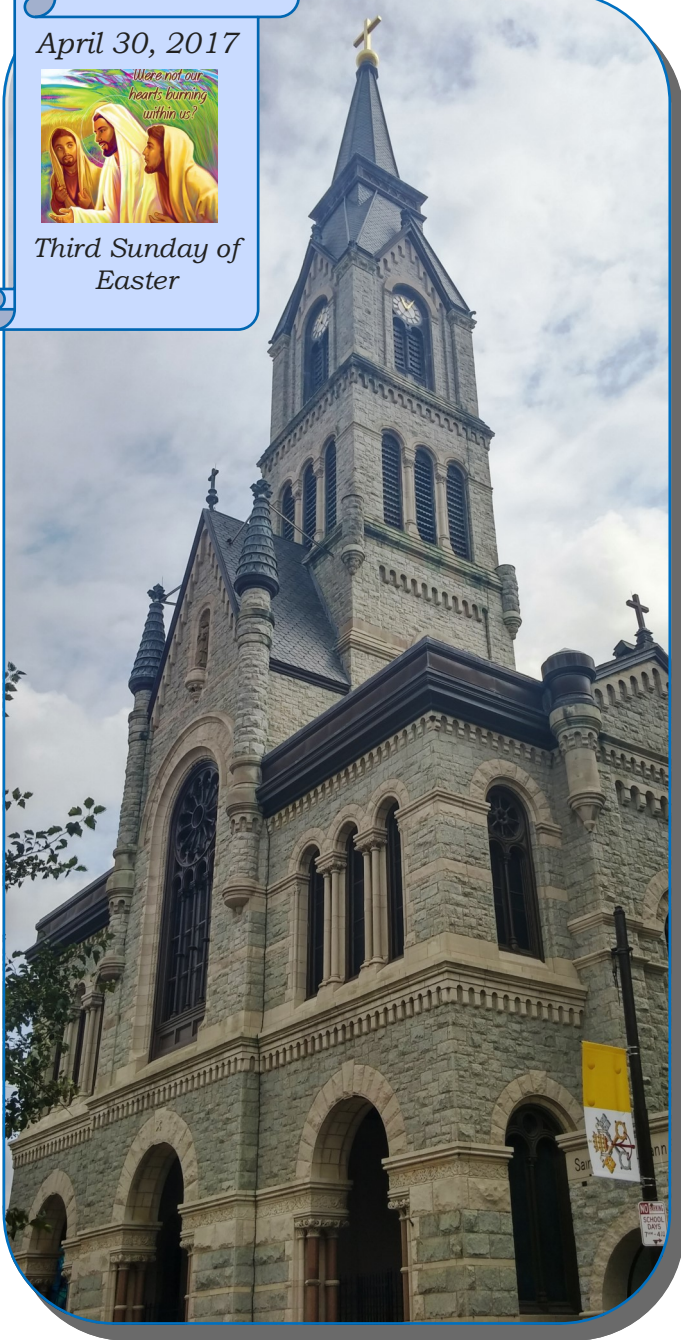


April 30, 2017



Third Sunday of
Easter



St. Peter the Apostle Church

National Shrine of St. John Neumann

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Spanish),
12:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m.
Weekdays: 7:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Mon - Sat: 11:45 a.m. and 5 p.m.
Sun: 10:30 a.m. (Spanish)

RECTORY & SHRINE OFFICES

Monday - Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 a.m. - 12 noon.

GIFT SHOP

Monday - Saturday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday: 10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

APPOINTMENTS: You are asked to arrange an appointment in advance by telephone with the Priest you wish to see.

SICK CALLS: Emergencies & Hospital Visitation: Please contact the Rectory office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is administered monthly. Arrangements are made in advance at the Rectory. Sponsors must provide proof of eligibility by a letter from their respective pastors, and must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion, and Confirmation. Parents attend a Pre-Jordan meeting prior to Baptism, which is arranged at a mutually convenient time.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least six months before the date of the wedding. Pre-Cana instructions are required. Couples rather than parents or wedding coordinators should contact the church. If either party was previously married, an annulment must be granted prior to the selection of a future wedding date.

