

St. Mary's Church - St. Patrick's Church

6th & Pine Sts.

Wilmington, De. 19801

15th & King Sts.

Rev. Leonard R. Klein, Administrator

Rev. John C. McVoy, Assisting

Deacon Robert J. Levesque

MASSES: ST. MARY'S

Sunday: 10:15 A.M.

Baptisms: By Appointment

Holy days: As announced

Rectory: 1414 King St. **Phone:** 652-0743

MASSES: ST. PATRICK'S

Mon., Wed., Fri.: 8:00 A.M.

Tues., Thurs.: 5:30 P.M.; Confession 5:00 P.M.

Sunday: 9:00, 10:30 A.M. (Extraordinary Form/Latin)
5:00 P.M.

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM (Vigil); Confession 3:30 PM

First Friday: 6:00 PM (Extraordinary Form/Latin)

First Saturday: 9:00 A.M. (Extraordinary Form/Latin)

Website: <http://smspwilmington.com>

Third Sunday of Easter
 April 10, 2016
 “Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive
 Power and riches, wisdom and strength,
 Honor and glory and blessing.”
 Revelation 5:12

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

April 9	4:00 PM	Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing, Req. Joe & Judy Archer
April 10	9:00 AM	Ronald Marking(D)
	10:15 AM	Ben Giliberto(D), req. Louise & Family
	10:30 AM	No Intention
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
April 11	8:00 AM	Tricia Quinn(L), req. Girone Family
April 12	5:30 PM	James Harrington(D)
April 13	8:00 AM	Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing, Req. Joe & Judy Archer
April 14	5:30 PM	No Intention
April 15	8:00 AM	Communion Service
April 16	4:00 PM	Kendall Quinn(L), req. Girone Family
April 17	9:00 AM	Megan Smale(L)
	10:15 AM	Pasquale & Victoria Ciconte(D) Req. Louise Giliberto
	10:30 AM	Edward & Mary Biter(D), req. Stephen & Katrina Biter
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish

Calendar of Events:-

April 12	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM - Rectory
April 13	Clean Church—St. Patrick’s
April 20	Clean Church—St. Patrick’s Finance Council—7:00 PM—Rectory
April 21	Knights of Columbus—7:00 PM— St. Mary Hall
April 26	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
April 27	Clean Church—St. Patrick’s
April 30	Parish Dinner—St. Mary’s Hall, doors open at 5:00 PM. Secured parking available.

The Cathedral of St. Peter, 6th and West Sts. in Wilmington, will mark its 200th Anniversary at the 11:00 AM Mass on Sun. April 10. Bishop Malooly will be the celebrant. All are invited in celebrating this milestone in the life of our Diocese and its Mother Church.

CONGRATULATIONS to Fr. Leonard R. Klein on the 10th anniversary of ordination to the Priesthood on Friday, April 1. Best wishes and thank you for your generous service and dedication to the people of St. Mary’s and St. Patrick’s

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!

ST. PATRICK’S SACRIFICIAL GIVING	
Sunday,	April 3, 2016
Offertory	\$6,198.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	200.00
Rice Bowl	40.00
Holy Land (Good Friday)	163.00

ST. MARY’S SACRIFICIAL GIVING	
Sunday,	April 3, 2016
Offertory	\$1,175.50
St. Vincent DePaul Society	15.00
Holy Land (Good Friday)	38.50

Please return Rice Bowl Lenten offerings. Thank you for your generosity.

Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-

St. Patrick	\$2,442.00
St. Mary	\$817.00

Annual Catholic Appeal Commitment Weekend is this weekend April 9/10.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Barbara Stackow, Arlene Dahl, Lisa Sulecki, Pat Zickgraf, Terry Mowbray, Louise Myers, Steve Naughton, Mary Dennis, Robin Passwaters, Lillian Devenney, Alena Rossita, Sharon Edwards, Chris Seltzer, Sherlene Emory, Madeline Askins, Jay Slagle, Lareine Hagen, Elena Tadlock, Judith Gertman, Elaine Moser, Michael Hare, Dorothy Walsh, Ronald Lane, Jim Kelly, Kath McDermott, Virginia Lane, Patrick McGinnis, Joe & Bill McGiveny, J. B. Harrington, Bill Taylor, Harry Coulsting, Christopher McGonigle, Duncan Ryan, Cristina Smith, Juanita Henderson, Sean Dahl, Cynthia Herrick, Tyler White, John Lewis, Judy Leary, Henry Manlove, Jr. Family, Mary Sobocinski, Larry Tobin, Jr., Vernon Cropper, Jack Manlove, Richard Grier, Ida Lane, Joey Farrell, Grace Monaco, John Alexander McGonigle, Liz Adams, Cindy Crispin, Fay Weldon, Brian Matt, Julia Farrell, Mary Ciritella, Nancy Read Keil, Christine Sacharok, Alexis Collins, Henry Manlove, Sr., Stephanie Barlow, Jack McDermott, III, Susan Naughton, Vici Manlove, Anna Matt, Ann Tobin, Claire Cambra, Samantha Nelson, Judy Maciey, Chuck Manlove, Catherine Manlove Pugliese, Anita Flynn, Mary Ann Reece, Christina Mallon, Nekeisha Akinola.

If you wish to add or remove a name from this list, please call the Parish Office—652-0743. Thank you.

Join St. Mary/St. Patrick E-Mail List:- If you would like to receive e-mail messages from St. Mary’s/St. Patrick’s, please complete the information form found in the back of church and drop it in the collection.

