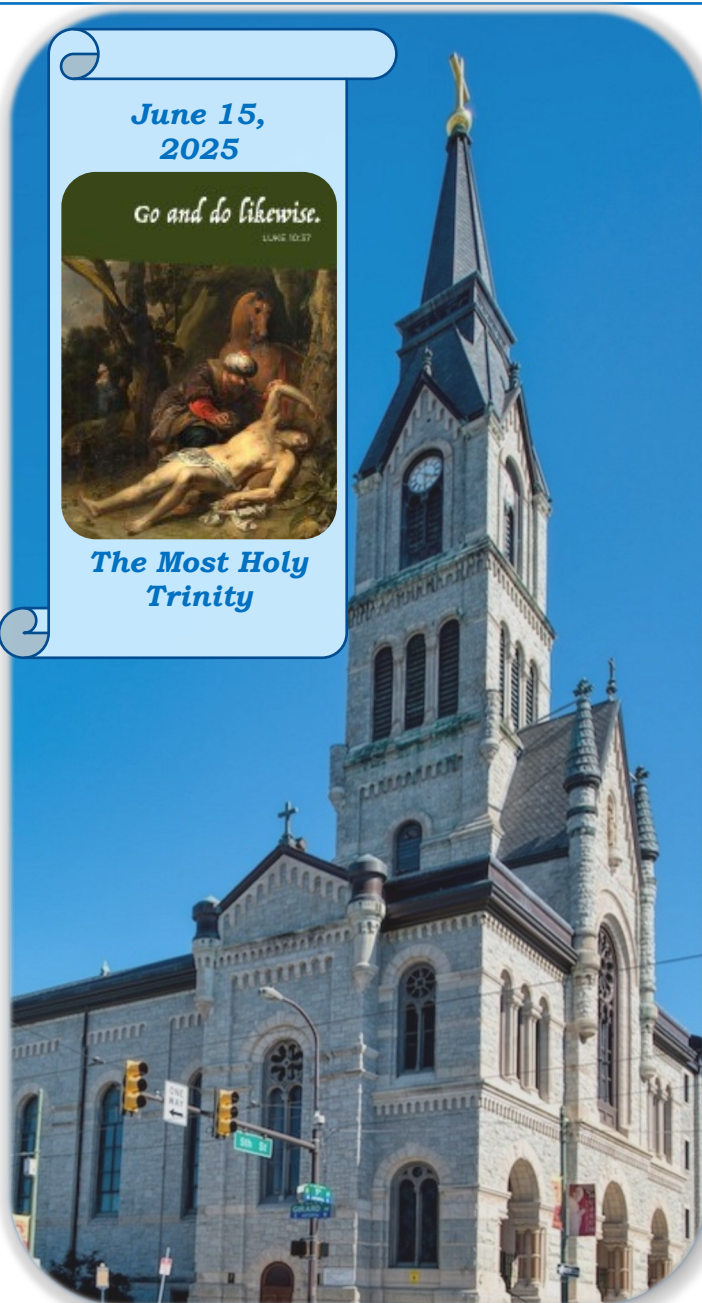


June 15,
2025

Go and do likewise.
LUKE 10:37



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 12:15 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. (Vigil).
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Spanish),
12:30 pm
Weekdays: 7:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:30 p.m.
O.L.P.H. Novena: 7:00 p.m. (Shrine) Filipino Sponsored

CONFESSIONS

Mon - Sat: 11:45 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. (Spanish)

RECTORY OFFICE

Monday - Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 a.m. - 12 noon.

GIFT SHOP SCHEDULE

Monday - Sunday: 10 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

APPOINTMENTS: You are asked to arrange an appointment in advance by telephone with the Priest you wish to see.

