

Saint Padre Pio Parish

The Diocesan Shrine of St. Pio of Pietrelcina

June 14, 2026–11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4680 Dante Avenue
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9AM to 5PM / M-F

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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00PM

Sunday

7:30, 9:00, 11:00AM

Holy Child Chapel/OLP

St. Padre Pio

Thursdays

7:00PM Novena/Benediction

Recitation of the Rosary

every Monday 10:00AM

Mass Schedule

St. Mary's

736 Union Road

Monday thru Friday

8:15AM

First Saturday

9:00AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday afternoon 4:15-4:45 pm / Anytime by appointment

Before all Masses 1st Sunday of the Month

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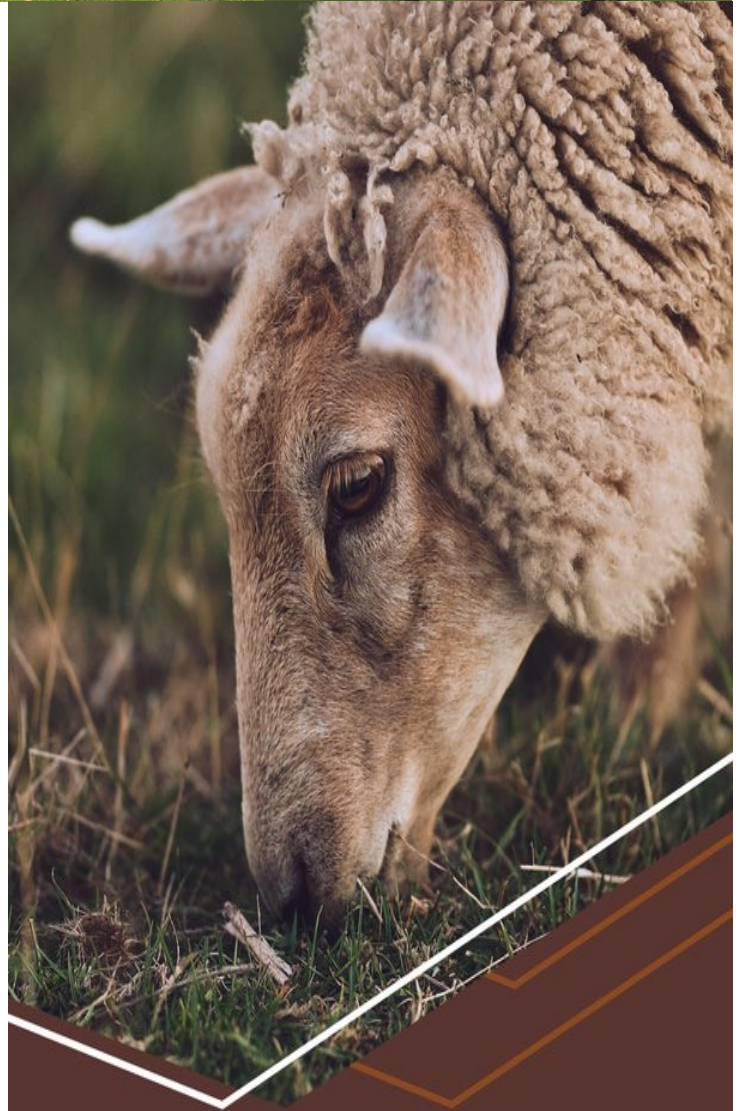
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No matter what your present status is in the Catholic Church; no matter your family or marital status; no matter where you are in the practice of faith; no matter your personal history, age, or background; no matter what your self-image may be; YOU are invited, welcomed and loved at St. Padre Pio Parish.

11th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, make this proclamation: 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons. Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give." - Mt 10:6-8

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 13th
5:00pm/OLP

Vigil
James Bertonazzi III
By Mr. & Mrs. Steven Bertonazzi
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, June 14th
7:30am/OLP

Nola Siciliano
By Helen Levari & Family
Peter Sparacio
By Joanne Hofstetter
People of the Parish
James Pagliughi
By Susan & Joe
Lillian Bruno
By The Brescia Family
Michael Torosdag
By Gerard & Jadwiga Lotkowski
Rosemarie Gabriel
By Gregory & Carol Kuhlen
Richard Prochaska
By The Krawczyk Family
Rocco, Alice & Dr. Ron Magolda
By Fran & Nick Magolda
Arthur Smaniotto
By Andy & Karin Peszka
Irena Bezak
By The Krawczyk Family
Marie Herring
By Adult Choir
of St. Padre Pio Parish

Monday, June 15th
8:15am/StM

Weekday
Gail Chiovari
By Bud & Cathy Karl

Tuesday, June 16th
8:15am/StM

Weekday
Peter Sparacio
By Gerry & Steve Volpe

Wednesday, June 17th
8:15am/StM

Weekday
Leo Coslop
By Grandchildren & Children

Thursday, June 18th
8:15am/StM

Weekday
Charles & Pearl Bylone
By Pete & Mannetta Bylone
Padre Pio Novena & Benediction

