

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

6th & Pine Sts.

Wilmington, De. 19801

15th & King Sts.

Very Rev. Leonard R. Klein, Pastor

Rev. John C. McVoy, Assisting

MASSES: ST. MARY'S

Sunday: 10:15 A.M.

Baptisms: By Appointment

Holy days: As announced

Rectory: 1414 King St. Phone: (302) 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 21, 2018

Through his suffering, my servant shall
justify many.
Isaiah 53:11b

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

- Oct. 20 4:00 PM Joseph & Elizabeth Wysocki(D)
Req. Wysocki Family
- Oct. 21 9:00 AM Maria Wendt(L), req. Girone
Family
- 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
- Oct. 22 8:00 AM Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing,
Req. Joe & Judy Archer
- Oct. 23 5:30 PM No Intention
- Oct. 24 8:00 AM **NO MASS**
- Oct. 25 5:30 PM Dominic(D) & Joan of Arc(L)
Dougherty, anniv., req.
Dougherty Family
- Oct. 26 8:00 AM Ron Smith(D), req. Jack
McGonigle
- Oct. 27 4:00 PM Rita Day-Revellese(D), req.
Day Family
- Oct. 28 9:00 AM Carmella & Alberto Lara(D),
Req. Concetta Farrace & Fam.
- 10:15 AM Wilmer T. Johnson, Jr.(D)
- 10:30 AM Thomas O'Malley(D), req.
Betty O'Malley
- 5:00 PM People of the Parish

Calendar of Events:-

- Oct. 23 St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
- Oct. 24 Clean Church—St. Patrick
- Oct. 31 Clean Church—St. Patrick
- Nov. 1 All Saints Day—Holy Day of Obligation
- Nov. 2 All Souls Day - Commemoration of Faithful
Departed
- Nov. 4 160th Celebration at St. Mary's

Cathedral of St. Peter Organ Recital, Sunday, October 21, 3:00 PM, at the Cathedral of St. Peter, Sixth & West Streets, Wilmington, to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the 1918 Austin Opus 807 pipe organ. The recital will feature six organists and other instrumentalists to mark the occasion. A special arrangement of the hymn, "All Creatures of Our God and King" has been composed by Dr. David Herman for the recital. The organ was built in 1918 and been renovated over the last 23 years with the addition of new pipes and the addition of three manual console with modern computer switching technology installed in 2006. The recital is free and open to the public. A flyer on the recital is available in the back of church.

160th Anniversary Celebration of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, Sunday, November 4, following the 10:15 AM mass; reception in church hall, 601 E. 6th St. For more information call Pat at 998-5966 or email buxtonjm@verizon.net

ST. PATRICK'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday	October 14, 2018
Offertory	\$2,497.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	114.00
All Souls	504.00
World Mission Sunday	720.00

ST. MARY'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	October 14, 2018
Offertory	\$692.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	106.00
All Souls	48.50
World Mission Sunday	183.50

Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-

St. Patrick	\$3,365.00
St. Mary	\$788.00

The second collection the weekend of November 17/18 is for Catholic Campaign for Human Development.

A SPECIAL COLLECTION to assist Catholic Charities' work with Hurricane Michael victims will be taken next weekend, October 27/28.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS Barbara Stackow, Arlene Dahl, Lisa Sulecki, Pat Zickgraf, Terry Mowbray, 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, Harry Coulsting, Christopher McGonigle, Duncan Ryan, Cristina Smith, Juanita Henderson, Sean Dahl, Cynthia Herrick, Tyler White, John Lewis, Judy Leary, Larry Tobin, Jr., 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, Henry Manlove, Sr., Jack McDermott, III, Susan Naughton, Vici Manlove, Anna Matt, Claire Cambra, Samantha Nelson, Judy Maciey, Catherine Manlove Pugliese, Anita Flynn, Christina Mallon, Veronica Scully, Alex Miller, Nicholas Miller, Kevin Miller, Mark Julian, Greg Long, Roland M. Dimaya, Vernon Cropper, Daniel Myers, Molly Remaley, Sally McKinney Rosenberg, Janell Harris, Fr. Leonard Klein. If you wish to add or remove a name from this list, please call the Parish Office—652-0743. Thank you.

**SUPPORT FATHER TRAINOR
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOOD DRIVE**

PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO MASS ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24 AT 8:00 AM DUE TO DIOCESAN PRIESTS' RETREAT.

Bishop's Annual 5K Run/Walk:- New Location! Glasgow Regional Park, 2275 Pulasky Highway, Bear, Saturday, November 10; step off time is 10:00 AM; registration fee is \$20 per participant, plus a \$2.50 event fee.

SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.

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

For a few weeks our second readings are from the Letter to the Hebrews, a unique and valuable book of the New Testament. It focuses on the identity of Jesus Christ as Son of God and High Priest of the New Covenant—to summarize a fairly long and complex letter. Today it reminds us that Jesus is a high priest who is able to ‘sympathize with our weakness’ because he has shared in our flesh and blood and has been tempted as we are. In this way he is, as the letter says elsewhere, an elder brother.

In the Gospel Jesus looks ahead to the supreme act of his priesthood, the baptism with which he is to be baptized, that is, the crucifixion. He will offer himself freely, as a priest would offer a sacrifice. In the sacrifice of the Mass Christ's self-offering is recapitulated, as he makes himself available to us once again and once again intercedes for us with his Father. The priest, we say, stands in the role of Christ, repeating his words and offering the Eucharistic sacrifice in union with the sacrifice of the cross.

In these troubled days for the Church that doctrine can be disturbing, for so many priests and bishops have acted in ways utterly contrary to the way of Jesus. But standing in the person of Christ does not elevate the priest to some super-human status or privilege. It obliges him to empty himself, so that Christ may not be obscured. The priest's privilege is to represent Christ not to replace him and certainly not to abuse his office. While every priest is a unique individual with a unique personality and a sinner, he is called like John the Baptist to decrease so that Christ might increase. The failure to understand this is one of the major contributors to the present scandals. Pray the rosary in the month of October for a holy priesthood and for ample vocations.

On the medical front, chemo has been suspended for two weeks as my blood counts recover. They are doing so and this situation is not unusual. While I did not understand before my diagnosis that this is possible in leukemia, the cancer remains restricted to the bone marrow. No “blasts,” that is, leukemic cells, have been detected at any point in my blood stream. This is good news.

Recovery from the injury inflicted during the bone marrow biopsy in August continues. I have begun physical therapy, continue to regain strength and abilities, and can now walk with a cane rather than a walker—a great encouragement and liberation. Thanks as ever for your prayers, encouragement and support.

In Christ,
Father Klein

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-14; Lk 12:35-38
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: Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Mission Sunday

Monday: St. John Paul II
Tuesday: St. John of Capistrano
Wednesday: St. Anthony Mary Claret
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 6:05 AM (**NEW TIME**) on WDEL 101.7 FM, 1150 AM and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, October 28, Ms. Cathy Weaver and Mr. Dan Sinnott will discuss Saint Francis Hospital's Saint John's bible project. For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, podcasts and more, “Like” Catholic Forum on Facebook at www.facebook.com/catholicforum. Listen to past episodes of Catholic Forum online at cdow.org/ communications or search “Catholic Forum” on Apple Podcasts or iHeartRadio podcasts.

Vocation Thought:- Have you ever felt weak? Today's reading from the Letter to the Hebrews reminds us that Jesus, our High Priest, can sympathize with us in our weakness because he himself has been tested in every way. In other words, the author is saying that Jesus, who is truly God, is also truly human. In our day and age, Jesus calls truly human people to minister to his people as priests, deacons and religious. Could he be calling you? 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!

This weekend we are using **The Book of Sacred Liturgy**. Readings for Year B, Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 457.

Listen to Relevant Radio—640AM on the local dial.

If you know of any parishioner who is sick or home bound and might wish to receive Holy Communion, please call the office at 302-652-0743.

Annual Bottles for Babies Fundraiser:- Throughout October, Respect Life month, Birthright of Delaware will have its Annual Bottles for Babies Event. Did you take a bottle or two home with you, fill it with loose change, cash or a check and return them at the end of October or sooner? Proceeds benefit pregnant women and their infants.

St. Mark's High School, Important Admissions Dates:-

*8th Grade HSPT Prep Course, Sat., Nov. 10; *Fall Open House, Sun., Oct. 28 from 12:00—3:00 PM; *Spartan for a Day for 8th grade students, beginning Oct. 2 and offered Tuesday-Friday; *8th grade HSPT at St. Mark's, Dec. 1, 8:30 AM or Dec. 2, 12:00 PM.

St. Edmond's Academy Fall Open House, for prospective students and families, Tuesday, November 6, 9:00 AM. Tours will be given of the campus and the event will last approximately two hours beginning promptly at 9:00 AM. To register, please call Pete Duncan at 302-475-5370 ext. 317.

Due to Convocation 150 at the Ocean City Convention Center, there will be no Diocese of Wilmington 150th Anniversary Historic Church Tours on Saturday, November 3. For details, visit www.cdow.org/150th.

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PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!

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