

# Ss PETER & PAUL

MARCH 16, 2025 | 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

*"Your true glory in Heaven is something that we hope to one day behold."*



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Reflect, today, upon Peter and his two companions, James and John. Prayerfully ponder them asleep as Jesus was transfigured in glory. Reflect upon them waking up and beginning to realize what was taking place before them. Consider Peter's excitement and amazement and the effect that had on him. And then ponder how these disciples eventually did go forth to build the Church, the house of God, so that they and many others would come to meet Christ. Pray that the witness of these disciples will inspire you to follow in their footsteps.

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## WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

### SATURDAY

5:00 pm *Vigil Mass*

### SUNDAY

8:30 am | 10:00 am | 12:00 pm

## DAILY LITURGIES

Monday ▶ Friday  
Mass 12:10 pm

## CHURCH OPENING HOURS

(Weather Permitting)

Monday thru Friday 11:30 am → 1:30 pm  
Saturday 3:30 pm → 6 pm  
Sunday 8 am → 1 pm

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Friday: 10 am - 4 pm  
Saturday | Sunday: closed

Call for other urgent arrangements.

## This Week's Mass Intentions

### Saturday, March 15

5:00 pm † *In Loving Memory of* Patrick Fitzgerald

### Sunday, March 16

8:30 am People of the Parish

10:00 am † *In Loving Memory of* Margaret Anne Robillard

12:00 pm † *In Loving Memory of* Michael Rountree

### Monday, March 17\* with Music 🍀 St. Patrick's Day 🍀

12:10 pm † *In Loving Memory of* Peter Zanin

### Tuesday, March 18

12:10 pm † *In Loving Memory of* Peter Zanin

### Wednesday, March 19 St. Joseph's Day

#### Mass of Remembrance

12:10 pm † Maria and Anastacio Nunez

† *In Loving Memory of* Robert Castellano

† Father William J. Melillo

### Thursday, March 20

12:10 pm † Walter and Anna Carowicz

### Friday, March 21

12:10 pm For Those That Are Currently Incarcerated

(Simple Stations of the Cross following Mass)

### Saturday, March 22

5:00 pm † *In Loving Memory of* Albert LaBook

### Sunday, March 23

8:30 am † Dennis Potter

10:00 am People of the Parish

12:00 pm † *In Loving Memory of* Frank Giangolano

## Baptism Ministry

See Dates & Details on Parish Website  
Staff Contact: Stephanie Panzariello

Ministry Assistants:  
Nico Vasil, Muzzi John Roggio

## Marriage Ministry

See requirements & details on Parish Website  
Staff Contact: Gina Andreano

Ministry Assistant:  
Sheila Mulcahy

## Confession

Confessions are  
by appointment.

Contact the Parish Office.

Please consider helping us to defray the expense of these necessary items by donating: Hosts, Altar Flowers, Sanctuary Tabernacle Candle, Altar Wine.

The requested donation for each is \$25.00.

## This Week...

The Blessed Mother Votive Lamp is donated  
*With Birthday Blessings for*  
**Pat Dell'Aquila**

The Saint Joseph Votive Lamp is donated  
*In Thanksgiving for*  
**Bob Carroll**

The Sacred Heart of Jesus Votive Lamp is donated  
*For the Health & Well-Being of*  
**Monsignor Neil Mahoney**

The Altar Flowers are donated  
*In Thanksgiving for*  
**Anthony Romano and Staff**  
**of Louise & Jerry's**

The Altar Hosts are donated  
*In Loving Memory of*  
**Michael Rountree**

The Sacramental Wine is donated  
*In Loving Memory of*  
**Michael Rountree**

The Sanctuary Tabernacle Candle is donated  
*In Loving Memory of*  
**Gladys Hernandez**

*God Bless Your Generosity.*



St. Patrick of Ireland is one of the world's most popular saints. He was born in Roman Britain and when he was fourteen or so, he was captured by Irish pirates during a raiding party and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. At the time, Ireland was a land of Druids and pagans but Patrick turned to God and wrote his memoir, The Confession. In The Confession, he wrote:

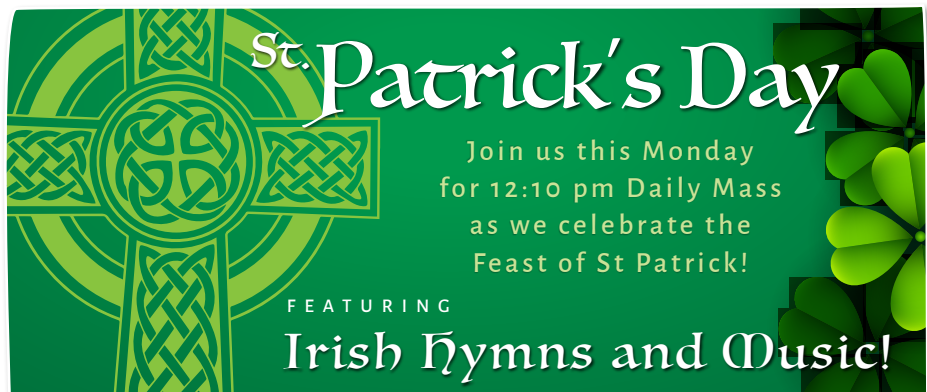
"The love of God and his fear grew in me more and more, as did the faith, and my soul was rosed, so that, in a single day, I have said as many as a hundred prayers and in the night, nearly the same. I prayed in the woods and on the mountain, even before dawn. I felt no hurt from the snow or ice or rain."

Patrick's captivity lasted until he was twenty, when he escaped after having a dream from God in which he was told to leave Ireland by going to the coast. There he found some sailors who took him back to Britain and was reunited with his family.

A few years after returning home, Patrick saw a vision he described in his memoir: "I saw a man coming, as it were from Ireland. His name was Victoricus, and he carried many letters, and he gave me one of them. I read the heading: 'The Voice of the Irish.' As I began the letter, I imagined in that moment that I heard the voice of those very people who were near the wood of Foclut, which is beside the western sea-and they cried out, as with one voice: 'We appeal to you, holy servant boy, to come and walk among us.'" The vision prompted his studies for the priesthood. He was ordained by St. Germanus, the Bishop of Auxerre, whom he had studied under for years, and was later ordained a bishop and sent to take the Gospel to Ireland.

Patrick arrived in Slane, Ireland on March 25, 433. There are several legends about what happened next, with the most prominent claiming he met the chieftan of one of the druid tribes, who tried to kill him. After an intervention from God, Patrick was able to convert the chieftain and preach the Gospel throughout Ireland. There, he converted many people -eventually thousands - and he began building churches across the country. He often used shamrocks to explain the Holy Trinity and entire kingdoms were eventually converted to Christianity after hearing Patrick's message.

Patrick preached and converted all of Ireland for 40 years. He worked many miracles and wrote of his love for God in Confessions. After years of living in poverty, traveling and enduring much suffering he died March 17, 461. He died at Saul, where he had built the first Irish church. He is believed to be buried in Down Cathedral, Downpatrick. His grave was marked in 1990 with a granite stone.



# 2025 MASS BOOK

**The requested Donation for intentions is as follows:**

- Hosts: **\$25**
- Sacramental Wine: **\$25**
- Flowers: **\$25**
- Sanctuary Candle: **\$25**
- Mass: **\$10**
- The Blessed Mother Votive Lamp: **\$25**
- The Saint Joseph Votive Lamp: **\$25**
- The Sacred Heart of Jesus Votive Lamp: **\$25**

**Check or Money Order made payable to Ss Peter and Paul.**

In order to give everyone a chance at their requested Mass(es), please have your list prepared in advance - 10 per request. We will do our best to honor your request or provide you with the closest available date.

## Additional Collection THIS MONTH

**March 16**  
**Easter Flowers**



*Funds the beautifying our church with flowers in anticipation of the Resurrection of our Lord.*

## THE PRIESTLY POWER OF THREE

**Our online ticket sales have reached capacity for our Feast Day Event, celebrating the 25th Anniversary Ordination of Msgr Michael!**

Please contact Stephanie Panzariello ([stephanie.panzariello@spphoboken.com](mailto:stephanie.panzariello@spphoboken.com)) at the Parish office for manual purchasing options.



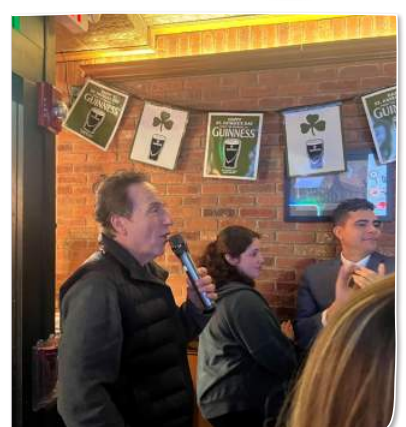
If you would like to make a donation towards the Celebration, you can do so also through the QR Code, or via check made payable to Ss Peter and Paul Legacy Fund!

