

# Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul And the Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel

18th Street and Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

*Most Reverend Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M. Cap., Archbishop of Philadelphia*



**September 8, 2019**

## **Parish Mission Statement**

As a vibrant Roman Catholic community in Center City, the Cathedral Parish Serves all those who come to the Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. We profess our Catholic Faith, minister to others and welcome all, as founded on the Word of God and the celebration of the Sacraments of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

*Adopted by the Parish Council, April 5, 2016*

**Reverend Gerald Dennis Gill**  
**Rector and Pastor**

**Reverend Monsignor Arthur E. Rodgers**  
**Rector Emeritus**

**Reverend Matthew K. Biedrzycki**  
**Parochial Vicar**

**Reverend Monsignor Louis A. D'Addezio**  
**Reverend Isaac Haywiser, O.S.B.**  
**Priests in Residence**

**Deacon Epifanio de Jesus**

**Sister Eleanor McCann, R.S.M.**  
**Pastoral Associate**

**Sister Mary Luchia, P.V.M.I**  
**Parish Evangelization**

**Charlene Angelini**  
**Director of Cathedral Parish Music**

**Mark Loria**  
**Principal Organist**

**Edward J. Specht IV**  
**Coordinator of Religious Education**

**The Cathedral Shop is open**  
**Wed. 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM / Sat. 11:00 AM - 5:15 PM**  
**Sun. 10:30 AM - 6:30 PM / 215-665-9032**

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

**Sunday:** 5:15 PM Anticipated Mass on Saturday  
8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM in Basilica  
12:30 PM Spanish in Cathedral Chapel  
Sta. Misa en español, en la Capilla  
6:30 PM in Basilica

**Weekdays:** 7:15 AM, 12:05 PM in Cathedral Chapel

**Saturdays:** 12:05 PM in Cathedral Chapel

**Holy Days:** See website

## **SACRAMENT OF PENANCE SCHEDULE**

**Sunday:** 9:00 AM and 5:30 PM in Basilica  
12:00 PM (español) en la Capilla

**Weekdays:** 11:30 AM in Basilica

**Saturday:** 4:15 to 5:00 PM in Basilica

Please contact the Parish Office to arrange for the:  
**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE,**  
**SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK,**  
**AND HOLY COMMUNION OF THE SICK**  
**AND HOMEBOUND**

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**Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM (lunch break 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)**  
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# Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 8, 2019

*“Let your face shine upon your servant; and teach me your laws.”*

*Ps 119: 135*



## *Mass Intentions for the week*

### **Sep 7, First Saturday, Weekday;**

#### **BVM**

- 12:05 Dolores Oprocha  
5:15 Dennis Palandro, Jr.

### **Sep 8, Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- 8:00 For the People of the Parish  
9:30 Bridie Friel  
11:00 Intention of Don Dutton  
12:30 Xiomara Manzo  
6:30 For the People of the  
Archdiocese

### **Sep 9, Monday, St. Peter Claver**

- 7:15 Intention of Jose Cambronero,  
Jr.  
12:05 Living & Deceased Members  
of the League of the Sacred  
Heart

### **Sep 10, Tuesday, Weekday**

- 7:15 Elizabeth Vasturia  
12:05 Sarcleti Family

### **Sep 11, Wednesday, Weekday**

- 7:15 Intention of Veronica Chico  
12:05 Intention of Antonia Pugliese

### **Sep 12, Thursday, Weekday, The most Holy Name of Mary**

- 7:15 Robert Sierke  
12:05 Brian Cuddy

### **Sep 13, Friday, St. John Chrysostom**

- 7:15 Phillis Sheehe  
12:05 James Pendergast

### **Sep 14, Saturday, The Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

- 12:05 Antonio & Maddelena Leone  
5:15 Michael & Stephanie Smalyga

### **Sep 15, Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- 8:00 For the People of the Parish  
9:30 Arnold & Lena Quici  
11:00 Alessandro Iavarone  
12:30 Marybel Yañez  
6:30 For the People of the  
Archdiocese

Dear Parishioners,

*“Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple (Luke 14: 27).”* The Lord continues to form us as his followers, his disciples, with this Sunday’s Gospel. As with last Sunday’s teaching on humility, so this week we learn to follow Jesus with an invitation to be like him, to imitate him. Following Jesus requires a complete abandonment of ourselves to him, to his will, to his way. When Jesus went to the cross to die for us, he abandoned himself completely to his Father’s will for him so that he would be our Redeemer. Likewise, today Jesus calls us to carry our own cross—whatever it might be—and in so doing we imitate him and become his true follower and disciple. It is not possible to be an authentic follower of Christ and at the same time cling to ourselves, to our will, to our way. Rather, our following after the Lord must be complete and total. The Church and the world are in desperate need of authentic disciples. Let us encourage one another in this duty. Our fervent and conscious participation in the Holy Eucharist—the Eucharistic Prayer and the reception of Holy Communion—gives us the grace indeed to take up our cross and be the disciples of Jesus.

