

## SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### Commemoration of All Souls

#### WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY:

The Feast of All Souls brings to fond memory our family and friends who have died. It also reminds us that we will join them. Let us remember, especially in the month of November, to pray for those who have died. "May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen".

#### THE READINGS:

Daniel 12:1-3

We are reminded that those whom we remember in prayer are in the hands of God.

Romans 6:3-9

Paul reminds us that the life we long to live forever has already begun; at Christian baptism, believers die with Christ so as to rise with Christ and live, literally, to walk in newness of life.



*I will not reject anyone  
who comes to me.*

*Jn 6, 37-40*

John 6:37-40

Seeing and believing in Jesus means accepting the bread of his teaching and the bread of his very presence. By so doing, believers have a share in eternal life in this world and on the last day.

Offertory Collection

October 26, 2003

\$907.00

World Missions

\$334.00

**A limited number of Sanctuary Candle Memorials** for the year 2004 remain. Envelopes are on the table in the vestibule. Please complete the front of the envelope and enclose the \$10 donation for the 2-week period and drop it in to the offertory collection. A Sanctuary Candle will be lit for two weeks in honor of a living person/family or in memory of a deceased person/family.

**Votive Candle offerings** are \$2.00 for the large candles, and 50 cents for the small candles.

Feast Days for the saints for this week are: 11/3 – St. Martin de Porres, 11/4 – St. Charles Borromeo.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	November 1,	5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living and deceased)
Sunday,	November 2,	9:00 AM (rip) All Souls
Monday,	November 3,	8:00 AM (rip) Helen & Stephen Sefcik
Tuesday,	November 4,	8:00 AM (viv) Claudia Goodwin by David Smith
Wednesday,	November 5,	8:00 AM (rip) Patricia Mulrooney by Helen Brannon
Thursday,	November 6,	8:00 AM (rip) Richard Meli by Louise Meli
Friday,	November 7,	8:00 AM (viv) Jennifer Goodwin by David Smith
Saturday,	November 8,	5:00 PM (rip) Charles Walter by Ruth Press
Sunday,	November 9,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)

The next **available dates** for **Mass Intentions** are: January 29, February 1, and 17, 2004. **Mass stipends** are **\$10 per Mass** per Diocesan changes as of January 1, 2003.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from November 1<sup>st</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> in memory of Richard Meli by Louise Meli.

**Lectors** for next weekend's Masses are: 5 p.m. – Linda Michel, 9 a.m. – Jacob Schmitt.

**Catholic Forum** – Tune in to Catholic Forum each Sunday morning at 10:05 on AM 1150 WDEL or [www.wdel.com](http://www.wdel.com). Next Sunday, November 9th, hear an interview with Chris Lowney, author of "Heroic Leadership." Catholic Forum is a production of the Diocese of Wilmington's Office of Communications.

**Vocations** – St. Paul writes to the Christians in Rome "none of us lives for oneself, and no one dies for oneself. For if we live, we live for the Lord." All of us are called to live for the Lord, though people are called in different ways. Are you being called to live as a religious sister or brother, or as a diocesan or religious priest? If you would like to explore the possibility of a religious vocation, Father Joe Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Vocations at (302) 573-3113.

#### Christmas Bazaars:

Immaculate Conception Church, 452 Bow St., Elkton will hold its 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Bazaar on Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup> from 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. and on Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup> from 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Mount Aviat Academy, 399 Childs Road, Childs, MD will hold its Annual Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.



All Souls Day

*For this is the will of my Father,  
that everyone who sees the Son  
and believes in him may have  
eternal life, and I shall raise him  
on the last day.*

**John 6, 37-40**

November 2, 2003