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

February 27, 2022

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 E. Rodgers Rector Emeritus

Reverend Matthew K. Biedrzycki **Parochial Vicar**

> Deacon Jesús M. Burgos **Permanent Deacon**

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

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

Sister Mary Raphael Paradis, R.S.M. **Outreach Coordinator**

Charlene Angelini **Director of Cathedral Parish Music**

> Mark Loria **Principal Organist**

The Cathedral Shop will be closed for the next few weeks due to store renovations.

MASS SCHEDULE

5:15 PM Anticipated Mass on Saturday **Sunday:**

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

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

Saturdays: 12:05 PM in Cathedral Chapel

Holy Days: See website

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE SCHEDULE

9:00 AM and 5:30 PM in Basilica **Sunday:**

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

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Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, February 27, 2022

"Shine like lights in the world as you hold on to the word of life."
PHIL 2:15d, 16a R. Alleluia, alleluia



Weekly Intentions

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February 26 12:05 5:15	Saturday, Weekday Marie Molchen Tommaso Berarducci
February 27	Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
	in Orumary Time
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Nicola Berarducci
11:00	John J. Kolenich, III
12:30	Raul Guillama
6:30	Landa Fiorini
February 28	Monday, Weekday

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7:15	Josephine Hess
12:05	In Thanksgiving to God,
	the Father

Tuesday, Weekday

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For the Holy Souls

12.00	Tor the front bound
March 2	Wednesday Ash Wednesday
7:15	Intentions of the Priest
12:05	Celebrant Intentions of the Priest

March 1

7:15

12:05

March 3	Thursday
5:15	Celebrant Intentions of the Priest Celebrant

	St. Katharine Drexel
7:15	Essie Mae Rubin
12:05	Intentions of the Priest
	Celebrant

	Friday day after Ash Wednesday
	St. Casimir
7:15	Bob Leso
12:05	James F. Hennelly

March 5	Saturday
Saturd	ay after Ash Wednesday
12:05	Maddalena Leone
5:15	Michelina Berarducci and Family
March 6	First Sunday of Lent
8.00	For the People of the Parish

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ı	8:00	For the People of the Parish
ı	9:30	Filomena Berarducci and
ı		Family
ı	11:00	Marcello & Elizabeth
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ı	12:30	Juan Herrera
ı	6:30	Intentions of June Oliver
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Dear Parishioners,

This is the Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Sunday before Lent. Over the last few Sundays, the Lord has instructed us through the Gospel of Luke on what it means to be his intentional disciple—following him today in a committed and consistent manner. This Sunday continues this instruction. Such faithfulness to the way of Lord, a life oriented to the love of God and neighbor, brings about a truly converted heart. "A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of a store of evil produces evil; for from the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks" (Luke 6: 45). A converted heart is the everyday work of conversion supported by the grace of Christ. Lent offers us the opportunity to commit more fully to this Christian duty of conversion—turning away from sin and believing in the Gospel. Prompted by this Sunday's Gospel and with Lent days away, take some time to reflect on practical and real ways to provide for a converted heart, a heart that produces good.

Lent begins this Wednesday, Ash Wednesday, March 2, 2022, a universal day of fasting and abstinence. This Ash Wednesday, our Holy Father, Pope Francis, asks us to include the intention of peace in Ukraine as one of our personal intentions as we pray and fast. Please see the schedule for Mass and the distribution of blessed ashes on Ash Wednesday elsewhere in this edition of the Parish Bulletin. Commit now to a good Lent. A personal plan for the observance of Lent moves beyond the minimal obligations of fasting and abstinence. Our plan should also include occasions for more prayer, additional fasting, and taking care of the poor. Let us pray for one another for a good Lent. Let us also pray for our parish catechumens who will be elected for the Easter Sacraments next Sunday and spend this Lent preparing for their Baptism at the Easter Vigil.

We are in the midst of the Solemn Novena to Saint Katharine Drexel lasting through Ash Wednesday. We celebrate the Feast of Saint Katharine Drexel this Thursday, March 3, 2022. The principal celebration of her feast will be the sung Mass at 12:05 PM in the Basilica. For more information on our observance of the Feast of Saint Katharine, please see, http://www.saintkatharinedrexelshrine.com/. Saint Katharine Drexel, pray for us!

