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## **The Most Holy Trinity May 26, 2024**

**Sunday, May 26, 2024**

**The Most Holy Trinity**

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40; Romans 8:14-17;  
Matthew 28:16-20

**Monday May 27, 2024**

**St. Augustine of Canterbury**

1 Peter 1:3-9; Mark 10:17-27

**1:00 PM - Al-Anon**

**Tuesday, May 28, 2024**

1 Peter 1:10-16; Mark 10:28-31

**1:00 PM – Bible Study – Parish Room**

**Wednesday, May 29, 2024**

**St. Paul VI**

1 Peter 1:18-25; Mark 10:32-45

**Office Closed**

**Thursday, May 30, 2024**

1 Peter 2:2-5, 9-12; Mark 10:46-52

**Friday, May 31, 2024**

**The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Zephaniah 3:14-18a; Isaiah 12:2-6;

Luke 1:39-56

**No Daily Mass**

**Saturday, June 1, 2024**

**St. Justin**

Jude 17, 20-25; Mark 11:27-33

**4:00 – 4:30 PM Reconciliation – St. Philip Neri**

**5:00 PM Mass at St. Philip Neri**

†Dennis Ellison by Todd & Charmaine Rainke

### **Collection Report**

**May 18, 2024**

#### **St. Philip Neri**

**Envelopes (37) \$3,172.00**

**Loose \$409.00**

**\$3,581.00**

**Wkly. Budget \$3,100.00**

**O/ (U) Budget \$481.00**

**YTD Budget \$145,700.00**

**YTD Collections \$135,198.59**

**(\$10,501.41)**

### **Schedule of Ministers**

**St. Philip Neri**

**June 1, 2024, 5:00 PM**

**Eucharist: Beth Dake**

**Eucharist: Barb Spindler**

**Eucharist: Irene Balowski**

**Word: Dan Hoeh**

**Hospitality: Betty Yost**

**Hospitality: Jim Kaverman**

**Hospitality: Larry Wisniewski**

**Hospitality: Volunteer Needed**

### **Altar Flowers**

Do you have a special occasion and would like to furnish flowers for in front of altar? Or have flowers in your yard or garden you would like to share.

Please call the parish office if you would like to donate some flowers

### **Memorial Day**

There will be a service at Mr. Olivet Cemetery at 11:00 AM on Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup>

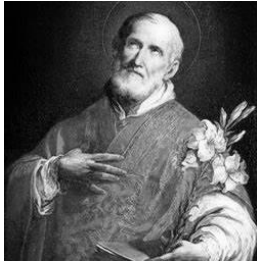


**Msgr. Victor Gallagher  
Council 12668**



*Committed to living catholic values while  
serving our parish community*

**St. Philip Neri  
Feast Day – May 26**



*Birth: July 21, 1515 Death: May 26, 1595  
Canonized: March 12, 1622 by Pope Gregory  
XV*

St. Philip Neri is known as the Apostle of Rome. With his distinctly joyous and personal manner, he was one of the influential figures of the Catholic Reformation.

Philip numbered among his friends some of the great saints of the age: Charles Borromeo, Francis de Sales, Felix of Cantalice, Camillus de Lellis, and Ignatius of Loyola. As more priests became his followers, Philip created a congregation of secular priests living in community.

Philip especially was known for his walks which won him the title Apostle of Rome. He penetrated all corners of the city, radiating gaiety by his simple friendship and playful wit. Beneath his external life were the deep foundations of an intense spirit of prayer and love for the priestly offices of hearing confessions and offering the Mass.

Philip founded the Congregation of the Oratory, a [Catholic](#) society of apostolic life of men ([priests](#) and [religious brothers](#)) who live together in a [community](#) bound together by no formal vows but only with the bond of charity. In 1575, Pope [Gregory XIII](#) approved the Congregation of the Oratory. St. Maria in Vallicella became the Oratorian's church. Philip moved there in 1583, and there he died on May 26, 1595.

**Faith Formation News**

This weekend we celebrate and focus on the Most Holy Trinity. God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit living together, working together in unity and love. Bishop Robert Barron often defines love as: willing the good of the other. This might be a good week to reflect on love, true love. Not the kind of love the world is selling us, but the love of the Trinity.

Love, willing the good of the other, may seem easy at times. However, as I am reflecting on this kind of love, it seems hard to me. To will the good of the other, when the other is an enemy, than what? Am I able to will the good of that person. What if it is a person that has hurt me and continues to hurt me? Am I able to I will the good of that person? What if that person has hurt someone I love? Am I able to will the good of that person?

My mother often tells the true story of a couple friends of hers from downstate. They were eating at McDonalds one day and a person high on drugs came into the McDonalds and shot and killed her husband. Over the years the wife worked on forgiving this man and one day she visited him in prison and offered him forgiveness. There are everyday ways that we can offer love to each other too. Sending someone who lives alone a card in the mail, yes the mail! Calling someone who is grieving or ill. Maybe letting someone else choose the movie or place to have dinner. Maybe it is praying for that person who drives you crazy! All these are willing the good of the other. This is love. This is living in community with the Trinity.

Let us engage always in the life of the Most Holy Trinity,

Beth Dake, Director of Faith Formation

**Jesus Thirsts**

The Miracle of the Eucharist take viewers on a global journey to uncover the transformative power of the Eucharist. Through discussions with Catholic leaders and heartfelt personal narratives, the film unveils the Eucharist and Jesus Christ himself, eagerly desiring to fulfill our spiritual thirst with his boundless love.

This film will be playing in Mt. Pleasant and Grand Rapids on June 4, 5, 6 only.

Anyone interested in car pooling to see the movie Jesus Thirst on June 6<sup>th</sup> we will be leaving Reed City at 2:30 PM. Call Mary Jane McMillen for information 231-832-2155.