



St. Philip Benizi

CATHOLIC CHURCH | FULLERTON, CALIFORNIA

OCTOBER 4, 2026

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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS / MISA

Mon - Sat 8:30 a.m. English
Tue & Thu 6:30 p.m. Español
Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m. English
Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 a.m. English
Domingo 12:30 & 6:30 p.m. Español
Indonesian 3:30 p.m., 2nd & 4th Sunday
Italian 3:00 p.m., 3rd Sunday

CONFESSIONS / CONFESIONES

Mon, Wed & Sat after 8:30 a.m. Mass
Tue & Thu after 6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass

PARISH OFFICE

Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Closed for lunch, 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.

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A community nourished by Word and Sacrament

We, the Catholic Community of St. Philip Benizi, enriched by our cultural diversity, recognize, accept, and respond to the call to live the Gospel Message of Jesus Christ. We are nourished through Word and Sacrament, energized through participation in ministries and social gatherings, and compassionately serve our brothers and sisters in need.

Nosotros, la Comunidad Católica de San Felipe Benizi, enriquecidos por nuestra diversidad cultural, reconocemos, aceptamos y respondemos al llamado a vivir el Mensaje Evangélico de Jesucristo. Alimentados por la Palabra y los sacramentos, participamos en ministerios y reuniones y servimos con compasión a nuestros hermanos y hermanas necesitados.

Prayer & Mass Intentions

PRAY FOR THE SICK / OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

Victoria Avina, Bryan Valencia, Yudha Prakarsa, Humberto Gonzalez, Dilma, Jaime Lim, Francisco Reynoso, Katarina George, Alejandra Valdenegro, Sebastian Espinoza, Maria Torres, Angelica Olivares, Brian Eichinger, Rick Parnell, Mike Ray, Jose Flores, Alyce Mannix, Ryan Mellano, Susie Mellano, Daniel Casarez, Andy Pellerito, Elvia Sanchez, Juan Ramos, Adelmo Mazzocco, Lalo Sanchez, Lorgie Murillo, Virgilio Javier, Lizzette Fallon, Jose Aguilar, Lidia Miguel, Randy Laya, Jorge Cisneros, Maria Alvarado, Jeff Allen, Roman Segura, Nicanor Artiaga, Elvira Sanchez, Edna Rice, Danielle Honeyent, Lux Honeyent, Melanie Rodriguez, Jesse Lopez, James Sexton, Reinaldo Gonzalez, Virginia Sanchez, Jeff Oliver, Patrick Brennen, Maria Gonzalez, Socorro Navarro, Maximiliano Cervantes, Andrew Perez Jr, Felix Enriquez, Denis Lasanne, Mike Barretto, Elda Rodriguez, Jose Galvan Jr., Connie Paquin, Melinda Sanchez, Yolanda Luna, Celia Rodriguez, Ray Cruz, Julie Cruz, Lucia Cruz, Leticia Gonzalez, Anne Maklouf, Ben San Miguel, Jesus Ocana, Roberto Inojosa, Angelique Bracone, Nick Pascual, Maria Urritia, Ray Camacho

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED / OREMOS POR LOS DIFUNTOS

+ Gene Snyder, + Salvador Lopez,
+ Jerry Thelin, + Sandy Thelin, + David Post,
+ Sam Cordova, + Steve Olivares Medina,
+ Sergio Diaz, + Mac Maklouf,
+ Leonida Magnaye, + Eddie Sy

MASS INTENTIONS / INTENCIONES DE MISA

SUNDAY, October 4

8:30 a.m. + Leonarda Veloria
10:30 a.m. Forgotten Souls
+ Yolla & Boulos Sawaya
12:30 p.m. Intentions of Parishioners
+ Emilia Suastegui Ponce
6:30 p.m. Intentions of Canizalez Sanchez Family

MONDAY, October 5

8:30 a.m. TBD

TUESDAY, October 6

8:30 a.m. + Alice Jarecki
6:30 p.m. St Peregrine Mass

WEDNESDAY, October 7

8:30 a.m. TBD

THURSDAY, October 8

8:30 a.m. TBD
6:30 p.m. + Guadalupe Gonzalez

FRIDAY, October 9

8:30 a.m. + Jose Villanueva

SATURDAY, October 10

8:30 a.m. TBD
5:00 p.m. + Yolla & Boulos Sawaya

SUNDAY, October 11

8:30 a.m. + Msgr Benjamino Marino
10:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
12:30 p.m. + Maria Elena Aguilar
3:30 p.m. Intentions of Indonesian Community
6:30 p.m. Intentions of Parishioners





PASTOR'S CORNER / RINCÓN DEL PASTOR

Blessed by Relics

"Look kindly upon us and heal us..."

