

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

APRIL 14, 2024

and that repentance, for
the forgiveness of sins,
would be preached

in his name

to all the nations

LUKE 24:47



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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

*Adopted by the Parish Council
August 10, 2021*

MASS SCHEDULE

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

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

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

Holy Days: See website

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE SCHEDULE

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

Weekdays: 11:30 AM in the Basilica

Saturday: 4:15 PM in the Basilica

Please contact the Parish Office to arrange for the:

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE,
SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK,
AND HOLY COMMUNION OF THE SICK
AND HOMEBOUND**

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

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

Third Sunday of Easter Sunday, April 14, 2024

*"Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts burn while you speak to us".
R. Alleluia, alleluia. LK. 24:32*

Weekly Intentions



April 13	Saturday, Easter Weekday St. Martin I
12:05	Cristoforo Romita
5:15	Mario D'Adamo, III
April 14	Third Sunday of Easter
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Ruben Toro
11:00	Marion M. Miller
12:30	Eugenio Flores
6:30	The Harvey Family
April 15	Monday, Easter Weekday
7:15	Intentions of John Connors
12:05	Sharon Reading
April 16	Tuesday, Easter Weekday
7:15	Pietro Conosciani
12:05	Gisela Hermes
April 17	Wednesday, Easter Weekday
7:15	Robert Hickory
12:05	For the living & deceased Members of the Religious Sisters of Mercy of Alma, Michigan
April 18	Thursday, Easter Weekday
7:15	Intentions of Fr. Gregory Maria Pine, O.P.
12:05	Matthew H. McCloskey, IV
April 19	Friday, Easter Weekday
7:15	Michael Olmo
12:05	Ralph Kalish
April 20	Saturday, Easter Weekday
12:05	Jacqueline Haberman
5:15	Mary Shanahan
April 21	Fourth Sunday of Easter
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Brian Patrick McCauley
11:00	Albert A. & Kathleen L. Contrucci
12:30	Jeffrey Johns
6:30	Intentions of William Oliver

Dear Parishioners,

Today is the Third Sunday of Easter! Church documents - quoting Saint Athanasius - often refer to Easter Time as one "great Sunday." Each Sunday of Easter and, indeed, every one of the Fifty Days of Easter Time celebrates the great event and mystery of the Resurrection of our Lord from the dead. An Easter Time greeting used throughout the centuries in every part of the Church is, "He is risen!" The response is, "He is risen, indeed!" This was and is a popular way to observe Easter Time. All of us might consider ways to maintain a sense of Easter until the conclusion of Easter Time with Pentecost. This might include reading again the Gospel description of the Resurrection or the Acts of the Apostles which tells the story of the Apostles and the early Christian Community after the Resurrection. Another way might be to come to Mass during the week and encounter more frequently the Risen Lord in Holy Communion. Most of all, our thoughts, and prayers, springing from our participation in Sunday Mass during Easter Time, should keep us focused on the Resurrection of Jesus among us and within us. The grace of the Resurrection constantly comes to our aid to live a more vivid Christian life.

You may have noticed that fewer Catholics are getting married and marrying in the Church. This unfortunate reality is due to a great number of factors. However, we need to do all we can to encourage couples to live according to the Gospel and marry in Christ with his Sacrament of Holy Matrimony. We do have a significant number of weddings here at the Cathedral Basilica. At times they even take place at Sunday Mass, especially at the 5:15 PM Anticipated Mass. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to celebrate Christ's Sacrament of Marriage and to promote the Christian married life. If you have a family member who is not married in the Church, encourage them to speak to their parish priest to have their marriage validated and return to Holy Communion.

We all need to work together for the success of our Parish Keys and Sword Event 2024. I repeat my invitation to our parishioners to ask among business associates and other institutions, especially restaurants, to consider an ad in our Ad Book. We depend on the success of the Keys and Sword Event to supplement the many significant needs of the Cathedral Basilica. Please see the website to learn about this year's event and to purchase tickets, <http://cathedralphila.org/keys/>.

Invite a family member, a neighbor, and/or a friend to join you for Holy Mass next Sunday at the Cathedral Basilica.

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 support of the outreach services in 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.

Happy Easter!
Father Dennis Gill
Rector

repent
in his name

PRAYER | PARTICIPATION | GENEROSITY



Please make a gift. It will help to continue the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy at the Cathedral especially during this special week. Your generous support makes all the difference for our Cathedral Parish and all the wonderful people we help and all the work we do caring for our beautiful Cathedral.

*Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Pray for us.
And let us remember to pray for each other always!*
For more information, visit: www.cathedralphila.org.

Your generosity on 4/7 was:

Regular \$5,652
Special 1,679 (to the poor and needy in the vicinity of the Electronic* 2,811 Cathedral Parish)
Total \$10,142

*Electronic giving is your average weekly giving for March.

Thank you for your generosity to the Cathedral Parish

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

- You are invited to become a member of our parish family and take part in our ministries, programs, events, and worship. Please speak with Deacon Burgos, email us at info@cathedralphila.org or call the office at 215-561-1313 to make an appointment with Father Gill or Father Artman, 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.
- Donate on-line** at <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/> or scan this QR code:



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Reverend Gerald Dennis Gill
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Reverend Peter J. Welsh
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Reverend Monsignor John M. Savinski
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Director of Religious Education

Charlene Angelini
Director of Cathedral Parish Music

Mark Loria
Principal Organist

LIVE STREAMED SUNDAY MASS AT 11:00 AM

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

<https://vimeo.com/event/2470138>; [Worship Aid](#)

Readings for Mass for this Week

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

CANTATE DOMINO CHILDREN'S CHOIR CAMP



FREE for ALL STUDENTS

**June 24 - 27, 2024
9:00am-3:00pm**

Closing with Evening Prayer June 27, 2024 7:00pm

Staff:
Charlene Angelini, Director, Cathedral Basilica Music Program
Danielle Molan, Director, Cantus Angelorum Cathedral Children's Choir
Mark Loria, Principal Organist, Cathedral Basilica

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL
PHILADELPHIA, PA



<http://cathedralphila.org/music/choirs-at-the-cathedral-basilica/>

Please remember these parishioners and friends of the Cathedral Parish in your prayers/ Oren por los enfermos y fallecidos: Daranee Teapthong, Janice Riddick, Tripti Ghosh, ladys Bacalor, Letticiya, Molly Nelson 's intentions, Zulma Rodríguez, Rose Ruminski's intentions, Guillermo, Familia Aponte Ortiz, Ivan Guzman, Anubhab Mallick, Juan Cote Rueda, Gladys Rosado, Viola Bradshaw, Diana Valencia, Paula Lane, Ella Bella, Victoria Melendez, Luz Pilarte, Angel Morel, Allison Torres, For the intentions submitted to PrayersUniteTheWorld.org., and those in nursing homes or hospitals and all the sick. **To add or remove parishioners, friends or family members to the prayer list, please send an email to: prayingforyou@cathedralphila.org. Por favor envíe un email o llame a la oficina parroquial para añadir o remover los nombres de la lista de personas que estén enfermas.**

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

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

*Adoptado por el Consejo Pastoral
Parroquial, agosto 10, 2021*



**Peregrinación
Eucarística**
NACIONAL

pasa por la

Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia

**30 de mayo al
3 de junio**



Más información en el QR o viste:
phillyeucharisticrevival.org/pilgrimage

*Liderando un grupo pequeño de
estudio transformador*

**Sábado, mayo 18 del 2024
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

Centro Pastoral de la Arquidiócesis
Auditorio
222 N. 17th Street
Filadelfia 19103

Presentadora:

Paola Cubides Herrera
Directora Asociada
Oficina para la Nueva Evangelización

Registración:

\$10 por persona
Desayuno ligero incluido
Para registrarse:

<https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=PnHXzV>
o visite: phillyevang.org/events

REFLEXIÓN DEL PÁRROCO

Estimados feligreses,

¡Hoy es el tercer domingo de Pascua! Los documentos de la Iglesia, que citan a San Atanasio, a menudo se refieren al Tiempo de Pascua como un "gran domingo". Cada domingo de Pascua y, de hecho, cada uno de los Cincuenta Días del Tiempo Pascual celebra el gran acontecimiento y misterio de la Resurrección de nuestro Señor de entre los muertos. Un saludo del tiempo de Pascua utilizado a lo largo de los siglos en cada parte de la Iglesia es: "¡Ha resucitado!" La respuesta es: "¡En verdad, ha resucitado!" Esta fue y es una forma popular de observar el Tiempo de Pascua. Todos nosotros podríamos considerar formas de mantener un sentido de Pascua hasta la conclusión del Tiempo Pascual con Pentecostés. Esto podría incluir leer nuevamente la descripción del evangelio de la Resurrección o los Hechos de los Apóstoles, que cuenta la historia de los Apóstoles y la primera comunidad cristiana después de la Resurrección. Otra manera podría ser asistir a Misa durante la semana y encontrar más frecuentemente al Señor Resucitado en la Sagrada Comunión. Por encima de todo, nuestros pensamientos y oraciones, que surgen de nuestra participación en la Misa dominical durante el tiempo de Pascua, deben mantenernos enfocados en la Resurrección de Jesús entre nosotros y dentro de nosotros. La gracia de la Resurrección viene constantemente en nuestra ayuda para vivir una vida cristiana más viva.