*Mass Intentions
for the Week*

SATURDAY, APRIL 29

5:30 PM †Anna & Frederic Powell - rb: Kowalski Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 30

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society
9:30 AM For the People of the Parish
11:00 AM †Rosa Chaves - rb: Miguel & Nydia Betancourt
12:30 PM †Joseph F. Sukany - rb: Mary Giampietro
3:30 PM †Phaolo Son Dao - rb: Hoi Hoa Nhu

MONDAY, MAY 1 – St. Joseph the Worker

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society
12:15 PM †Leticia Lopez - rb: Crescencia Martinez
5:30 PM †Alice Mayer - rb: Alice Mayer Estate

TUESDAY, MAY 2 - St. Athanasius

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society
12:15 PM †Linda Pike - rb: Karen Zripko
5:30 PM †Ladislaus Sukany, Jr. - rb: Mary Giampietro
7:00 PM †Sara Cruzado - rb: Julia Maldonado

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3 - SS Philip & James

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society
12:15 PM OLPH Mass League
5:30 PM †Steve Mumber - rb: Rossana & Dejah

THURSDAY, MAY 4

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society
12:15 PM †Dominic Ha - rb: Huynh Family
5:30 PM †John Culver - rb: Bernadette Culver

FRIDAY, MAY 5 - First Friday

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society
12:15 PM Neumann Guild
5:30 PM †Marie & Dominic Nguyen - rb: Le Nguyen

SATURDAY, MAY 6 - First Saturday

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society
11:00 AM Vocations
12:15 PM Mass League

SANCTUARY CANDLES
This week, the candles in the sanctuaries will burn for the following intentions:

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Lower Church)
Available
Available

OLPH Shrine (Upper Church)
John Wozniak Family - rb: David Wozniak
†Michael Hagan, Jr. - rb: Hagan Family

St. John Neumann Altar
Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen
Little Family - rb: Nora Little

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Upper Church)
Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

SSND Convent Chapel
Available

Redemptorists Chapel
Available

1-125



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners

I am pleased to inform you that our Beloved Fr. Anthony Michalik who had hip surgery last week is home again and doing his physical therapy and is recovering quite well. I also had the opportunity to see our Beloved Deacon Miguel Betancourt in the hospital, right after his operation for kidney transplant. He had been waiting for a donor for quite some time and then he finally got the call this past weekend. When I went to anoint him and bring Holy Communion, I was stunned at how well he looked and he was up in the chair talking to me as if nothing had ever happened. I sent Fr. Gerry Chylko to the hospital on Wednesday, only to have Fr. Gerry call me and inform me Deacon Miguel had already been released. These two pastoral men have made a wonderful recovery to date and we are indeed grateful to almighty God, and the intercession of St. John Neumann. Many friends, family and parishioners were lifting them up in prayer all week long. Please continue to offer your prayerful support as they continue along the healing process. Both of them want to thank all of the parishioners for all of their support during their time of need.

I may also be on my way to the hospital, that is to say, the Psyche ward!?! At the parish's 2nd annual 50's and 60's Dance all was going well. Ellen Nuciforo and Anna Pozzi both brought in the South Philly Clan and sold 19 tickets between them. Mary Massing also brought a mighty gang from the old neighborhood and from John W. Hallahan High School to dance the night away. Under the influence of a single beer, the faithful were able to coax their pastor into doing "The Worm" across the dance floor led by our Dance Gu-ru... Anna Pozzi. The last words I heard her say were "Follow Me..." and then she disappeared scooting across the dance floor. I was so shocked I immediately followed her lead with another of her family members. The family member had to stop half way across due to the fact she had lost one shoe and was laughing so hard, she couldn't continue. By the time I eventually made it to the other side, they told me to roll onto my back and kick (I looked like I was riding an imaginary bike) and as I glanced to my right and left... there I was lying between two heart patients... both of whom I visited in the hospital, right after their surgery. The sad truth was... the two heart patients were wearing this 48 year old out!!! I have got to get the names of their doctors. The Church is all about celebrating Christ - and New Life. Here at St. Peter the Apostle, we celebrate it in Church, on the Altar, and on the dance floor as well... May you and your family have a blessed week ahead!

