

2023-2024 School Year

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September 15, 2023

INFORMATIONAL FLYERS INCLUDED IN THIS NEWSLETTER:

SCHOOL EVENTS – High School Fair at Slade (9/25), Purse Bingo (9/29), Linthicum Community Fair (9/30), SPN Spirit Wear, WEIS Supermarket Flyer, Suicide Prevention Month, Texas Roadhouse Flyer (9/20) and HSA Tuition Raffle PARISH EVENTS – AOB BLUE MASS (9/17), Middle School Family Bonfire (9/17), Yard Sale and Car Wash (10/14) and Eucharistic Prayer Retreat (11/11)

Looking Ahead

September 17, 2023 Youth Mass at 5 PM

• September 17, 2023 Middle School Youth Group Campfire from 6-7:30 PM

• September 18, 2023 Fall MAP Testing Week

• September 20, 2023 Spirit Day at Texas Roadhouse – any time

• September 21, 2023 School Mass for Grades 4 and 5 at 9 AM

• September 25, 2023 High School Fair – Monsignor Slade from 6-8 PM

September 25, 2023 Spirit Night at Chick-fil-A from 4-8 PM

• September 25, 2023 HSA's Joe Corbi Pizza Fundraiser Kick-off day

September 26, 2023 HSA's Charleston Wrap order due

September 28, 2023 School Mass for Grades 6 through 8 at 9 AM

September 28, 2023 SPN Parish Children's Choir – First practice at 6:15 PM

September 29, 2023 Annual Fund Purse Bingo – Doors open at 5:30 PM with Bingo at 7 PM

• September 30, 2023 Linthicum Community Fair (Parade at 9, Fair 10-3)

October 2, 2023 Used Uniform Exchange from 3-5 PM

October 2, 2023 Drama Jr. Starts at 3:00-4:30 PM

October 2, 2023 Spirit Day at Glory Days Grill – any time

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Mission Statement

St. Philip Neri School is dedicated to fostering Catholic faith and academic excellence. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, students are provided the opportunity to develop their gifts and talents while striving to become active members of their church. A foundation for future success and life-long learning is provided in partnership with the family, parish and school community.

*** Correction to the last Parent Newsletter ***

The new HOUSE system rosters have been set and we will let the students know of their HOUSE soon! Students are randomly placed in their house, they may or may not be with a family member.



September 17

Youth Mass at 5 PM ←

Middle School Youth Group Family Bonfire 6-7:30 PM →



September 18-22 MAP Testing Week

MAP stands for Measures of Academic Progress. MAP is a three-part test that measures student knowledge in reading, language in reading, language usage, and mathematics.

Students in Grades 2 through 8 should be well rested for taking these tests.



September 20

Spirit Night at Texas Roadhouse
ALL DAY LONG
4465 Mountain Road

Pasadena, MD 21122

Why not treat your family to dinner and earn rewards for our school at the same time?

St. Philip Neri Spirit Days 9/20, 11/15, 2/21 and 5/15 ALL DAY LONG



Please show the fundraiser flyer (paper or electronic copy) to your server. SPN will earn 10% back on the food sales.

SEPTEMBER 21

Grades 4 and 5 Mass

Please join us in the church! All are welcome!

Mass starts at 9 AM



School Mass at 9 AM in the church.

All are

Congratulations to one of our staff members on winning the SPN Jester Spirit Award. Each week we honor a different faculty or staff member for being awesome!

Congratulations to Mrs. Katie Spielman

WAY TO BE AWESOME, MS. KATIE!

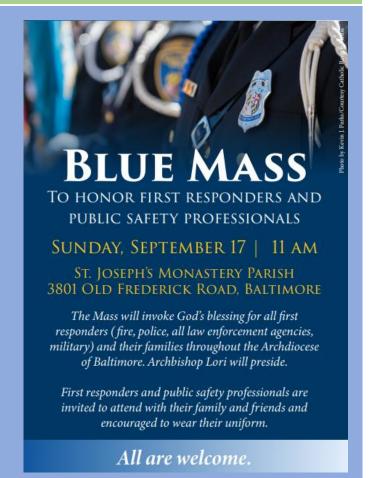


BLUE MASS

All are welcome to attend the Archdiocese of Baltimore's BLUE MASS scheduled this Sunday, September 17, at St. Joseph's Monastery Parish in Baltimore.

