

# 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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**Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel** <https://cathedralphila.org/drexel/>

**September 28, 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**

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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## Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Sunday, September 28, 2025

*“Though our Lord Jesus Christ was rich, he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich.” Cf. 2 Corinthians 8:9 Alleluia, alleluia.*

<b>September 27</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
12:05	<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b> For vocations to the Consecrated Life
5:15	For peace in the world and the city
<b>September 28</b>	<b>Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	Harold & Rose Brumbaugh
11:00	Dolores Latibo Lloyd
12:30	Otilia Torres
6:30	For vocations to the Holy Priesthood
<b>September 29</b>	<b>Monday</b>
	<b>Sts. Michael, Gabriel, &amp; Raphael</b>
7:15	For the intentions of Susan Hunt
12:05	For the intentions of Vladimir Castillo
<b>September 30</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>
7:15	<b>St. Jerome</b> Joyce Louise Haan
12:05	For the intentions of Susan Hunt
<b>October 1</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>
	<b>St. Thérèse of Lisieux</b> Federica Massiah-Jackson
7:15	For the intentions of Chico Guzman Family
<b>October 2</b>	<b>Thursday</b>
7:15	<b>The Holy Guardian Angels</b> For intentions entrusted to St. Katharine Drexel
12:05	Vianney To
<b>October 3</b>	<b>Friday, Weekday</b>
	<b>Sts. Cosmas &amp; Damian</b> Essie Mae Rubin
7:15	For the intentions of Susan Hunt
<b>October 4</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
12:05	<b>St. Francis of Assisi</b> For the intentions of Jennifer Collins
5:15	Filippo Di Costanzo
<b>October 5</b>	<b>Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
8:00	For the People of the Parish
9:30	For the Living & Deceased Members of the League of the Sacred Heart
11:00	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Feler Family
12:30	Camila Jerónimo
6:30	John Cardinal Krol

Dear Parishioners,

*This is the Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time. “They have Moses and the prophets. Let them listen to them (Luke 16: 29).” This is the heart of the lesson of this Sunday’s Gospel. The rich man had many opportunities to live the life of charity and justice, and especially when it came to giving food and drink to the poor Lazarus. In death, the rich man perishes in the netherworld and Lazarus rests in the bosom of Abraham. Abraham tells the rich man that he is across the great divide from Lazarus’ resting place because of the way he lived, the way he ignored the opportunities to give food and drink to a poor man. The rich man does not want his brothers to suffer the same fate. He begs Abraham to send Lazarus to warn his brothers. Abraham refuses and says, “They have Moses and the prophets. Let them listen to them.” My friends, we do not want to suffer the fate of the rich man. And it is possible. How do we avoid this fate? Let us heed the advice of Abraham. Let us see all the opportunities given to us to follow the way of Moses, the prophets, and the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. Now is the time to live the Christian life as fully and honestly as possible. This is how we avoid the fate of the rich man. Every Sunday, when we participate in Mass, we should listen carefully to the word of God for its instruction to live as God wants us to live. Every Sunday, when we receive Holy Communion, we receive the grace and strength to keep the word we hear. Again, this is how we avoid the fate of the rich man. Let us listen!*

*This Monday, September 29, 2025, is the Feast of the Archangels, Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael. The Archangels are the patrons for so many people and situations in the lives of Christians. Saint Michael is in special way the heavenly patron of the Police. The Police protect us in ways often unknown to us. They constantly put their lives at risk for us. They work daily in harm’s way. The Police need our prayers and support. I invite you to ask Saint Michael, who is a safeguard against evil, to protect our Police. Perhaps you might attend Mass on Monday at either 7:15 AM or 12:05 PM to pray especially for our Police.*

*October is the month of the Most Holy Rosary. The Memorial of the Our Lady of the Rosary is Tuesday, October 7, 2025. The Rosary gives us a way of raising our prayers to Jesus through Mary, his Mother and our Mother. As we meditate on the different sets of Mysteries with each decade of Hail Mary’s, we are calling to mind the Gospel and our Father’s plan of salvation and redemption accomplished by his Divine Son. I encourage you to turn to the Rosary frequently—daily—during this month of October, if you do not already, and allow this powerful prayer to lead you closer to the Lord with the help of Mary. We can include so many intentions with our Rosary. Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us!*

*October is Respect Life Month in the United States. Every life, without exception, deserves the protection of the law to be born and to die as God and his commandments intend. I encourage you to pray in an intentional way for the protection of human life at every stage and for the legal end to abortion and euthanasia in every part of our land, especially throughout October.*

*Thank you to all our parishioners and visitors for your goodness and generosity to the Cathedral Parish. The second collection next Sunday will be directed to the poor and needy in the neighborhood of the Cathedral Parish. You can mail your Sunday offerings to the Cathedral Parish Office or make use of the many ways to give electronically. Please see <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>.*

God Bless! Father Dennis Gill, Rector



## SACRED JUBILEE SITE

The Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul and the Shrine of Saint Katharine Drexel are designated Sacred Jubilee Sites for the Holy Year 2025.

