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Mass Schedule:

Saint Anne Church

Every day: 8:00 a.m.

Tuesdays: 8:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Saturdays (Vigil): 4:00 p.m.

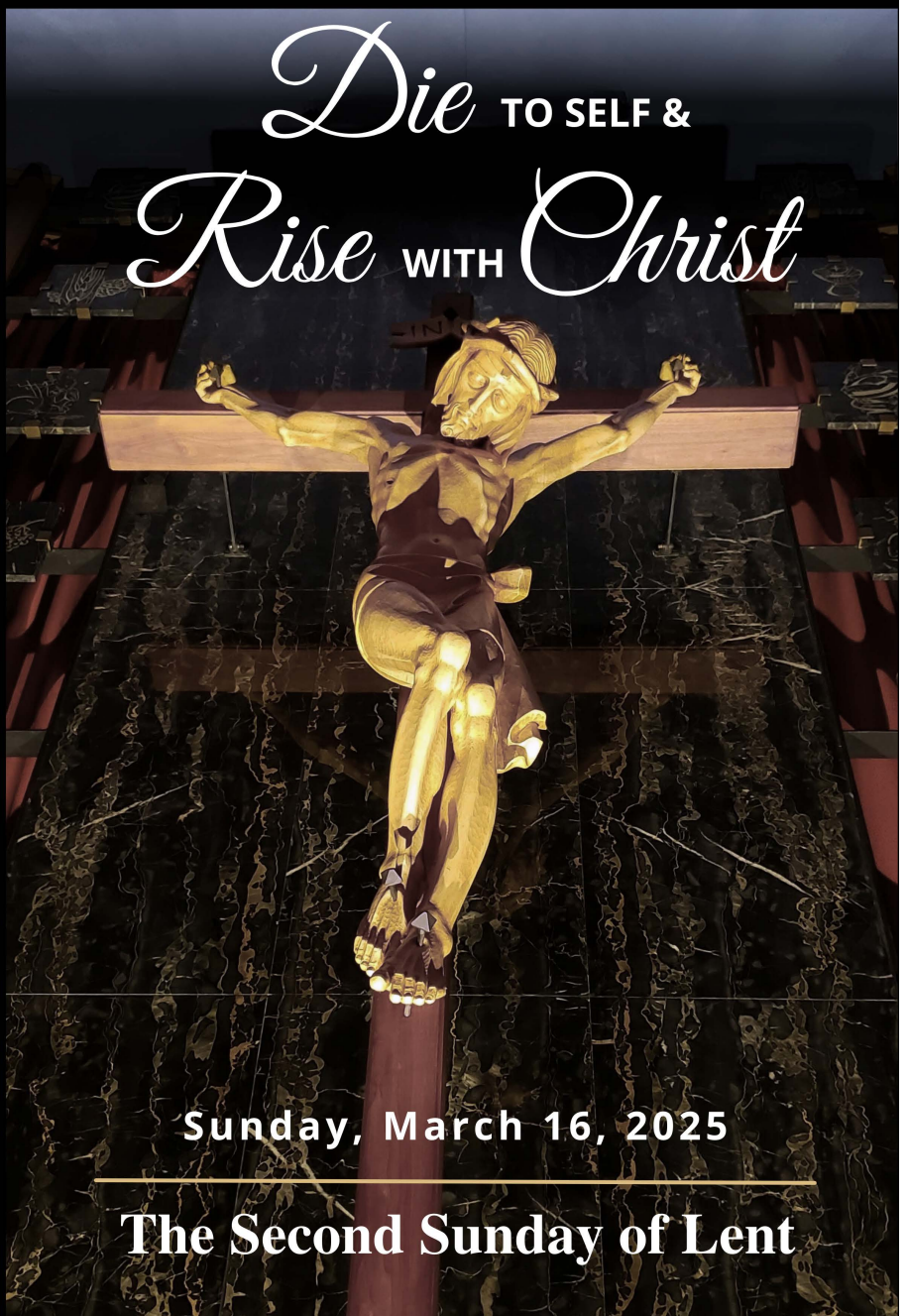
Sundays: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
and 6:00 p.m.

Saint Winifred Church

M, W, F : 8:45 a.m.

Saturdays (Vigil): 5:30 p.m.