Es posible que haya notado que cada vez menos católicos se casan y se casan por la Iglesia. Esta lamentable realidad se debe a una gran cantidad de factores. Sin embargo, debemos hacer todo lo posible para animar a las parejas a vivir según el evangelio y casarse en Cristo con su Sacramento del Santo Matrimonio. Tenemos un número importante de bodas aquí en la Catedral Basílica. A veces incluso tienen lugar en la Misa dominical, especialmente en la Misa Anticipada de las 5:15 PM. Esta es una maravillosa oportunidad para que celebremos el Sacramento del Matrimonio de Cristo y promovamos la vida matrimonial cristiana. Si tiene un familiar que no está casado por la Iglesia, anímelo a hablar con su párroco para validar su matrimonio y regresar a la Sagrada Comunión.

Todos debemos trabajar juntos para el éxito de nuestro Evento Parroquial Llaves y Espadas 2024 «Keys and Sword por su nombre en inglés». Repito mi invitación a nuestros feligreses a solicitar entre socios comerciales y otras instituciones, especialmente restaurantes, que consideren un anuncio en nuestro Libro de Anuncios. Dependemos del éxito del Evento de Llaves y Espadas para complementar las muchas necesidades importantes de la Catedral Basílica. Consulte el sitio web para conocer el evento de este año y comprar boletos, <http://cathedralphila.org/keys/>.

Invita a un familiar, un vecino y/o un amigo a acompañarte a la Santa Misa el próximo domingo en la Catedral Basílica.

Gracias a todos nuestros feligreses y visitantes por su bondad y generosidad hacia la Parroquia Catedral. La segunda colecta del próximo domingo estará dirigida al apoyo de los servicios de apoyo en la Parroquia Catedral. Puede enviar sus ofrendas dominicales por correo a la oficina parroquial de la Catedral o utilizar las muchas formas de donar electrónicamente. Consulte <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>. Muchas gracias.

¡Felices Pascuas de Resurrección!
Padre Dennis Gill
Rector

Alabuya

ha Resucitado



Keys & Sword 2024

AN EVENT OF THE MOTHER CHURCH OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA:
CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2024
6:00 PM – 9:30 PM

COCKTAIL RECEPTION & DINNER
MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT
BLACK TIE OPTIONAL

COMPLIMENTARY PARKING AT THE CATHEDRAL

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PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT
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KSPHILA@THECFGR.ORG | 215.587.5650

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Come out and join other Young Adults (ages 21-39) from the Cathedral and surrounding areas for a fun Theology on Tap. Discussion will center around "How to strengthen and become more connected with God in a modern world." Come and share your experiences, practices and perspectives for a great conversation, and make new friends!

Wednesday, April 24
7 PM to 9 PM

Victory Brewing Co.
1776 Benjamin Franklin Pkwy
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Located across the Parkway from the Cathedral

RSVP by email to Loni:
enolan236@gmail.com
by Friday, April 19

VEN. CORNELIA CONNELLY

A life lived for God

TO HONOR THE ANNIVERSARY OF HER PASSING, COME LEARN ABOUT VENERABLE CORNELIA CONNELLY, FOUNDRSS OF THE SOCIETY OF THE HOLY CHILD JESUS, MOTHER OF FIVE CHILDREN, AND NATIVE PHILADELPHIAN WHO'S ON THE PATH TO SAINTHOOD.

Tuesday, April 18, 2024
Drexel Hall
12:30 - 1 PM
Presentation & Hospitality



For more information, or to schedule a special pilgrimage to the Venerable Cornelia Connelly Memorial and Holy Child Shrine, contact gingiosi@archphila.org

Early Bird Special!
Register between
April 1-15

IHM Nun Run

\$5 off Individual Fee
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April is Abortion Recovery Awareness Month

Are you or someone you love suffering from a traumatic pregnancy loss and experiencing:

- Depression
- Anxiety and panic attacks
- Intense grief, sadness, rage
- Feelings of shame and guilt
- Suicidal thinking and behavior
- Drug or alcohol abuse
- Problems maintaining intimate relationships
- Eating disorders
- Nightmares, flashbacks

you can find healing.

