

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

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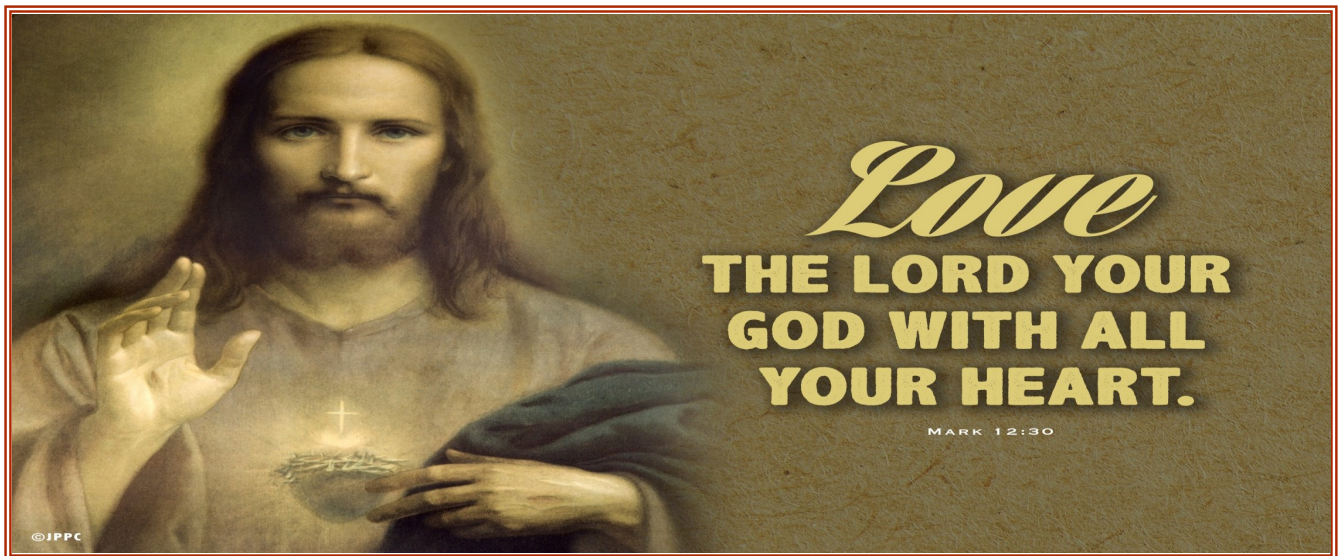
Most Reverend Nelson J. Pérez, Archbishop of Philadelphia

October 31, 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

Reverend Monsignor Arthur Rodgers - Rector Emeritus

Reverend Matthew K. Biedrzycki - Parochial Vicar

Reverend Monsignor Louis D'Addezio - Priest in Residence

Deacon Jesús M. Burgos - Permanent Deacon

Sr. Eleanor McCann, R.S.M. - Pastoral Associate

Sr. Mary Luchia, P.V.M.I - Parish Evangelization

Sr. Mary Raphael Paradis, R.S.M. - Outreach Coordinator

Charlene Angelini - Director of Cathedral Parish Music

Mark Loria - Principal Organist

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



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:15 PM Anticipated Mass
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 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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Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel <https://www.saintkatharinedrexelshrine.com/>

Thirty - First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, October 31, 2021



“Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord; and my father will love him and we will come to him.” R. Alleluia, alleluia.” JN 14:23

Weekly Mass Intentions



October 30, Saturday, Weekday

12:05 Anthony R. Giorgio, MD
5:15 Joseph Timlin

October 31 Thirty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Benedict Victor Arul
11:00 James Dennis
12:30 Trinidad Pina Rios
6:30 William R. Seeger

November 1, Monday

All Saints

7:15 Intentions of the Priest
12:05 Intentions of the Priest
12:35 Intentions of the Priest
5:15 Intentions of the Priest

November 2, Tuesday

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

7:15 Intentions of the Priest
12:05 Intentions of the Priest
7:00 (Sung Latin Mass)

November 3, Wednesday, Weekday

7:15 Essie Mae Rubin
12:05 Jamie Lynn Greger

November 4, Thursday

St. Charles Borromeo

7:15 Intentions entrusted to St. Katharine Drexel
12:05 Intentions of Sister Andrea Marie Lee, RSM

