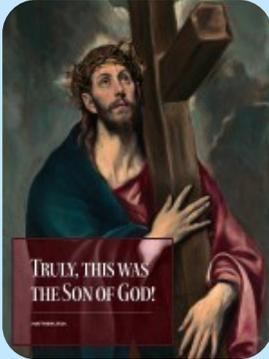
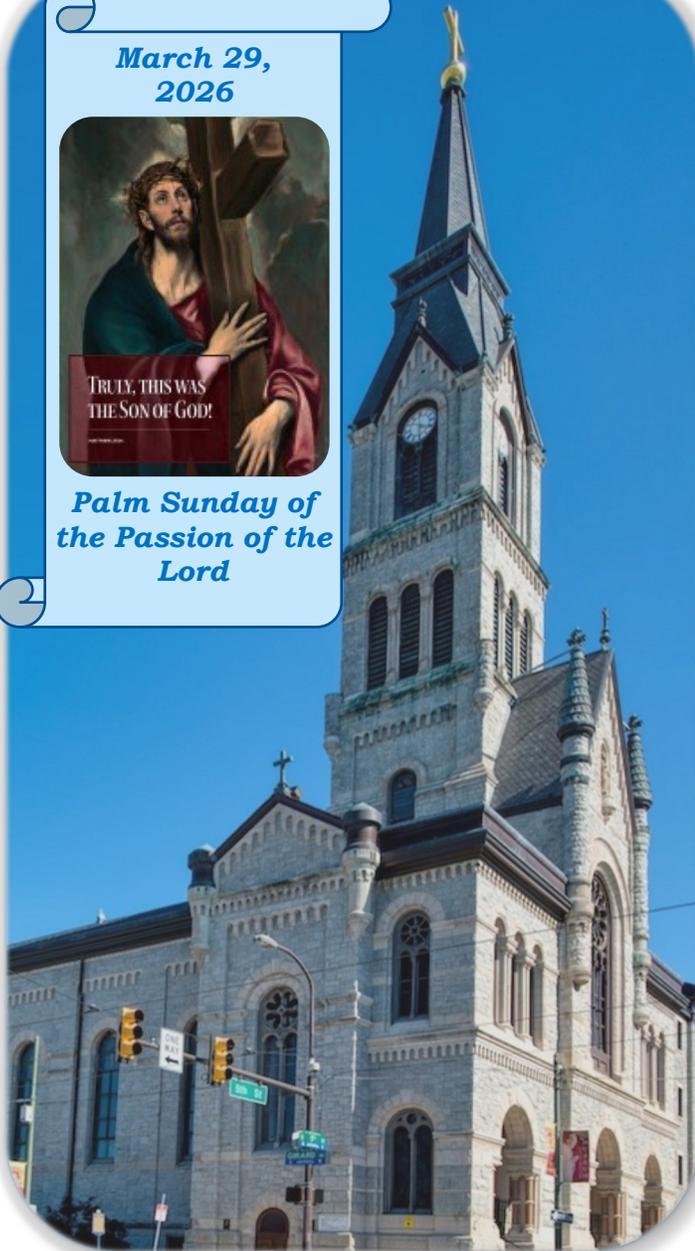


March 29,
2026



**Palm Sunday of
the Passion of the
Lord**



St. Peter the Apostle National Shrine of St. John Neumann

A Redemptorist Parish
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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 - Friday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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, MARCH 28

5:30 PM † Francis & Helen Hart, Sr. - rb: Joseph P. Aquilante

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society

9:30 AM † Mark Bogan - rb: Nancy, Isabella, & Gabriela

11:00 AM Parish Family & Sista Vele & Matilde - rb: Jenny Almodobal

12:30 PM † Stanley Rynkiewicz, Jr - rb: Son

MONDAY, MARCH 30

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Bill Peterson - rb: Karl Buchert

5:30 PM John Kernan - rb: Family

TUESDAY, MARCH 31

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Karl Patricia Buchert - rb: Karl, Jr.

5:30 PM † Puri L. Garzone, Jr. - rb: Michael & Maureen Clark

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM OLPH MASS LEAGUE

5:30 PM † Clare Hudson - rb: Karl Buchert

THURSDAY, APRIL 2— *Holy Thursday*

** Please refer to our Holy Week Schedule for Holy Thursday services **

FRIDAY, APRIL 3 - *Good Friday*

** Please refer to our Holy Week Schedule for Good Friday services **

SATURDAY, APRIL 4

8:00 PM † John Fairey, Sr. - rb: Kimberly Piedra

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, Marcelino Casiano, Luz Martines, Juana Ortiz, Charles Ambrose, Ann Pham, Danielle Sorrichillo, Reinallee Colon, Tanya Rapone, Jane Kernan, Alicia Ann Chomo, Kathy Griffin, Michael Micciola, Jeanette Troutman, Linda Butter, Ann Russo, Brian Devers, Terri Campione, Orlando Morales, Monsarate Torres, Lisa Belle, Wayne Belle, William Vaughn, Baby Rivera, J. Kernan, Ty Joseph, Mary Zajac, Jeremy Kleinberg, John Claypool, and Carolyn Bennett. Please call the rectory office to add a name. 1-125



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

I want to extend my heartfelt thanks to Linda Farrell, Mary Shaak, Diane Lazusky, and our wonderful team of volunteers for making the Designer Bag Bingo event a success! With over 200 participants, the energy was contagious.

