# 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

# October 17, 2021

#### **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



Reverend Gerald Dennis Gill - Rector
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### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:15 PM Anticipated Mass

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 9:30 ÂM, 11:00 AM in Basilica

12:30 PM Spanish in Cathedral Chapel (Santa 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 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

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
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# Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, October 17, 2021

"The Son of Man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many."

R. Alleluia, alleluia." MK 10:45



# Weekly Mass Intentions

October 16, Saturday, Weekday St. Hedwig, St. Margaret Mary Alocoque

12:05 Alice Cassidy 5:15 Wajih M. Abed

October 17 Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 For the People of the Parish

9:30 Tom Nethery 11:00 Joan Votto 12:30 Tomasa Lazaro

6:30 Rev. Augustine Esposito,

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October 18, Monday St. Luke

7:15 Intentions of Steve Jun 12:05 Morton Goldfield

October 19, Tuesday

St. John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues and Companions

7:15 Angela Marie Boyle 12:05 Ramon L. Serrano

October 20, Wednesday

St. Paul of the Cross Patricia A. Tarpey

7:15 Patricia A. Tarpey 12:05 Suzanne Watts

October 21, Thursday, Weekday

7:15 Alessandro Iavarone 12:05 Intentions of Sister Maria Juan Anderson, RSM

October 22, Friday, Weekday St. John Paul II

7:15 Loretta Hrabovsky 12:05 George M. Finnerty

October 23, Saturday, Weekday St. John of Capistrano

12:05 Karen A. Cann 5:15 Patrick McCarthy

October 24 Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 For the People of the Parish 9:30 Silverio Berarducci

11:00 Nicola DiFonzo & Family

12:30 Silda de Rodríguez 6:30 Carmela Busillo Dear Parishioners,

Today is the Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Jesus continues to teach us about being his followers in today's Holy Gospel (see Mark 10: 35-45). The Evangelist has been leading us to this point of the teaching of Jesus in a gradual way over the last several Sundays. The Lord has invited us to be comprehensive and complete in our discipleship. In following Jesus there is no room for serious sin, our way of life must be rooted in his plan for life, and keeping the Commandments must run deeply in our souls. Today, in the midst of the dispute among the disciples about who will sit on the right or left of him, Jesus seizes the occasion to bring his teaching on discipleship to a significant next step. To follow Christ is to follow him to the Cross. His true baptism is his offering of his life on the Cross for the glory of the Father and for our salvation. He desires that all who are redeemed and saved by his Cross likewise share in this type of "baptism." His Cross empowers us to also give our lives, every part of our lives, over to him for the glory of the Father and for the service of one another. Every time we participate in Mass, the Sacrifice of Christ on the Cross, we receive the grace to share in the Cross of Christ.

With the 6:30 PM Sunday Mass today, Archbishop Perez opens the Diocesan Phase of the next Synod of Bishops, which will take place in October 2023. This Synod of Bishops will have two preceding phases, the phase that takes place in each local diocese throughout the world (2021) which is then followed by a continental phase (2022). The theme for this Synod is For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, and Mission. These two phases anticipate and prepare for the international phase in Rome (2023) with the Synod of Bishops. The purpose of the Synod is to reflect on the need of every member of the Church to "walk together" with Jesus as the Head of his Body, the Church, in a way that deepens communion, calls forth greater participation in the life of Christ and his Church, and engages us in the mission of the Church with one another in the world. The work of each phase of the Synod is rooted in prayer and reflection. The very process itself fosters synodality, a "walking together" of the members of the Church for communion, participation and mission. More will be said about the Diocesan Phase in the Archdiocese over the next several weeks.

Next Sunday, October 24, 2021, we observe World Mission Sunday. Archbishop Perez will offer the 11:00 AM Solemn Mass next Sunday for the Archdiocesan observance of this occasion. World Mission Sunday reminds us to support the missions spiritually and materially. We are reminded also of our own duty as Christians to make Christ known in every possible circumstance. We will also assemble at this Mass with the Catholic Medical Association to ask the heavenly intercession of Saint Luke (October 18) for all those in the medical profession.

