

St. James the Apostle Catholic Church

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NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil | 4:00 P.M.
Sunday | 9:00 A.M. AND 11:00 A.M.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday Daily Mass | 8:00 A.M.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

*On the Holy Day | 8:00 A.M. AND 7:00 P.M.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday | 3:00 - 3:45 P.M.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of the Month* | 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.

*UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

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MINISTRY CENTER (630) 469-7540

Monday - Wednesday 8:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Thursday 8:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
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Sunday, July 2, 2023 | Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Phase One of Parking Lot Project to Begin Next Week

Three years ago, Fr. David began the “Preserving Our Father’s House” Campaign as an ongoing second collection to address the deteriorating condition of our Church and School campus. Your continued generosity has raised funds to repair and replace items affected by years of deferred maintenance. Your generosity has replaced two roofs, tucked pointed our buildings, installed a new boiler and thermostat controls in the classrooms, added seal coat stripping, repaired the entrance canopies, and replaced four air conditioning condensers on the roofs.

After being assigned to Saint James, Fr. David asked Fr. Keith to replace the parking lots. After completing several geological surveys and site assessments, we received proposals to replace the parking lots. The projected cost was \$1.2 million. The economic climate burdened by inflation made this scale unrealistic. Furthermore, the longevity of replacing versus repairing was a difference of only five years.

Considering these facts, we revised our expectations. The latest proposal from a local company owned by a parishioner estimates the cost to repair but not replace the parking lots at \$94,000. The cost of this proposal is entirely covered by the 53rd Sunday Collection and Preserving Our Father’s House Campaign. After unanimous consent by the Parish Finance Committee, the Diocese of Joliet approved this project to address the conditions of our parking lots beginning next week.

The repairs include a targeted replacement of several hundred square feet of the worst surface erosion. The remaining several thousand square feet of service area will be cracksealed to prevent further base erosion. The entire surface area will be sealcoated for a protective and cosmetic function. Finally, the parking spaces will be repainted and bumpers repaired.

Phase One of the project will be completed next Thursday, July 6th. The work will begin at 7 A.M. in the far west part of the lot on Fawell, proceed to the eastern section and then conclude with the Ministry Center lot on Park Blvd. The work will not interfere with the 8 A.M. Morning Mass, however we ask those attending to park in the lot directly in front of the church or on the Ministry Center side. After Mass the Church Lot will close. In addition, the Ministry Center offices will close at 12 Noon. The lots will all be accessible again on Friday, July 7th.

More details about the continued timeline and impact from this project will be shared as available. Thank you for your patience while the work is being completed this summer.



**Parking Lot Project Phase One:
Thursday, July 6th:
Church Lot Closes after 8 A.M. Mass
Ministry Center Lot Closes at 12 Noon**

THE FITZPATRICKS ARE HEADING EAST

This weekend we bid farewell to Deacon Mike Fitzpatrick and Dawn, who have generously served our parish the past nine years through their involvement in various roles.

Through their ministry, members of our St. James Family, as well as the local community have been blessed by their outreach & love.

As they head to the Washington, D.C. area to continue to minister to others, they shared their preference with Fr. Keith that they would like to do so without any extra fuss. Out of respect for their wishes, there will be no reception after Masses this weekend.

Deacon Mike will be assisting at all of the Masses this weekend. We invite you to say goodbye as you exit church.

If you would like to share a personal message with the Fitzpatricks, cards may be placed in the offertory basket or sent to the Ministry Center and they will be forwarded to them.



Goodbye

-A Note from Deacon Mike and Dawn-

Dear St. James Family,

Thank you! 9 years ago, we attended our first Mass at St. James, and we received a warm welcome from a couple in the parking lot before we even entered the church. It was then that we knew we had found our new home. We will forever cherish in our hearts all the friendships we have made here at St. James. As we travel back to the parish where Dawn and I started in ministry together in 1991, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Crofton, Maryland, we will take you all with us in our hearts. St. James will always be home for us.

I also want to say thank you for all your support as I discerned the call to the Diaconate and completed my formation work here at St. James. Your prayers carried me through, and it was a pleasure serving you these past 3 years.

