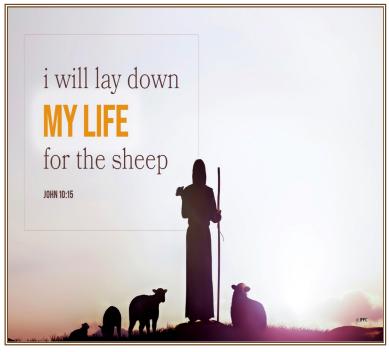
# Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul And the Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel

18th Street and Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Most Reverend Nelson J. Pérez, Archbishop of Philadelphia



#### 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

### **APRIL 21, 2024**

#### 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 Brandon M. Artman Parochial Vicar

Reverend Peter J. Welsh Part-time Parochial Vicar (Hispanic Ministry)

Reverend Monsignor John M. Savinski Priest in Residence

> Reverend Philip G. Bochanski Priest in Residence

Deacon Jesús M. Burgos Permanent Deacon

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

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

Christian M. Thompson Director of Religious Education

Charlene Angelini
Director of Cathedral Parish Music

Mark Loria Principal Organist

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## Fourth Sunday of Easter Sunday, April 21, 2024

"I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me". R. Alleluia, alleluia. JN. 10:14



#### April 20 Saturday, Easter Weekday Jacqueline Haberman 12:05 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 April 22 Monday, Easter Weekday 7:15 Gisela Hermes 12:05 Joseph Taylor April 23 Tuesday, Easter Weekday St. George; St. Adalbert 7:15 Dino, Franco, Lello Frattoni 12:05 Julia Norton Delcompare Wednesday, Easter Weekday April 24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen 7:15 Intentions of Fr. Gregory Maria Pine, O.P. 12:05 For the intentions of the Young Church of Philadelphia April 25 Thursday St. Mark 7:15 Alice Wendelken 12:05 Jacinto Torres April 26 Friday, Easter Weekday

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April 27

April 28

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Intentions of Donna Montalbano

Saturday, Easter Weekday

Sr. Anne Marie Markoe, IHM

For the People of the Parish

Por la salud de Dolores Tellez

Intentions of Lila Oliver

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Greg Cruz

Mom Laetitia

Greg I. Rothstein

Larry Lambright

Dear Parishioners,

Today is the Fourth Sunday of Easter, Good Shepherd Sunday. In the Holy Gospel for this Sunday, the Good Shepherd, the Risen Lord, speaks a comforting word to us. "I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep (John 10: 14-15)." Our Shepherd Jesus expresses an intimate and grace-filled relationship with all of us who belong to him in his Resurrection. He knows us deeply and so calls us to follow him in a complete way. To hear the Good Shepherd and follow his way brings the promise of sharing in his Resurrection with eternal life. As we observe this Good Shepherd Sunday, let us turn to our Risen Savior with renewed conviction that he alone is the center of our lives and so directs all that we do. Let us live now with a singularity of focus as if we are already with him in glory. This is the Christian life lived in the grace of the Resurrection.

Good Shepherd Sunday is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations to the holy priesthood and the consecrated life. The Church is always in need of more numerous vocations to the priesthood and the consecrated life to continue the work of the Good Shepherd - in so many ways - among us. Let us pray this Sunday, especially for more numerous vocations to the priesthood and the consecrated life all throughout the Archdiocese. Good Shepherd, hear our prayers!

The Cathedral Basilica is at the same time the Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and our parish church. Frequently, and especially during the spring of each year, there are many different groups that come to the Cathedral Basilica for special celebrations during the regularly scheduled Sunday Masses. These celebrations, especially when they draw a very large number of visitors, are never intended to displace our parishioners. As we graciously welcome these visitors to be among us, the pews on either side of the main aisle are always available for our parishioners for their participation in Holy Mass. Your understanding of any inconvenience when we have many visitors at the regularly scheduled Masses is most appreciated.

Have you purchased your ticket for the Keys and Sword Event 2024? Have you asked someone to take out an ad for the Keys and Sword Ad Book? 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, <a href="http://cathedralphila.org/keys/">http://cathedralphila.org/keys/</a>.

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 young adult ministries 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

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## PRAYER | PARTICIPATION | GENEROSITY



Give the gift of joy this Easter season. Please consider a gift to the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul Parish Fund through your will or a planned gift to provide lasting support for God's work through the Church.

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 4/14 was:

Regular \$6,112

Special 1,057 (to the landscaping needs of the Cathedral

Electronic\* 2,811 Parish)
Total \$9,980

\*Electronic giving is your average weekly giving for March.

#### Thank you for your generosity to the Cathedral Parish

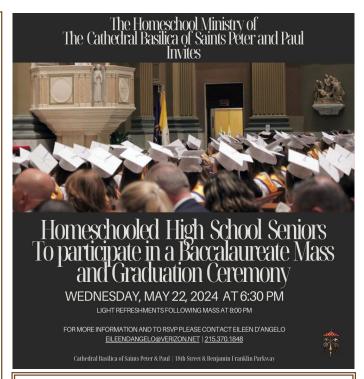
Please consider a gift to support the good works of our Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul.