Fr. Richard

REMEMBER THE SICK OF THE PARISH

In your prayers, please keep in mind our sick, homebound, and those in healthcare facilities including: Nicholas Albano, Baby Antonucci, Susan Armstrong, Linda Barbara, Ralph Berarducci, Deacon Miguel Betancourt, Mark Bogan, Linda Bordette, Randall Bordette, Seth Bordette, Sophie Bordette, Eduardo Borromeo, Sr. Vincent Borromeo, James Bowker, Patricia Bowman, LaRue Boyd, Sr. Regina Brown, Katie Carbrey, Barbara Brownholtz, Brenda Burgos, Matt Campanella, Louis Casella, Christopher, Michael J. Czekaj, Jerry Coyle, Carmen Cruz, Salius Davila, Barbara Delaney, Elvira Delgado, Italia Dominick, Robert Dominick, Cecelia Dougherty, Sonia Echevaria, Debbie Eddnarz, Richard Edinger, Dr. Elsie Estrada, Carmen Flores, Francis Germanovich, Linda Germanovich, Albert Gardill, Brittani Goodwin, Luis A. Graulau, Nidia Graulau, Norman Greenberg, Ross Greenberg, Diego Guerra, Barbara Feliskie, Fred Feliskie, Frank Joseph, Rosemary Joseph, Dorothy Kalicki, Thomas Kauterman, Ronald Kross, Margaret La Corte, Andrew Little, John Little, Miguel Lopez, Susan Margarite, Lucas McCrea, John McDade, Adrienne McGrath, Leonida Mercado, Fr. Anthony Michalik, Peg Mollick, Linda Murphy, Cathy Muscavage, Daniel Peter Noordzy, Vivian Ortiz, Tony Paparo, Veronica Palovcak, William Pawliczek, Gabriel Peterson, Beverly Popowich, Brooke Rabinowitz, Linda Rabinowitz, Marni Rabinowitz, Patti Robinson, Agnes Rodriguez, Elijah Rodriguez, Bonita Rodriguez, David Rose, Bert Santilli, Rita Santilli, Ana Santos, Accursia Schittone, Pasqua Schittone, Bonnie Schultz, Bridget Melissa Sherlock, Alexia Sperlunto, Ani Sperlunto, Lester Sperlunto, Sophie Sperlunto, Philomena Stendardo, Diane Spriggs, Joe Sullivan, Agnes Teel, George Teel, Celest Ulrick, Francis Vetter, Lary Visconti, Robert Winkler, Claire Wong, Chelsea Zonkle, Katharine Zampitella, Tamara Zuckerman. Please call the rectory office to add a name to the list.

SECOND COLLECTION IN APRIL

4/30 Mother's Day Remembrance

WEEKEND COLLECTIONS:

Saturday 5:30 pm - \$312.00
Sunday 7:30 am - \$351.35
Sunday 9:30 am - \$1474.21
Sunday 11:00 am - \$792.69
Sunday 12:30 pm - \$1490.00
Sunday 3:30 pm - \$943.75
Envelopes Mailed- \$59.00
Electronic Giving - \$907.00

Total..... \$6330.00

SANCTUARY CANDLES ARE AVAILABLE

Donation: \$20.00 for 2 weeks; \$10 for one week.
Please contact the rectory office for details.



Go to www.stjohnneumann.org/parish, click on the link under the Parish Giving logo. Follow the easy registration instructions.

We are very proud of the following students from our parish attending Catholic High Schools:

Roman Catholic
Colin P. Farrell
Victor Manuel Rivera
Tyler Austin Brown
Rony Jose Leiva-Ortega
Angel L. Martin
Prince Beduin Pulido
Franklin Roat

VIGIL LIGHTS

Consider lighting a candle for your intention at the mosaic of St. John Neumann. Your donation will be used to support the Shrine.

Find the Redemptorists at www.redemptorists.net.

Upcoming Events at St. Peter's Church

Mark your Calendars!

Sunday, April 30 - American Red Cross Blood Drive

Sunday August 20-26, 2017 - Caribbean Cruise

Friday, October 13, 2017 - 175th Anniversary Celebration Dance

Sunday, October 15, 2017 - 175th Anniversary Celebration Mass
3:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 21, 2017 - 175th Anniversary Celebration Luncheon Cruise

Saturday, October 28, 2017 - 2nd Annual Halloween Bash

4 p.m. - 8 p.m. Adults: \$10
Children 4-12 years: \$7
Under 3: Free

LA MISA DE HOY

11:00 AM †Rosa Chaves - rb: Miguel & Nydia Betancourt

Los Martes: Misa Hispana - 7:00 p.m.

Los Domingos: Círculo de Oración - 7:00 p.m.

Los Viernes: Legión de María - 1:00 p.m.

Primer Domingo del Mes: Sagrado Corazón - 12 mediodía

Cuarto Domingo del Mes: Curia - Legión de María - 2 p.m.

