

# Saint Padre Pio Parish

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Vineland, NJ 08361  
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Rev. Robert L. Sinatra, J.C.L., Pastor  
Rev. Sungheum John Kim, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Patrick McStravog, O.S.A., Weekend Assistant  
Deacon Richard T. Sampson

## Our Lady of Pompeii

4680 Dante Avenue  
Vineland, NJ  
Mass:  
Saturday, 5:00 PM  
Sunday, 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 AM

## Saint Mary

736 Union Road  
Vineland, NJ  
Weekdays  
Mon., 7:00 PM  
Tues.-Friday, 8:15 AM  
First Saturday, 9:00 AM

## Sacrament of Reconciliation:

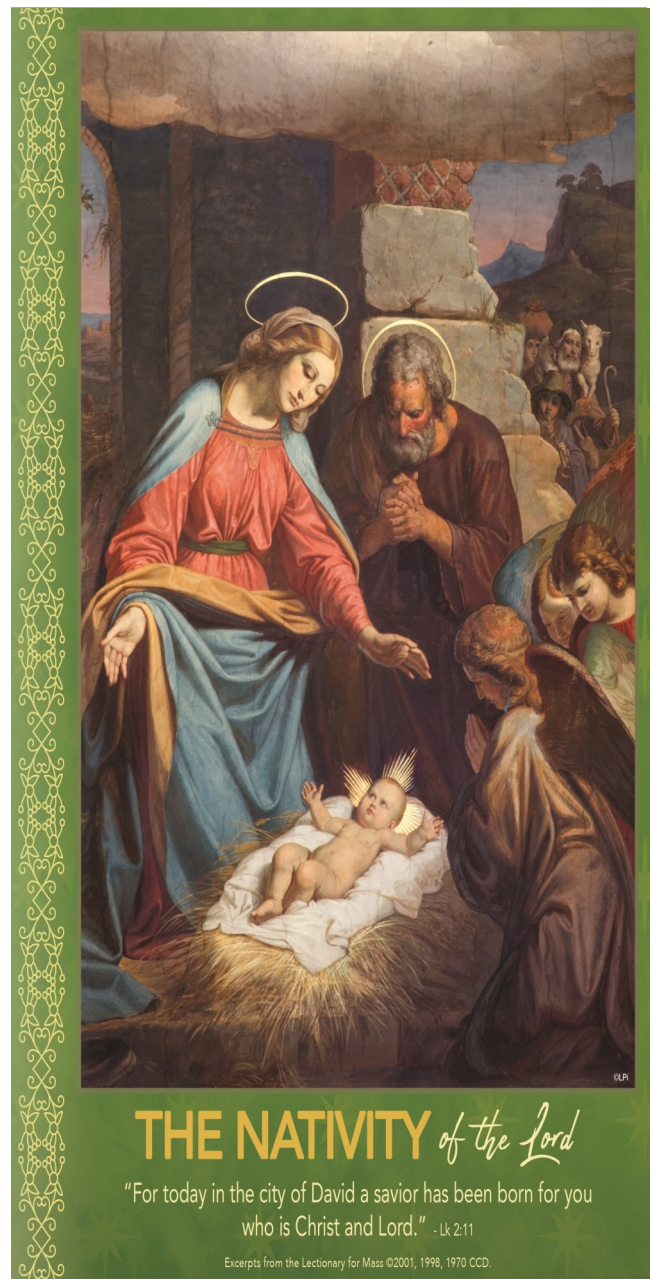
Saturday afternoon 4:15-4:45 pm  
Anytime by appointment.

## St. Mary School

735 Union Road  
Vineland, NJ  
[www.smrschool.org](http://www.smrschool.org)  
**Phone:** (856) 692-8537  
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[padrepioreled@gmail.com](mailto:padrepioreled@gmail.com)

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Safe Environment Coordinator  
Barbara Bailey



# Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> *Vigil*  
 5:00pm/OLP **Mazzoli & Siciliano Families**  
 By Loving Family