Sundays: 11:30 a.m.



Confessions:

Saint Anne Church

Tuesdays: 5:15 - 6:15 PM

Saturdays: 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

Saint Winifred Church

Saturdays: 4:45 PM - 5:15 PM

**Eucharistic Adoration:**

Saint Anne Church

Tuesdays, after the 8:00 AM mass,
with Benediction at 6:15 PM.

Divine Mercy Holy Hour:

Saint Anne Church

Tuesdays, at 3:00 PM

Mass Intentions

Monday, March 17, 2025

8:00 AM (St. A) Patricia Sharek, *requested by John & Leslie*

8:45 AM (St. W) Mary Kelly, *requested by Janet Milkovich*

Tuesday, March 18, 2025

8:00 AM (St. A) Jackie Alaimo (AD), *requested by Gary & Mary Ann Petrucci*

6:30 PM (St. A) Richard Luffy (BR), *requested by his daughter, Susan*

Wednesday, March 19, 2025

8:00 AM (St. A) Ambyre Ann Daniel, *requested by her Mom & Dad*

8:45 AM (St. W) Melissa Frame, *requested by Madeleine Troppe*

Thursday, March 20, 2025

8:00 AM (St. A) William Barrett, *requested by Bernadette Puzzuole*

Friday, March 21, 2025

8:00 AM (St. A) John Gerber, *requested by his Mom & Dad*

8:45 AM (St. W) Lois Helferty, *requested by The Maloney Family*

Saturday, March 22, 2025

8:00 AM (St. A) Harry Charles Mavrinac (BR), *requested by Paul Mavrinac*

4:00 PM (St. A) Richard Erny, *requested by his wife, Gerry*

5:30 PM (St. W) Jim Johnson & Barbara Shock, *requested by Chris Durkin*

Sunday, March 23, 2025

8:00 AM (St. A) John Faber, *requested by The Faber Family*

10:00 AM (St. A) Matthew Greenaway, *requested by Patty Greenaway*

11:30 AM (St. W) For the People of the Parish

6:00 PM (St. A) Michael McKenzie, *requested by The Daugherty Family*



In your prayers please also remember to pray for **Denis Robert Nill** and
all the deceased members of Saint Paul of the Cross Parish.

From the Pastor

Sacramental Milestones

Without a doubt, the first reason a parish exists is to see to it that the Sacraments are administered to parishioners in a reverent and worthy manner, because they are encounters with Jesus Christ, our reason for being.

We congratulate and pray for the following young parishioners who will receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Reconciliation in the days ahead:



Celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation

Kolton Battung	Kelly Hyrb
Stella Cable	Dominic Jackman
Adriana Coulehan	Avery Lieu
Emilio Danley	Christian Luke
Grace Dasta	Mason Mahouski
Gavin DelSignore	Grace Masilunas
Owen Derda	Libby Michalski
Aaron Diggs	Kylee Michalski
Santana Diggs	Lillian Perri
Cole Donnelly	Georgia Plesco
Jacob Fate	John Poppert
Finley Fedak	Ryan Rager
Lily Fetzko	Megan Richardson
Garin Goob	Jacquelyn Rowles
Elias Halvas	Maia Strinden
Kaelynn Herrle	Violet Weber

Celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Ryker Anderson	John Kokkinos
Jerusalem Aung	Ava Kuntz
Francisco Bellini	David Larson, Jr.
Nunzio Bofo	William Lindsey
Dominick Calabro	Xander Little
Charlotte Chung	Santino Littlejohn - Pope
Brooke Cetnarowski	Anthony Mastrangioli
Ava Evans	Adeline Nayden
Evelyn Fashandi	Hailene Nguyen
Locklyn Fedak	Andrew Nickman
Angelo Fello	Cailyn Nowak
Eva Gides	Matthew Palcho
Leah Glock	Jeffrey Pearson
Christian Golembiewski	Mitchell Poppert
Jackson Gottermeyer	Mariana Prince
Clayton Gottermeyer	Annalise Roman
Logan Grab	Madeline Schmitt
Emma Greco	Conor Steedley
Brieley Hunt	Willa Sully
Aubrionna Jacobs	Mikayah Szoszorek
Zola Jaquay	Riley Tague
Ellis Joyce	Reese Turko
Cameron Kapolka	Cecilia Will
Brenna Karolak	Ben Worthy
Nathaniel Kernion	

Reminders:

There is a mandatory Confirmation rehearsal in Saint Anne church on Thursday, March 20th, at 6:00 PM.