If you wish to stay in contact, you can find us: **Deacon Mike** will be at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church: <https://www.seaseton.org/> as of 8/01. **Dawn** will be at The National March for Life: <https://marchforlife.org/> as of 07/05.

"May the Lord bless and keep you. May the Lord let his face shine upon you and be gracious to you. May the Lord look upon you kindly and give you peace." NUMBERS 6:24 - 26

God Bless you all!
Deacon Mike and Dawn Fitzpatrick

Mass Intentions & This Week @ St. James > July 3 - 9, 2023

JULY 03/MONDAY

9:00 A.M.
Michael Jane Gilligan
 REQ. BY JOCHUM FAMILY

JULY 04/TUESDAY

9:00 A.M.
Susan Zgutowicz
 REQ. BY THE MULCARE FAMILY

JULY 05/WEDNESDAY

8:00 A.M.
Anthony
 REQ. BY SAM & SUE HESS

Mary Rita Bresnahan
 REQ. BY JANET PAYNE

JULY 06/THURSDAY

8:00 A.M.
Margaret Zureck
 REQ. BY O'CONNOR FAMILY

JULY 07//FRIDAY

8:00 A.M.
Harry Karstens
 REQ. BY KARSTENS FAMILY

JULY 08/SATURDAY

4:00 P.M.
People of the Parish

JULY 09/SUNDAY

9:00 A.M.
Jean Lane
 REQ. BY ALAN & MARILYN POTYEN

11:00 A.M.
Doug Gay
 REQ. BY HENSELER FAMILY

THIS WEEK@ST. JAMES

03/MONDAY

Daily Mass
 8 A.M. | CHURCH
DuPage WW Board Meeting
 7 P.M. | SJH2/3/K
Reverence for Life
 7 P.M. | MCDR/K
A.A. Meeting
 8 P.M. | FL

04/TUESDAY

Daily Mass
 9 A.M. | CHURCH
A & E Water Plants
 10 A.M. | CHURCH

05/ WEDNESDAY

Summer Cleaning
 7 A.M. | SCH/SJH123
Daily Mass
 8 A.M. | CHURCH

06/THURSDAY

Summer Cleaning
 7 A.M. | SCH/SJH123
Parking Lot Project
 7 A.M. | CH PKLT
Daily Mass
 8 A.M. | CHURCH

07/FRIDAY

Summer Cleaning
 7 A.M. | SCH/SJH123
Daily Mass
 8 A.M. | CHURCH
First Friday Eucharistic Adoration
 8:30 A.M. | CHURCH
A & E Water Plants
 9:30 A.M. | CHURCH

08/SATURDAY

Cursillo
 7:30 A.M. | SJH2/3
Reconciliations
 3 P.M. | CH/ALL
Mass
 4 P.M. | CH/ALL

09/SUNDAY

Mass
 9 A.M. | CH/ALL
 11 A.M. | CH/ALL
Adult Rec. BBall
 7:30 P.M. | GYM

—A Resource for those who are Traveling this Summer—

FAITH Catholic is proud to power [MassTimes.org](https://www.mass-times.org) and the Mass Times App. Mass Times is a free online resource that has helped millions of Catholics get to Mass by helping them find churches and worship times worldwide. It can be difficult for Catholics to find a Mass when traveling or when it is not practical to attend their regular parishes. Mass Times makes it much easier to “find a Mass near me,” presenting all the possibilities in a geographical area on one page. More than 150 million visitors to [MassTimes.org](https://www.mass-times.org) have used and enjoyed this extraordinary, free, online resource!

