that type of facility. There is also nursery care available at no charge from 8:30AM until 12:30PM in the Children's Center.

On second Sundays at 9:15AM, we have a special "Comfy Space" service for those who tend to wiggle during worship and those who worship with them, held in the Children's Chapel. During the school year, the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atriums are open for Children's Formation (Rooms 6,7 and 8 in the Children's Center) and Youth Groups meet in La Parroquia at 10:15AM.

COMMUNION

All are welcome to come forward at the time of Communion. The standard practice in the Episcopal Church is that those who are Baptized are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you are visiting today and are not Baptized but are feeling drawn to receive Communion, we hope that you will come forward and receive, and that afterwards you will talk to one of the clergy about Baptism and what it means both to take Bread and to become part of the Body.

If you don't want to receive communion or are unsure, you are more than welcome to come forward for a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

If you have a food sensitivity that requires a **gluten-free Communion Wafer**, simply mention that to the clergy person administering Communion. The receptacle containing the gluten-free Hosts will be brought to you, and you may help yourself to a Host (to avoid cross-contamination). To receive the Wine, you may either drink from the common Chalice or hold it for the Chalice Minister to intinct for you and place on your tongue. For those who have difficulty approaching the Communion rail, you have the option of **receiving Communion in your seat**. Simply notify an usher, or ask a parishioner seated near you to notify an usher for you.

RESTROOMS

Restrooms are located in the hallway north of the Murphey Gallery, across the Fishpond Garden and up the walkway from the Church. There is a diaper changing table in the gender-neutral ADA-compliant restroom there. Changing tables are also found in both the men's and women's restrooms in the Music Center.

ACCESSIBILITY

This facility is **fully accessible**. Please speak to an usher if you need assistance. The main area of the Church, forward of the choir stalls, is **looped** to assist those who have difficulty hearing. If you have a T-coil in your hearing aid, you may sit anywhere in this section and hear via the amplification system. **Hearing assist devices** are also available from the ushers. These are operational anywhere in the Church. The ushers will ask for your car keys as a reminder to return the device. **Large print copies** of the Book of Common Prayer are available from the ushers for your use during the service.

DAILY OFFICE READINGS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>Martin of Tours</i>	<i>Feria</i>	<i>Feria</i>	<i>Consecration of Samuel Seabury</i>	<i>Herman of Alaska</i>	<i>Margaret of Scotland</i>
Psalm 80; AM Psalm 77, 79; PM Nehemiah 9:1-25; Revelation 18:1-8; Matthew 15:1-20	Psalm 78:1-39; AM Psalm 78:40-72; PM Nehemiah 9:26-38; Revelation 18:9-20; Matthew 15:21-28	Psalm 119:97-120; AM Psalm 81, 82; AM Neh. 7:73b-8:3,5-18; Revelation 18:21-24; Matthew 15:29-39	Psalm 83; AM Psalm 85, 86; PM 1 Macc. 1:1-28; Revelation 19:1-10; Matthew 16:1-12	Psalm 88; AM Psalm 91, 92; PM 1 Macc. 1:41-63; Revelation 19:11-16; Matthew 16:13-20	Psalm 87, 90; AM Psalm 136; PM 1 Macc. 2:1-28; Revelation 20:1-6; Matthew 16:21-28

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Events

Welcome Café Continues Today

Saint Philip's "Welcome Café" will meet this Sunday! Welcome Café is for you if you are new to Saint Philip's, or looking to get more involved. This week we will conduct a tour of our beautiful church and campus. We'll gather in front of the church at the conclusion of the 9:00AM service. All are welcome. Please join us!

Ministry Forum This Morning

Join us in the East Gallery this morning at 10:15AM for a Ministry Forum on our In-School Mentoring program! Saint Philip's members volunteer to mentor and support students at our closest Elementary School. Learn how it works, what we're learning with the students, and how to get involved!

Wreath Sales

Christmas Wreath sales to support the 2021 J2A Pilgrimage began in October with an online sales rollout (<https://sffsalestrack.com/saintphilipsj2apilgrimage>) and will continue this Sunday with a sales table in the Fish Pond Garden! While it may seem a little early to wrap your mind around decking the halls, the Christmas season will be here before you know it! And besides, the time is always evergreen to think on the Mystery of the Incarnation and prepare for the coming of Our Lord.