7:00pm/HCC
Friday, June 19th
9:15am/School

Weekday
Mary Bertonazzi
By Steve & Janice Bertonazzi

Saturday, June 20th
5:00pm/OLP

Vigil
People of the Parish
David Ferruzzi
By The Heibel Family
George & Pauline Martini,
Alton & Caroline Diehl,
Rosalie Mangano, Irene Vai
Deceased Members of the Pizzo
& Diehl Families
By Frank & Lynn Martini
Lorraine Franceschini
By Ann Derr & Family
Madeline Oertle
By The Crovo Family
Kevin J. Mongan
By Diane T. Koguc
Marie Casadia
By Jan Dwyer LoBiando
12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Kenneth Levari, Sr.
By Wife Helen & Family

Sunday, June 21st
7:30am/OLP

9:00am/OLP

Peter Konopatski, Jr.

11:00am/OLP

By Loving Family
Louis & Mary Taddie
By Albert & Judy Tamagni

With Opened Bible / Fr. Dimitri 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Jesus sent out these twelve after instructing them thus, "Do not go into pagan territory or enter a Samaritan town. Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." (Matthew 10,5-7)

In proclaiming this Sunday's Gospel, one might have been led to believe that Jesus is not the universal Savior—that is, the one sent by God to save the world. He commanded the Apostles not to venture beyond the borders of Israel, but rather to go to the lost sheep of His own people. Why did He ask them to make such a choice? To understand this, we must turn back to this Sunday's First Reading.

In the Book of Exodus, the Lord God undertook the divine election of Israel. He chose these small people so that they might serve as a model for all others in the faith: "Therefore, if you hearken to my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my special possession, dearer to me than all other people, though all the earth is mine. You shall be to me a kingdom of priests, a holy nation." (Exodus 19:5-6) The choice of Israel as the "firstborn" in faith reflects God's plan for universal salvation, which Jesus fulfills. They were to be the models to follow, as the Prophet Isaiah reminds us: "I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth." (Isaiah 49:6)

Having established this, we can now answer the question posed above: Why did Jesus ask His disciples to avoid pagan cities and Samaritan towns? Jesus had come, first and foremost, to reconcile Israel with its God, fulfilling God's plan for all nations. He was the one the Prophet had foretold, the one destined to serve as a bridge so that all might have access to the Divine.

However, by proclaiming salvation to the Jews, He was preparing the Apostles to do the same for the nations of the earth: "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." (Acts of the Apostles 1:8) and at the end of his ministry on earth, he said to them: "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you." (Matthew 28:19-20) This demonstrates that Jesus' mission is rooted in the biblical promise of universal salvation, making Him the Savior for all people, out of love for the entire world. (John 3:16)



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Sacrament of the Sick

Please call the Parish office to request a home or hospital visit.

Baptisms:

Please call the Parish office to schedule
Baptisms will take place during our 11AM Sunday Mass

Pre-Jordan Class

The Pre-Jordan Program is a required class to prepare parents, who are having their babies baptized. These classes are offered once a month at 7pm in the Parish office: **Sessions will be held:**

July 1, 2026

August 5, 2026

Marriage:

Please contact the office at least **1 year** prior to wedding

New Parishioners:

Please call Parish office to register (856) 691-7526

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Jennifer Bailey, John Baron, Justin Bellusci, Gary Bertonazzi, Jacob Bocchicchio, Miriam Brimlow, Robert Bubel, Stanley "Lee" Burke, Nick Calio, Shanna Lamcken-Capelli, Cheli, Theodore Conrad, Jim Daly, Anthony Damato, Annette Domassi, Anne M. Dondero, Agnes Dondero, Hannah Elbuef, Katie Faldetta, James Farrell, Donald Fiocchi, Sr., Linda Gallina, Patricia Gandy, Madeline Graciolett, Larry Gray, Shirleey Gray, Howard Hammerstedt, Leokadia Krawczyk, Henry Lamb, Dominic Loperogolo, Lucille Magolda, Charles Maines, Jose MatosJack Michael, Emil Milano, Kathy Milano, Paul Milano, Sr., Paul Milano, Jr., Carmen Milete, Jim Notorianni, Rita Milano, Victoria Milano, John McKown, Jr., Jim McMahan, Mary Polizzi, Phil Polizzi, Gerry Policarpio, Gerardo Procopio, Maria Procopio, Mae Reilly, Jessica Flaim- Salerno, Bill Semus, Beverly Smaniotto, Dorothy Smaniotto, Joan Smaniotto, Paula Smaniotto, Richard Smaniotto, Sharon Speziali, Pat Tirelli, Gloria Ventura, Christopher Waxmonsky, Eddie R. Williams



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Airman Dominic DiGiovacchino

Captain Rocco Sangatardo, Gen. Michael A. Fantini, Sr.,

Lt. Colonel Elizabeth Golden, Sgt. Rachel Wright

Air Force National Guard:

Army: Wes Jarrell; Col. Stephen P. Dondero

Sgt. Keith Harris, Jr., Pvt. S. Allen, John Caccia; Stf. Sgt. Special Forces/Medic

Rusty Waymack, Sgt. Maj. Timothy M. Dobson; CWO Jason Heney; Stf. Sgt.

