## St. Rose of Lima Parish

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**Parish Staff** 

Pastor

Rev. James E. Goerner

**Pastor Emeritus** 

Rev. Gerald D. Canavan

In Residence (Part-Time)

Rev. Tad Pacholczyk, Ph.D

Retired Parish Deacon

Deacon Fred Ryan

Weekend Clergy Assistance

provided by local parishes

Office Staff

Parish Secretary

JoAn Palesano

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**Patricia Kennealy** 

And

**Donna Evans** 

Business Manager

Jennifer Knott

Coordinator for Religious Ed

Marianne Jefferis

**Mass Schedule:** 

Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:30pm

Sunday Morning: 7:30am, 10:30am and Noon

Daily Mass: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00am

Holy Days: As Announced in the Bulletin

**Confessions:** 

Tuesday 7pm - 7:30pm

Saturday 3:30pm-4:15pm

<u>Baptism:</u> The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the First Sunday of each month at 1:00pm. Please call the parish office to register. Letters of

Eligibility for Catholic Godparents are due prior to scheduling a Baptism.

Sacrament of the Sick, and Holy Communion Visits:

Father Goerner is happy to visit anyone who wishes to receive the anointing of the sick or Holy Communion. For more information, please call the

parish office.

Marriage:

Couples planning to be married should contact the Rectory at least 6

months in advance of the intended wedding date. Attendance at a Marriage

Preparation program is required in accord with Archdiocesan Policy.

**Parish Parochial School Policy** 

Parishioners with Elementary School aged children who are enrolled in St.

James Regional Catholic School (or another local Catholic School) may be eligible to receive a parish subsidy to help defray the cost of tuition. Week-

ly Parish Support is required. For more information, please call the parish

office.

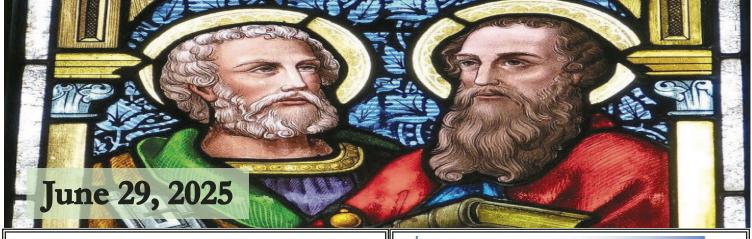
PREP

Children who attend public school are requested to register in our PREP

Program beginning in first grade through grade seven.. There is a minimal tuition requested to defray costs of the materials. If tuition assistance is

needed, please ask to speak with Father privately.

St. Rose of Lima, Pray for Us



#### ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, <u>JUNE 28, 2025</u>

4:30 p.m. Dot Gorman

SUNDAY, <u>June 29, 2025</u>

7:30 a.m. Norman Smeltzer

10:30 a.m. Joan Buffington

Noon Christina Caserta

MONDAY, <u>June 30, 2025</u>

9:00 a.m. Leo Lenick

TUESDAY, <u>July 1, 2025</u>

9:00 a.m. Winifred Betsch

WEDNESDAY JULY 2, 2025

9:00 a.m. NO COMMUNION SERVICE

THURSDAY, JULY 3, 2025

9:00 a.m. Gus Palesano

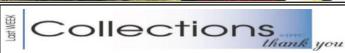
FRIDAY, <u>July 4, 2025</u>

9:00 a.m. Pro Populo



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## SUMMER VACATION "



#### Week of 06/22/2025

Attendance	409
Sunday Collection	\$3590
Online Giving	\$1591
Social Ministry	\$360
Father's Day	\$45
Peter's Pence	\$1052



Mass will be at 9:00am on Fri., July 4th.