*Due to Confirmation, **Confessions will NOT be heard on Saturday, March 22nd** at 11:00 AM in Saint Anne church.*



Confessions are heard at the following times:

Saint Anne Church:
Tuesdays: 5:15 - 6:15 PM
Saturdays: 11:00 - 11:45 AM

Saint Winifred Church:
Saturdays: 4:45 - 5:15 PM

Wednesday, April 9 at 6:00 PM
in St. Anne church

Monday, April 14 at 6:00 PM
in St. Anne church with
several priests on site.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is offered at the following times.

Saint Anne Church: Tuesdays, after the 8:00 AM mass, with a **Divine Mercy Holy Hour at 3:00 PM** and Benediction at 6:15 PM

Saint Winifred Church: Thursdays, from 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM (when SHCA is in session)

Stations of the Cross

Saint Anne Church: Fridays of Lent at 6:30 PM

Saint Winifred church: Wednesdays & Fridays of Lent (except during Holy Week) at 1:00 PM

Parish News



Choral Vespers **Sunday, March 30th** **5:00 PM in St Anne church**

Please consider joining us for a Holy Hour featuring Choral Vespers, Adoration, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Mass at 6:00 PM will immediately follow the Holy Hour.

What Is Vespers?

Vespers is the liturgy of evening prayer, one of the canonical hours of the Catholic Church. The word vesper translates to "evening" in Latin. Our Vespers liturgy will be prayed in the context of a Holy Hour, which will include Adoration, chanted psalms and canticles, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Why Attend Vespers?

When we pray the Liturgy of the Hours, we are able to unite ourselves in prayer to Christ Himself. Attending and praying Vespers helps us to fulfill Jesus' command to "pray always" (Luke 18:1). In a special way, evening prayer helps us to express gratitude for the day that has passed and makes an evening sacrifice of praise to God. The Liturgy of the Hours is like an extension of the Eucharistic celebration. Our Vespers liturgy will provide you with an additional opportunity for prayer as part of your Lenten sacrifice.



Easter Flower Memorials

Envelopes for the annual Easter Flower offering are included in your envelope packet and will be available soon at the entrances of the churches. You can make a donation in memory or honor of someone or make a donation in your own name. Please make sure to print the names clearly on the envelope. You can make a flower donation through Faith Direct as well. Look in their "annual collection" section. Please remember to indicate who the donation is for in the note section beneath the donation field. The flower memorials will be published in a bulletin during the Easter season.

Parish Offertory March 9, 2025

Offertory: \$ 15,959.58

Utilities: \$405.30



Baptisms

Last weekend,
Maci Jade Menosky
daughter of
Steven and Alissa Menosky
received the Sacrament of
Baptism.
Please pray for Maci,
her parents
and Godparents.

Calling all Bakers!!

The Fish Fry committee is looking for donations of baked goods. Individually, pre-wrapped items or bulk baked items can be dropped off to the former St. Anne School cafeteria between 9:00 AM and Noon on all the Fridays of Lent. Thank you so much for your support.



Saint Vincent de Paul Food Drive

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul of St. Paul of the Cross Parish will be collecting your donations for the Food Drive this weekend. If you forgot your donation, you can drop off your contributions to their truck, parked at St. Anne's church from 3:00 PM Saturday until 6:00 PM Sunday. Cash contributions are welcome and checks can be made payable to St. Paul of the Cross SVDP.

Thank you in advance for supporting both the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the St. Winifred Food Pantry.

The second collection on 3/16/2025 will support the Saint Paul of the Cross Youth Ministry.

Ministry Announcements

The Militia of the Immaculata



The Militia of the Immaculata will join the Substance Addiction Ministry this Tuesday, and every third Tuesday of the month, at 5:45 PM in St. Anne Church to pray a rosary in front of the image of St. Maximilian Kolbe. The Militia of the Immaculata encourages total consecration to the

Blessed Virgin Mary. February's Intention for daily renewal is "That our every action may spring from love of God and neighbor and build peace." For more information visit militaoftheimmaculata.com or contact Sharon Dare, moderator 412-833-7562

Lenten Programs for Adults

● *The Miracle Box*- Tuesday, March 18, 7:15 PM, Convent Dining Room (video)
Follow dramatic true stories that reveal God's grace and quiet power moving through the Sacrament of Confession, and explore the mystery of how an ancient rite of the Church uniquely transforms, heals and restores.