From Dec 29, 2024 – Dec 28, 2025, pilgrims can receive a **plenary indulgence** by going to confession, being truly repentant, receive communion, go to Holy Mass, and praying for the Pope's intentions.

*Take part in this special year of grace and hope!*

## CATECHETICAL SESSION FOR ADULTS

### -Adult faith formation-

### Revelation and Tradition

### The Holy Bible: The Old Testament

Thursday, October 2, 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)

## We Are HIRING

Are you a talented cook looking for a part-time position? Do you know someone who is? We are seeking a dedicated and experienced part-time cook to join our team at the Cathedral Rectory.

### Position Details:

Days:

Tuesday through Thursday and Saturday evenings

Location: Cathedral Rectory



If you are interested or know someone who might be, please reach out directly to **Fr. Dennis Gill** at [fr.dgill@archphila.org](mailto:fr.dgill@archphila.org). Join us and become a valued member of our community!

<https://cathedralphila.org/>

## 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)

## Excellent faith formation at your fingertips!

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



## PRAYER PARTICIPATION GENEROSITY

Be Strong and courageous! Do not be afraid or discouraged for the Lord your God, is with you wherever you go.

Joshua 1:9

Gracious and loving Lord,

May cool mornings invigorate our souls, and the crunch of leaves and fall breezes remind us that change is a blessing. May we imagine ourselves in your arms, close to your heart, surrounded by your light, and find comfort in your consistency as the world around us is constantly changing. We praise you for being a God who loves us and takes care of us. We are grateful you are with us in all circumstances and seasons. Guide us to live with a giving heart, a generous heart and a grateful heart.

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

*St. Katharine Drexel, 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 9/21 was:

Regular \$5,376

Special 1,372 (to religious education programs of the Electronic\* 2,626 Cathedral Parish)

Total \$9,374

\*Electronic giving is your average weekly giving for September. 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, 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:



## LIVE STREAMED SUNDAY MASS AT 11:00 AM

[Click Here](#),

or go to: <https://vimeo.com/event/2470138>

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

Kevin Donahue, Nathaniel Roselli, James Noh's intentions, Rich Romeo,Jr, Laura Marisa, Peter John, Simin Rostami, Elias, Emily, Ana, Norma Alcatraz, Aileen & Ryan Fritz, Reina C. Zafra, Anselma E. De Rosas, Daniel and Nayeth, Tanaili Santos, Joyce Bell-Snipes, Erick 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 envie un email o llame a la oficina parroquial para añadir o remover los nombres de la lista de personas que estén enfermas.**

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

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

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

Celebración de la Herencia Hispana & Jubileo de los Migrantes

### Peregrinos de Esperanza

Arzobispo Nelson Pérez      Obispo Edward Delman      Obispo Christopher Cooke      Rev. Francesco D'Amico

SALÓN PARROQUIAL DE SAN PEDRO EL APÓSTOL  
1039 N Lawrence Street, Philadelphia, PA 19123  
En unidad con la Iglesia universal, celebramos el Jubileo de los Migrantes, nuestra herencia y la oportunidad de recibir indulgencia plenaria.

08:00 am Bienvenida  
08:15 am Oración inicial  
08:45 am Catequesis sobre el Año Jubilar  
10:15 am Peregrinación del año del Jubileo  
10:45 am Exposición del Santísimo  
Confesiones disponibles  
12:00 pm Santa Misa  
01:00 pm Almuerzo

Participación especial:  
Coral Hispana de Filadelfia

SÁBADO, 4 DE OCTUBRE DEL 2025  
DE 8 AM A 2 PM

PARA INFORMACIÓN Y REGISTRACIÓN:  
215-667-2820

HEART OF THE FATHER

### CONFERENCIA Liberado

Basado en las 5 Llaves para la Libertad por Noel滋佐  
Por los miembros del RETIRO  
"No Hables por Favor"  
Adolescentes mayores de 18 años  
con acompañantes

Para Registrarse

Usa el código QR  
Visita la Oficina Parroquial:  
lunes a jueves de 8AM a 7PM,  
domingos 8AM-12PM  
Llama a la Oficina Parroquial al  
# de teléfono: (610) 449-0600  
Ext. 12

QR code

1 y 2 de Noviembre, 2025

Inscripción y pago hasta el  
23 de septiembre \$90.00  
Después del 23 de septiembre \$100  
Fecha límite de inscripción  
y pago 19 de octubre

Hora: Sab 8:00am a 7pm  
Dom 8:00am a 1pm

IGLESIA SAN LORENZO  
8245 WEST CHESTER PIKE  
UPPER DARBY, PA 19082

Incluye: desayuno, almuerzo para los 2 días y materiales.