*Next Sunday, September 15, 2019, we observe Catechetical Sunday throughout the United States.* Catechetical Sunday provides the opportunity to highlight those in our parish community who assist the priests in teaching and passing on the Faith. At the 11:00 AM Solemn Mass next Sunday, our parish catechists will receive a blessing for their important work among us. In a sense, all of us are catechists, perhaps not in a formal way, by way of our Baptism into Christ. We all have the duty to pass on the Faith to family members, friends and those we meet each day. Many times this takes place with good example. It also takes place when we stand up for the Faith or correct an erroneous presentation of the Faith. Let us pray for our parish catechists and for ourselves for the strength to be solid witnesses to Jesus and all he teaches us through his Church.

*On Sunday, September 22, 2019, the annual Blue Mass will take place at the 9:30 AM Mass.* This Mass gives us the opportunity to pray in a public way for our Police, Fire Protectors and all first responders. The local news constantly shows us the bravery of these men and women who valiantly give of themselves to keep us safe in harm’s way. The annual Blue Mass reminds us that our thoughts and prayers should follow those in blue uniforms all year round.

*We are still in need of parish sponsors for the adults among us preparing for Baptism, Confirmation and the Holy Eucharist through our Christian Initiation ministry.* If you are interested in accompanying one of these adults on their journey of preparation for the Sacraments, please contact Edward Specht, at [cathedralreligiouseducation@gmail.com](mailto:cathedralreligiouseducation@gmail.com).

*Next Sunday, the second collection will be directed to the poor and needy in the neighborhood of the Cathedral Parish.* If possible, please make use of the on-line possibility of making your weekly offering. Thank you so very much for all your goodness and generosity to the Cathedral Parish and to the Appeal for Catholic Charities.

God bless you,

Father Dennis Gill

## CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS

-Adult faith formation-

*First Fall Session*

**What is Christian Initiation?**

**What is Faith?**

Thursday, September 12, 2019, 7:00 PM

Meeting in the Neumann Room

Catechist: Fr. Dennis Gill

The weekly catechetical session is primarily for the adults among us who are preparing to receive the Easter Sacraments. However, **anyone** interested in the topic for better understanding and faith formation is most welcome to attend. Anyone, especially our parishioners, seeking more information on the reception of the Sacraments or assisting as a sponsor, please call the Parish Office., 215-561-1313 or email Edward Specht at [cathedralreligiouseducation@gmail.com](mailto:cathedralreligiouseducation@gmail.com)

## PARISHIONER INFORMATION UPDATE

**New Parishioners.** Welcome to the Cathedral Parish!

The easiest way to register can be accomplished by speaking with one of the parish priests after any regularly scheduled Mass. If preferred, you can also contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to meet with a priest for parish registration.

**Parishioners.** If you have new contact information, new members in your household, or someone in your household has received a sacrament, please call the Parish Office so that our records can be updated. **If you have not been receiving your weekly offering envelopes**, again, please call the Parish Office to insure that your address is registered correctly. If you are planning on moving away please let us know. *Parish Office phone number is 215-561-1313.*

*Congratulations Meghan!*

Pope Francis has honored our very own parishioner Meghan Cokeley, Director of the Office for the New Evangelization, with the *Benemerenti* Medal. For laypersons, deacons, and religious, the *Benemerenti* Medal and its equivalent, the *Cross Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice*, are among the highest honors the Holy Father can bestow on an individual. A total of forty [\(40\) people](#) within our Archdiocese, including Meghan, received papal honors this year.

