

# 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>

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 19, 2016

There is neither Jew or Greek, there is neither  
Slave nor free person, there is not male or female,  
For you are all one in Christ Jesus.  
Galatians 3:28

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

June 18	4:00 PM	<b>Father's Day Remembrance</b>
June 19	9:00 AM	Alphonse DeCampo(D), req. Family
	10:15 AM	Lane & Ray Families(L&D), Req. Virginia Lane & Family
	10:30 AM	Pat & Bob Shumaker(L), req. Jim & Lorie Issel
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
June 20	8:00 AM	Patricia Shumaker(L), req. Issel Family
June 21	5:30 PM	Verna S. Monaghan(D)
June 22	8:00 AM	Whitney Rose Quinn(L), req. Girone Family
June 23	5:30 PM	Joseph Conaway(L), healing, Jean & Ed Manlove
June 24	8:00 AM	Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing, Req. Joe & Judy Archer
June 25	4:00 PM	Richard Reuda, Jr Family(L), Req. Girone Family
June 26	9:00 AM	Ann Laidacker(D), req. Pat & Bob Shumaker
	10:15 AM	No Intention
	10:30 AM	Robert C. Dunn(D), req. Jean L. Dunn
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish

Calendar of Events:-

June 21	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
June 22	Clean Church—St. Patrick's
June 29	Clean Church—St. Patrick's
July 5	St. Vincent DePaul Soc. - 6:00 PM—Rectory
July 6	Clean Church—St. Patrick's
July 13	Clean Church—St. Patrick's
July 19	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
July 20	Clean Church—St. Patrick's
July 21	Knights of Columbus—7:00 PM—St. Mary Hall

**Help Catholic School Families!** The Delaware General Assembly's Joint Finance Committee is considering defunding school nurses and drivers' education in Catholic and other non-public schools. You can help by writing to your Delaware legislators. For more information and to easily send an email to your representatives in Dover, go to the Diocese of Wilmington's website at [www.cdow.org](http://www.cdow.org).

**PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!**

ST. PATRICK'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	June 5, 2016
Offertory	\$5,305.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	138.00
Priests Retirement/Seminary Formation	2.00

ST. MARY'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	June 5, 2016
Offertory	\$958.50
St. Vincent DePaul Society	37.00

**Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-**

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

**The second collection the weekend of June 25/26 is for the Works of the Holy Father.**

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, 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, 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, Catherine Manlove Pugliese, Anita Flynn, Christina Mallon, Nekeisha Akinola, Mary Elizabeth Selsky, Veronica Scully.

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

**The Fortnight for Freedom: Witnesses to Freedom** will take place from June 21 to July 4, 2016, a time when our liturgical calendar celebrates a series of great martyrs who remained faithful in the face of persecution by political power—St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher, St. John the Baptist, SS. Peter and Paul, and the First Martyrs of the Church of Rome. You are invited to attend a special Mass to begin the *Fortnight for Freedom* on June 21 at 7:00 PM at the Baltimore Basilica (Americas First Cathedral). Archbishop William Lori will celebrate. Through special arrangements with Stonyhurst College in England, the relics of St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher will be at the Mass. For more information, visit [www.Fortnight4Freedomn.org](http://www.Fortnight4Freedomn.org).

**CONGRATULATIONS to Dominic Patrick Gaunt** who received First Holy Communion on Sunday, June 5 at the 10:30 Latin Mass.

**SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.**

**Dear Members and Friends of St. Mary's, St. Patrick's and St. Peter's Cathedral:**

The Annual Fortnight for Freedom begins this Tuesday, June 21, and continues through July 4. On that day Bishop Malooly will celebrate Mass at the Cathedral at 9:00 AM. Make attendance at that Mass a part of your July 4 planning. June 21 is the eve of the memorial of Sts. Thomas More and John Fisher who were beheaded for resisting King Henry VIII's anointing of himself as the head of the Church of England. Also in these two weeks we mark the Nativity of St. John the Baptist, executed for disturbing the state, as were Sts. Peter (crucified upside down) and Paul (beheaded). Their solemnity falls on June 29.

The Fortnight for Freedom was initiated by the US Conference of Catholic Bishops several years ago to respond first of all to threats to religious liberty in our own nation. After the passage of the Affordable Care Act an administrative action mandated 100% coverage of contraception and sterilization including contraceptives that can also function as abortifacients. Only houses of worship were excluded, not religious hospitals, colleges, charities, or private businesses with moral objections. And this is but one example. On another front the ACLU is creeping towards suing Catholic hospitals for not providing abortion.

