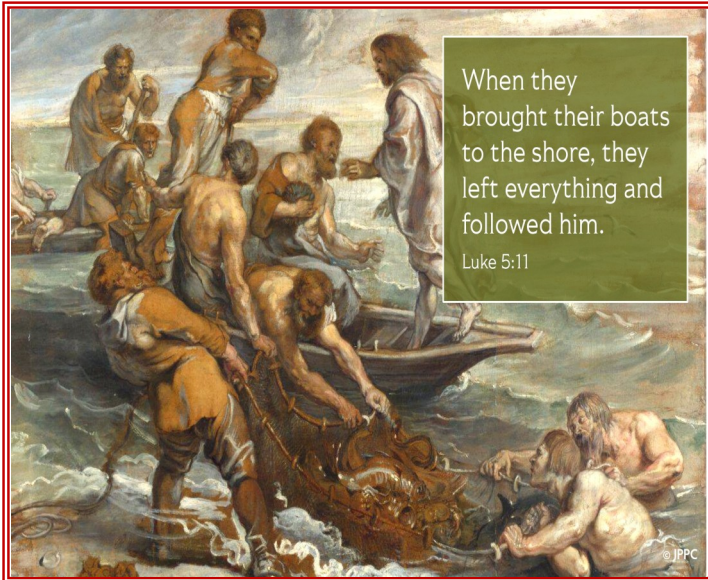


# Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul And the Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel

18th Street and Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

*Most Reverend Nelson J. Pérez, Archbishop of Philadelphia*



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**Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM**  
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**February 9, 2025**

## **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**

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## The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, February 9, 2025

*“Come after me and I will make you fishers of men”. MT. 4:19 R. Alleluia, alleluia.*



### MASS Intentions

<b>February 8 Saturday</b>	<b>St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita</b>
12:05	Kathleen Fanning
5:15	Pietro Conosciani
<b>February 9 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>World Marriage Day</b>
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Marino Ong
11:00	Gerard Rush
12:30	Por las Benditas Almas del Purgatorio
6:30	Jaime Roman
<b>February 10 Monday, Weekday</b>	<b>St. Scholastica</b>
7:15	Giuseppe & Domenico Gobbi
12:05	Arzella Ojumu
<b>February 11 Tuesday, Weekday</b>	<b>Our Lady of Lourdes</b>
	<b>World Day of the Sick</b>
7:15	Gino Carosa
12:05	Milda Supeña
<b>February 12 Wednesday, Weekday</b>	
7:15	Richard Neville
12:05	For the intentions of the Young Church of Philadelphia
<b>February 13 Thursday, Weekday</b>	
7:15	Richard Shields
12:05	For the intentions of Amanda Sweeney
<b>February 14 Friday</b>	<b>St. Cyril</b>
7:15	Charles Easley
12:05	Gloria & Joseph Moskal
<b>February 15 Saturday, Weekday</b>	
12:05	Dorothy Stansfield
5:15	Umberto & Edmondo Attilio
<b>February 16 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Carlos Maldonado & Antonia Cruz
11:00	For the repose of the soul of Sr. Carmen Rivera, PVMI
12:30	Marjory & Sonia
6:30	Ronald R. Ravielli

Dear Parishioners,

*This is the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time.* The Holy Gospel for this Sunday is a lesson in trust, trusting in God. The Lord asks Simon (Peter) to do the seemingly impossible by putting his nets out into the deep water to catch some fish where none were found through the previous night. Enough fish were caught that two boats were now in danger of sinking. Simon was distressed at his failure to trust the Lord. Jesus, however, tells Simon not to be afraid and that more will be asked of him. Trusting the Lord is not a once and only occasion for his followers. In fact, true disciples are those who follow the Lord constantly without fear that the one who leads them will not fail to provide for them. Let us pray this day that we may always do what the Lords asks of us without fear and with a spontaneity of trust.

*Today, the second Sunday of February, is World Marriage Day.* Our American Bishops encourage us to observe this day with prayer for the dignity and protection of Marriage, especially Christian Marriage. Of all the Christian vocations, Marriage suffers the most from a near collapse in our time. The incredible disregard of the Gospel and Church teaching against cohabitation before Marriage, the easy dismissal of openness to and respect for natural conception, and the acceptance of alternate understandings of Marriage compels us to pray for Marriage. Our prayer needs to be united to a reception in our hearts and minds of the Gospel and Church teaching on the institution and Sacrament of Marriage, the permanent union of a man and woman in Christ. Today, World Marriage Day, invites all of us to do our part especially with engaged couples to support them in their fidelity to the Lord's plan for Marriage. Let us remember today in our prayers all married couples. May the Lord keep them safe in their married lives and may they be a reminder to all of us of the love Christ has for his holy Church.

