# SAINTS PETER & PAUL CHURCH

## 360 US HWY 46 - GREAT MEADOWS, NEW JERSEY 07838

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 p

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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

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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.

# NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 12/13, 2023

## <u>SAT</u> – Aug 12 (St. Jane Frances de Chantal)

5:00p +Deceased mem. of the Wojcicki, Wujcik, & Misich families req LuAnn Wojcik

## <u>SUN</u> – Aug 13

- 7:30a +Frank Swider req son Tom & Patty Swider & Family
- 10a +Dorothy Sommers req Crawford Family
- 11:30a Pol:+Anna Buczek req Eva & Bogdan Zubel

## MON – Aug 14 (St. Maximilian Kolbe)

8:30a +Benjamin & Julia (Tracy) Trzeciakiewicz req Ed Tracy Family

## **TUES** – Aug 15 (Assumption of the BVM)

- 7:00a +Joseph & Margaret Brizek req daughter Mary & Mike Decker
- 6:30p +Marie Mashnouk req Mark & Diane Francis
- 8:00p (Pol): -God's blessings & graces for John

<u>Altar Flowers</u> – are donated this week in memory of the Wojcicki & Misich families req LuAnn & Alexis <u>Bread & Wine</u> – is offered this week in memory of Nancy Penner req her family

Sanctuary Lamp is available

**Divine Mercy Candle** is lit this week in memory of Ginka Leszkowicz req her family

## **ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM**



This Tuesday is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is a Holy Day of Obligation and Masses will be celebrated at 7am, 6:30pm and in Polish at 8pm.

#### 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),  $5^{\text{th}}$  Talk; How does a Christian attend Mass? (Mr. Dan Amable) Wed., Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm,  $6^{\text{th}}$  Talk; Eucharist and Parish Life (Fr. Brian Nolan) Tues., Oct. 3rd at 6:30pm.



#### WEEKLY OFFERINGS – August 2023

1 <sup>st</sup> week - \$3179	$2^{nd}$ week - \$
3 <sup>rd</sup> week - \$	4 <sup>th</sup> week - \$

## WED – Aug 16 (St. Stephen of Hungary)

8:30a -God's graces and birthday blessings for 100 year old Alberta Piasecki req Morning Prayer Group THUR – Aug 17

8:30a +Casimir Horzepa req Walt & Trish Horzepa FRI – Aug 18

- 8:30a +Stanley F. Stachowicz req Schleckmann fam
- SAT Aug 19 (St. John Eudes)
- 8:30a +Andrzaj Losos req Gzella Family
- 5:00p +Jennie Krynicka req granddaughter Gail & Frank McMahon

#### <u>SUN</u> – Aug 20

- 7:30a +MaryAnn Boatman req Walt & Trish Horzepa
- 10a +Deceased members of the DeMarco/Francis families req their children
- 11:30a Pol:-God's blessings for Eva & Bogdan Zubel

## **Grow in Your Faith!**

Fall courses from Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology. Interested in learning more about your faith? Learn more about graduate theological courses offered this Fall in Biblical Studies, Church History, Christian Ethics, Systematic Theology, Pastoral Theology, Spirituality, Evangelization, and Multicultural Catechesis. For details, please e-mail <u>theology@shu.edu</u> or call Elizabeth Vacchiano at (973) 761-9633.

## **JOB OPENING**

Catholic Charities Child Care is looking for staff for a new after school program beginning at Great Meadows School District this coming school year. Experience working with children required. Teachers or district staff encouraged to apply! Please contact Sandy Oswald at 908-329-2027 or soswald@ccdom.org. Please include resume.

#### **August Virtual Family Rosary**

The Office of Family Life is sponsoring a virtual rosary for engaged/married couples and children on August 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom. Please contact Cristina at <u>cdaverso@diometuchen.org</u> for details and link information.

#### **PROPANE TANKS**

Thank you to everyone who let us borrow their propane tanks. Please contact the church rectory to make arrangements for your pick-up.



## Feminine Genius Brunch – Saturday, October 14, 2023

Come join us for a beautiful morning set aside to marvel at the mystery of God and His plan for each of us! This event includes a presentation and book signing by Shannon Whitmore, author of the new book, "See Yourself as God Does: Understanding Holy Body Image through Catholic Scripture" (Ascension). The morning will include prayer and reflection, brunch and a review of some service ideas for women to get more involved in ministry. This event is for women of all ages and will be held at the St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane in Piscataway from 9:30AM–12:30PM. For more information and/or to register please visit www.diometuchen.org/familylife or call 732-562-1543.

#### AUGUST 13 MARY-THON EVENT 10:30 am - 3:30 pm

Join us at the National Blue Army Shrine in Asbury, NJ in celebration of the 106th Anniversary of the Fourth Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima!



#### Schedule:

10:30am Confessions 12pm NOON Rosary Procession with the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima 12:30pm Speaker – Br. Pius Marie Gagne, CFR 1:15pm – Holy Mass; Celebrant: Most Rev. Kevin J. Sweeney Holy Mass is followed by Exposition, Eucharistic Procession, Benediction, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Blessing of Religious Articles, Fatima Farewell and Enrollment in the Brown Scapular. Can't be with us in-person? Join our daily <u>livestream</u> in celebration of our Mary-thon event beginning at 11:30am with the Holy Rosary!

#### Silver & Gold Anniversary Celebration

The diocesan church cordially invites couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversaries in 2023 to attend the Silver and Gold Anniversary Prayer Service with Bishop Checchio on Sunday, October 22, 2023 at 3:00 PM at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, 548 Main St., Metuchen, NJ. Registration is required to attend the Prayer Service.

## **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 21<sup>st</sup> to August 25<sup>th</sup> on the Cathedral's



campus in Metuchen. All rising 3<sup>rd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> 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 732-672-0748 Colasuonno or email 3024@helpourmarriage.org

walk on the water toward Jesus." -Matthew 14:29

When you hear Jesus calling, do you responded immediately and trust that He knows what He's doing? If so, you are walking on water! When we say "yes" to Jesus, we feel the power of his presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has intended for you.

#### **PRAY FOR:** Living: Pat Kowalski, H

Living: Pat Kowalski, Frank Fortino, Irena Pietras, Zbigniew Grzywna, Julia Gromnicki, Marian Gzella Deceased: Carol Kemp, Victor Vilela, Kazimierz Cwalinski, Elizabeth Barton, Joseph Godlewsky



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