SICK CALLS: Emergencies & Hospital Visitation: Please contact the Rectory office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is administered monthly. Arrangements are made in advance at the Rectory. Sponsors must provide proof of eligibility by a letter from their respective pastors, and must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion, and Confirmation. Parents attend a Pre-Jordan meeting prior to Baptism, which is arranged at a mutually convenient time.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least six months before the date of the wedding. Pre-Cana instructions are required. Couples rather than parents or wedding coordinators should contact the church. If either party was previously married, an annulment must be granted prior to the selection of a future wedding date.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

5:30 PM † Robert McDonald - rb: Son, Robert

SUNDAY, JUNE 15 - *Father's Day*

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

9:30 AM John Kernan - rb: Family

11:00 AM † Luis & Jose L. Velazquez – rb: Haydee Velazquez

12:30 PM Parish Family and † Jerry Fedorowycz - rb: Christine Bottomer

MONDAY, JUNE 16

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Steve Scales – rb: Karl Buchert

5:30 PM † Theresa Bailey - rb: Irene Watson

TUESDAY, JUNE 17

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Ovidio Felix Asencio – rb: Victor M. Asencio

5:30 PM Sarah Hawley - rb: Zoltan & Joan Fischer

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM OLPH MASS LEAGUE

5:30 PM † Nidia R. Graulau - rb: Graulau/Davila Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 19 - *Juneteenth*

9:30 AM Purgatorian Society

FRIDAY, JUNE 20

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM Neumann Guild

5:30 PM Carmen Lopez - rb: Maribel Roman Lopez

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

12:15 PM OLPH MASS LEAGUE



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

On Friday, June 6th, 2025, National Gun Violence Awareness Day, St. Peter the Apostle Church and many other churches, synagogues, mosques, and community centers throughout Philadelphia rang their bells for 10.6 minutes. This duration symbolizes the 106 people who are killed by firearms in the United States every day. While the tolling of the bells may not provide an immediate solution to this societal issue, it serves as a call to reflect on the gift, fragility, and preciousness of human life.

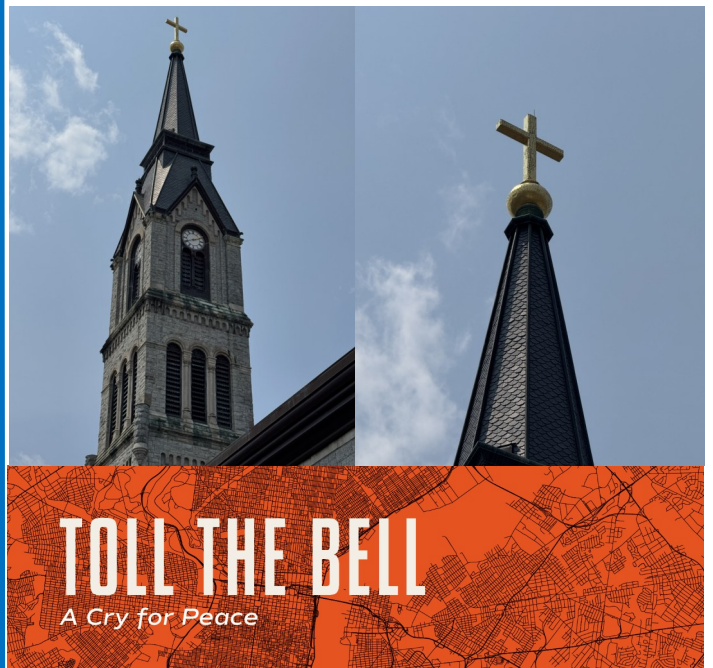
As we listened to the bells ringing throughout Philadelphia, many focused on the sound and the places from which it came—houses of worship. In these sacred spaces where God resides, hearts are transformed, and minds are renewed. Let us continue to pray for one another, hoping we may all experience healing and hope.

Blessings,
Fr Mike

REMEMBER THE SICK OF THE PARISH

In your prayers, please keep in mind our sick, homebound, and those in healthcare facilities including: Fr. Gerard Brinkmann CSsR, Jennifer Woods, Clara Torres, Ada Olivo, Wayne Shaak, Michaela Breslin, June Ambrose, Marcelino Casiano, Luz Martinez, Juana Ortiz, Charles Ambrose, Donald Ambrose, Ann Pham, Richard Simpson, Danielle Sorrichillo, Jack Michael Little, Reinallee Colon, Donna Marie Simpson, Mary Ha, Tanya Rapone, Jane Kernan, Alicia Ann Chomo, Gayle Mulford, Betty Santos, Mary Zajac, Kathy Griffin, and Michael Micciola. *Please call the rectory office to add a name.*

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The Holiness Conference

Sponsored by the National Shrine of St John Neumann and I Thirst Ministry in Philadelphia 6/20/2025 - 6/22/2025
Admission is free. Free will offerings will be accepted.