The Cathedral Parish over the last several years has been blessed with several young men and women discerning vocations to the holy priesthood and to the consecrated life. This past week, our parishioner, Francis Gestiada, was accepted to Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary. Presently, we have two young women who are in serious discernment for the consecrated life. Let us keep Francis and these young women in our prayers. We thank Almighty God for their openness to his Holy Will and their acceptance of his call.

This Monday, February 28, 2022, the Parish Mass Book will open to arrange for announced Masses for 2023.

Please help to promote our annual Keys and Sword Event—Friday, June 24, 2022. Please see, https://ksphila.org/, for more information on tickets, sponsors and ads for the Ad Book.

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 poor and needy in the neighborhood of the Cathedral Parish. 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.

God bless you! Father Dennis Gill, Rector

PRAYER | PARTICIPATION | GENEROSITY



Important words from our patron saint, Katharine Drexel: "I looked up at God's wonderful ways and thought how little we imagine what may be the result of listening and acting on a desire He puts into the heart."

Our wish for you is that you listen and act on the desires God places in your heart.

Life holds many blessings. Thank you for being a blessing to the Cathedral parish!

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

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Pray for us.

St. Katharine Drexel, Pray for us.

And let us remember to always pray for each other!

Your generosity on 2/20 was:

Regular \$4,674

Special 1,114 (for the religious education programs of

Electronic 2,627* the Cathedral Parish)

Total **\$8,415**

*Electronic giving is your average weekly giving for January

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
- 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.
- **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:



Lent 2022

Abstinence from meat and fasting during Lent

The bishops of the United States prescribe, as minimal obligation, that all persons who are fourteen years of age and older are bound to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday, on all the Fridays of Lent and Good Friday. Further, all persons eighteen years of age and older, up to and including their fifty-ninth birthday, are bound to fast by limiting themselves to a single full meal on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday, while the other two meals on those days are to be light. Keeping a voluntary fast throughout Lent is encouraged on the part of all.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The description and schedule of the Lenten Rites for the Elect (catechumens) and Candidates for the Easter Sacraments will be announced in the Parish Bulletin all throughout Lent. These rites will take place at the 5:15 PM Anticipated Mass for Sunday.

Ash Wednesday, March 2

Blessed Ashes will be distributed at all the Masses. Mass will be celebrated on Ash Wednesday at: 7:15 AM (Chapel, 12:05 PM (Basilica), and 5:15 PM (Basilica).

In addition to the celebration of Mass with the distribution of Ashes, there will be Celebrations of the Word of God and the distribution of Ashes in the hospitals and nursing facilities within the parish boundaries on Ash Wednesday.

The Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation will be available:

- •On Sundays at 9:00 AM (Basilica), 12:00 Noon in Spanish (Chapel), and 5:30 PM (Basilica),
- •On Weekdays at 11:30 AM (Basilica) and on Saturdays at 4:15 PM (Basilica).

The Way of the Cross

Each Friday of Lent immediately following the 12:05 PM Mass in the Chapel. The Way of the Cross in Spanish, will also take place **each Sunday** of Lent in the Basilica following the 12:30 PM Mass.

Via Crucis (Estaciones de la Cruz) todos los domingos despues de la Misa de las 12:30 pm, en la Basilica.

Operation Rice Bowl

By eating one simple meal weekly and placing your savings into the Rice Bowl, you will be joining yourself in solidarity with all who have so little to live on and helping to reach out to assist them throughout the world and here in the Archdiocese. Rice bowls are available in the vestibules. Your donations can be dropped off during Holy Week and the first weeks of Easter in the collection basket at Mass.