**Please remember these parishioners and friends of the Cathedral Parish in your prayers/ Ora por los enfermos:** Michelle Leighton, Charlotte McLaughlin, William Zawacki, Judy Miller, Rose McKenna, McKinley Angelucci, Mary Jo D'Ortone, Amanda Razzano, Jaelin Liver, Steve Cook, Daniel Moyer Sr., Gloria Quici, Michele Smith, Louise Quattrone, Phoenix McFetridge, Laura Bernal, Sophie Monterosso, Ryley Nazario, Terry Dynako, Dave Dynako, Greg Lund, Corbin M. Schindler, John McGrath, Paige Bednarsky, Ted Johnston, Dolores Bearden, Michael Piotrowski, Beverly Martin, Evan C. Farrington, Darcel Burney, Sergio Hernandez, Marcia Clark, Fruma Ludwig, John Cantwell, Jr., Jeffrey Press, Daniel Kilpatrick, Carol Snipes, Eileen & Herbert Luscomb, Teresa Mirabelli, Janice Holshin, Rose Rippe, Russell Heim, Karen Spadaccini, Pearl Hammond, Mary W., James Pinto, Joan Decker, George Gunning, April DeMatto, Laura Kerr, and those in nursing homes or hospitals and all the sick. **Please call the Parish Office with the name of anyone who is sick, to be included in our prayer list. Por favor llamar a la oficina parroquial para añadir a la lista los nombres de personas que estén enfermas.**

## THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM



The celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism is the doorway to the Christian life and to all the other Sacraments. As such, preparation of the parents and for the Baptism itself deserve very special attention. The celebration of Baptism at the Cathedral Parish takes place on the first Sunday of each month at 12:30 PM after the 11:00 AM Solemn Mass. Everyone is welcome. The celebration will be carried out with liturgical music and with a great sense of hospitality. **Upcoming Baptisms:** Oct 6, Nov 3, 2019, Jan 5, 2020 (no baptisms in Sep or Dec).

A *Baptism Preparation Session* takes place on the third Sunday of each month in anticipation of the celebration of the Sacrament. Parents in the Cathedral Parish are obligated to participate. The session is open to all of our neighbor parishes and to godparents as well. Parents are encouraged to participate during pregnancy, if at all possible. Please call the Parish Office at 215-561-1313 to register for the Baptism Preparation Session or email **Nora** at [nmartin@archphila.org](mailto:nmartin@archphila.org); provide your phone number, parish, and names of people attending. Also note if you would like to schedule the baptism at the Cathedral.

**Upcoming prep sessions: Sept 15 & Oct 20 in the Neumann Room, Nov. 17 in the Basilica.**

**For details on requirements for the parents and sponsors please visit our website:**

[cathedralphila.org/sacraments/baptism](http://cathedralphila.org/sacraments/baptism)

## Readings for Mass for this Week

Please see the website of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: [usccb.org/bible/readings](http://usccb.org/bible/readings)

## PARISH FINANCIAL SUPPORT

The Financial Support of the Cathedral Parish is the duty of our parishioners. Here at the Cathedral Parish we are greatly supported as well by our many visitors. The offertory collection for Sunday 9/01/19 was \$5,147(1st), \$810(2nd).

**Thank you very much for your generous financial support to the Cathedral Parish.**

## What's Happening at the Parish Outside the Liturgical Schedule

- Sep 8** Legion of Mary Meeting, APC, 12:45PM  
Prayer group in Spanish, NR, 1:50 PM
- Sep 10** Adult Faith Sharing, Neumann Room, 2PM
- Sep 11** Scripture Reflection for lawyers, NR, 8 AM  
Charismatic Prayer Group, NR, 6 PM
- Sep 15** [Remain in My Love](#), mini marriage conference,  
Chapel, 2 PM  
Holy Hour for reparation, Basilica, 5:30 PM
- Sep 22** [Blue Mass](#), Basilica, 9:30 AM

## EVENTOS DE INTERÉS

### TEN MISERICORDIA DE NOSOTROS, OH DIOS Hora Santa de Reparacion y Peticion

Hoy, Domingo 15 de septiembre, 2019, de 5:30 a 6:30 PM

Lugar: En la Basilica  
Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia - [archphila.org/vigil](http://archphila.org/vigil)

### La Misa Azul

Domingo, 22 de septiembre de 2019

Acompañanos a orar por los policías, bomberos, y paramédicos que sirven a nuestra comunidad. Agradecemos su compromiso y dedicación por el bien común.

Lugar: La Basílica

Domingo, 22 de septiembre de 2019

Grupo de Oración después de la Misa en español  
1:50-2:50 PM en el Neumann Room, detrás de la Catedral  
¡Acompañanos!

