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Sunday, April 19, 2026

Third Sunday of Easter

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Mass Schedule:

Saint Anne Church

Every day: 8:00 a.m.

Tuesdays: 8:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Saturdays (Vigil): 4:00 p.m.

Sundays: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
and 6:00 p.m.

Saint Winifred Church

M, W, F: 9:00 a.m.

Saturdays (Vigil): 5:30 p.m.

Sundays: 11:30 a.m.

Confessions:

Saint Anne Church

Tuesdays: 5:15 - 6:15 PM

Saturdays: 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

Saint Winifred Church

Saturdays: 4:45 PM - 5:15 PM

Eucharistic Adoration:

Saint Anne Church

Tuesdays, after the 8:00 AM Mass,
with Benediction at 6:15 PM.

Divine Mercy Holy Hour:

Saint Anne Church

Tuesdays, at 3:00 PM

LORD, you will show
us the path of life.

- Psalm 16:11a



Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 19, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Dolores Graney (AD), requested by The Graney Family
10:00 AM (St. A) Giuseppe Strangis, requested by Maria Strangis & family
11:30 AM (St. W) Irma Demeure, requested by Jolly Lloyd
6:00 PM (St. A) For the People of the Parish

Monday, April 20, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Sharon Shaffer Snatchko, requested by Fr. Joe Uzar & family
9:00 AM (St. W) Shellie Graves, requested by the SHC Community

Tuesday, April 21, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Donald L. Hillebrand, requested by the St. Paul of the Cross Fair Committee
6:30 PM (St. A) Angela Garofoli, requested by Florence Garofoli & Lisa Rizzo

Wednesday, April 22, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Susan Martinelli, requested by Jan & John Breier & Joni Lynn
9:00 AM (St. W) Special Intention for Barnard Tittmann, requested by Brian & Katie Tittmann

Thursday, April 23, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Gabriel Lee Mortimer, requested by his family

Friday, April 24, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Tom Foley, requested by Bob Topoleski
9:00 AM (St. W) The Strittmatter & Dozzi Families, requested by SHCA

Saturday, April 25, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Tommy Pacconi (BR), requested by Paul & Darlene Vietmeier
4:00 PM (St. A) William & Janet Mitchel (50th Wedding Anniversary), requested by Diane Krappweis
5:30 PM (St. W) Jack K. & Mary Kalogeris, requested by The Daugherty & McKenzie Families

Sunday, April 26, 2026

- 8:00 AM (St. A) Art Green, requested by Rich & Beverly Burgundy
10:00 AM (St. A) Fr. John Moineau, requested by Chris Lazarchik
11:30 AM (St. W) For the People of the Parish
12:00 PM (St. A) First Holy Communion
6:00 PM (St. A) Joann Cossack, requested by Phyllis Brandi & family

Requiescat in pace

In your prayers please also remember to pray for **Marsha A. Gaupp** and all the deceased members of Saint Paul of the Cross Parish.

Parish News

From the Pastor

And it happened that, while he was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight.

- Luke 24:30-31

This Sunday, we read of two disciples walking to Emmaus with Jesus, but "their eyes were prevented from recognizing him." until he broke the bread - and at that very moment, he vanished. Although He was gone from their sight, He was not absent; instead, He became present in a new way through the breaking of the bread.

In this reading, the Lord reveals Himself as the Living Bread. He also reminds us that He has never left our side, but remains present in His Church in new, hidden ways. So that we may come to believe, even though we cannot see Him.

May this Scripture serve as a reminder to open our eyes to the True Presence of Christ: in the Scriptures, in the Eucharist, in the Sacraments, and in us—the very life of the Church.

Also, thank you to all those who joined us in praying the Divine Mercy Novena last week!

Fr. Joe

Baptisms

Last weekend, **Stella Patricia Hall**, child of Christopher & Cassandra Hall, received the Sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for Stella, her parents and Godparents. Congratulations!



Little Sisters of the Poor 2nd Collection

The Little Sisters of the Poor and their volunteers will be with us after all masses the weekend of **April 25th and 26th** to collect for their mission.



Your contributions enable them to continue the work of their foundress, Saint Jeanne Jugan, in caring for the elderly poor at their Home on Benton Avenue in Brighton Heights. They are counting on your continued support.

Church collection donations can also be given online at www.littlesistersofthepoorpittsburgh.org, by scanning the QR code, or by asking a Sister or volunteer for an envelope. We remember you in our daily prayers.



*Thank You
For Your
Generosity!*

Parish Offertory: April 12, 2026

Offertory: \$17,194.51 Youth Ministry: \$1,992.00
Utilities: \$246.38

Online Giving with Faith Direct

For information about how you can give online, visit our website at stpaulofthecross.com/Support. You can set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift.


If you would like to submit a photo for an event to be included in the bulletin, please contact the bulletin editor, Isabel Heard at iheard@stpaulofthecross.com.

Ministry Announcements

Lunches for the Hungry

Please consider a financial donation to Lunches for the Hungry. With your compassionate support our Lunches for the Hungry volunteers will continue to pack 150 bags monthly to be distributed to the Red Door in Pittsburgh.