Next Sunday, the second collection will be directed to the Missions and Catholic Missionaries around the world. You can mail your Sunday offerings to the Cathedral Parish Office or make use of the many ways to give electronically. Please see <a href="http://cathedralphila.org/donate/">http://cathedralphila.org/donate/</a>. Thank you so very much for your goodness and generosity to the Cathedral Parish.

God bless you, Father Dennis Gill Rector



# PRAYER | PARTICIPATION | GENEROSITY



Gracious and loving Lord,

May cool mornings invigorate our souls, and the crunch of leaves and fall breezes remind us that change is a blessing. May we imagine ourselves in your arms, close to your heart, surrounded by your light, and find comfort in your consistency as the world around us is constantly changing. You are with us in all circumstances and seasons. Guide us to live with a giving heart, a generous heart and a grateful heart. St. Joseph Pray for us. And let us remember to always pray for each other!

Your generosity on 10/10 was: Average/week for the month of August 2021 (Electronic giving ):

Regular \$ 6,136 Online \$2,263
Special 787 (for Liturgical Music Needs) Text-to-Give 700 \$2,463
Total \$ 6,923

### We hope that your generosity will exceed \$10,000 this week. Thank you!

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 Father Gill, Father Biedrzycki, Deacon Burgos or Sr. Eleanor McCann after any Sunday Mass and one of them can help you register
- Planned Gifts call and leave a message for Rose at 215-561-1313, so she may discuss with you long-term ways that may be best for you such as annuities, life insurance, stock, estate planning and memorial gifts
- Text to give anytime, especially for your Sunday Mass offering text "Cathedral" to 215-709-9955
- **Donate on-line** at <a href="http://cathedralphila.org/donate">http://cathedralphila.org/donate</a>/ or scan this QR code:



# The Divine Mercy Chaplet

We will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet each Friday at 3:00 PM Join us wherever you are.

Join Via Zoom Meeting: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87567068541?pwd=Wmo1V01XWElQLzRuZ0JnOWU2T3Rsdz09

Meeting ID: 875 6706 8541 Passcode: Mercy

### **WAR OF SAINT JOSEPH**

Visit <a href="http://archphila.org/joseph/">http://archphila.org/joseph/</a> often for new events and resources for the celebration of this holy year!

#### LIVE STREAMED SUNDAY MASS AT 11:00 AM

Click Here, or go to: https://vimeo.com/event/17522

**Worship Aid** 

## Readings for Mass for this Week

Please see the website of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: usccb.org/bible/readings

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Subscribe to this exciting online platform, which can be streamed to your TV or mobile device, To register go to <a href="https://www.FORMED.org">www.FORMED.org</a>. Type in our parish code, <a href="https://www.FORMED.org">07854f</a>.



# Rosary Campaign for the end of the Coronavirus

The Office for the New Evangelization of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia invites everyone to join in a **Rosary campaign** for the end of the coronavirus.

Join us online, by phone or in spirit as we pray the Rosary every night at 8 PM. We will ask the miraculous intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary to put an end to the coronavirus.

When: Monday through Thursday at 8:00PM (Eastern)

**Link:** zoom.us/j/494480541... Full details at: phillyevang.org/rosary

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### Please remember these parishioners and friends of the Cathedral Parish in your prayers/ Ora por los enfermos:

Judy Miller, Marie Rizzi, Daniel Damon, Nancy, Jacqueline and her intentions, Anthony Pelle, Jr., Baby Ava Hope, David Blue, Jeannette Argir, Judy Day, Wally Dalton, Baby Benjamin Summers, Eileen Maher, Carmine Meadows, April De Matto, Jim Mace Thompson, Levi Oattes, Rose McKenna, Sue Del Biondo, Paul Fischer, Valente family, Marlene Cinclair, Gloria Quici, Frank Munafo, Matthew Munafo, Rosemary Hennelly, 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: <a href="mailto:sr.mrparadis@archphila.org">sr.mrparadis@archphila.org</a>, or call Sister Mary Raphael, Parish Outreach Coordinator, at the Cathedral Parish Office, 215-561-1313 Monday through Thursday. Por favor envie un email o llame a la oficina parroquial para añadir o remover los nombres de la lista de personas que estén enfermas.

