

# SAINT PAUL



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Schedule of Masses

Saturday: 9 am

Saturday Eve: 5 pm (Sunday Obligation)

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9 am, 10:30 am, & 12 pm

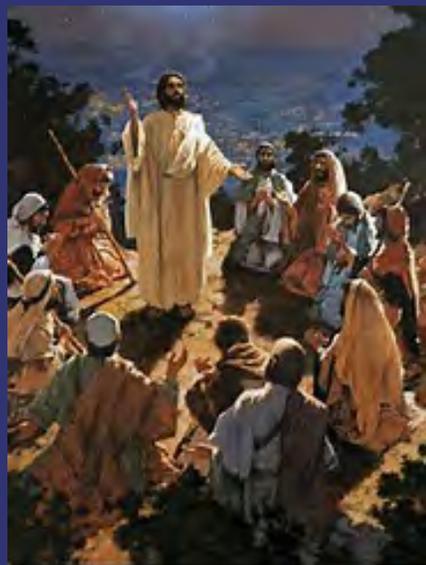
Weekdays: Monday-Friday 7:30 am & 12 pm

Holy Days: 7:30 am, Noon & 7:30 pm

National Holidays: 9:00 am

Spanish Mass: 7:00 pm, Second Saturday Each Month

Jesus said to his apostles:



*"Whoever loves father  
or mother more than  
me is not worthy of me,  
and whoever loves son  
or daughter more than  
me is not worthy of me;  
and whoever does not  
take up his cross and  
follow after me is not  
worthy of me.*

*Whoever finds his life  
will lose it, and  
whoever loses his life  
for my sake will find it.*

*The Parish is Served by*

*Rev. John Gabriel, Pastor*

*Rev. Paul Houlis, Parochial Vicar*

*Rev. Stefano Hong, Parochial Vicar*

*Mr. Tom Flanagan, Deacon*

*Mr. Jeremiah K. Rehse, Deacon*

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**JULY 2, 2017**

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY, July 3**

7:30AM Novena of Masses

**TUESDAY, July 4**

9:00AM Nick Lauerwald ~ *The O'Brien Family*

**WEDNESDAY, July 5**

7:30AM Novena of Masses

**THURSDAY, July 6**

7:30AM Hank Karlewicz ~ *The Laggan Family*

**FRIDAY, July 7**

7:30AM Harry Bradley ~ *Elizabeth Bradley*

**SATURDAY, July 8**

9:00AM Nancy A. Barone ~ *Bill Bella*

5:00PM Carmella & Edward Bilotti ~ *The Schifano Family*

7:00PM Spanish Mass

**SUNDAY, July 9 ~ Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30AM Alice Orloff ~ *Joe & Cathy Lynch*

9:00AM Deceased Members of Holy Name Society

10:30AM People of the Parish

12:00PM Helen Minissale ~ *JoAnne Hickey*

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION – Friday, July 7th – 7:00pm-8:00pm

In honor of our Parish observance of the First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration will be held in the church on **Friday, July 7th** from 7:00 to 8:00 pm. Our First Friday Holy Hours begin with the Rosary, include time for personal prayer and adoration, and conclude with the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and Benediction.

*Take advantage of the slower pace of summer – and spend some time in prayer and adoration of Our Lord, Jesus. All are welcome!*

Extended Eucharistic Adoration is also held on the third Monday of each month from 12:30-7:30pm. Please consider volunteering as a Scheduled OR Substitute Adorer for any of the one-hour sessions between 12:30 and 7:30pm. A sign-up sheet is located in the Penance Room of the Church.



## PARISH CENTER SUMMER HOURS

**THROUGH LABOR DAY**

**Monday ~ Thursday:** 9:00am to 4:00 pm

**Friday:** 9:00am to Noon

**Saturday:** 9:00am to 1:00pm

**Sunday:** Closed

## DEVOTIONS AND MEMORIALS

*To have a loved one remembered please call  
the Parish Center  
Sanctuary Lamp ~  
Bread and Wine*



### SANCTUARY LAMP

**William Weir** ~ *John O'Hagan*

### ALTAR BREADS

**Kevin Houlis** ~ *Rosemary Pizzuta*

### ALTAR WINE

**William Weir** ~ *John O'Hagan*

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### Military

All the women & men who serve in our armed forces.