● *Suffering, Healing, & Mental Illness* - Tuesday, March 25, 7:15 PM, Convent Dining Room (guest speaker)
Dr. Brent Robbins will discuss coping with death and dying, mystical and religious experiences, and interpersonal approaches to psychotherapy and diagnoses.

Coming in April:

Jesus Thirsts: The Miracle of the Eucharist - Tuesday, April 1, 7:15 PM, Convent Dining Room (video)

Purgatory: The Forgotten Church - Tuesday, April 15, 7:15 PM, Convent Dining Room (video)



Baptism Class Tuesday, March 18th

Completion of a Pre-Baptism class is required with your first child before scheduling. Our next Baptism class will be held

on **March 18th** from 5:30-7:00 PM in the DePalma Room. If you have questions, would like more information, or register, contact Don Fontana at dfontana@stpaulofthecross.com.

Substance Addiction Ministry

Please join us in Saint Anne church this Tuesday, and every third Tuesday of the month, at 5:45 PM when we pray the Rosary For Recovery before mass. This Prayer is offered for those suffering from addiction, and for loved ones lost to the disease of addiction.



HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Tues., March 18

8:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration in St. Anne church
3:00 PM Divine Mercy Holy Hour in St. Anne church
5:15 - 6:15 PM Confessions in St. Anne church
5:30 PM Baptism Class in the DePalma Rm
5:30 PM Lunches for the Hungry in the Convent Dining Rm
5:45 PM SAM and Militia Of the Immaculata Rosary in St. Anne church
7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting in the DePalma Rm
7:15 PM Adult Ed Presentation in the Convent Dining Rm
(*The Miracle Box* video presentation)

Wed., March 19

1:00 PM Stations of the Cross in St. Winifred church
7:00 PM OCIA in the DePalma Rm
8:30 PM A.A. in the Convent Dining Rm

Thurs., March 20

6:00 PM Confirmation Practice in St. Anne church
7:00 PM ARM Grief Support in the DePalma Rm
7:00 PM Catholic Men's Fellowship in the Convent Dining Rm

Fri., March 21

1:00 PM Stations of the Cross in St. Winifred church
4:00 PM Parish Fish Fry SHCA (St. Anne School) Gym
6:30 PM Stations of the Cross in St. Anne church

Sat., March 22

10:00 PM Confirmation in St Anne church
11:00 AM **NO** Confessions in St. Anne church
4:45 PM Confessions in St. Winifred church
9:30 PM NA in the Convent Dining Rm

Sun., March 23

9:00 AM OCIA in the DePalma Rm

Lenten Retreat

with
Fr. Robert Seeman

Saturday, March 29, 2025
11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Saint Anne Church



Save the Date!

The Women's Guild of Saint Paul of the Cross Parish invites all women of the parish to join them. Walk-ins are welcome, but reservations are preferred for planning purposes. Please direct questions, or make reservations by calling Darlene Vietmeier (412)608-9581

Make this a prayerful part of your Lenten journey.

YOUTH MINISTRY



To stay up-to-date with all things Youth Group, please email Andrew Barnhart at abarnhart@stpaulofthecross.com
Events are open to all students in grades 8-12!

MAR. 16 - FAITH NIGHT

7 - 8:30 PM at St. Anne Church
Adoration & Night Prayer
St. Joseph Table Service Project
Novena to St. Joseph

MAR. 23 - LENTEN PILGRIMAGE

10 AM - 4:30 PM
Mass, Stations of the Cross,
& Tours of historic churches
Please email Andrew Barnhart for
more information and to sign up.

MAR. 30 - STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Outdoor Stations at the
Spiritan Center (Bethel Park)
Meet at St. Anne Church at 6 PM

St. Paul of the Cross Parish



Fish Fry

4040 Willow Avenue
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4PM to 7PM
All Fridays of Lent
(except Good Friday)

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