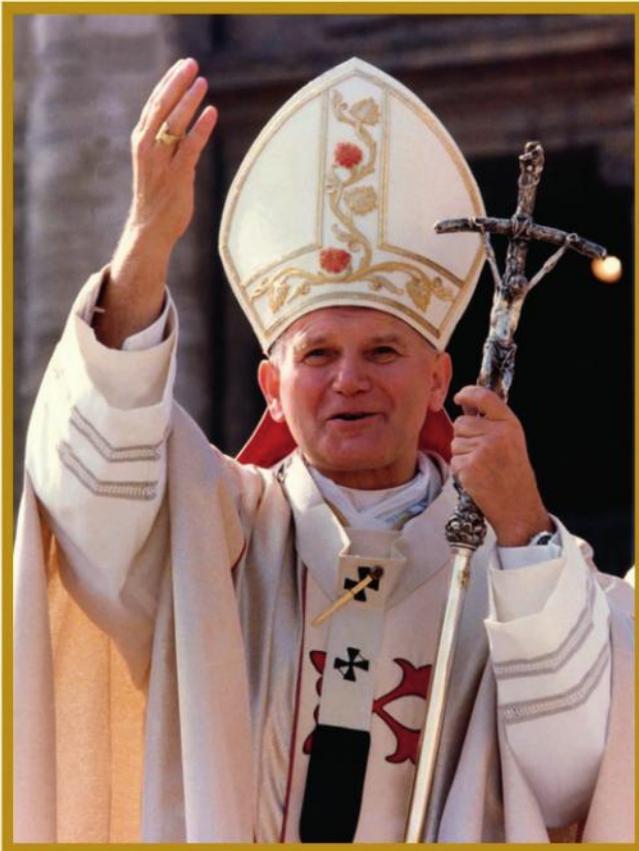


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Summer Hours

Wednesday & Thursday  
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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 16, 2023



## Confession Times

### Saturdays:

Nativity B.V.M.: 11:30 a.m.  
Mother of Divine Grace: 3:00 p.m.  
St. Adalbert: 4:00 p.m.  
Nativity B.V.M. Church: 4:30 p.m.

### Sundays:

St. George:  
After 8:30 a.m. Mass upon request

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, JULY 15

#### VIGIL

4:00 pm MDG Michael Gugliemello by Family  
5:30 pm N Jim Adair by Marlene & Shawn

### SUNDAY, JULY 16

7:30 am SA † Michał Ceberek of. rodzina  
8:30 am SG Stase Dura by Ausra Maknys  
10:00 am N Joseph & Dorothy Fagan by Francine Fagan  
10:30 am SA † Tony Giolda of. Joe & Alice Burkacki  
11:30 am MDG Geraldine & Eleanor Carbone &  
Deceased Members of Carbone Family  
by Fusca & Garzone Families

### MONDAY, JULY 17

7:30 am SA † Jan Pacuła of. żona i dzieci  
8:00 am MDG Catherine Leisse by The Upham Family

### TUESDAY, JULY 18

7:30 am SA o zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo w 10  
rocznicę ślubu Mike & Julia Rafferty of. babcia  
8:00 am N Deceased Members of Nativity Prayer Group

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 19

7:30 am SA † Irene Armstrong of. Barbara & Marty Hurd  
8:00 am MDG Eugenio & Catherine Palumbo  
by Manso Family

### THURSDAY, JULY 20

7:30 am SA † Łukasz Pawłowski of. rodzice i rodzina  
8:00 am N For the Intentions of Megan, Meredith &  
Mary Kate by Mary Anne Mannal

### FRIDAY, JULY 21

7:30 am SA † Genevieve Bryk of. Czesława Sołtys  
8:00 am MDG Josephine & Harry Menzel  
by Rosemarie Digman

### SATURDAY, JULY 22

7:30 am SA † Stanisław i Sławomir Perkowski of. Wiesław  
z rodziną  
8:00 am N Wa;ter J. Mikolajewski by Harriet Koziela

#### VIGIL

4:00 pm MDG Catherine Mammarello by Valerie & Gary  
5:30 pm N Matthew Magenta by Dorothy Wagner

### SUNDAY, JULY 23

7:30 am SA o Boże błogosławieństwo i opiekę Matki  
Bożej na nowej drodze życia dla Anny i  
Daniela of. Jan i Teresa Szymula z rodziną  
8:30 am SG Peg Osborn by the Osborn  
& The Mendys Family  
10:00 am N Butch Lutz by Carol Glass  
10:30 am SA o zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla  
Moniki Bucóń w 90 rocznicę urodzin of.  
syn z rodziną  
11:30 am MDG In Honor of Mother of Divine Grace  
on her Feast Day



## PARISH WEEKLY SUPPORT

Sunday, July 2, 2023

SUNDAY COLLECTION \$ 10,041.00

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## 2023 Eucharistic Congress

The Gift of Finest Wheat:  
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National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa  
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Saturday, September 30, 2023  
9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

(Meals will not be served, please bring your own lunch)

Register at: <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=RcKTzn>



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 to arrange for a mass or candle.