### Sick

Baby Tommy Fitzpatrick, Michael Mulryan, Mary Magnani, Gerard O'Donovan, Elizabeth McCarten, & Deacon Jerry Rehse.

For those names that are listed on the altar.

### Deceased

Anthony J. Del Colliano



SUMMER  
Mass  
Schedule

There will be:

**One Daily Mass at 7:30 am  
Monday through Friday  
until Tuesday, September 5**

The weekend Mass schedule will remain the same with a:

**Vigil Mass Saturday at 5:00 pm and  
Sunday Masses at 7:30am, 9:00am,  
10:30am and Noon.**



The Parish Center is closed on Tuesday, July 4th in observance of the Independence Day holiday

## FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parish Family,

For nine years I had the privilege and joy of being the pastor of St. Thomas More Church in Fairfield. St. Thomas More parish is much smaller than St. Paul (less than half our size) but it is a community with a large heart. It was there that I had the time and opportunity to learn more about the life of the great *St. Thomas More!* Although he lived in England more than five hundred years ago, his life has so much to teach us today about what it means to be a Catholic within a culture that is increasingly suspicious of beliefs (even traditional ones) that are different than its own. In his time, Catholics did not have the luxury to be lukewarm: they were either with Christ and His Church or they were against it. And, unfortunately, to be with Christ and His Church was a dangerous place to be when the supreme authority of the day, in this case King Henry VIII, would stop at nothing to redefine what he felt like redefining so that he could have his way. At issue: the King's desire to divorce his wife of over twenty years (Queen Catherine of Aragon) so that he could marry his mistress (Anne Boleyn). To do so, Henry would turn the world upside down! When the pope refused his request for an annulment, Henry created his own church in England and set himself up as the head. Each of his subjects had to swear fidelity to the King and his new role as supreme head of the Church. It was crucial to the King that Thomas More, as Chancellor of England and popular with the people as a person of learning and true holiness, sign the oath of fidelity to the King. When Thomas refused, he was arrested and sent to the Tower of London where he was beheaded for his faith at the same spot on Tower Green where the King's second wife, Queen Anne Boleyn would also be beheaded the next year when Henry tired of her (having his eye on his third wife, Jane Seymour). All told, Henry would have six wives, two of whom he would behead, one died in childbirth, and one outlived the King. But his actions would create many decades of suffering and division for the English people, especially English Catholics and the priests who ministered to them in hiding, often martyred for their faith. On the day of his execution, 6 July 1535, Thomas More said *"I die the King's good servant, but God's first."* Centuries later, Pope St. John Paul II would declare St. Thomas More the patron saint of politicians and lawyers. Today his life, as an example of the proper relationship between faith and civic duty, is more relevant than ever. If you want to see a great film (one of the best ever made) watch *"A Man For All Seasons"* on the life of St. Thomas More.

When King Henry VIII demanded that all the Catholic bishops in England sign his oath, they all did so except one: his name was *Bishop John Fisher*. He too was arrested and executed a few days before St. Thomas More. Today the two share one feastday: *St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More are celebrated on June 22<sup>nd</sup>* each year. During my time as pastor of St. Thomas More Church, we determined the church was in need of new doors—the old metal ones were clunky and not at all attractive. On one of the side doors of the church we commissioned a glass door with an original etching of St. John Fisher, figuring that there should be something commemorating this wonderful saint in the church dedicated to his friend St. Thomas More. After installing the door, we noticed something strange: at certain times of the year, at certain times of day, the sun would cast the figure of St. John Fisher on the church's far wall, and a life-size image of St. John Fisher would appear inside the church. As the sun moved, the figure would process down the wall all the way to the altar! This phenomenon still occurs at St. Thomas More Church to this very day. It continues to be a beautiful reminder that the saints, ever faithful to the Christ they loved, drew their strength from the altar. There in Holy Communion they received the graces they needed to live lives of faith and heroic love. Before his execution, the family of Bishop John Fisher came to his cell and tried to persuade him to sign the King's oath. *"Just sign it and then believe whatever you want, it will save your life,"* they coaxed him. John Fisher responded, *"Let me ask you one question, and if you can answer this question I will sign: 'What does it profit a man to gain the whole world and lose his soul in the process?'"* When his family could not answer the question, St. John Fisher went to his death. Thomas More and John Fisher would agree: Catholics of every time and age are called to be faithful and productive citizens of whatever society and nation in which they live. But when the demands of public fidelity and cultural pressure begin to encroach on a person's conscience and religious sensibilities, God has to win. As citizens of earthly kingdoms, we owe a certain fidelity to Caesar. But as citizens of a heavenly kingdom, we place God and his demands on our lives and our thoughts as paramount. *May the prayers of Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More gain us wisdom and courage.*

*In His love,  
Father John*

## RESPECT LIFE / THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

LET US PRAY: Lord, God, may we all come to see – *as you see* – the precious gift of life that you grant.