610-449-0600  
saintlaurencedelco.org

CUPO LIMITADO

**Peregrinación Jubilar Arquidiocesana  
al Santuario Nacional de la Inmaculada Concepción, D.C.**

GUARDA LA FECHA  
MARTES, OCTUBRE 28, 2025

Oficina del Culto Divino | Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia | 215-587-3537

## **REFLEXIÓN DEL PÁRROCO**

Estimados feligreses,

*Este es el vigésimo sexto domingo del Tiempo Ordinario. "Tienen a Moisés y a los profetas; que los escuchen" (Lucas 16:29). Esta es la lección central del evangelio de este domingo. El hombre rico tuvo muchas oportunidades de vivir la caridad y la justicia, especialmente cuando se trató de dar de comer y beber al pobre Lázaro. Al morir, el rico perece en el inframundo y Lázaro descansa en el seno de Abraham. Abraham le dice al hombre rico que está al otro lado de la gran brecha del lugar de descanso de Lázaro debido a su forma de vivir, a la forma en que desaprovechó las oportunidades de dar de comer y beber a un pobre. El hombre rico no quiere que sus hermanos corran la misma suerte. Le ruega a Abraham que envíe a Lázaro a advertirles. Abraham se niega y dice: "Tienen a Moisés y a los profetas; que los escuchen." Amigos míos, no queremos sufrir el destino del hombre rico. Y es posible. ¿Cómo evitamos este destino? Sigamos el consejo de Abraham. Aprovechemos todas las oportunidades que se nos brindan para seguir el camino de Moisés, los profetas y el evangelio de nuestro Señor Jesucristo. Ahora es el momento de vivir la vida cristiana de la manera más plena y honesta posible. Así es como evitamos el destino del hombre rico. Cada domingo, al participar en la Misa, debemos escuchar atentamente la palabra de Dios para que nos guíe y viva como Dios quiere que vivamos. Cada domingo, al recibir la Sagrada Comunión, recibimos la gracia y la fuerza para cumplir la palabra que escuchamos. De nuevo, así es como evitamos el destino del hombre rico. ¡Escuchemos!*

*Este lunes, 29 de septiembre del 2025, es la festividad de los Arcángeles, San Miguel, Gabriel y Rafael. Los Arcángeles son los patronos de muchas personas y situaciones en la vida de los cristianos. San Miguel es, de manera especial, el patrono celestial de la policía. La policía nos protege de maneras que a menudo desconocemos. Constantemente arriesgan sus vidas por nosotros. Trabajan a diario en situaciones de peligro. La Policía necesita nuestras oraciones y apoyo. Los invito a pedirle a San Miguel, quien nos protege contra el mal, que proteja a nuestra policía. Quizás podrían asistir a misa el lunes a las 7:15 AM o a las 12:05 PM para orar especialmente por nuestra policía.*

*Octubre es el mes del Santísimo Rosario. El Memorial de Nuestra Señora del Rosario es el martes 7 de octubre del 2025. El Rosario nos brinda una manera de elevar nuestras oraciones a Jesús a través de María, su Madre y Madre nuestra. Al meditar en los diferentes Misterios con cada decena de Avemárias, recordamos el evangelio y el plan de salvación y redención de nuestro Padre, realizado por su Divino Hijo. Los animo a rezar el Rosario con frecuencia, a diario, durante este mes de octubre, si aún no lo hacen, y a permitir que esta poderosa oración los acerque al Señor con la ayuda de María. Podemos incluir muchas intenciones en nuestro Rosario. ¡Nuestra Señora del Rosario, ruega por nosotros!*

*Octubre es el mes del Respeto por la Vida en Estados Unidos. Toda vida, sin excepción, merece la protección de la ley para nacer y morir como Dios y sus mandamientos lo disponen. Los animo a orar con devoción por la protección de la vida humana en todas sus etapas y por la erradicación del aborto y la eutanasia en todo nuestro territorio, especialmente durante octubre.*

*Gracias a todos nuestros feligreses y visitantes por su generosidad con la Parroquia Catedral. La segunda colecta del próximo domingo se destinará a los pobres y necesitados del vecindario de la Parroquia Catedral. Pueden enviar sus ofrendas dominicales por correo a la oficina parroquial de la Catedral o utilizar las diversas opciones para donar electrónicamente. Consulten <http://cathedralphila.org/donate/>.*

¡Que Dios los bendiga!