**MASS INTENTIONS**  
 The Mass Book for  
**St. George, Nativity & St. Adalbert**  
**for 2023** is full.  
 There are no more intentions being  
 taken for this Churches.

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**Note:** This year, there is a change in location of the Mass!

This year, on Tuesday, August 15th, the Wedding of the Sea Mass will be held at the Hard Rock Casino, Etess Arena at 12 Noon with the doors opening at 11 AM. Following the Mass the Blessed Mother statue will process from the Hard Rock on Pennsylvania Avenue to the Boardwalk. The wreath will be tossed by the Bishop on the beach at Pennsylvania Avenue.

Unfortunately, our beloved Festival is not being held.

Even those who cannot attend the Mass will be able to view the ceremony (the tossing of the wreath) on the beach at Pennsylvania Ave around 1:15 PM.

**August 1-3, 10:00 AM—2:00 PM**

**Event: Youth Retreat for High School Teens**  
 Saints Peter and Paul Parish is hosting a High School Age Youth Retreat. This event is free and is for rising 9th graders through graduating High school seniors. Praise and worship, Mass, speakers, Adoration, games, food and more! Prior registration is necessary.

**Location:** Saints Peter and Paul Church, 1325 East Boot Road, West Chester, PA 19380.

**More Information:** Please contact Michele D'Alessandro, [mdalessandro@sspeterandpaulrc.org](mailto:mdalessandro@sspeterandpaulrc.org) for more info or to register.

**August 4, 2023 at 7:00 PM**

**Event: Mass and Healing Service @ the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown, PA.**

**Description:** Following Mass, there will be Praise & Worship, Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament, and Healing Prayer Service. This is a special opportunity to Encounter Jesus and invite the Holy Spirit to touch you deeply and heal those emotional, mental, physical, relational, or spiritual places that are in need of God's healing graces. All are welcome!

**Questions:** Email [rafal@czestochowas.us](mailto:rafal@czestochowas.us)  
 Call: 215-345-0600.

"Among all the devotions approved by the Church none has been so favored by so many miracles as the devotion of the MOST HOLY ROSARY"  
 Pope Blessed Pius IX



## Sunday Rosary

ONLINE ONLY  
UNTIL AFTER LABOR DAY

Facebook: Storm the Heavens Community Rosary

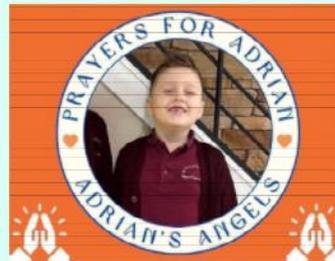
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## **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Please remember in your prayers, the sick of the parish, especially Barbara Kloska, Marie Morris,, Maureen Ramsey, Eleanor Joyce, Karrie Schminke, Rev. Grayson, Anne Marie Jaskel, Sue Hackett, Michele M, Tricia Anderson, Tyler Komorowski, Nicholas Rache, Terry Wahl, Berne Klinke, Nancy Davis, Edward Carpenter Sr., Terry Snead, Bob DiTomasso, Carter Tritz, Joanne Manning, Liam Blaney, Teresa Caterino, Frances R. Matkowski, Madine Kradzinski, Susan Manning, Josie Babb, Janet Babb, Rosemarie Grace, Pat Rafferty, Savanna Dempsey, Donna McDonnell, Geraldine Chew, Sherry Beck, Chris Sofia, Aidan Blakla, Katherine Stockman, James C. Stockman, Jeffrey Hobbs Jr., Brianna Rose O'Neill, Ralph Wagner, Eileen Toner, Anthony Pelle Jr., Thelma Nogowski, Ken Lewis, Virginia Reilly, Bill & Theresa Sherwin, Alfreda Goclovska, Pat Grosso, Father Neil Kilty, Glen F. Krupa, Walter McClain, Joann Fithian, Erika K, Norman, Lisa Olson, Roy McCann, Joseph Schminke, Addie, Alessandra, Richard Adams, Brian Stec, Jerry Primerano, Joan Beverly Morton, Carol Piffer, Devon Stepalovitch, Mary Tacconelli, Phyllis Kelly, Marie Saxton, Jeanette Karcher, Don Alburger, Catherine Gaskill, Linda Smith, Lisa Kohr, the Homebound, *May God watch over them.*



### **Rectory Summer Hours at Saint John Paul II Parish at Saint Adalbert**

Monday	9:00 to 2:00
Tuesday	9:00 to 2:00
Wednesday	9:00 to 2:00
Thursday	9:00 to 2:00
Friday	Closed