“I knew you before I formed you in your mother's womb.

Before you were born I set you apart and appointed you as my prophet to the nations.”

Jeremiah 1:5

Mother Teresa said, “The baby in the womb is the beautiful creation of God, created in His image and likeness for greater things ... to love and to be loved. The baby in the womb, being so small, so weak, so dependent and so unable to defend its life, is the poorest of the poor.”

The Respect Life Ministry invites *your* participation in helping the poorest of the poor. Our next meeting will be planning for “Respect Life Month” this October :

**Tues. July 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm  
in the Church meeting room, behind the altar.  
Encourage your teen and young adult children to  
become involved in this ministry!**

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If you know of any one suffering from an abortion experience, there are resources available, such as Rachel's Vineyard Retreats, sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark. The next retreat is scheduled for Sept. 8-10, 2017. Contact Cheryl Riley: rileyche@rcan.org, or call 973-497-4350. All calls and emails are confidential.

## BAPTISMS

**The Christian Community  
St Paul Church  
joyfully welcomes the children  
baptized in the month of**

**June 2017**

**Madison Ann Viole**, daughter of Patricia & Christopher

**Valentina Polverino**, daughter of Gina & Sandro

**Viena Gabriella Garrison**, daughter of Cynthia & Christopher

**Sophia Scanlan**, daughter of Belen & Ryan

**Cameron Quinn Holl**, daughter of Meghan & Joseph

**Dominic Michael Casale**, son of Dana & Carmen

**Gray Rocco Pregiato**, son of Lauren & Francis

**Victoria Susan Negley**, daughter of Jennifer & Michael

## CELEBRATE THE 100<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

**On July 13, 1917** –Our Lady of Fatima appeared to the young seers of Fatima for the third time, and gave the core of her message, which consisted of three secrets, and blended many serious warnings with a promise of hope in the victory of her Immaculate Heart. Our Lady guided the children, saying: “Sacrifice yourselves for sinners, and say many times, especially whenever you make any sacrifice: ‘O Jesus, it is for love of You, for the conversion of sinners, and in reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary.’ ”

**Join Fr. James Manos at our next  
Evening of Prayer & Reflection  
on the Fatima message**

**Thursday, July 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm in the Church**

*Learn the message .... Live the message .... Spread the message!*



## You Can Play an Important Role in St Paul's Stephen Ministry . . .



. . . Because you may know of a friend, neighbor, co-worker, or relative who is going through a difficult time and who could benefit from the focused care, encouragement, and support of a Stephen Minister. If you know of someone who is hurting, St Paul's Stephen Ministry provides confidential, one-on-one faith filled support. Stephen Ministers are trained care-givers who listen, pray, encourage and offer the love of Christ during times of need. **Contact Anne Palladino at [annaitalia20@aol.com](mailto:annaitalia20@aol.com).** She will talk with you about how we can connect the person you know with one of our Stephen Ministers. It's a great way for you to show how much you care!

## What Makes a Great Catholic Family? Why Do We Have to Go to Mass?

Find out the **answers** to these questions in **10 minutes or less**. Check out the **NEW PAMPHLETS** on the kiosk located this week at the main entrance to the church. Other topics include:

On Love in the Family  
Five Ways to Prepare for Mass

See also our selection of CDs.

If possible, donations of \$.50 for Pamphlets and \$3 for CDs are suggested to help defray the cost and may be placed in the slot at the bottom right of the kiosk.

## SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS ANNUAL APPEAL

173 parishioners have made a sacrificial pledge to the 2017 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal totaling \$65,352.00. Our parish has reached 56.33% of our goal. Please make a generous pledge today and help us reach our financial goal.