November 5, Friday, Weekday

7:15 Marguerite V. Chiardio
12:05 Intentions of Sister Brigid Mary Meeks, RSM

November 6, Saturday, Weekday

12:05 Virginia Ruth Caddell Abbott
5:15 Leone Cuccurullo Kenny Families

November 7 Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Deceased Members of the League of the Sacred Heart
11:00 Holy Souls
12:30 Maria Rosario Fontanez
6:30 Albert Anthony Contrucci

Dear Parishioners,

Today is the Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Lord Jesus reiterates in the Holy Gospel for this Sunday (see Mark 12: 28b-34) the greatest of the commandments. Love the Lord your God. Love your neighbor. These commandments, among all the others given throughout the Scriptures, are at the foundation of the Christian life and the chief way to eternal life. Our daily examination of conscience should begin with these commandments.

The month of November begins with two very important liturgical observances. Monday, November 1, is the Solemnity of All Saints, a Holy Day. The obligation to assist at Mass is suspended when this Holy Day falls on a Monday or Saturday. Tuesday, November 2, is the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day).

All Saints Day reminds us that the saints, especially our patron saints, give us the witness and inspiration we so often need to live our Christian lives with courage and integrity. On All Saints Day, we honor the saints and ask their heavenly help during this life so that we may be one day with them in heaven.

Masses for the Solemnity of All Saints on Monday, November 1, 2021

7:15 AM (Chapel), 12:05 PM (Basilica), 12:35 PM (Chapel) and
5:15 PM (Chapel)

Confessions in the Basilica at 11:30 AM

All Souls' Day, the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed, reminds us of the spiritual work of mercy to pray for the dead. We remember the dead especially during the celebration of Mass. Our faith assures us of the power of Christ's Sacrifice to aid the souls in Purgatory as they are purified for the glory of heaven. On November 2, we remember our beloved deceased with special devotion and all through the month of November. The All Souls Envelopes, listing the dead to be remembered this month at Mass, will be placed at the All Souls Altar in the Basilica. I encourage you to obtain a Memorial Candle for your beloved deceased to be placed at the All Souls Altar. Please see elsewhere in the Parish Bulletin for more information about the Memorial Candles.

Masses for All Souls' Day on Tuesday, November 2, 2021

7:15 AM (Chapel), 12:05 PM (Chapel) and
7:00 PM (Basilica, Extraordinary Form)

Confessions in the Basilica at 11:30 AM

As a reminder, low gluten hosts for Holy Communion and listening devices for the hearing impaired are always available for those coming to Mass at the Cathedral Basilica. Please see the sacristan in the sacristy before Mass begins.

Next Sunday, the second collection will be directed to the poor and needy in the neighborhood of the Cathedral Basilica. You can mail your Sunday offerings to the Cathedral Parish Office or make use of the many ways to give electronically. Please see <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>. Thank you so very much for your goodness and generosity to the Cathedral Parish.

God bless you,
Father Dennis Gill, Rector

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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 10/24 was:

Regular	\$ 6,138
Special	1,943 (for Missions and Catholic Missionaries)
Total	\$ 8,081

Average/week for the month of September (Electronic giving):

Online	\$3,265
Text-to-Give	20
Total	\$3,285

We hope that your generosity will exceed \$11,500 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
- **Venmo us @cathedralbasilica**
- **Donate on-line** at <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/> or scan this QR code:



NOVENA SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL

English Spanish

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Readings for Mass for this Week

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

What's Happening at the Parish Outside the Liturgical Schedule

- November 1 All Saints** - The Solemnity of All Saints, the obligation is not binding when this Holy Day falls on a Monday or Saturday.
- November 2** Sung Latin Mass for All Souls, 7PM, Basilica
- November 4** Perpetual Novena to Saint Katharine Drexel, following the 7:15 AM and 12:05 PM Masses. Catechetical Session, 7PM, Neumann Room
- November 5** Divine Mercy Chaplet, 3PM, Zoom
- November 6** Consecration to St. Joseph. See p.5
- November 12** Fauré Requiem, 7:30PM, Basilica



YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH

Visit <http://archphila.org/joseph/> 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

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

Lauren Buckley, 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: sr.mrparadis@archphila.org, or call Sister Mary Raphael, Parish Outreach Coordinator, at the Cathedral Parish Office, 215-561-1313 Monday through Thursday. 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, agosto 10, 2021*

BOLETIN INFORMATIVO

Oficina para Católicos Hispanos

[CLICK HERE](#)

<https://oficinahispanacatolica.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/October-October-2021.pdf>

AÑO DE SAN JOSÉ



Para encontrar eventos locales, oraciones y recursos para el estudio de la fe para celebrar el Año de San José, visite:

<http://archphila.org/joseph/>

**MISA TELEVISADA
EN ESPAÑOL**

En UNIVISIÓN 65

Todos los domingos a las **6:30 AM**

La Santa Misa Grabada en línea

**SACRAMENTO DE LA
RECONCILIACIÓN**

Todos los domingos a las 12:00 PM en la Capilla de la Catedral.

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Tiene como objetivo no solo informar, sino formar. No solo divertir, sino convertir. Establece no solo comunicación, sino comunión. Por eso huye de la banalidad, y apuesta por la educación en la sabiduría y la virtud. Entrega valores constructivos, aporta criterios de reflexión para vivir desde la fe y con esperanza la realidad actual.

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REFLEXIÓN DEL RECTOR

Estimados feligreses,

Hoy es el trigésimo primer domingo del tiempo ordinario. El Señor Jesús reitera en el Santo Evangelio para este domingo (ver Marcos 12: 28b-34) el mayor de los mandamientos. Ama al Señor tu Dios. Ama a tu prójimo. Estos mandamientos, entre todos los que se dan a lo largo de las Escrituras, son el fundamento de la vida cristiana y el principal camino a la vida eterna. Nuestro examen de conciencia diario debe comenzar con estos mandamientos.

El mes de noviembre comienza con dos celebraciones litúrgicas muy importantes. El lunes 1 de noviembre es la solemnidad de Todos los Santos, un día de precepto. La obligación de asistir a la Misa se suspende cuando este Día de Precepto cae en lunes o sábado. El martes 2 de noviembre es la Conmemoración de Todos los Fieles Difuntos (Día de las Almas del Purgatorio).

El Día de Todos los Santos nos recuerda que los santos, especialmente nuestros santos patronos, nos dan el testimonio y la inspiración que necesitamos a menudo para vivir nuestra vida cristiana con valentía e integridad. En el Día de Todos los Santos, honramos a los santos y les pedimos su ayuda celestial durante esta vida para que podamos estar un día con ellos en el cielo.

**Misas para la Solemnidad de Todos los Santos
el lunes 1 de noviembre del 2021**

7:15 AM (Capilla), 12:05 PM (Basílica), 12:35 PM (Capilla) y
5:15 PM (Capilla)

Confesiones en la Basílica a las 11:30 AM

El Día de las Almas del Purgatorio, la Conmemoración de Todos los Fieles Difuntos, nos recuerda la obra espiritual de misericordia de orar por los que han fallecido. Recordamos a los muertos especialmente durante la celebración de la Misa. Nuestra fe nos asegura el poder del Sacrificio de Cristo para ayudar a las Almas del Purgatorio mientras son purificadas para la gloria del cielo. El 2 de noviembre y durante todo el mes de noviembre recordamos a nuestros queridos difuntos con especial devoción. Los sobres de Las Almas del Purgatorio, que enumeran a los muertos que serán recordados este mes en la Misa, se colocarán en el Altar de Las Almas del Purgatorio en la Basílica. Les animo a que obtenga una Vela Conmemorativa para su amado (a) difunto (a) para colocarla en el Altar de Todas las Almas del Purgatorio. Consulte en otra parte del boletín parroquial para obtener más información sobre las Velas Conmemorativas.

**Misas por el Día de Todos los Fieles Difuntos
el martes 2 de noviembre del 2021**

7:15 AM (Capilla), 12:05 PM (Capilla) y
7:00 PM (Basílica, Forma Extraordinaria)

Confesiones en la Basílica a las 11:30 AM

Como recordatorio, las hostias bajas en gluten para la Sagrada Comunión y los dispositivos de escucha para personas con problemas de audición siempre están disponibles para quienes asistan a misa en la Catedral Basílica. Por favor, vea al sacristán en la sacristía antes de que comience la misa.