Dear Friends,

We are very blessed to have two first-class relics of St. Peregrine and Mother Frances Cabrini. We have one second-class relic of St Philip Benizi, a small piece of cloth from his habit. We are also blessed to have two Masses a month celebrating St. Peregrine, the first Saturday of the month at 8:30am in English and the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm in Spanish. At both of these Masses, everyone is blessed with his relic.

You may not know so much about St. Peregrine. He was a rebellious youth, born into a wealthy Italian family. He was touched by God and turned his life over to the Lord, later becoming a Servite priest.

Late in life, he suffered from a cancer-like growth on his leg and amputation was ordered. In great pain, Peregrine turned to prayer and hope. The night before the operation, he dreamed that Our Lord reached down from the cross and touched his wound. When he awoke, his leg was completely healed.

The great lesson we learn from his miracle is that in the midst of pain and suffering we should turn to God. Either Our Lord will work a miracle or He will give us the grace to endure with peace and faith our suffering. Please enjoy the following prayer to St. Peregrine:

"Loving God, in spite of all that you give to us, we still find suffering in our lives. You generously offered healing to our brother Peregrine. Following his example, we turn to you with our troubles. Strengthen those who suffer from cancer and other serious diseases. Look kindly upon us and heal us. Give health to our bodies that our lives might be long and happy. Give us comfort in the troublesome moments of our personal lives. Heal us of hurt and resentment. Give grace and joy to our spirit, that we might continue to praise you. We ask these things through Christ our Lord. Amen."

Fr. Al

Queridos amigos,

Somos muy afortunados de contar con dos reliquias de primera clase de San Peregrino y la Madre Frances Cabrini. Tenemos una reliquia de segunda clase de San Felipe Benizi, un pequeño trozo de tela de su hábito. También tenemos la bendición de tener dos misas al mes para celebrar a San Peregrino, el primer sábado del mes a las 8:30 de la mañana en Inglés y el primer martes del mes a las 6:30 en Español. En ambas misas, todos son bendecidos con su reliquia.

Puede que no sepas tanto sobre San Peregrino. Era un joven rebelde, nacido en una familia Italiana adinerada. Fue tocado por Dios y entregó su vida al Señor, convirtiéndose más tarde en sacerdote Servita.

Ya en la edad adulta, sufrió un lesión cutánea similar al cáncer en la pierna y se le ordenó la amputación. Con gran dolor, Peregrino recurrió a la oración y la esperanza. La noche antes de la operación, soñó que Nuestro Señor bajaba de la cruz y tocaba su herida. Cuando despertó, su pierna estaba completamente curada.

La gran lección que aprendemos de su milagro es que, en medio del dolor y el sufrimiento, debemos acudir a Dios. O bien nuestro Señor obrará un milagro o nos dará la gracia para soportar con paz y fe nuestro sufrimiento. Por favor, disfruten de la siguiente oración a San Peregrino:

"Dios amoroso, a pesar de todo lo que nos das, seguimos encontrando sufrimiento en nuestras vidas. Ofreciste generosamente sanación a nuestro hermano Peregrino. Siguiendo su ejemplo, nos dirigimos a ti con nuestras preocupaciones. Fortalece a quienes sufren cáncer y otras enfermedades graves. Míranos con bondad y sananos. Da salud a nuestros cuerpos que nuestras vidas sean largas y felices. Danos consuelo en los momentos problemáticos de nuestra vida personal. Sananos del dolor y el resentimiento. Da gracia y alegría a nuestro espíritu, para que podamos seguir alabándote. Te pedimos estas cosas por Cristo nuestro Señor. Amén."

Padre Alfredo

Faith grows in community

Faith Formation / Formación en la Fe



Family Catechesis -English and Spanish- Monday 5:30PM – 7:00PM

10/11/2026 - Misa Familiar 10:30 English / 12:30 Spanish
10/12/2026 , 10/24/2026 Festival de los Santos 9am -12 pm,
10/26/2026

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### Catequesis del Buen Pastor en Español- Lunes Nivel 1 (3-6 años de edad) 5:00pm-6:00pm Nivel 2 (3-6 años de edad) 6:00pm-7:00pm

10/11/2026 , 10/12/2026, 10/24/2026 Festival de los  
Santos 9am- 12pm, 10/26/2026

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Family Catechesis -English & Spanish Catequesis Familiar- Ingles y Español Saturday/Sábado 10:00am-11:30am

10/10/2026, 10/11/2026 Family Mass 10:30 English / 12:30
Spanish, 10/24/2026

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### Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - English Level 2 Tuesday 5:00pm-6:30pm

10/06/2026, 10/11/2026 Family Mass 10:30 English / 12:30  
Spanish, 10/13/2026, 10/20/2026, 10/27/2026