### Retiro Y Misa de la Herencia Hispana

Sábado, 5 de Octubre del 2019, 8 AM a 4 PM

Salón de la parroquia San Pedro el Apóstol  
1039 N. Lawrence St. Philadelphia, PA 19123  
Registracion necesaria ya que se ofrecerá almuerzo. Para información y registración: 215-667-2820 o [karan-go@archphila.org](mailto:karan-go@archphila.org)

### El Sacramento del Bautismo en Español

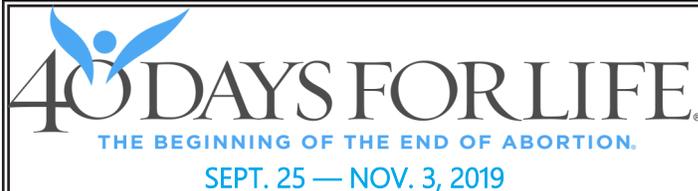
Octubre 27, 2019— 1:30 PM

El Sacramento del Bautismo normalmente se celebra en español cada 3 meses, el último domingo del mes; **Por favor hable con el Diácono Epifanio para suscribirse en la clase de preparación y para programar el Bautismo de su hijo/a. Si su hijo/a es mayor de 7 años, el proceso es diferente**, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial para mayor información. El Sacramento del Bautismo normalmente se celebra en inglés el primer domingo de cada mes. Para más información por favor llame a la oficina parroquial, 215-561-1313.

### Nuestra Señora del Encuentro Radio

¡Sintonizanos!

[nseradio.com](http://nseradio.com) [www.youtube.com/user/nsetvradio](http://www.youtube.com/user/nsetvradio)



**FIND A 40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN**

40 DIAS POR LAVIDA - El principio del fin al aborto

¡Súcríbete! [40daysforlife.com/browse-campaigns](http://40daysforlife.com/browse-campaigns)

## UN CAMBIO DE CORAZÓN

La lectura del evangelio de hoy es difícil de entender para algunas personas. Podemos aceptar que debemos cargar la cruz y seguir a Jesús pero, ¿por qué él dice que debemos preferirlo por encima de nuestro padre, nuestra madre, nuestro cónyuge, hermanos, hermanas y aún por encima de nosotros mismos, para ser discípulo suyo? Los seres humanos a menudo se aferran a sus relaciones y posesiones, llegando éstas a ocupar un lugar primordial en su corazón—el lugar que debería estar reservado para Dios. Cuando Dios queda desplazado en el corazón del creyente el verdadero discipulado es casi imposible. Piensa en estos ejemplos: la mujer que pone toda su atención en sus hijos e ignora al esposo; el hombre que se pasa todas las tardes y fines de semana bebiendo; la joven pareja, que está tan enamorada, que no tienen en cuenta a más nadie que a ellos dos; la persona que lo acapara todo como para compensar la pérdida o carencia de relaciones. Todas estas actitudes podrían ser desplazamientos temporales pero, si llegan a convertirse en hábitos, pueden alejar a las personas de Dios. Ir a Misa regularmente, decir oraciones con frecuencia y guardar los mandamientos son hábitos excelentes; pero no nos acercan a Dios, a no ser que Dios pase a ocupar de nuevo el primer lugar en nuestro corazón. Tal cambio es una verdadera conversión y nos permite convertirnos en discípulos de Jesús. Como discípulos cargamos una cruz que algunas veces nos hace vivir experiencias drásticas, pero la mayoría de las veces esa cruz significa reordenar nuestras prioridades y nuestra manera de vivir.

### La Corresponsabilidad Vivida Ahora

Haz un espacio en tu casa y pon un crucifijo, una estatua o cuadro de la Virgen María y de algunos santos. Añade además fotos de personas que son especiales para ti. Reza en ese lugar diariamente.

## Religious Education for Parish Children at St. Francis Xavier

St. Francis Xavier CCD/PREP will have its first class of the school year on Wednesday, September 18th at 6:30 PM

They will offer classes for grades 1 through 8.

Registrations will be held on Sunday, September 8th from 10:00 am to 2:00 PM at SFX school on 24th and Wallace Streets.

You may register by mail, please provide a baptismal certificate for children new to our CCD/PREP.

Print the Registration form here: [cathedralphila.org/parish-info/REchildren](http://cathedralphila.org/parish-info/REchildren)

Registration fee is \$45 and it must be included with the registration form. For more information, contact Pat Schuyler at 215-568-2594 or email [patschuyler@gmail.com](mailto:patschuyler@gmail.com).