Sunday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> *4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent*  
 7:30am/OLP **People of the Parish**  
**Thomas Ambrose**  
 By Loving Family  
**Margaret Dobson**  
 By Daughter Jeannine  
**Mary Beth Tobolski**  
 By Janet Uebelacker  
**Special Intention**  
 By Jack Krowczyk  
**Edwin Bergamo**  
 By Bill & Maria Martini & Family  
**Rosemary Buono**  
 By Bill & Joan Martini  
**Jack Barretta**  
 By Jim & Elena Bononcini  
 9:00am/OLP **Bruno & Katherine Mattioli**  
 By Mr. & Mrs. Jack Quinlan  
 11:00am/OLP **Andy & Louise Braid**  
 By Michael Mackert & Susan Braid

Monday, December 24<sup>th</sup> *Late Advent Weekday*  
 4:00pm/**Gym** **Names Placed in Remembrance**  
 4:00pm/OLP **Names Placed in Remembrance**  
 6:00pm/OLP **Names Placed in Remembrance**  
 12:00am/OLP **Names Placed in Remembrance**

Tuesday, December 25<sup>th</sup> *Nativity of the Lord*  
 9:00am/OLP **Names Placed in Remembrance**  
 11:00am/OLP **Names Placed in Remembrance**

Wednesday, December 26<sup>th</sup> *St. Stephen*  
 8:15am/StM **Rosemary Buono**  
 By Barbara Nardone

Thursday, December 27<sup>th</sup> *St. John/Apostle & Evangelist*  
 8:15am/StM **For the Parish Staff & Volunteers of**  
**St. Padre Pio Parish**

Friday, December 28<sup>th</sup> *The Holy Innocents*  
 8:15am/StM **Peter Tamagni**  
 By Loving Wife

Saturday, December 29<sup>th</sup> *Vigil/St. Thomas Becket*  
 5:00pm/OLP **People of the Parish**  
**Donna Ferrara**  
 By Bill & Franca Hedfield  
**Rev. Elsie Levari Scattergood**  
 By Johanne Bylone  
**Rosemary Buono**  
 By Michael & Jennifer Zerra & Family  
**Anna Magazzu-Trapani**  
 By Mr. & Mrs. Walter Abrugiato  
**John "Jack" Barretta**  
 By Anthony & Pauline Renzi  
**Special Intention for**  
**Antoinette Infranco**  
 By Robert Williams & Briele Reynolds

## Special Intentions

By Laurie LaTorre  
 Sunday, December 30<sup>th</sup> *The Holy Family*  
 7:30am/OLP **Leonard Dolson, Sr.**  
 By Wife Maria  
 9:00am/OLP **Therese Sheehan Trinkle**  
 By Ken & Stephanie Pustizzi  
 11:00am/OLP **In honor of Mr. & Mrs. Peter Tamagni**  
 By Cindy Hennessey

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE December 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>

**Readers:** 5:00P.M./OLP **Volunteer**  
 7:30A.M./OLP **Volunteer**  
 9:00A.M./OLP **Volunteer**  
 11:00A.M./OLP **Volunteer**

**EM:** 5:00P.M./OLP **5 Volunteers**  
 7:30A.M./OLP **3 Volunteers**  
 9:00A.M./OLP Deacon Rich, **4 Volunteers**  
 11:00A.M./OLP Deacon Rich, **2 Volunteers**

**New Year's Eve: Volunteers Needed**

**New Year's Day: Volunteers Needed**

## Altar Servers:

5:00P.M./OLP S & S. Horvath, B. Morey, A. Nordberg  
 7:30A.M./OLP T. Kubiak, **Volunteer**  
 9:00A.M./OLP H. Bertonazzi, **Volunteers Needed**  
 11:00A.M./OLP N. Abrams, J. & J. Alvarez, J. Mercante

## New Year's Eve:

5:00PM/OLP **Volunteers Needed**

## New Year's Day:

9:00AM/OLP B. Morey, **Volunteers Needed**  
 11:00AM/OLP **Volunteers Needed**

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesdays – 9:15a.m. – 3:00p.m. closing with evening prayer and Benediction. Holy Child Chapel is open daily from 9:15a.m. – 3:00p.m. for visitation. Experience the presence of Our Lord in the Eucharist.

## Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekends

Pope John Paul II Retreat Center, Vineland, NJ.

### Upcoming weekends

March 15-17, 2019

June 7-9, 2019

August 9-11, 2019

November 8-10, 2019

A weekend away with other engaged couples to dialogue honestly & intensively about your prospective life together.

