

# St. John Paul II Parish



The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

December 31, 2023

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

## PARISH WEEKLY SUPPORT

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30

#### VIGIL

4:00 pm MDG Victoria Kucowski Zengolewicz  
by Carol Orzechowicz  
5:30 pm N Kathleen O'Neill by Christopher & Marianna  
Magenta

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31

7:30 am SA † Mikołaj i Helena Reut of. córka  
8:30 am SG Peter Cesnakas by Family  
10:00 am N Neil J. Deegan by Anne Joyce  
10:30 am SA † Christmas Novena  
11:30 am MDG In Thanksgiving St. Joseph, Padre Pio,  
St. Jude

### MONDAY, JANUARY 1 MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

8:00 am MDG Nicholas Cassizzi, Sr. by Anthony & Rosanna  
10:30 am SA Christmas Novena

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 2

7:30 am SA † Andrzej Przesłański of. rodzina Stepków  
8:00 am N Leona Zatkina by Edward Uttian

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3

7:30 am SA † John J. Carver of. Barbara & Marty Hurd  
8:00 am MDG Joe Porter by Terry Wahl

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 4

7:30 am SA † Janina i Tadeusz Gabryszewscy of. dzieci z  
rodzinami  
8:00 am N Robert & Jean McCann by R. McCann

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 5

7:30 am SA † Emil i Józefa Wacura of. Irena  
8:00 am MDG Michael McKeon by Rose & Bill Pellegrini  
7:00 pm SA † Katarzyna Jezior

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 6

7:30 am SA † Wincenty i Maria Stanek of. Wiktoria Pietrucha  
8:00 am N Frank O'Neill by Stepka family

#### VIGIL

4:00 pm MDG Daniel Alfonso by Ann Casey & Family  
5:30 pm N All Archdiocesan Priests and Seminarians by  
Szparagowski Family

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 7

7:30 am SA w intencji Towarzystwa Różańca Świętego  
8:30 am SG Victoria Kucowski Zengolowicz by Jessica  
Glass Kendorski  
10:00 am N Peter & Catherine Costa by family  
10:30 am SA † Jan Zuraw of. córka Lidka z rodziną  
11:30 am MDG Domenick Pellegrini by Billy & Rose



**- CLERGY -**

**Rev. James Olson, Pastor**  
**Rev. Bindel-Mary Nnabuife, C.M.,**  
**Assistant**  
**Rev. Jan Palkowski, Senior Priest**  
**Rev. James Gorman, Resident-Retired**  
**Deacon Ralph J. Shirley**

**- OFFICE HOURS -**

**St. Adalbert Rectory**  
**215.739.3500**  
**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday**  
**9:00am—4:00pm**  
**Closed for lunch 12:00—1:00 pm**

**MDG Rectory**  
**215.739.0353**  
**Wednesday & Thursday**  
**8:30am—2:00pm**

### Sunday, December 17, 2023

SUNDAY COLLECTION	\$ 12,677.00
E-GIVING:	\$ 852.00
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St Adalbert St George Mother of Divine Grace Nativity BVM

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### ***The Women at the Well***

If you would like to be a part of our Parish Ladies Group — *Women at the Well*—please join us at our next meeting on Thursday, January 4th, 2:00 PM in the MDG Church Rectory at 2617 E. Cambria Street.

All Ladies of the Parish are welcome to join.

## SANCTUARY LAMPS

December 31, 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 uzdrowienie dla Ryszarda