Padre Dennis Gill

Rector

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025**  
**11:00 AM - 4:30 PM**  
 Pilgrims of Hope, Anchored in Jesus

Office for Divine Worship | Archdiocese of Philadelphia | 215 587 3537

**ARCHDIOCESAN JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE**  
 TO THE BASILICA OF THE NATIONAL SHRINE  
 OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION WASHINGTON, DC

To travel with the Archdiocesan Pastoral Center, please visit the following link for bus and registration details:  
<https://secure.acceptiva.com/?est-hCv69t>

**1700<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE COUNCIL OF NICAEA**

The battle was raging. The Arian heresy had gripped large swaths of the Church, leading many to deny the divinity of Christ. But at the Council of Nicaea in 325 AD, the Holy Spirit, working through the Council Fathers, definitively affirmed the Church's inerrant faith in Jesus Christ, Second Person of the Trinity, consubstantial with the Father.

Seventeen hundred years later, Christians from across the region are invited to gather as we offer our gratitude to God for His self-revelation in Jesus Christ and for the Council of Nicaea that affirmed and protected the essential truth that Jesus is God.

**FEATURING**

- Proclamation of the Word of God
- Reflections offered by ecumenical leaders
- Litany of Thanksgiving with citations from the Council of Nicaea
- Sung Nicene Creed in English, Latin and Greek

This is an Ecumenical Celebration for the Jubilee Year 2025. Please invite Christian friends and neighbors for this solemn moment of unity in faith.

Free parking available in Cathedral parking lot. ~ For more information visit, [archphila.org/holyyear](http://archphila.org/holyyear).

### Legacy of Life Foundation Baby Bottle Drive Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who gave generously - helping to save lives and transform families! Your caring donation will help women experience the love and mercy they need to have the courage to choose life! May God bless you abundantly for your contribution.



### MEMORIAL OF SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

**BLESSING OF ANIMALS**  
**OCTOBER 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2025**  
**10 AM & 4:30 PM**



Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul  
 (front of the Cathedral Chapel)  
 18th Street & Benjamin Franklin Parkway



### OFFICE FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

### INSTITUTE FOR CHRISTIAN INITIATION

**Saturday, October 11, 2025**

**9:00 AM to 12 NOON**



Archdiocesan Pastoral Center Auditorium  
 222 North 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103

Parking available

Reverend Gerald Dennis Gill, Presenter  
 Director, Office for Divine Worship

All priests, deacons, D/CRE's, Christian Initiation coordinators and teams, catechists are welcome!

**Topic:**

#### FORMING A PARISH TEAM FOR CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The process of Christian Initiation is at the heart of the Church's evangelizing mission, welcoming and forming new disciples in the faith. This workshop will explore how to build and strengthen a parish team dedicated to the Christian Initiation of Adults. Participants will gain insights into the essential roles within the initiation process, strategies for team formation, and best practices for accompanying catechumens and candidates on their journey of faith.

Join us as we reflect on how to form a dynamic team that fosters authentic conversion and discipleship!

Register by e-mail at [worship@archphila.org](mailto:worship@archphila.org)  
 Please make a check payable to the Archdiocese of Philadelphia  
 with the name of the participant(s) for \$25.00 per person and mail it to the  
 Office for Divine Worship, 222 North 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103.  
 Please send the check along with a copy of your registration form.

Registration deadline is September 26, 2025.

There is Holy Mass at 12:05 PM in the Cathedral Chapel following the workshop.