DEL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR



Queridos Feligreses,

Me alegro informarles que nuestro amado P. Anthony Michalik que tuvo cirugía de cadera la semana pasada esta de nuevo con nosotros y

haciendo su terapia física y se esta recuperando bastante bien. También tuve la oportunidad de ver a nuestro amado Diácono Miguel Betancourt en el hospital, después de su operación para un trasplante de riñón. Había estado esperando a un donante por bastante tiempo y finalmente recibió la llamada el pasado fin de semana. Cuando fui a unirlo y llevarle la Sagrada Comunión, me sorprendió lo bien que se veía y él estaba en la silla hablando como si nada hubiera pasado. Envié al P. Gerry Chylko al hospital el miércoles, sólo para tener el P. Gerry llamarme y informarme que ya le habían dado de alta. Estos do pastores han hecho una recuperación maravillosa hasta la fecha y estamos realmente agradecidos a Dios Todopoderoso, y la intercesión de San Juan Neumann. Muchos amigos, familiares, y feligreses los levantaban en oración durante toda la semana. Por favor continúen ofreciendo su apoyo orando mientras continúan el proceso largo de sanación. Ambos quieren agradecer a todos los feligreses por todo su apoyo durante su tiempo de necesidad.

Puedo también estar en un camino al hospital, es decir, a la sala de Psique!?! En el 2do Baile Anual todo iba bien. Ellen Nuciforo y Anna Pozzi trajeron al Clan del Sur de Filadelfia y vendieron 19 boletos entre ellas. Mary Massing también trajo una poderosa pandilla del barrio viejo y de la Escuela Secundaria John W. Hallahan para bailar toda la noche. Bajo la influencia de una sola cerveza, los fieles pudieron persuadir a su párroco a hacer “El Gusano” a través del piso de baile dirigido por nuestro Guru de Baile... Anna Pozzi. Las últimas palabras que le oí fueron “Sígame...” y luego desapareció a través de la pista de baile. Estaba tan sorprendido que inmediatamente seguí su liderato con otro de sus miembros de familia. El miembro de la familia tuvo que parar a medio camino debido al perder un zapato y riéndose tanto, que no podía continuar. Cuando llegué al otro lado, me dijeron que rodara sobre mi espalda y pateara (parecía que estaba montado en una bicicleta imaginaria) y cuando miré a mi derecha e izquierda... allí estaba acostado entre dos pacientes de corazón... a los cuales visité en el hospital, justo después de su cirugía. La verdad triste es... los dos pacientes de corazón me agotaron!!! Tengo que obtener los nombres de sus médicos. La Iglesia tiene que ver con la celebración de Cristo—y la Vida Nueva. Aquí en San Pedro el Apóstol, lo celebramos en la Iglesia, en el Altar, y en la pista de baile también... ¡Que tú y tu familia tengan una bendita semana por delante!

VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Esta semana, las velas de los santuarios se prenderán por cada una de estas intenciones:

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Abajo)

Disponible

Disponible

Santuario de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro (Iglesia de Arriba)

John Wozniak Family - rb: John Wozniak

†Michael Hagan, Jr. - rb: Hagan Family

Altar de San Juan Neumann

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

Little Family - rb: Nora Little

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Arriba)

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

Capilla del Convento SSND

Disponible

Capilla de los Redentoristas

Disponible

CIRCULO DE ORACIÓN CARISMÁTICO

¿Deseas orar con los hermanos? ¿Quieres alabar y glorificar al Señor? Te invitamos al Círculo de Oración Carismático. Ven a darle honra y gloria al Señor. Ven a conocer el gozo y el amor del Señor a través de la oración, alabanza, cánticos al Señor, y el compartir de la Palabra de Dios. Los hermanos en el ministerio te recibirán con mucho cariño y orarán por tus necesidades. El círculo de oración se reúne los Domingos a las 7 P.M. en el salón de reuniones en el sótano del convento. Entrada por el estacionamiento de Lawrence Street. Queremos conocerte. Te esperamos.