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# 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, agosto 10, 2021

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# REFLEXIÓN DEL RECTOR

Estimados feligreses,

Hoy es el vigésimo noveno domingo del tiempo ordinario. En el Santo Evangelio de hoy Jesús continúa enseñándonos sobre ser sus seguidores (ver Marcos 10: 35-45). Durante los últimos domingos el evangelista nos ha estado conduciendo a este punto de la enseñanza de Jesús de manera gradual. El Señor nos ha invitado a ser comprensivos y completos en nuestro discipulado. Al seguir a Jesús no hay lugar para un pecado grave, nuestra forma de vida debe estar enraizada en su plan de vida, y guardar los Mandamientos debe estar profundamente en nuestras almas. Hoy, en medio de la disputa entre los discípulos sobre quién se sentará a su derecha o a su izquierda, Jesús aprovecha la ocasión para llevar su enseñanza sobre el discipulado a un próximo paso significativo. Seguir a Cristo es seguirlo a la cruz. Su verdadero bautismo es la ofrenda de su vida en la cruz para la gloria del Padre y para nuestra salvación. El desea que todos los que son redimidos y salvados por su cruz también participen de este tipo de "bautismo". Su cruz nos da poder para entregar también nuestras vidas, cada parte de nuestras vidas, a El para la gloria del Padre y para el servicio de los unos a los otros. Cada vez que participamos en la Misa, el Sacrificio de Cristo en la cruz, recibimos la gracia de compartir la cruz de Cristo.

Con la Misa dominical de hoy a las 6:30 PM, el Arzobispo Pérez abre la Fase Diocesana del próximo Sínodo de Obispos que tendrá lugar en octubre del 2023. Este Sínodo de Obispos tendrá dos fases precedentes, la fase que tiene lugar en cada diócesis local a lo largo del mundo (2021) a la que sigue una fase continental (2022). El tema de este Sínodo es Para una Iglesia sinodal: Comunión, Participación, y Misión. Estas dos fases anticipan y preparan la fase internacional en Roma (2023) con el Sínodo de los Obispos. El propósito del Sínodo es reflexionar sobre la necesidad de cada miembro de la Iglesia de "caminar juntos" con Jesús como Cabeza de su Cuerpo, la Iglesia, de una manera que profundiza la comunión, llama a una mayor participación en la vida de Cristo. y su Iglesia, y nos compromete en la misión de la Iglesia unos con otros en el mundo. El trabajo de cada fase del Sínodo tiene sus raíces en la oración y la reflexión. El mismo proceso fomenta la sinodalidad, un "caminar juntos" de los miembros de la Iglesia para la comunión, la participación y la misión. Se hablará más sobre la Fase Diocesana en la Arquidiócesis durante las próximas semanas.

El próximo domingo, 24 de octubre del 2021, observamos el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones. El próximo domingo el Arzobispo Pérez ofrecerá la Misa Solemne de las 11:00 AM para la observancia arquidiocesana de esta ocasión. El Domingo Mundial de las Misiones nos recuerda que debemos apoyar las misiones espiritual y materialmente. También se nos recuerda nuestro propio deber como cristianos de dar a conocer a Cristo en todas las circunstancias posibles. También nos reuniremos en esta Misa con la Asociación Médica Católica para pedir la intercesión celestial de San Lucas (18 de octubre) por todos aquellos en la profesión médica.