# Pray for the Sick

As a Catholic Parish Community, we pray for our relatives and friends who are sick, and those who have asked for our prayers, especially the following:

Barbara DeFilippo, Shirley Duffy, Hilde Foltz, Helen Ford, Mary Harrower, Franny Heidle, Harry Hepbron, Doris Innamorato, Claire Jackson, Sarah Jeakle, Anthony Johnson, Barbara Johnson, Mary Ann Lenick, Ann Martella, Jan Matteo, Peggy Matteo, John Matteo, Gail McCallum, Sue McCullough, Donna McLaughlin, Michael McNulty, Jessica Memeth, Dorothy Millison, John Mohr Jr, Marianne Mohr, Frances Murray, Andy Oreo, Bernadette Porsia, Lois Powers, Krew Rein, Connie Restino, Robert Rodgers, Colleen Sachs, Amie Schopf, Dolores Sladek, Joachim Stinson, Helen Marie Sweeney, Nicholas Tate, Stephanie Tighe, Ray Tinney, Kellie Walsh, Art Weems, Bodhi Wilson, Nancy Wiltshire and all the sick of our parish.

June 29, 2025 Saints. Peter And Paul, Apostles Matthew 16:13-19

What do you call brothers who are born on the same day? Twins, of course. That is what we celebrate today in the inestimable saints, Peter and Paul. Wait: twins? Yes. The early Church believed that Peter and Paul were martyred in Rome on the same day. Since the day of martyrdom is celebrated as a saints' birth into eternal life, the result is striking: Peter and Paul are twins in God's family, the Church.

Who should care about this? Well, anyone who longs to live in a world marked by love and peace. Remember, the Romans believed that twins, Romulus and Remus, founded their city through an act of fratricide, the former murdering the latter. Sadly, the structures of this fallen world emerge through violence between those who should love each other. But in the Church, a new city has been founded upon this new set of twins, embodying the non-violent power of Jesus' cross and resurrection.

That's why traditional icons represent Peter and Paul in a fraternal and warm embrace. Contrasted with the violence of Rome's founders, it challenges us with a bold claim: do we believe that structures of merciful love are more powerful and lasting than those based on power, violence, and domination? Am I willing to see others in my life as my "twin," with whom I am called to give my life for Christ, or as my rival? Am I committed to living what is embodied in Romulus and Remus, or in Peter and Paul?

— Father John Muir

## SCHOOL OF THEOLOGICAL STUDIES



#### THE CATECHETICAL INSTITUTE

The Catechetical Institute (CI) offers online non-credit courses for Catholic adults 18 years+ with a high school diploma or equivalent. The courses are for teachers in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia elementary schools who are required to obtain catechetical certification; parish catechists; and those seeking to deepen their knowledge of the Catholic Faith.

Online Registration is open for the July CI courses:

Old Testament
New Testament
Person of Jesus
Christian Anthropology
Cost is \$60.00 per course



Contact sts@scs.edu or call 610-785-6287 to register. PREP volunteers who wish to attend may be eligible for reimbursement.

Contact the Parish Office for more info.

#### **PREP NEWS!**

I realize that the school year has just ended, but the opening of the PREP program will be here before you know it.

This year I have decided to have CRE (Coordinator of Religious Education) at St. Rose of Lima that will oversee just our program instead of sharing a DRE with Our Lady of Charity. I sincerely thank Mrs. Eileen Wilson for all her hard work going back and forth between the two parishes. Mrs. Wilson will continue to be the DRE at Our Lady of Charity.

I am pleased to announce that Mrs. Marianne Jefferis has accepted the position of CRE here at St. Rose. Mrs. Jefferis is probably familiar to many of you. You can often find her at the noon Mass on Sunday with her family. Marianne is also a former St. Rose PREP teacher and is a kindergarten teacher for the Ridley School District.

Please join me in wishing her well as she begins to serve our parish children.

Rev. James E. Goerner

Pastor

PREP REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!! VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER.

WWW.STROSEOFLIMAPARISH.NET Questions?: contact Marianne Jefferis at stroseprep@gmail.com



Knights of Columbus Peace Council 4518

The KOC will have their Fifth Sunday Rosary said by the members of the Peace Council at 11:30am this Sunday. All are welcome.



#### Harold J. Whartnaby Supervisor

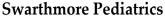
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