

SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY:

In today's gospel, Jesus heals 10 lepers, but only one returns to give thanks to him. Do we take our faith for granted? As we gather to celebrate this Eucharist, let us ask God for the grace to live as faith-filled people of God.

THE READINGS:

2 Kings 5:14-17

The prophet Elisha heals Naaman of his leprosy.

2 Timothy 2:8-13

Through his suffering, death and resurrection, Christ Jesus obtained salvation for all.

Luke 17:11-19

On his journey to Jerusalem, Jesus cures the 10 lepers.

Offertory Collection

October 3, 2004

\$1092.00

Next Sunday, **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**, our Holy Father, Pope John Paul II, calls every Catholic to celebrate, at the Eucharist, our vocation to be missionary and to help the Missions.

As Catholics around the world – here at home and in the Missions – gather at the Eucharist around the table of the Lord, let us...

+ PRAY for the Church's worldwide missionary work

+ OFFER financial help through the Propagation of the Faith for more than 1100 dioceses throughout Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands

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

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from October 2nd - October 16th in memory of William & Willard Smith by David & Mary Smith.

Eternal rest grant to Eileen Corrigan, mother of Rev. Gregory Corrigan, Pastor of Corpus Christi, and all the souls of the faithful departed.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	October 9,	5:00 PM (rip) Haugh Family by Margery Netsch
Sunday,	October 10,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)
Monday,	October 11,	8:00 AM Gondek & Kleamski Families (living & deceased)
Tuesday,	October 12,	8:00 AM (rip) Margaret Townsend
Wednesday,	October 13,	8:00 AM (rip) Rose Kenderski by Mary Smith
Thursday,	October 14,	8:00 AM (rip) Albert Gondek by Charlie Gondek
Friday,	October 15,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Saturday,	October 16,	5:00 PM (rip) Margaret Rose Taylor by Ruth Press
Sunday,	October 17,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)

The next **available dates** for **Mass Intentions** are Nov. 16, 18, and 19, 2004. **Mass stipends** are \$10.

Catholic Forum – Tune in to Catholic Forum each Sunday morning at 10:05 on AM 1150 WDEL or www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, October 17th, tune in to learn about Priesthood Sunday, when Fr. Bob Silva, president of the National Federation of Priests' Councils is interviewed. Catholic Forum is a production of the Diocese of Wilmington's Office of Communications.

Vocations – In today's gospel reading, Jesus heals ten lepers. We usually think of doctors and nurses as healers, but the priest is also called to be an agent of healing, especially in the sacraments of Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick. Is God calling you to this kind of "healing" ministry? If you think so, call Father Joe Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations, at (302) 573-3113.

A **Christian Concert** will be held on Sunday, October 24th, 1-4 at the Blue Rocks Stadium. This Free Concert with Love Offerings accepted will benefit the building fund for **Delaware's Statue of "Our Lady, Queen of Peace"** by Charles Parks. The Master of Ceremonies is Michael Waite from WJBR. Bag pipers, bands (Trinity, All Things New, a band from St. Margaret of Scotland Parish, Isaiah's Fools and Stain Grass), and vocalists, including several priests, opera singers, and bell ringers. Please bring a non-perishable item for the Sunday Breakfast Mission. See web site www.ourlady-de.org.

Catholic Charities is seeking an experienced, part-time receptionist/secretary for an evening, permanent position in the Behavioral Health Services offices at the 4th Street and Greenhill Avenue location in Wilmington. The work schedule is Monday - Thursday from 4:30 – 8:30 p.m. Experience in customer service, various computer software programs and interpersonal skills are a must. Send resumes to the Office Coordinator, Behavioral Health Services, Catholic Charities, P O Box 2610, Wilmington, DE 19805, Fax (302) 654-6432 or apply on line at www.cdow.org click on Employment Opportunities – Catholic Charities by October 15, 2004.

Catholic Charities will offer **Stepping Stones to a New Life**, a program for people who are divorced or separated. The 6-week program will begin on Tuesday, October 26th from 6:30-8 p.m. The cost of the program is \$35. The course is designed to help people rebuild their lives after divorce or separation. For information or to register call MaryJo McGonegal, Family Life Bureau at 655-9624.

"Feeling the Chill? – Turn up the heat in your Marriage Sacrament. Experience a **Marriage Encounter Weekend** and experience a better marriage. Our next weekend is in November in Rehoboth Beach. For more information call Bob and Michelle Dooley at 1-800-688-9963.

Knights of Columbus – St. Pius X Council, Lancaster and Scott Streets, Wilmington – features Spaghetti, Ravioli, and Chicken Dinners on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. \$10 per person (food is too much – we have to take it home), sports on Big Screen TV. For details call 661-1010.