

## SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY:

When Jesus spoke in the synagogues, those who knew him met him with great resistance. Often times we are resistant in hearing God's Word as it is proclaimed in our midst. As brothers and sisters in Christ, let us pray that our hearts can be open to the transforming Word of God.

### THE READINGS:

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19

Jeremiah prophesies that even though we may be rejected by the world, the Lord is there to sustain and deliver us.

1 Corinthians 13:4-13

As Christians we must strive to love one another as Christ loves the church.



They drove him out of the town  
Lk 4:29-30

Luke 4:21-30

The prophetic word of Jesus stirs up anger amongst his townspeople.

Offertory Collection

January 25, 2004

\$1011.00

Catholic Communications and University

\$ 277.00

**Lectors** for next weekend's Masses are: 5 p.m. – Susan Walker, 9 a.m. – Thomas Kaczmarczyk.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from January 24<sup>th</sup> – February 7<sup>th</sup> in memory of Claude & Kass Jordan by Mr. & Mrs. Leon Binder.

**Eternal rest** grant to Father James Trainor; Henry Grasing, father of Fr. John Grasing; Mary McClafferty, wife of Bill McClafferty, III; and Maureen Burris, wife of Bob Burris.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	January 31,	5:00 PM (rip) Denise Millay by Dorothy Roberts & family
Sunday,	February 1,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)
Monday,	February 2,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Tuesday,	February 3,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Wednesday,	February 4,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Thursday,	February 5,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Friday,	February 6,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Saturday,	February 7,	5:00 PM (rip) Rose Meli by Louise Meli
Sunday,	February 8,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)

The next **available dates** for **Mass Intentions** are: March 8, 9, and 10, 2004. **Mass stipends** are **\$10 per Mass**.



**Prayer of St. Blasé** – Through the intercession of Saint Blasé, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Throats will be blessed after the Masses this weekend.

Please **pray** for the Bishop and priests who are on Study Week this coming week.

**Feast days** for the saints for this week are: 2/3 – St. Blasé and St. Ansgar; 2/5 – St. Agatha; 2/6 – St. Paul Miki and companions.

**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, February 8<sup>th</sup>, Andy Zampini, Director of Parish Social Ministry for Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Wilmington will discuss the upcoming Charity and Justice Conference. Catholic Forum is a production of the Diocese of Wilmington's Office of Communications.

**Vocations** - God speaks to His people through the prophet Jeremiah: "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you. Before you were born I dedicated you." Our God knows us intimately; our God has a plan for each of us. What are you doing to discover God's plan for *your* life? Could it be that He's calling you to a life of religious ministry for the good of the Church? If you think so, call Father Joe Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Vocations, at (302) 573-3113.

**2003 Tax Contributions** – Anyone wishing to have a tax letter for their contributions for 2003 please complete this form and place it in the offertory basket. The letters will be available for your pickup the following weekend. They will be in a box marked "Tax Statements" in the last windowsill on the Blessed Mother Side.

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