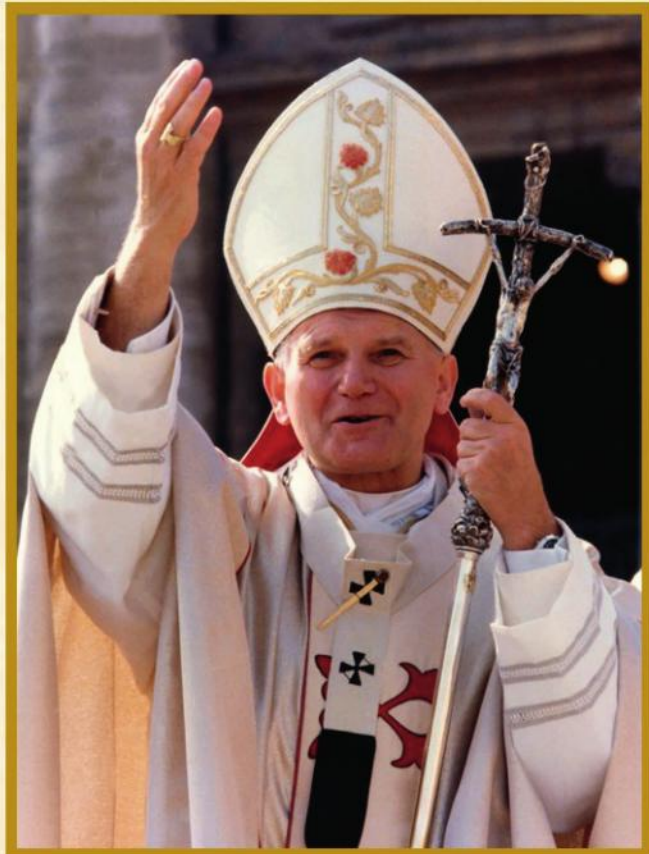


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Friday - Closed

MDG Rectory
215.739.0353
Summer Hours
Wednesday & Thursday
9:00am—12:00pm



SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 30, 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 29

VIGIL

4:00 pm MDG Luigi Filippini by Jo Ann Marino
5:30 pm N Joseph & Dorothy Fagan by Francine Fagan

SUNDAY, JULY 30

7:30 am SA † Stanisław Mardula 2r. śmierci of. córki
8:30 am SG Ann Szczepanski by Gary, Mary & Family
10:00 am N Kathy O'Neill by Anne Joyce
10:30 am SA † Marianna i Józef Bielawiec of rodzina
Bielawiec
11:30 am MDG Felicitas Theis by Valerie & Gary

MONDAY, JULY 31

7:30 am SA † Sławomir Kołakowski of. Celina i Zdzisław
Leśniewski
8:00 am MDG Father Martin Cioppi by Michael Topley

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

7:30 am SA o zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla
Małgorzaty i Józefa of. rodzina Bieniek
8:00 am N Happy Birthday George
by Eileen Sparagowski

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2

7:30 am SA † Zofia i Stanisław Saraczewscy of. dzieci
8:00 am MDG Argia Manso by Manso Family

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3

7:30 am SA † Frank Romanowski of. daughter Theresa
8:00 am N Salvatore & Margaret Sortino by Mike Sortino

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4

7:30 am SA † Helen Bubulka (7th Ann.) of. Theresa
Romanowski
8:00 am MDG Lisa & Gary Digman by Rosemarie Digman

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5

7:30 am SA † Helena Garbacz of. Danuta Pacuła
8:00 am N Michael Schwegel by Family

VIGIL

4:00 pm MDG Victoria Kucowski Zengolewicz
by Maureen Shousky
5:30 pm N Mr. & Mrs. Frank McMonagle

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

7:30 am SA w intencji Towarzystwa Różańca Św.
8:30 am SG Felix Sloger by daughter Nancy & Family
10:00 am N Cynthia Lieber by Harriet Koziela
10:30 am SA † Bessie Gielda of. Joe & Alice Burkacki
11:30 am MDG Jimmy McDonnell by McDonnell Family



PARISH WEEKLY SUPPORT

Sunday, July 16, 2023

SUNDAY COLLECTION \$ 9,880.00

E-GIVING: \$ 499.00

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2023 Eucharistic Congress

The Gift of Finest Wheat:
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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>



MASSES & CANDLES
 (Sanctuary, Mother of Divine Grace & Sacred Heart Candles)
 are available for remainder of 2023.
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 rectory@MotherDivineGrace.com.
 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.

LECTORS NEEDED AT MDG

If you are interested, please
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 www.weddingofthesea.org

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.

"We have been created for greater things, to love and be loved."

Mother Teresa

Eucharistic Revival – Join Us!

Scandal, division, disease, doubt. The Church has withstood each of these throughout our very human history. But today we confront all of them, all at once. Our response in this moment is pivotal. In the midst of these roaring waves, Jesus is present, reminding us that he is more powerful than the storm. He desires to heal, renew, and unify the Church and the world. How will he do it? By uniting us once again around the source and summit of our faith—the Holy Eucharist. The National Eucharistic Revival is the joyful, expectant, grassroots response of the entire Catholic Church in the U.S. to this divine invitation. Stay up to date on our local celebration of the Eucharistic Revival at phillyeucharisticrevival.org.

"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

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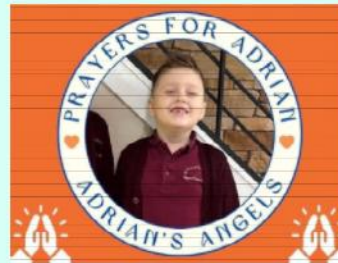
Facebook: Storm the Heavens Community Rosary

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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please remember in your prayers, the sick of the parish, especially Daniel Thompson, Claudia Miller, 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 Gocłowska, 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**

*"Lord, I love
 your commands."*

—Responsorial Psalm for Today

SANCTUARY LAMPS

July 30, 2023

St. Adalbert Church

Sanctuary Candle by Divine Mercy

Offered by family
In Loving Memory of
Edward & Dolores Milewski

Sanctuary Candle by Saint Joseph

Ofiarowana o łaskę uzdrowienia
dla Ryszarda



Mother of Divine Grace Church

Sanctuary Lamp

Blessings & Healing for Pat Grosso from her Sister

Mother of Divine Grace Candle

Mildred Izzi by Millie & Willie Smith

Sacred Heart Candle

Blessings for Fran.

Saint George Church

Sanctuary Lamp

In Loving Memory of Deceased Members of Podlinski Family
from 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

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Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased

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



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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.

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MATTHEW 13:44
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Saint John Vianney
Feast Day: August 2
(1786 – 1839) Priest.
Patron Saint of Confessors.



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Prayer for the Eucharistic Revival

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love You!
I beg pardon for those who do not believe, nor
adore, nor hope, nor love You. (Three times)

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
I adore You profoundly. I offer You the most
precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus
Christ, present in all the tabernacles of the world in
reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and
indifference by which He is offended.

And, through the infinite merits of the Sacred
Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary,
I beg of You the conversion of sinners.
Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us.

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From *the Eucharistic Celebration Homily*, (October 8, 1995)



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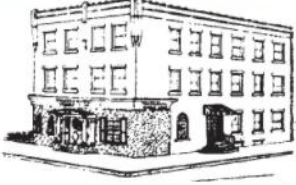
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