

Saint Padre Pio Parish

The Diocesan Shrine of St. Pio of Pietrelcina

June 28, 2026–13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4680 Dante Avenue
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Parish Office Hours

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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REWARD



“Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple—amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.”

MATTHEW 10:42

Welcome!

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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 27th
5:00pm/OLP

Vigil
Bronislawa & Marcin Krawczyk
By The Krawczyk Family

Sunday, June 28th
7:30am/OLP

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
People of the Parish
Lorraine Franceschini
By Helen Levari & Family
Helena Bernard Lotkowski
By Margaret & Ignatius Bik & Family
Dolores Genovese
By Leo & Doris Duquette
Giancarlo Giovannetti
By Margaret & Ignatius Bik & Family
Irene Bezak
By Margaret & Ignatius Bik & Family
Theresa Harris
By Margaret & Ignatius Bik & Family
Marie Dandrea
By Patti Dalponte
James Pagliughi
By Helen Levari
Gennaro Bifulco

9:00am/OLP

By Mark & Lisa Benedetto
Carter Lamb
By Women's Gospel Reflection Group
St. Padre Pio Parish

11:00am/OLP

Elisa Fracassi
By Donna & Bob Cleveland
Sts. Peter & Paul

Monday, June 29th
8:15am/StM

Rita Quinn, Philip Quinn & Deceased Members of the Cresci Family

Tuesday, June 30th
8:15am/StM

Weekday
Peter Sparacio
By Fred & Joan Richmond

Wednesday, July 1st
8:15am/StM

Weekday
Erin McKenna
By The Heibel Family

Thursday, July 2nd
8:15am/StM

Weekday
Robert Uebelacker
By Jack & Carol Gribble
Padre Pio Novena & Benediction

7:00pm/HCC
Friday, July 3rd
8:15am/StM

First Friday
Arthur P. Smaniotto, Jr.
By the Cowan Family

Saturday, July 4th
9:00am/StM

First Saturday
Janet & David Belfi
By Loving Family
Vigil

5:00pm/OLP

People of the Parish
John & Letty Duffy (In Thanksgiving)
Marie Dandrea
By Lee Ann Rohs & Family
Pauline Renzi
By Jason & Aileen Seigfried
Madeline Oertle
By Loving Husband Frank
Gennaro Bifulco
By Richard & Beverly Walsh
Martin Tubertini
By Mrs. Paula Doe & Sons

Sunday, July 5th
7:30am/OLP

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Nathan Sparacio
By Mr. & Mrs. Steven Bertonazzi
Slawek Wawrzyniak
By The Krawczyk Family
Marie Herring
Pete & Mannelta Bylone

9:00am/OLP

11:00am/OLP

With Opened Bible / Fr. Dimitri 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Whoever receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and whoever receives a righteous man because he is a righteous man will receive a righteous man's reward." (Matthew 10, 41)

The prophet Elisha promised the woman who helped him the blessing of a child, and Jesus spoke of the prophet's reward. But what is the reality of this?

This Sunday's first reading and Gospel invite us to reflect on the fruits—or blessings—of charity, kindness, and compassion. Both readings encourage us to choose what is good, for it draws God's blessings down upon our families and us. In the Old Testament, there was a time when people believed that the sins of parents brought down God's wrath upon their children: "Our ancestors, who sinned, are no more; but now we bear their guilt" (Lamentations 5:7).

The reverse is also true. God bestows His blessing upon those who fear Him—that is, those who listen to His voice and practice justice: "For I, the LORD, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their ancestors' wickedness on the children of those who hate me, down to the third and fourth generation; but showing love down to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments" (Exodus 20:5–6).

This truth applies today to the woman who welcomed and cared for the prophet Elisha with love and generosity. She had no children, but because she acted with love toward the man of God and contributed to his well-being, God rewarded her: "This time next year you will be fondling a baby son." (2 Kings 4:16)

To the crowds, Jesus said: "Whoever receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and whoever receives a righteous person because he is a righteous person will receive a righteous person's reward." (Matthew 10:16). Indeed, his word is trustworthy: upon those who do good to others (especially to God's servants), heaven showers its blessings.