This Mass will honor first responders and public safety professionals.

Mass starts at 11 AM.



extendedcare

Extended Care assistant needed at St. Philip Neri School. This is a paid position!

Monday through Friday from 2:45 - 6:00 PM.

Must be 18 years of age or order, responsible, energetic, patient, and love kids!

Contact Ms. Carla at 667-289-7112.

Meet three of our new faculty members at St. Philip Neri School!



Ms. Megan Moxley

Ms. Megan Moxley is teaching Middle School ELA and 6th grade Ancient History at SPN. She grew up in Anne Arundel County and earned her Bachelors Degree in Education at Coastal Carolina University.

She is the oldest of 5 children! She loves to read, watch TV, spend time with family, and cook in her free time. She is pictured with her boyfriend, Ryan, to the left!

What she loves most about teaching is watching the students grow both academically and as individuals.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Gambogi

Mrs. Mary Ellen Gambogi is originally from New Jersey. She earned her BSE in Elementary/Special Education from Seton Hall University. This is her seventeenth year of teaching. She has taught both middle school and high school in 6 states. She is one of our resource teachers at SPN.

The Gambogi family is an Air Force family; her husband retired at 30 years in 2021. They have 3 sons. Her hobbies include reading, cooking, sports, and spending time with her family.



Mrs. Marie Jordan

Mrs. Marie Jordan, known as "Ms. Marie," is very happy to assist Ms. Sheri in Kindergarten A. This is her first year as an aide. Their military, now Army-retired, family has been part of the school community since 2010. She currently has a 2nd and an 8th grader enrolled. The 4 older siblings graduated from SPN in 2013, 2016, 2019, and 2021.

Ms. Marie graduated from Hampton University with a Bachelor of Science in Architecture in 1994 and UMCU

(now UMGC) where she obtained a Master of Education in 1996. After teaching 3 years, their first child was born and she was fortunate to stay at home full time. She also enjoyed her part-time position at a gym, as a childcare provider during church services, and most recently at the Linthicum Chick-fil-A.

Marie enjoys nurturing her spiritual and physical needs with the sacraments, prayer, listening to audiobooks, and exercise. She loves taking care of her family, meeting people, and she looks forward to working with the children and everyone at St. Philip Neri.





Find out how this could help save a life at www.BeThe1To.com

If you're struggling, call the Lifeline at 988



AWARENESS MONTH



Suicide Prevention Month

Out of the Darkness Walk

with AFSP SAT 9/16, 9:00-11:00am Naval Stadium, Annapolis

Recovery Anne Arundel Walk

with Recovery Anne Arundel SUN 9/17, 11:00am-1:30pm People's Park, Annapolis

Music & Laughter

with Severna Park EP Church SAT 9/23, 4:00-6:30pm

Linthicum Fair

with GFWC Woman's Club SAT 9/30, 10:00am-3:00pm St John's Lutheran, Linthicum

Teen Support Group

4th Mondays, 7:00-8:00pm Sept 25, Oct 23 Stage & Screen Studios, Millersville

Fundraisers

Bohemian Black Festival

with House of Design & Co SAT 9/16, 2:00-8:00pm Earleigh Heights Fire Station, SP

Eushi Making Class

with The Bonk Team & Yuko's Cooking SUN 9/17, 5:00-7:30pm Annapolis



Learn more at LifeofJoyFoundation.org/events Questions? Email infoelifeofjoyfoundation.org





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Educational technology and funding changes daily. To keep up with these changes and expenses, our school is partnering with Weis Markets in their annual Weis 4 School program. Register your Weis Rewards card online at weis4school.com. By participating in this program, we can earn money for our school by simply shopping. Once you register, you're in the program and you do not need to register again this school year. Please share this information with your friends and family. The more interest and enthusiasm we generate, the greater the benefits to our school.