### **Wakacyjne godziny otwarcia Biura Parafii**

Poniedziałek	9:00 do 2:00
Wtorek	9:00 do 2:00
Środa	9:00 do 2:00
Czwartek	9:00 do 2:00
Piątek	zamknięte

### **SUMMER RECTORY HOURS AT MDG**

**Wednesday & Thursday  
 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon**

*"The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest."*

—Responsorial Psalm for Today

## SANCTUARY LAMPS

July 16, 2023

### St. Adalbert Church

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Divine Mercy**

Offered by family

In Loving Memory of

Edward & Dolores Milewski

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Divine Mercy**

Ofiarowana o łaskę uzdrowienia dla Ryszarda

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Divine Mercy**

Ofiarowana o zdrowie, Boże błogosławieństwo i opiekę Matki Bożej dla całej rodziny

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Blessed Mother**

Offered by Zagacki family

In Loving Memory of Cathy Hood

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Saint Joseph**

Special Intention



### Mother of Divine Grace Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

In Memory of Mildred Izzi from Marie & Manny Perez

#### **Mother of Divine Grace Candle**

In Honor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

#### **Sacred Heart Candle**

In Memory of Mildred Izzi from Richie & Lynn Foschini

### Saint George Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

In Loving Memory of Earaminas Family by Ausra Maknys

### Nativity B.V.M. Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

In Loving Memory of Deceased Lees & Whalen Families

#### **Blessed Mother Candles**

In Loving Memory of Joseph & Dorothy Fagan

In Loving Memory of Frank & Eleanor Skiendzielewski

In Loving Memory of Jennifer Marcinkiewicz

For the healing of Marie Griffitt



## Baptisms

May God Bless  
*Taygn Carroll*  
*Gabriel Samson Fuentes*  
*Jason Oberholtzer*  
and their parents & families  
Baptized on July 9, 2023  
at St. John Paul II Parish

## Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased



*Please remember in your prayers:  
All Deceased Members  
of the Parish,  
All Family Members,  
All Forgotten Souls*

## CARING FOR CAREGIVERS GROUP

St. John-Paul II Parish Caring for Caregivers Group: Are you someone who is caring for a family member, loved one, or friend who has a significant illness? Are you someone who is caring for a family member, loved one or friend who has some type of disability? If so, the Caring for Caregivers Group may be able to help.

If you would like more information or to join our group, please call the Rectory at 215-739-3500 and leave a message for either Marge Pliszka or Deb Shirley. Someone will return your call as soon as possible.



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Matthew 13:23  
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ground is he that heareth the word,  
and understandeth  
it; which also beareth fruit,  
and bringeth forth,  
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some sixty,  
some thirty...

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Saturday, September 16, 2023—Doors open 12:00 PM  
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**PRAYER**

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel**

Feast Day: July 16

Most Blessed and Immaculate Virgin, Ornament and **Splendor of Mount Carmel**, thou who regardest with particular goodness those who wear thy scapular, benignly look upon me also, and cover me with the mantle of thy maternal protections.

**Fortify my weakness with thy strength**, illuminate the darkness of my mind with thy wisdom, **increase Faith, Hope and Charity** within me, adorn my soul with such graces and virtues that it may be always precious to thee and thy Divine Son; assist me in life, console me at the hour of death with thy most loving presence and **present me to the most august Trinity** as thy son and devout servant, to eternally praise and bless thee

In heaven. Amen

**Hail Mary, twice, Glory, once.**  
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**Saturday, September 30, 2023 - 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM**

**Event: 2023 Eucharistic Congress**

**“The Gift of Finest Wheat: This is My Body Given Up for You**

Join us for a day of encounter with Jesus’ infinite love for us in the Eucharist! The day begins with Holy Mass at 9:00 AM celebrated by Archbishop Pérez and concludes with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 4:00 PM. Talks by compelling speakers will be offered. Tracks are available in English, Spanish, American Sign Language as well as a College Track, Teen Track (ages 13-17) and a Children's Track (ages 6-12).

**Speakers include:** Most Rev. Michael Burbidge; Mrs. Antonia Acutis (Mother of Blessed Carlo Acutis); Dr. Edward Sri; Sr. Jane Dominic Laurel, OP; Rev. G. Dennis Gill; Rev. Rafael Capó; Rev. Eder Estrada, F.M.; Rev. Michael Depcik, OSFS and more!**Location:** National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, 654 Ferry Road, Doylestown, PA

**More info: Meals will not be served**, please bring your own lunch; Adults \$25.00 per person, no charge for clergy and youth under age 18; please register at: [phillyeucharisticrevival.org/congress](http://phillyeucharisticrevival.org/congress)



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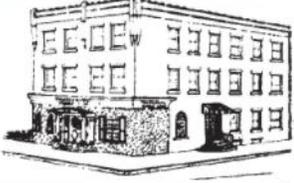
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