Send completed registration forms to Pat Schuyler, 9896 Bustleton Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19115. Please do not send registration forms and/or fees to the Cathedral or St. Francis Xavier rectory.

## DURUFLÉ REQUIEM MASS

NOVEMBER 2, 2019 - 2:30PM

*"Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine"*



Come gather in communal remembrance of our deceased loved ones who have gone before us.

The Cathedral Parish will present Maurice Duruflé's *Requiem*, to be sung as part of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

In order to experience the full beauty of the *Requiem*, we are in need of sponsors to help financially sponsor the music for this Mass.

All who donate will be given the opportunity to have the names of deceased loved ones included in the In Memoriam section of the worship aid for this Mass.

To donate please use the QR code or visit [cathedralphila.org/music](http://cathedralphila.org/music)



## Evangelization

### Getting "Unstuck" in the Spiritual Life—Part 2

Last week we considered the plight of being "stuck" in our sins. We pondered further how recognizing this plight is the first step towards getting unstuck spiritually and preparing to receive God's mercy anew. We consider the words of St. Bernard: who said:

*"Is it possible for such wretchedness to make a man happy? Whoever you are, if you are in this frame of mind, do not despair: it is mercy not misery, that makes a man happy, but mercy's natural home is misery. [...] Sickness has real utility when it leads to the doctor's hands, and he whom God restores to health gains by having been ill."*<sup>1</sup>

In the Sacrament of Reconciliation God works through his priests to communicate his mercy and grace to the soul in sorrow and lift him up to a new life, a resurrected life. Objectively the Sacraments communicate the graces they signify; by our sorrowful confession of sin, desire to amend our lives and reception of absolution, granted nothing bars us from receiving that absolution well, we may be confident of God's forgiveness.

Subjectively, our fruitful participation in the sacraments can always grow. This is for instance where the distinction may come in between a good confession and one that could be better. What do I mean? Making a good confession might be described as making one wherein we take adequate time to prepare ahead of time by a thorough examination of conscience.

Objectively the sins most necessary to confess are those which are **mortal**. That is, those sins that are 1) objectively serious, according to revelation and Church Teaching, 2) we know them to be serious, 3) we commit said sins regardless of that understanding. These sins effectively put to death the life of God's charity in us. While they can wound faith and hope in our hearts, these two remain and bring us back to God. If we were to die with such sins on our hearts, un-repented, we would deprive ourselves of heaven and its heart – God.

It is good to come to the sacrament too if the only sins we have committed are of a less serious nature, those sins which are **venial**. These sins, while able to be forgiven in confession, may also be forgiven by a sincere reception of our Lord in Holy Communion. Mortal sins may only be forgiven in Reconciliation because of their distinctly different character.

Any good examination of conscience will often walk a person through the Ten Commandments and help to identify/distinguish mortal from venial sins, the serious from the less serious. Ultimately, if we are uncertain as to the gravity or nature of an act ("Is this a sin or not a sin?") we do well to seek the answer in scripture, through learned persons or simply ask the priest before or during confession. If we are satisfied that we have not violated the ten commandments, it can be helpful to turn to the Beatitudes and examine ourselves according to their standard; that of the blessed.

Lastly, we do well to bring with us to the confessional a firm purpose of amendment. Having sorrow for our sins, and recognizing our misery is the beginning. Building upon the mercy given so as to live the life of the new man in God is next step. God doesn't merely call us to goodness but holiness. He knows what's at stake, he knows how difficult that can be to grasp and so has given us every good thing in order to strive ever onward. St. Junipero Serra had a motto: *"Always forward, never back!"* May this describe our walk with him on the road to heaven!

Fr. Matthew Biedrzycki

<sup>1</sup> Sermons of Conversion, p.46

## OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST

### The Sixth Patricians Meeting Remain Steadfast in Your Faith with a little help from the angels, like St. Raphael

Sunday, September 8, 2019, 12:45 PM—2:45 PM

Spiritual Director: Sister Mary Luchia, P.V.M.I.

