

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-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 2, 2018

Humbly welcome the word that has been planted in you and is able to save your souls.

James 1:21b

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sept. 1	4:00 PM	Caitlin Lam(L)
Sept. 2	9:00 AM	Sharon Woods(L), req. Girone Family
	10:15 AM	Jorge R. Williams, Sr.(D), req Jean & Ed Manlove
	10:30 AM	Robert M. Shumaker, Jr.(D) Req. Pat & Bob Shumaker
	5:00 PM	Paul & Adrienne Suarez(L) 30th Anniversary
Sept. 3	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
Sept. 4	5:30 PM	Joseph Izzo(D), req. Joe & Judy Archer & Archer Family
Sept. 5	8:00 AM	Fr. Leonard Klein(L), req. Pat & Irene Dougherty & Family
Sept. 6	5:30 PM	Fr. John McVoy(L), req. Pat & Irene Dougherty & Family
Sept. 7	8:00 AM	Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing, Req. Joe & Judy Archer
	6:00 PM	Patrick Dougherty(L), req. Gaunt Family
Sept. 8	4:00 PM	Galen Cassingham(D), req. Margie Pietras
Sept. 9	9:00 AM	Michael Franzoni(D), req. Tom, Patty, Erin & Kyle McKeown
	10:15 AM	Rosa Giliberto(D), req. Louise Giliberto & Family
	10:30 AM	Catherone Girone(L), req. Girone Family
	5:00 PM	James & Jeanette McKinney(D) Req. Carole McKinney

Calendar of Events:-

Sept. 5	Clean Church—St. Patrick
Sept. 11	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
Sept. 12	Clean Church—St. Patrick
Sept. 19	Clean Church—St. Patrick
Sept. 20	Knights of Columbus—7:00 PM—St. Mary Hall
Sept. 25	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
Sept. 26	Clean Church—St. Patrick

Order Your Sesquicentennial Custom Rosary - A custom-designed, limited-edition, dark red and gold rosary to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington made in Italy by the Ghirelli Company, blessed at the Vatican by Pope Francis on June 6, 2018. The rosary comes in a commemorative color pouch, for a suggested \$30.00 donation each, plus shipping and handling. An order form is available online at www.cdown.org/150th.

National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children:- Sat. September 8, 9:00 AM, Fr. Roger F. DiBuo, Pastor of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, will preside at a prayer service at the graveside of 63 aborted children at Cathedral Cemetery, 2400 Lancaster Ave., Wilmington. **The public is invited.**

ST. PATRICK’S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday	August 26, 2018
Offertory	\$2,956.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	105.00
Cathedral of St. Peter	75.00

ST. MARY’S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	August 26, 2018
Offertory	\$491.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	6.50
Cathedral of St. Peter	27.00

Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-

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

The second collection the weekend of September 22/23 is for the Share in the Spirit.

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, John Fitzpatrick.

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**

The Regina Coeli Society Choir will begin rehearsals in September. We are in need of recruits for all voices: Soprano, Alto, Tenor and Bass. If you are interested and can help, see our organist Diana George or usher Pat Dougherty. The choir sings the 10:30 AM High Mass, the last Sunday of each month as well as Christmas and Easter. Initial rehearsals will be September 22 and 29 at 10:00 AM in St. Patrick’s Choir Loft.

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!

SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.

PRAY FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

THE HIGHEST LAW

From time to time, newspapers and magazines will offer, as an item of “filler,” various laws that are still on the books but seem silly to us in our day and age. In one California city, it is illegal to have two indoor bathtubs in one house. Clean water, a precious commodity when the law was written, is now readily available, so the law seems silly. But the human value of protecting and preserving precious resources is still around, evident in many conservation laws that seem sensible to us. So it is with the laws of religious tradition. What Jesus scorns today is others’ attitude toward ritual laws, an attitude that becomes nearly idolatrous when laws are observed for their own sake. Jesus teaches that observation of external ritual laws is of value only when they are emblems of our internal disposition toward the will of God. Our whole lives must follow the one ultimate law of God: to love God completely and to love neighbor entirely. Roman Catholicism is a tradition rich with customs, traditions, and even laws. As we continue to listen to the voice of Christ, we must always look into our own hearts and underneath our ritual practices to make sure that love of God and love of neighbor are what we prize above all.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Lk 4:16-30, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass “For the Blessings of Human Labor,” nos. 907-911
Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11
Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: Mt 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]
Sunday: Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7-10; Jas 2:1-5; Mk 7:31-37

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Gregory the Great; Labor Day
Friday: First Friday
Saturday: The Nativity of the 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, September 9, hear an exclusive interview with Bishop W. Francis Malooly, as he looks back at his ten years as Bishop of Wilmington. 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 Though:- In today’s first reading, Moses asks the Israelites “what great nation is there that has gods so close to it as the Lord, our God, is to us?” Indeed, our God calls us to deep intimacy and invites us to participate in His plan for the salvation of all people. How is He calling you to participate? If you think your vocation is to priesthood, diaconate or religious life, 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-second Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 444.

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.

Sisters’ Night, Friday, Sept. 7, 6-9PM, Villa Maria House of Studies, 1140 W. King Rd., Malvern, PA 19355. Single young women ages 18-35 invited to spend an evening cookout, fun and prayer with the Immaculate Heart of Mary sisters, novices, and postulants; a great opportunity for young women who may be curious about a vocation to the religious life.

Discernment Retreat—Sept. 7 (6PM) - Sept. 9 (1PM), Villa Marie House of Studies (address above); weekend retreat for single young women ages 18-35 of prayer, spiritual conferences, meals, and times of recreation with the Sisters. Daily Mass, Liturgy of the Hours and Eucharistic adoration included in weekend retreat. For either event contact 610-889-1553 or ihmvoc@gmail.com.

12th Annual Nun Run 5k to benefit the Little Sisters of the Poor, Saturday, September 15, start 9:00 AM (registration opens at 7:30 AM), Jeanne Jugan Residence, 185 Salem Church Road, Newark, DE; parking at the residence and at Christiana High School, directly across the street. \$25 (before 8:00 AM on September 14) \$30 (day of race). Prizes and post race refreshments including pizza, chocolate milk, beer (ID required), fruit & more, live upbeat music, goody bags at finish line, raffle and bake sale. For more information or to register, www.NunRun5K.org or email to race@NunRun5k.org.

Bereavement Support Group, Tuesday evenings, 7:00 to 8:30 PM. Are you struggling with enduring your daily life without your loved one? Are you feeling overwhelmed by the grieving process? Jesus House Prayer and Renewal Center offers on-going monthly meetings. Participation is open to adults who are coping with the recent or long standing loss of a loved one. These grief support groups are designed to offer support, comfort, and coping skills to adults who have sustained the loss of a loved one. Jesus House Prayer and Renewal Center, 2501 Milltown Road, Wilmington, DE 19808, 302-995-6858.

Is God calling you to a deeper prayer life and relationship with Him? The Secular Discalced Carmelites (OCDS) may be for you. We are a Catholic lay order of men and women undertaking to live an evangelical life of fraternity and contemplative prayer, according to the Carmelite Saints. We meet in Newark, DE on the 3rd Saturday of each month. To learn more, contact Dan—302-252-8784 or Laurie—410-378-0010.

Calix Society:- A Mass sponsored by the Calix Society of Wilmington is said every Wednesday at 6:15 PM at St. Matthew’s Church, 901 E. Newport Pike, Woodcrest, Wilm. The Mass will be offered for all those suffering from the sickness of addiction and all those who died from the sickness of addiction. All are welcome, but especially those whose loved ones suffer from this sickness or died from it.

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

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