SAINTS PETER & PAUL CHURCH

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Welcome to our Church!

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



Rev. Grzegorz Podsiadlo Administrator

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MASSES:

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 stpeterandpaul@comcast.net

Religious Education E-mail 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 15/16 2023

SAT – July 15 (St. Bonaventure)

5:00p +MaryAnn Boatman req cousin Adella

SUN – July 16

7:30a +Frank Swider reg son Tom & Patty Swider & family

10a +Margaret Wingle req daughter Beth & Fam

11:30a Pol:+Antonina Kobylecka & Mieczyslaw Kaplon od rodziny Szmigielski

MON – July 17

8:30a -God's graces for John

TUES – July 18 (St. Camilius)

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

8:30a -God's graces for Patrick

WED - July 19

Altar Flowers – are available

Bread & Wine – is offered this week in memory of

Wladyslaw Bakaj req his family

Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in memory of

Wladyslaw Bakaj reg his family

Divine Mercy Candle is lit this week in memory of

Wladyslaw Bakaj req his family

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Warren County Right to Life is now scheduling time slots for manning its booth at the upcoming Warren County Farmers Fair, Sat., July 29--Sat., Aug. 5th. Please call Anne at 973-876-3580. Time slots may fill quickly, so please call today.

WALKING PILGRIMAGE

How about a leisurely stroll through the woods? An inspirational sermon about the "Son of God"? Making new friends on a hiking trip? This is all part of our Walking Pilgrimage. You can join for all 4 days or just 1 day to try it out. All the info you could possibly need is on our official website-walkingpilgrimage.us. This year our event will take place on Aug 10-13. This is a great fundraiser for our church netting our parish over \$28,000. 908-637-4269 Ouestions? call Email:stpeterandpaul@comcast.net.

SUMMER REMINDER

Summer is here! Please remember to wear appropriate clothing to Mass.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS – July 2023

1st week - \$2506 2nd week - \$3015 3rd week - \$ 4th week - \$

THUR – July 20 (St. Apollinaris)

8:30a +Lucy Horzepa req Walt & Trish Horzepa

FRI - July 21 (St. Lawrence of Brindisi & **Bl. Francis Jordan**)

8:30a -God's graces for Anna

SAT – July 22 (St. Mary Magdalene)

8:30a -Birthday blessings for Tomek Turbek req Gzella Family

5:00p +Luke Stroud req Jasinski Family

SUN – July 23

7:30a +Craig Swider req brother Tom & Patty Swider & family

10a +Clara Turner & comfort of the Turner boys reg Mark & Diane Francis

11:30a Pol:-God's blessings on the 5th anniv. of Paulina & Pawel Knysak reg mom & dad Szmigielski

PILGRIMAGE WISH LIST

All non-perishable items for the Walking Pilgrimage are due in next Sunday, July 23rd. All perishable items like milk, butter, eggs, etc. are due in the Sunday before the Walking Pilgrimage, Aug. 6th. Please look over our list posted on the bulletin board and donate something to help keep our costs low.

PROPANE TANKS NEEDED

We are in need of propane tanks. Please sign up on the list posted on our bulletin board. Please bring in your filled tank by Sunday, Aug. 6th. Remember to put your name on each tank.



SANDWICH MAKING



Can you butter bread, put cream cheese on a bagel, cut veggie and salad, then we need you! Please sign up to help with these tasks for the Walking Pilgrimage. The days

and times are located on the sign-up sheet. Thanks in advance for your sacrifice and help.

WANT TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER???

If you already received your First Holy Communion and wish to serve at Mass please contact the church office (Mon-Fri, 9:30am – 3pm). A training session will be set up for anyone interested. Please call, 908-637-4269 email: stpeterandpaul@comcast.net.



CLEANING



Last, but not least, we need help cleaning the church and the hall during and after the Pilgrimage. If you and donate a little of your time please find the sign-up sheet on our bulletin board.

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.

MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE PLAN

\$2,146.00 was donated from our church to the mission in Sri Lanka of the Jaffna Diocese. Thank you to everyone who donated this past weekend.

Ss. Philip & James Eucharistic Revival

430 South Main St, Phillipsburg, Year of Parish Revival (2023-2024). This Eucharistic Revival is organized "to form, heal, convert, unite and send out the People of God through a renewed encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist" (National Eucharistic

Renewal), 4th Talk: Eucharist in the Bible (Msgr. John Fell) Wed., Aug. 9th at 6:30pm, 5th Talk; How does a Christian attend Mass? (Mr. Dan Amable) Wed., Sept. 13th at 6:30pm, 6th Talk; Eucharist



and Parish Life (Fr. Brian Nolan) Tues., Oct. 3rd at 6:30pm.

Children's Choir Summer Camp

August 21st to August 25th



The Cathedral of Saint Francis of Assisi's Office of Sacred Music, in conjunction with the

Diocesan Office of Liturgical Music, will be hosting a Children's Choir Summer Camp program from August 21st to August 25th on the Cathedral's campus in Metuchen. All rising 3rd through 8th graders from any parish in the diocese are invited to participate. Participating Choristers will learn the basics of Music Theory, Gregorian Chant, do fun composer-based projects, and will sing for daily 12:10 Mass at the Cathedral. The week will end with a festive Ice Cream Party. Registration is required, contact our church office if interested, 908-637-4269.



Stress In Your Marriage? Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Have you thought about separation or divorce? Does talking about it only make it worse? RETROUVAILLE is a Lifeline to Help Couples Heal and Renew their Marriages sponsored by the Office of Family Life, Diocese of Metuchen, NJ. RETROUVAILLE consists of a weekend experience for married couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions. The upcoming weekend is August 18-20. All inquiries are confidential. Please contact Rich Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or Annette Colasuonno 732-672-0748 or email 3024@helpourmarriage.org

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.

MIRACLES OF THE EUCHARIST

About 136 miracles, which occurred over the centuries in various countries, will be on display in St. Philip & St. James Church in Phillipsburg, NJ on Sunday, August 6th from 7am to 1pm. All are invited to witness this display put together by Bl. Carlos Acutis who died at age 15 of leukemia.

"The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word but then the cares of the world and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit."

-Matthew 13:22

Does the lure of riches and material goods choke God out of your life? Are you so caught up in earthly activities that you have no time for God? Gratitude and generosity are virtues that we should strive to do on a daily basis. Every decision we make either takes us one step closer to God or one step further away. What we receive at Mass every Sunday should be shared with others all the other days of the week as well.

PRAY FOR:

Living: Zbigniew Grzywna, Julia Gromnicki, Marian Gzella, Dorothy Ford, Anthony Granata

Deceased: Kazimierz Cwalinski, Elizabeth Barton, Joseph Godlewsky, Lucy Young, Jim Meringer,

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