Upcoming Events

Mosaic Community Nights Every Wednesday

Each Wednesday our Mosaic Community Nights will offer a range of formation opportunities for you and yours, beginning with Evening Prayer at 5:30PM, followed by free Dinner at 6:00PM and formation from 6:30 to 7:30PM. This month we will continue our study of the book "Walk in Love." Our men's and women's Bible Studies will also continue to meet from 6:30 to 7:30PM.

Labyrinth Full Moon Walk

Now that the cool weather is here it is time to re-start our monthly Full Moon Labyrinth Walks, which are always followed by hot chocolate, cookies and conviviality. Please join us at when the "moon is well over the horizon," on Tuesday, November 12th at 7:00PM.

If you would like to have a brick for the Labyrinth or Pet Memorial, labyrinth committee members will be in the Perry Garden on Sunday, November 3rd, from 8:30AM to 11:15AM, to help you with engraving details for icons and your personal messages. Order forms are also available in the Church office or at www.stphilipstucson.org/labyrinth.

Friends of Music Concert: Flowers of the Forest

Join us next Sunday, November 17th, at 2:00PM in the Music Center as Soprano Cait Frizzell and Dr. Justin Appel present a program of pieces from the battlefields of Scotland and America. From traditional favorites to settings by contemporary composers, this afternoon of song will leave you longing for the bonnie braes of the Appalachian range. Suggested admission is \$20 and students with ID are always free.

Border Ministries Summit at Saint Philip's

The 2000 miles of border between the United States and Mexico is an area of heightened social, political, and spiritual importance. Along that border, cultures, economies, and families are divided. The border offers the church a unique opportunity for ministry. Faith groups along the border have each responded to this situation in different ways.

The 2nd Annual Border Ministries Summit, which will be held at Saint Philip's November 21st-23rd, provides an opportunity to share information, build partnerships and increase awareness of the important ministries taking place on both sides of the border. The Keynote Speaker will be Dr. Miguel A. De La Torre, Professor of Social Ethics and Latinx Studies from Iliff School of Theology, Colorado. You can register for the summit here.

Look out for further information in our announcements, and be in touch with taylor.devine@stphilipstucson.org if you are interested in offering hospitality to the guests who join us on Saint Philip's campus.

Thanksgiving at Saint Philip's

Saint Philip's annual parish Thanksgiving celebration is one of the highlights of parish life each year. Join us as we give thanks to God for "the fruits of the earth in their season and for the labors of those who harvest them," in the words of the collect for the day. A service of Holy Communion with choir will begin at 11:00AM in the church, and will be followed by a festive meal in the Murphey Gallery.

The parish will be responsible for the cooking of turkeys, mashed potatoes, gravy, and cranberry sauce, and non-alcoholic drinks (but please feel free to bring your own beverage of choice). We are asking those planning to attend to sign up to bring a side dish (either at <https://stphilipstucson.breezechms.com/form/Thanksgiving> or at the sign up table during coffee hour), and are soliciting optional cash donations for the purchase of turkeys as well as cash tips at the dinner for the generous labor of the chef and our parish sextons. All are welcome - please invite anyone who might be interested!

Advent Wreath Making December 1st

Come and learn about Advent Wreaths and make your own on December 1st, 2019 in the Galleries, from 10:15-11:00AM. There will be a short presentation about practices with Advent Wreaths and other ways to deepen your prayer life in this holy season, followed by time to make your own Advent Wreath. Please register before by November 21st so we can make sure we have enough supplies. The fee associated (twenty dollars per wreath) will offset the cost of materials. All ages are welcome, and our regular Children and Youth's formation will be combined with this activity. Join in practices that remind us to adore Christ in this season in our prayer, reflection and action. Register here: <http://bit.ly/AdventWreath2019>

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Advent Retreat December 14th

Delve deeper into the season of Advent by taking a fresh look at the birth of Jesus through the eyes of the shepherds and wise men. Using guided storytelling, reflection questions, art and music, we will seek to gain new perspectives on the familiar events which surrounded Jesus's arrival into the world. A simple lunch will be provided.

Retreat Leader: Shirin McArthur is a lay minister who holds a Master of Divinity Degree from Boston University School of Theology and a Certificate in Spiritual Direction from the Shalem Institute in Washington, DC. Shirin has been leading retreats for over 25 years and also works as a spiritual director, editor, and writer. Learn more about her at www.shirinmcarthur.com.