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Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - English Level 1 Tuesday 5:00pm-6:30pm

10/06/2026, 10/11/2026 Family Mass 10:30 English / 12:30
Spanish, 10/13/2026, 10/20/2026, 10/27/2026

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### OCIA Children

(Unbaptized Children in 2nd Year Preparation) Thursdays  
5:00pm-6:30pm

10/1/2026, 10/8/2026, 10/11/2026 Family Mass 10:30 English /  
12:30 Spanish, 10/15/2026, 10/22/2026, 10/24/26 Festival of  
Saints 9am -12pm, 10/29/2026

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OCIA Teen, (Unbaptized Teens) Saturday 10:00am-11:30am

10/10/2026, 10/11/2026 Family Mass 10:30 English / 12:30
Spanish, 10/24/2026

ADULT SACRAMENTS CLASS (classes in English)

This Class is for baptized catholic adults 18 years and older
who would like to receive 1st communion and/or
confirmation. It opens the door to a Sacramental
Marriage, or sponsorship for Baptism, etc....

Class meets every Thursday 7pm - 8:30pm;
beginning on September 24th, 2026- May 20th 2027.

10/1/2026, 10/8/2026, 10/15/2026, 10/22/2026, 10/29/2026

ADULT SACRAMENTS (18+) Classes in Spanish.

Clases en español para la primera comunión y/o
confirmación de adultos bautizados Católicos.

Todos los jueves 7pm-8:30pm. Primera clase, jueves 24 de
septiembre, 2026 - mayo 20, 2027.

10/1/2026, 10/8/2026, 10/15/2026, 10/22/2026, 10/29/2026

SAINTS FESTIVAL

St Philip Benizi Church, 235 Pine Dr., Fullerton, CA
Faith Formation Office (714) 870-0561 malvarado@rcbo.org

The Family Catechesis program of St Philip
Benizi, in collaboration with the Teen
Confirmation program, invites you to the
Festival of the Saints. There will be fun
activities for you and your family to enjoy.



Saturday, October 24th, 2026
9:30am-12:00pm
St Joseph Plaza

- ♦ Bring your children and join your parish family to learn about the saints and celebrate them as models of love and faith.
- ♦ Grow in your understanding of the Communion of Saints—those in heaven and those on their way to heaven.
- ♦ Learn about your patron saint in a fun, prayerful, and interactive setting.

We will have:

- Rosary and procession around the church
- Candies and surprises for the children
- Loteria (bingo)
- Games for the children
- Food sale



All Saints' Day
The Catholic Church celebrates All Saints Day on
November 1st, to honor the saints – All those who are in
heaven. They are role models of extraordinary faith and
dedication to God.

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE | (714) 870-0561
Monday - Thursday / Lunes - Jueves | 1:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Faith Formation: Marivel Alvarado malvarado@benizi.org

Confirmation: Imelda Pribe ipribe@benizi.org

Events / Eventos

Good vs. Evil

Fr Al Baca will be giving an evening presentation on the "Battle Between Good and Evil". This will cover the Church's approach to exorcism, ghosts, devils and how to protect ourselves as Catholics.

Father's talk will be on

October 22nd
7:00pm to 8:30pm
in the parish hall

In order to be a part of the evening, please call the main office to register.

FESTIVAL DE LOS SANTOS

Iglesia San Felipe Benizi, 235 Pine Dr., Fullerton, CA
Faith Formation Office (714) 870-0561 malvarado@benizi.org

El programa de Catequesis Familiar de San Felipe Benizi, en colaboración con el programa de la Confirmación de Adolescentes, los invitamos al Festival de los Santos. Una oportunidad de aprender de una forma amena y participativa en un ambiente familiar y seguro.



Sábado, octubre 24, 2026
9:30am-12:00pm
Plaza San Jose

- ♦ Traigan a sus hijos para acompañar a la familia parroquial y aprender acerca de los santos y celebrarlos como modelos de amor y fe.
- ♦ Crecer en su conocimiento acerca de la Comunión de los Santos— aquellos en el cielo y aquellos en su camino hacia el cielo.
- ♦ Aprenda sobre su santo patrón en una forma interactiva, y de oración.

Tendremos:

- Dulces y sorpresas para los niños.
- Lotería (bingo)
- Juegos para los niños
- Venta de comida



Día de todos los Santos

La Iglesia Católica celebra el Día de Todos los Santos el 1 de noviembre, para honrar a los santos - aquellos que han alcanzado el cielo. Son Modelos de fe extraordinaria y de dedicación a Dios.

Mujeres que quieres que haga yo por ti?

