

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

18th Street and Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Most Reverend Nelson J. Pérez, Archbishop of Philadelphia



September 13, 2026

Parish Mission Statement

With Jesus Christ as our Head and Foundation, the Cathedral Parish of Saints Peter and Paul forms a vibrant Roman Catholic community in Center City and serves all those who come to the Cathedral Basilica, the Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. Our parish community professes our Catholic Faith, ministers to others and welcomes all, as rooted in the Word of God and the celebration of the Sacraments of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

*Adopted by the Parish Council
August 10, 2021*

MASS SCHEDULE

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

Weekdays: 7:15 AM, 12:05 PM - Mass in the Cathedral Chapel

Saturdays: 12:05 PM - Mass in the Cathedral Chapel

Holy Days: See website

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE SCHEDULE

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

Weekdays: 11:30 AM in the Basilica

Saturday: 4:15 PM in the 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**

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

Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul
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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
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Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel <https://cathedralphila.org/drexel/>

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, September 13, 2026

*"I give you a new commandment, says the Lord: love one another as I have loved you."
John 13:34 R. Alleluia, alleluia.*

Weekly Intentions



September 12	Saturday, Weekday
	The Most Holy Name of Mary
12:05	Madeline Pierce
5:15	Gregory Sitko
September 13	Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Luis Enrique Nouel
11:00	For the intentions of Soon Young Susanna Suh-Kim
12:30	Por la salud de Lorenza Castro
6:30	Craig Sabatino
September 14	Monday
	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
7:15	Dr. Giulio John D'Angio
12:05	For the intentions of Irma Chico
September 15	Tuesday
	Our Lady of Sorrows
7:15	For peace in the world and the city
12:05	Dr. Moon Ja Marianna Suh-Noh & Jae Yun Thomas Noh
September 16	Wednesday
	Srs. Cornelius & Cyprian
7:15	For the increase of vocations to the Holy Priesthood
12:05	Marie Pero
September 17	Thursday, Weekday
	St. Robert Bellarmine; St. Hildegard of Bingen
7:15	Mildred Feler
12:05	John Joseph Parente
September 18	Friday, Weekday
7:15	For the increase of vocations to the Consecrated Life
12:05	Patricia Iannetti
September 19	Saturday, Weekday
	St. Januarius
12:05	Julia W. Terlesky
5:15	For the intentions of Eridania Guzmán & Josh Nouel
September 20	Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Joseph Frank
11:00	In Thanksgiving for the Jubilarians
12:30	Juan C. Tellez
6:30	For the deceased members of the To Family

Dear Parishioners,

This is the Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Gospel for this Sunday (see Matthew 18: 21-35) is a challenge on many fronts. Before we consider the instruction of Jesus for this Sunday, we need to recall it comes after weeks of hearing the Lord inviting us to a deeper faith in him and to follow him even to the cross. We are ready to learn as followers of Christ that we must forgive one another not seven times but seventy-seven times. Does this mean we forget the pain and hurt of being wronged in some way? Does this imply that we can allow almost anyone or anything to disrespect us and disregard our rights and dignity? No, this is not forgiveness. Forgiveness is the willingness to love someone without holding on to the offense. This is the way the Lord forgives us repeatedly—more than seventy-seven times. This manner of forgiveness requires the true Christian spirit and the practice of it in our daily lives.

The Gospel for this Sunday also reminds us of our need to seek the forgiveness of Almighty God with the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation. In a time when we are nearly numb to sin and its damaging effects on our relationship with the Lord and others, it is rather easy to put aside the compelling need as Christians to be contrite and to go to Confession. In the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation, we actually meet the same Christ we meet in the Eucharist. Jesus is truly present to forgive us and fill us with his grace to avoid future sin and live more completely our Christian lives. The only way for our mortal sins to be forgiven and for us to be restored to communion with Christ and one another is through the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation. It is not possible, and in fact it is offense against Holy Communion, to receive Eucharistic Communion when we are separated from communion with the Lord and one another with serious sin. I encourage you to look at your practice regarding Confession. Have you made a good Confession lately? Are you in serious sin and should take immediate advantage of the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation? Please don't stay away. Come to Confession with some regularity. When we know the personal forgiveness of God, we are even more ready to forgive others.

