

Easter Sunday

*This is the day
the Lord has made;
let us rejoice
and be glad.*

Psalm 118:24

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April 21, 2019

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

6th & Pine Sts.

Very Rev. Leonard R. Klein, Pastor

Wilmington, DE 19801

15th & King Sts.

Rev. John C. McVoy, Assisting

MASSES: ST. MARY'S

Sunday: 10:15 A.M.

Baptisms: By Appointment

Holy days: As announced

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)

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Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

April 21, 2019

When Christ your life appears,
then you too will appear with him in glory.
Colossians 3:4

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

April 20	8:00 PM	Holy Saturday, St. Elizabeth R.C. Church
April 21	9:00 AM	Fr. Leonard Klein & Family(L), Req. Paul & Adrienne Suarez
	10:15 AM	Buxton Family(L), req. Paul & Adrienne Suarez
	10:30 AM	Dec. Mem. Of Girone/Raieta Family, req. Girone Family
	5:00 PM	NO MASS
April 22	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
April 23	5:30 PM	Edwin Owens(D)
April 24	8:00 AM	Karen Sharp(L), req. Nick Cotter
	7:00 PM	Kirsten Lynn(L), req. Nick Cotter
April 25	5:30 PM	No Intention
April 26	8:00 AM	No Intention
April 27	4:00 PM	No Intention
April 28	9:00 AM	Fr. Leonard Klein(L), healing, Req. Paul & Adrienne Suarez
	10:15 AM	Dea. Robert J. Levesque(D), Req. Bernadette & Tony DeLia
	10:30 AM	Sister Constance Sophy(D), req. Betty O'Malley
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish

Calendar of Events:-

April 23	St. Vincent DePaul Society—6:00 PM - Rectory
April 24	Novena Mass—St. Mary—7:00 PM Finance Council—St. Mary after Mass
May 1	Clean Church—St. Patrick Novena Mass—St. Mary—7:00 PM
May 7	St. Vincent DePaul Society—6:00 PM—Rectory
May 8	Clean Church—St. Patrick

Novena at St. Mary's:- Novena of Masses at St. Mary's on Wednesdays at 7:00 PM from Ash Wednesday through the second week of Easter. Contact the office if you would like to designate a mass intention any of those days—302-652-0743.

Rachel's Vineyard next Catholic Retreat is May 3-5 at Malvern Retreat House. The retreat weekend is a beautiful opportunity for emotional and spiritual healing for any woman or man who has struggled with abortion. For more information contact Nan Freeman at 302-333-1904 or visit rachelvineyard.org.

History Book in Celebration of the 150th Anniversary:- "*Rejoicing in the Lord*" - Books are available after all Masses in the back of Church. The cost is \$35.00 per copy.

Ministry of Caring is planning a fall trip to Portugal, October 15-24. For information, contact Debbe Phillips at 302-652-5523 or dphillips@ministryofcaring.org.

ST. PATRICK'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday	April 7, 2019
Offertory	\$2,909.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	387.00
Easter Flowers	25.00
Good Friday—Holy Land Shrines	5.00

ST. MARY'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	April 7, 2019
Offertory	\$827.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	5.00
Easter Flowers	5.00
Rice Bowl	11.00
Good Friday—Holy Land Shrines	2.50

Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-

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

The second collection on the weekend of May 18/19 is for Diocesan Priests Retirement Fund.

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, Liz Adams, Cindy Crispin, Fay Weldon, Brian Matt, Julia Farrell, Mary Ciritella, Nancy Read Keil, Jack McDermott, III, Susan Naughton, Vici Manlove, Anna Matt, Claire Cambra, Samantha Nelson, Judy Maciey, Catherine Manlove Pugliese, Anita Flynn, Christina Mallon, Veronica Scully, Mark Julian, Greg Long, Roland M. Dimaya, Vernon Cropper, Daniel Myers, Molly Remaley, Sally McKinney Rosenberg, Janell Harris, Fr. Leonard Klein, John Boyer, Jennie Dahl, Robert Laraway, Eleace Stacey, Henry Howard.

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

2019 Annual Catholic Appeal—"As I have Done For You, You Should Also Do:- This year's theme is taken from the Gospel of St. John when he recounts Jesus washing the feet of His Disciples. It is through this role of servant that Jesus gives us a model to follow. But following Christ is no easy task because it means that we must put all others before ourselves. Thank you to everyone who has made a pledge to this year's diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal. If you have not yet participated, consider doing so today. Your gift makes a real difference in the lives of thousands of individuals and families who reside within our 12-county diocese. Pledge envelopes are available in the pews and can be placed in the offertory basket. Thank you for your generosity. To learn more about the Annual Catholic Appeal, visit www.cdow.org/annualcatholicappeal.

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!
PRAY FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY!
SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.