*This Tuesday, February 11, 2025, is the World Day of the Sick.* The World Day of the Sick coincides with the Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes. Pope Saint John Paul II established this observance as a day to pray especially for the sick. Lourdes is a popular place of pilgrimage for the sick who turn to Our Blessed Mother for her prayers for healing and the help to unite their sufferings with those of her Son. This day reminds us of our duty to pray for the sick and to assist them in whatever ways are possible, especially by visiting the sick. Christ, as you know, has given to the Church a sacrament for the sick. This Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is especially for those who are seriously ill, facing surgery, and impeded by the difficulties associated with aging. Often, as priests, we are called to administer this Sacrament when emergencies arise, especially in our neighboring hospitals. The Sacraments to receive at the end of life include Penance, the Anointing of the Sick and Holy Viaticum. Holy Viaticum is our last participation in Holy Communion as our passage is made from this life to eternal life. The Sacrament of the Sick, however, is for the sick even when there is no danger of death. I encourage you to receive this Sacrament if you are seriously ill or going to the hospital for surgery or if the senior years are a real struggle for you. To receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please notify the Parish Office or see one of the priests after Sunday Mass. This Sacrament can be received at any time and almost in any place. Christ wants to heal us and be our strength, especially with his Sacraments.

*Thank you to all our parishioners and visitors for your goodness and generosity to the Cathedral Parish and to the Annual Catholic Charities Appeal.* 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 very much.

God bless you, Father Dennis Gill, Rector

**LIVE STREAMED SUNDAY MASS  
AT 11:00 AM**  
[Click Here](#), or go to:  
<https://vimeo.com/event/2470138;>  
[Worship Aid](#)



## 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.

*Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Pray for us.*

*And let us remember to pray for each other always!*

For more information, visit: [www.cathedralphila.org](http://www.cathedralphila.org).

### Your generosity on 2/2 was:

Regular	\$5,869
Special	2,336 (to support the Care of Aging and Infirm
Electronic*	2,290 Priests)
Total	\$10,495

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

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- 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](mailto:info@cathedralphila.org) or call the office at 215561-1313 to make an appointment with Father Gill and he 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:



### Readings for Mass for this Week

Please see the website of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: [usccb.org/bible/readings](http://usccb.org/bible/readings)

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

## CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS

-Adult faith formation-

### The Seventh Commandment

Thursday, February 13, 2025, 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 [info@cathedralphila.org](mailto:info@cathedralphila.org)

The **Wedding book** is open now for the 2026 year.

The book for **Mass Intentions** for 2026 will open on **Monday, March 3, 2025.**

Please call the Parish Office at 215-561-1313 or email [info@cathedralphila.org](mailto:info@cathedralphila.org)

### SAVE THE DATE

### 2025 KEYS & SWORD EVENT

Friday, June 27, 2025

6:00 PM

The Logan Philadelphia

1 Logan Square, Philadelphia, PA

Cocktail Reception & Dinner | Music & Entertainment

Black Tie Optional | Complimentary Parking

at the Cathedral

### MIRACLES OF THE EUCHARIST A JUBILEE YEAR PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY WITH FR. DENNIS GILL

September 7-16, 2025

*Walk through four Holy Doors  
to receive a Plenary Indulgence*

#### More Information

1-800-842-4842 | M-F 9:00 AM – 5:30 PM ET |

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Subscribe for free to this exciting online platform, [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org). Parish code, 07854f.

### Men's Study Group

We will meet for one hour on the **fourth Wednesday of the month in Drexel hall at 7 PM**

For more information contact Michael McGeough at

[mmcgeough64@gmail.com](mailto:mmcgeough64@gmail.com)

**Please remember these parishioners and friends of the Cathedral Parish in your prayers/ Oren por los enfermos y fallecidos: Jorgelina Brebbia, Clare Meehan, Angelo David, John, Nicole Cutler, Jose Ferreyra, Sr. Mary Raphael Paradis, Luis Sacro, Nolan Benny, Intentions of Miriam Torres, David Dynako, Felix Tete, Luis Quintana, Nathaniel Roselli, Joan Ranieri, Sharnice, Jorge Vega, Flia. Torres Santos, For All Souls in Purgatory, For the Deliverance Ministry and all in need of deliverance, 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](mailto: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*

