SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Confessions: ¹/₂ hour before each Mass or by appointment.

St. Paul's Cemetery Information: Contact Sheryl at 656-3323 (Catholic Cemeteries Office)

Sixth Sunday of Easter

WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY:

My friends, as this Easter season continues, we are busy about many things. Let us take time now, for the next hour, to put aside all our busyness and pray quietly for the coming of the Spirit into our lives.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK: Acts 1:1-11, Ephesians 1:17-23, Matthew 28: 16-20

OFFERTORY COLLECTION April 20, 2008 \$1198.00 The Nine Day Mass Remembrance for Mother's Day will begin on May 10, 2008.

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

The *Sanctuary Candle* is lit from April 26th – May 10th in memory of Dorthy Cressman by the Dudlek Family.

Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet Cards are available in the vestibule.



Congratulations to Xavier Jamieson, Anna Martin, Georgia Nester, and Vincent Yazidjian, who received their First Holy Communion this weekend.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	April 26,	5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Sunday,	April 27,	9:00 AM For the First Communicants and their families
Monday,	April 28,	9:00 AM (rip) Helen & Stephen Sefcik
Tuesday,	April 29,	9:00 AM (rip) Margaret Townsend
Wednesday,	April 30,	8:00 AM (rip) Willard Smith by Mary Smith
Thursday,	May 1,	9:00 AM (rip) Helen Brannon by Mary Smith
Saturday,	May 3,	5:00 PM (rip) Georgina Binder by Leon Binder
Sunday,	May 4,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

Annual Catholic Appeal – To date we have heard from 52 families and we thank them for their response. Those who have not responded please consider your ability to help our Diocese and our parish meet the mental, physical, educational, and spiritual wellbeing of those brothers and sisters of ours who cannot do these things on their own. If you can only give a small amount, \$10 a month or even less, please fill in a pledge card today. If you cannot give anything, please fill out a card so that we know that we do not have to do any follow-ups.

Religious Education Classes – re-registration forms were to be returned to class last Sunday, April 13th. Please send in your forms as soon as possible. Families who wish to register a child for classes for the fall for the first time are asked to pick up a green-colored Registration Form from the literature rack in the vestibule. If your child was not baptized at St. Paul's, a copy of their Baptismal Certificate must be returned with the registration form.

💽 Thank You

To all our Flea Market volunteers and to all who donated items for us to sell!

Vocations - In today's gospel, Jesus says "Whoever hears my commandments and observes them is the one who loves me." Can you think of a better way to show one's love for Jesus than by seeking out God's will for your life? Finding God's plan involves listening and responding. If you think God might be calling you to serve the Church as a priest, sister, brother or deacon, and if you'd like to explore steps you can take to listen better, call or write Father Joseph Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113; jcocucci@cdow.org).

Catholic Forum – Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 a.m. on 1150AM WDEL. Next Sunday, May 4th, tune in to hear an interview with Catholic singer/songwriter Christopher Dayett. Catholic Forum is a production of the Office of Communications of the Diocese of Wilmington.

Italy, Nov. 11-19, with Fr. Tom Flowers - Lower rates & cooler weather in Rome, Assisi, Perugia, Florence, Venice, & more. Free slide show May 12, 6:30 pm, at St. Polycarp Church in Smyrna. st_polycarp@verizon.net. or (302) 653-8279. Colette Vacations.