Speaking of Shirin's Advent Silent Retreat last year, one of Saint Philip's parishioners wrote, "Your retreat at Saint Philip's was the most meaningful of my life. Your 'fleshing out' of the birth story made me hear it in a different way and I have been thinking of it ever since—as a new story, not the one I have heard over and over and is now background noise. Thank you so much."

Retreatants are asked to contribute \$25, if possible, to help offset the cost of this retreat. Payment may be made on the day of the retreat.

For more information and to register, please contact Fr. Peter Helman (520-299-6421 ext. 33; peter.helman@stphilipstucson.org).

Items of Note

Offering Envelopes Now Available

If you requested a box of offering envelopes on your 2020 pledge form, they're available for pick up in the office now. If you would like to have a set of envelopes assigned to you, please contact Lois Britton at 520-299-6421, ext. 39 or lois.britton@stphilipstucson.org.

Christmas Pageant Sign-Ups

Christmas is just around the corner! If you and/or a young person you know is interested in participating in the Christmas Pageant that happens at the 3:00PM service on Christmas Eve, you can learn more and sign up online at <https://forms.gle/mqLZNj8K2guWvocy5>. Paper signups will be available at the Comfy Space Eucharist this morning, and in the office!

Casa Maria Sandwich Making

There was a mistake in the calendaring of Casa Maria Sandwich Making. It said in the Fall Ministry Guide that we will have sandwich making twice in November but there will actually only be one date in November, November 16, and one date in December, December 14th, and we would love for you to join in the fun on those Saturdays, 7:30AM-9am, making hundreds of sandwiches and meeting fellow community members at Saint Philip's here in the East Gallery, on November 16 and next month on December 14. My apologies!

-Mtr Taylor

Vestry Nomination Process Underway

If you would like to suggest a parishioner for a three-year-term on the governing body of Saint Philip's, please contact one of the nominating committee members no later than Monday, November 11th. In order to serve on the Vestry, a person must be an adult communicant member and a contributor of record as shown by the Church register. Other important qualities in a Vestry member include a history of active participation in parish life and ministry and a pattern of personal prayer. Familiarity with business and/or financial processes is often helpful as well.

Suggestions are not nominations, so it is not necessary to get the person's permission or verify their qualifications. The Nominating Committee, in consultation with the Rector, will reach out to qualified individuals and finalize a slate of candidates to be presented to the parish at the Annual Meeting. Nominating Committee: Bob Couch, rlctucson@comcast.net, Dale LaFleur, lafleurdale@yahoo.com, and Mary Herring, mhh2003@gmail.com, (520) 299-0390.

The Inn Project

A few times per month a team of Saint Philipians go to the Inn Project, an overnight shelter for families seeking asylum. There they help to prepare meals, run laundry, welcome families, and generally care for our newest neighbors. If you would like an orientation to this project with Mtr. Taylor and other experienced volunteers this fall, please register here: <http://bit.ly/InnProject2019> or be in touch with Mtr. Taylor: taylor.devine@stphilipstucson.org.

Interfaith Community Services Senior Support

Saint Philip's is one of the faith communities that supports Interfaith Community Services (ICS). ICS is a local social service non-profit working with seniors, disabled individuals and people in financial need. Volunteers do things like:

- Provide rides to medical appointments and errands, using an ICS van or their own vehicle.
 - Grocery shop for a home bound senior.
 - Take a senior to the grocery store and help them shop.
 - Deliver prepared meals in the NW area.
- (Mileage reimbursement is available.)

ICS volunteers can also combat social isolation for seniors living alone, through

- Friendly visiting or phoning
- Companion sitting
- Business help (mail or other light paperwork)
- Minor home repair
- Morning security call

Volunteers are also needed for office and food bank support at the ICS office located on the Christ the King Episcopal Church campus.

Interested? Upcoming volunteer orientations are October 7th and November 11th, 9:30-12:00PM (Main NW office); October 10th and November 14th, 10:00-12:00PM (Eastside office); and October 8th and November 12th, in English 10AM-11:30 and in Spanish 11:30-1pm (Southside at El Pueblo Recreation Center). Sign up online at www.icstucson.org/volunteer-training. If you would like to know more or to connect with this non-profit which is also a Beloved in the Desert partner site, please contact taylor.devine@stphilipstucson.org.