The registration fee of \$410 includes lodging, meals & program resources for each couple.

To register, go to [www.camdendiocese.org](http://www.camdendiocese.org) & search Engaged Encounter.

For more information please contact the Office of Faith & Family Life Formation at 856-583-2903/856-583-2904 or email: [MarriagePrep@camdendiocese.org](mailto:MarriagePrep@camdendiocese.org)



### Sacrament of the Sick:

We are happy to administer the Sacrament to those at home or in the hospital. Please notify the rectory when a family member is ill and/or in the hospital. In cases of shut-ins or chronic illness, please arrange with the office for a member of the clergy or Eucharistic minister to make regular visits. You are an important part of our parish family and we want to make the Sacraments available to you.

### Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the office.

### Marriage:

Please contact the office at least six months prior to date of the celebration.

### Parish Bulletin Announcements:

Please submit in writing by 12 noon Monday.

### New Parishioners:

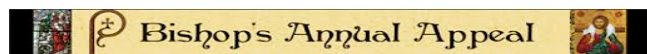
Please register at the Parish office, or online at [pppnj.org](http://pppnj.org)

### Pray for the Sick

May the Lord bring healing & renewed strength to all the sick and bless those who care for them. Amen

Jake Abrams, Cathy Andersch, John Baron, Anne "Billie" Bergamo, Vera Bertonazzi Merighi, Robert Bubel, Chris Burrows, Christine Cavaliere, Patricia Cavaliere, Charles Cestaro, Sr., Sherry Cestaro, Todd Chain, Andrea Cheli, John Cheli, Dr. Dee Dobson, Anne M. Dondero, Diane Dumont, Evan Farrington, Michele Feltman, Donald Flocchi, Sr., Delores Flaim, Ronald Franceschini, Edward Gay, Grazia Giustino, Marilyn Goldstein, Jackie Gross, Valerie Haas, Shannon Hoddinott, Toni Infranco, Tim Jacobsen, Florence Kerr, Donald Kinkade, Kristine Kousmine, John LaGreco, Joseph Letizia, McCaw Family, Jim McMahon, Patrick Murray, Emil Milano, Kathy Milano, Paul Milano, Sr., Paul Milano, Jr., Rita Milano, James Procaccino, Pauline Pace,., Paige Parker, Phil Polizzi, Frank Pozzi, Davyion Preston, Maria Procopio, Helen Rahn, Karen Richmond, Jessica Flaim Salerno, Weston Selby, Betty Sikking, Dorothy Smaniotto, Rita Smaniotto, Sheryl Soboloski, Maria Sopranzetti, Samantha Souden, Jerry St. Clair, John St. Clair, Anthony Tramontana, Joe Ucciferi, Eugene Vernacchio, Maryann Walz, Allison Winkler

To have a loved one listed on the prayer list, please call the Parish office at 856-691-7526 or email us at [prayers@pppnj.org](mailto:prayers@pppnj.org). Names will remain on the prayer list for eight weeks unless requested.



### "Walk With Me"

### Parish Goal: \$101,819.00

We invite all parishioners to participate in this important effort. To date, we have collected \$75,684.00/74.3% of our goal. Thanks to all for their ongoing support. Please prayerfully consider making a pledge today. "Charity" is the sweet & holy bond which links the soul with its Creator: It binds God with man & man with God." St. Catherine of Siena.

### St. Vincent DePaul Society

The St. Vincent DePaul Society continues to take collections for the poor. Donations may be placed in the collection boxes in the back of church. Household items, clothing and non-perishable goods may be dropped off at the pantry location at 916A Landis Avenue, Vineland, N.J. Hours of operation are 10AM til 12 Noon/Mondays & Thursdays 4PM til 6PM on Wednesdays



### SANCTUARY LAMP/OLP

Dallas Rehm

By Mom, Dad, Savannah & Family

*This candle burns perpetually as a reminder that Jesus is present.*



### SANCTUARY LAMP/ST. MARY'S

In loving memory of

Margaret Lynd

By Ron Rovegno

This candle burns perpetually as a reminder that Jesus is present

Intentions may be placed by calling the Parish office at 856-691-7526.