We ask for financial donations as this allows us to buy food in bulk. Checks should be made out to St. Paul of the Cross Parish, with Lunches for the Hungry in the memo line.



Substance Addiction Ministry

Please join us in Saint Anne Church this **Tuesday, April 21st, and the third Tuesday of every month, at 5:45 PM** when we pray the Rosary For Recovery before Mass. This Prayer is offered for those suffering from addiction, and for loved ones lost to the disease of addiction.

Militia of the Immaculata

The Militia of the Immaculata prays a Rosary on the **third Tuesday of the month, at 5:45 PM** with the Substance Abuse Addiction Ministry in front of the Blessed Sacrament. There is a short meeting after the Rosary in the Convent Dining Room. For more information visit militiaoftheimmaculata.com or contact Sharon Dare, moderator, at (412) 833-7562.



Diaper Drive

The St. Paul of the Cross Respect Life Ministry will be collecting diapers for the St. Winifred Food Pantry before all masses on the weekend of **May 9th and 10th**. We are accepting donations for both infants and adults. If you prefer to make a monetary donation, please make checks out to St. Paul of the Cross Parish. Thank you for your generosity!

Diaper Sizes Needed

For Adults: All sizes

For Infants: All sizes (especially sizes 4, 5 & 6), with the exception for size 3

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Tues., April 21

8:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration at St. Anne Church
3:00 PM Divine Mercy Holy Hour at St. Anne Church
5:00 PM Lunches for the Hungry meeting in the Convent Dining Rm
5:15 PM Confessions at St. Anne Church
5:45 PM Rosary for Recovery and Militia of the Immaculata at St. Anne Church
7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul meeting in the DePalma Rm

Wed., April 22

7:00 PM OCIA meeting in the DePalma Rm
8:30 PM AA meeting in the Convent Dining Rm

Thurs., April 23

6:00 PM First Communion Practice in Harkins Hall
7:00 PM Journey of Grief Spring Session meeting in the DePalma Rm

Sat., April 25

11:00 AM Confessions at St. Anne Church
4:45 PM Confessions at St. Winifred Church
9:00 NA meeting in the Convent Dining Rm

Sun., April 26

12:00 PM First Communion in St. Anne Church

Book Club

The Saint Paul of the Cross book club will be meeting on **May 6th at 7:00 PM** in the Choir Room to discuss *The Privilege of Being a Woman* by Alice von Hildebrand. Anyone is invited to attend. For questions or information, please contact Michele May at (412) 600-8318.



Parish & Community Announcements



Parish Fair and Flea Market

The annual parish fair is right around the corner! Save the dates of **June 8th –13th** on your calendars so you can join us for a week of fun rides, delicious food, and fellowship with your parish community! As we get closer, stay tuned for more information in the bulletin and on our website!

Raffle Tickets

All registered parish families will receive Raffle tickets in the mail towards the end of the month. Since the Cash Raffle goes such a long way in ensuring the financial success of the Parish Fair, please do your best to either purchase or sell all the tickets you receive. If you return the ticket stubs and money to the parish office by **4:00 PM on Friday, May 29th**, you will be eligible for a **\$50.00 cash prize!** You may return the tickets to the office by either dropping them off, mailing them in, or putting them in the offertory baskets.

Flea Market Information

The St. Paul of the Cross Parish Flea Market is currently seeking donations of **any and all jewelry**, including costume jewelry, 925 Silver, broken or mismatched treasures, and even watches that no longer run. Items can be dropped off at the parish office during regular business hours.

Please note that we are **only accepting jewelry at this time**; information regarding our annual truck for all other donations will be available very soon. Thank you!



This Weekend Is The Archangel Gabriel Parish 6th Annual Kite Festival

All ages, young and old, with kites big and small, are invited to break away from our computers for some outdoor fun! No registration needed! Come join us anytime between **12:00 PM and 4:00 PM this Sunday, April 19th** at the **Youthtowne Retreat Center and soccer fields** near Pittsburgh International

Airport. Please note that no pets are allowed at the event. For more information, scan the QR code or go to archangelgabrielparish.org/kitefestival



Turn Your Taxes Into Tuition

The Pennsylvania Education Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Program allows you to use your PA tax dollars (money you already pay!) to support the **Pittsburgh Catholic Schools Scholarship Program** instead of sending them to the state.

Anyone interested in supporting Catholic education can participate with a two-year commitment. Best of all, you do not need to have a child or grandchild enrolled in a Catholic school to take part!

To learn more about the program and how to make a commitment, please scan the QR code or visit: www.diopitt.org/EITC



Magnificat Prayer Breakfast for Women

Join us on **Saturday, May 16, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM** for a prayer-filled breakfast featuring guest speaker Kim Rodriguez-Torres. The event will be hosted at the Diocese of Pittsburgh Pastoral Center, O'Connor Hall, located at **2900 Noblestown Road, Pittsburgh 15205**.

The morning will include a delicious food, praise and worship, fellowship, and music by Living Praise.

Registration is \$35. For more information or to register online please scan the QR code or visit: <https://www.magnificatpittsburgh.org/>



Ministries and Contact Information



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Wed. 8:30 AM - 7:30 PM
Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM
Sun. 8:30 -11:30 AM

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