Mothers’ Day is May 8:- The Saturday, 4:00 PM Mass that weekend is a “MASS FOR MOTHERS”. Memorial intentions can be requested by using the envelopes found in the back of both churches.

Tax Receipts for 2015 Contributions for St. Mary’s and St. Patrick’s can be obtained by calling the office, Mon. thru Fri. at 302-652-0743.

SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.

Dear Members and Friends of St. Mary's and St. Patrick's:

I want to share some good news from last weekend. There were three Baptisms at St. Patrick's—Samuel Maximilian Kolbe Rock, Brigid Rose Stacey, and Miles Xavier Stewart. And there was a Baptism at St. Mary's also, Brailyn Marie Byrd.

In addition there were three First Communions at St. Mary's on Divine Mercy Sunday—Arianna Lanae Byrd, Faith Marie Kamahale, and Bryce Policarpio Patterson. Thanks to Charma Bell for preparing these young people for their sacraments. Jack Cunningham, who is receiving his preparation at Ursuline Academy, will receive his First Communion at St. Patrick's on May 1.

It is wonderful to see these signs of new life in our small, downtown parishes. Such signs should encourage all of us to reach out with the Gospel and to work and pray to strengthen the ministry of these outposts of faith and hope in our city.

We have another opportunity this weekend to strengthen our ministry and our spiritual life. This weekend we will conduct the pledge campaign for the Annual Catholic Appeal. It is critical for the life of the diocese and 50% of the amount given above and beyond our goals returns to the parish. This year that will be \$26,000 for St. Patrick's and \$10,000 for St. Mary's.

We have exceeded our targets for the past five years, and I believe we can do so again this year. The targets are up a little but well within our capacity to give. Remember that no gift is too small.

And remember that Jesus said where your treasure is there will your heart be also. Our willingness to give generously exercises and strengthens our faith.

Christ is risen!

Fr. Klein

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a,
17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-3, 5;
Rv 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter
Monday: St. Stanislaus
Wednesday: St. Martin I
Friday: Income Tax Day

Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 AM on 1150AM WDEL now found on 101.7 FM and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, April 17, author and "Miracle Hunter," Michael O'Neill will discuss his new book, "Exploring the Miraculous."

Vocation Thought:- The apostles experienced great joy through teaching in the name of Jesus, even though they were persecuted for doing so. Every day, religious sisters and brothers, along with deacons and priests, teach in the name of Jesus, despite all sorts of difficulties. Maybe God is calling you to join in that great venture. If you think so, please call or write Father Norman Carroll, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113);

vocations@cdow.org). Be sure to visit our website: www.cdow.org/vocations/

Mark Your Calendars NOW!!! April 30 Parish Dinner & Social- hosted Saturday evening by Father James F. Trainor Council Knight of Columbus. The event will be held at St. Mary's Hall, 600 E. Sixth St. (at N. Pine St.). The dinner will begin shortly after 5:00 PM so you can attend the 4:00 PM Mass at St. Patrick's Church, if desired, and then come to St. Mary's Hall. There is plenty of parking (with security) on the school lot at 6th and Pine Streets. **ALL ARE INVITED.**

2016 Annual Catholic Appeal—"*Blessed are the Merciful for They Shall Obtain Mercy*" - In today's Gospel, St. John tells us of the Risen Lord revealing himself to his disciples at the Sea of Tiberias. Jesus chose the Apostles as witnesses to His mission and true identity; they would be God's instruments. As followers of Christ, we too become God's instruments. We are challenged to live as Jesus did with an outpouring of Love and compassion for others. The Annual Catholic Appeal invites each of us to help bring Christ into the lives of those who seek His presence. It is an opportunity for each of us to unite as a Catholic community and to reach out to serve others—the hungry, homeless, unemployed, distressed, unchurched, our children and the elderly. This weekend you are invited to participate in the Appeal. Please respond by pledging a sacrificial gift to this year's campaign. To learn more about the Appeal, visit www.cdow.org, click "Giving" then "Annual Catholic Appeal".

International Night presents **Italian Night:-** Sunday, April 24, Francis X. Norton Center, 917 N. Madison St., Wilmington. Doors open at 5:00 PM; Dinner prepared by Café Mezzanotte; \$25. per seat, all proceeds benefiting Emmanuel Dining Room. For information or reservations call 302-652-3228.

Bishop Malooly invites you to the Annual Diocesan "Celebrate Life Mass," a celebration for persons with special needs and their families/friends/caregivers, at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Bear, DE, Sunday, May 1. The day includes a gathering at 12:30 PM; Mass at 1:00 PM; a light lunch following Mass. We ask those attending to bring 2 or more cans of food for the parish food closet. To register email Debbie Ciafre at dciafre@comcast.net or call 302-275-8717

Holy Father's Intentions for April:- *Universal: Small Farmers:-* That small farmers may receive a just reward for their precious labor. *Evangelization: African Christians:-* That Christians in Africa may give witness to love and faith in Jesus Christ amid political religious conflicts.

Jesus House Prayer and Renewal Center is offering a series of eight evening sessions for grief support beginning on Thursday, April 21 through June 9, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. For information or registration call Angela Malmgren at 302-650-0066.

For the Sake of God's Children: The Diocese of Wilmington has codes of conduct that adults must follow to create safe environments and protect children (Volunteer Covenant). Reading and following the code in all situations creates a culture of protection and keeps our children safer. (www.cdow.org scroll to For the Sake of God's Children link; scroll to Section One: Volunteer Covenant) Questions call: 302-295-0668.

When necessary, contact Father Klein—(home) 478-2028; (cell) 717-586-9611; or e-mail LRKLEIN45@comcast.net.

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