Our guests enjoyed a delicious meal provided by Shicaira Walker of S2 Desserts. It was a day filled with laughter and joy as we celebrated our community. We also raised an incredible \$11,500 for the parish! Thank you all for being part of this special day!

The Designer Bag Bingo event has truly become one of our standout fundraisers and social events of the year, strengthening connections and creating lasting memories. A huge thank you to everyone who contributed their time, resources, and enthusiasm. Your support means the world, and you are the heartbeat of our community! Let's continue to uplift one another and keep this spirit alive!



Blessings,
Fr Mike



JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL
ST. PETER THE APOSTLE PARISH **FREE ENTRY**

EASTER

• EGG HUNT •

Sunday, April 5, 2026

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING 9:30 AM AND 11 AM MASS

CHILDREN WILL PROCESS TO THE RECTORY LAWN
FROM THE UPPER CHURCH FRONT ENTRANCE
1019 N. 5TH STREET

THE WAY OF THE CROSS

During Lent, we invite you to join us each day at 11:55 a.m. in the Shrine as we pray the Way of the Cross for peace. Please come and pray with us.



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

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Upper Church)
Departed Souls of Villanueva and Creachen Families -
rb: Patricia and Raymond Villanueva
Redemptorist Chapel
Available

Bathroom Code

1811

Please use this code to access the bathroom. This code is subject to change, please refer to the bulletin for updated code. Thank you.

WEEKEND COLLECTION - 3/22/2026

The collections of last weekend will be in the next bulletin.



-SIGN UP FOR ELECTRONIC GIVING-

ELECTRONIC GIVING

Go to the page: spaphilly.org
tab **Donate** and select the link with the **Parish Giving Logo**

Follow the simple instructions

April - Second Collection Schedule

April 5th ... *Easter Sunday & For the Needy/God's Poor*

April 12th... *School*

April 19th ... *Parish Religious Education*

April 26th ... *Mother's Day Remembrance*

INQUIRE NOW!

PRE-K3-6TH GRADE

Admissions Now Open for the 2026-2027 School Year!

215-922-5958

LA MISA DE HOY

11:00 AM Familia parroquial & Sista Vele & Matilde
- sp: Jenny Almodobal

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

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Arriba)

Departed Souls of Villanueva and Creachen Families

sp: Patricia and Raymond Villanueva

Capilla de los Redentoristas

Disponible

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, Marcelino Casiano, Luz Martines, Juana Ortiz, Charles Ambrose, Ann Pham, Danielle Sorrichillo, Reinalee Colon, Tanya Rapone, Jane Kernan, Alicia Ann Chomo, Kathy Griffin, Michael Micciola, Jeanette Troutman, Linda Butter, Ann Russo, Brian Devers, Terri Campione, Orlando Morales, Monsarate Torres, Lisa Belle, Wayne Belle, William Vaughn, Baby Rivera, J. Kernan, Ty Joseph, Mary Zajac, Jeremy Kleinberg, John Claypool, and Carolyn Bennett. Favor de llamar a la rectoría para incluir un nombre en la lista.



DEL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

Queridos Feligreses,

Quiero expresar mi más sincero agradecimiento a Linda Farrell, Mary Shaak, Diane Lazusky y a nuestro maravilloso equipo de voluntarios por hacer del evento «Designer Bag Bingo» un rotundo éxito. Con más de 200 participantes, la energía fue verdaderamente contagiosa.

Nuestros invitados disfrutaron de una deliciosa comida cortesía de Shicaira Walker, de S2 Desserts. Fue un día repleto de risas y alegría, en el que celebramos a nuestra comunidad. ¡Además, recaudamos la increíble suma de 11.500 dólares para la parroquia! ¡Gracias a todos por formar parte de este día tan especial!

El evento «Designer Bag Bingo» se ha convertido, sin duda alguna, en uno de nuestros eventos sociales y de recaudación de fondos más destacados del año, fortaleciendo los lazos entre nosotros y creando recuerdos imborrables. Un enorme agradecimiento a todos aquellos que aportaron su tiempo, sus recursos y su entusiasmo. Su apoyo lo es todo para nosotros; ¡ustedes son el corazón de nuestra comunidad! ¡Sigamos apoyándonos mutuamente y manteniendo vivo este espíritu!