Next Sunday, September 20, 2026, is Catechetical Sunday. Our parish catechists have a unique responsibility to assist the priests and parents to pass on our Catholic Faith. We have catechists who teach the faith to the parents of newly born children in preparation for Baptism, for school age children in preparation for First Penance, Confirmation and First Holy Communion, for adults in preparation for the Easter Sacraments. In addition to passing on the Faith, these same catechists encourage those they instruct to come to know Jesus in the deepest levels of the heart where he truly heals and restores to his life of grace. In fact, all of us have this same obligation regardless of our Christian state in life. Next Saturday evening at the 5:15 PM Anticipated Mass, we will bless our parish catechists for another year of service to our parishioners. Please keep our parish catechists in your prayers. If anyone has a desire to be a parish catechist, please contact me or Father Taglianetti.

Thank you to all our parishioners and visitors for your goodness and generosity to the Cathedral Parish. The second collection next Sunday will be directed to the religious education programs in the Cathedral Parish. You can mail your Sunday offerings to the Cathedral Parish Office or give electronically. Please see <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>. Thank you very much.

God bless you! Father Dennis Gill, Rector



PRAYER PARTICIPATION GENEROSITY

As our children begin a new school year, may they be joy-filled and confident! May they learn to love and turn to you, dear God, for help and guidance in their lives. Grant our students the courage to find their purposes, to seek your will in everything that they do, and to love others as you love us. Give them the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of you, dear God!

We pray this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Parents, thank you for talking with your children about the charitable gifts your family makes to our Cathedral parish so that they too will live generously as you have taught them.

Jesus, have mercy on us.

Mary and Joseph, pray for us.

St. Katharine Drexel, pray for us.

And let us remember to pray for each other always!

For more information, visit: www.cathedralphila.org.

Your generosity on 9/06 was:

Regular \$5,554
Special 1,705 (to support the poor and needy
Electronic* 2,413 in neighborhood of the Cathedral Parish)
Total \$9,672

*Electronic giving is your average weekly giving for August

Thank you for your generosity to the Cathedral Parish

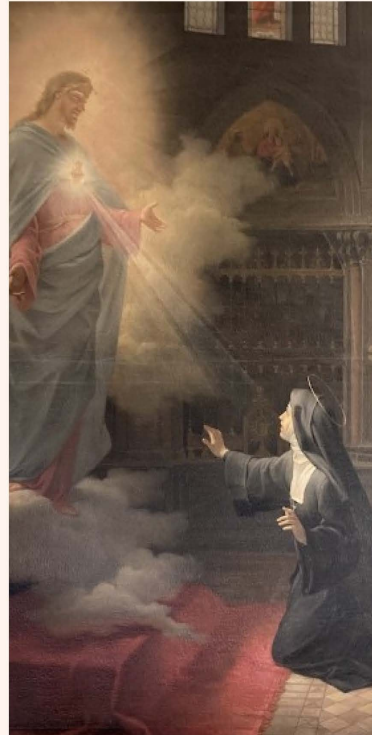
Please consider a gift to support the good works of our Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul.

- You are invited to become a member of our parish family and take part in our ministries, programs, events, and worship. Please speak with Deacon Burgos, email us at info@cathedralphila.org or call the office at 215561-1313 to make an appointment with Father Gill and he can help you register.
- Consider the Cathedral in your Financial Plan – call Rose at the Cathedral office 215-561-1313. She can help with your Estate planning – such as adding the Cathedral as a beneficiary of your life insurance, IRA, annuity or a memorial gift. She can also help you with Tax Planning – such as a gift of appreciated stock or a distribution from your IRA.
- Donate on-line** at <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/> or scan this QR code:



VENERATION OF THE MAJOR (FIRST CLASS) RELICS OF SAINT MARGARET MARY ALACOQUE IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, July 22, 1647-October 17, 1690, was a French Visitation nun and mystic who promoted devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in its modern form. Many mystics throughout the centuries have had apparitions of Mary around the world, while, seemingly, Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque and Saint Faustina received messages from our Savior, Jesus Christ.



