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Office Hours / Horas de Oficina

Monday / Lunes: 10:00 A.M - 5:00 P.M.

Tuesday / Martes –Friday/ Viernes: 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.



Pastoral Staff / Equipo Parroquial

Pastor / Párroco: Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. Orsulak, Th.M.

Parochial Vicar / Vicario Parroquial: Rev. David J. Kozak, J.C.L.

Permanent Deacons / Diáconos Permanentes:

Dn. John Allison (Retired) Dn. Julio Colón (Retired)

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Sister Anna Musi, I.H.M.

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Sister Margaret Pavluchuk, I.H.M.S.

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Mr. Timothy Reiver

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Miss Joann Villa

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Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC -Direct # 800-791-9209

Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator:

Sister Meg Cole, SSJ, MS, LMFT: 610-332-0442 Ext. 19

Baptism: First Sunday of the month (English); second and fourth Sundays of the month (Spanish). Attendance at a Baptism Workshop is mandatory for both parents and godparents prior to the sacrament. At least one godparent must be a fully initiated Catholic, age sixteen or older and, if a member of another parish, must present a certificate of sponsorship.

Bautismo: Segundo, y cuarto domingo de cada mes en español. El seminario del bautismo es obligatorio para ambos padres antes de la ceremonia. Los padrinos también deben de asistir al seminario. Los seminarios para el bautismo son obligatorios antes del sacramento. Por lo menos uno debe ser Católico que practique su fe, debe tener 16 años o más, y debe presentar el certificado de padrino si es de otra parroquia.

Confessions / Confesiones

Saturday / Sábado: 3:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Sunday / Domingo (C&M): 9:00 a.m.

Sunday / Domingo: 5:45 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

(Also by appointment / También por cita.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament /

Adoración del Santísimo

First Friday / Primer Viernes: 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Thursdays / Los Jueves: 7:15 – 8:15 p.m.

Vespers (Español), Sundays /Los Domingos: 6:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule / Horario de Misa

Vigil of Sunday / Vigilia Dominical:

4:00 p.m. (English)

Sundays / Domingos:

8:30 a.m. (English)

9:30 a.m. (C&M) (English)

10:30 a.m. (Español)

12:30 p.m. (Bi-lingual)

6:30 p.m. (Español)

Weekdays / Dias de Semana:

Mon., Tue., Thu., / Lun., Mar., Jue. 7:00 a.m. & 12:10 p.m.

Wednesday / Miércoles: 7:00 a.m & 6:30 p.m (Esp.)

Friday / Viernes: 8:30 a.m. & 12:10 p.m.

Saturday / Sábado: 8:00 a.m. (Español)

(Weekday Masses are generally held in St. Anthony Chapel. / Generalmente, las misas diarias se celebran en la Capilla San Antonio.)

Marriage: The new policy of the Diocese of Allentown requires that the diocesan marriage preparation classes be completed six months prior to the wedding date. Therefore, to start the process, couples should contact the Parish House immediately after engagement. At the first meeting with a parish priest, the wedding date can be placed on the calendar.

Matrimonio: Las nuevas normas de la diócesis de Allentown requieren que las clases diocesanas para la preparación matrimonial sean completadas seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda. Por lo tanto, para iniciar el proceso, parejas deberían contactar la Casa Parroquial inmediatamente después el compromiso a casarse. En la primera reunión con un sacerdote parroquial, la fecha de la boda se puede poner en el calendario.



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August 27 / Agosto 27, 2017

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**Saturday, August 26, 2017**

4:00PM + Jose Luis Acevedo, Jr.

Sunday, August 27, 2017

8:30AM + Edmond Wieczorek

9:30AM(C&M) + Rev. Francis Straka

10:30AM + Khalil Sabat

12:30PM + Irene Velazquez

6:30PM SI) Para los Feligreses de San Pedro

Monday, August 28, 2017, St. Augustine

7:00AM + Mary Uhrig

12:10PM + Matthew Acker

Tuesday, August 29, 2017, The Passion of St. John the Baptist

7:00AM + Gregory P. Wechel

12:10PM + Deacon Fernando Torres

Wednesday, August 30, 2017

7:00AM + Eduardo Carlos Ravasio

6:30PM + Juan E. Torres

Thursday, August 31, 2017

7:00AM +William Simcik

12:10PM NO MASS

Friday, September 1, 2017

8:30AM + Efrain Bonilla

12:10PM + Mary Uhrig

6:30PM + Juan Muñoz

Saturday, September 2, 2017, B.V.M

8:00AM + Joseph & Julie Ciganek

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**Saturday, September 2, 2017**