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

Christ is risen! That is the good news the Church proclaims. Everything we do as Christians flows from the discovery of the empty tomb and the encounters of the women and the disciples with the risen Jesus. The Kingdom of God that Jesus proclaimed erupts in his victory over death.

All that the Church does and is rests on the resurrection of Jesus. It enables us to call him Lord and to know the Holy Trinity. The resurrection is at the heart of all our charity as individuals and as the Church, for it reveals that every human being has infinite value to God. The doctrinal and moral teaching of the Church is built on the foundation of Jesus' Lordship, established in the resurrection. We receive and faithfully use the Old Testament because we understand the risen Christ to be the fulfillment of the history of Israel and the preaching of her prophets. The martyrs through the centuries and in our day offer themselves because they know that, united to Christ in his death, they will be united with him in life eternal.

The resurrection of Christ, witnessed and proclaimed by the apostles who were willing to die for what they saw and heard, is a challenge to every age. Our own age thinks that science rules it out, even as it abounds in a plethora of superstitions and false gods. People who imagine that the government, technology or the market will save us and deliver all good things or that absolute personal freedom of choice leads to happiness consider the resurrection incredible. We know better. The witness and courage of the women and the apostles propel us to faith. The saints and the martyrs reflect the glory of the resurrection. Reason supports our belief in the resurrection because it knows that God's truth must be contrary to the idols that lead people astray. But most of all, the joy that acknowledged and adored the risen Christ 2000 years ago impels us to believe and to follow.

May God grant you such faith and enthusiasm.

Because of publishing schedules I am writing this letter 11 days before Easter, that is, on April 10. My stay at the University of Pennsylvania Hospital has gone very well so far. Only in the last few days have I developed any symptoms from the chemo I received in the first week, and that symptom is merely some fatigue, though I know that it will likely get rougher in the week or so ahead.

Things have gone very well so far, and the transfusion of stem cells on April 9 was uneventful. Please pray that they will get to work quickly. I miss you all and wish you a most joyous Easter.

*In the name of the Risen Christ,
Fr. Klein*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35
Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48
Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27; Jn 21:1-14
Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-21; Mk 16:9-15
Sunday: Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24;
Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Easter Sunday: Resurrection of the Lord;
Julian Calendar Palm Sunday
Monday: Monday within the Octave of Easter; Earth Day
Tuesday: Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
Wednesday: Wednesday within the Octave of Easter;
Administrative Professionals Day
Thursday: Thursday within the Octave of Easter
Friday: Friday within the Octave of Easter;
Julian Calendar Good Friday; Arbor Day
Saturday: Saturday within the Octave of Easter

Vocation Thought:- Have you seen Him? Can you share the story of that encounter? When Mary Magdalen returned from the empty tomb, she told Peter and John "they have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him." In today's world, many people don't know where to look for the Lord. Priests, deacons, sisters and brothers spend their lives helping people to find Him. Can you see yourself serving in that great mission? Call or write Fr. Norm Carroll, Diocesan Vocation Director (302-573-3113, vocations@cdow.org). Be sure to visit our website: www.cdow.org/vocations

Listen to the Catholic Forum:- Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 6:05 a.m. on WDEL 101.7 FM, 1150 AM and www.wdel.com. After it airs, listen online anytime at www.cdow.org/CatholicForum, or search "Catholic Forum" on Apple, Spotify, or iHeartRadio podcasts. This Sunday, April 21st, tune in to hear Bishop Malooly's annual Easter Message, a report from Rome about Easter in the Vatican, and some terrific Easter music from the Saint John the Baptist/Holy Angels and Saint Joseph on the Brandywine choirs. For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, links and more, "Like" Catholic Forum on Facebook at www.facebook.com/catholicforum.

This weekend we are using **The Book of Sacred Liturgy**. Readings for Year C, the Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord are on page 527.

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.

Please return Rice Bowl.

8th Annual Parish Dinner sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Fr. Trainor Council will be on Saturday, May 4th, at St. Mary's Hall. The social begins at 5:00 PM. There is plenty of secure parking at 6th and Pine Streets. Please mark your calendar now and join us then.

Please be generous with your Rice Bowls this Lent. 25% of donations are returned to our Diocese and are directed to our St. Vincent de Paul conference to help the needy here at home. Thank you for your kind consideration!

PLEASE NOTE—THERE WILL BE NO 5:00 PM MASS ON EASTER SUNDAY.

Old Bohemia Historical Society will hold its Annual Membership Meeting, Sunday, April 28, at St. Francis Xavier Shrine at 2:00 PM. Mass will be celebrated by Msgr. David Kelley at 4:00 PM. Guided tours will be available following the Mass.

Easter Renewal Retreat Week at Resurrection Parish, 3000 Videre Drive, Wilmington, April 27 through May 2. Call 302-368-0146 or www.resurrectionde.org for information.

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