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



Rev. Grzegorz Podsiadlo
Administrator

Steve Gunther
Deacon

Eileen Wyss
Parish Secretary

Diane Francis
Religious Ed. Director

Music Director

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
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 8:00 pm to 12:00 am.

BLUE ARMY PRAYER GROUP:

Every Monday from 5:00 to 6:00 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.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 21/22, 2021

SAT – Aug 21 (St. Pius X)

5:00p +Jennie Krynicka req Gail & Frank McMahon

SUN – Aug 22

7:30a +For all souls in purgatory

10a -For the return to the faith of Renee & Tom req their family

11:30a (Pol) +Halina Dabrowska od Jan & Maria Dabrowski

MON – Aug 23 (St. Rose of Lima)

8:30a +Henryk Baranowski

TUES – Aug 24 (St. Bartholomew)

8:30a +Victoria Danilowski req Smith Family

WED – Aug 25 (Ss. Louis & Joseph Calasanz)

8:30a +Marie & Larry Kohut req Alberta Piasecki

THUR – Aug 26

8:30a +Henryk Barczewski

FRI – Aug 27 (St. Monica)

8:30a -Birthday blessings for Annette Munley req Peggy Willis

SAT – Aug 28 (St. Augustine)

8:30a +Zofia Ringwelski req Polish Rosary Group

5:00p +Emilia Szyszko req Pat Higgins

SUN – Aug 29

7:30a +Raymond Hendershot req his sons & family

10a +Jimmy Sasso req Ruetsch Family

11:30a (Pol) +Za zmarłych rodziców i brata oraz zmarłych rodziny Gac i Ziomek od rodziny

Altar Flowers – are available

Bread & Wine – is donated for God's blessings for the Sparacino Family req Arthur Grabowski

Sanctuary Lamp - is lit this week in memory of Lisa Lounsbury req Kathy Wyss

Divine Mercy Candle is lit this week for the souls of Florence & Frank Greco req daughter Barbara & Jack Reed.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED

All school supply donations are due in today. They will be handed out on Monday at 1pm. Thank you for all the supplies. We are collecting-crayons, Pencils, Colored pencils, Pencil sharpeners, Erasers, Pencil holders (pouch), Notebooks, Binders, Glue sticks, Index cards, Safety scissors, Construction paper, Back packs, Gift cards to Khol's or Walmart.

LECTORS NEEDED

We are in need of Lectors and substitute Lectors at the 5pm and 7:30am Masses on the weekends. If you are interested, please call the church office 908-637-4269 and we will arrange for you to be trained.



MASS DISPENSATION ENDING

The dispensation has been lifted. This means as of June 5th & 6th all Bishops of NJ are inviting all Catholics to return to church and to return to the regular participation in the Sunday and Holy Day Eucharist.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS - August

1st week - \$3485

2nd week - \$2908

3rd week - \$3839

4th week - \$

Music Director Needed



We are looking for a new Music Director. He/She will be required to play and sing at the 5pm Mass on Saturdays, and at 7:30am & 10am on Sunday mornings. If you are interested or know of someone that would play and sing, please contact the parish office, 908-637-4269.

Becoming Catholic

If you want to explore the Catholic faith or make up missed sacraments (First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation) come join our RCIA sessions this fall. Call Marilyn at 908-459-4483 for more information.

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 or email: stpeterandpaul@comcast.net.



BACKPACK BLESSINGS



Calling all school aged children! Come to the 10am Mass on Sunday, September 12th with your backpacks and Fr. Greg will bless you and your backpack for the new school year.

MANY THANKS

Our 100th Anniversary Mass and Dinner were absolutely beautiful. Approximately 130 people attended the Mass and dinner. Fr. Greg was our main celebrant and was assisted by Rev. Dawid Adamczak of St. Stanislaus Kostka, Garfield, Rev. Damian Tomiczek of St. Theodore, Port Murray, and Rev. Walter Wiktorek of Holy Family, New Brunswick, along with our Deacon, Stephen Gunther. Thank you to the Polish & Slavic Federal Credit Union for donating the meal to us and many, many thanks to all our parishioners for the scrumptious desserts, AWESOME!!! A big shout-out to our 100th Anniversary Committee for all their hard work in organizing and executing this event, God bless.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD

"Let the Church always be a place of mercy and hope, where everyone is welcomed, loved, and forgiven." (Pope Francis) The Church can also be a place to heal. We are called to "be merciful like the Father." So many are suffering from the effects of abortion. Where can they heal? Where can they feel safe and loved? The Archdiocese of Newark Respect Life Office will be hosting two upcoming Rachel's Vineyard retreats to heal the wounds from abortion.

English session will be held September 10-12 and a Spanish session will be held October 22-24. Call 973-497-4350 for more information. "He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds." (Psalm 147:3)

BLUE ARMY

Immaculate Heart of Mary - Hope for the World,

The National Blue Army Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima, 674 Mountain View Rd. E., Asbury, NJ, invites you to join us for the next 4 first Saturdays of the month for teaching on the devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary from the Fatima message, presented by Fr. Hugh Gillespie, SMM. The virtual presentation, *Why Our Lady came to Fatima*, will be shown at 11 a.m. EST online at www.bluearmy.com/yearofstjoseph and at the shrine, followed by First Saturday devotions and Holy Mass. The video series, developed by the World Apostolate of Fatima, USA, is accompanied by written resources available for download. The 4 remaining talks will be presented on First Saturdays from September - December. **For more information, call 908-689-1700, Ext. 210. www.BlueArmy.com**

JOY OF LOVE & FAMILY

In honor of the Year of the Family, the five dioceses of NJ are sponsoring a conference on the Joy of Love & Family conference series beginning in June. Visit www.lightingheartsonfire.org for more information.

COUNTY FAIR

A special thanks to all those who volunteered at the Warren County Right to Life's stand at the recent Warren County Farmers Fair. We received many positive messages. We thank you for your time and support.

New CD's available. Please check out our new cd's, some available as downloads, if you would prefer. \$3 each.
A New Heart, My Story of Abortion, Addiction & Conversion
Eucharistic Vision: A Challenge of Faith
Men, Women, & Marriage
Purgatory: Our Forgotten Family
St. Joseph: Patron of the Universal Church
The Case for Jesus: The Biblical and Historical Evidence for Christ
The Dark Passages of Scripture
The Treasure of Our Soul: The Apostles Creed
Who Am I to Judge? Responding to Relativism with Logic and Love

Marriage Encounter

With summer winding down, why not treat yourself to a Marriage Encounter Experience?

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Join us from the comfort of your home via Zoom for eight evening sessions,

7:00 – 9:30 PM, presented on Monday & Thursday evenings

from September 27 – October 21.

Phone Tom & Ruth DeFalco

1-732-904-9636 for application and information.

Visit us at: www.wwme.org for more information

2 CEMETERY PLOTS FOR SALE

At Pequest Union Cemetery (plots 989 and 990 in sec N), real cheap. IF INTERESTED IN BUYING PLEASE CALL Delores at 908 859 2400.

*Help me **not** to fear the future but to boldly trust that you are in control when my emotions plunge me down, and when I am in despair. And times when I can't talk and don't know what to say, help me to "Be still, and know that you are God". Be my comforter, my healer and bring me peace. In Jesus' name.*

Amen.

PRAY FOR:

Living: Marian Gzella, Maria Mateus, Stella Wojcik, Abigail VanDoren, Annette Munley, Scott Wilson, Clara Turner, Covid-19 patients

Deceased: Susan Karner, Millie Bausch, Diana Vernacchia, Bob Willis, Krystina Corriveau

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