

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

January 22, 2023

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

MASS SCHEDULE

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

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
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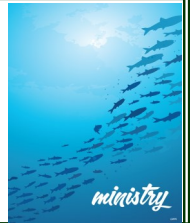
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Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel <https://www.saintkatharinedrexelshrine.com/>

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, January 22, 2023

"Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people." MT. 4:23
R. Alleluia, alleluia.



January 21 Saturday	St. Agnes
12:05	Eileen Fell
5:15	Raffaele Berarducci
January 22 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Filomena Berarducci
11:00	Peter G. Conway
12:30	Juan Carlos Tellez
6:30	Intentions of Mary Kilpatrick
January 23 Monday	Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
7:15	Marynn Erieg
12:05	Alice Dati
January 24 Tuesday	St. Francis de Sales
7:15	Perpetua Kenny
12:05	Joseph Forrest Fisher
January 25 Wednesday	The Conversion of St. Paul
7:15	Elijah & Dorothy Wisniewski
12:05	Daniel R. Aquilino
January 26 Thursday	St. Timothy & St. Titus
7:15	Christine Bennett
12:05	Latoya Sabrina Gary
January 27 Friday, Weekday	St. Angela Merici
7:15	Intentions of Ellen Clark & Family
12:05	Intentions of Agatha Jun
January 28 Saturday	St. Thomas Aquinas
12:05	Phil Nowlan
5:15	Paola Ruggieri
January 29 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Antonietta Berarducci
11:00	Rozalia Brembor
12:30	Marjory Blair e Hilda Pereira
6:30	Mary Theresa Morrissey

Dear Parishioners,

Today is the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time. Jesus calls Simon Peter and his brother Andrew to follow after him in the Gospel today. Then after them, he calls two other brothers, James and John, to follow along with Peter and Andrew. What is remarkable about the response of these four men is that they followed after Jesus "immediately." They left everyone and everything to become an Apostle of the Savior. Jesus calls us daily in multiple ways to follow after him. He calls us - as baptized and communion-receiving Christians - to follow after him with fidelity to his word and way of life. He calls us as single persons, married persons, consecrated persons, as priests. He calls us constantly to turn to him and away from sin. The immediate response of the Apostles models for us our response to Jesus in all things. This biblical response does not allow us to consider first ourselves or our own need or anything contrary to Jesus. Let us pray as the word of God teaches us to be followers of the Lord that we may have the grace - that comes from Jesus - to follow after him "immediately."

The Third Sunday in Ordinary is now known also as the Sunday of the Word of God. It is true that every Sunday is a Sunday of the Word of God. However, the designation of this Sunday highlights the year-round response of the members of the Church to listen to God as he speaks to us in the Sacred Scriptures, especially during the celebration of the Sacred Liturgy. The word of God forms our hearts and directs our prayer. The word of God links us with our Jewish brothers and sisters and all Christians as the source of revelation and truth. This Sunday of the Word of God reminds us of the dignity and importance of the proclamation of the holy word of God. Finally, this Sunday invites all of us to read the Bible with great interest and devotion as part of our daily lives. The Instruction of Pope Francis on Sunday of the Word of God can be found here: http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/motu_proprio/documents/papa-francesco-motu-proprio-20190930_aperuit-illis.html.

Since 2011, Catholics in the United States, at the direction of the American Bishops, have observed January 22 as a day of prayer and penance. When January 22 falls on a Sunday, the day of prayer and penance is moved to January 23, tomorrow. The intention of our prayer is for the full restoration and legal guarantee of the right to life. Our penance is for the violations of the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion. Decide today that you will pray for this intention and what your personal sacrifice will be tomorrow. Consider coming to the 7:15 AM or the 12:05 PM Mass in the Cathedral Chapel as part of your prayer for the day. The Holy Rosary will be prayed twenty minutes before both Masses tomorrow for the intention of the protection of human life.

We are in the midst of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. This week of prayer began on January 18th and will conclude this Wednesday, January 25th, the Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul, the Apostle. Jesus prayed at the Last Supper that all his followers would be one, one with Him and one with each other. The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity gives us the focused opportunity to pray for the unity of all Christians.

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 care of the elderly poor carried out in the Archdiocese by the Little Sisters of the Poor. You can mail your Sunday offerings to the Cathedral Parish Office or make use of the many ways to give electronically. Please see <http://cathedralphil.org/donate/>. Thank you so very much.