El próximo domingo, la segunda colecta estará dirigida a los pobres y necesitados del barrio de la Catedral Basílica. Puede enviar sus ofrendas dominicales a la oficina parroquial de la Catedral o hacer uso de las muchas formas de donar electrónicamente. Consulte <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>. Muchas gracias por su bondad y generosidad con la Parroquia Catedral.

Dios te bendiga,
Padre Dennis Gill, Rector

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CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS

-Adult faith formation-

The Sacrament of the Eucharist

Thursday, November 4, 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

ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE



Saint John's Hospice is a Catholic Social Services shelter for men located in Center City Philadelphia. Established in 1963 by Monsignor Anthony J. O'Neill, Pastor of Saint John the Evangelist Church, and The Little Brothers of The Good Shepherd, Saint Johns was created as an outreach ministry to serve and assist the poor and homeless in the community. Saint John's continues to provide crucial, life-sustaining services with dignity, respect and compassion to homeless men in Philadelphia. Saint John's Hospice is an independent 501c3 agency associated with the charitable work of Catholic Social Services.

Programs: Residence for over 250 homeless men each year in St. John's Hospice & Good Shepherd programs; Case management, medical and counseling for all residents and day service guests; Mail Room for over 900 homeless men; 160 showers with clean clothing, underwear & shoes every week; Over 3,000 meals each week to homeless & needy men; Emergency shelter for 27 homeless men where they can receive a meal & bed every night.

Donate: Monetary donations: [//saintjohnshospice.org/](https://saintjohnshospice.org/)
Contact information 1221 Race St. Philadelphia, PA 19107
adicesare@chs-adphila.org (215) 563-7763

REQUIEM AETERNAM DONA EIS, DOMINE



SUNG LATIN MASS FOR ALL SOULS

WITH THE TIMELESS GREGORIAN CHANTS OF THE REQUIEM

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2021 | 7:00 PM

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SS. PETER & PAUL
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CALLING ALL YOUNG ADULTS TO END THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH STRONG!
YAC & OMYA INVITE YOU TO PARTICIPATE IN A DIOCESAN ...

Consecration to St. Joseph

November 6th - December 8th

AN INDEPENDENT PROGRAM WITH IN-PERSON
MEETINGS ON THE FOLLOWING DATES

November	10th - Speaker Series
	17th - Speaker Series
	23rd - Speaker Series
December	1st - Speaker Series
	5th - St. Joseph Saturday
	8th - Consecration Day

SPEAKER SERIES & CONSECRATION DAY WILL BE HELD
AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF STS. PETER & PAUL

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More details can be found at: <https://cathedralphila.org/events/young-adult-events/>

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

FAURÉ REQUIEM

NOVEMBER 12, 2021

7:30PM

"Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine"

The Cathedral Basilica Choir and Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia will be collaborating with the First Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia and the Villanova Pastoral Singers to perform the Fauré Requiem, as well as works by Bainton, Tavener, Walker and Elgar.

Please join us for this opportunity of communal remembrance as we commemorate the faithful departed. All are welcome!



Please use the QR code for tickets and information on how to add a deceased loved one's name to the concert program.

18th and the Parkway, Philadelphia, Pa

Mass for Deceased Priests of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia

On Thursday, November 11, 2021 at 4:00 P.M., the Most Reverend Nelson J. Pérez will be the principal celebrant and homilist of a Mass for the Dead for the happy repose of the souls of the deceased priests of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. The Mass will be held at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul.

The Divine Mercy Chaplet

We will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet **each Friday at 3:00 PM** **Join Via Zoom Meeting:** [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87567068541?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87567068541?pwd=Wmo1V01XWEIQLzRuZ0JnOWU2T3Rsdz09)
[pwd=Wmo1V01XWEIQLzRuZ0JnOWU2T3Rsdz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87567068541?pwd=Wmo1V01XWEIQLzRuZ0JnOWU2T3Rsdz09)