**SACRAMENTO DE LA RECONCILIACIÓN**

Los domingos a las 12:00 PM  
en la Capilla

**Movimiento Juan XXIII Celebra el  
“Día Internacional del matrimonio  
Sábado 15 de febrero, 2025**

**Lugar:** Iglesia San Joaquín (Centro Padre Pio), 1527 Church Street, Phila  
**Más información** contacte a Diana Zuluaga 954-296-1420 o Dulce Benítez 267-356-3392  
Tickets: \$50 por pareja

**Apoyando los que sufren problemas de  
salud mental (Taller en español)  
Sábado 29 de marzo, 2025  
9:15 AM – 2:30 PM**

Presentadora: Elizabeth Santos Fisher, DMFT, LMFT, Consultora para Intersect Access Services  
Lugar: Community Center at Visitation, 2646 Kensington Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19125  
Más información: [Haga clic aquí](#). Para registrarse, use este enlace: <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=GxdAVp>

**¡No te pierdas la CONVOCATORIA  
CATEQUÉTICA 2025!**

**Fecha:** Marzo 22, 2025  
**Hora:** 8:00 AM – 3:15 PM  
**Lugar:** Archbishop Carroll High School, 211 Matsonford Rd, Radnor, PA 19087  
**Keynote Speaker:**  
**Rev. Thomas Viviano & Julianne Stanz**  
**¡Regístrate hoy!**  
<https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=q74Jya>  
Costo: \$45.00 por persona  
Grupos de 4+: \$35.00 por persona

Estimados feligreses,

*Este es el quinto domingo del Tiempo Ordinario.* El santo evangelio de este domingo es una lección de confianza, de confiar en Dios. El Señor le pide a Simón (Pedro) que haga lo que parecía imposible: echar sus redes al mar profundo para pescar algunos peces donde no se habían encontrado durante la noche anterior. Se pescaron suficientes peces como para que dos barcos estuvieran en peligro de hundirse. Simón estaba angustiado por no haber confiado en el Señor. Sin embargo, Jesús le dice a Simón que no tenga miedo y que se le pedirá más. Confiar en el Señor no es una ocasión única para sus seguidores. De hecho, los verdaderos discípulos son aquellos que siguen al Señor constantemente sin temor a que quien los guía no deje de proveer para ellos. Oremos este día para que siempre hagamos lo que el Señor nos pide sin miedo y con una espontaneidad de confianza.

*Hoy, segundo domingo de febrero, es el Día Mundial del Matrimonio.* Nuestros obispos americanos nos alientan a observar este día con oración por la dignidad y protección del matrimonio, especialmente el matrimonio cristiano. De todas las vocaciones cristianas, el matrimonio es el que más sufre por un colapso casi total en nuestro tiempo. El increíble desprecio por el evangelio y la enseñanza de la Iglesia contra la cohabitación antes del matrimonio, el fácil rechazo de la apertura y el respeto por la concepción natural y la aceptación de concepciones alternativas del matrimonio nos obligan a orar por el matrimonio. Nuestra oración debe estar unida a una recepción en nuestros corazones y mentes de la enseñanza del evangelio y de la Iglesia sobre la institución y el sacramento del matrimonio, la unión permanente de un hombre y una mujer en Cristo. Hoy, Día Mundial del Matrimonio, nos invita a todos a hacer nuestra parte, especialmente con las parejas comprometidas, para apoyarlas en su fidelidad al plan del Señor para el matrimonio. Recordemos hoy en nuestras oraciones a todas las parejas casadas. Que el Señor las mantenga a salvo en sus vidas matrimoniales y que sean un recordatorio para todos nosotros del amor que Cristo tiene por su santa Iglesia.