Worship Ministries and Events

Readings for the Week

Monday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29
 Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12/
 Mt 8:23-27
 Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13/
 Mt 8:28-34
 Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/
 Mt 9:1-8
 Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-2,
 3-4a, 4b-5/Mt 9:9-13
 Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/
 Mt 9:14-17
 Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14/
 Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30



Saints and Special Observances

Monday: St. Thomas the Apostle
 Tuesday: Independence Day
 Wednesday: St. Anthony Zaccaria,
 St. Elizabeth of Portugal
 Thursday: St. Maria Goretti
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary
 Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We Offer Our Prayers

Grace Stasi	Mary Lou Fehlen	Donald Pankros
Abby	Len Felder	James Pelletiere
Lucretia Abruzzo	Jenny Fischer	Samantha Pelletiere
Tess Adams	Sarah Fitzgerald	Tino Pere
Anna Ahonen	Greg Flamm	Toni Pereira
Olivia Aliga	Richard Frazier	Kathleen Pervan
Anthony Alfano	Sean Furlong	Cary Piszczek
Alivia Allen	Ivy G.	Katherine Popob
Angela Alvino	Ben Gaston	Sebastian Popob
Baby Nora	Shirley Glass	Kevin Potyten
Baby Vera	Hector Gomez	Raymond Prosperi
Jennifer Baker	Raphael Gomez	Carol Raymond
Mary Ann Bakes	Kathleen Griffin	Cora Reda
Lucy Ballmaier	Dawn Harden	Jordan Richards
Elaine Barone	Bernadette Hebard	Bob Riggs
Matteo Barrone	Beverly Helm	Margaret Riggs
John Benton	Shirley Jankowski	Angela Rinaldi
D. Bernabei	Laura Jardine	Rosanne
Enzo Bernabei	Mary Jardine	Autumn Rosasco
Noel Bernabei	Gail Johnsen	John Rudnick
Betty	George Kahlfeldt	Rose Rudnick
Karen Bjanki	Edward Kane	Michael Ruffo
Michael Brosnan	Jean Keating	Michael Russo
Dorothy Brown	Raymond Kevins	Janet Samson
Jeff Brown	William R. Klein	Carol Sandowski
Mike Brown	Mary Kohout	Katherine Sanford
David Brummett Jr.	Miron Kopaczewski	Bobbie Saverino
Zack Bryant	Robert Kuceba	Kirsten Schaefer
Kaya C.	Debbie Lazzara	Russ Schauer
Carrie Casperson	Greg Leakakos	Maury Schell
John Cassidy	Bob Lentz	Nibbs Scully
Mike Caudill	Gail Lewellyan Johnson	Fr. John Sebahar
Fay Chachula	Philomena Lezada	Mary Pat Schroeder
Rose Chachula	Zosimo Lim	Wayne Schroeder
Michael Chapman	Tony Lindauer	Dorothy Sledz
Lea Cizek	Woody Lindauer	Billy Southwell
Amanda Clark	Arnold Longe	Cindy Smetana
Jeannie Claus	Katie Luther	Margo Smetana
Ed Coman	Carmen MacDonald	Danny Tapia
Alice Condon	Diana Malik	Gloria Tapia
Kevin Conrad	Kathy Mansfield	Joseph Tomczak
Annette Cooke	Yolanda Martinez	Carmen Torres
Nora Cote	Mary and Rosa	Isla Trapani
Cindy Crotty	Bob Maurer	Diane Trunzo
Carolyn Cullen	Mae Maurer	Ray Trunzo
Chris Danly	Marite Maurer	Rylee Uezen
Don Davia	Scott Mayle	Gabriella Urban
Charlie DeMory	Anna Mazza	Mary V.
Georgianna DeMory	Mick McAvoy	Jean Vachlon
Tony DeMory	Paul McCue	Brianne Vana
Brian Deschamps	Yvette McCue	Lottie Will
Natalie Dominick-Hoenig	Meghan Menconi	Mary Will
Jimmy Dorynek	Clem Milder	Mary Winter
Luke Dorynek	Michael Moore	Tyler Woltman
Deb Drager	Patricia Moran	Rosita Yee
Dianne Dring	Art Moxley	Chok Yu
Eric S.	Jim Mulcare	Rick Yurko
Pat Eirich	Joe Mulcare	Michael Zak
Tony Eirich	Loretta Mulcrone	
Lauren Elliott	Velvette Newman	
Mrs. Ergen	Hooshang Noshad	

Parish Prayer List

If you would like to add a name to the parish prayer list, please contact Rubi at: rubi@stjamesge.org.

Join Us for Mass on July 4th at 9:00 A.M.