El próximo domingo, la segunda colecta estará dirigida a las Misiones y Misioneros Católicos de todo el mundo. Puede enviar sus ofrendas dominicales a la oficina parroquial de la Catedral o hacer uso de las muchas formas de donar electrónicamente. Consulte <a href="http://cathedralphila.org/donate/">http://cathedralphila.org/donate/</a>. Muchas gracias por su bondad y generosidad con la Parroquia Catedral.

Dios te bendiga, Padre Dennis Gill Rector



# CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS -Adult faith formation-

# Living a Sacramental Life The Paschal Mystery

Thursday, October 21, 2021, 7:00 PM 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 at 215-561-1313 or email Father Dennis Gill at fr.dgill@archphila.org

# 400 DAYS FOR LIFE.

The pro-life community of the Cathedral Basilica is praying on; *October 28th* at 12th and Locust Phila (Planned Parenthood).

Would you be able to spare an hour or two on either day to pray at the clinic? Sometimes a loving presence is all it takes for a woman to choose life!

Please reach out to Kim; <a href="mailto:kimpeopleoflife@gmail.com">kimpeopleoflife@gmail.com</a> to sign up for hours. Currently we need someone on October 28th from 8-9am and 9-10am and 12-1pm and 1-2pm and 2-3pm and 3-4pm (12th and Locust.)



# Communion for the Sick

The priests of the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul are prepared to serve the spiritual needs of our Catholic brothers and sisters who live in Residences such as Atria, Kennedy House, Penn Center House, Riverside Presbyterian, Watermark, Spring Garden Towers, and anyone else who may be confined to their homes. Therefore, if you are aware of anyone who would like a priest to visit and administer the Sacrament of Penance, the Sacrament of the Sick, and Holy Communion, please let us know. There is no better way that we can emulate Jesus Christ than by sharing his love with all whom he places in our paths, especially the sick and the aged who long for his healing presence.

Please pass the above requested information on to us by calling the **Parish Office at 215-561-1313**. Be assured of the love, concern, and prayers of your priests at the Cathedral, and in your goodness, pray for us that we may always be channels of Christ's love and peace to others. God bless you always and in all ways.

# UPCOMING TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS for ALL SOUL'S DAY

Tuesday, November 2, 2021 @ 7:00 pm It is a Missa Cantata, a Sung Mass

For more information visit: **Latin Mass Resources:** <a href="http://catholiclatinmass.org/">http://catholiclatinmass.org/</a>
or go to: <a href="https://cathedralphila.org/upcoming-mass-in-the-">https://cathedralphila.org/upcoming-mass-in-the-</a>

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#### OPENING OF THE XVI SYNOD OF BISHOPS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

This Synod of Bishops will take place in three phases, the Diocesan Phase, the Continental Phase and the Universal Phase, from October 2021 through October 2023. The theme of the Synod, For a synodal Church: communion, participation and mission, anticipates serious reflection and action to deepen an understanding of the role of all the members of the Church, journeying together with Christ as our Head, in living the Gospel in our time.

#### OPENING MASS FOR THE DIOCESAN PHASE OF THE SYNOD SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2021 AT 6:30 PM

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL AND SHRINE OF SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL 18<sup>TH</sup> Street and the Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia *Limital parking is available* 

Archbishop Nelson Perez, Celebrant and Homilist All priests are welcome to concelebrate Please vest in the archdiocesan vestment in the Cathedral Chapel

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT AND THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE AND RECONCILATION IN THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA 5:00 PM TO 6:00 PM

This Celebration of Holy Mass is intended to manifest the participation of all the members of our Local Church in the fullest possible way.

Pastors, please invite representatives of all parts of your parish. Religious Superiors, please invite members from all apostolates. School Administrators, please invite faculty, staff and students. Archdiocesan agencies and organization, please invite leaders and members.

The Opening Mass is followed by period of consultation within the Local Church on the Synod them which concludes in April 2022.