Presenter: Mr. Thomas Koge

Location: Archdiocesan Pastoral Center, Room 1307  
*September 8 is the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. During the tea interval, a special lunch will be served to honor our Blessed Mother.* For additional information visit [cathedralphila.org/legion-of-mary](http://cathedralphila.org/legion-of-mary)

### American Catholic Historical Society "Historical Preservation in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia Documenting Cases at St. Peter Claver & St. Laurentius"

Sun. Sept. 15, 2019, 1:30 PM Open House, 2:00 PM Talk  
*FREE and open to the public*

Screening and discussion of two short documentaries that recount efforts by Catholics in Philadelphia to preserve their sacred spaces. Location: American Catholic Historical Society, 263 S. 4th St, Philadelphia. For more information, visit [www.amchs.org](http://www.amchs.org). RSVP with your name and number of attendees by Sept. 12 to [info@amchs.org](mailto:info@amchs.org)

### Marian Movement of Priests NATIONAL RETREAT FOR LAITY

Fri., Sep. 13, Sun., Sep. 15, 2019

The schedule will follow the format of a cenacle and include the recitation of the Holy Rosary prayed throughout the day, and the reading and meditation on Our Lady's messages. Daily Mass will be celebrated, and the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Eucharistic Adoration. Location: Malvern Retreat House, Malvern, PA. To register, go to: [www.malvernretreat.com](http://www.malvernretreat.com) or call 610-644-0400; FMI, call MMP Headquarters: (207) 398-3375

### Padre Pio Festival—September 14 & 15, 2019

St. Bede the Venerable Parish, Holland, PA

More info: <https://padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com/>



### SISTERS OF LIFE CO-WORKER OF LIFE Initial Formation Training Day

Sat., Sep. 21, 2019,  
9:00AM-4:00PM

Registration begins 8:30AM

St. Malachy's Catholic Church  
1429 N. 11th St. Philadelphia, PA

For all those interested in serving alongside us in our mission to vulnerable pregnant women.

The day will include Mass, lunch and talks by Sisters of Life on topics including: • *Understanding the heart of a pregnant woman.* • *Roles of co-workers* • *Brief overview on speaking to a woman who has suffered from an abortion in the past*

For more info and to RSVP please contact us at:  
[philly@sistersoflife.org](mailto:philly@sistersoflife.org) | 267-831-3100

## A Baby's Breath Silent Auction

Please come to A Baby's Breath Crisis Pregnancy Center's 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Silent Auction & Dinner Reception –  
**Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM**

at the Crowne Plaza in King of Prussia, PA. The auction features vacations, tickets to Phillies & Flyers games; restaurant gift certificates, gift baskets & more!

Rev. Stephen DeLacy will be the guest speaker and MC.

Tickets are \$70 per person (complimentary beer, wine & soda included) For tickets and more info, please contact Kim Granito at 610-792-0737 or email [kim@thegranitos.com](mailto:kim@thegranitos.com)



## Resources for Catholics to know their Faith

(Cont.)

### ♦ Magisterium

○ Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition

• Online: <http://www.vatican.va/archive/ENG0015/INDEX.HTM>

• Online/Print: <http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/what-we-believe/catechism/catechism-of-the-catholic-church/>

○ United States Catholic Catechism for Adults <http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/what-we-believe/catechism/us-catholic-catechism-for-adults/index.cfm>

○ Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church <http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/what-we-believe/catechism/compendium/index.cfm>

○ YouCat (youth catechism based on the above)

<https://www.youcat.org/>

<https://www.youcat.org/products/youcat>

○ Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church • [http://www.vatican.va/roman\\_curia/pontifical\\_councils/justpeace/documents/rc\\_pc\\_justpeace\\_doc\\_20060526\\_compendio-dott-soc\\_en.html](http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/pontifical_councils/justpeace/documents/rc_pc_justpeace_doc_20060526_compendio-dott-soc_en.html)

• <https://www.amazon.com/Compendium-Doctrine-Pontifical-Council-Justice/dp/1574556924>

○ DoCat (youth compendium of the social doctrine)

• <https://www.youcat.org/products/docat>

○ Documents of the Second Vatican Council: [http://www.vatican.va/archive/hist\\_councils/ii\\_vatican\\_council/index.htm](http://www.vatican.va/archive/hist_councils/ii_vatican_council/index.htm)

○ Papal Writings and other Councils' documents:

• <https://www.papalencyclicals.net/councils>

## Tours of the Cathedral Basilica

A guided tour of the Basilica is available after the 11:00 AM Sunday Mass (except on 1st Sunday starting October). Please gather in front of the Side Altar of the Sacred Heart, which is located to the right of the Main Sanctuary.