Note: Parking Restrictions Due to Parade Route

On Tuesday, July 4th, Mass will be at **9 A.M.** You are invited to join us as we begin the day by thanking God for the many blessings we receive as citizens of this nation.

Please note: It is best to park in the lot on Park Blvd. as there will be closures on Fawell Blvd. due to this year's parade route. If you park in the church lot, please be aware there will be limited points of exit.



Please Note a Time Change for Saturday Reconciliations Effective July 1st

Beginning on Saturday, July 1st the start and end time for weekly Reconciliations will change. They will begin at 3 P.M. and end promptly at 3:45 P.M. so that the celebrant may prepare for the 4 P.M. Mass. Please make a note of this as you make your plans to celebrate the sacrament. Thank you!

This Weekend We Will Eliminate the Use of the Large Offertory Baskets

Effective the weekend of July 1/2, we will eliminate the use of the large wicker baskets in the back of the church, which was a practice we began during the pandemic. All regular contributions may be placed in the baskets passed by our Welcome Ministers during the offertory hymn. On weekends with Second Collections, we will place the wire baskets near the doors of church for these donations. Thank you!

We are Grateful for the Help from Fr. Bill Cullen & Fr. Larry Brunette

As we await the arrival of Fr. Ternan Monteiro, SJ at St. James to assist during Fr. Keith's deployment, Fr. Bill Cullen has graciously offered to celebrate the majority of our Masses. In addition, Fr. Larry Brunette will continue to offer Mass on Thursdays. We are so grateful for their extra help in the months ahead. Please keep all of our priests in your prayers.



Lord Jesus Christ,
you give us your flesh and blood for the life of the
world, and you desire that all people come to the
Supper of the Sacrifice of the Lamb.
Renew in your Church the truth, beauty, and
goodness contained in the Most Blessed Eucharist.

Jesus living in the Eucharist, come and live in me.
Jesus healing in the Eucharist, come and heal me.
Jesus sacrificing yourself in the Eucharist,
come and suffer in me.
Jesus rising in the Eucharist, come and rise to
new life in me. Jesus loving in the Eucharist,
come and love in me.

Lord Jesus Christ, through the paschal mystery
of your death and resurrection made present
in every Holy Mass, pour out your healing love
on your Church and on our world.
Grant that as we lift you up during this time
of Eucharistic Revival, your Holy Spirit
may draw all people to join us at this Banquet of Life.
You live and reign with the Father and the
Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mother of the Eucharist,
Pray for us.**



**All are Welcome to Join Us for a
FIRST FRIDAY HOLY HOUR
Offered monthly beginning on July 7th,
Immediately following the 8 A.M. Mass**

As we begin the Parish Year of the National Eucharistic Revival, we invite you to grow closer to Jesus and His Real Presence in the Eucharist through participating in our inaugural First Friday Holy Hour.

[HOW TO PRAY A HOLY HOUR FOR BEGINNERS]
There are many ways to pray a Holy Hour. Your time might be spent reading Scripture, writing in a journal, praying a Rosary, talking to God, or simply being quiet while contemplating His presence. A few Catholic websites have guides you can use to get started:

<https://www.wordonfire.org/articles/how-to-make-a-holy-hour/>

<https://hallow.com/blog/how-to-pray-holy-hour/>

We hope you will join us for this time of prayer!



ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE PARISH
Flames of Faith

Flames of Faith at St. James the Apostle

The red Sanctuary Lamp by the tabernacle burns to remind us of the sacramental presence of Jesus Christ. It is a mark of honor to remind the faithful of the presence of Christ, and is a profession of their love and affection.

We are now offering the opportunity to offer these Flames of Faith burning in memory of a loved one, to honor a special occasion, or a special intention. The cost of the candle is \$30. It will burn for one week. The dedication will be published in the bulletin.

Please stop by or contact Rubi at the Ministry Center, (630) 469-7540 or rubi@stjamesge.org to inquire about open dates and to obtain a card you may share with the person being honored or with the family whose loved one is being remembered.