Please remember these parishioners and friends of the Cathedral Parish in your prayers/ Ora por los enfermos:
Philip Hartley, Isaiah Rosario, Catherine Kamler, Eileen Hammel, Carey Cogino, Andrew Arczynski, Maria Garcia, David Hoefner, Marian and her intentions, Phil Chavez and his intentions, Charles Gilbert, Eva Hernandez and her intentions, Mark Perry, Richard Miller, Aunt Cass, Patricia Disney, Nancy Rice, Edward McCarty, 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 envie 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

MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA 2 DE MARZO DE 2022

Las Cenizas Benditas serán distribuidas en todas las Misas. La Misa se celebrará el Miércoles de Ceniza a las: 7:15 AM (Capilla); 12:05 PM (Basílica); 5:15 PM (Basílica). Además de la celebración de la Misa con la distribución de las Cenizas, habrá Celebraciones de la Palabra de Dios y la distribución de Cenizas en los hospitales y centros de enfermería dentro de los límites de la parroquia el Miércoles de Ceniza.

Para ver el Horario de Cuaresma, vaya a: https://cathedralphila.org/2022-lenten-

CELEBRA LA FIESTA DE SANTA KATHARINE DREXEL 3 DE MARZO DEL 2022

NOVENA SOLEMNE A SANTA KATHARINE DREXEL 22 de febrero al 2 de marzo del 2022

La novena solemne a Santa Katharine Drexel se rezará en cada Misa en la Catedral Basílica

FIESTA DE SANTA KATHARINE DREXEL 3 de marzo del 2022

La Catedral Basílica estará abierta desde las 7:00am hasta las 8:00pm para visitas y oración en la Tumba de Santa Katharine Drexel. La tienda de la Catedral estará abierta.

- ⇒ 7:15 AM Misa del Día de la Fiesta en la Capilla de la Catedral
- ⇒ 11:30 AM Confesiones en la Catedral Basílica
- ⇒ 12:05 PM Misa del día de la fiesta cantada en la Basílica

Esta Celebración de la Santa Misa de las 12:05pm se transmitirá en vivo en el sitio web de la Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia,

https://archphila.org/ ¡SANTA KATHARINE DREXEL, RUEGA POR NOSOTROS!

REFLEXIÓN DEL PÁRROCO

Estimados feligreses,

Este es el Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario. El domingo anterior a la Cuaresma. En los últimos domingos, el Señor nos ha instruido a través del evangelio de Lucas sobre lo que significa ser su discípulo intencional, siguiéndolo hoy de manera comprometida y constante. Este domingo continúa esta instrucción. Tal fidelidad al camino del Señor, una vida orientada al amor de Dios y al prójimo, produce un corazón verdaderamente convertido. "El hombre bueno dice cosas buenas, porque el bien está en su corazón, y el hombre malo dice cosas malas, porque el mal está en su corazón, pues la boca habla de lo que está lleno el corazón" (Lucas 6:45). Un corazón convertido es el trabajo cotidiano de conversión sostenido por la gracia de Cristo. La Cuaresma nos ofrece la oportunidad de comprometernos más plenamente con este deber cristiano de conversión: alejarnos del pecado y creer en el evangelio. Impulsado por el evangelio de este domingo y con los días de cuaresma por delante, tómese un tiempo para reflexionar sobre formas prácticas y reales de proveer para un corazón convertido, un corazón que produce el bien.

La cuaresma comienza este miércoles, Miércoles de Ceniza, 2 de marzo del 2022, día universal de ayuno y abstinencia. Este Miércoles de Ceniza, nuestro Santo Padre, el Papa Francisco, nos pide que incluyamos la intención de paz en Ucrania como una de nuestras intenciones personales mientras oramos y ayunamos. Consulte el horario de Misa y la distribución de cenizas benditas el Miércoles de Ceniza en otra parte de esta edición del Boletín Parroquial. Comprométanse ahora a una buena cuaresma. Un plan personal para la observancia de la cuaresma va más allá de las obligaciones mínimas de ayuno y abstinencia. Nuestro plan también debe incluir ocasiones para más oración, ayuno adicional y cuidado de los pobres. Oremos los unos por los otros por una buena cuaresma. Oremos también por los catecúmenos de nuestra parroquia que serán elegidos para los sacramentos de pascua el próximo domingo y pasarán esta cuaresma preparándose para su bautismo en la vigilia pascual.

Estamos en medio de la Novena Solemne a Santa Katharine Drexel que dura hasta el Miércoles de Ceniza. Celebramos la Fiesta de Santa Katharine Drexel este jueves 3 de marzo del 2022. La celebración principal de su fiesta será la Misa cantada a las 12:05 PM en la Basílica. Para obtener más información sobre nuestra observancia de la Fiesta de Santa Katharine, consulte, http://www.saintkatharinedrexelshrine.com/. ¡Santa Katharine Drexel, ruega por nosotros!

