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

Eileen Wyss Parish Secretary

Diane Francis Religious Ed. Director

Music Director

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.

O.C.I.A. (ODER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS):

Interested in becoming Catholic? Interest in making the Sacraments of Confirmation? Eucharist? 908-637-4269.

VISITATION OF THE SICK:

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

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

POLISH ROSARY SOCIETY:

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

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.

YOUTH GROUP:

Calling all 8th through 12th graders. Join our youth group, bring your friends. Call Brian at 908-246-2843 for more information.

E-mail

stpeterandpaul@comcast.net

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Welcome to Ss. Peter & Paul Church:
Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate the Holy Mass with us. We thank God you are here.
Name:
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Address:
City/Zip:
Phone:
New Parishioner/Family
☐ Change of Address or Phone

Moving, please remove

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 6/7, 2025

SAT – Dec 6 (St. Nicholas)(First Saturday)

5:00p +Stella M. Wojcik req daughter LuAnn

SUN – Dec 7 (Second Sunday of Advent)

7:30a +John Jack Jaworski req brother Allan & Dorothy Jaworski

10a -Protection of the unborn and their families 11:30a Pol: +Ewa Beben od rodziny Hader

MON – Dec 8 (Immaculate Conception of BVM)

7:00a +Antonina Ziobro req daughter & family

6:30p +Patrick Hurley

8:00p Pol: +Lucjan Rabiniak od rodziny Hader

TUES – Dec 9 (St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin)

8:30a +Joseph Valentino req Joanne & Frank Palmer & Family

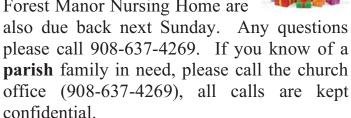
Altar Flowers – No flowers during Advent
Bread & Wine – is offered this week for the souls of
Nancy & Thomas Penner req their family
Sanctuary Lamp – is lit this week for the soul of
Antonina Ziobro req her daughter & family
Divine Mercy Candle – is lit this week for the return
to good health of Marilyn Gorski req Michalina &
John

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception is Monday, December 8th. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 7am, 6:30pm in English and at 8pm in Polish.

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

Please remember to bring back your <u>Unwrapped</u> presents with the tag attached next Sunday, December 14th. All items for Forest Manor Nursing Home are also due back next Sunday. As



WEEKLY OFFERINGS – November 2025

Thank you for your continued generosity & support.

1st week - \$3167 3rd week - \$3110 2nd week - \$2747 4th week - \$2521

5th week - \$2666

WED – Dec 10 (Our Lady of Loreto)

8:30a -Birthday blessings for Thomas req his mother **THUR – Dec 11 (St. Damasus I)**

8:30a -Birthday blessings for Natalia Chmielewska

FRI – Dec 12 (Our Lady of Guadalupe)

8:30a +Louis Bongiovanni req Arthur Grabowski

SAT – Dec 13 (St. Lucy)

8:30a -God's blessings for Natalia Chmielewska

5:00p -Protection of the unborn and their families

SUN – Dec 14

7:30a +Eleanor Vasko req Florence & Joe Dzurek 10a +Helen & Raymond Hendershot req sister Arlene 11:30a Pol: -Birthday blessings for Zbigniew Kusiak od rodziny Dait

YOUTH GROUP BAKE SALE



The Youth Group of Ss. Peter & Paul will be holding a Bake Sale this weekend, December 6th & 7th. Stop by the goodie table after Mass and support our Youth

Group.

RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS COLLECTION

Monies collected from this second collection

will benefit all retired priests, nuns, and other religious. This collection will be taken up at all Masses <u>this</u> weekend.



SPONSOR A FAMILY CHRISTMAS CANDLE

We would like to honor our living families at Christmas time by lighting a candle that we use in our Christmas decorations. Our goal is to have all 50 candles



sponsored. We will collect family names after all Masses. Candles are only \$10 each. All family names will appear in the bulletin throughout the Christmas season. What a nice way to receive a Christmas Family Blessing.

CHRISTMAS SING-A-LONG



Where: Ss. Peter & Paul Parish Hall

When: Saturday, Dec 13th 7pm

With: Kevin McCann and EZ LIVIN' Band

Donations to benefit our Parish Youth Group will be welcome

Come out and really get into the Christmas Spirit.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Please help yourselves to one box of offering



envelopes per family for next year, 2026. Remember, if you wish us to keep track of your donations for

tax purposes, please put your name and amount on each envelope. The free address labels are an easy and fast way to address your envelope. This also helps in receiving sponsor certificates.

CHRISTMAS / NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE RECONCILIATION

Saturday, <u>December 13th</u> 4pm - 4:45pm

MONDAY, <u>December 22nd</u> 7pm – 8pm

CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES

Wednesday, December 24th 5:00 PM Mass, 10:00 PM (Polish) 12:00 Midnight Mass

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES

Thursday, December 25th 7:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am (Polish)

NEW YEAR'S EVE MASS

Wednesday, December 31st 5:00 PM, Vigil Mass

NEW YEAR'S DAY MASSES

Thursday, January 1st, 2026 10:00am (English), 11:30am (Polish)

CHRISTMAS WAFERS



Christmas wafers are now available on our brown table. The asking donation is \$5.00 per packet. Please purchase early; they tend to sell out fast.

CHRISTMAS FLOWER/TREES OFFERING ENVELOPES

Please help us keep our traditions and donate towards our Christmas Flowers/Trees. This will also help area flower growers that

supply us with our flowers and trees. Offering envelopes can be found on our large brown table in the back of our church.

NEW PARISHIONERS



Welcome to Ss. Peter & Paul Church. We invite you to join our parish and consider sharing your time, talent, and treasures with us. Please pick

up a Family Registration Form found in the basket near our bulletins. Fill it out and drop it into the collection basket, or put it into the secretary mailbox found near the large bulletin board or hand it to our priest. Need anything, contact 908-637-4269.

PRAY FOR:

Living: John Schleckmann, Marilyn Gorski, Magaret Sypniewski, Beth Courter, Ewa Gorna **Deceased:** Annette Munley, Joan Critchley, Tom Ward, Agnes Martinez, Genevieve Godlewsky



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