Thank you for your support.







Pictured here is 4th grader, Ariella, with her new baby brother. Another precious child of God!

PARISH EVENTS AND INFORMATION



OUTREACH MONTHLY OUTINGS

First Saturday – Patapsco Ave., Brooklyn – Serve a hot lunch, a bagged lunch, personal care items, clothing, blankets, and towels, along with prayers and fellowship to those struggling with homelessness.

Second Wednesday – Salvation Army, Glen Burnie – Serve a hot and bagged lunch

Third Friday – Pumphrey House, Ferndale – Bingo with the local senior residents.

Third Saturday – The Well, Curtis Bay – Serve a hot lunch, snacks, and personal care items along with prayers and fellowship to our neighbors in Curtis Bay.

Fourth Wednesday – Arundel House of Hope, Glen Burnie – Serve a hot lunch, snacks, and personal care items along with prayer sand fellowship to our neighbors struggling with homelessness.

Fourth Saturday – Glen Square & Pumphrey House, Glen Burnie – Serve a hot lunch, snacks, and personal care items along with prayers and fellowship to the elderly and disabled residents.

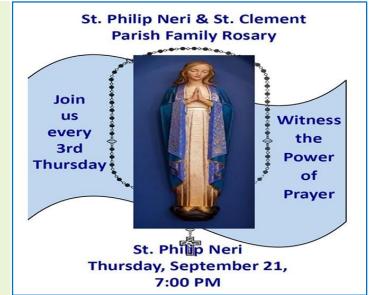
For more information about the outreach ministry, please contact Donna Scott at <u>dscott@spnmd.org.</u>

September Food Pantry Needs

Our next food distribution cycle will begin on Thursday, September 21st. we are in desperate need of these staple items...

Cereal
Canned Corn
Baked Beans
Mashed Potatoes
Scalloped Potatoes
Jelly

We are currently well stocked on all other items. Thank you always for your generous donations.







SAVE THE DATE
Guarde la fecha
November 11, 2023

"JESUSISTHE EUCHARIST"

"Jesus es la Eucharistia"

Theme: Tema:
"Live the Eucharist"
"Vive la Eucaristia"

St. Philip Neri and St. Clement's Parishes

Mass/Masa: 9 a/m. Speakers/Altavoces Lunch/Almuerzo



For more information contact: SPN Parish, Office 410-859-0571 or Officine Parroquial 410-242-1025

John Canterna—Parish Point Person/Persona de Parish Point: 410-978-0398

OUR CATHOLIC FAITH - PARISH INFORMATION FOR THE FALL

Our parish has many events to be held in the fall to strengthen your faith. Every week Father Andy writes a recap in the parish bulletin highlighting these events. The information from last week's bulletin is copied below. Anyone is invited to these events - Catholic or not! If you have questions about the events, please contact the name and email that he provides in his recap.

You can find the weekly parish bulletins on the Parish website listed below. Look under the STAY INFORMED section - click on St. Philip Neri Parish - and select the bulletin you would like to read!

http://www.stclementandstphilipneripastorate.org/

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

FALL PROGRAM ON THE EUCHARIST:

This year we are going to think about the gift of the Eucharist. We will be meeting in small groups over the course of five weeks in the fall starting the week of Sunday Oct. 8th and going through the week that will start on Sunday Nov. 5th.

Week beginning Oct. 8th: Why Do Catholics Celebrate the Mass?

Week beginning Oct. 15th: The Early Christians Believed in the Real Presence

Week beginning Oct. 22nd: Why are Catholics asked to go to Mass on Sundays and Holy Days / Is the Mass we celebrate today the same as in the Ancient Church?

Week beginning Oct. 29th: A Walk Through the Mass Week beginning Nov. 5th: The Passover and the Exodus and the Mass / The Eucharistic Miracle in Buenos Aries in 1996

Also, As part of this process, we will have a parish retreat on Saturday Nov. 11th from 9am – 2pm with lunch provided. It will be free. It will start with a Mass and then there will be a talk (one in English, one in Spanish) with discussion and then lunch and then one more talk (English track and Spanish track) with discussion.