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[www.odwphila.org](http://www.odwphila.org)

### Philadelphia Cathedral Basilica Young Adults

#### Rosary Group

**Saturday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 11 AM**

Shrine of St. Katharine Drexel  
 Coffee afterwards

#### Theology on Tap

**Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 6:30 PM**  
 After the 5:15 PM Mass

# CENTENARY ANNIVERSARY OF THE CANONIZATION OF SAINT THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2025

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL  
18TH STREET AND THE BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PARKWAY, PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103  
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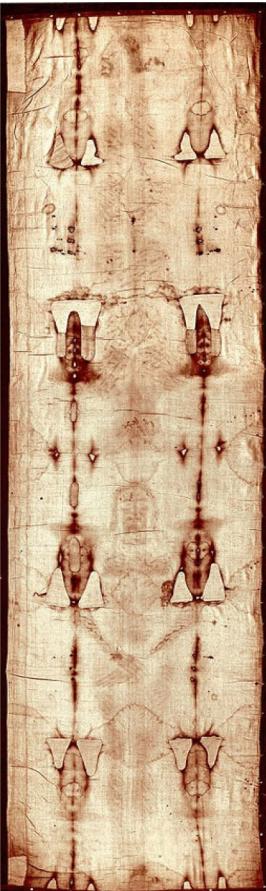
7:00 PM SUNG MASS IN HONOR OF SAINT THERESE  
REVEREND GERALD DENNIS GILL, RECTOR  
CELEBRANT AND HOMILIST

FOLLOWING HOLY MASS  
PRESENTATION BY MAUREEN O'RIORDAN  
INTERNATIONAL EXPERT ON SAINT THERESE

THE EVENING WILL CONCLUDE WITH AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PRAYER  
AT THE SACRED RELICS OF THE MARTIN SAINTS,  
SAINT THERESE AND HER PARENTS, SAINTS LOUIS AND ZÉLIE MARTIN

THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA IS A SACRED JUBILEE SITE  
FOR OBTAINING THE JUBILEE INDULGENCE

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE RELICS OF THE MARTIN SAINTS,  
PLEASE SEE [HTTPS://CATHEDRALPHILA.ORG/RELIQUARY/](https://CATHEDRALPHILA.ORG/RELIQUARY/)



## Coming to the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul: A Presentation on "The Holy Shroud of Turin"

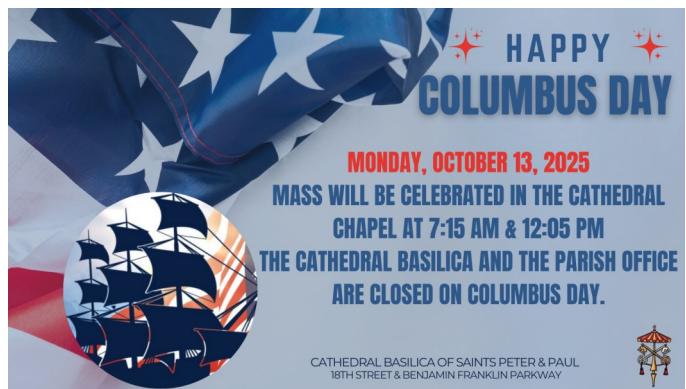
A Silent Witness of the Passion, Death  
& Resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ



Lecture Presentation by  
**Mr. Massimo Paris**  
Saturday, October 25, 2:00 PM  
At the Cathedral (in Drexel Hall)  
1723 Race Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Mr. Paris, born and raised in Rome, Italy, has studied all the aspects of the Holy Shroud, the ancient linen cloth that bears the image of a crucified man, believed by millions to be Jesus Christ. A life size replica of the Shroud will be displayed.

[A basket will be available for those who may wish to make a free-will donation.]



MONDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2025

MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED IN THE CATHEDRAL  
CHAPEL AT 7:15 AM & 12:05 PM  
THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA AND THE PARISH OFFICE  
ARE CLOSED ON COLUMBUS DAY.

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER & PAUL  
18TH STREET & BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PARKWAY

Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul

## PEW TO TABLE FOOD FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 28, 2025

2PM



Location:  
Archdiocesan Pastoral Center - Auditorium  
222 N. 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103  
Parking is available  
All are Welcome



## SOLEMN MASS

-CELEBRATING-

ST. JOHN HENRY  
NEWMAN

ACCORDING TO THE  
DIVINE WORSHIP MISSAL  
OF THE ORDINARIES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9  
-7:00 PM-  
AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA  
OF SS. PETER & PAUL  
18TH STREET & BENJAMIN  
FRANKLIN PARKWAY  
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

ALL ARE WELCOME

**Archdiocese of Philadelphia  
Catholic Charismatic Renewal  
POP UP PRAYER**

Where: Coming soon to a parish near you!

What: Personal prayer with two approved prayer partners and one individual requesting prayer, who responds to the call on social media at a given place and time, with 24-hour notice!

Who: Members of the CCR Advisory Board, Prayer Partners, and Clergy

Contact: Maria Richardson  
Archbishop's Delegate for the Catholic Charismatic Renewal  
267-664-2878

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