## Pontifical Mass with Cardinal Müller: Feast of St. John Paul II Friday, October 22, 2021 - 7 PM

The Collegium Institute for Catholic Thought & Culture, together with the Durandus Institute, welcome Gerhard Cardinal Müller—Prefect Emeritus of the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith—to Philadelphia. His Eminence will celebrate a pontifical Mass (Ordinary Form) on the memorial of St. John Paul II, pope, at the Cathedral Basilica of Ss. Peter & Paul, where St. John Paul II celebrated Mass in 1979. Pope John Paul II was formally canonized in 2014.

Location: The Cathedral Basilica of Ss. Peter & Paul (1723 Race St, Philadelphia, PA 19103)

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# Archdiocesan Novena to St. Joseph (To be prayed on the 19th

of each month from March 19-November 19, 2021)

The Archdiocesan Novena to Saint Joseph can be prayed in any setting, especially before or after Holy Mass and/or at parish meetings, in the classroom and in the family home. The praying of this Novena is to unite everyone in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia on the 19th of each month, from March through November 2021, in single petition of confident prayer to the Lord through the heavenly intercession of Saint Joseph. Please keep in mind the monthly Archdiocesan intention, found on page 4 of the Novena below.

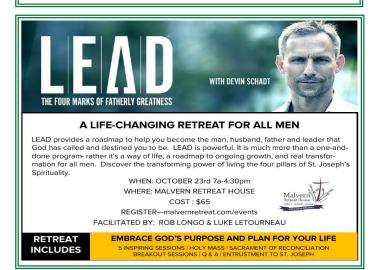
### <u>CLICK HERE</u> FOR THE NOVENA PRAYERS

### INSTITUTE FOR CHRISTIAN INITIATION 2021 OFFICE FOR DIVINE WORSHIP ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

Saturday, October 30, 2021 9:00 AM to 3:00PM (lunch included)

Rev. Gerald Dennis Gill, Presenter | Director, Office for Divine Worship Register by e-mail at worship@archphila.org

Also, please mail a check (with the name of the participant) for <u>fifty dollars</u> for the Institute to the Office for Divine Worship, 222 North 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103.



# Theology on Tap (Ages 21-35) October 22, 2021

Young adults (ages 21-35, photo ID required) are invited to join the seminarians from St. Charles Borromeo Seminary for a THEOLOGY ON TAP on Friday, October 22nd!

The evening begins at 6:00 PM with a Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration in St. Martin's Chapel, followed by a social with music and great talks outside in St. Joseph's Courtyard. For more information, contact Zinjin Iglesia, Seminarian Coordinator, at ziglesia@scs.edu.



# Event: 2nd Annual "Thank You, Father" Letter Writing Campaign

The Serra Missionaries invite you to send a letter. "THANK YOU, FATHER" is a simple way to show your love and support for our wonderful priests. Catholics of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia are encouraged to send a letter or email of gratitude for the remarkable priests in their lives between **Priesthood Sunday**, **September 26**, **2021 through Thanksgiving**, **November 25**, **2021**. **More info**: Please mail or email letters directly to the priests. If you have any questions, please contact Kathryn Slaats at serramissionaries@gmail.com



# Annual St. Luke's White Mass and Brunch (for Medical Professionals)

### October 24, 2021 - 11:00 am

The St. John Neumann Guild of Philadelphia, Guild of <a href="The Catholic Medical Association">The Catholic Medical Association</a> invites you to celebrate the annual St. Luke's Mass followed by a brunch with keynote speaker, Dr. Joseph Meaney, PhD, KM, President of the National Catholic Bioethics Center on the topic "Conscience and Healthcare: A Bioethical Analysis". See the flyer for full details and registration information.

Location: Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul,

Philadelphia **More info:** View the flyer; Please RSVP by 10/10/2021

# CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE PASTORAL COUNCIL!



Magdalena Kaminska (Young Adult)



Daniel Heenan (Single Adult)