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"Vengan a mí, todos los que están fatigados y agobiados por la carga, y yo les daré alivio. Tomen mi yugo sobre ustedes y aprendan de mí, que soy manso y humilde de corazón, y encontrarán descanso, porque mi yugo es suave y mi carga, ligera."
- Mateo 11, 28-30 -

RETIRO DE SANACIÓN INTERIOR PARA MUJERES

— EN LAS MONTAÑAS —

Fr. Al Baca
Párroco

St. Philip Benizi
235 S Pine Dr
Fullerton, CA 92833
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FECHA DEL RETIRO
16, 17, Y 18 de Octubre 2026

Salida de St. Philip Benizi: 5:00PM
Llegar: 30480 Fredrala Rd. P.O. 92382, Running Springs, CA 92382.

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Lupita (714) 984 7612

Ministerio Católico
REFLEXIONES PARA MUJERES
Te Esperamos, No Faltes

Llevar ropa cómoda para los tres días, Cobija, almohadas y higiene personal.
Para el Domingo, por favor de llevar una camisa Blanca

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DATE: OCTOBER 10, 2026
FECHA: 10 DE OCTUBRE

TIME/HORA:
12:00 PM

LOCATION: CORNER OF
PINE AND VALENCIA

EN LA ESQUINA DE
PINE Y VALENCIA

Questions Contact:
Preguntas:

DIANA TROUT OR
VICTORIA MENDIOLA

PHONE:
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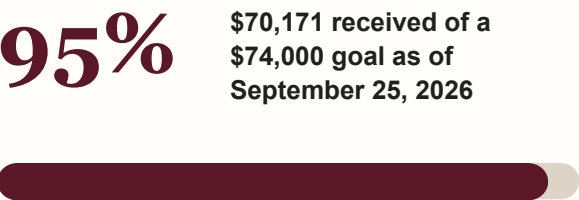
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"Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us."
"Nuestra Señora de Fátima, ruega por nosotros."

Gratitude made visible

Thank you for sustaining the parish's worship, ministries, sacraments, and service.

PASTORAL SERVICES APPEAL



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WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time | September 19-20 , 2026

Weekly collection goal: \$23,300

5:00 p.m.	\$ 1,491
8:30 a.m.	\$ 1,489
10:30 a.m.	\$ 1,613
12:30 p.m.	\$ 1,514
3:30 p.m.	\$ 0.00
6:30 p.m.	\$ 1,143
Dropped off at office / Mail in	\$ 1,648
Electronic giving	\$ 1,058

TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION \$ 9,956

Misc.: \$ 2,530 Debt Reduction: \$ 2,228



SAINTS & OBSERVANCES

Monday
Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest

Tuesday
St. Bruno, Priest; Bl. Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin

Wednesday
Our Lady of the Rosary

Friday
The Holy Guardian Angels

Next Sunday
Respect Life Sunday

Serve. Pray. Receive.

The people, devotions, and sacramental pathways that sustain parish life.

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EMHC, Spanish: Modesto Camarena
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Women's Council President: Patty Hallmeyer
Secular Order Servants of Mary: Joe Rubio
Comunidad Nuestra Sra. de los Dolores: Camila Rubio
St. Vincent de Paul Society: Ray Camacho
Marthas Coordinator: Sharon Barker Pugh
Jóvenes Para Cristo: Melquiades Rojas & Albino Rocha
Legion of Mary President: Diana Trout
Grupo de Oración: Rigo Carillo / Jose Chavez
Adoración Nocturna: Silvia Ojeda
Couples for Christ: Dante & Dori Mauricio

DEVOTIONS & SACRAMENTS

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT/ *EXPOSICIÓN DEL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO*

Thursdays/ *Jueves*: 9:15-10:15 a.m.

Tuesdays / *Martes*: 7:15-8:15 p.m.

ST. PEREGRINE DEVOTION / *DEVOCIÓN DE SAN PEREGRINO*

In English on the first Saturday of the month at the 8:30 a.m. Mass. *En español el primer martes del mes a las 6:30 p.m.*

BAPTISM / *BAUTISMOS*

Baptisms are for infants and children under age 7. The parish is currently scheduling private Baptism ceremonies. Visit the parish office for application, requirements, and available dates. *Los bautismos son para infantes y niños menores de 7 años. Actualmente la parroquia programa bautismos privados. Visite la oficina para aplicacion, requerimientos, y consultar las fechas disponibles.*

PRE-BAPTISM CLASSES / *CLASES PRE-BAUTISMALES*

Classes are mandatory for parents and godparents, one month before the baptism. *Clases son mandatorias para los padres y padrinos, un mes antes del bautismo.* English: 3th Saturday at 9:30 a.m. *Español: 4to viernes a las 7:00 p.m.*

MARRIAGES / *MATRIMONIOS*

Couples should contact a priest or deacon at least six months before the wedding. *Las parejas deben contactar a un sacerdote o diácono por lo menos seis meses antes.*



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