The small groups that will be meeting in ENGLISH are listed below.

- Sundays at 6pm. 6303 South Orchard, Linthicum. First Sun: Oct 8th. Contact Laura at Igraham@spnmd.org
- Mondays at 2pm. First Monday Oct. 9th. (group is for women only.) Contact Sue at <u>swillett58@verizon.net</u>
- Mondays at 7pm. 116 Kingbrook Road, Linthicum. First Monday Oct. 9th. Contact Deacon Paul and Barb Stoyell-Mulholland at <u>barbstoyell@gmail.com</u>.
- Mondays at 7pm. Parish Office Meeting Room. First Monday Oct. 9th. Contact Jason at jasongrimm28@gmail.com.
- Wednesdays at 7pm. SPN sacristy. First Wednesday Oct. 11th. Contact Fr. Andy Aaron at aaaron@archbalt.org.
- Thursdays at 7pm. SPN sacristy. First Thursday Oct. 12th. Contact Tim Feeney at <u>tfeeney@spnmd.org</u>.
- Fridays at 9:30am. St. Clement kitchen. First Friday Oct 13th. Contact Jim and Barb DeBoy at jimdeboy@comcast.net.

- Fridays at 7:30pm. First Friday Oct. 13th. Contact Donna Scott at <u>dscott@spnmd.org</u>.
- Walking with Purpose women's faith-sharing groups will be also doing the 5-week program during the five weeks the parish is studying the Eucharist as well as other studies this year. You can find more info about when and where they will be meeting for the 5 weeks from Theresa at theresaewaggoner@gmail.com.

Please note the **first YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MASS** of the Fall will be at 5pm on Sunday Sept. 17th. EVERYONE is invited to attend this Mass, no matter your age, but Young Adults, High School youth and Middle School youth are all invited to stay after....we'll provide free pizza and beverages, and each group will have their own separate gatherings.

Young Adults: Catherine Tirschman at cattirsch2012@gmail.com High School: Matteo Santi-Amantini at Matteo.Santi-Amantini@archbalt.org

Middle School: Sara Horton at shortonspnyg@gmail.com

Faith Formation classes for young people grades 1-8 are on Sunday mornings at 10:45am starting Sept 24th. THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE and WE HAVE A GOOD PROGAM. Please contact Laura Graham at lgraham@spnmd.org.

Young people who are not baptized or not Catholic and want to receive sacraments who are 10 years old and younger will just be put into Sunday morning Faith Formation classes and we will schedule baptisms, etc. after they have learned a bit about their faith.

Young people aged 11-14 will be in an OCIA (RCIA) class on Sunday mornings at 10:45am starting Sept. 24th. Please contact Laura Graham at 1graham@spnmd.org.

Young people aged 15-17 will be in an OCIA (RCIA) class on Sunday mornings at 10:45am starting Sept 24th. Please contact Laura Graham at lgraham@spnmd.org.

For adults who want to receive sacraments or become Catholic, contact Tim at tfeeney@spnmd.org. Classes are on Wednesdays at 7:15pm beginning Sept 13th.

Peace! Fr. Andy





Band demo day! Our 4th-8th graders got to check out instruments and sign up to be in our SPN school band.









Pre-K A enjoyed listening to Ms. Doreen read a story during Library class.

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⇒ Support ← St. Philip Neri School

September 20, November 15, February 21, May 15 3pm – 10pm



10% DONATION NIGHT

Support St. Philip Neri School by presenting this flyer to the Pasadena, MD Location and Texas Roadhouse will donate 10% of your total food purchases to St. Philip Neri School!

Yard Sale & Car Wash

Join St. Philip Neri & St. Clement Saturday, October 14th 8am-12pm

Event held on St. Philip Neri's Back parking lot



& Car Wash

Rent a space, sell your own items, and put money in your pocket!

Commercial Vendors are Welcome.

\$20 per space 14x16 (2 parking spaces).

Tables are available to rent for \$10, must reserve in advance.

