

# 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

## **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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**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

August 5, 2018

Do not work for food that perishes  
but for the food that endures for eternal life.

John 6:27a

**INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Aug. 4	4:00 PM	Fr. Leonard Klein(L), req. Jack McGonigle
Aug. 5	9:00 AM	No Intention
	10:15 AM	Robert Lisansky(D), req. Mary Jane Lisansky
	10:30 AM	Robert M. Shumaker, Jr.(D), req Pat & Bob Shumaker
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
Aug. 6	8:00 AM	No Intentions
Aug. 7	5:30 PM	No Intentions
Aug. 8	8:00 AM	No Intentions
Aug. 9	5:30 PM	No Intentions
Aug. 10	8:00 PM	Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing, Req. Joe & Judy Archer
Aug. 11	4:00 PM	Rev. Roberto Balducelli, OSFS (D), req. Regina Coeli Soc.
Aug. 12	9:00 AM	No Intention
	10:15 AM	Tony, Marian, Mary Ann & Victoria Martell(D), req. Louise Giliberto & Family
	10:30 AM	Robert C. Dunn(D), req. Jean L. Dunn
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish

**Calendar of Events:-**

Aug. 8	Clean Church—St. Patrick’s
Aug. 14	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
Aug. 15	Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary— <b>Holy Day of Obligation</b>
Aug. 16	Knights of Columbus—7:00 PM—St. Mary Hall
Aug. 22	Clean Church—St. Patrick’s
Aug. 28	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory

**Holy Father’s Intention for August:-** *The Treasure of Families:* That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

**Order Your Sesquicentennial Custom Rosary Before They are Gone!** A custom-designed, limited-edition, dark red and gold rosary is now available to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington. The rosaries, made in Italy by the Ghirelli Company, blessed at the Vatican by Pope Francis on June 6, 2018 during His Holiness’ Weekly Audience in Saint Peter’s Square. The rosary comes in a commemorative color pouch, and is available for a suggested \$30.00 donation each, plus shipping and handling. Detailed photographs of the rosary, and an order form are available online at [www.cdown.org/150th](http://www.cdown.org/150th). A further description is in the current issue of the Dialog.

**ST. PATRICK’S SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

Sunday	July 29, 2018
Offertory	\$3,030.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	168.00
Assumption of Mary	10.00
Cathedral of St. Peter	5.00

**ST. MARY’S SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

Sunday,	July 29, 2018
Offertory	\$828.50
St. Vincent DePaul Society	11.00
Church in Central & Eastern Europe	12.50

**Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-**

St. Patrick	\$3,269.00
St. Mary	\$788.00

**The second collection the weekend of August 18/19 is for the Cathedral of Saint Peter.**

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.

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**

**A Special Collection** for the maintenance and preservation of the Cathedral of St. Peter will be taken up in all parishes in our diocese August 18 & 19. Please be as generous as you can. For more information about the Cathedral visit the Cathedral's website at [www.cathedralofstpeter.com](http://www.cathedralofstpeter.com). For a video tour of the Cathedral, visit the diocesan website at [www.cdown.org/cathedral](http://www.cdown.org/cathedral).

**PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!**

**SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.**

**PRAY FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY**

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

Last Sunday we heard John's version of the feeding of the 5000. Throughout this month of August, we will hear the rest of John 6, as Jesus unfolds the Eucharistic meaning of the miracle and speaks of himself as the Bread of Life. The sixth chapter of John stands as one of the central New Testament interpretations of the Sacrament. It is virtually on a par with the accounts of the institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper in the first three Gospels and in First Corinthians. Some scholars argue that John 6 is in effect the Fourth Gospel's account of the institution of the Eucharist, since John does not report it in his lengthy description of the Last Supper.

As we listen to John 6 through this month, it is important also to be attentive to the lessons that precede the Gospel.