Richard Rivera, SPC Michael Ruga, Sgt. James Conklin; Lt. Nicolette B. Pizzo

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Navy: Chief Dennis Lloyd, Seaman Garrett Nordberg

Captain Matthew Richmond

Marines: PFC William F. Butler, III, Lt. Col. Christopher Kühlen Caldwell

PFC Elton King, LCpl Michael Quinlan

Father's Day Remembrance Mass

If you would like your father, living or deceased remembered at the Masses on Father's Day, please mail or drop off your envelopes to the Parish office

no later than Wednesday, June 17th

For inclusion in the bulletin insert

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The Altar Rosary Society
Lending Library Cart,
now located in the Reconciliation Room.

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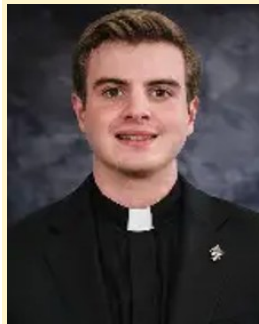
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St. Vincent de Paul Pantry

So soon summer will be here! The number of clients at the St. Vincent de Paul pantry continues to rise just as the temperatures do. Standard items always needed are: pasta & sauce, mac 'n cheese, cereal (the sweet kind kids like), soup, canned vegetables, snacks, and all non-perishable food items. Also, many of our clients are in need of basic toiletries. We also accept clean, mended clothing, towels, bedding and small household items such as kitchen utensils, pots, pans, dishes, tableware, etc. The white cart in the rectory vestibule is waiting to be filled! Thank you for always generously answering the call to assist the needy of Vineland. Parishioners: You're the best!!!

"Charity is the measure by which our Lord judges all things" ...St. Padre Pio

Questions: Carol DeBello 609 805-2693



Mr. Nicholas "Nick" Esposito
Seminarist

Prayer for Seminarists

Father, thank you for the generosity of our seminarists. Safeguard them as they prepare for the priesthood,

Keep all evil far from them, so they may become strong Christian men who are faithful to prayer, diligent in their studies, open to spiritual direction, and docile in all aspects of seminary formation.

Above all, enflame their hearts with love so they will be ardent and gentle shepherds for Your church.

We make this prayer through the great High Priest, Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

**St. Charles Borromeo, patron saint of
Seminarists, pray for us.**

The Women's Gospel Group

WHEN: MONDAYS

6:30-7:30pm OLOP Chapel

Are you looking for a way to strengthen
your relationship with our Lord?

Join our Women's Reflection Group / Faith Sharing for Women.

I invite you to join us as we pray, read, discuss, and reflect on the upcoming Gospel for the week, and share our experiences that shape, challenge, enhance, and strengthen our faith. Feel free to share or sit quietly and listen. If you can't make it every week, come when you can. For those of you who can't participate in person, please join us via Zoom! Please contact Patty Barse if interested at:

gospelreflection2023@gmail.com

and she will forward the Zoom link to you.



MUSIC MINISTRY

CHOIR SCHEDULE / 2025-2026

MASSES: All Choir Masses are at 11:00AM

Unless otherwise noted

ADULT CHOIR REHEARSALS: Tuesdays at 7:00PM

Unless noted otherwise

CANTORS: Rehearsal after choir as needed

JUNE: June 16th: Last Choir Rehearsal

June 21st: Last Choir Mass, 11:00AM

June 23rd: Cantor Rehearsal, 7:00PM

Choir Rehearsals will resume on

Tuesday, August 25th at 7:00PM

Choir Masses will resume on

Sunday, September 6th, 11:00 Mass

STITCHING MINISTRY

The Padre Pio Stitching Ministry creates handmade items that bring comfort and share Christ's love throughout our community.

This past year, we donated baby hats to Inspira Hospital, Pet blankets for the South Jersey Regional SPCA, Hats, scarves and fingerless gloves to Code Blue, Lap blankets to the NJ Veterans Home, and Baby items and blankets to the NJ military support group.

Our Ministry meets on Fridays from 10AM til 12 Noon
in the Rectory of St. Padre Pio Parish,
4680 Dante Avenue, Vineland, N.J.