Experience forgiveness and be freed from shame. Confidential, compassionate, non-judgmental help is available. You're not alone:

- For an in-person weekend retreat:
RachelsVineyard.org
- For online and/or in-person* Bible-based programs:
HerChoiceToHeal.com (part of RamahInternational.org)
SaveOne.org
SheFoundHisGrace.org



Because no heart is too broken to be healed



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APRIL 17, 2024
4 PM TO 9 PM

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DR. JOSEPH B. DOWNEY



Wednesday, April 17, 2024
Doors open at 6 P.M.

St. Ann Catholic Church
DiMatteo Hall, lower level
***Handicap accessible
357 Dorrance St.
Bristol, PA 19007



JEFF MANTO



MARLENE DOWNING



PETE DEMAYO

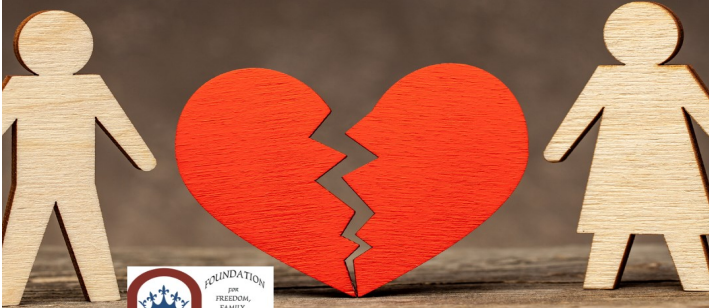
RSVP:

daveben1967@gmail.com

Retreat for Catholics

Affected by Divorce/Separation
at the Daylesford Abbey

June 15, 2024



Nonnatus.org



A SAFE PLACE TO RENEW, REBUILD & REDEEM HEARTS BROKEN BY ABORTION.

Check back for additional dates:

Spanish Retreat: April 12-14, 2024.

English Retreat: April 26-28, 2024.

Please email Becky at

healing@undefeatedcourage.org

with any additional questions.

God Bless You!

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE PASSES THROUGH THE ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA MAY 30-JUNE 3

What a grace that we will have the opportunity to welcome and adore Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist as the [National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Route](#), passes through the Archdiocese of Philadelphia between May 30 and June 3.

All are invited to join in the pilgrimage as it makes stops at many of our parishes.

For the full schedule of opportunities for prayer, processions and other Eucharistic events, visit phillyeucharisticrevival.org/pilgrimage.

Archdiocesan Perpetual Pilgrims

We rejoice that two young adults from the Archdiocese of Philadelphia will be serving as Perpetual Pilgrims, accompanying the Blessed Sacrament during the National Pilgrimage. Consider supporting these two young women by making a donation and sending them your prayer intentions. Click on their names below for details!

[\(Mas información en español\)](#)

[Amayrani Higueldo-Sanchez](#) ~ [Sarah Cahill](#)

Pilgrimage Schedule in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia



Thursday, May 30, 2024

- ⇒ **11:30 AM** - Receive the Blessed Sacrament and Pilgrims from the Diocese of Trenton
- ⇒ **12:15 PM** - Prayer and Benediction at Holy Trinity Church, Morrisville
- ⇒ **3:00 PM** - Midafternoon Prayer and Benediction at Saint John the Evangelist Church, Morrisville
- ⇒ **7:00 PM** - Evening Event at Saint Andrew Church, Newtown

Friday, May 31, 2024

- ⇒ **8:30 AM - 9:00 AM** - Mass at Saint Christopher Church, Philadelphia
- ⇒ **3:00 PM** - Prayer Service and Benediction at Holy Innocents Church, Philadelphia
- ⇒ **7:00 PM** - Evening Event at Holy Innocents Church, Philadelphia

Saturday, June 1, 2024

- ⇒ **9:30 AM** - Mass at the Shrine of St. John Neumann
- ⇒ **7:00 PM** - Evening Event with Young Adults at Shrine of St. John Neumann, Philadelphia

Sunday, June 2, 2024

- ⇒ **11:00 AM - 12:00 PM** - Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul, Philadelphia
- ⇒ **3:00 PM** - Mid-afternoon Prayer and Benediction at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary
- ⇒ **7:00 PM** - Evening Event at Saint Laurence Church, Upper Darby

Monday, June 3, 2024

- ⇒ **9:00 AM - 9:30 AM** - Mass at Saints Simon and Jude Church, West Chester
- ⇒ **Time TBD** - Prayer Service and Benediction at Saint Agnes Church, West Chester