FIRST STATION FOR PUBLIC VENERATION
Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul
18th Street and the Benjamin Franklin Parkway
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103
Parking available

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2026

2:00 PM Arrival of the Relics to the Cathedral Chapel
5:00 PM Relics are moved to the Cathedral Basilica until 7:00 PM

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

8:00 AM Relics in the Cathedral Basilica
2:30 PM Relics are moved to the Cathedral Chapel
5:30 PM Relics are moved to the Cathedral Basilica until 8:00 PM

For the Mass and Confession schedule at the Cathedral Basilica for these two days, please visit, <https://cathedralphila.org/>

SECOND STATION FOR PUBLIC VENERATION

Sacre Coeur Perpetual Adoration Shrine
Located on the campus of St. Denis Parish
2401 St. Denis Lane
Havertown, Pennsylvania 19083
Parking available

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2026

Relics in the Adoration Shrine all throughout the day

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2026

Relics in the Adoration Shrine until Noon

For the Mass and Confession schedule at Saint Denis Church for these two days, please visit, <https://saintdenis.org/>

HAVING MASSES OFFERED

One of the spiritual works of mercy is to “pray for the living and the dead”. We pray for the living for many reasons: healing, conversion, success, strength, etc. We pray for the deceased so that they may be forgiven of their sins and enter eternal life.

The best prayer that we have, for any person or for any reason, is the Mass. It’s always been a good spiritual work of mercy to have Mass offered for a person, especially the deceased.

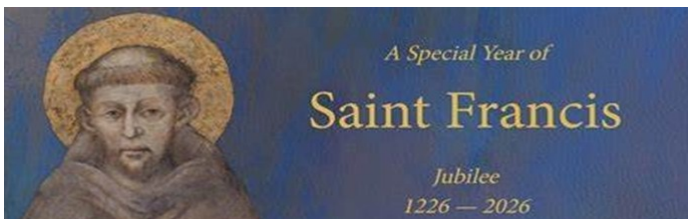
There are many Masses, both weekdays and Sundays, that are open and available in our Mass book. If you are interested in having a Mass offered for someone, please stop by our receptionist office Monday-Friday 9:00AM—4:00PM. **Each Mass is a \$10 stipend.**

LEGION OF MARY

Serving God in prayer and spiritual works of mercy under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and Mary. Come and be a guest at one of our **Sunday meetings in the Neumann Room.**

September 13 from 1-2:30 pm

Any questions, contact Barbara at 610-585-0821.



Please remember these parishioners and friends of the Cathedral Parish in your prayers/ Oren por los enfermos y fallecidos: Charles Barclay, Miara, Thomas, Paola, Jessy Milner, Dr. Kermit Gosnell, Lissy, Ace, Rhonda Davis, Anna Juno, Kathleen Coscia, CJ Dominique, Ron Hoglund, Philip Tavares, Isaac Nunez, Johanna Carroll, Eridania Guzmán, Grace Marie, Kyree Curtis, Joan Robertson, Erick Santos, For All Souls in Purgatory, For the Deliverance Ministry and all in need of deliverance, For the intentions submitted to PrayersUniteTheWorld.org, and those in nursing homes or hospitals and all the sick. **To add or remove parishioners, friends or family members to the prayer list, please send an email to: prayingforyou@cathedralphila.org. Por favor envíe un email o llame a la oficina parroquial para añadir o remover los nombres de la lista de personas que estén enfermas.**

Declaración de la Misión de la Parroquia Catedral de los Santos Pedro y Pablo

Con Jesucristo como nuestra Cabeza y Fundamento, la Parroquia Catedral de los Santos Pedro y Pablo forma una vibrante comunidad Católica Romana en el centro de la ciudad y sirve a todos aquellos que vienen a la Catedral Basílica, la Iglesia Madre de la Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia. Nuestra comunidad parroquial profesa nuestra fe católica, ministra a los demás y da la bienvenida a todos, enraizada en la Palabra de Dios y la celebración de los sacramentos de Jesucristo, nuestro Señor y Salvador.