La Parroquia Catedral en los últimos años ha sido bendecida con varios hombres y mujeres jóvenes discerniendo vocaciones al santo sacerdocio y a la vida consagrada. La semana pasada, nuestro feligrés, Francis Gestiada, fue aceptado en el Seminario San Carlos Borromeo. Actualmente tenemos dos jóvenes que están en serio discernimiento para la vida consagrada. Mantengamos a Francis y a estas jóvenes en nuestras oraciones. Agradecemos a Dios Todopoderoso por su apertura a Su santa voluntad y su aceptación de Su llamado.

Este lunes 28 de febrero del 2022 se abrirá el Libro de Misas Parroquiales para disponer las Misas anunciadas para el 2023.

Ayude a promocionar nuestro evento anual Llaves y espadas (por sus siglas en inglés Keys and Sword): viernes 24 de junio del 2022. Consulte https://ksphila.org/ para obtener más información sobre boletos, patrocinadores y anuncios para el Libro de anuncios.

Gracias a todos nuestros feligreses y visitantes por su bondad y generosidad a la Parroquia Catedral. La segunda colecta el próximo domingo estará dirigida a los pobres y necesitados del barrio de la Parroquia Catedral. Puede enviar sus ofrendas dominicales por correo a la oficina parroquial de la Catedral o hacer uso de las muchas formas de donar electrónicamente. Consulte http://cathedralphila.org/donate/. Muchas gracias.

¡Que Dios te bendiga! Padre Dennis Gill, Rector

CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF SAINT **KATHARINE DREXEL MARCH 3, 2022**

SOLEMN NOVENA TO SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL

February 22 through March 2, 2022

The Solemn Novena to Saint Katharine Drexel will be prayed at every Mass in the Cathedral Basilica

VISIT THE WEBSITE FOR THE SHRINE OF SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL

https://www.saintkatharinedrexelshrine.com/

- ⇒ To learn more about our Philadelphia Saint
- ⇒ For a copy of the Solemn Novena to pray at home
- To have your prayer intentions remembered during Holy Mass all year round
- To light a votive candle for your intentions at the Tomb of Saint Katharine Drexel during the Solemn Novena and on her Feast Day

FEAST DAY OF SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL March 3, 2022

The Cathedral Basilica is open from 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM for visits and prayer at the Tomb of Saint Katharine Drexel. The Cathedral Shop will be open.

- 7:15 AM Feast Day Mass in the Cathedral Chapel
- ⇒ 11:30 AM Confessions in the Cathedral Basilica
- ⇒ 12:05 PM Sung Feast Day Mass in the Basilica

This 12:05 PM Celebration of Holy Mass will be live-streamed on the website of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, https://archphila.org/

SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL, PRAY FOR US!

NEW WAY TO SEND YOUR PRAYER INTENTIONS TO US!

Starting on February 20, 2022, the Cathedral Parish will do our prayer intention list differently. Instead of calling the Parish Office, we encourage you to send a request to us using this link:

https://cathedralphila.org/cathedral-prayer-request/

Your intention will be acknowledged to your personal email; you may express any questions or concerns you have about it in that email. Your name or the name of the person you would like us to pray for, will be printed in the bulletin unless you tell us otherwise. WE WILL REMOVE THE NAME FROM THE LIST AFTER ONE MONTH; if you still want prayers for your intention after that, just send us another email.

We believe this will end the problem of intentions occasionally being lost after being called in, and of names staying on the list long after your intention has been answered! You will be assured of prayers because you will receive a reply.

Thank you for helping us to share your intentions for your loved ones in a timely way with our parish.

May Our Lord give you His grace and peace!



2022 KEYS & SWORD **Save the Date**

Friday, June 24, 2022 6:00pm - 9:30pm

More information can be found at: https://ksphila.org/



The "Synod on Synodality: Communion, Participation, and Mission"is a two-year process of listening and dialogue beginning in 2021 and concluding in 2023.

