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Office Hours
Monday - Friday,
9:30 am to 3:00 pm



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MASSSES:

Saturday Evening: 5:00 pm

Sundays: 7:30 am, 10:00 am (*Eng*)
11:30 am (*Pol*)

Holydays: 7:00 am & 6:30 pm,
8:00 pm (*Polish*)

Weekdays (including Sat.): 8:30 am
Rosary Mon.-Sat 8:00 am

CONFESSION: Saturday,
4:00 - 4:50 pm (*before the 5:00 pm
Mass*) and before the 8:30 am Mass
(*by appointment only*).

BAPTISMS: Class and
arrangements must be made by
contacting the Rectory. If you are
a newly registered family you are
required to be attending Mass for
at least three months and using
offering envelopes.

MARRIAGES: Requirements...
Marriage preparation classes and
Confirmation (*if you are Catholic*).
Arrangements are to be made at
least six months in advance. At
least three meetings with the priest
are required.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Classes are held for Parish registered
members only on Sunday mornings
from mid September to May. Children
seeking their Sacraments must attend
all 8 years of a Religious Education
Program. Call 908-637-4269.

R.C.I.A.: Anyone interested in adult
religious education or becoming
Catholic. Call Marilyn Gorski at
908-459-4483.

VISITATION OF THE SICK:

Every first Friday of the month, at
home or in the hospital, please call
the church office, 908-637-4269.

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH NIGHT PRAYER:

In Polish from 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

BLUE ARMY PRAYER GROUP:

Every Monday from 5:00 pm in the
Chapel. New members are always
welcome!

OUTREACH PROGRAM: If you are
in need please call the Parish Office at
908-637-4269. All calls kept
confidential.

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY: New
members are always welcome! We meet
every third Wednesday of the month at
7:00 pm. Call Walt at 908-459-5861.

POLISH ROSARY SOCIETY:
Meets every first Friday of each month
at 7:00 pm. New members are always
welcome!

E-mail

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peterpaulreled@comcast.net

Website

www.peterpaulgm.com

Walking Pilgrimage
www.walkingpilgrimage.us

PARISH REGISTRATION

Every family should be properly registered. New parishioners should register at the Parish Office. Children 18 and over should be registered as adults. Envelopes are the only means we have to verify parishioners attendance at Mass. Please use your envelope regardless of the amount you are able to include. Without verification of Mass attendance we cannot issue sponsor certification for Baptism, Confirmation, or any character references, etc. Please notify the Parish Office of any address change as soon as possible.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 13/14, 2024

SAT – Jul 13 (St. Henry)

5:00p +Luke Stroud req his family

SUN – Jul 14

7:30a +Anna Lubas req her family

10a +Maria Amabile req Ferrara Family

11:30a Pol: +Wladyslaw Bakaj od rodziny

MON – Jul 15 (St. Bonaventure)

8:30a +Agnes Zukoski req Kathy Gromlowicz

TUES – Jul 16 (Our Lady of Mount Carmel)

8:30a +Deceased members of the Piasecki Family
req Alberta Piasecki

WED – Jul 17

8:30a +Louise Stefanski req Catherine Dowhanik

THUR – Jul 18 (St. Camillus de Lellis)

8:30a +Florence & Frank Greco req daughter
Barbara & Jack Reed

FRI – Jul 19

8:30a -God's abundant graces & blessings for
Efrain Rivera

SAT – Jul 20 (St. Apollinaris)

8:30a +Stanislawa & Janusz Krzyzanowski req
Gzella Family

5:00p +Jadwiga Puchacz req Forestiere Family

SUN – Jul 21

7:30a +Joseph Godlewsky req Anne Marie Tracy

10a +In memory of Nancy Penner req her family

11:30a Pol: +Genoneta Santos od rodziny Hader

Altar Flowers – are donated this week in loving memory of Luke Stroud req his family
Bread & Wine is offered this week in memory of Helen & Octavio Yturbe req their family
Sanctuary Lamp is available
Divine Mercy Candle is lit this week for the 40th wedding anniversary of Anna & Andrzej Jacek

PILGRIMAGE WISH LIST

Last year, with your help, our pilgrimage was able to keep expenses down thus netting our parish \$32,964 from the 4-day Walking Pilgrimage. We are asking again this year to please pitch in and donate something from our "Wish List". The list is posted on our bulletin board with the dates that the items are needed by. Please make sure to check off the Drop Off box so we know the items you signed up for are here in our church.

PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS NOVENA

This month's featured novena is to the Precious Blood of Jesus. The word Novena comes from the word "novem" which means "nine." It is a prayer that is said for nine consecutive days. A Novena may be a private or public spiritual devotion for the purpose of obtaining a special favour from heaven, be it a special grace, imploring a favour or to make a special petition. All new novenas for the month of July can be found in our Novena Corner.



