



## Community Dinners at The Cenacle at the Padre Pio Center

***The Pro-Life Union needs groups or individuals to provide meals for the community dinners which are held the First Thursday of each month of the year.***

### **The Goal:**

To invite neighbors living near the Cenacle to come together once a month to enjoy a meal, engage in fellowship and learn about the services available.

### **The Details:**

- The Cenacle is located at The Padre Pio Prayer Center (formally St Joachim Church) 1527 Church St. Phila. 19124 The entrance is down steps at the corner of Church & Griscom Streets.
- There is an open, lit parking lot at 4332 Griscom St. across the street from the Cenacle
- The dinners usually attract between 40 - 50 adults plus about 20 children.
- Dinner is served buffet style in the church hall connected to the Cenacle office.
- There is a full kitchen at the hall, with a large commercial oven & stove.
- Dinners begin at 6 o'clock PM and are usually done by 7:30 PM

### **The Food:**

- Please provide enough food to feed 40-50 adults and 20 children. Anything left over will either be taken home by the guests or distributed by the Friars at the Padre Pio Center.
- There is no need to be fancy. Dishes previously served include chili, fried chicken, baked ziti & meatballs. Usually a side dish - pasta, cooked veggies, potatoes, etc. and a fresh green salad and bread or rolls are brought. Using disposable aluminum trays is recommended.
- A few gallons of juice, lemonade and iced tea are needed.
- Paper plates, plastic utensils, napkins & cups need to be provided, but often there are enough of these from previous dinners that they don't have to be purchased each time.

**TO SIGN UP for a month or for questions, please contact:**

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