RECUERDE A LOS ENFERMOS DE LA PARROQUIA

En sus oraciones, por favor, tenga en cuenta nuestros enfermos, confinados en casa, y aquellos en los centros de salud, incluyendo: Nicholas Albano, Baby Antonucci, Susan Armstrong, Linda Barbara, Ralph Berarducci, Mark Bogan, Linda Bordette, Randall Bordette, Seth Bordette, Sophie Bordette, Eduardo Borromeo, Sr. Vincent Borromeo, James Bowker, Patricia Bowman, LaRue Boyd, Sr. Regina Brown, Katie Carbrey, Barbara Brownholtz, Brenda Burgos, Matt Campanella, Louis Casella, Christopher, Michael J. Czekaj, Jerry Coyle, Carmen Cruz, Salius Davila, Barbara Delaney, Elvira Delgado, Italia Dominick, Robert Dominick, Cecelia Dougherty, Sonia Echevaria, Debbie Eddnarz, Richard Edinger, Dr. Elsie Estrada, Carmen Flores, Francis Germanovich, Linda Germanovich, Albert Gardill, Brittani Goodwin, Luis A. Graulau, Nidia Graulau, Norman Greenberg, Ross Greenberg, Diego Guerra, Barbara Feliskie, Fred Feliskie, Frank Joseph, Rosemary Joseph, Dorothy Kalicki, Thomas Kauterman, Ronald Kross, Margaret La Corte, Andrew Little, John Little, Miguel Lopez, Susan Margarite, Lucas McCrea, John McDade, Adrienne McGrath, Leonida Mercado, Peg Mollick, Linda Murphy, Cathy Muscavage, Daniel Peter Noordzy, Vivian Ortiz, Tony Paparo, Veronica Palovcak, William Pawliczek, Gabriel Peterson, Beverly Popowich, Brooke Rabinowitz, Linda Rabinowitz, Marni Rabinowitz, Patti Robinson, Agnes Rodriguez, Elijah Rodriguez, Bonita Rodriquez, David Rose, Bert Santilli, Rita Santilli, Ana Santos, Accursia Schittone, Pasqua Schittone, Bonnie Schultz, Bridget Melissa Sherlock, Alexia Sperlunto, Ani Sperlunto, Lester Sperlunto, Sophie Sperlunto, Philomena Stendardo, Diane Spriggs, Joe Sullivan, Agnes Teel, George Teel, Celest Ulrick, Francis Vetter, Lary Visconti, Robert Winkler, Claire Wong, Chelsea Zonkle, Katharine Zampitella, Tamara Zuckerman. Favor de llamar a la rectoría para poner un nombre en la lista.

SEGUNDA COLECTA EN ABRIL

4/30 Recordatorio del Día de las Madres

COLECTAS DE FIN DE SEMANA

Sábado 5:30 pm - \$312.00
Domingo 7:30 am - \$351.35
Domingo 9:30 am - \$1474.21
Domingo 11:00 am - \$792.69
Domingo 12:30 pm - \$1490.00
Domingo 3:30 pm - \$943.75
Sobres por Correo - \$59.00
Donaciones Electrónicas - \$907.00

Total..... \$6330.00

VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Donación: \$20.00 por 2 semanas; \$10 por una semana.
Favor de comunicarse con la oficina de la rectoría para más detalles.



-SIGN UP FOR ELECTRONIC GIVING-

Entre a la página www.stjohnneumann.org parish y seleccione el enlace bajo el logotipo **Parish Giving**. Siga las instrucciones fáciles para registrarse.

Estamos bien orgullosos de los siguientes estudiantes de nuestra parroquia que asisten en la Escuelas Católicas Secundaria:

Roman Catholic

Colin P. Farrell
Victor Manuel Rivera
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Rony Jose Leiva-Ortega
Angel L. Martin
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Franklin Roat

VELAS

Considere prender una vela por su intención al frente del mosaico de San Juan Neumann. Su donación se usará para apoyar el santuario.

Encuentre los Redentoristas en www.redemptorists.net.

Futuros Acontecimientos en la Iglesia San Pedro *¡Marquen sus calendarios!*

**Domingo, 30 de Abril - Cruz Roja Americana
Donaciones de Sangre**

**Domingo, 20-26 de Agosto, 2017 - Crucero del
Caribe**

**Viernes, 13 de Octubre, 2017 - Baile de
Celebración del 175to Aniversario**

**Domingo, 15 de Octubre, 2017 - Misa de
Celebración del 175to Aniversario
3:30 p.m.**

**Sábado, 21 de Octubre, 2017 - Almuerzo en un
Crucero de la Celebración del 175to Aniversario**

**Domingo, 28 de Octubre, 2017 - 2da Fiesta
Anual de Halloween**

4 p.m. - 8 p.m. Adultos: \$10
Niños 4-12 años: \$7
Menores de 3 años: Gratis



**American
Red Cross**

Blood Drive

**Sunday, April 30, 2017
9 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

**St. John Neumann Center
1039 North Lawrence Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123**

**Please visit www.redcrossblood.org and
enter sponsor keyword [St Peter the Apostle](#)
to schedule an appointment.**