July 2 - 9, 2023

This week our St. James Flames of Faith are offered for:

The intention of employment for my brother
Offered by:
Cheryl Helberg

Administration Ministries

Upcoming Ministry Center Closures

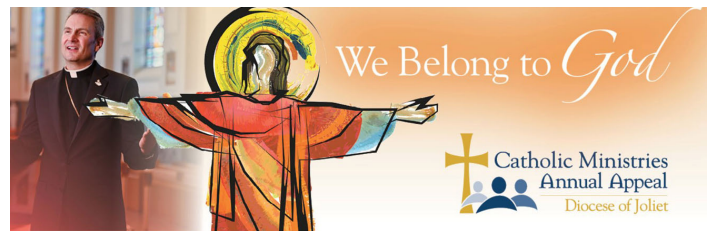
Tuesday, July 4th

The Ministry Center offices will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th for the holiday. We will reopen on Tuesday, July 5th at 8:30 A.M., for regular business hours. Have a safe and blessed holiday!!



Thursday, July 6th

The Ministry Center offices will close at 12 Noon on Thursday, July 6th due to Phase One of our Parking Lot Project. We will reopen on Friday, July 7th at 8:30 A.M., for regular business hours. Thank you for your patience as we repair our lots.



CMAA: Your Gift Makes a Difference!

The Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal helps our parish and the Diocese of Joliet to provide countless ministries, programs and services to support our friends and neighbors in immeasurable ways.

An Update on Our Parish Progress

- Our Parish Goal is \$83,200
- Donor Count: 298
- Amount Pledged: \$115,175
- Amount Paid to the Diocese: \$99,254
- Balance Due: \$15,921
- 2023 Rebate to Parish: \$11,238

If you have not yet made a gift to the CMAA, please reflect on God's gifts to you and prayerfully consider doing so. A gift to the CMAA, no matter the amount, will make a difference! Together, we can continue to spread the Gospel message in our Diocese through our ministries and help God hold us in his hands. Thank you for your support.

Youth Ministry



Here's what we have coming up in July:

July 7: Taize & Rainbow Cone

July 11: Service at No III Foodbank

July 13: Summer Scripture #2

July 21: Service at Hessed House

July 28-30: Steubenville trip to St Paul, MN

Contact Gina for more details & to get your teen involved in faith!

Christian Education Ministries

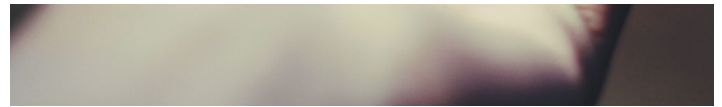


Would you like to be a witness of our Catholic faith to others who feel called to come in full communion with Catholicism? We are currently forming a team to accompany those on this very journey. The St. James the Apostle OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) wants to hear from you.

Contact Gina at 630-469-7540 x208 or via email at gina@stjamesge.org if you are interested in joining our faith building team.



Grow Lasting Faith in Your Children



Register Your Children for Religious Education Classes at St. James

Our online registration for Religious Education classes for the 2023-24 year is now open. To complete your RE registration and payment plan, follow the links below:

STEP 1: Registration

<https://forms.gle/ToyCVZezw2tqSLdU9>

STEP 2: Payment Plan

<https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/4LLY6>

On the welcome page click the appropriate option:

- (1) 'Create a username & password' if you are a new FACTS User, or
- (2) 'Sign in' if you already have an account. Select the appropriate school year and complete the steps as prompted.

Looking for a way to share your faith?

If you are interested in becoming a Catechist or Aide for Religious Education for the upcoming school year, please contact the Religious Education office.

Catechists and Aides receive fee discounts of 50% and 25% and can ensure their first choice of class day/time for their child(ren).

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St. James the Apostle
Tom Shanley Memorial Parish Golf Outing

Friday, August 18, 2023 | Village Links of Glen Ellyn | 1 P.M. Shotgun Start

Golf Donation of \$150 per person: Includes Green Fees, Riding Cart, Free Driving Range Balls & Deluxe Buffet Dinner, Raffles, Contests & Prizes

(Please Print)

