

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)

Confession—10:00 AM, 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>

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 16, 2016

I lift up my eyes toward the mountains;
Whence shall help come to me?

My help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.
Psalm 121:1-2

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Oct. 15	4:00 PM	Renate Klein(D), req. Regina Brainard
Oct. 16	9:00 AM	Delia Hennelly(D), req. Regina Brainard
	10:15 AM	Renate Klein(D), req. Jean & Ed Manlove
	10:30 AM	Pat & Bob Shumaker(L), req. Jim & Lorie Issel
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
Oct. 17	8:00 AM	Renate Klein(D), req. Buxton Family
Oct. 18	5:30 PM	Patricia Toomey(D), req. Neil & Anne Marie Morris
Oct. 19	8:00 AM	Jonathan Miller(L)
Oct. 20	5:30 PM	Karen Bockrath(L), req. Lorie Issel
Oct. 21	8:00 AM	Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing, Req. Joe & Judy Archer
Oct. 22	4:00 PM	Renate Klein(D), req. William & Bernadette Keenan
Oct. 23	9:00 AM	Carmella & Alberto Lara(D), Req. John & Concetta Farrace
	10:15 AM	Carol Lane Mills(D), req. Virginia Lane & Family
	10:30 AM	Eva Girone(L), req. Girone Family
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish

Calendar of Events:-

Oct. 19	Finance Council—7:00 PM—Rectory Clean Church—St. Patrick
Oct. 20	Knights of Columbus—7:00 PM—St. Mary Hall
Oct. 25	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
Nov. 2	Clean Church—St. Patrick

Book of Sacred Liturgy: We will begin using the Book of Sacred Liturgy on the first Sunday in November. Call the office or speak to Fr. Klein if you would like to purchase a personal copy. We will place an order for the copies individuals have requested. The cost with shipping is \$22.00.

Bishop Francis Malooly invites all couples celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th wedding anniversary and any beyond 50th, to the Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass at 2:00 PM, Sunday, October 23, at St. Joseph's Middletown, 371 E. Main St., Middletown, DE. There is no cost to you but reservations required by Oct. 15 by calling the Office of Marriage & Family Life at 302-295-0657 or email ljackson@cdow.org.

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!

ST. PATRICK'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	Oct. 9, 2016
Offertory	\$3,276.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	226.00
Share in the Spirit	35.00
World Mission	25.00
Book of Sacred Liturgy	240.00

ST. MARY'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	Oct. 9, 2016
Offertory	\$648.50
St. Vincent DePaul Society	16.00

Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-

St. Patrick	\$2,962.00
St. Mary	\$865.00

The second collection this weekend of October 15/16 is for World Mission Sunday. Envelopes for World Mission Sunday may be placed in the regular collection.

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., Jack McDermott, III, Susan Naughton, Vici Manlove, Anna Matt, Ann Tobin, Claire Cambra, Samantha Nelson, Judy Maciey, Catherine Manlove Pugliese, Anita Flynn, Christina Mallon, Mary Elizabeth Selsky, Veronica Scully, Renate Klein, Randy Carter.

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

Catholic Charities Bishop's 5K Run/Walk, Sat., Nov. 19—10:00 AM, Bellevue State Park, 500 Carr Road, Wilmington; early bird registration—\$15, regular registration \$20. visit bishops5K.com to register. Complimentary post-event, featuring food and live music. Persons attending the post-event who are not runners/walkers need to register at bishops5K.com. Proceeds benefit Catholic Charities.

Throughout October, Respect Life month, Birthright of DE will have its Bottles for Babies event. Take a bottle home, read the insert, fill the bottle with loose change and return it by the weekend of October 29/30. Proceeds benefit pregnant women and their infants.

St. Mark's High School—Important Fall Admissions Dates:- 8th Grade Prep Course for High School Placement Test (HSPT), Nov. 5, 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM; Fall Open House, Sun., Oct. 30, 12:30 PM—3:30 PM; Spartan for a Day for 8th Grade students, beginning Oct. 4 and offered, Tues.-Fri.; 8th Grade HSPT at St. Mark's, Dec. 3 at 8:00 AM or Dec. 4 at 12:00 PM.

SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.

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

On the front cover of the spring issue of *Imprint*, a publication of the Sisters of Life, who do so much for the pro-life cause, were these words: "God chose to need you." That headline was further explained inside by a quote from Blessed John Henry Newman, "God has created me to do Him some definite service ... Therefore I will trust Him. Whatever, wherever I am, I can never be thrown away."

