

## SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

### WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY:

Today's readings are about listening for God's voice and following where God leads us. This weekend we honor one who answered God's call — Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Let us quiet our minds and calm our hearts and listen for God's call to us this day.

### THE READINGS:

1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19

Speak, Lord, your servant is listening.

1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20

Your body is a member of Christ and a temple of the Holy Spirit.

John 1:35-42

We have found the Messiah.

Offertory Collection January 8, 2006

\$899.00

Next weekend a second collection will be taken up for Catholic Communications and Catholic University. Please be generous.

**Lectors** for next weekend's Masses are: 5 p.m. – Jean Beldyk-Byers, 9 a.m. – Linda Michel.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from January 7<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> in memory of Henry & Dorothy Cressman by Francis & Helen Dudlek.

The newly elected **Trustees** for the parish for 2006 are James Durante and Stanley Bachmura.

**High school students** wishing to join **St. Paul's Youth Group** can get information from Michael or Leslie Spinella at 838-5567.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	January 14,	5:00 PM (rip) Mary Bosco by Judy Bosco
Sunday,	January 15,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)
Monday,	January 16,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Tuesday,	January 17,	8:00 AM Gondek & Kleamski Families (living & deceased)
Wednesday,	January 18,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Thursday,	January 19,	8:00 AM (rip) Willard Smith by David Smith
Friday,	January 20,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Saturday,	January 21,	5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (living & deceased)
Sunday,	January 22,	9:00 AM (rip) Peggy Sterling by MaryLouise Fix

The next **available dates** for **Mass Intentions** are May 25, 30, and June 1, 2006. **Mass stipends** are \$10.

**Catholic Forum** – Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 on 1150 AM WDEL or on the Internet at [www.wdel.com](http://www.wdel.com). Next Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> hear an interview with Bishop Saltarelli as he reflects on his ten-years as Bishop of the Diocese of Wilmington. Catholic Forum is a production of the Office of Communications of the Diocese of Wilmington.

**Vocations** – The Prophet Samuel did not recognize the Lord's voice immediately; it took very careful listening on his part. Could God be calling *you* to serve as a priest, deacon, religious sister or religious brother? If you'd like to discuss the possibility, please call or write Father Joe Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113 or [jcocucci@cdow.org](mailto:jcocucci@cdow.org)).

Join the Oblates of St. Francis deSales in celebrating **the Feast of Francis deSales**, Patron of the Diocese of Wilmington, the Catholic Press and the Deaf Community. This liturgy will be celebrated on Sunday, January 22, 2006 at 11:00am in St. Anthony of Padua Parish, Wilmington, DE. Very Rev. Joseph G. Morrissey, OSFS Provincial will be the celebrant and Rev. Angelo F. Maraldo, OSFS Director of Development will preach.

**"MARDI GRAS MAGIC" Dinner Dance** to benefit Jesus House Prayer & Renewal Center at Corpus Christi Hall on Saturday, February 25, 2006, 6:30 p.m. - Midnight. Live Band -- "Heart and Soul" is a talented, 5 piece, well-rounded ensemble, playing music from the past and present. \$35, includes appetizers, buffet dinner, live music, beer, wine and soda. Tables of 8 are available. Contact Jesus House at (302) 995-6859 or [Edie2501@comcast.net](mailto:Edie2501@comcast.net).

**2005 Tax Contributions** – Anyone wishing to have a tax letter for their contributions for 2005 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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