- 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 <a href="mailto:info@cathedralphila.org">info@cathedralphila.org</a> 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 <a href="http://cathedralphila.org/donate">http://cathedralphila.org/donate</a> or scan this QR code:



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# CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS -Adult faith formation-

Social Justice and the Gospel

The Works of Mercy

#### Thursday, April 25, 2024, 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, 215-561-1313 or email Father Dennis Gill at fr.dgill@archphila.org

#### **Hearing Devices**

If you or someone you know is in need of a hearing device at Mass, please ask one of the Greeters to assist you. They may be borrowed from the sacristy and returned after Mass.

#### 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

Please remember these parishioners and friends of the Cathedral Parish in your prayers/ Oren por los enfermos y fallecidos: Sue L., Yingyos Thepthong, Mason Owens, Blanca Ruiz Diaz, Betsie J., Kristell Calderon, Wesley Gilberto, Julie Patricia Castel, David T., Johana's intentions, Laura Marisa, Sebi, Iranice Tavares, Maria E. Hernández Peña, Gordon M. H, Regi Connelly, Paula Lane, Ella Bella, Victoria Melendez, Luz Pilarte, Angel Morel, Allison Torres, For the intentions submitted to Prayers Unite The World.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: <a href="mailto:prayingforyou@cathedralphila.org">prayingforyou@cathedralphila.org</a>. 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.

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

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

Adoptado por el Consejo Pastoral Parroquial, agosto 10, 2021



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Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia

## 30 de mayo al 3 de junio



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

#### MISA DE SANACIÓN JUEVES, 25 DE ABRIL, 2024 7:00 PM

Centro de Padre Pio (Iglesia de San Joaquín) 1509 Church St. Philadelphia, PA 19124

También, se ofrecerá el sacramento de reconciliación y la imposición de manos. ¡Ven, Espíritu Santo! Todos están invitados

#### MISA DE SANACIÓN JUEVES, 2 DE MAYO, 2024 7:00 PM

St. Martin of Tours Parish 5450 Roosevelt Boulevard Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19124

También, se ofrecerá el sacramento de reconciliación y la imposición de manos. ¡Ven, Espíritu Santo!

#### REFLEXIÓN DEL PÁRROCO

Estimados feligreses,

Hoy es el Cuarto Domingo de Pascua, Domingo del Buen Pastor. En el santo evangelio de este domingo, el Buen Pastor, el Señor Resucitado, nos dirige una palabra de consuelo. "Yo soy el Buen Pastor, y conozco los míos como los míos me conocen a mí, lo mismo que el Padre me conoce a mí y yo conozco al Padre. Y yo doy mi vida por las ovejas (Juan 10: 14-15)". Nuestro Pastor Jesús expresa una relación íntima y llena de gracia con todos los que le pertenecemos en su Resurrección. Él nos conoce profundamente y por eso nos llama a seguirlo de manera completa. Escuchar al Buen Pastor y seguir su camino trae la promesa de participar en su Resurrección con vida eterna. Al observar este Domingo del Buen Pastor, acudamos a nuestro Salvador Resucitado con una convicción renovada de que sólo él es el centro de nuestras vidas y por eso dirige todo lo que hacemos. Vivamos ahora con una singularidad de enfoque como si ya estuviéramos con él en gloria. Ésta es la vida cristiana vivida en la gracia de la Resurrección.

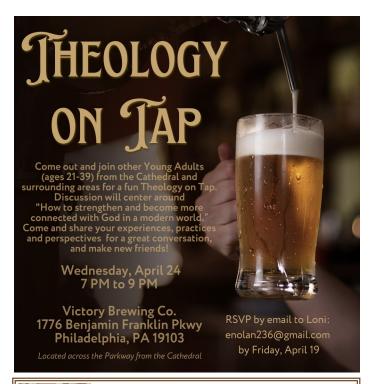
El Domingo del Buen Pastor es la Jornada Mundial de Oración por las Vocaciones al Santo Sacerdocio y a la Vida Consagrada. La Iglesia siempre necesita más vocaciones al sacerdocio y a la vida consagrada para continuar la obra del Buen Pastor, de tantas maneras, entre nosotros. Oremos este domingo especialmente por más vocaciones al sacerdocio y a la vida consagrada en toda la Arquidiócesis. ¡Buen Pastor, escucha nuestras oraciones!