All skill levels are welcome!!

For more information call Paula @ 856-498-1730



Many families will be away on vacation during the summer months. However, our expenses do not go away during that time. Our operating expenses continue throughout the year. Please know that your weekly contributions during those low cash flow months is needed and greatly appreciated.



Prayer to Saint Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen



Christmas Bazaar

November 8th / 9am til 5pm
Rosary Hall / Cornucopia Avenue

Calling all crafters

Contact: Marie Kammerdiener
856-265-6839

Raffle Baskets needed!!!

Planning Meeting
Tuesday, June 30th / Rosary Hall 7PM



SAVE THE DATE

St. Padre Pio Festival Planning Meeting
Wednesday, July 15th, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM
All Booth Captains are asked to please try & attend.

We are always in need of volunteers. If you volunteered in 2025, we look forward to seeing you again this year.

Festival Date: September 20th

Volunteer sign-up sheets will be available in June, however, if you wish to sign up now, you may call the Parish office M-F 9AM til 5PM
856-691-7526

VIRTUS Protecting God's Children for Adults

All Adults- Volunteers and Employees who are in regular contact with minors in the Diocese of Camden must complete an in-person safe environment training program. Adults must be recertified in this program, VIRTUS Protecting God's Children, after five years. Please contact the parish office or school to register for the next courses:

Saint Vincent de Paul (Mays Landing)
06/27/2026-9:30a.m. Robin Strough (Instructor) 35 Person maximum

For more information or questions, contact Robin Strough, Director of the Office of Child and Youth Protection for the Diocese of Camden, at Robin.Strough@camdendiocese.org or 856-583-6114

Stewardship

Yearly Collection Goal: \$525,161.00

Weekly Collection Goal: \$10,940.00

Monthly Collection Goal: \$43,763.00

06/07:

PARISH MEETINGS & EVENTS CALENDAR

St. Vincent de Paul / Place all donations in white cart in

Rectory vestibule

Bingo Support Preparation Team, Tuesdays, Rosary Hall, 10:00AM

06/16/26: St. Joseph's Society, Monthly Meeting

Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

07/08/26: K of C Membership Meeting, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

07/21/26: St. Joseph's Society, Monthly Meeting

Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

08/10/26: Parish Council Meeting, Rectory, 7:00PM

08/12/26: K of C Membership Meeting, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

08/18/26: St. Joseph's Society, Monthly Meeting

Rosary Hall, 7:00PM



Support the South Jersey Scholarship Fund's

Spring Sprint for Scholarships Appeal

running now through June 30. In the 2025-26 school year, the fund provided scholarship assistance for 179 Catholic school students in the Diocese of Camden. For many of these families, this support enabled them to continue sending their children to Catholic school. For more information or to contribute, visit southjerseyscholarshipfund.org. / or send payment to:

South Jersey Scholarship Fund 631 Market Street Camden, NJ 08102

ATTENTION ALL 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Students

If you would like to work the Padre Pio Festival this year & would like to earn service hours for Confirmation, please call the parish office at

856-691-7526

Volunteer sheets are also available in the vestibule of OLP



SODA & BOTTLED WATER DRIVE

We are asking for donations of cans of soda Regular and Diet (Coke, Pepsi, Ginger Ale etc.) and bottled water for our Festival in September.

The next time you go shopping, don't go past the soda & water aisle without thinking "festival".

Please drop off all donations in the Rectory vestibule.

THANK YOU!!!!!!



Additional floor personnel are needed for our Friday night Bingo 5PM until 9PM. Any amount of time you can volunteer is greatly appreciated.

For Information call Aileen Seigfried:
609-214-0792



Bingo Night
Friday, June 19th
St. Padre Pio Parish
Rosary Hall
Doors open at 5:00PM
Bingo starts at 7:00PM



"Almighty ever-living God, lead us to a share in the joys of Heaven, so that the humble flock may reach where the brave Shepherd has gone before."

Heavenly Father we ask you to send laborers into your harvest

Inspire, in the hearts of your people, vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Bless our families with a spirit of generosity. So that those whom you call have the courage to give themselves to your Church in faith. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



RELIGIOUS
FREEDOM
WEEK

Consecrating the United States to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

On June 11, as part of the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, the U.S. bishops consecrated the United States of America to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Religious freedom allows the Church, and all religious communities, to live out their faith in public and to serve the good of all. Beginning June 22, the feast of **Sts. Thomas More and John Fisher**, the USCCB invites Catholics to **pray, reflect, and act** to promote religious freedom.



Traveling Mary Statue

"Hail Mary Full of Grace"

May is the month of Mary

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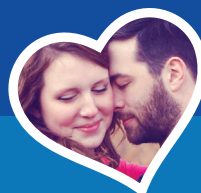
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