### Our Lady of Pompeii Church

The roses by the Tabernacle are in thanksgiving for a special intention

From Johanne Bylone

Flowers may be placed in memory of loved ones by calling Johanne Bylone at 856-691-3669 or Judy Fries at 856-825-0594.



### St. Padre Pio Candle

Peter Cascia

By Loving Wife Melanka

Intentions

may be requested by calling the Parish office at 856-691-7526

### STEWARDSHIP

### 4th Sunday of Advent

Stewards Hear "For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy." (LUKE 1:44) When you hear the scripture readings and Gospel reading each Sunday, do you "leap for joy?" If not, don't blame the lecturer or priest, rather look inside yourself. Do you prepare for Mass each week or do you just show up and expect to be entertained? We are called through **Stewardship** to be active participants, not passive bystanders.

### NEW YEAR'S EVE BINGO

Monday, December 31st, 2018

St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish

1421 New Road, Northfield, N.J. Doors open at 8PM/Games begin 9:30PM

Over \$2,000 in prizes!

Tickets available at the St. Gianna's church office Monday to Friday 9:00AM til 4:00PM. For additional info call Nancy at: 609-927-1216

### PLEASE NOTE

The Parish office will be closed on Monday, December 24th and Tuesday, December 25th. The office will reopen at 9:00AM on Wednesday, December 26th.





**ADULT & CHILDREN'S CHOIRS**

Children's Choir Rehearsals: 6:45PM to 7:30PM/OLP

The choir is open to all students in Grades 2<sup>nd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>.

Adult Choir Rehearsals have been moved to Wednesday

evenings from: 7:30PM to 9:00PM/OLP.

**NO CHOIR REHEARSAL, DECEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup>**

12/24: Children's Choir: Christmas Eve Mass, St. Mary's School Gym  
4:00PM

12/24: 11:30PM Christmas Prelude, Adult Choir & John Guida

Midnight Mass 12AM: Adult Choir/OLP

12/30: Adult Choir 11:00AM/OLP

**LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. MARY SCHOOL**

12/24 to 01/01: School Closed

01/17: K of C Free Throw Competition  
School Gym, 6:30PM

01/27 – 02/01: Catholic Schools Week

01/27: Start of Catholic Schools Week Mass  
The Parish of All Saints-Millville

02/23: 3rd Annual "Uncorked"

**Religious Education**

Sunday, 12/30: Grades 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> 9:00AM Mass

## St. Mary School

Story Time



Come meet  
new friends  
and have  
some fun!

**10:30-11:30am**

October 18<sup>th</sup>

December 13<sup>th</sup>

January 17<sup>th</sup>

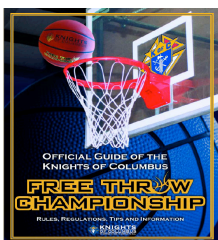
February 14<sup>th</sup>

March 14<sup>th</sup>

May 23<sup>rd</sup>

St. Mary School - 735 Union Road Vineland, NJ 08360  
RSVP to Mrs. Kristaann Corona: (856) 692-8537 ext: 330

Open to any toddler age 2-5 not currently attending  
St. Mary School. Bring a friend too!



## Free -Throw Competition

January 17<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:30 pm

St. Mary's School Gym

(Open to boys & girls ages 9 to 14)

For entry form registration, contact Carmine Amico at 609-364-8618. Entry forms are also available at the Parish Office and St Mary School Athletic Office.



## Parishioners, are you interested in moderating...



... a Photography Club?

... a Girl Scout Troop?

... a Boy Scout Troop?

Contact Mr. Hogan  
at St. Mary School  
[principal@smrschool.org](mailto:principal@smrschool.org)

## FLYERS VS NJ DEVILS

March 1, 2019

Tickets are \$65.00/each

For information, please call the Parish office at 856-691-7526

## Convocation of Catholic Leaders

In March 2019, 650+ invited individuals from parishes across the diocese will gather at the Convocation of Catholic Leaders: The Joy of the Gospel in South Jersey to focus on building missionary disciples. Over 4 days, these lay leaders will pray, reflect, learn & talk with one another. They will then be commissioned to go back to their parishes with the task of reinvigorating their parishioners, ministries & communities. Pray for the pastors & lay leaders that the Holy Spirit works within each of them & empowers them to continue to build the kingdom of God.

S & T (Spirit & Truth is in need of gently used or new adult men's clothing.