Friday June 20th: in the Shrine Church: **6:30 p.m.** Rosary; **7:00 p.m.** Healing Mass with Father Pio Mandato who will pray over the people with a relic of Padre Pio



Saturday June 21st: starting in the Shrine Church: **6:15 p.m.** Holy hour led by Michael Corsini; **7: 15 p.m.** Saints Alive: contemporary Catholic music led by founder Gus deSimone, and fellowship with light refreshments in the St John Neumann Center



Sunday June 22nd: starting in the Upper Church: **12:30 p.m.** Mass followed by Corpus Christi procession in the streets led by Bishop Bruce Lewandowski, Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore; **2:00 p.m.** fellowship and lunch in the St John Neumann Center
Your RSVP is REQUIRED for this indoor event

IMPORTANT: To let us know if you are coming go to
<https://ithirstministry.com/store> or click on the QR Code



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WEEKEND COLLECTION - 6/8/2025

Masses	\$3,412.25
Envelopes Mailed - Offerings	\$440.00
Electronic Giving -	\$1,788.00
Total.....	\$5,640.25
Total 2nd Collection.....	\$1,070.03

SANCTUARY CANDLES

This week, the candles in the sanctuaries will burn for the following intentions:

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Lower Church)

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

OLPH Shrine (Upper Church)

Little Family - rb: Nora Little

St. John Neumann Altar

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen
In Thanksgiving for Gus' success in freshman year
- rb: Cioci

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Upper Church)

All the faithful departed - rb: Patricia and Raymond Villanueva
Redemptorist Chapel
† Lorraine Kingsbury Miner



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LA MISA DE HOY

11:00 AM † Luis & Jose L. Velazquez – sp: Haydee Velazquez

CONFESIONES EN ESPAÑOL

10:30 AM

DONACIONES DE UNITED WAY

Si usted contribuye a United Way a través de su trabajo, favor considere designar a la **Escuela San Pedro, United Way #52989**, para que su donación ayude a nuestra escuela.

VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Esta semana, las velas de los santuarios se encenderán por las siguientes intenciones:

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Abajo)

Familia Nguyen - sp: Le Nguyen

Santuario de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro (Iglesia de Arriba)

Familia Little - sp: Nora Little

Altar de San Juan Neumann

Familia Nguyen - sp: Le Nguyen

En agradecimiento por el éxito de Gus en su primer año. - rb: Cioci

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Arriba)

Fieles almas fallecidas - sp: Patricia y Raymond Villanueva

*Capilla de los Redentoristas
Lorraine Kingsbury Miner*

RECORDEMOS A LOS ENFERMOS DE LA PARROQUIA

En sus oraciones, por favor, tenga en cuenta a nuestros enfermos, confinados en casa, y aquellos en los centros de salud, incluyendo: Fr. Gerard Brinkmann CSsR, Jennifer Woods, Clara Torres, Ada Olivo, Wayne Shaak, Michaela Breslin, June Ambrose, Marcelino Casiano, Luz Martinez, Juana Ortiz, Charles Ambrose, Donald Ambrose, Ann Pham, Richard Simpson, Danielle Sorrichillo, Jack Michael Little, Reinalee Colon, Donna Marie Simpson, Mary Ha, Tanya Rapone, Jane Kernan, Alicia Ann Chomo, Gayle Mulford, Betty Santos, Mary Zajac, Kathy Griffin, and Michael Micciola. . Favor de llamar a la rectoría para incluir un nombre en la lista.