Elsewhere in the world Christians and others are actively persecuted by nationalist groups and authoritarian states. Threats to religious freedom are a real thing, and so we enter upon some days of serious prayer for justice, law and plain old sanity.

Fathers' Day would seem to strike a different note, but this national observance actually resonates with the note of religious freedom. Religious freedom is very much a matter of the freedom of the family to be the family, to nurture children free of undue interference from the outside. A humane society requires more than the nanny state and the individual, it requires what sociologists call "mediating institutions." This term refers to every sort of local, private, voluntary, and non-governmental association. Charities, volunteer fire departments, sports leagues, and neighborhood associations are mediating institutions.

But none is more important than the family and the Church, which are intimately related to one another. So the defense of religious freedom is in part the defense of the right of families to be families and of fathers to be fathers.

In Christ,  
Fr. Klein

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Ps 60:3-5, 12-13; Mt 7:1-5  
Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Ps 48:2-4, 10-11; Mt 7:6, 12-14  
Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Ps 119:33-37, 40; Mt 7:15-20  
Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17; Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 7:21-29  
Friday: **Vigil:** Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17;  
1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17; **Day:** Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15;  
Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80  
Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Ps 74:1b-7, 20-21; Mt 8:15-17  
Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11;  
Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time;  
Father's Day; Julian Calendar Pentecost

Monday: Summer begins  
Tuesday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga  
Wednesday: St. Paulinus of Nola;  
Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More  
Friday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist  
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

**Listen to Catholic Forum** every Sunday morning at 10:05 AM on 1150AM WDEL now found on 101.7 FM and [www.wdel.com](http://www.wdel.com). Next Sunday, June 26, we will talk with Margarita Marquez, Director of Hispanic Ministry for Saint Mary Refuge of Sinners Parish in Cambridge, Maryland.

**Vocation Thought:-** Elizabeth trusted in the Lord, who promised she would give birth even though she was advanced in age. Sometimes following God's call seems like it might be difficult or even dangerous. In Jesus Christ, though, we've learned that God always keeps His promises. Are you a young woman who believes she might be called to religious life? Does it seem strange, out of synch, risky, maybe even too difficult in today's world? If you'd like to explore the call, contact Father Norman Carroll, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113); [vocations@cdow.org](mailto:vocations@cdow.org). Be sure to visit our website: [www.cdow.org/vocations/](http://www.cdow.org/vocations/)

**Help Catholic Charities stock the pantry—June Food Drive:-** Over 3,000 families depend on Catholic Charities for food. Help replenish our food pantries the month of June. We accept donations of nonperishable foods, grocery gift cards and cash. Donations can be dropped off at any location. For information call 302-655-9624.

**Parish Business Manager:-** Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish is seeking a full time staff member to oversee the operation of the building facilities and infrastructure that includes a large church enrollment and a 500 student elementary school. The Manager is responsible for the mechanical and electrical systems, contractors, security, capital improvements and maintenance staff. A complete job description can be found at [www.ihm.org](http://www.ihm.org) under the heading "Quick Links". Submit a resume and cover letter to [parishoffice@ihm.org](mailto:parishoffice@ihm.org).

**Save the Date!:-** Saturday, September 17, St. Helena's Church, Philadelphia Pike, Wilmington - the diocesan Respect Life Committee is sponsoring a program and fund raiser. There will be workshops at 3:00 PM, Mass at 5:00 PM, followed by dinner. The proceeds from the dinner will go to support the work of 40 Days for Life and Rachel's Vineyard. The main speaker at the dinner, homilist at Mass and leader of one workshop will be Fr. Paul Schenck, Director of Pro-Life Activities for the Diocese of Harrisburg and a long-time veteran of the Pro-Life movement. More information to follow.

**Thank You!** During the past twelve months, you have donated over 1500 pounds of food as part of the Knights of Columbus Food for Families program. Our community benefits through distribution of this food by the St. Patrick Center. The Fr. Trainor Council wishes to thank the parishioners for their continuing generosity.

**Rachel's Vineyard Catholic Retreat** for post-abortion healing will be held at Jesus House, Wilmington, DE October 21-23. The retreat weekend is a beautiful opportunity for any person who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion. For more info contact Nan Freeman at 302-528-8313 or visit [rachelvineyard.org](http://rachelvineyard.org).

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

**PRAY FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY!**

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