

As Introduced

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S. R. No. 602

Senators Balderson, Peterson

A RESOLUTION

Honoring St. Philip's Episcopal Church on its One Hundred
Fiftieth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate St. Philip's
Episcopal Church on its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Since its inception, St. Philip's Episcopal Church
has offered its members the pathway to a more meaningful life by
illuminating and demonstrating the precepts on which the church
was founded. The spirit of love and fellowship that exists among
the parishioners not only prevails within the church edifice
itself but also extends beyond those sacred walls to touch the
lives of everyone encountered by these devout disciples; and

WHEREAS, Under the capable direction of many religious
leaders, including its current pastor, the Reverend Dave Getreu,
St. Philip's Episcopal Church has experienced continual growth and
has provided a source of moral guidance and spiritual motivation
for its congregation. Over the years, the church has enhanced the
quality of life within the surrounding area, and through its
generous efforts, it has earned the gratitude and respect of the
many citizens it has so capably served; and

WHEREAS, An occasion such as this is an important milestone
that represents dedication and commitment. The members of St.
Philip's Episcopal Church have kept their faith alive in the
community, and on this special anniversary, they have accepted the
challenge of carrying their beliefs into the future; therefore be
it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend St.

Philip's Episcopal Church on its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary	27
and pay tribute to all those joining in the celebration of this	28
joyous event; and be it further	29
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to St. Philip's Episcopal	31
Church.	32