We hear wonderful accounts from the Old Testament of God's care for his people in the context of feeding them. Today we are reminded of the manna in the wilderness that sustained Israel through her time in the desert journeying to the promised land. And of course we can call the Eucharist *viaticum*—'food along the way' or 'food for the journey.' While in more recent centuries the term has come to be associated with communion at the time of death, the more ancient usage was to see its meaning as food along the journey, the food that sustains us throughout the pilgrimage to the Kingdom of God.

The readings from Ephesians are equally important. In this letter Paul is deeply concerned with the unity, mission and integrity of the Church, which he sees as the extension of Christ in time and space. Today's second reading is in many ways just a simple call to decency and Christian morality. It means, as Paul says, putting on a new self. Only by putting on a new self can we carry on the journey. And that new self is sustained by the food for the journey, the Bread of Life, Jesus Christ.

In Christ,  
Fr. Klein

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;  
2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10  
Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29,  
22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14  
Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28  
Thursday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23  
Friday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26  
Saturday: Hb 1:12 — 2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20  
Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9; Eph 4:30 — 5:2; Jn 6:41-51

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: The Transfiguration of the Lord  
Tuesday: St. Sixtus II and Companions; St. Cajetan  
Wednesday: St. Dominic  
Thursday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross  
Friday: St. Lawrence  
Saturday: St. Clare

**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, August 12, tune in to hear part two of a two-part salute to Father Roberto Balducci, OSFS, who passed away five years ago, on August 9, 2013 at the age of 100, featuring an interview with Father

Roberto that was recorded in 2006. For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, podcasts and more, "Like" Catholic Forum on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/catholicforum](http://www.facebook.com/catholicforum). Listen to past episodes of Catholic Forum online at [cdow.org/communications](http://cdow.org/communications) or search "Catholic Forum" on Apple Podcasts or iHeartRadio podcasts.

**Vocation Thought:-** One day, each of us will share the transfigured life of the Lord in the Kingdom of God. Until we get there, though, religious women, religious men, deacons and priests attempt to keep us focused on the new life through lives of holiness and service. Is God calling you to serve the Church in one of these vocations. If you think so, call or write 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!)

**This weekend** we are using **The Book of Sacred Liturgy**. Readings for Year B, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 436.

**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.

**The Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)** administered in Delaware by Catholic Charities, is accepting applications as of Monday, July 2, for the upcoming heating season. This federally funded program assists low-income Delawareans with heating bills through direct payments to home energy suppliers. The LIHEAP benefit is based on a household's income, size, and type of fuel. Call your local Catholic Charities office for information, to see if you qualify or to make an appointment for a personal interview—302-654-9295.

**"Some Enchanted Evening":-** Thursday, August 23, 6:30 PM, featuring *4 Pianists Playing 4 Grand Pianos*, Kailyn Jackson-Slaugh, Cameron Kuzepski, Michael Xavier Lundy and Dr. Lisa Papili-Carlson; Dinner Show Fundraising Spectacular to benefit the Music Ministry of St. Mary of the Assumption, 7200 Lancaster Pike, Hockessin. Dinner catered by Boston Market complete with wine and dessert, \$35.00 per adult, \$15.00 per child or student with ID. Tickets on sale through the church website or by calling the church office—302-239-7100 or [www.smachurch.com](http://www.smachurch.com). Event in parish hall.

**The Knights of Columbus, Fr. James F. Trainor Council #15082**, wishes to thank all the parishioners of St. Patrick's and St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception who contributed to our continuing non-perishable food drive. This past Columbian Year, 2017-2018, 2654 pounds of food were collected and distributed to the poor.

**Men's Group:-** Next meeting Aug. 22, 7:30 PM at Dead Presidents on Union Street. Please join us to explore this new, local opportunity. For more information contact Mark Monahan—302-354-2499 or [markm@acquacastliner.com](mailto:markm@acquacastliner.com), or Rich Sisca—302-509-9930 or [richsisca@comcast.net](mailto:richsisca@comcast.net).

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