St. Philip Benizi

CATHOLIC CHURCH | FULLERTON, CALIFORNIA

OCTOBER 18, 2026

benizi.org

29th 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

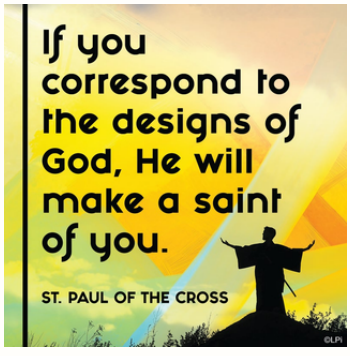
PRAY FOR THE SICK / OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

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, Tim Mitschele, Jesus Perez, Rene Perez, Yolla Perez, Mireya Garcia, Familia Palomares Lopez, Leo Barretto, Lana Baker, Daisy Redman, Judy Baker, Emilia Agcaoili

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED / OREMOS POR LOS DIFUNTOS

+ Jerry Thelin, + Sandy Thelin, + David Post, + Sam Cordova, + Steve Olivares Medina, + Sergio Diaz, + Mac Maklouf, + Leonida Magnaye, + Eddie Sy, + Lupe Lopez Palomares, + Esmeraldo Magnaye Sr., + Estanislao Magnaye Jr.

DID YOU KNOW?? ...



MASS INTENTIONS / INTENCIONES DE MISA

SUNDAY, October 18

8:30 a.m. + Anna Agustin

10:30 a.m. Intentions of Nguyen Family
+ Estanislao Magnaye

12:30 p.m. + Cristina Lizette Aguilar

3:00 p.m. + Mike Naccarato

6:30 p.m. + Irma Mejia Cidales

MONDAY, October 19

8:30 a.m. + Kevin Jarecki

TUESDAY, October 20

8:30 a.m. + Mac Makhlouf

6:30 p.m. Animas Necesitadas / Souls in Need

WEDNESDAY, October 21

8:30 a.m. Intentions of Stephen Dunne

THURSDAY, October 15

8:30 a.m. Intentions of Kathy Armijo

6:30 p.m. + Luis Gonzalez

FRIDAY, October 22

8:30 a.m. + Sandy Palmisan

SATURDAY, October 23

8:30 a.m. Salvador Villicana

5:00 p.m. + Mac Makhlouf

SUNDAY, October 24

8:30 a.m. + David Post

10:30 a.m. + Estanislao Magnaye
+ Salvador Tuvera

12:30 p.m. Intentions of Parishioners

3:00 p.m. Intentions of Indonesian Community

6:30 p.m. Intentions of Canizalez Sanchez Family

PASTOR'S CORNER / RINCÓN DEL PASTOR

An act of humility

"and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man..."

Dear Friends,

Reverence is very important in a Catholic Church. We know that that House of God is a sacred place and deserves respect and silence. Reverence is shown by genuflection when the Eucharist is present in the monstrance or when we come before the tabernacle. Bowing, different from genuflection, is also important. In Mass, bowing is done toward the processional cross, toward the priest presider, when the Gospel Book is taken to the ambo to be proclaimed, before relics for veneration and especially before receiving Holy Communion.

In Mass we bow to the processional cross in humble recognition of Christ crucified. When the priest processes forward, we bow to Christ now in our midst. The priest is Persona Christi, through ordination another Christ. In Mass it is Christ through the priest who consecrates the bread and wine, Christ who confesses us in Confession.

When the Gospel is held high and shown to us, we should bow, acknowledging the presence of Christ in the Book of Scripture. When we receive Holy Communion, we bow to Jesus as the person in front of us is receiving the Eucharist. In the Creed prayed on Sundays and Holydays, we bow at the words, "and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man." This is not to focus on Mary but to confess that the Second Person of the Trinity condescended to come down from heaven, to become one of us, to save us.

Bowing in the Liturgy of the Mass is a gesture that is practiced by all the ancient Churches, Catholic and Orthodox. It reminds us that worship is sacred and about God. It is an act of humility before the divine majesty of God and the things of God.

Fr. Al

Queridos Amigos,

La reverencia es muy importante en una Iglesia Católica. Sabemos que la Casa de Dios es un lugar sagrado y merece respeto y silencio. La reverencia se muestra mediante la genuflexión cuando la Eucaristía está presente en la custodia o cuando nos presentamos ante el tabernáculo. Inclinarse, diferente de la genuflexión, también es importante. En la Misa, la reverencia se hace hacia la cruz procesional, hacia el sacerdote celebrante, cuando el Libro del Evangelio es llevado al ambón para ser proclamado, ante las reliquias para la veneración y especialmente antes de recibir la Sagrada Comunión.

En la Misa nos inclinamos ante la cruz procesional en humilde reconocimiento de Cristo crucificado. Cuando el sacerdote avanza, nos inclinamos ante Cristo que ahora está entre nosotros. El sacerdote es Persona Christi, por la ordenación otro Cristo. En la Misa es Cristo a través del sacerdote quien consagra el pan y el vino, Cristo quien nos confiesa en la Confesión.