*Este martes 11 de febrero del 2025 se celebra la Jornada Mundial del Enfermo.* La Jornada Mundial del Enfermo coincide con la Memoria de Nuestra Señora de Lourdes. El Papa San Juan Pablo II estableció esta celebración como un día para orar especialmente por los enfermos. Lourdes es un lugar popular de peregrinación para los enfermos que recurren a Nuestra Santísima Madre en busca de sus oraciones de curación y la ayuda para unir sus sufrimientos con los de su Hijo. Este día nos recuerda nuestro deber de orar por los enfermos y ayudarlos en todo lo que sea posible, especialmente visitándolos. Cristo, como ustedes saben, ha dado a la Iglesia un sacramento para los enfermos. Este Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos es especialmente para aquellos que están gravemente enfermos, enfrentando una cirugía y se ven impedidos por las dificultades asociadas con el envejecimiento. A menudo, como sacerdotes, estamos llamados a administrar este Sacramento cuando surgen emergencias, especialmente en nuestros hospitales vecinos. Los Sacramentos que se reciben al final de la vida incluyen la Penitencia, la Unción de los Enfermos y el Santo Viático. El Santo Viático es nuestra última participación en la Sagrada Comunión, ya que se hace nuestro paso de esta vida a la vida eterna. El Sacramento de los Enfermos, sin embargo, es para los enfermos incluso cuando no hay peligro de muerte. Los animo a recibir este Sacramento si están gravemente enfermos o van al hospital para una cirugía o si los años de la tercera edad son una verdadera lucha para ustedes. Para recibir el Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos, notifique a la Oficina Parroquial o consulte a uno de los sacerdotes después de la Misa dominical. Este Sacramento se puede recibir en cualquier momento y casi en cualquier lugar. Cristo quiere sanarnos y ser nuestra fuerza, especialmente con sus Sacramentos.

*Gracias a todos nuestros feligreses y visitantes por su bondad y generosidad hacia la Parroquia Catedral y hacia la Campaña Anual de Caridades Católicas.* La segunda colecta del próximo domingo se destinará al apoyo de los servicios de extensión 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. Por favor, consulte <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>. Muchas gracias.

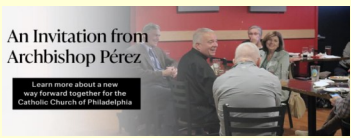
Dios los bendiga, Padre Dennis Gill, Rector



## SACRED JUBILEE SITE FOR 2025

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia is pleased to announce that the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul and Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel has been designated as a Sacred Jubilee Site for the Ordinary Jubilee Year 2025. From December 29, 2024, through December 28, 2025, pilgrims are invited to visit and receive the Jubilee Indulgence.

Full details are provided in the [Indulgence Decree](#).



An Invitation from Archbishop Pérez


### Archbishop Nelson J. Perez's Pastoral Letter and Invitation to Consultation Sessions

Archbishop Nelson J. Perez has released a significant pastoral letter that calls all Catholics to a conversion of heart—a shift toward a lifestyle and mindset of a missionary disciple. This call urges us to commit seriously to life in Jesus Christ and to reach out to those who have fallen away from the faith, especially those Catholics who no longer attend Mass.

**Take the Time to Read and Reflect** We encourage all to read the Archbishop's pastoral letter, watch the accompanying video, and explore the Frequently Asked Questions on the website. All of this content can be found at [trustandhope.org](http://trustandhope.org).

**Exodus 90** is a 90-day spiritual exercise for men based on 3 pillars: prayer, asceticism, and fraternity. Becoming a saint is the most important thing any of us can do with our lives. Join hundreds of thousands of Catholic men around the world and become the man God made you to be.

Contact : Michael McGeough (609)502-1185 or [mmcgeough64@gmail.com](mailto:mmcgeough64@gmail.com)



### SOLES FOR SOULS

#### R. J. SNIPES FOUNDATION

SHOW DONATION DRIVE on Sunday, March 9th, 2025  
COLLECTION of **SNEAKERS/SHOES**

**We need your Help to Make a Difference!**  
Do you have sneakers or shoes you no longer use?  
**Donate them to those in need!**

New or gently worn shoes are welcome  
Donations accepted for men, women and children

**Early Donations Begin in February!**  
Drop off your shoes at the Sacristy or hand them to a sacristan.  
**Collection Location:**  
Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul

## TMIY

**That Man is You!** is an interactive men's program that combines the latest findings of modern science with the **THAT MAN IS YOU!** teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop authentic male leaders capable of transforming themselves, their families and greater society.

**When:** Wednesday mornings 6:30-7:30 AM.  
**Where:** Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul - Neumann Room (backside)  
**Registration:** <https://programs.paradisusdei.org/join/F914C2>  
**More information:** Email [aaronpisacane@gmail.com](mailto:aaronpisacane@gmail.com).

# BBVC 2025!

Brothers of Borromeo Vocation Camp




**Saturday, March 22, 2025**  
**9:00 AM - 4:30 PM**  
**St. Charles Borromeo Seminary**  
1400 Evans Road Ambler, PA 19002  
For young men in grades 6, 7, and 8



Scan for registration information!