Adoptado por el Consejo Pastoral Parroquial, 10 de agosto del 2021

SACRAMENTO DE LA RECONCILIACIÓN

Los domingos a las 12:00 PM en la Capilla



MISA VIRGEN DE COROMOTO 2026
"Bajo tu manto, Venezuela se renueva"

CELEBRANDO EL AÑO JUBILAR COROMOTANO
8 SEP 2026 AL 8 SEP 2027

PHILADELPHIA
CATEDRAL DE SAN PEDRO Y SAN PABLO
18TH ST AND BEN FRANKLIN PKWY
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103
DOMINGO 20 DE SEPTIEMBRE
3 PM

ACOMPÁÑANOS A CONMEMORAR LOS 374 AÑOS DE LA APARICIÓN DE LA PATRONA DE VENEZUELA
+ MISA EN ESPAÑOL +



ARQUIDIOCESIS DE FILADELFIA
CONFERENCIA DE MUJERES CATÓLICAS
La belleza real en una era artificial

Sábado, 24 de octubre de 2026

Santuario Nacional de Nuestra Señora de Czestochowa | Doylestown, PA

Presiden

Presentadora



ARZOBISPO
PÉREZ



PADRE
GILL



HERMANA
LUCERO ESPITIA

¡Ya puedes registrarte!

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM



Desayunos ligeros - Almuerzo - Bebida de bienvenida

- \$25,00 por persona para la entrada general a la conferencia en español.
- Para registrarte, haz clic aquí.

¿Tienes alguna pregunta? Llamar a Miriam Rodríguez (215) 320-8065

catholicwomensconference.org

REFLEXIÓN DEL PÁRROCO

Estimados feligreses,

Hoy celebramos el vigésimo cuarto domingo del Tiempo Ordinario. El evangelio de este domingo (véase Mateo 18, 21-35) nos plantea un desafío en muchos aspectos. Antes de reflexionar sobre la enseñanza de Jesús para este día, debemos recordar que esta llega tras semanas de escuchar al Señor invitándonos a tener una fe más profunda en Él y a seguirle incluso hasta la cruz. Como seguidores de Cristo, estamos llamados a aprender que debemos perdonarnos mutuamente no siete veces, sino setenta veces siete. ¿Significa esto que debemos olvidar el dolor y el daño causado por una ofensa? ¿Implica esto que podemos permitir que casi cualquier persona o situación nos falte al respeto o ignore nuestros derechos y nuestra dignidad? No; eso no es el perdón. El perdón es la disposición de amar a alguien sin aferrarse a la ofensa recibida. Así es como el Señor nos perdona repetidamente: más de setenta veces siete. Esta forma de perdonar requiere un verdadero espíritu cristiano y su práctica en nuestra vida cotidiana.

El evangelio de este domingo también nos recuerda la necesidad de buscar el perdón de Dios Todopoderoso a través del sacramento de la Penitencia y la Reconciliación. En una época en la que nos hemos vuelto casi insensibles al pecado y a sus efectos dañinos en nuestra relación con el Señor y con los demás, resulta fácil pasar por alto la apremiante necesidad, como cristianos, de sentir contrición y acudir a la confesión. En el sacramento de la Penitencia y la Reconciliación, nos encontramos realmente con el mismo Cristo que hallamos en la Eucaristía. Jesús está verdaderamente presente para perdonarnos y colmarnos de su gracia, ayudándonos a evitar el pecado en el futuro y a vivir nuestra vida cristiana con mayor plenitud. La única manera de obtener el perdón de nuestros pecados mortales y de restaurar la comunión con Cristo y con los demás es a través del sacramento de la Penitencia y la Reconciliación. No es posible, y de hecho, constituye una ofensa contra la Sagrada Comunión, recibir la Eucaristía cuando nos encontramos separados de la comunión con el Señor y con el prójimo a causa de un pecado grave. Los animo a examinar su práctica respecto a la confesión. ¿Se han confesado bien últimamente? ¿Se encuentran en estado de pecado grave y deberían aprovechar sin demora el sacramento de la Penitencia y la Reconciliación? Por favor, no se alejen; acudan a confesarse con cierta regularidad. Cuando experimentamos el perdón personal de Dios, estamos aún más dispuestos a perdonar a los demás.