Father Dennis Gill
 Rector



PRAYER | PARTICIPATION | GENEROSITY



Make a gift that continues the God-given gifts you receive and give during your lifetime. A gift to the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul Parish Fund through your will or other planned gift creates a perpetual legacy of support. Consider supporting the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul in this very special way. Your support makes a difference in the life of our Church. Consider a gift of stock, insurance, real estate, retirement plan or cash to provide for the future of our parish.

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

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Pray for us.

And let us remember to always pray for each other!

Your generosity on 1/15 was:

Regular	\$5,277
Special	1,286 (for religious education programs of the
Electronic*	4,881 Cathedral Parish)
Total	\$11,444

*Electronic giving is your average weekly giving for December.
Thank you!

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 or Sr. Eleanor McCann after any Sunday Mass or make an appointment with Father Gill or Father Biedrzycki, 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.
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Go Forth: Deepen Your Discipleship, Grow in Mission
Join Archbishop Pérez in **his mission to create a culture of missionary disciples in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia!** Through the Go Forth initiative, you can subscribe to receive a weekly text from the Archbishop with one action step you can take that week to deepen your friendship with Jesus or grow in your mission to bring Jesus to others. **Texts begin Ash Wednesday, Feb 22, 2023.**

To receive the Archbishop's texts in **English:**

- use your phone to text **goforth** to the number **84576** or
- visit the website <https://www.phillydisciples.org/goforth>

Please help us spread the word!

CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS

-Adult faith formation-

The Fourth Commandment

Thursday, January 26, 2023, 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



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**PONTIFICAL
MISSION SOCIETIES**

Join us **Mondays at 8PM** to pray virtually via Zoom or phone on the **Archdiocesan LIVE World Mission Rosary.**

VISIT phillymissions.org for the Zoom link or type in <https://zoom.us/j/494480541#success>

Readings for Mass for this Week

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

LIVE STREAMED SUNDAY MASS AT 11:00 AM

[Click Here](#), or go to:

<https://vimeo.com/event/2470138>; **Worship Aid**

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

Mark Reynolds Farrington, Rev. James Casey, Cyndi Hylton, Denisa Tenea's intentions, Judy Andrade's intentions, Valety Nicolas, Shane, David and Joe Anderson, Lucy Parolie, Cristelene Agbayani, Denys Rawson, Scott Lawson, Joshua Storey, Colleen, Joe, Kathleen Anderson, David, Joanne Quickle and her intentions, For the intentions submitted to PrayersUniteTheWorld.org., Eridania Guzmán, Allison Torres, Nicolas Valeti, 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, agosto 10, 2021*



¡El arzobispo Pérez quiere enviarte mensajes de texto!

Vayan, Pues: profundiza en tu discipulado, crece en tu misión

¡Únase a la nueva iniciativa de Arzobispo Pérez en su misión de crear una cultura de Discípulos Misioneros.

Al suscribirse usted recibirá **un mensaje de texto semanal del Arzobispo** con una actividad para trabajar durante esa semana. Esta actividad le ayudará a profundizar su amistad con Jesús o a crecer en su misión de llevar a Jesús a los demás.

Para suscribirse envía el mensaje de texto **vayanpues al número 202-765-3441** o visita el sitio web phillydisciples.org/vayanpues.

Los mensajes de texto comienzan el Miércoles de Ceniza, 22 de febrero del 2023.

Reserve las fechas 2023

CURSILLO DE CRISTIANDAD

Cursillo de hombres - 13 al 16 de abril

Información - Doni Montano - 267-971-7173

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Cursillo de mujeres - 18 al 21 de mayo

Información - Damaris Montano - 484-680-0363



REFLEXIÓN DEL PÁRROCO

Estimados feligreses,

Hoy es el tercer domingo del Tiempo Ordinario. Jesús llama a Simón Pedro ya su hermano Andrés a seguirlo en el evangelio de hoy. Luego, después de ellos, llama a otros dos hermanos, James y John, para que lo sigan junto con Pedro y Andrés. Lo notable de la respuesta de estos cuatro hombres es que siguieron a Jesús “inmediatamente”. Dejaron a todos y todo para convertirse en un apóstol del Salvador. Jesús nos llama diariamente de múltiples maneras a seguirlo. Él nos llama, como cristianos bautizados y comulgantes, a seguirlo con fidelidad a su palabra y estilo de vida. Nos llama como solteros, casados, consagrados, como sacerdotes. Él nos llama constantemente a volvernos a él y alejarnos del pecado. La respuesta inmediata de los apóstoles modela para nosotros nuestra respuesta a Jesús en todas las cosas. Esta respuesta bíblica no nos permite considerarnos primero a nosotros mismos ni a nuestra propia necesidad ni a nada contrario a Jesús. Oremos como la palabra de Dios nos enseña a ser seguidores del Señor para que podamos tener la gracia, que viene de Jesús, de seguirlo “inmediatamente”.

