

SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Most Holy Trinity

WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY:

Today we celebrate the mystery of the Most Holy Trinity, three Persons in one God. The relationship between the Father, son, and Holy Spirit inspires us to live in right relationship with one another. As we gather to celebrate Eucharist, let us examine our hearts and seek the Lord's mercy for our offenses.

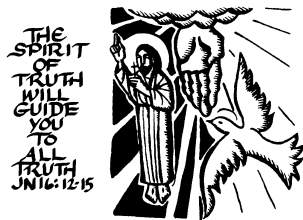
THE READINGS:

Proverbs 8: 22-31

The book of Proverbs speaks of Lady Wisdom as witness to the mighty acts of creation of the Lord our God.

Romans 5:1-5

Through Jesus Christ, we have made peace with God and the Holy Spirit has been given to us.



John 16:12-15

As he prepares to return to the Father, Jesus tells his disciples that he will send the Spirit of Truth to guide them.

Offertory Collection

May 30, 2004

\$1329.00

Next weekend a second collection will be taken up for the annual Seminary Fund. Please be generous.

Lectors for next weekend's Masses are: 5 p.m. – Charlie Gondek, 9 a.m. – Harry Killian.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from May 29th – June 12th for the Deren & Bachmura Families (living & deceased) by Stan & Joann Bachmura.

Feast days for the saints for this week are: St. Ephrem – 6/9, St. Barnabas – 6/11.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	June 5,	5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)
Sunday,	June 6,	9:00 AM (rip) Jean Lannan by Ruth & Tony Payer
Monday,	June 7,	8:00 AM (rip) MaryJane St. Marie by Toni Hebert
Tuesday,	June 8,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Wednesday,	June 9,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Thursday,	June 10,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Friday,	June 11,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Saturday,	June 12,	5:00 PM (rip) August Walter by Ruth Press
Sunday,	June 13,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)

The next **available dates** for **Mass Intentions** are July 15, 16, and 18, 2004. **Mass stipends** are **\$10**.

CCD – Registration forms for children who will be entering classes in September for the first time are on the table in the vestibule. If your child was not baptized at St. Paul's, we need to have a copy of his/her Baptismal Certificate returned with the registration form.

Special Notes – 1) *please close the doors to the church when you enter or exit. Let us keep the air conditioning inside the building.* 2) *Please do not dress too casual when coming to Mass. Clothing (especially shorts) should be of a modest length. T-shirts, if they have graphics or writing on them, should not be offensive to anyone.* 3) *Please do not block the rectory driveway. Thank you for your cooperation.*

Father's Day Cards are available on the table in the vestibule. All Fathers, Grandfathers, and Godfathers will be remembered at the Masses during June.

Annual Catholic Appeal – To date, we have received pledges totaling \$9270.00 toward our goal of \$8300. Thank you for your generosity. Our parish will receive 50% of the **amount collected** over our goal. We ask that all fill out a pledge card even if you are not going to make a pledge – please mark "No Gift" so that the follow-up phone calls don't have to be made.

Catholic Forum – Tune in to Catholic Forum each Sunday morning at 10:05 on AM 1150 WDEL or www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, June 13th, tune in to hear about Jesus House Prayer and Renewal Center with guests Angie and Chris Malmgren. Catholic Forum is a production of the Diocese of Wilmington's Office of Communications.

Vocations - In today's second reading, St. Paul reminds us "the love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us." Each of the baptized is called to bring that love to other people; some are called to do so as priests, deacons, religious sisters or religious brothers. What about you? If you think God might be inviting you to serve in one of these ministries, call Father Joe Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Vocations, at (302) 573-3113.

St. Peter the Apostle Church, New Castle – Join Fr. Fiore and Premier Tours on board the "Norwegian Dream" – "Freestyle Cruising". This trip to the Scandinavian Capitals & Germany will take place August 4-17th. For more information call Fr. Fiore at 328-2335.