## STEWARDSHIP TREASURE

**WEEKEND of June 24 – 25**  
**\$18,787.00**

**\$12,086.00 Collection**  
**\$6,701.00 from Faith Direct**

Visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our church code: NJ654 to sign up for Online Giving.  
Thank you for your continued support.

## CAN YOU DONATE A CAR?



If anyone could possibly donate a car for a parishioner. It doesn't need to be fancy, but it is important that it be safe. We will provide you with a receipt for tax purposes. If you think you can help, please call Eileen Wimberger at 201-825-0413.

## SOCIAL CONCERN

**Food Certificate Program** - St Paul Food Certificate Program currently aids 50 local families per month by supplementing their incomes with the donation of a food certificate. Donations towards purchasing food certificates are greatly needed as we have seen an increase in need for local families and a decrease in funds for the program. Shoprite of Ramsey offers the Parish a 5% bulk discount when purchasing our monthly allotment of food certificates. Your contribution will help us to continue our efforts in supporting local families in need. Please make checks payable to St Paul Parish and indicate Food Certificate Program in the memo section. If you have any questions regarding this program, please contact Eileen Wimberger at 201-825-0413.

**Food Pantry** - The St Paul Food Pantry is supported through generous donations from St Paul parishioners. The pantry is located in the front vestibule of the church and is available for all in the community in need. The Food Pantry is open on **Tuesday's from 11:30am - 12:00pm**. Please contact the Parish Center at 201-327-0976 if you need to make special arrangements to access the Food Pantry. Place all food donations in the wooden donation boxes located at the side entrances of the church. We are always in need of the following items:

Juice, Ice Tea Mix, Snacks/Cookies/Crackers, White Rice, Canned Meat (Tuna, Chicken, Ham), Can Fruit (Peaches, Pears, Fruit Cocktail), Cereal, Peanut Butter, Spaghetti Sauce, Pancake Mix, Syrup, Soup, Canned Vegetables (No Peas Please), Paper Products (Tissues, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels), Bath Products (Soap, Shampoo, Deodorant, Toothpaste), Coffee and Tea. **Please no perishable items...**

**School Supplies** - Each Year the committee collects school supplies for less fortunate children in our area and Archdiocese. Barely able to have essential food and clothing, it means a lot to these children to be able to bring just a few new items to school. We will collect the items from August 5<sup>th</sup> through August 27<sup>th</sup>. Bins will be located at the doors of the church. If you are able, please purchase sets of crayons, markers, notebooks, pens, pencils, backpacks, etc. when you are shopping for your own children or grandchildren. It's a great opportunity to share with those less fortunate.



## FAITH FORMATION

Enrollment in the St. Paul Faith Formation Program is offered to all registered parishioners who participate in the sacramental life of the church and most especially Sunday Eucharist. The Program is open to all Parish children in Kindergarten through Grade 8, who are not in Catholic School.

Our goal is to give the children the opportunity to build their faith which is grounded in God's love, family experience, the witness of others and is brought to fruition as we celebrate as a parish family of faith, especially when we celebrate the Eucharist.



The Adults and Children Together Program (ACT) meets on Sunday Mornings once per month. This gives families the opportunity to attend Faith Formation as

an entire family. Children in grades Kindergarten through grade 8 are welcome to enroll in this program. There are two program times offered to help families with scheduling, one group meets at 8:15 am and the other at 10:15 am.

The children gather and break out into peer groups with a Catechist, while the parents/adults have their own faith gathering.

The Faith in Action Program is more of a "traditional" program model.

Grades 1 through 4 will meet on Mondays after school from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm. Grades 5 through 8 will meet on Monday evenings from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Most of the curriculum is covered in the classroom setting and facilitated by trained, volunteer Catechists.

To register in our Parish Faith Formation program please contact the office at 201-327-8010 or via email at [faithformation@stpaulrchurch.org](mailto:faithformation@stpaulrchurch.org).



Please like and give the St. Paul Faith Formation Ramsey NJ Facebook page a thumbs up.

Prayers, Catholic news and announcements are posted on the page on a regular basis.

<https://www.facebook.com/St-Paul-Faith-Formation-Ramsey-NJ-737477742985941/>

## INCOMING 9TH GRADE CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES



The incoming 9th Grade Confirmation Candidates just received their Confirmation t-shirts. They will be around and about our Parish and community performing various acts of service. As they follow in the footsteps of Jesus, serving others and wearing their t-shirts, they will display to the community they belong to the community of believers here at our Parish and are confident and proud of being Catholic!