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

Ofiarowana przez Krystynę z mężem

O Boże błogosławieństwo i łaskę zdrowia dla

Jadwigi Kraszewskiej

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

Ofiarowana przez siostrę

O łaskę uzdrowienia dla Edwarda

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

Ofiarowana przez siostrę z rodziną

O łaskę uzdrowienia dla Edwarda

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

Ofiarowana przez mamę

O łaskę uzdrowienia dla Edwarda

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

Ofiarowana przez żonę

O łaskę uzdrowienia dla Edwarda

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

Ofiarowana przez córkę z rodziną

Za śp. Halinę i Władysława Krzempek

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

Offered by Mary Goodwin

In Loving Memory of Zofia Suchoicka

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Saint John Paul II**

Ofiarowana przez dzieci

za śp. Witolda Suchoickiego

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Saint John Paul II**

Ofiarowana przez dzieci z rodzinami

za śp. Zofię Suchoicką

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

Ofiarowana przez Krystynę i Władka

Za śp. Zofie Suchoicką

### Mother of Divine Grace Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

Nicholas Cassizzi, Sr. from Billy & Rose Pellegrini

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

Pray for Peace

#### **Sacred Heart Candle**

Nicholas Cassizzi, Sr. from Fran & Dolores Lucano

### Nativity B.V.M. Church Christmas Candles

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

In Memory of the Deceased Lees & Whalen Families

#### **Blessed Mother Candle**

In Loving Memory of Joseph & Dorothy Fagan

In Loving Memory of Frank & Eleanor Skiendzielewski

#### **New Year's Candle**

In Loving Memory of Mr. & Mrs. Joseph J. Gordon, Sr.

### Saint George Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

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## Feast of the Holy Innocents



Fourth Day after Christmas  
December 28th

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## CONFESSION TIMES

### Saturdays:

Nativity B.V.M. Church: 11:30 a.m.

Mother of Divine Grace Church: 3:00 p.m.

St. Adalbert Church: 4:00 p.m.

Nativity B.V.M. Church: 4:30 p.m.

### Sundays:

St. George Church: after 8:30 a.m. Mass

upon request



## Sunday Rosary

### Live & Online Sunday Rosary

Facebook: Storm the Heavens Community Rosary

January 7—Nativity B.V.M.—7:00 pm

January 14—St. George—7:00 pm

January 21—St. Adalbert—7:00 pm

January 28—M.D.G.—7:00 pm

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### MODLITWA RÓŻAŃCOWA

Parafianie z wszystkich Kościołów w dzielnicy Port Richmond spotykają się co niedziela w innym kościele, aby odmawiać wspólnie Różaniec.

7 stycznia —Nativity B.V.M.—7:00 pm

14 stycznia —St. George—7:00 pm

21 stycznia—St. Adalbert—7:00 pm

28 stycznia —M.D.G.—7:00 pm

Różaniec będzie transmitowany na żywo na facebooku i youtube

## Sick & Shut-in



**Please Pray for our Parish Sick, especially Lisa Olson, Joseph Evans The Snead Family, & Shut Ins & Their Caregivers.**

## Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased



*Please remember in your prayers:*

**Thomas DiMascio  
All Deceased Members  
of the Parish,  
All Family Members,**

## ST. JOHN-PAUL II PARISH CARING FOR CARE-GIVERS 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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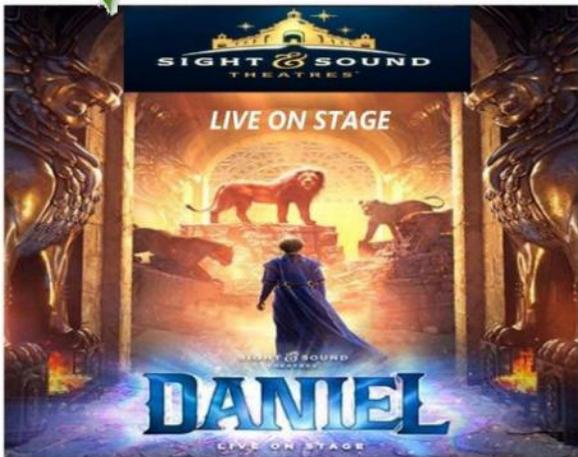
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## Prayer for the Feast of the Holy Family

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, like you we are members of the Father's family. We pray that our family love may reflect his love on its openness to all people. May we forgive even when not forgiven, and be patient with others' weaknesses.

Jesus, give us peace, unit and strength to meet the difficulties of daily living. May we use our family resources to improve the quality of life for ourselves and all people. Let us show joy in serving, for whatever we do for others, we do for you.

Mary, inspire us, that our love may be strong but not possessive. Let our willingness to give depend on the needs of others rather than on the cost of giving.



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