El próximo domingo, 20 de septiembre del 2026, se celebra el Domingo Catequético. Los catequistas de nuestra parroquia tienen la responsabilidad única de ayudar a los sacerdotes y a los padres a transmitir nuestra fe católica. Contamos con catequistas que enseñan la fe a los padres de recién nacidos en preparación para el Bautismo; a niños en edad escolar que se preparan para la Primera Confesión, la Confirmación y la Primera Comunión; y a adultos que se preparan para los sacramentos de la Pascua. Además de transmitir la fe, estos catequistas animan a quienes instruyen a conocer a Jesús en lo más profundo del corazón, allí donde Él verdaderamente sana y restaura a la vida de gracia. De hecho, todos tenemos esta misma obligación, independientemente de nuestro estado de vida cristiana. El próximo sábado, durante la Misa Anticipada de las 5:15 PM, impartiremos una bendición a los catequistas de nuestra parroquia por un año más de servicio a los feligreses. Por favor, tengan presentes a nuestros catequistas en sus oraciones. Si alguien desea ser catequista parroquial, le ruego que se ponga en contacto conmigo o con el Padre Taglianetti.

Gracias a todos nuestros feligreses y visitantes por su bondad y generosidad hacia la parroquia de la Catedral. La segunda colecta del próximo domingo se destinará a los programas de educación religiosa de la parroquia de la Catedral. Pueden enviar sus ofrendas dominicales por correo a la oficina parroquial de la Catedral o realizar su donativo electrónicamente. Por favor, consulten <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>. Muchas gracias.

¡Dios los bendiga! Padre Dennis Gill, Rector



NEW WINE MARRIED COUPLES MINISTRY

“New Wine” is a chance for married couples who have **been married for any length of time** (whether or not you have children) to come together; enjoy wine and the word of Jesus; and strengthen your relationship, marriage, and family life. This will be a time for building friendships with other married couples, learning from one another, and creating a deeper relationship with your spouse and God.

FALL MEETING DATE: October 16, 2026

Friday evening | 6:30-8:00 PM

Rooftop of One Cathedral Square (1701 Race Street)

The building behind the Cathedral Basilica; someone will guide you from the Lobby.

Email Charlotte at cjlr8@aol.com to sign up by October 9th.

- Fr. Gill to open with a marriage enrichment talk
- Wine and cheese
- Meet other parish couples in a beautiful setting that overlooks Logan Circle from the high up

OFFICE FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

INSTITUTE FOR CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Saturday, October 17, 2026

9:00 AM to 12 NOON

Archdiocesan Pastoral Center
1601 Cherry Street - Suite 1100
Philadelphia, PA 19102-1310
Parking available

Reverend Gerald Dennis Gill, Presenter
Director, Office for Divine Worship

All priests, deacons, D/CRE's, Christian Initiation coordinators and teams, catechists are welcome!

Topic:

**Serving Every Path to Christian Initiation:
Part II of the Ritual Book**

The parish implementation of the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is an ongoing process. This year the focus of this session will be on Part II of the ritual book, Rites for Particular Circumstances. In this session the sacramental initiation of school age children, the modified rites for unbaptized adults, and the preparation of already baptized adults, as well as, the rite for reception into full communion of the Catholic Church will be explained and explored. Participants are asked to read Part II of the ritual book in advance of the session.

Join us as we reflect on how to form a dynamic team that fosters authentic conversion and discipleship!

Please register by clicking [HERE](#) or scan this QR code.

Registration Fee: \$35.00 per person

Registration deadline is September 30, 2026.

For questions, please email us at worship@archphila.org

There is Holy Mass at 12:05 PM in the Cathedral Chapel following the workshop.

Office for Divine Worship | Archdiocese of Philadelphia

www.odwphiladelphia.org



CATHEDRAL DAY OF SERVICE

Join our volunteer team for the Cathedral Basilica's first annual Day of Service!