The Candidates look forward to being recognized and love taking pictures while wearing the shirt.



## SAVE THE DATE



## YOUTH MINISTRY



### YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS RESUME IN SEPTEMBER!

*"St. Paul's Youth Group is a place for friends to gather and use the teachings of Jesus Christ to enrich our community, peers, and self. With a focus on honesty, integrity, and community, we aim to reach others through prayer, service, and living the Gospels in everyday action."*

Our High School program (9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grade) is a great place for youth to relax, meet new friends, talk about faith, family, and friends, as well as the pressures of being a teen. There are opportunities for community service and retreats as well as events just for fun!

Announcements about the many activities planned for our Youth Group are listed on our website and here in the parish bulletin.

#### **Up Coming Events:**

#### **Camping Retreat**

July 14 - 16

As the school year approaches, watch this section for an overview and description of the many events, community service opportunities, and retreats that we sponsor during the year.

#### **Check Out Our Website!**

Go to [www.StPaulRCChurch.org](http://www.StPaulRCChurch.org), scroll over "Ministries", and click on "Youth Ministry" to get information about meetings, retreats, events, community service, and all the fun activities we do every year!

## PARISH SCHOOL NEWS



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Website: [www.academyofstpaul.org](http://www.academyofstpaul.org)

**Academy of St Paul is our parish school! Make a Catholic education a priority for your family.**

Academy of Saint Paul, a 2015 National Blue Ribbon School, provides academic excellence in an atmosphere of love and Catholic Christian values through scholarship, spirituality and service. Our rigorous curriculum and exemplary teachers prepare our students to take their place as faith-filled stewards in the Church and the world. Let us partner with you in your child's school success and in the development of their Catholic identity. Call 201-327-1108 to arrange a tour. For more information, visit [www.academyofstpaul.org](http://www.academyofstpaul.org).

## ST. PAUL WATERING TEAM LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS



If you love caring for plants and flowers and you're looking for a way to help out at St. Paul Parish, consider joining the Watering Team! This ministry is charged with helping to keep the Sanctuary beautiful and fresh by caring for the plants and floral arrangements inside the Church. Teams are scheduled every 4 or 5 weeks. Interested? Contact the Parish Office at 201-327-0976.

## MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

I loved the wedding. Invite me to the marriage. Love, God. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can help you do that! Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—focus only on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth, and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can make! For more information, contact Janet and Mike Turco at 973-427-7016 or 609-3335-6880 ([njwwme@peoplepc.com](mailto:njwwme@peoplepc.com)) or go to [nnjwwme.org](http://nnjwwme.org).

# July

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						<p>1</p> <p>Bless each child this morning before the day's activities start.</p>
<p>2</p> <p>After Mass today, write a family prayer to say every Sunday this summer.</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Marvel at God's creation. Catch fireflies in a jar, then watch them fly away.</p>	<p>4</p> <p><b>Happy 4th of July!</b> Offer a family prayer for troops overseas.</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Practice listening and show love by giving others your full attention.</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Make up a story and let everyone add to it. Give it a happy ending.</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Attend First Friday Mass or Benediction as a family.</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Beat the heat with a family water fight complete with water balloons, squirt guns, and the garden hose.</p>
<p>9</p> <p>Listen carefully to the homily at Mass today and name something you each learned.</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Pick a person or event in the news and devote a family prayer to it.</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Visit the library together and check out a good book...or two or three.</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Set up a prayer place in your home using a pillow, a crucifix, a candle, and a Bible.</p>	<p>13</p> <p><b>forgive</b> Say "I forgive you" to someone who hurt you today.</p>	<p>14</p> <p>In honor of St. Kateri Tekakwitha, a Native American, go on a nature walk.</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Donate extra clothes, books, and toys to a local charity.</p>
<p>16</p> <p>Share God's love by inviting another parish family to Sunday lunch after Mass today.</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Read about one of the saints. Ask him or her to pray for your family.</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Stargaze. Lie on a blanket in your backyard together and gaze at the night sky.</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Make a card for someone who needs cheering up.</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Let one person choose a prayer for the whole family to say together.</p>	<p>21</p> <p><b>FAMILY FUN NIGHT</b> Pop popcorn and get out the board games, sing songs, or watch movies.</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Attend Confession as a family, then have ice-cream afterwards to celebrate God's mercy!</p>
<p>23</p> <p>Watch closely at Mass for something cool you haven't seen before.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Host a family tournament with a board game of your choice. The winner picks dinner.</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Pray for all the foreign missions today.</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Celebrate the feast of Sts. Joachim and Anne, Jesus' grandparents.</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Pick a story from the Old Testament and read it together at bedtime.</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Make a time capsule and have everyone contribute something. Open it at the end of summer.</p>	<p>29</p> <p>In honor of St. Martha, clean the house and share a special meal.</p>
<p>30</p> <p>Stay behind after Mass and admire the stained glass windows. Talk about what they mean.</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Have a picnic in your own backyard or on the living room floor!</p>					