4:00PM SI) For the Parishioners of St. Peter's Parish

Sunday, September 3, 2017

8:30AM + Patricia Jablonski

9:30AM(C&M) + Erma LePage

10:30AM SI) Miembros de la Sociedad Purgatoria

12:30PM + Pedro Celestino & Adela Collado

6:30PM + Joseph Orsulak

**Stewardship of Treasury
August 13, 2017**

Basket	\$4,771.42
Electronic Deposit	\$118.25
Children Collection	\$11.57
St. Barnabas	\$200.00
Renovation	\$345.00
Total	\$5,446.24
Weekly Budget Needed to Pay Bills	\$16,000.00
Deficit	(\$10,553.76)
Year-to-date Total Deficit	(\$59,666.29)

Never miss a Sunday contribution. Log onto our church website and go to MyEOffering. It's fast and simple and you'll never miss your contribution. More of your parishioners are taking advantage of electronic contribution.

Today's Responsorial Psalm

Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands.

Salmo Responsorial de hoy

Señor, tu amor perdura eternamente.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 27, 2017

Sunday:	Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20
Monday:	1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday:	1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-6; Mk 6:17-29
Wednesday:	1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-12ab; Mt 23:27-32
Thursday:	1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-14, 17; Mt 24:42-51
Friday:	1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1, 2b, 5-6, 10-12; Mt 25:1-13
Saturday:	1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Mt 25:14-30
Sunday:	Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

NEXT WEEKEND'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday/Sunday, September 2 / 3 2017

Lectors / Lectores

4:00PM-	Jorge Acevedo
8:30AM-	William Spring
9:30AM(C&M)-	Met Grega
10:30AM-	Hermana Eloina
12:30PM-	Josephine Sanchez
6:30PM-	Adams Molina

Altar Servers / Monaguillos

4:00PM-	Andrew Lachina / Mark Lachina
8:30AM-	Solalinde Arango / Taina Perez
9:30AM(C&M)-	Andrew Reilly
10:30AM-	Alexander Knerr / Yadira Albert / Jose Alba
12:30PM-	Jose Nevarez Gonzalez / Jeremiah Boatswain
6:30PM-	Yahannie Moreno / Kevin Moreno

**Stewardship of Treasury
August 20, 2017**

Basket	\$6,179.00
Electronic Deposit	\$118.25
Children Collection	\$19.00
St. Barnabas	\$42.00
Total	\$6,358.25
Weekly Budget Needed to Pay Bills	\$16,000.00
Deficit	(\$9,641.75)
Year-to-date Total Deficit	(\$69,308.04)

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*****PARISH NEWS*****

Catechism: Parents will be notified by phone or mail as to when your child will begin CCD classes. Please be attentive to your voicemail.

Our office will be closed on Monday September 4th in observation of Labor Day. We will reopen Tuesday September 5th 2017.

Sociedad del Sagrado Corazón de Jesús will be Selling Pastelillos, Bacalaitos, plus small flea market, for next weekend.

Meet & Greet ALL Parishioners, especially NEW Parishioners, are invited to come and meet the St. Peter's Parish Family on the weekend of September 9 / 10 after ALL the Masses, down in Marciano Hall. Free blood pressure screening & light refreshments will be available. We hope to see you soon!

Protecting God's Children Workshop: On Tuesday, September 5, 2017 at 6:30 PM there will be a Protecting God's Children workshop at St Peter School, in SPANISH. No children are permitted. You must be present for the entire workshop to receive the certificate. Please call [610-3729652](tel:610-3729652) to register.

RCIA: Do you or someone you know have expressed interest in becoming a Catholic? Are you a baptized Catholic, but have not received the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? We invite you to learn about your faith in small groups and prepare for the sacraments. Please contact Sister Margaret for more information (610-372-9652)

In order to have as many people as possible watch the events surrounding the Ordination of Bishop-elect Alfred Schlert, the Diocese of Allentown has made wonderful provisions for the faithful of our Diocese to see this moment in our Diocesan history;

Television:

Vesper Service (Wednesday, August 30th): Service Electric/Blue Ridge

Cable: live coverage beginning at 7:00 PM

Ordination Mass (Thursday, August 31st): three ways to watch:

1. Service Electric/Blue Ridge Cable: live coverage beginning at 2:00 PM.
2. EWTN beginning at 3:00 PM (will have full coverage).
3. CatholicTV live coverage beginning at 2:00 PM.