El tercer domingo ordinario es ahora conocido también como el Domingo de la Palabra de Dios. Es verdad que cada domingo es un domingo de la Palabra de Dios. Sin embargo, la designación de este domingo destaca la respuesta de los miembros de la Iglesia durante todo el año para escuchar a Dios mientras nos habla en las Sagradas Escrituras, especialmente durante la celebración de la Sagrada Liturgia. La palabra de Dios forma nuestro corazón y dirige nuestra oración. La palabra de Dios nos vincula con nuestros hermanos y hermanas judíos y con todos los cristianos como fuente de revelación y verdad. Este domingo de la Palabra de Dios nos recuerda la dignidad e importancia del anuncio de la santa palabra de Dios. Finalmente, este domingo nos invita a todos a leer la Biblia con gran interés y devoción como parte de nuestra vida diaria. La Instrucción del Papa Francisco sobre el Domingo de la Palabra de Dios se puede encontrar aquí: https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/es/motu_proprio/documents/papa-francesco-motu-proprio-20190930_aperuit-illis.html.

Desde 2011, los católicos de los Estados Unidos, bajo la dirección de los obispos estadounidenses, han observado el 22 de enero como un día de oración y penitencia. Cuando el 22 de enero cae en domingo, el día de oración y penitencia se traslada al 23 de enero, mañana. La intención de nuestra oración es por el pleno restablecimiento y garantía jurídica del derecho a la vida. Nuestra penitencia es por las violaciones a la dignidad de la persona humana cometidas a través de actos de aborto. Decide hoy a que rezarás por esta intención y cuál será tu sacrificio personal mañana. Considere asistir a la Misa de las 7:15 AM o de las 12:05 PM en la Capilla de la Catedral como parte de su oración del día. El Santo Rosario se rezará veinte minutos antes de las dos Misas de mañana por la intención de protección de la vida humana.

Estamos en plena Semana de Oración por la Unidad de los Cristianos. Esta semana de oración comenzó el 18 de enero y concluirá este miércoles 25 de enero, fiesta de la Conversión de San Pablo Apóstol. Jesús oró en la Última Cena para que todos sus seguidores fueran uno, uno con Él y uno con los demás. La Semana de Oración por la Unidad de los Cristianos nos brinda la oportunidad enfocada de orar por la unidad de todos los cristianos.

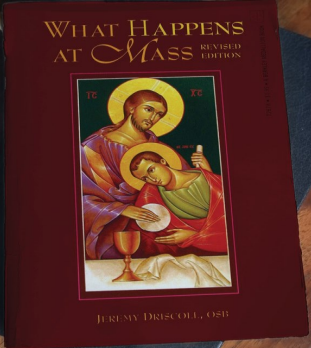
Gracias a todos nuestros feligreses y visitantes por su bondad y generosidad a la Parroquia Catedral. La segunda colecta del próximo domingo estará dirigida al cuidado de los ancianos pobres que se lleva a cabo en la Arquidiócesis por parte de las Hermanitas de los Pobres. Puede enviar sus ofrendas dominicales 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.

Padre Dennis Gill, Rector

Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul
YEAR OF EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

Book Study: What Happens at Mass
by Jeremy Driscoll, OSB

Join Fr. Dennis Gill
in the Neumann Room



Tuesday
February 21st & 28th
7 - 8:30 PM
No registration required

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January 29th from 10-1

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**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
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MARCH 31, 2023 7:00-8:15 PM




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in the Eucharist.

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IN THE CHAPEL OF THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA

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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.

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 John's 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 with 40 bed residential facility for men and a 12 bed residential facility for medically fragile men 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 bed overnight shelter for 28 homeless men where they can receive a meal & bed every night. **Donate:** Monetary donations: [//saintjohnshospice.org](http://saintjohnshospice.org)/Contact information 1221 Race St. Philadelphia, PA 19107 adicesare@chs-adphila.org (215) 563-7763.



The Legion of Mary, of the Cathedral Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul, meets **each Sunday at 1pm in the Newman Room.** The Legion of Mary is a Catholic organization of men and women under the patronage of Mary Immaculate who strive to lead others into a personal relationship with Christ through prayer and service especially through evangelization and care for the sick and marginalized. Contact person Jeannette Garcia at: jeannettelegionofmary@gmail.com
New members are always welcome.

[CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE PREVIOUS BULLETIN](#)

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The Association of Church Musicians in Philadelphia
in conjunction with The Office for Divine Worship

Winter Workshop

THE ARS CELEBRANDI AND LITURGICAL MUSIC: A NECESSARY CONNECTION

Saturday, February 4th

8:30 AM to 2:30 PM

Presenters:

Dr. Peter Latona

Director of Music for the Basilica of the National Shrine of
the Immaculate Conception (Washington, DC)

Fr. Dennis Gill

Director of the Office for Divine Worship,
Archdiocese of Philadelphia

The presentations will demonstrate the *what* and *how* of the necessary connection between an artful and
careful celebration of the Eucharist and liturgical music. This connection fosters authentic participation in
the Mystery and gives renewed vigor to living the Gospel.

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Registration and breakfast begin at 8:30 AM

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Pat Gallo-Terrenzio

✉ president@acmpmusic.com

☎ 215-947-4759

The workshop will be live-streamed and recorded.



**15th Annual Man Up Philly
Men's Spirituality Conference**

Saturday, March 4, 2023

***The Road to Emmaus- Finding Christ in
the Breaking of the Bread***

The men of our parish are invited to join Catholic Men from throughout the Archdiocese for the **15th Annual Man Up Philly Men's Conference on March 4th at Cardinal O'Hara HS.** Speakers include **Timothy Cardinal Dolan**, acclaimed speaker, author, and Archbishop of New York City, **Jim Wahlberg**, writer and producer of **Mother Teresa - No Greater Love**, **Deacon James Mahoney**, instructor at St Charles Seminary. **Mark Houck**, pro-life champion, will offer our reconciliation talk. And back by popular demand, **Mark Forrest**, internationally recognized Irish tenor, who will lead our **Eucharistic Adoration**. The **Sacrament of Reconciliation** will be available, and the Conference will conclude with **Mass** celebrated by our archbishop **Most Reverend Archbishop Nelson Pérez**.

For more information and to register go to the website:

www.manupphilly.com

Schools of Missionary Discipleship: Part I, School of Discipleship

Join us for a powerful and practical training in the habits and skills of missionary discipleship. Part 1, the School of Discipleship, will help you grow deeper in personal friendship with Jesus through prayer and personal conversion. Part 2, the School of Mission, will equip you with the skills you need to go forth as "fishers of men," seeking to win souls with and for Jesus.

Part 1, School of Discipleship: Six Thursdays starting on March 2, 2023, 9:15 AM-12:15 PM at St. Charles Borromeo Parish in Drexel Hill (Delaware County).

More details: Cost is \$50.00

To register and learn more about course topics,

visit: <https://www.phillyevang.org/schools/>

****This course is also available in Spanish: [Volante promocional](#)**

Martin Saints Classical High School Admissions Open House:

Sunday, January 29th, 2023 @ 1:00pm
to kick off Catholic Schools Week!

7th Grade Visitation Day: March 28th, 2023

Location: On the campus of Holy Martyrs Church,
121 Allison Road, Oreland PA 19075.

www.whymsc.org

Come be "fully alive" with us! Any questions?

Contact: Ms. Laura Lindmeier

(llindmeier@martinsaintsclassical.org)



MARRIED COUPLES – Resolve
to "Live your best life in love" in
2023:

Why not give yourselves some time together by making a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend? In-person experiences in the new year are: **February 10-12 and April 21-23 at Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown.**

For more info visit: <https://www.wwme-philly.org/>.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

If you are interested in the Young Adults of the Cathedral Parish as well as receiving the most up-to-date information on our group's events please e-mail us at:

youngadults.cathedral@gmail.com.

Please search for our Facebook page:

[Young Adults at the Cathedral](#)).

Events for Young Adults:

- Gospel Reflection: Every Thursday @ 7pm (Drexel Hall)
- Meet and Greet: Last Friday of every month @ 7pm (Mass followed by pizza and doughnuts in DR Hall.)
- Rosary on Saturday mornings @ 8AM in the Chapel followed by Gospel Reflection in the Neumann Room.

Come and Join us!

February 2nd marks the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord and World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life celebrated in the Universal Church. In the Church of Philadelphia our parishes will mark this special occasion on the weekend of **February 4-5, 2023.**

The Archdiocese continues to be blessed with many different forms of Consecrated Life. World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life is a day to celebrate the many religious priests, brothers, sisters, consecrated virgins, and hermits who serve in the Archdiocese.

Read Archbishop Pérez's letter commemorating World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life [HERE](#).

Please remember each of them for their untiring services to the local Church of Philadelphia.

Sincerely in Christ Jesus, Sister Gabrielle Mary Braccio, R.S.M.