If you would like to reserve your space, please contact dscott@spnmd.org 410-859-0571, ext. 3101 Set up starts at 6am, must be set up by 7:30 am

St. Philip Neri Catholic Church - 6405 South Orchard Road, Linthicum MD 21090



Middle School Youth Group

Family Bonfire!

When: September 17, 2023 6-7:30 pm Where: 6405 S Orchard Rd, Linthicum, MD, 21090



We would like to invite middle school students and their families to join our middle school youth group event, which will be held after the 5 pm youth Mass! We will come together to play games and socialize with one another!

Pizza, drinks, and s'mores will be provided.

If you have any questions, please email Sara Horton: shortonspnyg@gmail.com



Hosted by St. Philip Neri School

Friday, September 29, 2023

It's your chance to win Kate Spade, COACH, Michael Kors, Vera Bradley, and other purses!

20 Games of Bingo

3 Specials, 2 Raffles, and a cash 50/50

Great food will be available to purchase!



Doors open at 5:30 PM.

Bingo starts at 7 PM.

St. Philip Neri Msgr. Zorbach Hall 6405 S. Orchard Rd. Linthicum, MD 21090

Due to space restrictions scating will be limited. Purchase your spot now!

Order online at: https://forms.diamondmindine.com/stphilipneri/bingo
If you have a group, please indicate who you would like to sit with at this event.

COST IS \$20!

This cost is for the 20-game bingo packet which does not include the specials, raffles or 50/50. No physical tickets will be delivered. Your name will be placed on the players list.

Special 1 - Michael Kors Jet Set Travel Tota and matching Wallet in Tea Rose print

Special 2 - Kate Spade Large Reversible Penguin Large Tote with matching accessory bag in Blue and White Special 3 - Michael Kors Large Tote with matching accessory bag in Blue and White







Email
Sue Wenzlick
with any questions at
swenzlick@spumd.org.

Contact Suc for eash/check order form!



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RAFFLE 1
Vera Bradley Lighten Up
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Antilles Treasure print





Show your school spirit! Walk with SPN in the Linthicum Parade

When: Saturday, September 30, 2023

Where: Lindale Middle School

415 Andover Rd, Linthicum MD 21090

Time: 8 am - Parade will start at 9 am

We have been asked to arrive early!

Wear: Your 2023 SPN Spirit shirt or

any Navy blue SPN spirit shirt

Join us at the Linthicum Fair!

LINTHICUM UNITY

FAIR

Saturday Sept 30, 2023 / 10am - 3pm St. John Lutheran Church Field

Parade - 9am (Lindale Middle)

Food, Fun, Games, Dunk Tank, Crafts, Rides, Music & Dancing

Proceeds from the fair benefit HOPE FOR ALL and NCEON. Collecting non-perishable food items the day of the fair.

For everyone's safety please leave your furry friends at home.

The Linthicum Community Fair is from 10 AM to 3 PM on
St. John Lutheran's field at the corner of Maple Road and Hammonds Ferry Road
We would love to get a picture of everyone on the steps of Lindale Middle School before
the parade starts. Bring your best smiles! Hope to see you there!



We will be collecting canned goods to support the NCEON (North County Emergency Outreach Network) food pantry. Please bring in your canned good donations the week of September 25-29. Place it in the box in the school lobby.

Let's fill the NCEON truck!

A shuttle bus will be provided for parade participants. Please park at Lindale Middle School. When you are ready to head home, jump on the shuttle bus at the gate at St. John's field and they will take you back to your vehicle!

Shuttle bus will operate from 10 AM to 3 PM.

ST. PHILIP NERI TUITION RAFFLE

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Or \$2,500 Cash Option

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3 for \$60 | 5 for \$100

Drawing Date:

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For more information, please email SPNHSAMD@gmail.com.

*Minimum of 400 tickets must be sold to award the St. Philip Neri Tuition prize, or top prize reverts to \$2,500 cash option. Tuition prize is transferrable and must be redeemed during the 2024/2025 school year. Winner is responsible for all taxes, please consult a tax professional.

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