Saturday, September 19, 2026

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

- ✓ Support the Cathedral Basilica
- ✓ Learn more about Cathedral Parish
- ✓ Meet community members
- ✓ Deepen your faith

 www.CathedralPhila.org

 215-561-1313

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A Walking **Rosary** for **Peace**

on the United Nation's
International Day of Peace

Monday, September 21, 2026

12:45 p.m.

Benjamin Franklin Parkway

Following daily Mass, a short procession along the flag-lined Benjamin Franklin Parkway will convene to pray for the Blessed Virgin's intercession for the cause of peace in our time.



Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel
CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL





LOLF BABY BOTTLE DRIVE

Legacy of Life Baby Bottle Drive
This Weekend

This weekend, we welcome a guest speaker from the **Legacy of Life Foundation**. Through your generosity, Legacy of Life has helped thousands of women choose life and receive ongoing support. **Baby Bottle Drive envelopes will be distributed at all Masses this weekend.** Please take one and return it next weekend. You can also scan the QR code to make a gift online.

CELEBRATING
Over 5,000
LIVES SAVED!



Our Baby Bottle Drive is This Weekend!

Please make a gift to support women, children & families during our annual fundraiser for the Legacy of Life Foundation!

You can also make a gift online at legacyoflifefoundation.org.



Together, we can save lives & transform families!

KATHARINE DREXEL
and the Sisters Who
Shared Her Vision



THE SISTERS OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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for Zoom Link

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SKDSHRINE@GMAIL.COM



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READING
CLUB**



2nd & 4th Thursdays,
7-8 p.m. ET via Zoom
Starting Aug. 13th
Ending Sept. 17th

LUMINESCENCE AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

This show has captivated millions of guests around the world and now is an opportunity to welcome visitors into the Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia in a whole new way — and celebrate the 250th anniversary of the United States. **For additional details, please visit <https://luminiscence.com/philadelphia>**

REGISTER FOR FALL CYO SPORTS

**Cross Country
Boys and Girls
Grades K-8**

**Girls Volleyball
Grades 6-8**

Must be a registered parishioner at St. Francis Xavier, Cathedral Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul, or St. Patrick's OR a current student at St. Francis Xavier School.



SCAN ME



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Young adults *** SEPTEMBER ACTIVITIES

This month schedule

BIBLE STUDY

September 8th, 14th and 28th
St. John Neumann Room
(Back of the Cathedral - One
Cathedral Square)

COFFEE AND DONUTS

12:30 PM September 13th, after
11:00 AM mass
Drexel Hall (Cathedral basement)

ROSARY GROUP

10:00 AM September 19th,
Saint Katharine Drexel
(Back of the Cathedral)
Coffee after (place TBD)

Cathedral Basilica of Saints
Peter and Paul
1723 Race St., Philadelphia,
PA
Parking available at the
Basilica

All young adults
between 20ish and
39ish are welcome

MASS FOR THE EQUESTRIAN ORDERS SEPTEMBER 14, 2026

The Philadelphia Chapter of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre will celebrate the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross on **Monday, September 14** with Mass at the **Cathedral Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul at 5:30 pm**. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Timothy Senior of the Diocese of Harrisburg. Following Mass, we will celebrate in the Lincoln Memorial Room at the Union League, 140 S. Broad Street, from 7:00 to 8:30 pm with cocktails and heavy hors d'oeuvres.

CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS -Adult faith formation-

Thursday, September 10, 2026, 7:00 PM

The Blessed Trinity : God the Father

Meeting in the Neumann Room

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 Father Dennis Gill at info@cathedralphila.org

FROM OCTOBER 2-4, 2026
Pilgrims will be welcomed to Our Lady of Lourdes Church-6301 Woodbine Avenue (Overbrook), Philadelphia to VENERATE THE RELICS OF ST. BERNADETTE SOUBIROUS

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish will welcome the relics of **Saint Bernadette Soubirous** for a weekend of pilgrimage, prayer, sacramental grace, and devotion.