These words caught my eye because of the emphasis on prayer in today's readings. When God chose to need you, that meant in part that he intends to sustain the world and shape the future through your prayers. God uses human means to care for the world and to advance its salvation. He uses our prayers to care for and promote the salvation of those we love. Catholics therefore understand that our prayer must continue even for the departed.

We tend in our era to think individualistically, but God saves us as a people, a community, a Church. We are bound together first of all by our Baptism and faith and by the celebration of the Mass. But in all of that prayer is a central part. The prayer of the Church binds us together, gives life and vitality to our faith, and 'advances the peace and salvation of all the world.' (Eucharistic Prayer 3)

Prayer can be as simple as Aaron and Hur holding up Moses' hands in the first reading today. God has chosen to need us and to use our prayers to advance his purposes.

Sometimes we pray for our individual needs, sometimes for the needs of others, sometimes for the Church and the whole world, but regardless of whether things go our way, we know that neither we nor our prayers will be 'thrown away.'

God uses human means to save the world—first of all his Son Jesus, fully human and fully divine. But he also has chosen to need us and to need our prayers and our labors. God has created you to do Him some definite service.

In Christ,
Fr. Klein

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday: Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 13:1-9
Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; Ps 34:2-3, 17-19, 23; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Sukkot (Jewish Feast of Tabernacles) begins at sunset
Monday: St. Ignatius of Antioch; National Boss Day
Tuesday: St. Luke
Wednesday: Ss. John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, and Companions
Thursday: St. Paul of the Cross
Saturday: St. John Paul II; 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. Next Sunday, October 23, hear excerpts from an address by Bishop John Barres, Bishop of Allentown, to educators of the Diocese of Wilmington. Available on-air, online and on-demand, Catholic Forum airs Sunday mornings at 9:05 on WAAI 100.9FM in Hurlock, Maryland and on www.1009purecountry.com

Vocation Thought:- In today's gospel reading, Jesus reminds his disciples that they should pray persistently. As we try to discern God's will in our lives, we have to pray persistently too: "Dear Lord, help me to know what You want me to do with my life. Give me

wisdom and understanding. And give me the grace of generosity and courage, so that when I figure it out I can cooperate with Your plan." If you think God might be calling you to a priestly or religious vocation, 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/

Christa and I would like to take the opportunity on behalf of the rest of our family to thank you for the many expressions of support, the prayers, and the love we have received from the parish during the sad days past, as we faced the deepest grief of parents, the burial of a child. We have been moved by how much Renate meant to so many of you and by your many recollections of her.

Weeks ago I began to say as people offered assistance that I only wished we could have put all those offers to use. Your generosity in offering your time and energy was profoundly moving. But most of all we thank you for the ocean of prayer that has sustained us and supported our daughter through her final illness and for your many expressions of support.

May God reward you.
Fr. Klein

St. Vincent DePaul Society:- Please consider marking your United Way contribution through your employer to the Society of St. Vincent DePaul by using Code 9284. Thank you for your support of the needy.

St. Patrick's now has a wheelchair available for emergencies or for someone in need and it is found on the second floor outside the elevator doors.

Rachel's Vineyard Catholic Retreat for post-abortion healing, Jesus House, Wilmington, DE, October 21-23. For more information call Nan Freeman—302-528-8313 or visit rachelvineyard.org.

Christ Our King Parish will celebrate the 90th anniversary of its founding with a Mass of thanksgiving at 3 PM, October 30 followed by a light buffet meal and fellowship in Monsignor John J. Lynch Hall, 28th St. between Madison and Monroe.. This will be the last liturgy before the parish is dissolved and the church closed. Parishioners, former parishioners, alumni of the school and friends of the parish are invited to attend. There is no charge, but reservations are required by October 14 for the meal so arrangements can be completed. Call 302-762-4140 or email at cj@christourkingcatholicchurch.org.

"Give Us This Day"- We have received a large trial shipment of "This Day" for November. It is a devotional book for the month. Please feel free to take one.

Via Crucis - The Way of the Cross:- All grade-school age to college age boys and girls are invited to join the current group of youths in presenting and participating in this holy endeavor. For further details or information contact Maria Finamore, Director, at 302-545-5047 or stanthony.viacrucis@gmail.com.

Catholic Relief Services:- If you wish to assist CRS in aid to Haiti following Hurricane Matthew, you can go directly to their website, www.crs.org. You may also place a check with proper designation in the offering, and those funds will be forwarded to Catholic Relief Service.

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

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