Golfer's Name _____ Phone : _____

Golfer's Name _____ Phone: _____

Golfer's Name _____ Phone : _____

Golfer's Name _____ Phone: _____

FOURSOME CAPTAIN (If known): _____

Please match me up with a foursome

Buffet Dinner Only Donation\$ 50.00 per person

Dinner Only Guest: _____ Volunteer? Yes ___ No ___ Phone: _____

Dinner Only Guest: _____ Volunteer? Yes ___ No ___ Phone: _____

Dinner Only Guest: _____ Volunteer? Yes ___ No ___ Phone: _____

Dinner Only Guest: _____ Volunteer? Yes ___ No ___ Phone: _____

Payment Method: Cash Check Total Amount Enclosed: _____

Check(s): Amount _____ Check No. _____

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Donation to St. James Tuition Fund

Please mail to: St. James the Apostle, attn: Golf Committee, 480 S. Park Blvd, Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Glen Ellyn
Food Pantry, Inc.

CONDIMENTS ARE TOPS!

TOP NEEDS

KETCHUP	BARBECUE SAUCE
MAYONNAISE	CRACKERS
MUSTARD	SUGAR
SALAD DRESSING	BOXED PASTA
RELISH/PICKLES	CANNED PASTA/ CHILI/SLOPPY JOES

#MAKINGHUNGERHISTORY

This Week's Top Needs at the Food Pantry

Donations for the Glen Ellyn Food Pantry may be dropped off in the parish Coat Room when we are open for Masses or may be dropped off at the food pantry during their hours.

Please see the graphic above for a list of the pantry's top needs this week.

For more information, visit their website at:

<https://www.glenellynfoodpantry.org/>

Community Ministries and Events

Accompanist & Cantor Needed at St. Alexander

The role is defined as part time. Pay scale: Stipend per service and rehearsal. Expectation of attendance is every Sunday Morning Mass at 10:30 A.M. Begin practice at 10:00 A.M. every Sunday before Mass begins and also every other week for Sunday Mass at 8:30 A.M. Liturgies at Saint Alexander Parish in Villa Park and rehearsals with Choir on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 7 - 8 P.M. Expectation for accompanist is to be available for all holiday Mass worship. Accompanist and Cantor must complete requirements with Joliet Diocese and have a Virtus Account.

To Apply:

Please send your resume and reference to:
Gina Gabriel: parishmusic21@outlook.com
Cantors include an mp3 or audio sample.

TUESDAY, JULY 11, 2023

9:00 AM Relic veneration begins

6:30 PM Veneration line closes

7:00 PM Mass in honor of Padre Pio



*Saints Peter and Paul will host the only
2023 Padre Pio Relic Tour in Illinois*

For more information, visit
sspeterandpaul.net/events/padrepio

36 N. Ellsworth St. | Naperville, IL 60540 | 630-355-1081



Padre Pio Relic Tour Coming to Sts. Peter & Paul Parish in Naperville on Tuesday, July 11th

Francesco Forgione, OFM Cap, better known as Padre Pio, was an Italian Franciscan Capuchin friar, priest, stigmatist, and mystic. He was beatified in 1999 and canonized in 2002 by Pope John Paul II. His relics are exposed in a golden crypt in the sanctuary of Saint Pio of Pietrelcina, next to the convent of San Giovanni Rotondo, now a major pilgrimage site. He has become one of the world's most popular saints, a patron of the sick, and known for healings through his intercession.

The U.S.-based [Saint Pio Foundation](#) continues to sponsor tours of the relics of Padre Pio in (arch) dioceses and parishes across North America. The majority of those attending the relics tour would never be able to travel to San Giovanni Rotondo or Pietrelcina to visit the places where the Saint was born, lived, and died. The visitation of these relics allows the faithful to have a spiritual encounter with Padre Pio, to spend time in prayer, and to ask for his intercession.

Free parking is available in all church lots, as well as neighborhood street parking. Visitors are asked to process through the veneration line that begins at the main (west) church doors; a handicapped entrance and exit is located on the north side of the church. Recitation of the Holy Rosary and talks on the life of Padre Pio will occur throughout the day.

The relics will be displayed near the altar, with pews reserved for silent prayer and devotion. Free-will offerings may be made to the [Saint Pio Foundation](#). Religious items will be available for purchase from 9 am to 6:30 PM. For more information visit:

sspeterandpaul.net/events/padrepio