Cuando el Evangelio es elevado y mostrado ante nosotros, debemos inclinarnos, reconociendo la presencia de Cristo en el Libro de las Escrituras. Cuando recibimos la Sagrada Comunión, nos inclinamos ante Jesús cuando la persona frente a nosotros está recibiendo la Eucaristía. En el Credo orado los domingos y días festivos, nos inclinamos ante las palabras, "y por el Espíritu Santo se encarnó de la Virgen María y se hizo hombre." Esto no es para enfocarse en María, sino para confesar que la Segunda Persona de la Trinidad condescendió a bajar del cielo, a convertirse en uno de nosotros, a salvarnos.

Inclinarse en la Liturgia de la Misa es un gesto practicado por todas las antiguas Iglesias, Católicas y Ortodoxas. Nos recuerda que la adoración es sagrada y sobre Dios. Es un acto de humildad ante la majestad divina de Dios y las cosas de Dios.

Padre Alfredo

Faith grows in community

Faith Formation / Formación en la Fe

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

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

10/24/2026 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

10/24/2026

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

10/20/2026,10/27/2026

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

10/20/2026,10/27/2026

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

110/22/2026, 10/24/26 Festival of Saints 9am -12pm, 10/29/2026

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

10/24/2026

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ADULT SACRAMENTS CLASS
(classes in English)

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

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.

10/22/2026, 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. Thay are role models of extraordinary faith and dedication to God.

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.
- loteria (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.

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

ST PHILIP BENIZI

Friday October 30, 2026

6:30PM.-7:30PM. IN THE PARISH PLAZA

COSTUME AND TRUNK CONTEST, CRAFTS, GAMES, MUSIC AND MORE

Join us for a parish-wide celebration with decorated trunks, sweet treats, family activities, prayer, and parish fellowship. Bring your family, invite a neighbor, and help make the evening welcoming for all ages.

Acompáñenos en una celebración parroquial con maleteros decorados, dulces, actividades familiares, oración y convivencia comunitaria. Traiga a su familia, invite a un vecino y ayude a hacer de esta velada un momento acogedor para personas de todas las edades.

ST PHILIP BENIZI

VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS NEEDED

Please volunteer, register a trunk, or donate by contacting Diana Trout at dianatrout0207@gmail.com or scan the QR code.

We are in need of individually wrapped candies, sodas, and water bottles. Donations can be dropped off the parish office or in the bucket found by the church entrance starting next week.

St. Philip Benizi Women's Council

CALLING ALL WOMEN
AND FRIENDS OF THE PARISH TO OUR

HALLOWEEN

General Meeting

TUESDAY OCTOBER 27
6:00PM AT THE PRO SANCTITY CENTER

DINNER CATERED BY THE PUMPKIN CAFE

IN THE "SPIRIT OF THE SEASON",
HALLOWEEN COLORS
ARE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED

Questions?
Call Patty's
Halloween Hotline
At 714-801-0331
(if you dare)

COSTUME CONTEST,
ACTIVITIES
& SPOOKTACULAR FUN!

LEGION OF MARY

OUR LADY OF CHAMPION OF ST. PHILIP BENIZI

Has begun going Door to Door, every 4th Saturday of month after the 8:30am Mass, to invite our neighbors to Mass

If you would like to join us, please contact the Legion of Mary at spblegionofmary@gmail.com

Hemos comenzado a visitar los hogares —el cuarto sábado de cada mes, después de la Misa de las 8:30 a. m.— para invitar a nuestros vecinos a Misa.

Si desea unirse a nosotros, por favor contacte a la Legión de María spblegionofmary@gmail.com.

Gratitude made visible

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

PASTORAL SERVICES APPEAL

100%

We have reached our PSA goal for 2026 !

$75,812 as of 10/11/26

Thank you for your support.
Gracias por su apoyo.

DONATE ONLINE
Scan the code or visit benizi.org

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time | October 3rd & 4th , 2026

Weekly collection goal: $23,300

5:00 p.m.	$ 1,258
8:30 a.m.	$ 1,554
10:30 a.m.	$ 1,930
12:30 p.m.	$ 1,620
6:30 p.m.	$ 946
Dropped off at office / Mail in	$ 665
Electronic giving	$ 1,908
TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION	**$ 9,881**

Misc.: $ 2,833

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
7:00 pm to 8:30 pm
in the parish hall

In order to be a part of the evening, please call the main office to register. 714.871.3610

SAINTS & OBSERVANCES

Monday
Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs;
St. Peter of Alcantara

Tuesday
St. Paul of the Cross, Priest

Thursday
St. John Paul II, Pope

Friday
St. John of Capistrano, Priest

Saturday
St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

Serve. Pray. Receive.

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

PASTORAL STAFF & MINISTRY CONTACTS

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EMHC, Spanish: Modesto Camarena
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Women's Council President: Patty Hallmeyer
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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.*