WEEKLY OFFERINGS – July 2024

1st week - \$2583

2nd week - \$

3rd week - \$

4th week - \$



AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM

As many of you already know, half of our air-conditioning system is down. It will cost \$18,380.00 to fix. One compressor burnt out. If you are interested in helping with some of the cost please put your donations in a separate envelope, marked "Fix Air-Conditioning System". Blank envelopes can be found in the back of our church. Please also put your name on the envelope so we can give you credit for your taxes. Right now, we are running on only half the unit. We will keep you updated on the repair process.

CHURCH WEBSITE

Remember to check out our church website for current information, holy & feast day schedules, upcoming events, and to see the bulletin on-line before the weekend. The website is peterpaulgm.com.

WITH SINCERE THANKS

We would like to thank our parishioners who mail or deliver their weekly envelopes to the parish office while they are out-of-town or on vacation. Many understand, parish expenses and obligations do not take vacations. It is very helpful to rely on your continued support.



SHOP RITE GIFT CARDS



Stop after Mass or come to the office during the week to purchase your Shop Rite gift cards. It does not cost anything extra but the face value of the card(s). Our parish gains 5% on all gift cards sold. Last fiscal year we made \$4,050 from the use of the cards. Thanks to the volunteers who are willing to stay a few minutes after Mass to sell these cards and to all who use them to shop.

SUMMER REMINDER



Summer is here! Please remember to wear appropriate clothing to Mass. Just as you would dress up to go out to a fancy dinner or special occasion, Mass is also very special and should be respected.

37th WALKING PILGRIMAGE

This year is our 37th spiritual Walking Pilgrimage, Aug 8-11th. This is a great fundraiser for our church netting our parish \$32,964 last year. This helped pay many church bills especially our large bills like Diocesan assessment, building insurance, heating and cooling costs, and electric. These are our largest expenses. We could use your help again this year in the area of wish list, propane, and cleaning.

Wish List-is posted on our bulletin board. Please sign up for the items needed.

Propane-we are in need of 14 propane tanks for cooking. If you are going away or if you do not need your propane tanks from your barbeque grill for this weekend (Aug 8-11) please consider donating the full tank for us to use. Please find details on the bulletin board and please sign up.

Cleaning-we are in need of people to help clean the church on Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday. More than 1,000 people are here on Thursday and after they leave, we could use a little tidying up. Please find details on the bulletin board and please sign up.

Any questions please call the office, 908-637-4269.

2024 Summer Choir Camp



2nd ANNUAL SUMMER CHOIR CAMP for all rising 3rd-8th grade students, August 12-16, 2024. **Students from any parishes within or outside of the Diocese are welcome to attend!** Every day, students will participate in choir rehearsals, music theory classes

with the Camp's outstanding music faculty, work on composer projects, and sing for the Cathedral's daily 12:10 Mass. There will also be fun outdoor activities (weather permitting), games, and snacks! Plus, each chorister will have an opportunity to play the Cathedral's pipe organ! For more information and to register, use our QR Code! Deadline is July 30, 2024

JOIN US everyday (Monday-Saturday) after the 8:30am Mass to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet in our Chapel for the people and country of Ukraine.

WARREN COUNTY FARMERS FAIR



Can you give a few hours of your time to volunteer helping to cover **Warren County Right to Life's** booth at the upcoming **Warren County Farmers Fair, Sat., July 27- Sat., August 3rd?** Volunteers are an important part of the booth's success. Please call **Anne at 973-876-3580.** Time slots may fill

quickly, so please call today.

BE NOT AFRAID

Perhaps priesthood has crossed your mind, but fear pushes the idea away:

- My friends would laugh if they heard I was thinking about the priesthood!
- My parents would be shocked.
- My mom wants grandkids.
- I'm scared to death of speaking in public.
- I'm nowhere near holy enough.
- I don't want to give up sex.
- I'll be lonely.
- Seminary may be too hard for me.
- Being a priest seems lame.

These fears are very common, even for men who are already in seminary. But literally thousands of men have had the same concerns and then went on to become holy and effective priests. Contact Fr. Mauricio Tabera-Vasquez, Vocation Recruiter, (732) 562-2457, vocations@diometuchen.org



Peace In The Family

Lord, thank you for blessing my home with the gift of life and love. Remove all animosities of discord – irritants that blow up to intolerable quarrels. Prevent me from hurling the first ugly word that will take time to mend. Bless each one of us with character to live our lives not in careless abandon but with a collective purpose to make each other happy. Help us to see You in every member of our household. Be an anchor to all our trials; the goal of all our triumphs. Stay with us now and all the days of our lives. Amen.

PRAY FOR:

Living: Christopher Muller, Leslie Washuta, Ellen Cavaliere, John Lee, Tom Caleca, Audrey Matlock, Brian Gorski,

Deceased: Marcia Cussen, Bryan Krakauer, Ronald Sadowski, Anna Marie Andershonis, Marian Gzella

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