NOVEMBER 10 - 17

Sunday, November 10

7:45AM Holy Eucharist Rite I
8:00AM Parish Breakfast
9:00AM Adult Formation: How Do We Live a Christian Life?
9:00AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
9:15AM Comfy Space
10:15AM Children's Formation
10:15AM Coffee Hour
10:15AM Parents' Formation and Support
10:15AM Ministry Spotlight: In-School Mentoring
10:15AM The Haven
10:15AM Welcome Cafe
10:15AM Youth Formation
11:15AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
12:30PM Schola Rehearsal
12:45PM The Way of Love—Small Groups
4:00PM Come and See
5:30PM Holy Eucharist Rite II
7:00PM SLAA

Monday, November 11

8:30AM Morning Prayer
8:30AM Phixers
9:00AM Tai Chi
9:15AM Staff Bible Study
9:45AM Staff Meeting
10:15AM Daughters of the King
10:15AM Daughters of the King: Bottle Filling
12:00PM Men's Al-Anon
12:15PM Holy Eucharist Rite I
3:00PM Food Addicts
5:00PM The Polish Housewife Cookbook Launch Party
5:30PM Chalice Players Rehearsal
6:00PM ACA—Adult Children of Alcoholics
7:00PM Centering Prayer
7:00PM Debtors Anonymous
7:30PM ACA Business Meeting
7:30PM Literati: English Creek by Ivan Doig

Tuesday, November 12

8:30AM Morning Prayer
9:00AM Meet with the Rector
9:00AM Parish Nurse in Office
9:30AM Foothills Forum
10:00AM Holy Eucharist Rite II with Healing
10:45AM Tuesday with Richard/Bible Study
11:00AM Library Committee Meeting
11:45AM College of Clergy
1:00PM Health Cabinet Meeting
3:00PM Buildings and Grounds Committee
5:00PM Children of Divorce & Changing Families
5:00PM OA Relapse Prevention/Recovery
6:30PM AA—Come to Believe
6:30PM EfM Seminar Group
7:00PM Full Moon Labyrinth Walk
7:15PM Pathway Program Parent Group—Tucson

Wednesday, November 13

8:30AM Morning Prayer
12:15PM Holy Eucharist Rite I
2:00PM NAMI Family & Friends Mental Health Support Group
4:30PM Youth Choir Rehearsals

5:30PM Mosaic—Evening Prayer
6:00PM Mosaic Dinner & Forum
6:00PM SLAA Tucson
6:25PM Nursery Care, Bible Study
6:30PM Men's Bible Study
6:30PM Women's Bible Study
6:45PM Evensong Rehearsal
7:00PM Alanon
7:00PM Divorce Recovery I Support Group
7:00PM Tucson Flute Club Rehearsal

Thursday, November 14

8:30AM Morning Prayer
8:30AM Music Librarians Library
9:00AM PaperWorks Swap & Sell
9:00AM Tai Chi
10:00AM PaperWorks
11:00AM Holy Eucharist Rite I
11:45AM Pastoral Care Luncheon
5:30PM AA 11th Step Meeting
6:00PM Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance
7:00PM Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 15

Church Campus and Office Closed

8:00AM Altar Guild Work Day
7:00PM Women's 164
7:15PM Steps R Us

Saturday, November 16

7:30AM Casa Maria Sandwich Making
8:30AM Tacheria Alumni
10:00AM Holy Cross Companions
10:30AM DA Solvency & Sanity Meeting
10:30AM Prayer Shawl Ministry
11:00AM Tello Renewal of Vows
1:00PM Funeral: Michael John Fraser
3:00PM Acolyte Rehearsal

Sunday, November 17

7:45AM Holy Eucharist Rite I
8:00AM Parish Breakfast
9:00AM Adult Formation: How Do We Live a Christian Life?
9:00AM Children's Worship
9:00AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
10:15AM Border Summit Hospitality Volunteer Orientation
10:15AM Children's Formation
10:15AM Coffee Hour
10:15AM Parents' Formation and Support
10:15AM Ministry Forum: Beloved in the Desert
10:15AM The Haven
10:15AM Welcome Cafe
10:15AM Youth Formation
11:15AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
12:45PM Benedictine Oblates
12:45PM The Way of Love—Small Groups
2:00PM FOM Concert: Soprano Cait Frizzell w/ Justin Appel
3:00PM Rehearsal, Evensong
4:00PM Come and See
4:00PM Organ Recital
4:00PM Organ Recital & Choral Evensong
5:30PM Holy Eucharist Rite II
7:00PM SLAA