Questions? Please contact Gina Andreano at [gina.andreano@spphoboken.com](mailto:gina.andreano@spphoboken.com)

# MARDI GRAS \* GATHERING \*

We thank Commissioner **Anthony Romano**, **Pam & Hector Layson**, **Doris, Stephanie**, and **Jaeda**, of **Louise & Jerry's** for hosting us so generously! Thanks, too, to **Nicole Spano** for coordinating the evening with Louise & Jerry's (L&J's)!

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# RCIA 2025



We are blessed to have a robust group of 16 in our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Program this cycle. The Program is directed by **Mr. Michael Duffy**, who recently accompanied the members of the RCIA to their respective liturgies at the Cathedral Basilica in Newark.

**Ryan Korzinski**

**Kennedy Ng**

**Carly Longo**

**Faith Maccione**

**Erin Wilson**

**Brendan Boardingham**

**Arianna Gonzalez**

**Dennis Ricardo Huergo**

**Matteo Favazzo**

**Jack Egan**

**Bryan Drastal**

**Adrienne Sacchetti**

**Julian Henry**

**Wei Liu**

**Shane Deaton**

**Dalton Famalaro**

Please continue to pray for all of our participants, as they are now in proximate preparation to receive their respective Sacraments at this Year's Easter Vigil (April 19). We are grateful and admire the entire group for their commitment and active participation in their period of Study.

*Let give thanks to God  
for the growth in  
our community of faith!*

## CALL TO CONTINUING CONVERSION



On Saturday, March 8, at our Cathedral Basilica in Newark, 10 of our Candidates, **Dennis Ricardo Huergo, Arianna Gonzalez, Brendan Boardingham, Jack Egan, Kennedy Ng, Ryan Korzinski, Bryan Drastal, Matteo Favazzo, Faith Maccione, and Carly Longo** (all of who are already Baptized in either the Catholic Faith or one of the other Christian Denominations) were present for their Call to Continuing Conversion (CCC) for Full Communion in our Catholic Faith. These are either Baptized Catholics who had missed receiving their First Communion/Confirmation, or Baptized other Christians who now seek to convert to the Catholic Faith.

## RITE OF ELECTION



On Sunday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, four of our Catechumens, **Wei Liu, Dalton Famalaro, Shane Deaton, Julian Henry** (those who are newly joining the Catholic Christian Faith, who will be Baptized and receive their other Sacraments of Initiation - First Communion and Confirmation), participated in the Rite of Election (ROE) at our Cathedral Basilica in Newark.

Kick-off the Lenten Season at SPP by serving those in need in our community!

# SANDWICH SUNDAY

MARCH 16, 2025

...at 1 pm in the Lower Church



For more info...  
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If you are interested in sponsoring a future Sandwich Sunday, please contact  
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## LENT, HOLY WEEK & EASTER 2025

### SCHEDULE OF LITURGIES

#### **PALM SUNDAY WEEKEND**

SATURDAY, APRIL 12

**Vigil Mass**  
5 pm

SUNDAY, APRIL 13

**Masses at**

\* 8 am, 10 am, 12 Noon

*\*Note: Time is different from usual Sunday Mass!*

\*\*\*Note: The usual 12:10pm Mass will continue on Monday (3/25), Tuesday (3/26), and Wednesday (3/27), but NOT on Holy Thursday & Good Friday.

#### **HOLY THURSDAY**

THURSDAY, APRIL 17

**Mass of the Lord's Supper**  
7 pm

**Adoration**

8 pm until Midnight

#### **GOOD FRIDAY**

FRIDAY, APRIL 18

**Passion of the Lord Service**  
3 pm

**Solemn Stations of the Cross**  
7 pm

#### **HOLY SATURDAY**

SATURDAY, APRIL 19

**Easter Vigil**  
7:30 pm

#### **EASTER SUNDAY**

SUNDAY, APRIL 20

**Masses at**

\* 8 am, 10 am, 12 Noon

*\*Note: Time is different from usual Sunday Mass!*

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