Bendiciones,
Padre Mike





DONACION ELECTRONICA

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



EL VIACRUCIS

Durante la Cuaresma, les invitamos a unirse a nosotros cada día a las 11:55 a.m. en el Santuario para rezar el Camino a la Cruz por la paz. Por favor vengan a rezar con nosotros



ÚNASE A NOSOTROS PARA
LA PARROQUIA ANUAL DE SAN PEDRO EL APÓSTOL

PASCUA DE RESURRECCIÓN
BÚSQUEDA DE HUEVOS

ENTRADA LIBRE



DOMINGO, 5 DE ABRIL 2026

INMEDIATAMENTE DESPUÉS DE LA MISA DE 9:30 AM Y 11 AM

LOS NIÑOS PROCESIONARÁN HASTA EL JARDÍN DE LA RECTORÍA
DESDE LA ENTRADA PRINCIPAL DE LA IGLESIA SUPERIOR
1019 N. CALLE 5

Código del baño

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Por favor, utilice este código para acceder al baño. Este código puede cambiar; consulte el tablón de anuncios para obtener el código actualizado. Gracias.

COLECTA DEL FIN DE SEMANA

DE 3/22/2026

La información de la colecta del último fin de semana estará en el próximo boletín.

Segundo calendario de recolección para abril

- 5 de abril ... *Domingo de Pascua y para los necesitados / los pobres de Dios*
- 12 de abril... *Escuela*
- 19 de abril... *Educación religiosa parroquial*
- 26 de abril... *Recuerdo del Día de las Madres*



¡CONSULTE AHORA!

PREESCOLAR A 6.º GRADO

¡Inscripciones abiertas para el año escolar 2026-2027!



215-922-5958



THE FILIPINO-AMERICAN COMMUNITY
INVITES YOU TO A MOVING HOLY WEEK PRESENTATION

THE PASSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

A live re-enactment of Jesus' sufferings, crucifixion and death.

Upper Church
St. Peter the Apostle Church
National Shrine of St. John Neumann
1019 North 5th Street & Girard Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19123

PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2026 at 4:30PM

Were you there when
they crucified my Lord?

Jesus, remember me
when you come into
your kingdom.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:
MAXI JALOSJOS: 215 834 5025
FAYE SUPELANA: 856 723 7677**

EASTER BLESSINGS



**PLEASE NOTE THAT OUR MUSEUM,
GIFT SHOP, RECTORY AND SHRINE
OFFICES WILL CLOSE EARLY AT
1 PM ON 4/3 GOOD FRIDAY.**

**WE WILL ALSO BE CLOSED ON 4/5
EASTER SUNDAY AND 4/6 EASTER
MONDAY.**

**NO CONFESSIONS AND 9:30 AM
MASS ONLY IN THE SHRINE ON
EASTER MONDAY, 4/6.**

HOLY WEEK

SCHEDULE 2026

AT ST. PETER THE APOSTLE CHURCH AND
THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF ST. JOHN NEUMANN

Holy Thursday, April 2nd

9:00 am Liturgy of the Hours - SHRINE
7:00 pm Mass of the Last Supper (Bilingual) - UPPER CHURCH

Good Friday, April 3rd

9:00 am Liturgy of the Hours - SHRINE
11:45 am - 12:15 pm Confessions - SHRINE
1:00 pm El Via Crucis / Siete últimas palabras (Spanish) - SHRINE
1:00 pm The Stations of the Cross / Seven Last Words (English) - UPPER CHURCH
3:00 pm Passion Liturgy with Adoration of the Cross (Bilingual) - UPPER CHURCH
4:00 pm Burial Procession of the Deceased Christ accompanied by the Sorrowful
Mother

Saturday Easter Vigil, April 4th

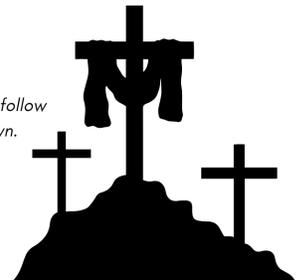
9:00 am Liturgy of the Hours - SHRINE
11:45 am - 12:15 pm Confessions - SHRINE
8:00 pm Easter Vigil (Bilingual) - UPPER CHURCH

Easter Sunday, April 5th

9:30 am Mass (English) - UPPER CHURCH
11:00 am Mass (Spanish) - UPPER CHURCH
12:30 pm Mass (English) - UPPER CHURCH

*The annual Easter Egg Hunt for the children will follow
the 9:30 am and 11 am masses on the rectory lawn.*

**Please note: No confessions or
7:30 am services on Easter Sunday**



Leaders & Achievers AWARDS

AN EVENT BENEFITING SAINT PETER THE APOSTLE SCHOOL



HONORING SOPHIA GONZALEZ '26



BOB JULIANO

Thursday, April 23, 2026
6-9 pm

Saint John Neumann Center

Tickets &
Sponsorship



For additional information, please contact
Teresa at 215-922-5958