For additional info contact Debbie at 609-505-8091 or email at [debeisinger@gmail.com](mailto:debeisinger@gmail.com). Clothing may be dropped off at the Parish office between 9AM and 12 noon Monday thru Friday.



**Christmas Eve**

**Monday**

**December 24<sup>th</sup>**

4:00PM – GYM

(Children's Mass & Pageant)

4:00 & 6:00PM – OLP

**Midnight Mass – 12:00AM – OLP**

**Christmas Day – Tuesday, December 25<sup>th</sup>**

9:00AM & 11:00AM – OLP



St. Padre Pio Parish is currently engaged in the Catholic Strong Campaign for the Catholic Community of South Jersey. Our parish serves the spiritual needs of our parish family, by marking important milestones throughout our lives. We grow and flourish due to God's blessings and the extraordinary sacrifices of our people. St. Mary's School provides outstanding faith based educational opportunities for its students. Our religious education program continues to grow and our volunteer organizations are a visible reminder of a strong and vibrant parish. Padre Pio Parish is the spiritual home for over 1400 families. We come together as family in the celebration of the Eucharist, in prayer and in social activities. In 2018, we continue to celebrate a history rich in tradition and service to God and the community. As vital and active members of the Diocese of Camden, we participate in the Catholic Strong Campaign to provide resources needed to strengthen our parishes and schools. We are called to support our seminarians, retired priests and deacons, to grow educational opportunities and enhance the ever growing need for social services in our community. Our goal may seem high and our needs significant, but I am confident that the parishoners of St. Padre Pio Parish are prepared to lend their support to enable us to complete the visions of past generations and ensure the presence of this parish community in the lives of their children and grandchildren. Our parish will receive 70% of all funds raised up to our target, and then 80% of funds raised thereafter. Our goal is \$820,000.00. To date, we have received pledges and donations in the amount of \$525,362.00/64.7%. Thank you for your support.

Your prayers, generosity and sacrifice will ensure our success.

*Father Rob*

#### Collection

Weekly Collection (In Pew) : 12/16/18 & 12/23: \$

Total: - \$

Weekly Collection Goal: - \$10,200.00

Difference: \$

E-giving weekly: \$- E-giving monthly: \$

Total Monthly Collection: \$

Total Monthly Collection Goal: - \$40,800.00

Difference: - \$

Candles: - \$

Due to holiday printing schedules, collection totals for 12/16 & 12/23 will appear in the 12/30 bulletin

#### Keep Christ in Christmas

Car magnets are still available from the Knights of Columbus at \$5.00 each. A perfect way to celebrate the presence of Jesus. Magnets are available at the Parish office.



**USAF:** Stf. Sgt. Michael Rhodes, Sr.; Col. Jennifer Hammerstedt, C2C Rocco Sangatardo  
Gen. Michael A. Fantini, Sr., Captain Elizabeth Golden, AFC Rachel Wright

**Air Force National Guard:** MSGT. Joseph R. Tolotti

**Army:** Wes Jarrell; Col. Stephen P. Dondero;

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

MSGT Timothy M. Dobson; WO Jason Heney; Stf. Sgt. Richard Rivera; SPC Michael Ruga; Sgt. James Conklin; Lt. Nicolette B. Pizzo.

**Navy:** Chief Dennis Lloyd, Ensign Alexandra Wismer

**Marines:** PFC William F. Butler, III, Captain Christopher Kuhlen Caldwell; PFC Elton King



01/10 – Knights of Columbus Meeting, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

01/14 – Senior Club Meeting, Rosary Hall, 11:00AM

01/15 – St. Joseph's Society Meeting, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

01/17/19 – K of C Free Throw Competition, St. Mary's School Gym  
6:30PM

02/19 – St. Joseph's Society Meeting, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

02/23 – 3rd Annual "Uncorked"

02/27 – Altar Rosary Society Meeting, Rosary Hall, 7:00PM

03/12 – St. Patrick's Day at Doolan's

03/30 – Jerry Blavat, Rosary Hall, 7PM to 11PM



We will be decorating OLP church for Christmas on Sunday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> after the 11:00AM Mass, & on Monday morning, December 24<sup>th</sup>. Volunteers are needed & any help you can give is greatly appreciated

"And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.



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