DEL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

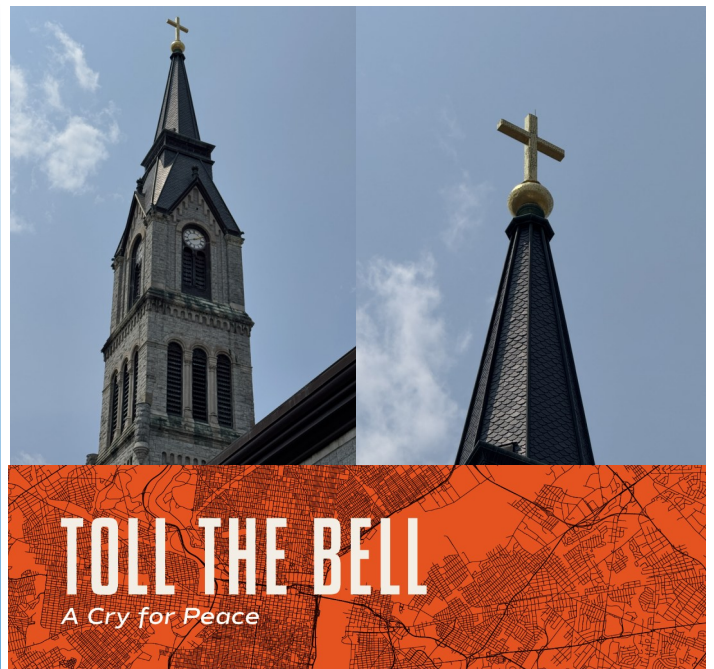
Queridos Feligreses,

El viernes 6 de junio de 2025, Día Nacional de

Concientización sobre la Violencia con Armas de Fuego, la Iglesia de San Pedro Apóstol y muchas otras iglesias, sinagogas, mezquitas y centros comunitarios de Filadelfia repicaron sus campanas durante 10.6 minutos. Este tiempo simboliza las 106 personas que mueren por armas de fuego cada día en Estados Unidos. Si bien el repicar de las campanas puede no ofrecer una solución inmediata a este problema social, sirve como un llamado a reflexionar sobre el don, la fragilidad y el valor de la vida humana.

Al escuchar el repicar de las campanas por toda Filadelfia, muchos se centraron en el sonido y en los lugares de donde provenía: los lugares de culto. En estos espacios sagrados donde reside Dios, los corazones se transforman y las mentes se renuevan. Sigamos orando unos por otros, con la esperanza de que todos experimentemos sanación y esperanza.

Bendiciones,
Padre Mike





EL PROCESO DE INSCRIPCIÓN PARA OICA YA ESTÁ ABIERTO.

¿Está usted o alguien que conoce interesado en cultivar una relación con Dios, aprender más sobre la fe católica y ser bautizado o recibir los sacramentos de iniciación?

Nuestra clase de OICA se juntan los jueves a las 7:00 PM y comienza el 26 de junio.

Por favor, contacte con la Hna. Carmen Torres, SHCJ, quien podrá repasar el proceso con usted y responder a cualquier pregunta que pueda tener.

Se puede contactar con la Hna. Carmen por teléfono al **215-625-9755** o por correo electrónico: **Saintpeterpa@gmail.com**



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EL ROSARIO

Les invitamos a unirse a nosotros todos los días a las 11:55AM en el Santuario a rezar el Rosario por la paz. Venga y únase a nosotros con el arma espiritual.



DONACION ELECTRONICA

Ingresa a la página spaphilly.org y seleccione el enlace bajo el logotipo **Parish Giving**. Siga las sencillas instrucciones para registrarse.



COLECTAS DEL FIN DE SEMANA 6/8/2025

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SHRINE OFFICES
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Thursday, 6/19



The Day of Freedom
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**9:30 AM MASS ONLY
IN THE LOWER SHRINE CHURCH
AND NO CONFESSIONS**



**THE REGISTRATION
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NOW OPEN.**

Are you or someone you know interested
in growing a relationship with God,
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and be Baptized or complete the
sacraments for initiation?

Our OCIA class takes place on Thursday's
at 7 PM and will begin on June 26th.

Please contact, Sr. Carmen Torres, SHCJ
who will be able to review the process
with you and answer any questions you
may have.

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Summer Mass Schedule *Horario de Misas de Verano*

MONDAY- SATURDAY

LUNES - SABADO

LOWER CHURCH

IGLESIA INFERIOR

12:15 pm | 5:30 pm

SUNDAY

DOMINGO

UPPER CHURCH

IGLESIA SUPERIOR

9:30 am | 11:00 am (Spanish/Español) | 12:30 pm



Beginning Monday, June 16, 2025
A partir del Lunes 16 de Junio de 2025