Facebook: visit [facebook.com/dioceseofallentown](https://www.facebook.com/dioceseofallentown) to watch live streaming of the Ordination beginning at 2:00 PM.

*****NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES*****

Catecismo: Los padres de familia se le estará avisado por teléfono coreo por la fecha de comienzo del catecismo. Por favor este atento de so correo de voz.

Nuestra oficina estará cerrada el lunes, 4 de Septiembre en conmemoración al Día Laboral. Estaremos de regreso martes, 5 de Septiembre 2017.

Sociedad del Sagrado Corazón de Jesús estará vendiendo Pastelillos, Bacalaitos, además de pequeño mercado de pulgas el próximo fin de semana.

"Meet & Greet" TODOS los Feligreses, especialmente los NUEVOS Feligreses están invitados a que vengan a conocer a la familia de la Parroquia San Pedro después de TODAS las Misas el fin de semana del 9 / 10 de Septiembre, abajo en Marciano Hall. Abra refrescos ligeros y exámenes de la presión arterial gratis. Esperamos verlos pronto!

Taller de la Protection de los Niños de Dios: Sera un taller el día martes, 5 de septiembre a las 6:30 PM. El taller hara en la Escuela San Pedro en ESPANOL. Niños no se permitidos. Tiene que estar presente durante todo taller para obtener un certificado. Favor de llamar al 610-372-9652 para registrarse.

Rica: Usted o alguien conoce ha expresado interés en ser católico? Es usted un católico bautizado, pero no ha recibido los sacramentos de la Confirmación y Eucaristía. Le invitamos aprender más acerca su fe en pequeño grupos y preparar para los sacramentos. Llame a la Hermana Margaret para más información (610-372-9652)

Para que el mayor número posible de personas vea los acontecimientos que rodean la Ordenación del Obispo electo Alfred Schlert, la Diócesis de Allentown ha hecho maravillosas provisiones para que los fieles de nuestra Diócesis vean este momento en nuestra historia Diocesana;

Televisión:

Vesper Service (Miércoles, 30 de Agosto): Servicio Electric / Blue Ridge

Cable: cobertura en vivo a partir de las 7:00 PM

Misa de ordenación (jueves 31 de agosto): tres maneras de ver:

1. Servicio Electric / Blue Ridge Cable: cobertura en vivo a partir de las 2:00 PM.
2. EWTN a partir de las 3:00 PM (tendrá cobertura completa).
3. CatholicTV cobertura en vivo a partir de las 2:00PM.

Facebook: visit [facebook.com/dioceseofallentown](https://www.facebook.com/dioceseofallentown) para ver la transmisión en vivo de la Ordenación comenzando a las 2:00 PM.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SAINT CYRIL & METHODIUS

The Parish Guild is again, this year, selling Boscov's friends Helping Friend shopping passes. The shopping date is Tuesday, October 17, 2017 from 9:00AM-11:00PM at all Boscov's locations. The cost of the pass is \$5.00. This pass will entitle you to up to a 25% discount on the shopping date. All the proceeds from the sale of the shopping passes benefit the Parish Guild. Passes will be sold after Mass each Sunday or you can obtain them by contacting Pat Krick at (610)779-2895.

Our Flea Market is set for October 7, 2017. Please mark it on your calendars. We need your cooperation for us to succeed. If you have any items that you no longer want or need-bring them to the church basement and place on the pews. If you have any questions contact Marge at 610-375-5315 or Tessie at 610-777-7764. Our flea market gets bigger because everyone donates good merchandise for resale. Please help us by donating early and make room in your storage areas. No clothing please. Thank you.



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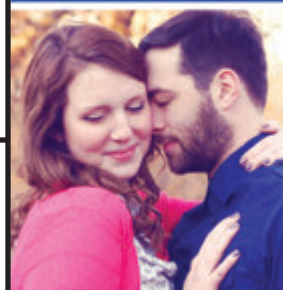
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