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, Andrea Cheli, Theodore Conrad, Jim Daly, Anthony Damato, Anne M. Dondero, Agnes Dondero, Hannah Elbuef, Katie Faldetta, James Farrell, Donald Flocchi, Sr., Linda Gallina, Patricia Gandy, Madeline Graciolett, Larry Gray, Shirley Gray, Howard Hammerstedt, Leokadia Krawczyk, Henry Lamb, Dominic Loperogolo, Lucille Magolda, Charles Maines, Jose Matos, Jack 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, Carol Suppa, Pat Tirelli, Gloria Ventura, Christopher Waxmonsky, Eddie R. Williams



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Gen. Jennifer Hammerstedt,
Airman Dominic DiGiovacchino
Captain Rocco Sangataldo, 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
2nd Lt. Angela Dalesandro

Coast Guard: BMC Matthew Coulter

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

Festival Basket Raffle

We are in need of donations for our
Festival Basket Raffle.

All donations may be dropped off at the Parish office
Monday through Friday between 9AM & 5PM
Each year, the baskets become more unique
and well designed

We look forward to this year's creations!!



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

Sanctuary Lamp/OLP

**In Memory of
Michael Marino**

Requested by
Loving Wife Gail

Sanctuary Lamp/St. Mary's

**For Special Intention
for Family**
Requested by
Saralyn Bergamo

Flowers in Front of the Holy Family

**In Loving Memory
of
Madeline Oertle**

Requested by
Loving Husband Frank

St. Padre Pio Candle

**In Memory of
Michele Sutter**

Requested by
Beverly Walsh

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



The Altar Rosary Society
is conducting a fund raiser to
honor the memory of
Fr. Peter Saporito.

The funds collected will be used to
update and improve the pond on the
grounds of

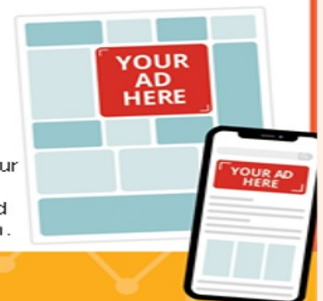
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The Women's Gospel Group

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.



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



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**

MUSIC MINISTRY

CHOIR SCHEDULE / 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

Choir Rehearsals will resume on

Tuesday, August 25th at 7:00PM

Choir Masses will resume on

Sunday, September 6th, 11:00 Mass



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.



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



Baptism

On June 14th
we welcomed
Chloe Nicole Haslett
to the Church and our
St. Padre Pio parish family.

Stewardship

Yearly Collection Goal: \$525,161.00
Weekly Collection Goal: \$10,940.00
Monthly Collection Goal: \$43,763.00
06/07: \$8,409.00 / 06/14: \$9,619.00

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

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

09/09/26: K of C Membership Meeting, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

09/15/26: St. Joseph's Society, Monthly Meeting
Rosary Hall, 7:00PM



Dear Path to Life Partners,

The Board & Staff of Cornerstone would like to take this opportunity to thank those of you who helped to make the **Baby Bottle Boomerang** a success. This has been a wonderful fundraiser & God has blessed the return of these bottles even in these difficult economic times. Knowing that we have such a great number of you who believe in the ministry is a true blessing. Thank you for being so generous with your hearts, your gift of giving, & most of all, your prayers.

God has surely blessed all of your hard work & dedication, which ensures the continuation of our services & ministry.

Due to your efforts, over \$3,262.00 was collected this year!
You have truly shown us that "with God all things are possible"
& that He meets all our needs!

His for Life,
Christy Colozzi
Executive Director



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

No Bingo Friday, July 3rd
Bingo resumes on Friday, July 10th

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.

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



Rosary Making Made Easy

Please join us in Rosary Hall
Thursday, July 9th

12 noon or 7PM

No experience necessary
Instructions will be provided



Traveling Mary Statue

"Hail Mary Full of Grace"

May is the month of Mary

She is waiting for you to take her home

There is a sign out book on the cabinet
on the choir side in the back of the church

Feel free to sign up in advance

What a wonderful way to honor Our Lady
by inviting her into your home.



The Parish office will be closed on Friday, July 3rd
& will reopen on Monday, July 6th at 9AM

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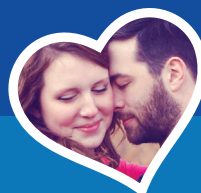
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