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia understands the synodal process as a crucial moment in the life of the Church of Philadelphia, it perceives it as a learning process, as well as an opportunity for conversion and renewal of ecclesial life under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. This is why it has made a massive call to all parishes through the five-counties to participate in two initiatives that will take place simultaneously: The Synod and Call for More.

The Cathedral Basilica of Sts. Peter & Paul will be participating in a parish survey about discipleship conducted by the Catholic Leadership Institute!

More information will follow regarding these two initiatives.



Archbishop Nelson J. Pérez asked the Missionary Disciples Office for the New Evangelization to launch a Commission for Missionary

Disciples. The task he gave us: create a culture of missionary disciples in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. know more about it go to: https:// www.phillvdisciples.org/

CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS -Adult faith formation-The Ninth Commandment

Thursday, March 3, 2022, 7:00 PM Meeting in the Neumann Room

DAYS FOR LIFE

40 days for life starts on Ash Wednesday. Would you consider signing up to pray for the unborn and women in need during this Campaign? We'd be happy to pair you with someone if you'd be more comfortable, just let us know! We need people on;

March 8th at The Women's Center (777 Appletree, Phila) from 11-12 and 12-1pm and April 6th at Planned Parenthood (12th and Locust Street, Phila) from 12-1, 1-2, 2-3, 3-4pm

Please reach out to Kim at kimpeopleoflife@gmail.com or call/text (215) 554-4675 or Pat Stanton at pistanton9@gmail.com or call (267) 718-4851.



LIVE STREAMED SUNDAY MASS AT 11:00 AM

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

EVANGELIZATION NEWSLETTER

Office for the New Evangelization

CLICK HERE,

https://phillyevang.flocknote.com/note/14919729



Man-Up Philly Men's Spirituality Conference March 19, 2022 Location:

Immaculata University, Exton

Speakers: Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, Coach Pat Chambers, Keith Nester and more.

The theme this year is *COME BACK TO ME*. Our hope is that the conference will draw men back to a vibrant life of faith after this pandemic. We thank you for your help in promoting this wonderful archdiocesan wide event.

View the flyer

2022 RITE OF ELECTION OF CATECHUMENS AND OF THE CALL TO CONTINUING CONVERSION OF CANDIDATES

Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul

March 5 @ 11AM Delaware & Montgomery

March 5 (a) 3PM Bucks & Chester

March 6 @ 3PM Philadelphia North & South

You are most welcome to join our catechumens and candidates for this important step in their pathway to the Easter Sacraments. With this rite, the Archbishop, with the local church, elects the catechumens to be baptized at the Easter Vigil and to make a good Lent. The candidates are encouraged, as already baptized Christians, to persevere during Lent with prayer and penance to prepare for the completion of their Christian Initiation with Confirmation and the Holy Eucharist.

Let us pray for all the catechumens and candidates for the Easter Sacraments throughout the Archdiocese.

Brothers of Borromeo \underline{V} ocation \underline{C} amp (B.B.V.C.)

Calling all young men in 6th, 7th and 8th grade! Join the Vocation Office for the Diocesan Priesthood and Philadelphia Seminarians for B.B.V.C. on **Saturday**, **April 9, 2022!** With the theme, *To the Heights*, spend the day at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary with great activities, games, prayer, and the opportunity for confession. A registration fee of \$25 includes a t-shirt and lunch/snacks. **The registration deadline is March 25, 2022**. For more information or to register please call 610-667-5778 or go to: HeedTheCall.org/BBVC

Following Mary to Calvary

Lenten Reflection on the Discipleship of Mary

Virtual Speaker Series Dates: Sundays March 6, 13, 20, 27 Time: 7:30-8:30 p.m. (ET) To register go to: https:// miraculousmedal.org/beyondsunday/following-

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/ Contact information 1221 Race St. Philadelphia, PA 19107 adicesare@chs-adphila.org (215) 563-7763.



JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL FOR A SPECIAL MASS CELEBRATED BY ARCHBISHOP PÉREZ

MONDAY MARCH 21 2022 | 7:00 PM CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

1723 RACE STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Please join us for a Mass of Thanksgiving as an expression of gratitude for your commitment to the Appeal and to our faith.