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## SUPPORT GROUPS FOR PARENTS GRIEVING THE DEATH OF A CHILD

The needs of parents who have suffered the loss of a son or daughter are unique. The Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark sponsors support groups for Parents Grieving the Death of a Child. The groups are led by trained facilitators - parents who have personally experienced the death of a child. Groups meet at:

St. Thomas the Apostle Church  
Parish Center  
60 Byrd Avenue, Bloomfield  
First Wednesday of each month  
7:30pm (July and August is 7:00pm)

St. Peter the Apostle Church  
Rectory Basement  
445 Fifth Avenue, River Edge  
Third Monday of each month  
7:30pm

There is no fee to participate and pre-registration is not needed. Please call Lauren Egan at 973-497-4327 or email [lauren.egan@rcan.org](mailto:lauren.egan@rcan.org) for further information.

REGISTER at: [www.wydunite.com](http://www.wydunite.com)

#wydUNITE

Early bird registration discount ends June 30<sup>th</sup>!

Reserve your FREE seat on the Archdiocese of Newark's bus by visiting [www.newarkoym.com](http://www.newarkoym.com)



World Youth Day UNITE is a national young adult (18 to 39) and young family festival

# WYD UNITE

The Mighty One has done great things for me;  
And holy is His name - Luke 1:49

## Saturday, July 22

### 11:30 AM - 10:00 PM

at the Saint John Paul II National Shrine

In the case of rain, outdoor events will take place inside the Saint John Paul II National Shrine.

Inspiring talks, amazing worship, a unity walk with Mary, dinner, entertainment, and an incredible experience of Eucharistic Adoration

*Featuring the music of:*



Audrey Assad



Tony Melendez

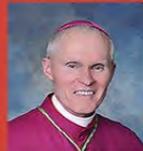
*Bishops and Speakers:*



Cardinal Donald Wuerl  
Archbishop of Washington



Bishop Frank J. Caggiano  
Bishop of Bridgeport



Bishop Mark E. Brennan  
Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore



Bishop Nelson J. Perez  
Auxiliary Bishop of Rockville Center

HOSTED BY: Archdiocese of Washington, Archdiocese of Baltimore, Diocese of Arlington, Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Catholic Apostolate Center, FOCUS, St. Mary's Youth and Young Adult Ministry, Dominican Province of St. Joseph, Knights of Columbus, and Saint John Paul II National Shrine

To learn more about the day, about our FREE transportation we are providing and to register visit the Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry's website at [www.newarkoym.com](http://www.newarkoym.com) or contact Rich Donovan at 201-998-0088 x 4150 for more information.

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## MISSION STATEMENT

*We are Catholic Christians  
who embrace the plan of God for our salvation.*

*We come together in faith  
to worship in a loving community.*

*We are moved by the Holy Spirit  
to witness to the life, death, and  
resurrection of Jesus Christ.*

*We wish to live out the vision of Jesus  
expressed in the Beatitudes  
as it unfolds in our daily life,  
through time, talent and treasure.*

## SACRAMENT INFORMATION

### Baptism

Parents, please contact the Parish Center during the pregnancy, or prior to adoption, to begin preparing for your child's baptism.

### Penance

Saturdays 1:00-2:00 pm or by appointment.

### Marriage

Arrangements must be made one year in advance.

### Anointing of the Sick

At two special Eucharistic Liturgies in Church during the year. Visitation of the sick at home any time.

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

For those interested in becoming a Catholic. Call the Parish Center for information.