Registration Due: February 28, 2025  
\$25 registration fee per person includes lunch and a t-shirt  
Questions? Contact Grace Murphy, at [gmurphy@archphila.org](mailto:gmurphy@archphila.org) or 610-667-5778  
Or visit [HeedTheCall.org/BBVC](http://HeedTheCall.org/BBVC)



Celebrate the Jubilee Year with Patriarch Sviatoslav

## Hope & Perseverance Peace & Justice

Take part in the spiritual renewal program of the Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Philadelphia



**Join Us for a Special Prayer Service for Ukraine**  
**February 16, 2025 | 4:00 PM**  
**Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul**

Marking the third anniversary of the war in Ukraine, the Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Philadelphia invites you to a special service of prayer for hope, perseverance, peace, and justice in Ukraine. The service will be led by His Beatitude Patriarch Sviatoslav and Archbishop Pérez.

**Parking is available.**



Office for Catechetical Formation  
*Sowing the Seeds of Faith*

### 34TH CATECHETICAL CONVOCATION



**SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 2025**

ARCHBISHOP JOHN CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL, RADNOR, PA

**Keynote Speakers:**

**English Track: Julianne Stanz**  
**Spanish Track: Rev. Thomas Viviano**

PhillyOCF@archphila.org | 215-587-3720 | PhillyOCE.org | @PhillyOCF

The registration link is : <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?est=q74Jya>

**Registration deadline is Friday, March 14, 2025 at noon.**

### **The Divine Mercy Chaplet**

Please join us as we pray the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy Each Friday at 3:00 PM.

**Join Via Zoom Meeting:**

Meeting ID: 875 6706 8541      Passcode: Mercy

**MARRIED COUPLES** – When's the last time you gave your marriage a tune-up? Keep your engines running by getting away together on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! The next in-person experiences are **March 28-30** in the Daylesford Abbey, Paoli and **June 20-22** at St. Mary of Providence Center, Elverson. For more info visit: <https://www.wvme-philly.org>.



### **17th Annual Man Up Philly Men's Spirituality Conference** **Saturday, March 8, 2025** **Becoming Pilgrims of Hope**

The men of our parish are invited to join Catholic Men to the 17th Annual Man Up Philly Men's Conference on March 8, 2025 at **Cardinal O'Hara HS**. Speakers include Ward FitzGerld, CNBC Contributor and Papal Knight, Eddie Morris, creator Team Hope, Msgr. Federico Britto, and our keynote speaker, Brian Dawkins, Pro Football HOF safety.

For more information and to register go to the website: [www.manupphilly.com](http://www.manupphilly.com)



**Saturday, March 29, 2025 from 9:00am-4:00pm, followed by Saturday Vigil Mass**  
**St. Helena's Church, 1489 Dekalb Pike, Blue Bell**

Come with your spouse or fiancé and listen to nationally acclaimed Catholic speakers who will inspire you to live out your marriage with greater fervor, love and joy.

For more information and to register, visit [bit.ly/MarriagesofGrace2025](http://bit.ly/MarriagesofGrace2025) or scan the QR code:



### **Pre-Lenten Retreat at the Daylesford Abbey** **Saturday, March 1, 2025, 11:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.**

The St. Raymond Nonnatus Foundation for Freedom, Family, and Faith is pleased to a *Pre-Lenten Retreat* geared for individuals and families who have experienced various crises and trauma. The day will feature prayer time, talks, reflections, Confessions and Mass at 4 p.m. Vespers will be offered after Mass as optional. The theme of the retreat is exploring the deeper meanings of prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

**Address:** Daylesford Abbey, 220 S. Valley Road, Paoli, PA 19031

**Speakers:** Dr. Anne DeSantis, ThD, and Father Joseph Serano, O.Praem.

**Registration:** <https://www.nonnatus.org/pre-lenten-retreat.html>

**Cost:** \$65 and includes lunch

**Questions:** Email [director.srnf@gmail.com](mailto:director.srnf@gmail.com)

### **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 Rosary and the Seven Sorrows of Mary**  
**Sunday, February 23, 2025**

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

**Presenter: Ramona Milburn \***

**Spiritual director: Sr. Mary Luchia, PVMI**

*Join the discussion on how Mary promised that over time, the rosary would develop within us a deep understanding of why we sin.*

**Location: Room 1307**

**Archdiocesan Pastoral Center,**  
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*Sandwiches, Coffee, and Donuts are provided during the Tea Break.*

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