

# Sign up NOW for 2010-2011 2 Choirs for St. Philip's Kids!!



## 1. Children's choir:

Open to all children at St. Philip School and Parish grades 1-4.

Rehearsals: Every **Tuesday 4-5pm** beginning **August 31st** in the church hall.

## 2. Junior choir:

Open to all children at St. Philip School and Parish grades 5-8.

Rehearsals: Every **Tuesday 4:15-5:15pm** beginning **August 31st** in the church hall.

Service hours available for singing at mass for middle school students.

## Highlights:

-Participation is **FREE!**

-Performance at the St Philip Festival, Sept 25-26 (To help prepare for this performance which happens so soon after school starts, a CD of the music is available to listen to during the summer. We will be performing a medley of Beatles. New students should call or email Johanna Hirota (see below) to request a copy.)

-Christmas Concert with the Adult Choir

-Archdiocese Choral Festival in the Spring

-St Philip's Music, Art & Literary Nite in the Spring

-Lead singing at the bi-monthly student masses

-The first 10-15 minutes of **Children's choir** rehearsal time will be spent playing simple song games that teach rhythm, pitch and other skills useful in choral singing. Junior choir students are welcome to join.

## Requirements:

1. Complete the attached sign up sheet and return to the school office ASAP.
2. Regular attendance at rehearsals.
3. Participation at the student masses throughout the year. Student masses are generally the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of each month. Choir students are expected to help lead the singing at these masses. (Junior Choir members are encouraged to sing at any Saturday or Sunday mass with the adult choir.)
4. Participation in Concerts (dates to be announced as soon as determined).

*Choral singing does not require extraordinary talent, only the desire to make joyful sounds. Singing is for everyone! Choral Singing is a Team Activity. We encourage everyone to participate, with or without prior experience.*

For more information or questions please do not hesitate to call: Carlton White, Music Director @408.605.4483 (mman415@yahoo.com) or Johanna Hirota, Volunteer Assistant @415.601.8673 (Johanna@hirota5.com)

# St Philip Choir Sign Up Form

School year 2010-2011



Child's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Grade(s) in Fall 2010: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # Eve: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

I give my above mentioned child/children permission to participate in the St. Philip's Children's and/or Junior Choir, to attend rehearsals on Tuesday's (from 4:00 to 5:00pm for Children's choir or 4:15-5:15pm for Junior Choir), and to participate in concerts and Masses:

Parent Signature:

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