La Catedral Basílica es al mismo tiempo la Iglesia Madre de la Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia y nuestra iglesia parroquial. Con frecuencia, y especialmente durante la primavera de cada año, hay muchos grupos diferentes que vienen a la Catedral Basílica para celebraciones especiales durante las Misas dominicales programadas regularmente. Aunque estas celebraciones especialmente atraen a un gran número de visitantes, nunca pretenden desplazar a nuestros feligreses. Mientras damos amablemente la bienvenida a estos visitantes para que estén entre nosotros, los bancos a ambos lados del pasillo principal siempre están disponibles para que nuestros feligreses participen en la Santa Misa. Su comprensión es apreciada por cualquier inconveniente cuando tengamos muchos visitantes en las Misas programadas regularmente.

¿Ya compraste tu boleto de entrada para el Evento Llaves y Espada 2024 «Keys and Sword por su nombre en inglés»? ¿Le ha pedido a alguien que publique un anuncio para el Libro de anuncios de Llaves y Espadas? Todos debemos trabajar juntos para el éxito de nuestro Evento Parroquial Llaves y Espadas 2024. 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, <a href="https://cathedralphila.org/keys/">https://cathedralphila.org/keys/</a>.

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 ministerios de jóvenes adultos 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



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.



Recovery

Because no heart is too broken to be healed Alwil 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 guiltSuicidal thinking and behavior
- Drug or alcohol abuse
  Problems maintaining
- intimate relationships
- Eating disorders
- Nightmares, flashbacks

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

you can find healing.

- 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





Friday, June 28, 2024 6:00 pm – 9:30 pm

Cocktail Reception & Dinner Music & Entertainment Black Tie Optional Complimentary Parking at the Cathedrai

The Logan Philadelphia Hotel One Logan Square Philadelphia, PA 19103

> FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT KSPHILA.ORG

#### PARISHIONER INFORMATION UPDATE

#### New Parishioners

Welcome to the Cathedral Parish!

The easiest way to register can be accomplished by speaking with one of the parish priests after any regularly scheduled Mass. If preferred, you can also contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to meet with a priest for parish registration.

#### **Parishioners**

If you have new contact information, new members in your household, or someone in your household has received a sacrament, please contact the Parish Office so that our records can be updated. If you have not been receiving your weekly offering envelopes, again, please contact the Parish Office to insure that your address is registered correctly. If you are planning on moving away please let us know.

Parish Office phone number is 215-561-1313, or email us at info@cathedralphila.org

The Patricians Meeting sponsored by the Legion of Mary of the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul and the Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel

THE BENEFITS OF CONFESSION, AND WHY CONFESS TO A PRIEST Sunday, April 28, 2024 1:00 PM — 3:00 PM

Presenter: David Stier

**Location: Room 1307, Archdiocesan Pastoral Center** 222 N 17<sup>th</sup> St. Philadelphia, PA 19103

#### 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 <u>National Eucharistic Pilgrimage</u>, 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

- ⇒ **12:00 PM** Eucharistic Procession as the Blessed Sacrament Enters the Archdiocese of Philadelphia
- ⇒ 12:30 PM Prayer and Benediction at Holy Trinity Church, Morrisville
- ⇒ **2:30 PM** Eucharistic Procession at Saint John the Evangelist Church, Morrisville
- ⇒ **3:00 PM** 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

- ⇒ **7:30 AM** Morning Prayer and Breakfast with the Sisters of Life, St. Malachy, Philadelphia
- ⇒ 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, Wynnewood
- ⇒ 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
- ⇒ 12:15 PM Prayer Service and Benediction at Saint Agnes Church, West Chester

Archdiocese of Philadelphia Catholic Charismatic Conference May 18, 2024 – 9:00 AM to Pentecost Vigil Mass at 5:00 PM

## "PROPHECY FOR OUR TIME" ARE YOU READY? – HOLY SPIRIT EMPOWER US!

Don't miss it!

**Location:** Epiphany of Our Lord Parish

3050 Walton Rd., Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462 **Speakers:** Mrs. Christine Watkins, MTS, LCSW

Author of *The Warning: Testimonies and Prophecies of the Illumination of Conscience*; Emcee Maria C. Richardson, Archdiocesan Delegate for the Charismatic Renewal. Mass will be celebrated by Most Reverend John J. McIntyre More Speakers to come! Stay tuned.

To learn more, view the flyer and register:

Go to <a href="https://archphilaccr.org/events/">https://archphilaccr.org/events/</a>

#### The Catholic Teen Spring Formal Thursday, May 16, 2024

5:30 PM - 10:30 PM The Empress Room, Blue Bell, PA

The 2nd annual Catholic Teen Spring Formal is a fun and exciting evening filled with good food, awesome friends, fabulous music, cool dancing, and great memories!

The Catholic Teen Spring Formal is open to Catholic teens ages 14 through 19. Tickets are \$60 which includes a buffet dinner, dancing, entertainment, party favors, raffle tickets, and more.



#### REMEMBER THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA



Most adults do not have a legal will. Write your will today by visiting MyCatholicWill.com/CathedralPhila

This Lent, protect those you love most in under 15-minutes through the online, easy-to-use form.

Leave a legacy of faith by including the Cathedral Basilica in your will.

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